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AN INTRODUCTION TO THE RAKETA POLAR

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The solid and robust case, with straight facets and sharp angles, is particularly adapted to the rigours of polar expeditions. The design of this case is harmoniously completed with a stainless-steel bracelet emphasising the masculine character of this timepiece.



The rotating bezel is engraved and enamelled with the name of all the Arctic ocean seas and their respective time zones, which allows using the GMT function. This 24-hour watch with a rotating bezel can be also used as a solar compass both in the northern and southern hemispheres.



The back of the watch reveals the beautifully decorated automatic movement which is entirely produced by the Raketa Watch Factory in Saint-Petersburg. The finishing of the rotor is reminiscent of northern lights.

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The cost of the watch is 2.000 EUR (VAT included). For the comfort of customers, Raketa watches are delivered worldwide free of charge by DHL directly up to their front door.



Specifications

• Calibre: 2624A

Functions: AutomaticNumber of jewels: 24Testing positions: 4

Average rate (s/d): -10+20
Average running time (h): 40
Frequency/hour: 18.000 / 2.5Hz
Bi-directional automatic winding Yes

• Stopper of self-winding unit activated during manual winding: Yes

Decoration: Polar lightsCase material: Stainless steel

• Size: 41,6 mm

Front glass: SapphireBack glass: SapphireRotating bezel: Yes

Crown: Screwed-in crown
Water resistance: 20 ATM
Hands: Superluminova
Dial: Superluminova

• Strap/bracelet: Stainless steel bracelet

• Width: 22 mm

