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Introduction

By Aurel Bacs



In times when watches are “smart”, do we really need mechanical watches? Vintage mechanical watches? To us, the answer is yes and I say so with conviction. Why? While many of us will probably buy a smart watch, we don’t adore watches for their ability to pay our bills, open doors, or answer our e-mails. Instead, we love mechanical watches. They capture our hearts and minds because they are works of art, full of history, craftsmanship, and because they are an expression of our personalities and sensibilities.

Certainly, without passion and love, but also curiosity for watches, one cannot appreciate these treasures, hand-made by skilled watchmakers and worn with respect by their previous owners. But since you are holding this catalogue in your hands, chances are quite high that we share this common bond that makes us stay up late at night, reading about calibres, references, hard enamel signatures and Mk I chronograph pushers – the details that fascinate watch lovers. It is exactly the very same passion and love for watches that motivated us to travel the planet for months, in search of rare, fine and well-preserved examples and to bring them together for this, our inaugural watch auction. Once the watches were with us, many late nights in the office followed, filled with research, photography, and discussions on why each should be in this auction. Speaking of photography: We have chosen to do our own photography, without outside help. Instead, it is our very own Paul Boutros, enamored with watches since his youth, who has volunteered to photograph all the watches himself. The result is, in my view, simply breathtaking as the watches display not only the passion he has for watches but are depicted exactly the way they are, free of retouching blemishes or any other manipulation. Forgive us please some dust specks, fingerprints on bezels, and some shadows on the dial!

Some watches eventually didn’t make it into this auction, simply because we felt that they didn’t belong here. Either not sufficiently original or over-restored, they did not fulfill the stringent criteria that we imposed on them, but also on ourselves. We aim to bring to you a level of quality of watches that we would be proud to own and wear ourselves. Does this mean that all watches here are mint und unworn? Certainly not. In fact, wear as such isn’t killing the quality or charm of a collector’s watch, probably even the contrary. Legitimacy and authenticity is where we see the difference. In fact, we believe that “less is more” and this is why the selection in this catalogue is, in terms of volume, one of the most compact that has been offered in recent years.

Do we claim that we have the answer for all unsolved mysteries in the fascinating universe of watch collecting? Absolutely not, the more we learn about certain models, the more often we realise how many elements are still not known in literature and that we need the help of knowledgeable friends.

And this is why we are so immensely proud to announce our new Advisory Board, composed of distinguished, senior fellows of our watch collecting community. Every member not only shares our passion for fine watches, but has also specialist knowledge in important niches of our market, be it of technical, historical or commercial nature, locally or internationally. We are humbled that these well-respected members of our community have agreed to share their knowledge with us and serve, without compensation, in our shared cause: To offer you, our dear clients, exceptional timepieces to help you build collections of enduring value.

I wish to thank all the consignors who have entrusted us with the sale of their treasures, embracing our vision and believing in us. I am equally grateful to the many members of the press who have spoken so highly about this new initiative, before even seeing the first catalogue. Lastly, my sincerest thanks go out to my wife Livia and the Phillips Watch department team, who have agreed to embark on this journey together. My sincere thanks are extended to Ed Dolman, CEO and Chairman of Phillips, Frank Lasry, COO of Phillips, and the shareholders of Phillips for believing in our approach to watch collecting, and helping make our vision a reality.

It would be an honour to hear from you with any feedback and inputs you may have. It is a great pleasure to personally welcome you at one of our previews, be it in Hong Kong, New York, London, or Geneva.

Yours sincerely,

Aurel Bacs

A large platinum wristwatch with slate grey dial

MANUFACTURER	Vacheron Constantin
YEAR	Circa 2012
REFERENCE No.	81180/000P-9539
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	1'204'674
MODEL NAME	Patrimony Contemporaine
MATERIAL	Platinum
CRYSTAL	Sapphire
CALIBRE	Manual, 1400
BRACELET/STRAP	Crocodile
CLASP/BUCKLE	Platinum buckle, <i>signed Vacheron Constantin</i>
DIMENSIONS	40mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 8,000-12,000 Δ • Σ \$8,200-12,300 €7,600-11,400



NOTES

ACCESSORIES
User manual, fitted *Vacheron Constantin* presentation box and outer packaging



LOT 61

VACHERON CONSTANTIN

NO RESERVE

REF. 81180 PATRIMONY CONTEMPORAINE



Founded in 1755, Vacheron Constantin has been manufacturing slim dress watches for the past 200 years.

The Patrimony collection encompasses the firm's skills to deliver beautiful and elegant time only dress watches to extremely fine minute repeating watches, all cased in a large 40mm diameter case with smooth bezel.

The present lot features a sleek slate grey dial, first introduced by Vacheron to the market in 2007 in a limited series of 10 watches. Due to the popularity of the dial it was mounted to current production and fitted to platinum watches in 2010 and has remained in current production ever since.

A rare limited edition platinum wristwatch

MANUFACTURER	Jaeger LeCoultre
YEAR	2013
REFERENCE No.	1296520
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	2'976'655
MODEL NAME	Master Ultra Thin Jubilee
MATERIAL	Platinum
CRYSTAL	Sapphire
CALIBRE	Jaeger LeCoultre 849
BRACELET/STRAP	Crocodile
CLASP/BUCKLE	Platinum buckle, <i>signed Jaeger LeCoultre</i>
DIMENSIONS	39mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 5,000-8,000 Δ • Σ \$5,100-8,200 €4,700-7,600



NOTES

ACCESSORIES
Jaeger LeCoultre Guarantee certificate, certificate of origin, product literature, fitted presentation box and outer packaging



LOT 62

JAEGER LECOULTRE

NO RESERVE

MASTER ULTRA THIN JUBILEE



In 2013, Jaeger LeCoultre introduced the Master Ultra Thin Jubilee. In 1907 Jaeger created the worlds thinnest mechanical pocket watch measuring only 4.05mm. This record is still held today and was the inspiration behind the creation of the present wristwatch.

The watch is powered by the Jaeger LeCoultre 849 ultra thin calibre and has a thickness of only 1.85mm. In addition, the 1833 on the dial is dedicated to the firms 180 years of manufacture.

The platinum limited series of 880 pieces, of which the current watch is numbered 24 pays homage to the firms founder, Antoine LeCoultre. A perfect combination of simplicity and elegance the current wristwatch pays tribute to Jaeger-LeCoultre's role in developing the worlds finest ultra-thin watches.

A rare limited edition white gold reverso wristwatch with blue enamel dial

MANUFACTURER	Jaeger LeCoultre
YEAR	2013
REFERENCE No.	Q37335E1
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	2'820'398
MODEL NAME	Grande Reverso Blue Enamel
MATERIAL	18k white gold
CRYSTAL	Sapphire
CALIBRE	Jaeger LeCoultre 822
BRACELET/STRAP	Crocodile
CLASP/BUCKLE	18k white gold buckle, <i>signed Jaeger LeCoultre</i>
DIMENSIONS	30 mm. wide & 49 mm. overall length
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 12,000-18,000 • Σ \$12,300-18,400 €11,400-17,100



NOTES

ACCESSORIES
Jaeger LeCoultre Guarantee Certificate, Certificate of Origin, instruction manual fitted presentation box and outer packaging.



LOT 63

JAEGER LECOULTRE

NO RESERVE

GRANDE REVERSO BLUE ENAMEL



Introduced in 2012, the Grande Reverso Blue offers a new sophisticated look to the celebrated Reverso.

Manufactured in a limited series of 50 pieces the watch was fitted with a larger case and beautifully crafted blue enamel dial. Preserved in almost unused condition this wristwatch is offered for sale with all the accessories originally delivered by Jaeger LeCoultre.

A rare and oversized platinum chronograph wristwatch, No. 1

MANUFACTURER	Vacheron Constantin
YEAR	2006
REFERENCE No.	47120/000P
MOVEMENT No.	979'998
CASE No.	1'123'458
MODEL NAME	Malte Chronograph Excellence Platine
MATERIAL	Platinum
CRYSTAL	Sapphire
CALIBRE	Manual, 1141
BRACELET/STRAP	Crocodile
CLASP/BUCKLE	Platinum buckle, <i>signed Vacheron Constantin</i>
DIMENSIONS	41.5mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 15,000-25,000 Σ \$15,400-25,600 €14,200-23,700



NOTES

ACCESSORIES
Vacheron Constantin Certificate of Origin dated March 11th, 2006, leather wallet, instruction manual, service booklet, fitted presentation box and outer packaging.



LOT 64

VACHERON CONSTANTIN

MALTE CHRONOGRAPH EXCELLENCE PLATINE



The Vacheron Constantin Malte Chronograph was first introduced in 2004.

In 2006, the venerable firm introduced a strictly limited edition of 75 watches cased in platinum. This series, fitted with a platinum dial, was part of the "Collection Excellence Platine".

The present example is number 1 of this series and preserved in excellent overall condition. It was never offered at auction before and comes with the complete package including the original certificate and box.

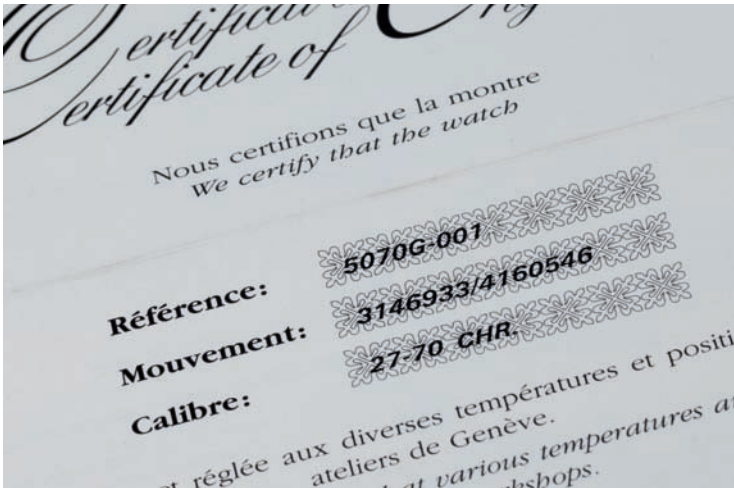
A fine oversized white gold
chronograph wristwatch

MANUFACTURER	Patek Philippe
YEAR	2001
REFERENCE No.	5070G
MOVEMENT No.	3'146'933
CASE No.	4'160'546
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	18k white gold
CRYSTAL	Sapphire
CALIBRE	Manual, CH27-70
BRACELET/STRAP	Crocodile
CLASP/BUCKLE	18k white gold deployant clasp, <i>signed PPC</i>
DIMENSIONS	42mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 35,000-55,000 Δ Σ \$35,900-56,400 €33,200-52,100



NOTES

ACCESSORIES
Patek Philippe Certificate of Origin, leather envelope, product literature, fitted presentation box and outer packaging. Further delivered with Extract from the Archives confirming production of the present watch in 2001 and its subsequent sale December 8th, 2001.



LOT 65

PATEK PHILIPPE

REF. 5070G



The reference 5070 was first introduced to the market in 1998 and was cased in yellow gold with a black dial. The white gold case was subsequently put into production in 2001 and remained there until 2006.

The 5070 enjoys a unique spot in Patek Philippe history for being one of the largest wristwatches they ever manufactured. Sought after today for its elegant looks and clean lines the watch is still very much in vogue.

The present lot, coming directly from the original owner, is in very good condition and comes complete with box and certificate.

A very rare white gold perpetual calendar chronograph wristwatch with moon phases and Breguet numerals, sold to benefit Save the Children

MANUFACTURER	Patek Philippe
YEAR	1994
REFERENCE No.	5020G
MOVEMENT No.	3'045'108
CASE No.	2'956'051
MODEL NAME	"FIFTY TWENTY"
MATERIAL	18K white gold
CRYSTAL	Sapphire
CALIBRE	Manual, CH27-70 Q
BRACELET/STRAP	Leather
CLASP/BUCKLE	Platinum deployant clasp <i>signed PPC</i>
DIMENSIONS	36mm Wide
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 120,000-220,000 • \$123,000-225,000 €114,000-208,000



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PROVENANCE
Property from a distinguished collector

ACCESSORIES
With *Extract from the Archives* confirming production of the present watch in 1994 and its subsequent sale on January 20th, 1995.



Save the Children is the largest independent children’s rights organisation in the world and has been working specifically for the rights of children since 1919. Save the Children is active in over 120 countries, providing medical care, food, education and protection for children, regardless of their background, gender or religious beliefs. The organisation fights against exploitation, abuse and neglect of children. Helping them now and in the long term. Save the Children is politically, ideologically, economically and religiously independent. www.savethechildren.ch



LOT 66

PATEK PHILIPPE

NO RESERVE

REF. 5020G



The “fifty twenty” is a very intriguing reference. Manufactured in the mid Nineties there have only been 7 other examples in white gold to have appeared on the market in the last twenty years.

At the time of its launch reference 5020 was too avant-garde for Patek Philippe’s clientele and failed to attract sufficient interest in order to become a success. Consequently, production remained rather small. Today, its cushion-shaped case form is much more popular and, despite mechanically being identical to its more classic sister model reference 3970, it enjoys much greater popularity within the collector’s community.

The present example in white gold was never before offered at auction. Phillips in Association with Bacs & Russo wishes to thank the collector who generously donated this lot which will be sold without reserve. We are honoured to have been chosen for this charitable auction.

A fine and rare limited edition platinum annual calendar wristwatch with centre seconds, moon phases and 24 hour indication, made to commemorate the 125th Anniversary of Wempe Jewellers

MANUFACTURER	Patek Philippe
YEAR	2003
REFERENCE No.	5125P
MOVEMENT No.	3'360'447
CASE No.	4'215'623
MODEL NAME	W125
MATERIAL	Platinum
CRYSTAL	Sapphire
CALIBRE	Automatic, 315 S QA LU
BRACELET/STRAP	Crocodile
CLASP/BUCKLE	Platinum deployant clasp, <i>signed PPC</i>
DIMENSIONS	37mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed by the maker, dial further signed Wempe for the retailer</i>

ESTIMATE	CHF 50,000-80,000 Σ
	\$51,200-82,000
	€47,400-75,800

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ACCESSORIES

Patek Philippe Certificate of Origin confirming production of the present watch in 2003 and its subsequent sale on 23rd October 2003. Furthermore delivered with a second sapphire case back, setting pin, sale tag, commemorative medal, fitted wooden presentation box and red Wempe outer packaging.



LOT 67

PATEK PHILIPPE

REF. 5125P



In 2003 Patek Philippe celebrated its retailer Wempe's 125th anniversary. For the occasion 125 pieces of the reference 5125 were manufactured in yellow, pink and white gold. There were only 100 pieces made in platinum.

The present watch is number 44 of the platinum version and is preserved in excellent overall condition, still retaining all the accessories.

A rare stainless steel limited edition
chronograph wristwatch

MANUFACTURER	Panerai
YEAR	1996
REFERENCE No.	5218-304
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	020/500
MODEL NAME	Pre-Vendome, Mare Nostrum “SLYTECH”
MATERIAL	Stainless steel
CRYSTAL	Sapphire
CALIBRE	Manual, 13'''
BRACELET/STRAP	Leather
CLASP/BUCKLE	Large stainless steel buckle, <i>signed Panerai</i>
DIMENSIONS	42mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed, case back further signed Special Edition Sylvester Stallone and engraved with the actor's signature</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 12,000-18,000 Δ • \$12,300-18,400 €11,400-17,100



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LOT 68

PANERAI

NO RESERVE

REF. 5218-304 MARE NOSTRUM "SLYTECH"



The present special edition Panerai is known as a Pre-Vendome model. Panerai was re-established in 1993 and all of the firm's watches manufactured from this point up until the Vendome Group took control in late 1996/7 are known as Pre-Vendome pieces.

