Add BRDCD Tools to your iPhone Home Screen

Safari · Chrome · Microsoft Edge · schematic visuals (not device photos)

Unofficial personal guide for **DS-452 Helper** and **POM Worksheet**. Not a U.S. government website or product. Discussion: BRDCD WhatsApp group.

Apps (repeat once per URL)

• **DS-452 Helper** — https://ds452-helper.pages.dev/

• **POM Worksheet** — https://pom-worksheet.pages.dev/

Web app vs bookmark: A Home Screen *web app* opens more like an app. A *bookmark/shortcut* may open in a browser. Safari's **Open as Web App** toggle (when shown) selects the web-app style. Chrome: if a web app is available the shortcut opens the app; otherwise it opens in your default browser.

1. Safari (Apple Support — official)

From Apple "Turn a website into an app" and "Add a website icon to your Home Screen" (read 6 Nov 2026).

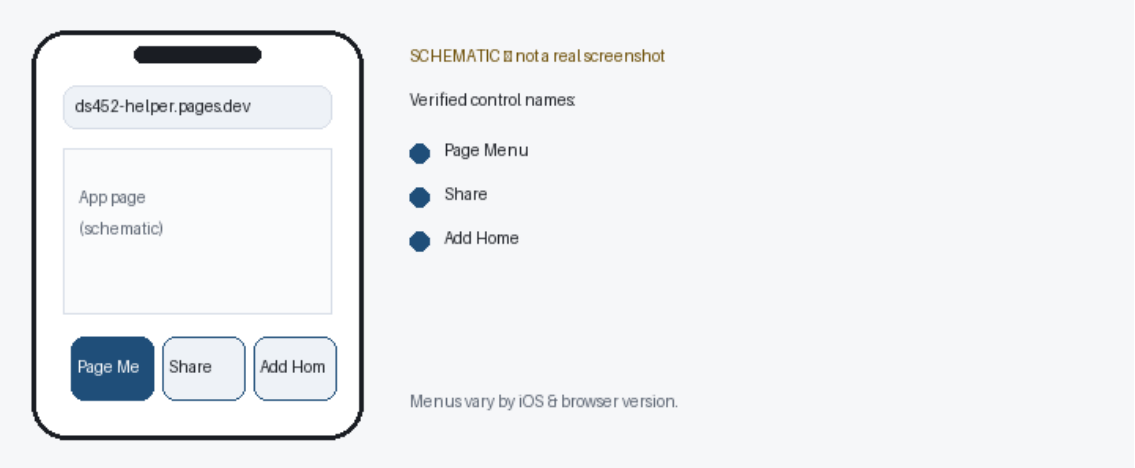
1. Open **Safari**.
2. Open the app URL.
3. Tap **Page Menu (•••)**, then **Share**. If Tabs layout is Bottom or Top, tap **Share** directly (Settings → Safari → Tabs).
4. Scroll and tap **Add to Home Screen**. Missing? Bottom of list → **Edit Actions** → enable it.
5. Turn on **Open as Web App**.
6. Tap **Add**.



Page Menu art (Apple)



Share art (Apple)



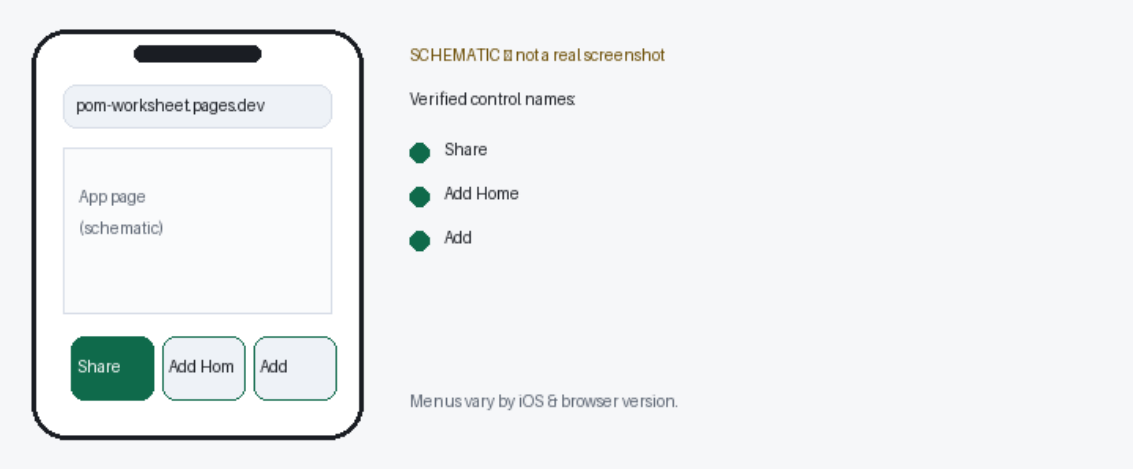
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2. Google Chrome for iOS (Chrome Help — official)

From Google Chrome Help “Use web apps” → iPhone & iPad (read 6 Nov 2026). Non-Safari web-app install support: iOS 16.4+ (MDN).

