buying iphone 3 gs (online)
Posted by Tunes - 22 Nov 2009 00:00
well, due to my late acquisition, in ipod nano 5 g with camera, great great great product, 6 stars on 5 .
enough babality ${ }^{\bullet}$

So I don't know why, started looking around for iphone 3gs, well, the apple online store, where I bought the ipod (personalized with my nick [TuNeS]], cool heh, does not sell the iphone, funny, went to ebay.com/.co.uk/.de and none to be found, the ebay.de gives an error... go figure...

The only \"legal\" place where I found the unlocked phone was amazon... for the modest ammount of... $750 €$ the 16 Gb and around $1000 €$ for the $32 \mathrm{gb} . .$. WHAT?!?!?!?!?!?!?

So, went to vodafone.pt and they have it for a 50 month plan for $274 €$, tmn and optinus also give similar plans, all portuguese operators, my preference is vodadone. i'm client for around 15 years already on the same number, so, a 50 month plan means nothing to me.

As if writing, checked out orange on the uk, and cheapest plan on 18 months, gives $540 £$, ouch!

So, for what matters, looks like the only way to get one \"legally\" is getting it through a provider, unlocked.. geeeez

Not that I am a tech freak, but really gave spin on the iphone and found it to do anything better and faster than any other. besides the silly ammount of entertainment the damned thing does. and i'm a fan of Nokia, prolly cause was the second brand I had after the Motorola 8 w 4 kgs mobile phone ${ }^{\text {e }}$

Prolly next year or around xmas I will make a decision on it... or stick with my anccient phones (the nokia 6230 and 6680 for two operators)

Then again, if someone is looking for a mp3 player, get one of these, ok, it costs a bit, but worth every penny!

EDIT: well, ebay.de is not freaked out, but some ebays are atm, the same, regular unlocked iphones, 750 to $1150 €$...

## Re: buying iphone 3gs (online)

Posted by liger-22 Nov 2009 10:08
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## Re: buying iphone 3gs (online) <br> Posted by Tunes - 22 Nov 2009 18:40

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belgium luckers.... but there a month plan or paying the eyes and heart for it?

## Re: buying iphone 3gs (online) <br> Posted by liger - 24 Nov 2009 04:44

trofil. second option ${ }^{\bullet}$
it was around 600 euros itihnk
PS: iphone3g.mobistar.be/nl/iphone3g.cfm\" onclick=\"window.open(this.href);return false; recently they've changed the law to allow bundling, so it might all change pretty soon

## Re: buying iphone 3gs (online) <br> Posted by Tunes - 24 Nov 2009 09:38

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anyways the listed price of 600 is WITH vat