Panerai commissioned a special series of large stainless steel chronograph wristwatches for the actor Sylvester Stallone. Originally intended to be made in a limited edition of 500 watches, scholarship states that eventually only 50 watches of reference 5218-304 were ever finished. In fact, it appears that Officine Panerai sold 31 watches of this series and Vendome distributed the remaining 19 examples.

The example offered here for sale is consequently a very rare collector's watch and preserved in overall very good condition.

A rare and very attractive stainless steel wristwatch with bracelet, guarantee, rating certificate, box and swing tags

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1967
REFERENCE No.	5512, stamped 5513 inside the case back
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	1'642'629
MODEL NAME	Submariner
MATERIAL	Stainless steel
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Automatic, 1570
BRACELET/STRAP	Rolex Jubilee, stamped U.S.A
CLASP/BUCKLE	Folding deployant clasp
DIMENSIONS	39mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial, movement and bracelet signed, case back further stamped II.67
ESTIMATE	CHF 8,000-14,000 ▼ \$8,200-14,300 €7,600-13,300



NOTES

ACCESSORIES
Rolex guarantee, Watch Rate Certificate No. 328'362, from the *Bureaux Suisses de Contrôle Officiel de la Marche des Chronomètres* dated 7 July 1967, fitted presentation box with outer packaging and swing tag.

LITERATURE
For another example of a reference 5512, please see *100 Superlative Rolex Watches* by John Goldberger, page 186.



LOT 69

ROLEX

REF. 5512



Launched in 1959, Rolex introduced crown guards to the Submariner with the reference 5512 for added robustness and reliability. Like nearly all Submariner references before and after it, the 5512 experienced several changes over the course of its 15-year production run.

The particularity of reference 5512 is that it is fitted with the observatory tested chronometer movement. This fact is stated on the dial with the white printing "Superlative Chronometer Officially Certified".

The dial is untouched and immaculate with matching, aged luminous hour markers and hands. It comes complete with its original inner and outer box, guarantee card and punched chronometer certificate, making it a trophy watch for collectors of rare Rolex Submariners.

A fine, rare and attractive stainless steel calendar wristwatch with bracelet and “tropical” brown dial

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1968
REFERENCE No.	1680
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	2'292'644
MODEL NAME	Submariner, “Red Submariner”
MATERIAL	Stainless steel
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Automatic, 1570
BRACELET/STRAP	Rolex Oyster folding link
CLASP/BUCKLE	Twin lock folding deployant clasp
DIMENSIONS	39mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial, movement and bracelet signed, case back stamped III.69
ESTIMATE	CHF 10,000-15,000 ▼ \$10,200-15,400 €9,500-14,200



NOTES

LITERATURE
For another example of a tropical dial “Red Submariner” ref. 1680, please see *100 Superlative Rolex Watches* by John Goldberger, page 188.



LOT 70

ROLEX

REF. 1680



Produced beginning in 1966, the reference 1680 was the first Rolex Submariner model to include a date.

For the first twelve years of production, the 1680 featured the word “Submariner” in red, earning them these watches the name “Red Submariner”. The earliest of these had a depth rating with the meters positioned first, followed by the feet rating.

This early example, with a meters first depth rating, features a ‘tropical’ dial that has aged to a beautiful and uniform shade of chocolate brown. The luminous hour markers, perfectly matching its luminous hands and bezel pearl, have similarly aged to a pleasing light beige color. Combined with the well-preserved case, it’s a superb example of this highly desirable and collectible reference.

A rare and attractive stainless steel wristwatch with centre seconds, second time zone, bracelet, ivory “rail” dial, guarantee and box

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1987
REFERENCE No.	16550
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	9'720'317
MODEL NAME	Explorer II, “Cream Dial”
MATERIAL	Stainless steel
CRYSTAL	Sapphire
CALIBRE	Automatic, 3085
BRACELET/STRAP	Rolex Oyster, end links stamped 801
CLASP/BUCKLE	Twin lock folding clasp
DIMENSIONS	39mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial, movement and bracelet signed
ESTIMATE	CHF 8,000-12,000 ▼ \$8,200-12,300 €7,600-11,400



NOTES

ACCESSORIES
Rolex punched guarantee dated 1987, product literature, plastic wallet, fitted presentation box and outer packaging



LOT 71

ROLEX

REF. 16550



The Explorer II was first introduced to the market in 1985. The present watch features a highly charismatic warm ivory colour “rail” dial and is presented in extremely good original condition.

The term “rail” is derived from the symmetric division of the two lines of text “Superlative” and “Officially” that are separated by a vertical space on the left and “Chronometer” and “Certified” to the right.

“Ivory rail dial” Explorer II models were manufactured in very small numbers and it is very rare to find an example of this quality together with accompanying paperwork.

A very rare and attractive stainless steel chronograph wristwatch with enamel dial and ‘floating cosmograph’ signature

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1988
REFERENCE No.	16520
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	R976'036
MODEL NAME	Cosmograph Daytona
MATERIAL	Stainless steel
CRYSTAL	Sapphire
CALIBRE	Automatic, 4030, ‘Zenith’
BRACELET/STRAP	Oyster
CLASP/BUCKLE	Folding deployment clasp
DIMENSIONS	39mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Movement, dial, case and bracelet signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 18,000-28,000 ▼ \$18,400-28,700 €17,100-26,500



NOTES

ACCESSORIES
Fitted presentation box, outer packaging, additional links, swing tags, service guarantee, product literature and green leather wallet.

LITERATURE
For another example of a porcelain dial Daytona, reference 16520, please see *Ultimate Rolex Daytona* by Pucci Papaleo, pages 540 to 543



LOT 72

ROLEX

REF. 16520



For the Daytona's 25th anniversary, Rolex surprised the public at the 1988 Basel fair by introducing the first self winding chronograph model in its history.

The newly launched reference 16520 was powered by a derivative of Zenith's El Primero calibre, substantially modified by Rolex. It was also the first Daytona to be fitted with a sapphire crystal and a new, larger diameter, now being 39 millimeters. It was an immediate success.

The very first generation, like the present example, feature the very rare 200 graduation bezel and the most sought after specimen are equipped with an enamel coated dial. The Cosmograph designation is separated from the first four lines which lends it the nickname "floating" or in Italian "Staccato".

Being from the very first R-series, the present example also features the correct all satin finish Oyster bracelet, making it a must-have for the discerning Daytona collector, despite still being a young timer.

A rare and attractive stainless steel wristwatch with gilt black lacquer “exclamation” dial

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1962
REFERENCE No.	5508
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	764'460
MODEL NAME	Submariner
MATERIAL	Stainless steel
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Automatic, 1530
BRACELET/STRAP	Hermes, leather
CLASP/BUCKLE	Stainless steel, <i>signed Rolex</i>
DIMENSIONS	37mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed, inside case back stamped II.62</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 15,000-25,000 ▼ \$15,400-25,600 €14,200-23,700



NOTES

LITERATURE
For another example of a reference 5508 with exclamation dial please see *100 Superlative Rolex Watches* by John Goldberger, page 186



LOT 73

ROLEX

REF. 5508



This reference 5508 was manufactured in the early Sixties and is fitted with a dial where the signature and scales are printed in gilt but with the addition of the white printed depth rating.

The dial is beautifully preserved in original condition and displays consistent ageing with the numerals and hands. It further impresses with a wonderful rich black lacquer which remains intact.

The most noteworthy feature however is the “Exclamation” dial. These dials stated to appear in 1962, the very year the current watch was manufactured. It is believed a small dot placed at six o’clock confirms the use of tritium. A few years later Rolex stated to use SWISS T<25 therefore an “Exclamation” dial in such condition is a true rarity.

Launched in 1958, reference 5508 was an upgraded version of reference 6536/1, depth rated to 100 meters (330 ft.) and is fitted with a case without crown guards and the newly designed bezel with divisions for the first fifteen minutes.

A very rare and attractive stainless steel chronograph wristwatch with bracelet, jumbo logo and “tropical” subsidiary registers

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1967
REFERENCE No.	6239
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	1'695'561
MODEL NAME	Cosmograph Daytona
MATERIAL	Stainless steel
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Manual, 722-1
BRACELET/STRAP	Oyster folded link, 57 end links
CLASP/BUCKLE	Rolex folding clasp stamped 4. 66
DIMENSIONS	36mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Movement, dial, case and bracelet signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 30,000-50,000 ▼ \$30,700-51,200 €28,400-47,400



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LITERATURE
For another example of a reference 6239 with Jumbo logo and tropical registers please see *Ultimate Rolex Daytona* by Pucci Papaleo, pages 139 to 142



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ROLEX

REF. 6239



This most attractive reference 6239 Daytona stands out by two prominent features; The Jumbo Daytona logo which is clearly wider in size than Rolex Cosmograph on the two lines above.

The second eye catching quality is the magnificently aged “tropical” subsidiary dials, featuring a rich chocolate brown in the centre and a masculine mocca brown towards the edge, stunningly contrasting with the white calibrations.

By 1967 the Rolex Daytona was already in its fourth year of production. The most important design elements of this generation include the bezel calibrated to 300 units per hour, a feature which a few years later would disappear, and collectors are very fond of. It is also the last dial version to feature the Daytona designation in the upper half of the dial where on later generations the Daytona would find its permanent place above the 12 hour register on the lower half of the dial.

Thanks to the very light riveted Oyster bracelet, the Daytona from the 1960's are very comfortable watches to wear and represent, particularly in such lovely condition, great value.

A fine and rare stainless steel wristwatch with centre seconds, bracelet and gas escape valve, made for Comex

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1977
REFERENCE No.	5514, stamped 5513 inside the case back
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	5'228'358
MODEL NAME	Submariner "Comex"
MATERIAL	Stainless steel
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Automatic, 1520
BRACELET/STRAP	Rolex Oyster
CLASP/BUCKLE	Folding flip lock deployant clasp with extension links, end links stamped 580
DIMENSIONS	39mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Movement, dial, case and bracelet signed, case back further stamped with Comex issue number 897</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 50,000-80,000 ▼ \$51,200-82,000 €47,400-75,800



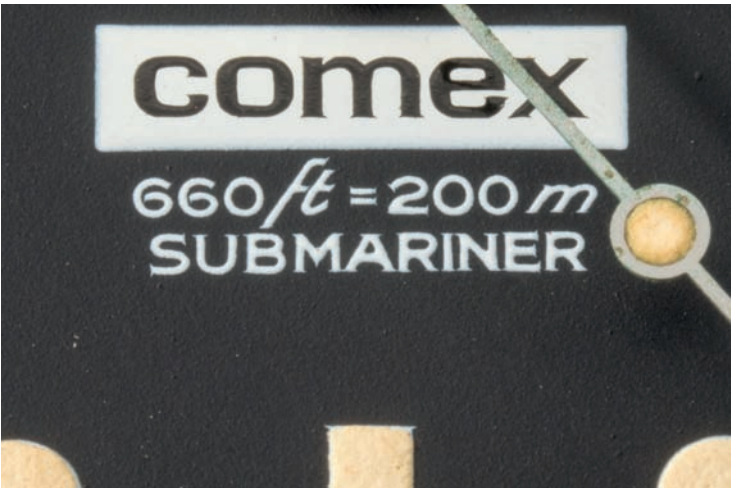
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ACCESSORIES

Rolex pouch

LITERATURE

Examples of Rolex COMEX references 5513 and 5514 see *100 Years of Rolex, 1908-2008* by Franca and Guido Mondani, p. 131.



LOT 75

ROLEX

REF. 5514



The Submariner reference 5514 was specifically developed by Rolex for Compagnie Maritime d'Expertise or "COMEX", a diving operation within the oil industry.

A special gas escape valve was fitted to the watch to release pressure from the case during the divers decompression. The "COMEX" offered here is part of the family of some of the rarest Submariner models. All "COMEX" watches were reserved exclusively for the firm and never available to the public for commercial production. The present watch stands out by its original overall condition. The luminous material applied to the numerals has taken on an attractive warm yellow tone from ageing which is consistent with the hands. The bracelet, reference 93150, fitted to the watch is also original and correct for the reference 5514.

A very rare and attractive yellow gold chronograph wristwatch with certificate and box, formerly in the collection of Antonio Cabrini

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1982
REFERENCE No.	6263
MOVEMENT No.	10057
CASE No.	7'426'610
MODEL NAME	Rolex Oyster Cosmograph
MATERIAL	18k yellow gold
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Manual, 727
BRACELET/STRAP	Crocodile
CLASP/BUCKLE	18k gold buckle, <i>signed Rolex</i>
DIMENSIONS	37.5mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 50,000-100,000 ▼ Σ \$51,200-102,000 €47,400-94,700



NOTES

PROVENANCE
From the collection of Antonio Cabrini

ACCESSORIES
Rolex Official Chronometer Certification, product literature, green leather wallet, presentation box, paper pad with signed outer leather case and outer packaging.

LITERATURE
For another example of a reference 6263 Daytona please see *Ultimate Rolex Daytona* by Pucci Papaleo, pages 436 to 439



LOT 76

ROLEX

REF. 6263



In virtually mint condition, retaining not only the factory finish to all elements and the remains of the original stickers to the case back, this reference 6263 still retains all accompanying paperwork and presentation box when delivered at the time of sale.

This particular watch is a wonderful example and is part of the 6263 production. Manufactured for nearly 20 years during which an estimated 2,000 pieces were made in gold. The majority of the gold versions bear the COSC certified chronometer designation on the dial.

The present example features a black matt dial with champagne subsidiary registers with black printing giving a very strong colour scheme and a beautiful harmony between the tones of black and gold. The case has become oxidized over the years giving the watch an extremely attractive look and leaving us with the feeling the watch has been sleeping for very long time.



Antonio Cabrini, born on the 8th of October 1957 in Cremona, is considered as one of the greatest left-backs player of all time and as one of the best defenders in Italian football history.

His professional career started in his hometown in 1973-1974 with the local team U.S. Cremonese in the C Series. In the season of 1975, he played in the B Series for Atlanta; after few appearances he was quickly remarked by other clubs and was acquired in 1976 by Juventus.

Author of 300 games in 13 seasons, he dedicated most of his career to Juventus with whom he won all UEFA club competitions and 6 championship titles.

During the 1978 World Cup held in Argentina, he formed one of the most exceptional defensive units of all time alongside goalkeeper Dino Zoff, as well as defenders Claudio Gentile and Gaetano Scirea, playing with the Italian national team. And at the age of 21 he won the Best Young Player Award. Four years later, with the same legendary unit, he won the 1982 World Cup.

Antonio Cabrini was obviously best known for his technical, defensive, athletic, and physical qualities, but also for being one of the most good-looking football players at the time and was nicknamed "Bell'Antonio".

