



Hotstar

The streaming platform with all the audiovisual content of India

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Review

More and more people are consuming television through their mobile device, thanks to the speed of the connections, it is something that makes the difference between the classic way and this new version not noticeable. That is why there are more offers of applications that offer this service, with **Hotstar** being one of them.

Owned by Star India, one of the largest media outlets in the country, which in turn is part of Star Sports, which has the sports rights to most leagues. Launched in 2015, it quickly set a world record, managing to be the largest number of people connected at the same time watching a match in the Premier Ligue, the country's national competition. It is the ideal application for all those people who are interested in the content they make and who are in another part of the world.

This app focuses on audiovisual production that is made in India, making series, films, sports broadcasts and programs live or delayed available to the user. It is one of the most popular applications in the country, accumulating more than 100,000 hours of exclusive content, with more than 350 million subscribed users and that you can enjoy it in up to 17 languages. **Download Hotstar for free**, you will find it available for Android and iOS.

Its billboard is full of colorful Bollywood movies, Disney or Marvel greatest hits, with mythical sagas such as Planet of the Apes, Kingsman, etc. But it not only has famous movies, in terms of series it also has the most famous of recent years such as Game of Thrones, Modern Family, Friends and many more.

Regarding television, Hotstar has access to international channels such as HBO, Nat Geo and Fox Life, as well as others of Indian origin. In these you will be able to see outstanding programs in deferred or live, which will also have world sporting events, with great international coverage such as the Indian national football league, and with the possibility of seeing the best moments of the competitions, the replays and delayed broadcast of recent matches.

Download Hotstar, one of the star programs of this streaming platform is the broadcast of cricket matches, the sporting event par excellence in the Asian country and which its followers follow with devotion, both within the region and internationally, through this app, that's why Star Sports is available on Hotstar, so you won't miss anything from the competition.

Hotstar's free app can be downloaded in more countries outside of India, such as the United States and the United Kingdom, but most of the content is geographically restricted. To be able to see all their programming internationally, you will have to pay more, while there costs a monthly subscription \$ 15, while in other places \$ 99.99 and this will not give you the right to see their entire library.

Saving geographical difficulties, through its app you will have access to all the content that is available in your country without any other type of restriction. With an interface cataloged by sections in which it is divided into everything it offers, you will quickly find what you are looking for, with thumbnails of the contents to make it even easier. You will be able to see at a single glance on the screen those programs and sporting events that are taking place live so that you can see them.

On its home page you will find all the icons that you will need to explore the application, such as the search engine, notifications, menu and direct ones. You can create alerts for your favorite shows so that they reach your mobile phone and you don't miss anything.

Since April, **Hotstar** in India has a partner and it is that with the launch of the Disney application in the country, instead of having their own platform they have merged it with the streaming star there, since their owners are part of the American group. With this merger, the subscription price has increased and the number of users has grown even more, but what is more important, this is why from the platform itself you can enjoy all the content of the dream factory.

✓ Pros

- You can watch all Disney movies.
- It has good image quality.
- Bollywood movies that are hard to find on other platforms.
- Live cricket sporting events.

✗ Cons

- Fuera de la India tiene muchas restricciones de contenido.
- No pasa a siguientes episodios de series.
- Mucha publicidad.
- Tarda mucho en cargar

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