Android Wear update to take on Apple watch

Wi-Fi, gestures and emoji’s come to your wrist.

The way Apple Watch’s release stormed the markets and tech enthusiasts, Google was bound to make their fans and customer happy. After several weeks of hard work, the wait of all their fans is finally coming to end. Google has finally launched its most awaited update for android wear which brings it level to level with apple watch in almost all aspects and also betters out at some places! This update has finally brought the Wi-Fi supports, hand drawn emoji’s and gesture support to the wrist. With its hand drawn emoji’s, you need not reply anyone with boring text or speaking to your phone, rather draw an emoji yourself on the watch and send it away, cutting out awkward talk with your wrist.

Another important thing this update has brought is the Wi-Fi. With Wi-Fi built in many of the android wear devices, this is a huge and a very important update. Now you can roam in your Wi-Fi enabled house and keep receiving important notifications even if you are out of range of your phone’s Bluetooth network! And not only this, Google has also added the Google cloud support on the android wear devices, so now backup your data using your watch itself. Plus, a new feature in tests, connects your watch to available Wi-Fi hotspots in the area!

Keeping in mind the more battery consumption due to Wi-Fi connectivity, Google has developed a low screen mode software to run on your devices, which would save your battery! Along with this, developers can tweak with the information and decide whether it would go to the ‘low power screen’ or not! The other change your screen will see along with low power mode will be gestures. Just flick you hand over the top of watch and see the next notification, without even touching the screen! But with this, there’s a risk of calling someone by mistake, because of some random gestures of day to day life, but Google has taken care of this. Google said that it’s not a destructive weapon, but just a way to scroll up or down!

With all these updates, Google has aimed at the apple watch and has also brought happiness to their customers. They also said that a second huge update is on its way and that update would make watch even more useful. We are hopeful!