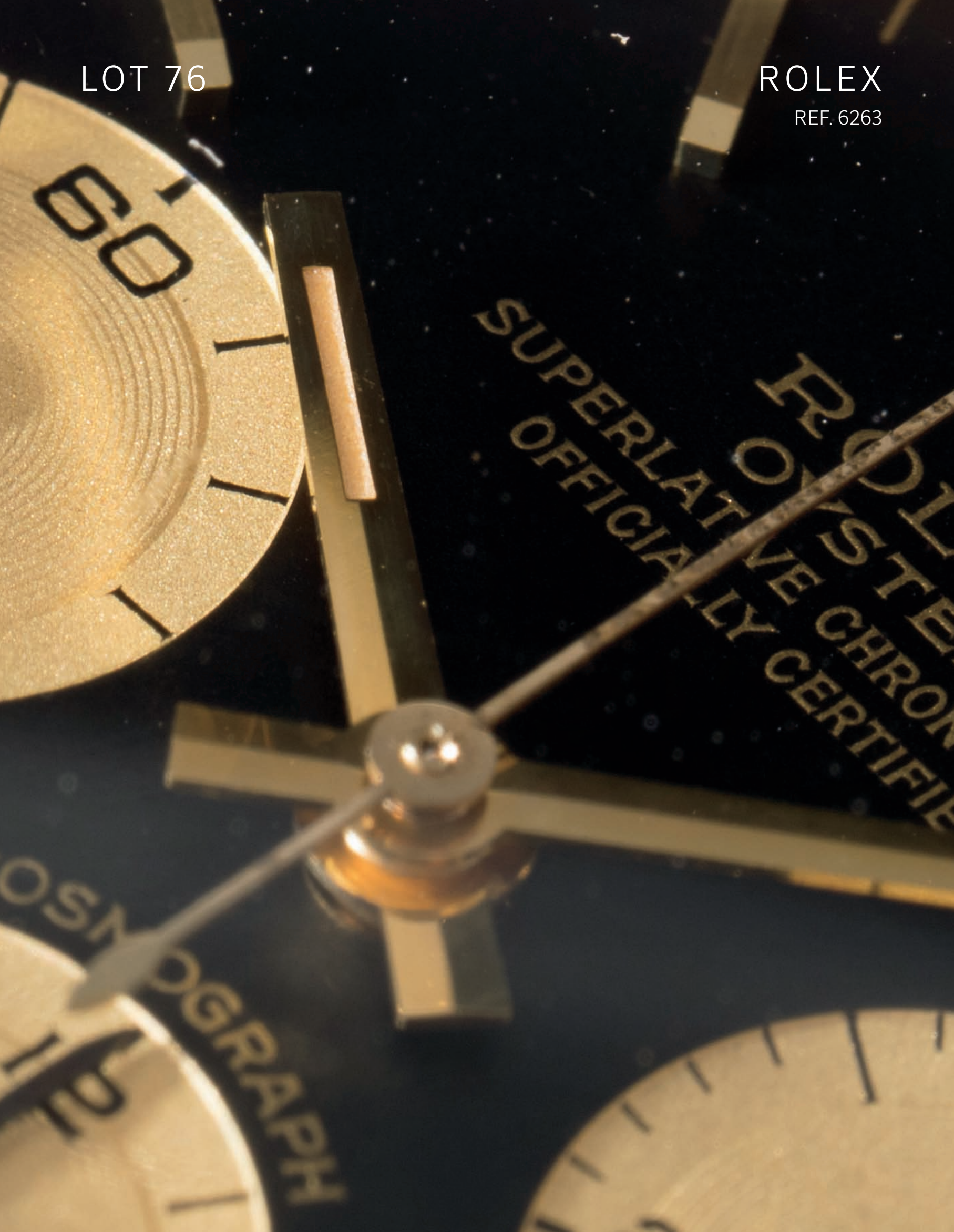
After retiring in 1991, he started coaching in 2000 and is since May 14th 2012 coach of the Italian women's national team.



LOT 76

ROLEX

REF. 6263



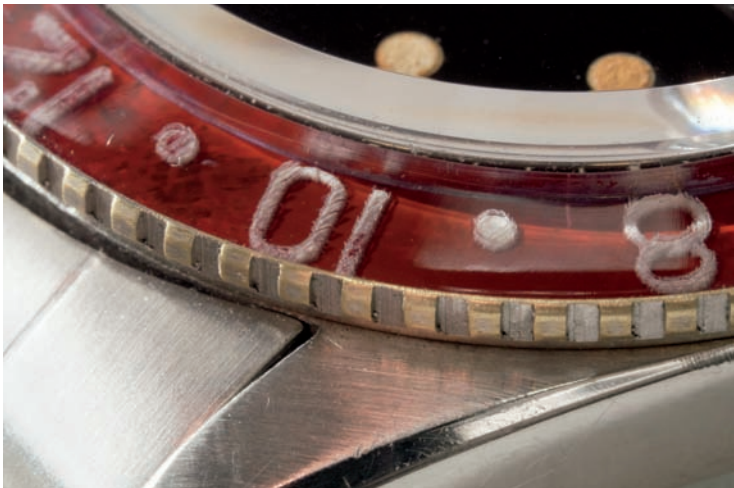
A rare stainless steel wristwatch with bracelet, centre seconds, dual time zone, black lacquer dial and bakelite bezel

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1959
REFERENCE No.	6542
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	426'907
MODEL NAME	GMT-MASTER
MATERIAL	Stainless steel
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Automatic, 1066
BRACELET/STRAP	Stainless steel Rolex Oyster, reference 7206
CLASP/BUCKLE	Folding clasp, stamped 2.67
DIMENSIONS	38mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial, movement and bracelet signed, case back stamped III.59
ESTIMATE	CHF 50,000-80,000 ▼ \$51,200-82,000 €47,400-75,800



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LITERATURE
For another example of a reference 6542 with bakelite bezel see 100
Superlative Rolex Watches by John Goldberger, page 192



LOT 77

ROLEX

REF. 6542



The first GMT-Master, reference 6542, was launched in 1954 and was initially fitted with an acrylic or bakelite bezel insert.

Pan Am, then the world's largest airline commissioned Rolex to design a watch to allow their pilots to keep track of time in two locations. Rolex introduced a 24-hour hand allowing its wearer, in conjunction with the calibrated revolving bezel, to swiftly calculate home and local time. The bakelite bezel was chosen to reduce the reflection and not disturb the pilots during flight.

The present watch is an appealing example of Rolex's reference 6542. Preserved in attractive original condition, it features this much sought-after bakelite bezel. The watch is stamped III.59 on the inside of the case back, indicating production of the watch in the third quarter of 1959.

The true value however of the present watch is the wonderfully preserved original black lacquer dial with gilt printing. The numerals and hands have aged consistently and present the beholder with a very warm orange hue.

A fine and very rare yellow gold, sapphire, ruby and diamond set calendar wristwatch with bracelet and second time-zone

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1984
REFERENCE No.	16758, stamped 16750 inside the case back
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	8'607'472
MODEL NAME	GMT-Master, "SARU"
MATERIAL	18k yellow gold, diamonds, sapphires and rubies
CRYSTAL	Sapphire
CALIBRE	Automatic, 3075
BRACELET/STRAP	Rolex President, 18k yellow gold and diamonds
CLASP/BUCKLE	Concealed folding clasp, stamped 8485
DIMENSIONS	40mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Movement, dial, case and bracelet signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 150,000-250,000 ▼ \$154,000-256,000 €142,000-237,000



NOTES

PROVENANCE
Property from an Important Private Collector

LITERATURE
An example of reference 16578 SARU is illustrated and described in 1908 - 2008 100 Years of Rolex by Franca and Guido Mondani, p. 175.



LOT 78

ROLEX
REF. 16758, SARU



Produced in an very small number, the present ref. 16758 SARU is believed to be one of only a handful of examples of this model to appear at auction to date.

Its rarity is further enhanced by its extremely well preserved original condition with very sharp lines and beveled edges to the case and green factory sticker still applied to the case back.

The “SARU”, which refers to the sapphire and ruby setting is distinguished by its diamond, sapphire and ruby-set bezel. This reference is a tribute to the blue and red coloured bakelite bezel of the first GMT Master model lauded in 1954.

To understand the rarity of the present watch one needs to look at the history of sports Rolex models. Since the introduction of the tool watches in the 1950's all watches were manufactured in stainless steel. Gradually gold was introduced however the use of precious stones was not used until the Cosmograph Daytona reference 6269/6270 in the 1980's alongside the present SARU GMT-Master. The original SARU from the 1980s is one of the rarest Rolex models of all times.

Examples like the present one, coming in factory-finish condition and still retaining the green sticker to the back, are seen very seldom and considered trophy watches.

An extremely rare, historical and highly important yellow gold wristwatch with triple calendar, black lacquer dial, phases of the moon and original certificate, rating certificate and instruction manual

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1951
REFERENCE No.	6062
MOVEMENT No.	52122, base plate numbered 00038
CASE No.	788'611
MODEL NAME	Rolex Oyster Perpetual Chronometer
MATERIAL	18k yellow gold
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Automatic, <i>Super Balance</i> , 9 3/4'''
BRACELET/STRAP	leather
CLASP/BUCKLE	18k yellow gold, <i>signed Rolex</i>
DIMENSIONS	36mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed, case back further engraved M/G W.C. SWEENEY JR, WITH SINCERE ADMIRATION, DIV, WING. AB GP, COMMANDERS -15TH AF, 8 AUG 55</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 300,000-600,000 ▼ \$307,000-615,000 €284,000-568,000



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ACCESSORIES

Rolex Chronometer Certificate with typed movement and case number and handwritten date of sale from A.F.E.X U.K. 14th July, 1955, *Bureaux Officiels de Controle de la Marche des Montres*, certificate number 212'703 and dated 29th February 1952, leather presentation box and period typed instruction letter.

LITERATURE

For other known black dial reference 6062 see *100 Superlative Rolex Watches* by John Goldberger, pages 144 to 153



LOT 79

ROLEX

THE GENERAL SWEENEY ROLEX REF. 6062



Reference 6062 is one of only two models ever made by Rolex featuring a full calendar and the phases of the moon.

Cased in stainless steel, yellow gold or pink gold, it is not only one of the rarest vintage collector watches but also amongst the most valuable. A large number of different dial designs were used during the model's short production in the early 1950s. The silvered dials were fitted with either arrow-, pyramid- or star-shaped numerals. The most exclusive of all dial versions are those finished in black lacquer, set with diamond numerals. The most famous of this group is the Bao Dai, named after Vietnam's last emperor and prominent owner of one of the three examples known today.

Equally rare and exclusive are examples featuring a black dial and the so called "spade numerals". Until today, only four examples have been seen in public. Interestingly, photographic evidence shows that all of them feature the blue moon disk.

The present example is in absolutely unrestored condition and its black dial still features the original luminous dots, a rarity by itself. The case has seen some regular but respectful wear but only very limited polishing. It is still accompanied by the original rating certificate, Rolex guarantee and instructions manual. These documents are in their own merit highly rare and we cannot remember when the last reference 6062 appeared on the market still retaining these.

The presentation inscription on the case back shows that a group of commanders of the 15th Air Force offered this watch to Major General Walter C. Sweeney on August 8th 1955. This was the exact date when Sweeney was promoted to commander of the 8th Air Force. The original Rolex guarantee shows that the watch was purchased at an Air Force exchange on July 14th 1955, only three weeks before being presented to Sweeney. Few watches are so rich of history, so prestigious and rare as models and so incredibly well preserved as the present "General Sweeney 6062". Without exaggeration, it must be considered as one of the most beautiful and valuable vintage Rolex wristwatches of all times.

General Walter Campbell Sweeney, Jr. (July 23, 1909 – December 22, 1965) was a United States Air Force four-star general who served as commander of the U.S. Air Force Tactical Air Command.



After completing high school and graduating as a second lieutenant in the Infantry in 1930 he was appointed to the US Military Academy at West Point, New York and after four years he decided to become a pilot. Amongst his achievements in his military career, he was assigned to command the Fifteenth Air Force at March Air Force Base, California in 1953. While stationed there in June 1954, he led a trio of B-47 Stratojet aircraft in the US Air Force's first non-stop flight of jet bombers across the Pacific Ocean. From August 8th, 1955 until September 1961, Sweeney commanded the Eighth Air Force at Westover Air Force Base, Massachusetts. In 1961, he was promoted to the rank of general.

For his long and impressive 35-year career with the Army and Air Force, Sweeney was awarded with the Distinguished Service Cross, the Silver Star, Distinguished Flying Cross and Air Medal, but also the Legion of Merit with oak leaf cluster.



President John F. Kennedy visiting Eglin Air Force Base in Florida, May 1962, greeted by General Walter Campbell Sweeney amongst other high ranking officials.



LOT 79

ROLEX

THE GENERAL SWEENEY ROLEX REF. 6062



A fine and rare pink gold centre seconds wristwatch with two-tone dial

MANUFACTURER	Omega
YEAR	1948
REFERENCE No.	2367
MOVEMENT No.	10662566
CASE No.	10'810'486
MODEL NAME	Chronometre
MATERIAL	18k pink gold
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Manual, 30 T2 SC RG
BRACELET/STRAP	Leather
CLASP/BUCKLE	Plated buckle
DIMENSIONS	36mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Movement, dial, and case signed
ESTIMATE	CHF 3,000-5,000 \$3,100-5,100 €2,800-4,700



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ACCESSORIES
Accompanied by *Omega Extract* from the Archives

LITERATURE
For another example please see *Omega Watches* by John Goldberger, page 96



LOT 80

OMEGA

REF. 2367 CHRONOMÈTRE



To collectors and scholars with an interest in precision time keeping, Omega's calibre 30 T2 SC RG is one of the most beautiful and best made wristwatch movements ever built.

Omega's reference 2367 is enjoying great popularity thanks to its generous dimensions but also timeless design.

The present example of Omega celebrated chronometer series has a beautiful silvered two-tone dial and features 12 applied pink gold Arabic numerals. Produced in 1948 its design is so incredibly timeless that one could think that it is from the last 10 or 20 years.

The case has hardly seen any polishing and the hallmarks applied on the side of the case and the upper left lug are very deep and very well defined.

A fine and rare stainless steel triple calendar chronograph wristwatch with moonphases, bracelet, certificate and box

MANUFACTURER	Universal Genève
YEAR	1968
REFERENCE No.	881.101/03
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	2'684'677
MODEL NAME	Tri-Compax
MATERIAL	Stainless Steel
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Manual, 281
BRACELET/STRAP	Stainless steel, Gay Frères, Universal
CLASP/BUCKLE	Folding deployant clasp, stamped 2. 68
DIMENSIONS	36.5mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial, movement and bracelet signed, bracelet further signed GF
ESTIMATE	CHF 6,000-9,000 \$6,100-9,200 €5,700-8,500



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ACCESSORIES
Together with *Universal* guarantee booklet, *Certificate from the Archives* confirming production in 1968 and fitted box



LOT 81

UNIVERSAL

REF. 881.101/03 "TRI-COMPAX"



The present steel Tri-Compax is one of the best looking and best preserved examples the market has seen in many years. Made in 1968 and still accompanied by its original Gay Frères steel bracelet stamped 2/68, it also comes with its original box and blank guarantee.

No one could be blamed for mistaking this Tri-Compax from a few feet away with a Rolex Daytona reference 6241 Paul Newman. However, this Universal features a complete calendar and phases of the moon, a complication that the celebrated Cosmograph never offered. The main dial plate, finished in blue metallic, is an incredible work of art and is framed by a raised ring featuring a blue scale calibrated for the 5th of a second.

Preserved in overall original condition, this Tri-Compax offers excellent value and is much rarer than any of its more famous contemporaries from Geneva.

A rare stainless steel single button chronograph wristwatch, with hack feature, issued to the Royal Canadian airforce

MANUFACTURER	Omega
YEAR	1960
REFERENCE No.	33 Lémania
MOVEMENT No.	1'317'306
CASE No.	RCAF HA-60-336- 6W/16 S, the inside caseback stamped 33
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	Stainless steel
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Manual, 2221
BRACELET/STRAP	Later NATO style
CLASP/BUCKLE	Stainless Steel
DIMENSIONS	36mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Movement and Case back signed Omega Watch Co, outside case back with Military markings</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 5,000-7,000 \$5,100-7,200 €4,700-6,600



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ACCESSORIES
Accompanied by Omega Extract from the Archives



LOT 82

OMEGA
ROYAL CANADIAN AIRFORCE



The present watch is a single button chronograph wristwatch with hack feature supplied to the Canadian Air Force. The watch is fitted with the Calibre 2221 and the case back is engraved with military markings.

