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Indie iOS Developer Releases Fridoo: \$2.99 One-Time Pantry Tracker

No subscription, no account, no tracking — all data stays local

Oberursel, Germany, April 30, 2026 — **Fridoo**, a new iOS pantry tracker built by a solo developer based in Germany, is now available on the App Store as a deliberate counterpoint to subscription pricing in the category. Priced at \$2.99 one-time with no in-app purchases, no ads, and no account required, the app aims to do one job well: help households reduce food waste by tracking expiry dates with local-first data architecture.

What Fridoo Does

The app helps users keep an eye on items in the fridge, freezer, and pantry, and consume them before the expiry date. Core features:

- Barcode scanner — scan a product, name and category fill in automatically
- Push reminders 14 days, 1 week, 3 days, and 1 day before expiry (configurable)
- Color-coded list at a glance: fresh, expiring soon, expired
- Swipe gesture to mark items consumed or wasted, with consumption statistics
- 13 categories, 3 storage locations, 4 languages (English, German, Spanish, French)

Privacy-First Architecture

Fridoo stores all data locally on the device. There is no Fridoo server, no account system, no tracking. Optional iCloud sync runs through the user's own Apple account. Only the barcode number is sent to OpenFoodFacts to retrieve product information — no personally identifiable data leaves the device.

Technically, Fridoo is built with Swift 6, SwiftUI, and SwiftData. iCloud sync uses CloudKit through the user's private Apple ID. Push reminders are scheduled locally, and the barcode scanner caches scanned products for offline availability.

Founder Quote

"I built Fridoo because I was tired of subscription pricing for pantry apps — you shouldn't have to pay monthly for a glorified expiry reminder. Pay once, use forever, keep your data local. The way apps used to work."

Availability and Pricing

Fridoo has been available on the App Store since April 30, 2026 for \$2.99 one-time. No in-app purchases, no subscription, no ads. Requires iOS 18 or later. iPad version and iCloud sync included.

App Store: <https://apps.apple.com/de/app/fridoo/id6762368587>

About the Developer

Fridoo is published by a solo iOS developer based in Germany under the [wwwery-good-apps](https://www.wery-good-apps.de) brand. The focus is native iOS apps with one-time pricing and privacy-first architecture.

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