1. Open **Chrome**.
2. Open the app URL.
3. Right of the address bar, tap **Share**.
4. Tap **Add to Home Screen**.
5. Confirm or edit the name → tap **Add**.

Tip: If a web app is available, the shortcut opens the app; otherwise it opens in your default browser (Chrome Help).



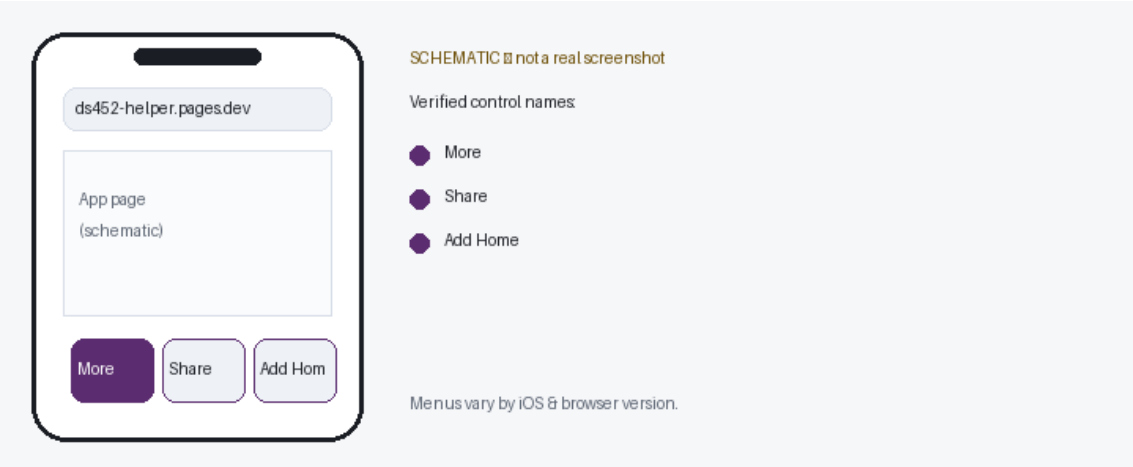
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3. Microsoft Edge for iOS

Microsoft Support mobile FAQs / desktop “Install as an app” were reviewed; **no clear official iPhone Add to Home Screen walkthrough** was found. MDN: iOS/iPadOS **16.4+** supporting browsers can use Share → Add to Home Screen. Steps below follow that Share-sheet pattern (also described by BrowserHow, Jul 2024). UI labels may vary.

1. Open **Edge**.
2. Open the app URL.
3. Tap **More (■)**, then **Share**.
4. Scroll and tap **Add to Home Screen**.
5. Edit name if needed → tap **Add**.

If Add to Home Screen is missing in Edge, open the same URL in **Safari** and use section 1 (verified Apple path).



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4. Both apps

1. DS-452 Helper — https://ds452-helper.pages.dev/
2. POM Worksheet — https://pom-worksheet.pages.dev/

Expect two Home Screen icons. Each keeps its own on-device data.

5. Troubleshooting

• **Safari: no Add to Home Screen** — share sheet bottom → Edit Actions → enable it (Apple).

• **Safari: no Share button** — Compact Tabs hides controls; use Page Menu → Share, or Settings → Safari → Tabs → Bottom/Top (Apple).

• **Open as Web App** — turn on in Safari's Add to Home Screen sheet for the web-app style (Apple).

• **Chrome/Edge missing action** — update the browser; check iOS 16.4+; fallback to Safari section 1.

• **Opens in a browser tab** — re-add with Open as Web App on (Safari), or confirm web-app install (Chrome tip).

• **UI looks different** — iOS/browser versions move buttons; follow control names, not an older remembered layout.

6. Sources (URLs read 6 Nov 2026, Asia/Singapore)

• Apple — Home Screen icon: https://support.apple.com/guide/iphone/bookmark-a-website-iph42ab2f3a7/ios
• Apple — Open as Web App: https://support.apple.com/guide/iphone/open-as-web-app-iphea86e5236/ios
• Chrome Help — Use web apps (iOS): https://support.google.com/chrome/answer/9658361?co=GENIE.Platform%3DiOS&hl=en
• MDN — Installing PWAs: https://developer.mozilla.org/en-US/docs/Web/Progressive_web_apps/Guides/Installing
• web.dev — Installation: https://web.dev/learn/pwa/installation
• Secondary Edge iOS Share path (not Microsoft official): https://browserhow.com/how-to-use-add-to-home-screen-in-edge-on-iphone/
• Microsoft Edge mobile FAQs (reviewed; no iPhone ATH walkthrough found): https://support.microsoft.com/en-us/microsoft-edge/microsoft-edge-for-mobile-faqs-29296eab-b76f-4a87-ac9c-9835da53465d

Prepared 6 Nov 2026 (Asia/Singapore). Schematics are labeled diagrams, not device screenshots.