Only a small number of single button chronograph wristwatches were supplied to the Royal Canadian Air Force. In fact there are two versions known, HA-60 (like the present watch) with a diameter of 36mm and HA-62, measuring 38mm in diameter.

A very fine, very rare and large stainless steel wristwatch with flyback chronograph, bracelet and pulsations dial

MANUFACTURER	Longines
YEAR	1969
REFERENCE No.	5982
MOVEMENT No.	50'116'061
CASE No.	
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	Stainless steel
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Manual, 530
BRACELET/STRAP	Stainless steel
CLASP/BUCKLE	Folding clasp
DIMENSIONS	38mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Movement, dial and case signed
ESTIMATE	CHF 10,000-15,000 \$10,200-15,400 €9,500-14,200



NOTES

- ACCESSORIES
Accompanied by Longines Extract from the Archives
- PROVENANCE
Property from an Important Private Collection
- LITERATURE
For a similar example please see Longines Watches, by John Goldberger, pages 276 and 277



LOT 83

LONGINES

REF. 5982



The present chronograph reference 5982 was most likely sold to South America given the SUIZA designation at the very bottom of the dial.

Besides its close-to-mint and all original condition, this chronograph impresses with its multi scale medical dial, featuring not only a pulsation scale (in red) but also a respiration scale (in blue).

It is fitted with Longines' in-house calibre 530 and reaches its final destination most probably via a North American agent, in view of the typical LXW stamp on the movement.

The most attractive polished and textured bracelet is most certainly from the same period and enhances the perfect vintage look of this attractive Longines Chronograph.

A rare and large yellow gold single button chronograph with two-tone dial and hinged case

MANUFACTURER	Longines
YEAR	1935
REFERENCE No.	
MOVEMENT No.	5'259'723
CASE No.	5'259'723
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	18k yellow gold
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Manual, 15'''
BRACELET/STRAP	Leather
CLASP/BUCKLE	Gold plated, <i>signed Longines</i>
DIMENSIONS	40mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 15,000-25,000 \$15,400-25,600 €14,200-23,700



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ACCESSORIES
Accompanied by Longines Extract from the Archives



LOT 84

LONGINES



Chronographs by Longines are considered amongst the best made, most attractive and, consequently, collectable in the world.

They stand out by an incredible level of sophistication in terms of design and unmatched movement finish.

The present example is not only one of the largest known today but also one of the most attractive thanks to its silver and rose two-tone dial and the telemeter and the tachometer scales printed in blue. Originally sold to Italy in 1935 it is without a doubt one of the best looking wristwatches of the pre WWII period.

A very rare and fine stainless steel full calendar chronograph prototype wristwatch with moon phases and Gay Frères bracelet

MANUFACTURER	Zenith
YEAR	1969
REFERENCE No.	1205
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	
MODEL NAME	El Primero
MATERIAL	Stainless steel Gay Frères
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Automatic, 3019PF
BRACELET/STRAP	Stainless steel
CLASP/BUCKLE	Folding deployant clasp, stamped 1.69
DIMENSIONS	38mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed
ESTIMATE	CHF 20,000-30,000 \$20,500-30,700 €18,900-28,400



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ACCESSORIES
With letter from Zenith confirming the production of this prototype in 1969. The letter is dated 29th October 2008.



LOT 85

ZENITH

REF. 1205 EL PRIMERO "PROTOTYPE"



The present "El Primero" is one of only 25 prototypes produced of Zenith's reference 1205SP with triple calendar and moon phases. Scholarship believes that less than a handful of these watches have survived.

This series is powered by Zenith's calibre 3019PHF and was completed between 1969 and 1970. They are easily recognisable by the star numerals positioned at the 2 o'clock and 10 o'clock positions, adjacent to the week day and month aperture.

The present example, preserved in excellent and original condition, still features the original Zenith's bracelet made by Gay Frères, stamped 1/69. To some this watch belongs either in a museum or in an important private Zenith collection. We believe it could also look stunning on someone's wrist.

A fine, rare and historically interesting oversized silver aviator's hour angle wristwatch with enamel dial, centre seconds, slide rule, formerly the property of Dieudonné Costes

MANUFACTURER	Longines
YEAR	1931
REFERENCE No.	
MOVEMENT No.	5'147'631
CASE No.	5'147'631
MODEL NAME	Lindbergh Hour Angle
MATERIAL	Silver
CRYSTAL	Glass
CALIBRE	Manual, 18.69N
BRACELET/STRAP	Leather
CLASP/BUCKLE	Stainless steel buckle
DIMENSIONS	47mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed
ESTIMATE	CHF 60,000-80,000 \$61,500-82,000 €56,800-75,800



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ACCESSORIES
This watch is accompanied by two letters from the descendants of Dieudonné Costes stating that the present watch was a gift to Costes by Lindbergh. It is furthermore accompanied by a knitted tapestry measuring 135X50 cm that prominently depicts Lindbergh, the “Spirit of St. Louis” and his transatlantic flight. Further accompanied by Extract from the Archives confirming that the present watch was sold on 22nd December, 1931 to Perusset, the firms agent for France. Accompanied by Longines Extract from the Archives

LITERATURE
For a similar example please see *Longines Watches* by John Goldberger, pages 84 to 85



LOT 86

LONGINES

THE DIEUDONNÉ COSTES LINDBERGH HOUR ANGLE



No one lesser than Col. Charles A. Lindbergh advised Longines during the development of the Hour Angle wristwatch for pilots. Following his return to St. Louis after his successful flight across the Atlantic, Lindbergh started drawing a wristwatch meeting the requirements of pilots during long distance flights.

Lindbergh, a trained mechanic, sent these drawings in late 1930 to John Heinmüller who was not only president of the International Aviation Federation, but also director of Longines-Wittnauer in the US. After only 5 months a first prototype was ready and later the same year the Watch was in production.

The present example is not only in extraordinary original condition but also rich in history.

Made in the first year of production, it must have travelled across continents and oceans and could probably tell many fascinating stories.



Dieudonné Costes (14 November 1892 – 18 May 1973) was a French aviator who set multiple flight distance records and was considered one of the most prominent European aviators of his time. He was a contemporary and friend of the legendary American aviator, Charles Lindbergh.

In 1929, along with Maurice Bellonte, Costes set the world distance record when they flew from Paris to Qiqihar, China. In 1930, they flew from Paris to New York in 37 hours and 18 minutes, being the first aviators to complete a trans-Atlantic flight from East to West, reproducing, in the opposite direction, the famous achievement of Lindbergh who flew from New York to Paris in 33 hours 30 minutes flying the “Spirit of St-Louis” three years earlier in 1927.

According to family tradition and to the included documents, the present watch was a gift from Lindbergh to Costes.

LOT 86

LONGINES

THE DIEUDONNÉ COSTES LINDBERGH HOUR ANGLE



A rare white gold wristwatch with centre seconds and two-tone dial

MANUFACTURER	Vacheron Constantin
YEAR	1953
REFERENCE No.	4465
MOVEMENT No.	501'682
CASE No.	336'991
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	18k white gold
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Automatic, 477/1
BRACELET/STRAP	Leather
CLASP/BUCKLE	Steel buckle
DIMENSIONS	35mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed
ESTIMATE	CHF 4,000-6,000 \$4,100-6,100 €3,800-5,700



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ACCESSORIES
Accompanied by Vacheron Constantin Extract from the Archives



LOT 87

VACHERON CONSTANTIN

REF. 4465



Vacheron Constantin's first automatic wristwatch used calibre V477 with the typical bumper rotor.

Reference 4465 is an excellent representative of this family and is known to have been made in yellow gold and pink gold. Examples like the present one, cased in white gold, are exceedingly rare.

Thanks to its solid case proportions and generous diameter of over 35 mm it is a watch that can be worn easily on a daily basis. The present watch features an attractive two-tone dial that, in our view, has never been restored.

A fine and rare yellow gold wristwatch with date, champagne dial, rotatable bezel, original certificate and box

MANUFACTURER	Vacheron Constantin
YEAR	1970
REFERENCE No.	6782
MOVEMENT No.	629'738
CASE No.	458'556
MODEL NAME	"Turnograph"
MATERIAL	18k yellow gold
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Automatic, 1072/1
BRACELET/STRAP	Crocodile
CLASP/BUCKLE	18k yellow gold buckle
DIMENSIONS	35mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed
ESTIMATE	CHF 7,000-12,000 Σ \$7,200-12,300 €6,600-11,400



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ACCESSORIES
Certificate of Origin dated 10th October 1971, product literature and fitted presentation box
Accompanied by Vacheron Constantin Extract from the Archives



LOT 88

VACHERON CONSTANTIN

REF. 6782 "TURNOGRAPH"



Vacheron Constantin's reference 6782, also known as Turnograph amongst collectors, is one of the rarest models in the firm's 1960-70s productions.

Reference 6782 features calibre 1072 automatic movement and a date aperture at 3 o'clock along with the iconic rotating bezel. Most examples are cased in yellow gold and only two examples in white gold are known to date, bearing consecutive numbers (for one of the two examples in white gold, see the next lot).

It is amazing to see the incredibly crisp condition of the beautifully milled rotatable bezel that even retains the original red lacquer triangle. The champagne dial with applied gold batons is in fantastic condition, as is the case with extremely sharp lines and definition.

This watch has been treated with absolute care throughout its life, still retaining its original certificate, box and original strap.

A very fine and extremely rare white gold wristwatch with date, centre seconds and rotatable bezel

MANUFACTURER	Vacheron Constantin
YEAR	1964
REFERENCE No.	6782
MOVEMENT No.	555'115
CASE No.	398'244
MODEL NAME	'Turnograph'
MATERIAL	18k white gold
CRYSTAL	Glass
CALIBRE	Automatic, K1072
BRACELET/STRAP	Original crocodile
CLASP/BUCKLE	18k white gold buckle
DIMENSIONS	36mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed
ESTIMATE	CHF 20,000-30,000 Σ \$20,500-30,700 €18,900-28,400



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ACCESSORIES
Accompanied by *Vacheron Constantin Extract* from the Archives and a fitted presentation box.



LOT 89

VACHERON CONSTANTIN

REF. 6782 "TURNOGRAPH"



Reference 6782 is an exceedingly rare reference and it is believed that there exist only two examples in white gold anywhere in the world.

Vacheron Constantin's interpretation of the "Thunderbird" offered here for sale is in exquisite condition still retaining all of its original factory finishes. The circular screw down case is unpolished, the lugs are beautifully displaying original finishes and clear defined lines. The silver "Star Burst" dial is clean and in all original condition and the bezel is very crisp, still retaining the red enamel triangle at 12 o'clock. This Vacheron Constantin "Turn-O-Graph" ticks every box for the demanding collector.

A rare and attractive white gold wristwatch with centre seconds, date, unusual lugs and bracelet

MANUFACTURER	Vacheron Constantin
YEAR	1966
REFERENCE No.	6950
MOVEMENT No.	587'615
CASE No.	406'918
MODEL NAME	Chronomètre Royal
MATERIAL	18k white gold
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Automatic, K1072/1
BRACELET/STRAP	18k white gold
CLASP/BUCKLE	Folding clasp
DIMENSIONS	35mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial, movement and bracelet signed
ESTIMATE	CHF 15,000-25,000 \$15,400-25,600 €14,200-23,700



NOTES

ACCESSORIES
Accompanied by Vacheron Constantin Extract from the Archives

LITERATURE
For a similar example in yellow gold please see *Treasures of Vacheron Constantin*, by Hazan, page 51



LOT 90

VACHERON CONSTANTIN

REF. 6950 CHRONOMÈTRE ROYAL



The Chronomètre Royal was the name for Vacheron Constantin's top of the line model. First only available with manual calibres, it was later also launched with self-winding movements.

The present example is a very rare specimen from 1966, a white gold reference 6950, defined by the fact that it was originally delivered with the present gold bracelet (the version delivered with the leather strap is reference 6694). It is powered by the well-known calibre K1072-1, featuring a chronometric balance and the typical rotor mounted on ruby ball bearings.

The example here, where the bracelet and case share throughout the same design of Florentine texturing and the typical brick-stone design, is in excellent and hardly ever used condition. Connoisseurs of vintage wristwatches will agree that the present Chronomètre Royal is one of the most lavish and elaborated wristwatches of the period.

A very fine, rare and attractive stainless steel chronograph wristwatch with salmon-coloured pulsation dial

MANUFACTURER	Vacheron Constantin
YEAR	1947
REFERENCE No.	4178
MOVEMENT No.	446'310
CASE No.	288'942
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	Stainless Steel
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Manual, 434
BRACELET/STRAP	Leather
CLASP/BUCKLE	Stainless steel buckle
DIMENSIONS	36mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Movement, case, and dial signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 30,000-50,000 Σ \$30,700-51,200 €28,400-47,400



NOTES

ACCESSORIES
Accompanied by Vacheron Constantin Extract from the Archives



LOT 91

VACHERON CONSTANTIN

REF. 4178



The Vacheron Constantin chronograph reference 4178 is an incredibly good looking watch and hugely undervalued today. Arguably the one style which every collector recalls when thinking of a Vacheron chronograph.

Production started in 1940 and continued until approximately 1964. The reference was made in yellow gold, pink gold, stainless steel and steel and gold. The watch is distinguished by its teardrop lugs, sharp lines and definition to the case.

The present watch is an exceedingly rare example of a reference 4178 in fabulous condition. Fitted with a salmon dial but with the addition of the popular pulsation scale, the dial is incredibly well preserved with hard enamel signature intact and nicely raised as the connoisseur would require.

With the combination of a stainless steel case, still remaining in extremely sharp excellent overall condition with elegant teardrop lugs and a highly unusual and charismatic dial in wonderful original condition, the present watch is one of the rarest and most desirable chronographs manufactured by Vacheron Constantin.

A rare gold square wristwatch with centre seconds

MANUFACTURER	Patek Philippe
YEAR	1956
REFERENCE No.	2514/1
MOVEMENT No.	705'651
CASE No.	695'011
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	18k yellow gold
CRYSTAL	Glass
CALIBRE	Manual, 27 SC
BRACELET/STRAP	Crocodile
CLASP/BUCKLE	18k yellow gold, <i>signed PPC</i>
DIMENSIONS	30mm. Wide
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 7,000-9,000 Σ \$7,200-9,200 €6,600-8,500



NOTES

ACCESSORIES
With *Extract* from the *Archives* confirming production of the present watch in 1956 and its subsequent sale on March 30th, 1957. Also accompanied by a fitted presentation box.

LITERATURE
For another example of reference 2514/1 please see *Patek Philippe Wristwatches*, Martin Huber and Alan Banbury, second addition, page 212.



LOT 92

PATEK PHILIPPE

REF. 2514/1



Reference 2514/1 is a typical representative of Patek Philippe generous and more lavish 1950s design.

The case, a softly rounded square, features four elegant drop-shaped lugs. The present example is one of just over a dozen of watches known to date of this reference. Its silvered dial has a wonderful shine and both the signature and minute markings are raised in black enamel.

Serviced at Patek Philippe over a decade ago, it has not been worn since then.

