

## What I like about the new iPhone 14 Pro Max 256 GB

- Decision to purchase was forced by a contract with Bell about to expire on my iPhone 12 and I liked the residual value of my iPhone 12: \$462
- I have big fumbly hands: this iPhone has a significantly larger format; previously, I had an iPhone 12; more apps visible per screen? Larger icons for the fingers?
- Larger memory -256GB (2 million times the memory of my original Apple IIe enhanced 128KB in 1983)
- Brighter screen with more contrast
- Always on screen - nice if you have a bedside stand, and your motion-detecting Apple Watch is not nearby
- Quicker loading of apps and screens
- Longer battery life between charges
- The Dynamic Island (pill-shaped screen insert) at the top of the Home Screen shows camera and microphone status. I assume other similar functions might follow. Suggestion: Ant-virus status.
- Photography - what stand out are the superb image quality and very flexible photographic functions (macro > telephoto)
  - Videos: image stabilization for video is remarkably effective; but not available for photos (???) CORRECTED INFORMATION
  - Eye-popping colour for low contrast photos taken in poor light.
  - Distortion correction for parallel lines in wide-angle view
  - Photographic Styles: Standard / Rich Contrast / Vibrant / Warm / Cool = preset values for Tone and Warmth (Colour temperature, Saturation, Contrast)
  - Macro (close-up) photography: (2 cm or less close to subject)
  - I suspect the onboard processing [iOS v 16.1.1] of Photos is at least as good, and up to date, as Apple's Photos OS app [v7.0]. (2021)
  - Photo resolution in Apple ProRAW can be set to 12MB or 48MB

## These will process AppleRaw's DNG file format

- Adobe Photoshop (Camera Raw)
- Affinity Photo 2
- Apple Photos
- Luminar AI
- Pixelmator Pro
- Polarr

## Non-compatible for Apple's Raw DNG files?

- ON1 PhotoLab (Ross?) - recent release suggests it does more than just reduce noise: [mask photos quickly](#), [swap out skies](#), [reduce image noise](#), sharpen images, [retouch portraits](#), or [upscale photos](#), ON1 Photo RAW does it all in one application.
  - I see it supports FUJI Raw files. This interests me!
- Capture One - treats noise only?
  - [Better](#) with Fuji RAW / RAF file format: