

RAKETA POLAR

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In testimony of the 50th anniversary of the first production of the Soviet Raketa Polar watch (in 1970), the Raketa Watch Factory is relaunching the production of this historic watch model. This watch model was specially produced in 1970 for the polar explorers of the 16th Soviet Antarctic expedition.

SPECIFICATIONS

REFERENCE

W-09-11-10-0270

YEAR

2020

SIZE

35 mm

MOVEMENT

Calibre: 2623. Average rate (s/d): -10+20. Average running time: 42h. Frequency/hour: 18.000 / 2.5Hz

FUNCTIONS

Hours, Minutes, Seconds.
Manual winding 24 hours

BRACELET/STRAP

Genuine leather and additional textile strap included with watch

WATERPROOFNESS

Water resistant

PRICE

EUR 1'400



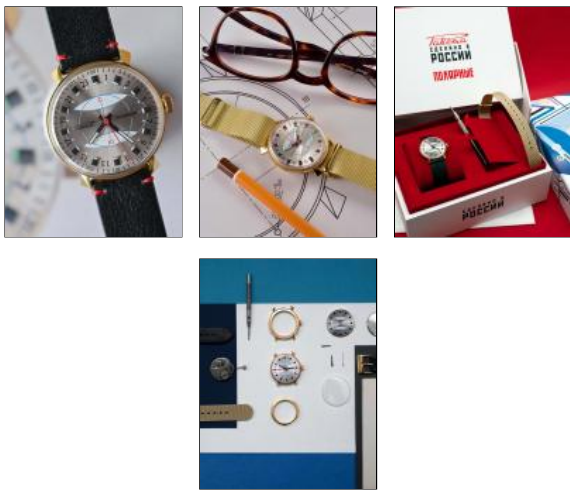
Assembly of the iconic Raketa Polar watch re-e...



This re-edition, limited to 200 watches, is based on the original design and technical drawings that were found in the archives of the Factory.

To make this watch more robust than other Raketa watches of that time, Raketa's engineers developed a case with a complicated 4-piece construction with a special glass fixation system. To allow polar explorers to tell the time without knowing if it is day or night, they developed a movement that made the hour hand do one turn of the dial in 24 hours (instead of the conventional 12 hours).

The limited edition of 200 watches is now under production using "old school" manufacturing processes at the Raketa Watch Factory - the same Factory that produced this model exactly 50



years ago! It is already available for pre-order on Raketa's website with a delivery beginning of April 2020.

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