A rare pink gold wristwatch with indirect centre seconds and unusual lugs

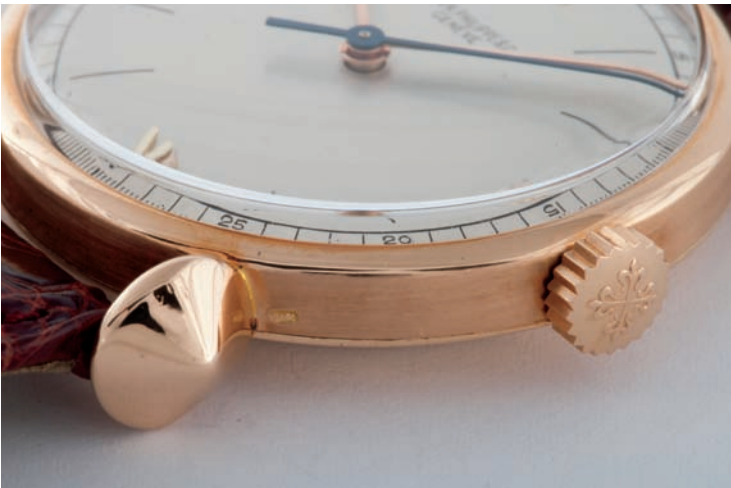
MANUFACTURER	Patek Philippe
YEAR	1943
REFERENCE No.	1536
MOVEMENT No.	864'376
CASE No.	632'488
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	18k pink gold
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Manual, 12-120 SC
BRACELET/STRAP	Crocodile
CLASP/BUCKLE	18k pink gold, <i>signed PPC</i>
DIMENSIONS	35mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 10,000-15,000 Σ \$10,200-15,400 €9,500-14,200



NOTES

ACCESSORIES
Extract from the Archives confirming production of the present watch with silvery rose dial in 1943 and its subsequent sale on June 7th, 1945.

LITERATURE
For another example of reference 1536, see *Patek Philippe Watches*, Martin Huber and Alan Banbury, page 182.



LOT 93

PATEK PHILIPPE

REF. 1536



The lugs of a wristwatch can completely change its looks and many manufacturers played with numerous ideas and designs throughout the 20th century.

With its substantial cone shaped lugs reference 1536 is without a doubt one of Patek Philippe's boldest and most artistic design of the 1940s.

The present example in rose gold is fitted with calibre 12-120 SC, featuring indirect centre seconds. This ébauche, originally designed to feature subsidiary seconds, was upgraded by Victorin Piguet upon Patek Philippe's request.

An exceptional white gold wristwatch with centre seconds, original certificate, original envelope, box and swing tag

MANUFACTURER	Patek Philippe
YEAR	1965
REFERENCE No.	570
MOVEMENT No.	711'692
CASE No.	318'618
MODEL NAME	Calatrava
MATERIAL	18k white gold
CRYSTAL	Glass
CALIBRE	Manual 27SC
BRACELET/STRAP	Original crocodile strap
CLASP/BUCKLE	18k white gold, <i>signed PPC</i>
DIMENSIONS	36mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 20,000-30,000 Σ \$20,500-30,700 €18,900-28,400



NOTES

ACCESSORIES
Patek Philippe Certificate of Origin, original envelope with original outer wax protective cover, fitted presentation box and original swing tag. Furthermore delivered with an *Extract from the Archives* confirming production of the present watch in 1965 and its subsequent sale on October 26th, 1965.

LITERATURE
For another example of a white gold reference 570 please see *Patek Philippe Museum, Patek Philippe Watches*, Volume II, page 335



LOT 94

PATEK PHILIPPE

REF. 570 "CALATRAVA"



The present white gold reference 570 is fresh to the market and is offered in like new condition.

The watch still retains its original certificate and hanging swing tag, the case is unpolished and as sharp as it could be, the signature perfectly raised and the hard enamel can be easily seen without a loupe. In addition to these mouth-watering features, the watch still retains its original Patek Philippe crocodile strap.

The superior quality of the present watch allows us to see exactly how the reference should look and did look the very day it was sold some 50 years ago.

The Calatrava model reference 570 was introduced into the market in 1938, featuring either subsidiary or sweep centre seconds. It was available in stainless steel, yellow, pink and white gold and platinum.

A rare and attractive pink gold wristwatch with centre seconds and two-tone dial

MANUFACTURER	Patek Philippe
YEAR	1955
REFERENCE No.	1578
MOVEMENT No.	705'083
CASE No.	690'947
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	18k pink gold
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Manual, 27 SC
BRACELET/STRAP	Crocodile
CLASP/BUCKLE	18k pink gold <i>signed PPC</i>
DIMENSIONS	35mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 10,000-15,000 Σ \$10,200-15,400 €9,500-14,200



NOTES

ACCESSORIES
With *Extract from the Archives* confirming production of the present watch in 1955 and its subsequent sale on August 8th, 1956



LOT 95

PATEK PHILIPPE

REF. 1578



Offered in extremely appealing overall condition, the current wristwatch is a beautiful example of the time only reference 1578. With its spider form lugs, this reference has increased in its popularity in recent years.

Introduced to the market in 1943, the reference remained part of regular production until 1956 and was available in either yellow or pink gold. Many examples have been subject to careless over-polishing which immediately smoothens the lugs, losing their popular facets.

The current watch is a very nice example which will please anyone desiring to own a vintage wristwatch. Reference 1578 was manufactured between the years 1949 and 1962 and there are approximately 12 examples known in pink gold.

A rare and attractive gold wristwatch with Gay Frères bracelet and enamel dial, retailed by Serpico y Laino

MANUFACTURER	Patek Philippe
YEAR	1957
REFERENCE No.	2526
MOVEMENT No.	765'073
CASE No.	2'602'822
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	18K yellow gold
CRYSTAL	Glass
CALIBRE	Automatic, 12-600
BRACELET/STRAP	18k gold Gay Frères bracelet
CLASP/BUCKLE	Folding buckle, stamped GF
DIMENSIONS	36mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed by the maker, dial and case back signed for the retailer, case back further engraved Caracas, Agosto, 1961.
ESTIMATE	CHF 25,000-35,000 \$25,600-35,900 €23,700-33,200



NOTES

ACCESSORIES
Extract from the Archives confirming the production of the present watch with yellow gold bracelet in 1957 and its subsequent sale on June 30th, 1958

LITERATURE
The model is illustrated in *Patek Philippe Museum, Patek Philippe, Volume II*, pp. 244-245.



LOT 96

PATEK PHILIPPE

REF. 2526



Presented in exceptional condition and fitted with a wonderfully rich ivory colour enamel dial with no imperfections, the rarity of the present watch is further enhanced by the prestigious retailers signature, Serpico y Laino in Caracas, Venezuela applied to the dial and stamped to the case back.

In addition to this double stamp of approval the watch is fitted with the correct PP crown and heavy gold Gay Frères bracelet. The extract confirms the presence of a gold bracelet however we believe that since the watch first appeared at auction some years ago, the bracelet has been upgraded to the present heavy Gay Frères example.

Reference 2526, introduced in 1953, was Patek Philippe's first model featuring a self-winding movement, the calibre 12-600 AT.

A rare rectangular yellow gold wristwatch
with unusual lugs

MANUFACTURER	Patek Philippe
YEAR	1954
REFERENCE No.	2503
MOVEMENT No.	976'211
CASE No.	679'522
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	18k yellow gold
CRYSTAL	Glass
CALIBRE	Manual, 9'''90
BRACELET/STRAP	Crocodile
CLASP/BUCKLE	18k yellow gold Henri Stern buckle, <i>signed PPC</i>
DIMENSIONS	42mm. Length
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 10,000-15,000 Σ \$10,200-15,400 €9,500-14,200



NOTES

ACCESSORIES
Extract from the Archives confirming production of the present watch in 1954 and its subsequent sale on September 10th, 1955.

LITERATURE
For another example of reference 2503, please see *Patek Philippe Museum, Patek Philippe Watches*, Volume II, page 221



LOT 97

PATEK PHILIPPE

REF. 2503



Reference 2503 was made only during the 1950s and is only known to have been cased in yellow gold and pink gold.

The present example is one of less than ten known today in yellow gold and comes from a private collection.

Its rectangular shape is highlighted by the very prominent lugs and its silver dials set with Arabic and arrow shaped numerals.

A very fine and large silver Observatory watch with wooden deck box

MANUFACTURER	Patek Philippe
YEAR	The movement manufactured in 1896 and cased in 1960
REFERENCE No.	738
MOVEMENT No.	106'824
CASE No.	625'987
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	Silver
CRYSTAL	Glass
CALIBRE	Manuel, 19'', Extra Quality with Guillaume balance
BRACELET/STRAP	
CLASP/BUCKLE	
DIMENSIONS	60mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed, movement further signed J.H. Leyson, Butte, Montana
ESTIMATE	CHF 20,000-30,000 Δ \$20,500-30,700 €18,900-28,400



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ACCESSORIES
Together with wooden deck box and *Extract* from the Archives confirming the manufacture of the movement in 1896 and its Geneva Observatory testing where a rating certificate of grade “A” was achieved. The *Extract* further states that the case was upgrading to the present one with movement number 652'987 during a servicing in 1960.



LOT 98

PATEK PHILIPPE

REF. 738



Sent to the Geneva Observatory for testing, the present watch was awarded a grade “A” certificate. The movement was made in 1896 and is signed twice with the same movement number in keeping with tradition for all of Patek Philippe’s Observatory tested watches.

The movement is further signed *Extra Quality* and engraved with the original buyers name *J.H Leyson of Butte, Montana*.

According to the Extract from the Archives the case was replaced to the present one in 1960 bearing the movement no. 625’987 during a servicing. The dial and hands were also upgraded.

Thanks to its timeless design, massive diameter, wonderfully preserved condition and history, the present watch matches any connoisseurs expectations looking to acquire an excellent observatory time keeper.

A very rare and attractive yellow gold and enamel open face watch

MANUFACTURER	Patek Philippe
YEAR	1990
REFERENCE No.	866/127
MOVEMENT No.	933'360
CASE No.	434'007
MODEL NAME	Fougères
MATERIAL	18k yellow gold and blue enamel decoration
CRYSTAL	Glass
CALIBRE	Manual, 17'''
BRACELET/STRAP	
CLASP/BUCKLE	
DIMENSIONS	48mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed
ESTIMATE	CHF 10,000-15,000 \$10,200-15,400 €9,500-14,200



NOTES

ACCESSORIES
Extract from the Archives confirming production of the present watch in 1990 and its subsequent sale on July 13th, 1990



LOT 99

PATEK PHILIPPE

REF. 866/127 "FOUGÈRES"



Reference 866 has been used by Patek Philippe for their most beautiful case decorations, notably enamel miniatures but also different techniques of chiselling, engine-turning and engraving.

Most examples of reference 866 were given an additional code, the present watch for example is /127. Most of these watches are unique.

The present example, the only known reference 866/127, is decorated with rich royal blue enamel and hand engraved patterns. According to the Patek Philippe books, the theme is called "Fougères" (ferns). Only a very small number of craftsmen and enamellers are today capable of producing such extraordinary case decorations as found on the present watch.

An exceptional and very rare yellow gold perpetual calendar wristwatch with moon phases, Roman leap year indicator, original certificate and box

MANUFACTURER	Patek Philippe
YEAR	1985
REFERENCE No.	3450
MOVEMENT No.	1'119'843
CASE No.	2'808'605
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	18k yellow gold
CRYSTAL	Sapphire
CALIBRE	Automatic, 27-460QB
BRACELET/STRAP	Leather
CLASP/BUCKLE	18k yellow gold <i>Henri Stern</i> buckle signed <i>PPC</i>
DIMENSIONS	37.5mm Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 180,000-280,000 Δ \$184,000-287,000 €171,000-265,000



NOTES

ACCESSORIES

With *Certificate of Origin*, presentation box and *Extract* from the *Archives* confirming production of the present watch in 1985 and its subsequent sale on August 21st, 1985.

LITERATURE

An example of a ref. 3450 with Roman leap year indicator is illustrated and described in *Patek Philippe Museum - Patek Philippe Watches - Volume II*, p. 297, Inv. P-239



LOT 100

PATEK PHILIPPE

REF. 3450



The present lot is an outstanding example of the 3450. The case has never been polished and proudly displays two crisp and untouched hallmarks to the side of the case, the lugs retain all original factory facets and razor sharp edges as if the watch left the factory yesterday.

The case back still has its original factory sticker and the dial is pristine. Together with the original certificate the present watch has all the ingredients a lover of the 3450 could ask for.

In 1981, reference 3450, successor of reference 3448, was introduced into the market with the improved 27'460 QB calibre. A total of 244 examples of reference 3450 were made.

An extremely rare and important oversized pink gold chronograph wristwatch with pink dial and faceted elongated lugs

MANUFACTURER	Patek Philippe
YEAR	1942
REFERENCE No.	1506
MOVEMENT No.	862'956
CASE No.	629'230
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	18k pink gold
CRYSTAL	Glass
CALIBRE	Manual, 13'''
BRACELET/STRAP	Crocodile
CLASP/BUCKLE	18k pink gold buckle, <i>signed PPC</i>
DIMENSIONS	36mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 300,000-500,000 Σ \$307,000-512,000 €284,000-474,000



NOTES

PROVENANCE
Property from an Important Private Collection

ACCESSORIES
Extract from the Archives confirming production of the present watch in 1942 with silvery rose dial and its subsequent sale on December 24th, 1942

LITERATURE
For another example of reference 1506 please see *Patek Philippe*, by Martin Huber and Alan Banbery, second edition, page 267



LOT 101

PATEK PHILIPPE

REF. 1506



Collectors of vintage Patek Philippe chronographs are most familiar with the firm's landmark references 130, 533, 591, 1463, 530 and 1579. However, few can spontaneously name reference 1506 and many admit that they have never actually held in their hand an example of this rare gem.

This shouldn't be a surprise as scholars only know 3 examples in yellow gold and 3 in rose gold. Furthermore, it has now been 7 years since the last example of this reference has been offered at any auction, world-wide. Consequently, the offering of the present example, for the first time ever in public, is an event by itself.

Reference 1506 is not only one of the rarest vintage models ever created by Patek Philippe, but also one of the largest. With a diameter of 36mm, large multi-faceted lugs some 20mm apart from each other, the overall appearance is striking and best described as prominent while sitting beautifully on its wearer's wrist.

The rose coloured dial is in excellent condition and all the signatures and scales are properly raised and free of signs of restoration. The case has very good definition to the lugs, bezel and pushers - the most exposed parts and those suffering most from unprofessional polishing.

Coming from a long and very private ownership and one of the most important collections of vintage watches, this rose gold reference 1506 has the pedigree any buyer can possibly hope for and constitutes for the well-versed collector an incredibly rare opportunity.

A fine and rare large oversized limited edition square single button chronograph wristwatch

MANUFACTURER	Cartier
YEAR	2008
REFERENCE No.	W1555851
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	3078
MODEL NAME	Tank Chronographe Monopoussoir
MATERIAL	18k white gold
CRYSTAL	Sapphire
CALIBRE	Manual, 045MC
BRACELET/STRAP	Crocodile
CLASP/BUCKLE	18k white gold deployment buckle, <i>signed Cartier</i>
DIMENSIONS	34mm. Wide; 42mm. Length
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement <i>signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 14,000-22,000 Δ Σ \$14,300-22,500 €13,300-20,800



NOTES

ACCESSORIES
Numbered *Cartier* guarantee, product literature, DVD, presentation box and outer packaging.



LOT 102

CARTIER

REF. W1555851 TANK CHRONOGRAPHE MONOPOUSSOIR



Cartier introduced their 'Collection Privée, Cartier Paris,' between 1998-2008, in recognition of the demand for vintage style models.

The Tank Chronographe Monopoussoir is a wonderful modern re-edition of the original 1935 example. Though larger in size, it is remarkably truthful in regards to its dial design and case proportions. Only 100 examples of this model were ever made in white gold and the present watch is number 100 of this series.

Thanks to its timeless design and contemporary finish, it is a highly popular collector's watch of the modern era.

A very rare and attractive yellow gold
réversible wristwatch

MANUFACTURER	Cartier
YEAR	1964
REFERENCE No.	
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	46'247
MODEL NAME	Montre bracelet réversible basculante
MATERIAL	18k yellow gold
CRYSTAL	Glass
CALIBRE	Manual, 6'''
BRACELET/STRAP	Leather
CLASP/BUCKLE	18k gold, Cartier buckle
DIMENSIONS	42mm. Length; 23mm. Wide
SIGNED	Case and movement signed European Watch and Clock, dial signed Cartier, case further stamped with hand stamped numbers on the outside and inside revolving case No. 46247
ESTIMATE	CHF 30,000-40,000 \$30,700-41,000 €28,400-37,900

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LOT 103

CARTIER

MONTRE BRACELET RÉVERSIBLE BASCULANTE



In the early 1930s, Cartier presented the montre bracelet réversible basculante featuring a case, housing the movement and dial, pivoting within a frame around a central axis. It is consequently logic why the crown had to be positioned at the 12 o'clock position.

The need was to protect the crystal and dial in view of an ever increasing level of sports and outdoor activities undertaken by high society. Another advantage with this fascinating construction was the possibility to engrave the case back and enjoy it permanently, without having to remove the watch from the wrist.

The present example is an extremely rare version of the 1960s, featuring slightly larger case proportions and a more masculine look. Scholarship suggests that Cartier only made a small handful of these watches around 1964, rendering the present piece, preserved in excellent condition, a very rare collector's watch.

A rare and large platinum limited edition wristwatch

MANUFACTURER	Cartier
YEAR	2006
REFERENCE No.	W1548351
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	
MODEL NAME	Tank Cintree
MATERIAL	Platinum
CRYSTAL	Sapphire
CALIBRE	Manual, 9770 MC
BRACELET/STRAP	Crocodile
CLASP/BUCKLE	18k white deployant buckle, <i>signed Cartier</i>
DIMENSIONS	46mm. Length
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed, case back further numbered 06/50</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 15,000-25,000 Σ \$15,400-25,600 €14,200-23,700



NOTES

ACCESSORIES
Cartier Numbered guarantee, watch warranty, additional stainless steel *Cartier* deployant buckle fitted red presentation box and instruction manuals



LOT 104

CARTIER

TANK CINTREE



The Tank Cintrée, originally launched 1921, was an innovation, thanks to being both very thin and curved to fit the wrist.

Much like the Tank, this model was produced in numerous variations but unlike its brother the Tank Americaine, this watch usually featured Breguet style hands, to enhance the lighter weight and style of the case.

The 50 platinum re-editions were launched in 2004 and use the Cartier caliber measuring only 9 lignes. The modern version also shares the identical dimensions of the largest Cintrée watch, measuring 46 mm long and 23 mm wide.

An extremely rare and highly unusual white gold mystery wristwatch with back winding

MANUFACTURER	Cartier
YEAR	1970
REFERENCE No.	
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	177'953
MODEL NAME	Tortue
MATERIAL	18k white gold
CRYSTAL	Glass
CALIBRE	Backwind, 426
BRACELET/STRAP	Crocodile
CLASP/BUCKLE	18k white gold deployant buckle, signed Cartier and numbered 21146
DIMENSIONS	30mm. Width; 37mm. Length
SIGNED	Case and movement signed
ESTIMATE	CHF 25,000-40,000 \$25,600-41,000 €23,700-37,900



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ACCESSORIES
With additional transparent dial disc.



LOT 105

CARTIER

TORTUE



The present Tortue shaped wristwatch is one of Cartier's most avant-garde and modernist designs and hitherto unknown.

It is thanks to the small diameter of calibre 426 that this design can be created by holding the movement by glass disks, seemingly floating within the case. Jaeger LeCoultre and Cartier used this clever system on a variety of wristwatches, dress watches and desk timepieces.

This white gold example however is certainly one of the most elegant and exclusive designs. Preserved in excellent condition, it is not only a superb collector's watch but also an eye-catching conversation piece when worn on formal occasions.

A rare and unusual asymmetrical platinum limited edition wristwatch

MANUFACTURER	Cartier
YEAR	1996
REFERENCE No.	2488
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	A113'179
MODEL NAME	Parallélogramme/Tank asymétrique
MATERIAL	Platinum
CRYSTAL	Glass
CALIBRE	Manual, 9 P 2
BRACELET/STRAP	Crocodile
CLASP/BUCKLE	White gold deployment buckle, <i>signed Cartier</i>
DIMENSIONS	23mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Movement, dial and case signed, case back further signed No. 26/100</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 8,000-12,000 • Σ \$8,200-12,300 €7,600-11,400



NOTES

ACCESSORIES
With red *Cartier* fitted presentation box



LOT 106

CARTIER

NO RESERVE

PARALLÉLOGRAMME/TANK ASYMÉTRIQUE



The Cartier Parallélogramme is one of the firm's most memorable and clever wristwatch designs.

Conceived as a driver's watch in the 1930's, it renders the reading of the time much easier without having to remove the hands from the steering wheel. Instead, while the left arm is at a 60-degree angle, the beholder's eyes are looking straight onto the dial.

The present example is number 26 of a strictly limited edition of only 100 examples, made in 1996, fitted with a mechanical movement. The beautifully engine-turned silvered dial displays a sun-burst wave-design, highlighted by black Arabic numerals and indexes. The blued steel hands are a signature feature of Cartier's classic wristwatch designs. Thanks to its elegant yet generous case proportions this watch can be his or hers and could be worn both casual or very formal.

The white gold deployant clasp offers its wearer great comfort and enhanced security when wearing the watch.

A rare platinum annual calendar wristwatch
with centre seconds and power reserve

MANUFACTURER	Patek Philippe
YEAR	2003
REFERENCE No.	5056P
MOVEMENT No.	3'288'689
CASE No.	4'223'441
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	Platinum
CRYSTAL	Sapphire
CALIBRE	Automatic, 315 S IRM QA LU
BRACELET/STRAP	Crocodile
CLASP/BUCKLE	Platinum Henri Stern buckle <i>signed PPC</i>
DIMENSIONS	36mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 15,000-25,000 Σ \$15,400-25,600 €14,200-23,700



NOTES

ACCESSORIES
Patek Philippe presentation box with outer packaging. Furthermore delivered with *Extract from the Archives* confirming production of the present watch in 2003 and its subsequent sale on December 11th, 2003.



LOT 107

PATEK PHILIPPE

REF. 5056P



The 5056 was first introduced in 1998 and remained in production until 2006.

The annual calendar mechanism, patented by Patek Philippe in 1996 is a calendar which only requires adjusting once a year at the end of February. The 5056 is fitted with a 36 hour power indicator whereas the annual calendar ref. 5035 was fitted without.

A fine and rare white gold perpetual calendar wristwatch with centre seconds and retrograde date

MANUFACTURER	Patek Philippe
YEAR	1999
REFERENCE No.	5059G
MOVEMENT No.	1'958'096
CASE No.	4'080'843
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	18k white gold
CRYSTAL	Sapphire
CALIBRE	Automatic, 315/136 SQR
BRACELET/STRAP	Crocodile
CLASP/BUCKLE	18k white gold deployment clasp, <i>signed PPC</i>
DIMENSIONS	36mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 28,000-40,000 Σ \$28,700-41,000 €26,500-37,900



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ACCESSORIES
With *Patek Philippe* presentation box and outer packing and setting pin.
Further delivered with *Extract from the Archives* confirming production in 1999 and its subsequent sale on October 25th, 1999.



LOT 108

PATEK PHILIPPE

REF. 5059G



The “Fifty Fifty Nine” was first introduced to the market in 1998 and was discontinued in 2006. Manufactured in all four metals, the reference is popular for its officer case with hinged case back and screwed lug pins.

The dial is very easy to read given the level of complexity of the movement.

The complications united with this reference are perpetual calendar, retrograde date, day, month and moon phases. The most intriguing of these complications is the retrograde date. Usually the hands for calendar watches continue to move and naturally return to their point of origin however the retrograde complication forces the hand to fly back to its original starting point, a very difficult construction to accomplish in watchmaking.

Patek Philippe now offers an updated version of this reference, the 5159 which was introduced in 2007 and is still in production today. This reference has a slightly larger case than the 5059 and an engine-tuned dial.

A rare stainless steel wristwatch with black lacquer dial and centre seconds

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1964
REFERENCE No.	1016
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	1'042'137
MODEL NAME	Explorer
MATERIAL	Stainless Steel
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Automatic, 1550
BRACELET/STRAP	Suede strap
CLASP/BUCKLE	Associated buckle
DIMENSIONS	35mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed, case back further stamped II. 64
ESTIMATE	CHF 10,000-15,000 ▼ \$10,200-15,400 €9,500-14,200



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LOT 109

ROLEX

REF. 1016



The successor to the Rolex Explorer reference 6610, the 1016 was produced beginning in 1963 and continued to evolve until 1989.

With the 1016, Rolex doubled the Explorer's water resistance from 50 meters to 100 meters. Rolex also updated the text on the dial, changing the "Officially Certified Chronometer" text found on the 6610 to "Superlative Chronometer Officially Certified".

The present watch is a desirable early example manufactured in 1964. It's fitted with its original and stunning, glossy black dial with gilt (gold colored) printing. The dial's luminous hour markers have beautifully aged, perfectly matching the color found on its original luminous hands.

A rare and attractive stainless steel anti-magnetic centre seconds wristwatch with black dial

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1980
REFERENCE No.	1019
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	6'159'021
MODEL NAME	Milgauss
MATERIAL	Stainless steel
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Automatic, 1580
BRACELET/STRAP	Rolex Oyster, reference 78360, end links stamped 580
CLASP/BUCKLE	Folding deployant clasp
DIMENSIONS	37.5 mm. Diameter.
SIGNED	Case, dial, movement and bracelet signed
ESTIMATE	CHF 15,000-25,000 ▼ \$15,400-25,600 €14,200-23,700



NOTES

- ACCESSORIES
 - Rolex fitted presentation box
- LITERATURE
 - For another example of a reference 1019, please see *100 Superlative Rolex Watches*, by John Goldberger, page 183



LOT 110

ROLEX

REF. 1019



Reference 1019 is the second type of the Milgauss line after the original two versions, references 6541 and 6543.

Constructed to resist high magnetic fields and aimed at a clientele working in laboratories and including engineers, it was never commercially successful and production numbers were consequently rather small. Logically, original and well preserved examples are today very sought after.

The example here is in most probably unpolished condition, retaining excellent bevels to the lugs and sharp angles to the smooth polished bezel. Being from 1980 its dial has the luminous dots placed outside the applied hour markers and the hands are in matt finished aluminium.

Thanks to its timeless design, large diameter and excellent wearability, crisp examples of the reference 1019 Milgauss are great value propositions to the connoisseur of vintage wristwatches.

A rare stainless steel wristwatch with date, bracelet and centre seconds

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1971
REFERENCE No.	1680
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	2'936'271
MODEL NAME	Submariner, "Red Submariner"
MATERIAL	Stainless steel
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Automatic, 1570
BRACELET/STRAP	Stainless Steel, Rolex Oyster, reference 9315
CLASP/BUCKLE	Folding deployant clasp
DIMENSIONS	39mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed, inside case back stamped II. 70
ESTIMATE	CHF 8,000-12,000 ▼ \$8,200-12,300 €7,600-11,400



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LITERATURE
For another example of a "Red Submariner" please see *100 Superlative Rolex Watches*, by John Goldberger, page 189



LOT 111

ROLEX

REF. 1680



The Rolex Submariner was not the first Rolex tool watch to feature a date indication. This privilege belongs to the GMT-Master reference 6542. However, it was the first Submariner model to feature the date of the month.

The first generation of reference 1680 featured the Submariner denomination in red whereas the very earliest versions listed the meters before the feet on the depth rating, subsequent "Red Subs" had the feet before the meters. Scholars are still debating if, with an increase of demand overseas, this was due in order to meet the needs of countries not using the metric system.

The present example is a very attractive specimen from 1971 and, over 40 years after its production, remains a most attractive watch for daily wear as well as for focused collecting.

A very rare stainless steel wristwatch with date, bracelet and gas escape valve, guarantee, anchor, swing tags and box, made for COMEX

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1982
REFERENCE No.	16660
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	7'122'563
MODEL NAME	Sea-dweller, Comex
MATERIAL	Stainless steel
CRYSTAL	Sapphire
CALIBRE	Automatic, 3035
BRACELET/STRAP	Stainless steel Rolex Oyster reference 93160, end links stamped 592
CLASP/BUCKLE	Folding twin lock deployant clasp
DIMENSIONS	40mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Movement, dial, case and bracelet signed, serial number repeated inside the case back, outer case stamped with COMEX issue number 3011 and signed Rolex Oyster, Original Gas Escape Value</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 60,000-80,000 ▼ \$61,500-82,000 €56,800-75,800



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ACCESSORIES
Rolex punched blank guarantee, product literature, green plastic wallet, spare link, swing tags, anchor, presentation box and outer packaging



LOT 112

ROLEX

REF. 16660



Rolex supplied various Submariner and Sea-Dweller models to COMEX featuring the patented gas escape valve to the side of the case.

The present Sea-Dweller reference 16660 is considered one of the rarest variants. Presented in very good original condition the watch is complete with original blank punched guarantee and accessories.

The case correctly displays both the reference number and serial number on the inside of the back and in very crisp original condition. In addition the case back is engraved with the COMEX issue number, in this instance 3011, as well as the more usual Rolex Oyster Original Gas Escape Valve inscription.

A very fine and rare stainless steel chronograph wristwatch with bracelet

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1965
REFERENCE No.	6240
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	1'298'396
MODEL NAME	"SOLO"
MATERIAL	Stainless steel
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Manual, 722
BRACELET/STRAP	Rolex Oyster, end links stamped 57
CLASP/BUCKLE	Folding deployant clasp, stamped 4.67
DIMENSIONS	37mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed
ESTIMATE	CHF 50,000-100,000 ▼ \$51,200-102,000 €47,400-94,700



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LITERATURE
For another example of a reference 6240 "Solo", please see *Ultimate Rolex Daytona* by Pucci Papaleo, pages 320 to 324



LOT 113

ROLEX

REF. 6240 "SOLO"



Reference 6240 was the first substantially new addition to the Cosmograph Daytona family, featuring screw down pushers.

In production for only a few years scholars estimate that no more than only 1700 examples were produced, exclusively in stainless steel and fitted with the newly introduced black acrylic bezel.

The rarest variant of reference 6240 is the so called "Solo", only featuring the Rolex signature while omitting the Oyster Cosmograph designation generally found on this model. The first generation of Oyster Cosmographs are very sought after collector's watches as they are a true milestone in the history of Rolex's famous chronograph. The patented screw down pushers of reference 6240 are made of nickel plated brass and are named by collectors "millerighe" (1000 lines) thanks to there more subtle reeding compared to later generations.

The present watch is a stunning example of the very early production run, highlighted by the standalone "Rolex" printed on the dial at a much lower position than those examples featuring also Oyster Cosmograph. According to Rolex scholars, less than a handful of these watches have been recorded during nearly 35 years of auctions.

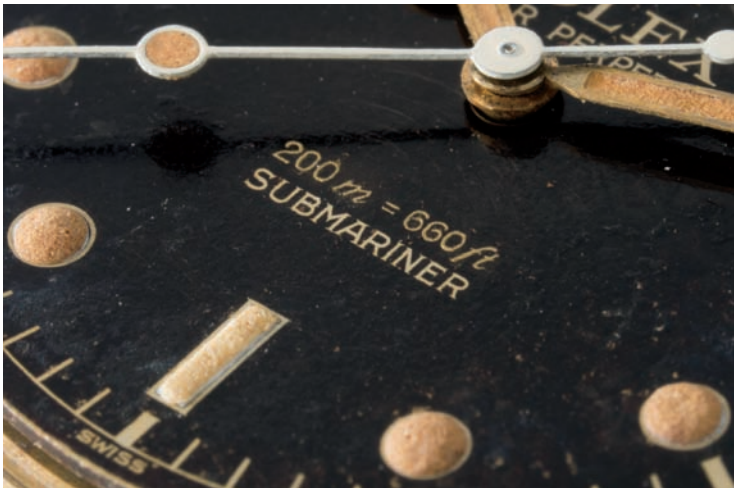
A fine and very rare stainless steel wristwatch with centre seconds and bracelet

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1958
REFERENCE No.	5510
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	361'995
MODEL NAME	Submariner
MATERIAL	Stainless Steel
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Automatic, 1530
BRACELET/STRAP	Rolex Oyster, reference 7206, end links stamped 82
CLASP/BUCKLE	Folding deployant clasp, stamped 1.69
DIMENSIONS	38mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed, case back further stamped 1. 1958
ESTIMATE	CHF 60,000-80,000 ▼ \$61,500-82,000 €56,800-75,800



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LITERATURE
For another example of a reference 5510, please see *100 Superlative Rolex Watches*, by John Goldberger, pages 208 to 209



LOT 114

ROLEX

REF. 5510



Reference 5510 was manufactured for only a very short period of time and it is believed that less than 300 examples were manufactured.

The production belongs to a period of time when the brand were making small quantities of unusual and varying divers watches. The present watch combines the characteristics any vintage Rolex collector aspires to.

The case is preserved in excellent original condition with sharp beveled edges and the inside of the case back correctly corresponds to the date of manufacture. The insert is correct and the black lacquer dial reveals a rich complexity of different layers.

The gilt writing and outer minute calibration are not printed on the black lacquered background but underneath and shine through in negative relief. The luminous hour markers and hands have aged evenly and taken on a beige-yellowish tone matching the gilt writing.

A very rare and fine stainless steel and gold wristwatch with centre seconds, bracelet and black lacquer dial

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1953
REFERENCE No.	6202
MOVEMENT No.	80'055
CASE No.	952'184
MODEL NAME	Turn-O-Graph
MATERIAL	Stainless steel and yellow gold
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Automatic, 9 3/4'''
BRACELET/STRAP	Stainless Steel and gold Rolex Oyster, reference 6635, end links stamped 64
CLASP/BUCKLE	Folding deployant clasp, stamped 2.56
DIMENSIONS	36mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed, stamped 1.54 inside the case back
ESTIMATE	CHF 20,000-30,000 ▼ \$20,500-30,700 €18,900-28,400



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LOT 115

ROLEX

REF. 6202



Reference 6202 can be considered the first Rolex tool watch ever produced in series. With its engraved rotating bezel calibrated to 60 units, it is the starting point of 60 plus successful years of diver's and sport watches at Rolex.

The present example from 1953, the first year of production, must be considered as the luxury version of the Turnograph, not only featuring a gold bezel but also a stainless steel and gold riveted Oyster bracelet.

The visually most striking element however is the black lacquer dial with applied gold hour markers surrounded by a gold-coloured ring, such enamel coated dials were usually reserved for gold watches only.

A very rare stainless steel wristwatch with underline Explorer dial

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1964
REFERENCE No.	5513
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	1'038'852
MODEL NAME	Submariner
MATERIAL	Stainless steel
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Automatic, 1530
BRACELET/STRAP	Stainless steel Rolex Oyster, reference 7206, end links stamped 80
CLASP/BUCKLE	folding deployant clasp, stamped 1. 66
DIMENSIONS	39mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed, case back stamped 1.64 on the inside
ESTIMATE	CHF 80,000-150,000 ▼ \$82,000-154,000 €75,800-142,000



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LITERATURE
For another example of a reference 5513 with underline Explorer dial, please see *100 Superlative Rolex Watches*, by John Goldberger, page 187



LOT 116

ROLEX

REF. 5513



To many collectors, Rolex sports models with the so-called “three-six-nine-dials” are considered amongst the best looking tool watches of all times.

These dials are also called “Explorer dials” since the Explorer I original design featured these numerals too. Other than the Explorer I family, only the large crown Submariners reference 6200, 6538 and 5510 are known with these dials and their successors with crown guards, reference 5512 and 5513. Interestingly, the Explorer I is the only model which has kept this wonderful 1950’s design until today – all other sports watches feature now the baton and round markers.

Reference 5513 was the last Submariner to feature the “Explorer-dial”-design and examples of this series are amongst the rarest sports-watches by Rolex. In production only during the first half of the 1960’s, these are today uncommon sightings at international auctions. The present watch from 1964, still signed SWISS at 6 o’clock but already with the additional “underline”, is a wonderful testimony to the transitional period when Rolex stopped using radium for their dials.

Not only a rare collector’s watch with great charisma, this “Explorer dial Submariner” is equally rewarding on one’s wrist.

A very rare and attractive yellow gold chronograph wristwatch with black dial and bracelet

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1968
REFERENCE No.	6238
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	1'836'292
MODEL NAME	Rolex Chronograph "Pre-Daytona"
MATERIAL	14k yellow gold
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Manual, 722
BRACELET/STRAP	14k yellow gold Rolex Oyster, end links stamped 57
CLASP/BUCKLE	Folding deployant clasp, stamped 1. 70
DIMENSIONS	36mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed
ESTIMATE	CHF 120,000-220,000 ▼ \$123,000-225,000 €114,000-208,000



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LOT 117

ROLEX

REF. 6238



Rolex's chronograph reference 6238 is the last chronograph model with a smooth bezel and graduated scale printed on the dial.

A sporty yet elegant watch, its design is more modern compared to earlier Rolex Chronograph watches. The immediate predecessor of reference 6239, the first Cosmograph Daytona released by Rolex, it is also known amongst collectors as the "Pre-Daytona".

The vast majority was cased in stainless steel, very few watches in 18 carat gold. The present lot, from a very small series made in 14 carat gold and exclusively reserved for the North American market, can be considered an exceptional example matching all the criteria of a discerning collector: the rarity of the model, the sublime design, the sharpness of the case and the exceptional original grené black dial with gilt graphics.

The present example, bearing the serial number 1'836'292, is dated to 1968 and is absolutely correct to be designated at the lower edge as "T-SWISS-T", indicating that tritium was used for the luminous hands and hour pointers. Black dials on gold reference 6238 are the rarest version of this reference and the present watch is presented in excellent and original overall condition.

A very rare and very attractive pink gold triple calendar wristwatch with bracelet and moon phases

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1953
REFERENCE No.	6062, 6063 also stamped inside the case back and then struck through by Rolex
MOVEMENT No.	N32729 and 00055
CASE No.	788'652
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	18k pink gold
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Automatic, 9 3/4'''
BRACELET/STRAP	18k pink gold Rolex Jubilee
CLASP/BUCKLE	Folding deployant clasp, stamped 1. 53
DIMENSIONS	37mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed
ESTIMATE	CHF 250,000-450,000 ▼ \$256,000-461,000 €237,000-426,000



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LITERATURE
For another example of reference 6062 in pink gold with the same dial configuration, please see *100 Superlative Rolex Watches*, by John Goldberger, pages 140 to 141.





The Rolex reference 6062 takes a unique position within the firm's history as it is one of only two ever made models featuring a triple calendar with phases of the moon.

Whereas the other model, reference 8171, is cased in a snap-on-back (non-water-resistant) case, reference 6062 has the firm's signature Oyster case. Reference 6062 made in a very small number during the early 1950's was only available in steel, yellow gold or pink gold. A educated count amongst scholars reveals that today no more than a dozen of examples have ever been offered at public auction during the last 35 years.

Furthermore, only two dials version for the pink gold version are known today: the "Stelline", featuring applied star-shaped hour markers and the present dial design, featuring arabic numerals at the 3 and 5 o'clock position and faceted lozenge-shaped markers. Of this type, the present watch and only one other example (published in John Goldberger's 100 Superlative Rolex Watches, p. 140 & 141) are known today, making it the rarest rose gold version and one of the rarest Rolex watches in absolute terms.

The example offered here was for decades the cherished property of a Swiss family, the second owners since the watch's production. Sold at auction precisely ten years ago (Christie's Geneva, Important Pocketwatches and Wristwatches, 16.5.2005, lot 195), it has since then been in an important private collection. According to our knowledge, the second long-term owners serviced the watch only once in the late 1970's, a fact supported by the watchmaker's mark inside the case back. Since then, the watch has not been serviced or been exposed to polishing. The original pink gold bracelet, with year stamp 53 inside the clasp, is still present and in overall very good condition, proof of how little wear this watch has seen. Very important to the discerning collector is also the fact that the numbers in between the lugs are still crisp – in this instance they are close to perfect.

It is the aim of most avid Rolex collectors to one day acquire a well preserved and correct example of reference 6062, only few dare wishing for a rose gold specimen. The present example does indeed represent a very rare opportunity to fulfil such a dream – for experienced and novice collectors alike.

A rare and attractive white gold wristwatch with date and Breguet numerals

MANUFACTURER	Patek Philippe
YEAR	1967
REFERENCE No.	3445
MOVEMENT No.	1'125'411
CASE No.	322'644
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	18k white gold
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Automatic, 27-460M
BRACELET/STRAP	Leather
CLASP/BUCKLE	18k white gold buckle, <i>signed PPC</i>
DIMENSIONS	35mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 16,000-24,000 \$16,400-24,600 €15,200-22,700



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ACCESSORIES
Extract from the Archives confirming production of the present watch in 1967 and its subsequent sale on October 10th, 1967



LOT 119

PATEK PHILIPPE

REF. 3445



Reference 3445 was the first simple calendar wristwatch manufactured by Patek Philippe. In production for 20 years from 1961 to 1981 the reference was made in either yellow, pink, white gold and in platinum and was fitted with the automatic calibre, 27-460M.

Manufactured in 1967 and sold the same year, the present reference 3445 in white gold with Breguet numerals proves something of a mystery. Until today, there is no record of a reference 3445 fitted with the highly charismatic Breguet dial which completely changes the look of this celebrated reference.

Fresh to the market and offered in very appealing original condition, the present wristwatch combines looks, exclusivity and wearability for the connoisseur of fine vintage watches.

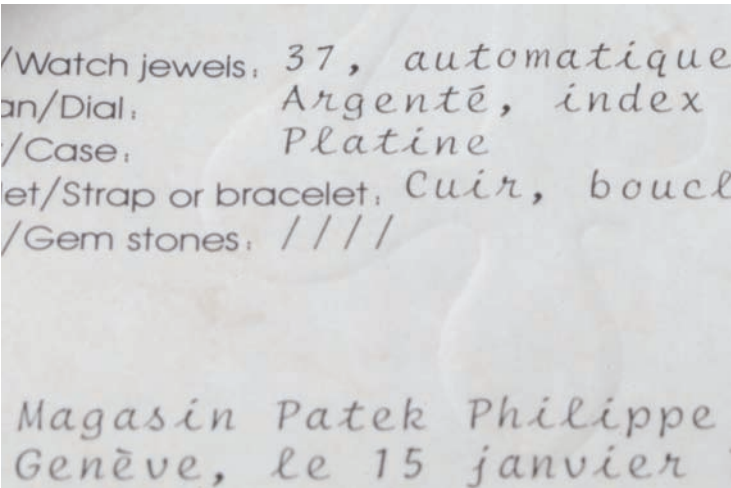
An exceptional and rare platinum wristwatch with date and original certificate

MANUFACTURER	Patek Philippe
YEAR	1969
REFERENCE No.	3445
MOVEMENT No.	1'117'029
CASE No.	323'849
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	Platinum
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Automatic, 27-460M
BRACELET/STRAP	Crocodile
CLASP/BUCKLE	18k white gold buckle <i>signed PPC</i>
DIMENSIONS	35mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 30,000-40,000 Σ \$30,700-41,000 €28,400-37,900



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ACCESSORIES
Patek Philippe Certificate of Origin, leather wallet and Extract from the Archives confirming the date of manufacture in 1969 and its subsequent sale on January 19th, 1987.



LOT 120

PATEK PHILIPPE

REF. 3445



The present watch is an outstanding example with razor sharp edges and exactly how the watch left the factory.

The dial is clean and fitted with the sought after pearls as minute markers. With the presence of the original certificate this platinum automatic wristwatch is truly exceptional and for the lovers of new old stock watches this specimen is a must.

Only a handful of examples are known of the reference 3445 cased in platinum which is more commonly found in yellow or white gold examples. The reference was first introduced in 1961 and remained in production for the following 20 years when it was discontinued in 1981.

An extremely rare and highly attractive stainless steel wristwatch with unusual water-resistant type case

MANUFACTURER	Patek Philippe
YEAR	1958
REFERENCE No.	2585
MOVEMENT No.	765'935
CASE No.	694'413
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	Stainless steel
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Automatic, 12'''600
BRACELET/STRAP	Leather
CLASP/BUCKLE	Stainless steel buckle, <i>signed PPC</i>
DIMENSIONS	35mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed Patek Philippe</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 80,000-120,000 \$82,000-123,000 €75,800-114,000



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PROVENANCE
Property from an Important Private Collector

ACCESSORIES
Extract from the Archives confirming production of the present watch in 1958 and its subsequent sale on November 4th, 1960.

LITERATURE
Published in *Patek Philippe Stainless Steel Watches*, p. 352 & 253 by John Goldberger



LOT 121

PATEK PHILIPPE

REF. 2585



For many scholars, Patek Philippe's first self-winding calibre, the 12''600, is the most beautiful automatic wristwatch movement ever designed.

It is not only finished to the highest level and features the firm's well-known Gyromax balance, it is crowned by an engine-turned rotor, made of solid 18 carat gold. It comes consequently as no surprise that this movement was always reserved for the manufacturer's most precious watches, cased either in gold or platinum. Reference 2588 is, however, the only known exception as it cased in stainless steel.

In absolute terms, reference 2588 is one of the rarest references Patek Philippe ever made. With a masculine diameter of 35mm, it has a strong presence thanks to its wide bezel and the substantial lugs. The case features a screw-back and the dial is finished to the highest standards. In other words, it was certainly not meant to be a more economic version, but possibly even the contrary and intended as a special project by the celebrated Geneva manufacturer.

Preserved in overall excellent and all original condition, this very watch is prominently featured in John Goldberger's Patek Philippe Steel Watches, p. 352 & 253 and remains to date the only example of this reference ever published. Unconfirmed sources say that only three pieces of this model were ever made. It is consequently very safe to assume that there is no better example of this mythical reference anywhere in the world.

A very fine and rare yellow gold perpetual calendar chronograph wristwatch, retailed by Beyer, with original certificate and box

MANUFACTURER	Patek Philippe
YEAR	1984
REFERENCE No.	2499/100
MOVEMENT No.	869'284
CASE No.	2'792'140
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	18k yellow gold
CRYSTAL	Sapphire
CALIBRE	Manual, 13'''Q
BRACELET/STRAP	Crocodile
CLASP/BUCKLE	18k gold, <i>signed PPC</i>
DIMENSIONS	38mm Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 300,000-500,000 Σ \$307,000-512,000 €284,000-474,000



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ACCESSORIES
Patek Philippe Original Certificate of Origin dated 26th July 1984, stamped by Beyer and with Beyer's stock number 236217 written in green ink, fitted presentation box with outer packaging and Extract from the Archives confirming the date of manufacture in 1984 and its subsequent sale on July 17th 1984.

LITERATURE
For another example of reference 2499/100, please see Patek Philippe Museum, Patek Philippe Watches - Volume II, page 307



LOT 122

PATEK PHILIPPE

REF. 2499/100



Reference 2499/100 is the 4th and last generation of Patek Philippe's most iconic perpetual calendar chronograph wristwatch. It was introduced in 1980 and remains in production until 1985 when replaced by reference 3970. Collectors consider it the last true vintage masterpiece with these signature complications and excellent examples, like the present one, are becoming rarer and rarer.

Made in 1984, this example was retailed by Beyer in Zurich, the distinguished family-owned retailer at Bahnhofstrasse. Beyer Chronometrie is one of the very few retailers in the world who have been granted the privilege, as late as the 1980s, to apply their signatures on the dials of Patek Philippe's most complicated watches. Beyer also marked each Patek Philippe with their internal code, a fact little known amongst collectors. This reference 2499/100 is coded inside the case back. Much to the educated collectors delight, the original certificate of this trophy watch is still present some over 30 years later. As a connoisseur would expect, it also features the internal Beyer code, handwritten in green ballpoint pen. We understand that this watch is now being offered by the second owner since new. The case has extraordinary proportions and appears to have never been re-polished. Without exaggeration, this double-signed reference 2499/100 is a premium example and a trophy for any discerning collector.

An extremely rare and important oversized stainless steel single button chronograph wristwatch with vertical registers, sector dial and pulsometer-scale

MANUFACTURER	Patek Philippe
YEAR	1927
REFERENCE No.	130
MOVEMENT No.	198'073
CASE No.	504'146
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	Stainless steel
CRYSTAL	Glass
CALIBRE	Manual, 13'''
BRACELET/STRAP	Leather
CLASP/BUCKLE	Original stainless steel buckle, signed PPC
DIMENSIONS	35mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed
ESTIMATE	CHF 1,000,000-2,000,000 \$1,020,000-2,050,000 €947,000-1,890,000



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ACCESSORIES
Accompanied by *Patek Philippe Extract* from the *Archives* confirming production of the movement of the present watch in 1927 and its subsequent sale with stainless steel case and silvered dial featuring black enamelled hour markers and pulsation scale on 24 March 1937.

LITERATURE
Published in *Patek Philippe Stainless Steel Watches*, pages 212-215, by John Goldberger

The sister of the present watch, No. 504'147 is published in *Patek Philippe Museum, Patek Philippe Watches - Volume II*, page 264



LOT 123

PATEK PHILIPPE

REF. 130 "THE DOCTOR'S SINGLE BUTTON CHRONOGRAPH"



Single-button chronographs are amongst the rarest gems within the family of complicated Patek Philippe wristwatches - itself already one of the most exclusive clubs a watch may belong to.

These ultra-rare chronographs, fitted with the celebrated 13''' ébauche supplied by Victorin-Piguet of Le Sentier, were always cased in gold, with two exceptions finished in stainless steel: case numbers 504'146, the present watch, and 504'147, its identical sister.

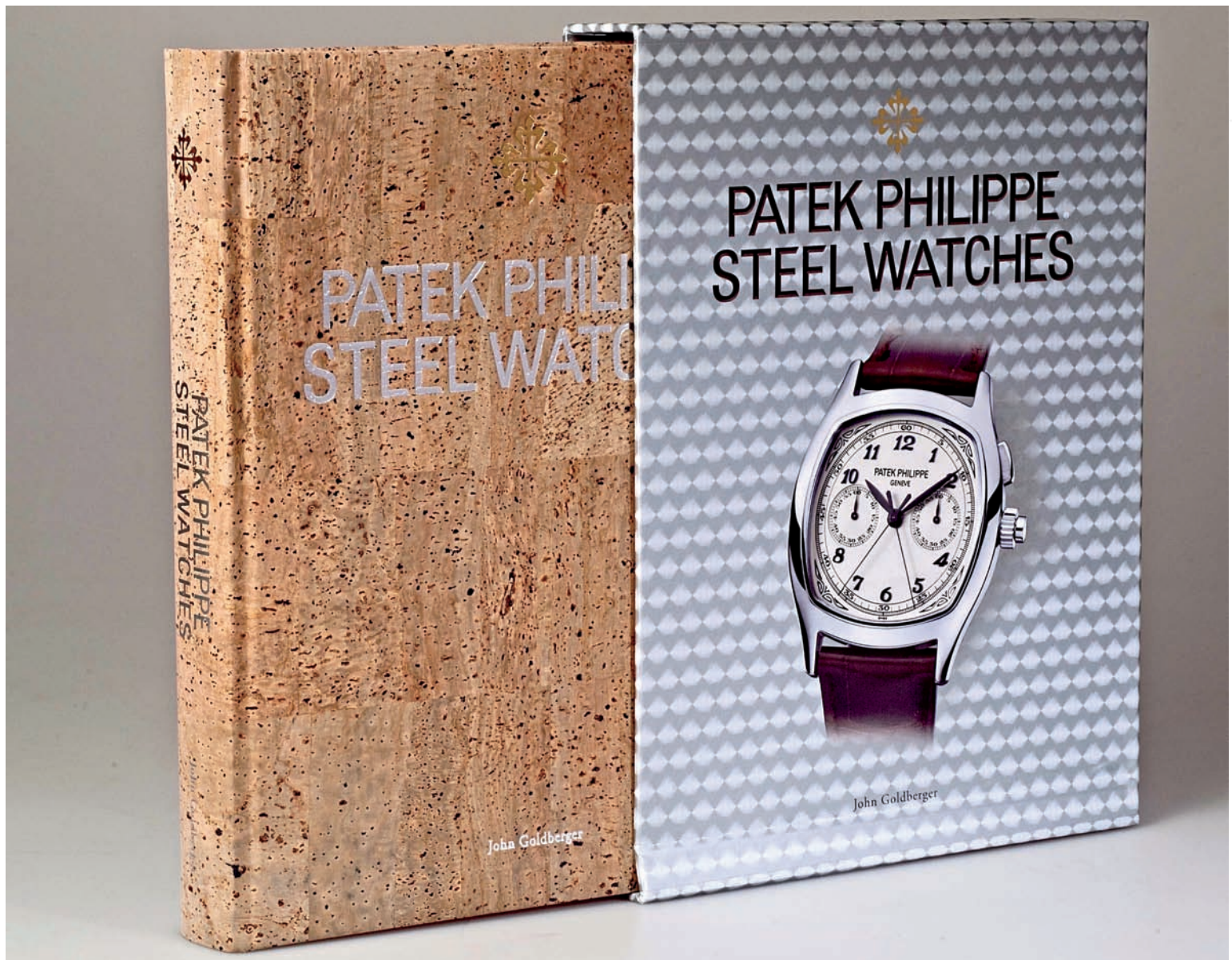
The latter is now part of the Patek Philippe Museum's collection and on permanent exhibit in the salon dedicated to complicated wristwatches; furthermore, it is also prominently featured on the Museum's own website (www.patekmuseum.com - The Collection - Patek Philippe Collection - Complex Wristwatches (1925-1989 - the Doctor's Wristwatch). Consequently, the present example is the only known steel single-button chronograph by Patek Philippe in private hands.



Patek Philippe finished its single-button chronographs first in the well known officer-style and cushion-shaped cases and later on in the better known reference 130 style.

These were, like later references 130, measuring 33mm in gold and a mere half a millimetre more for the steel version. The present watch, however, boasts a much larger and substantial case with a diameter of over 35mm.

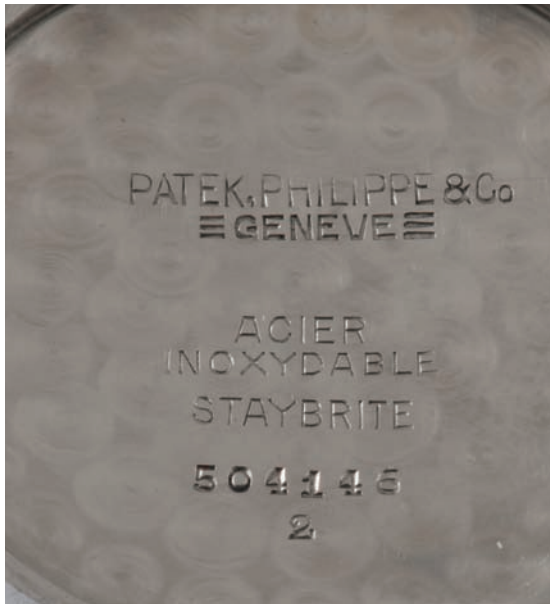
The dial design of these two watches cannot be described differently than with words like unique and spectacular: A matte silvered dial with vertically positioned subsidiary dials, the typical late 1930's sector- (or aviator) design, elegant arabic numerals in black enamel and outer pulsation scale – a combination unique to these two watches. Both watches were sold and delivered on the very same day, March 24, 1937, to Walser, Wald & Cia, Patek Philippe's agent in Buenos Aires, Argentina, at the time. Unconfirmed but reliable sources say that these two watches were made for two brothers, both medical doctors.



LOT 123

PATEK PHILIPPE

REF. 130 "THE DOCTOR'S SINGLE BUTTON CHRONOGRAPH"



Since its first public appearance at auction over 20 years ago, the watch has seen only two ownerships – in both cases two extraordinary connoisseurs and collectors with deep knowledge and passion for the finest and rarest. Thankfully, none of them have restored it, resulting today that it is preserved in a superbly honest and original condition. In fact, it appears that the stainless steel buckle mounted is still the very same and original one from 1937.

It should not come as a surprise that this watch has been chosen by John Goldberger, legendary author and one of the world's most renowned scholars, for his book *Patek Philippe Steel Watches* (pp. 212 – 215), broadly accepted as the bible for stainless steel watches by Patek Philippe. Amongst the handful watches to which Goldberger dedicated 4 full pages, the present single-button chronograph is one of them, revealing its importance and uniqueness for collectors.



A rare gold square wristwatch

MANUFACTURER	Patek Philippe
YEAR	1957
REFERENCE No.	2540
MOVEMENT No.	764'584
CASE No.	699'799
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	18k yellow gold
CRYSTAL	Glass
CALIBRE	Automatic, 12-600
BRACELET/STRAP	Crocodile
CLASP/BUCKLE	18k yellow gold, <i>signed PPC</i>
DIMENSIONS	32mm. Wide
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 10,000-15,000 Σ \$10,200-15,400 €9,500-14,200



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ACCESSORIES
Extract from the Archives confirming production of the present watch in 1957 and its subsequent sale on May 27th, 1958



LOT 124

PATEK PHILIPPE

REF. 2540



Reference 2540 is one of the very few known square shaped Patek Philippe wristwatches ever to be fitted with the legendary calibre 12-600, the firm's first self-winding movement.

This model impresses by its clear but very soft lines, most evident by the perfectly integrated crystal made specifically for this reference.

The present example, consigned by a private collector, is in overall very good condition and offers great value, be it for collecting or wearing.

A very rare and highly attractive stainless steel wristwatch with Breguet numerals, previously owned by Briggs Cunningham II

MANUFACTURER	Patek Philippe
YEAR	1949
REFERENCE No.	565
MOVEMENT No.	964'598
CASE No.	655'158
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	Stainless steel
CRYSTAL	Glass
CALIBRE	Manual, 12'''120
BRACELET/STRAP	Suede
CLASP/BUCKLE	Stainless steel buckle, <i>signed PPC</i>
DIMENSIONS	35mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed Patek Philippe, Case back further engraved BRIGGS S. CUNNINGHAM, GREEN FARMS, CONN.</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 45,000-65,000 \$46,100-66,600 €42,600-61,600



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PROVENANCE
Previously owned by Briggs Cunningham II

ACCESSORIES
Extract from the Archives confirming production of the present watch with Breguet numerals in 1949 and its subsequent sale on November 28th, 1949. Further delivered with a copy of TIME magazine published in April 26th, 1954 where Cunningham is prominently featured



LOT 125

PATEK PHILIPPE

REF. 565 "THE BRIGGS CUNNINGHAM"



Reference 565 is certainly one of Patek Philippe's sportier models from the 1940s and early 1950s thanks to its robust two pieces case construction and screw back.

Examples with Breguet numerals are amongst the rarest and most popular. The present watch, originally the property of Briggs Cunningham, has never been offered at auction before and must be considered one of the best preserved specimen of this reference. Purchased new by Cunningham in 1949, it is the third publically known stainless steel Patek Philippe wristwatch to have been owned by the famous sportsman. The other two examples a black dialled reference 1463 (bought in 1950) and the perpetual calendar reference 1526, purchased in 1951.

Briggs Swift Cunningham II (January 19, 1907 – July 2, 2003) was an American entrepreneur and sportsman, who raced automobiles and yachts. Born into a wealthy family, he became a racing car constructor, driver, and team owner as well as a sports car manufacturer and automobile collector. He skippered the first victorious 12-Metre yacht Columbia in the 1958 America's Cup race, and invented the eponymous device, the Cunningham, to increase the speed of racing sailboats.

He was featured on the April 26, 1954 cover of Time magazine, with three of his Cunningham racing cars. The caption reads: Road Racer Briggs Cunningham: Horsepower, Endurance, Sportsmanship. He became an early member of the Road Racing Drivers Club (RRDC), an invitation-only club formed to honor notable road racing drivers.

The October 2003 Road & Track magazine article, "Briggs Swift Cunningham—A Life Well Spent", states that "by building and sailing his own ships, and building and racing his own cars, Briggs Cunningham epitomized the definition of the American sportsman." He was inducted into the America's Cup Hall of Fame in 1993, the Motorsports Hall of Fame of America in 1997, and named to the International Motorsports Hall of Fame in 2003.

An exceptional and very rare yellow gold perpetual calendar wristwatch with original certificate, original bill of sale and original presentation box

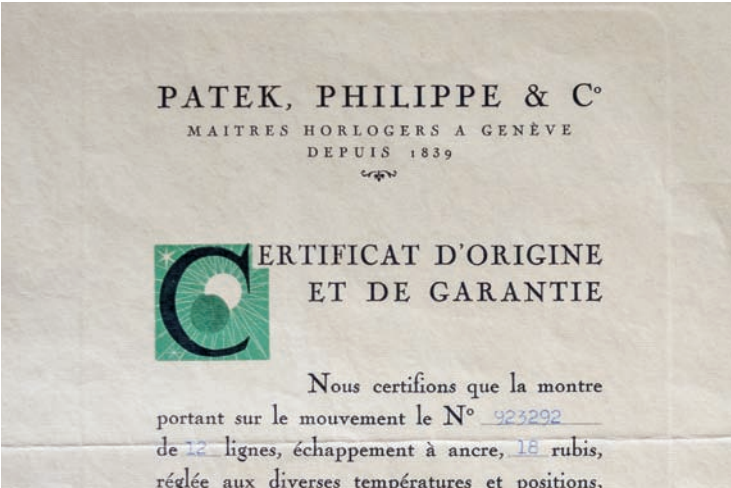
MANUFACTURER	Patek Philippe
YEAR	1943
REFERENCE No.	1526
MOVEMENT No.	923'292
CASE No.	632'179
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	18k yellow gold
CRYSTAL	Glass
CALIBRE	Manual, 12'''120
BRACELET/STRAP	Leather
CLASP/BUCKLE	Original 18k gold buckle, <i>signed PPC</i>
DIMENSIONS	34mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 200,000-300,000 \$205,000-307,000 €189,000-284,000



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ACCESSORIES
Certificate of Origin, Original bill of sale dated 1944, and original presentation box. *Extract from the Archives* confirming production of the present watch in 1943 and its subsequent sale on August 9th, 1944

LITERATURE
For another example of reference 1526, please see *Patek Philippe Museum, Patek Philippe Watches - Volume II*, pages 287 to 291



LOT 126

PATEK PHILIPPE

REF. 1526



Reference 1526 was Patek Philippe's first perpetual calendar wristwatch made in series. Launched in 1941, it remained in production until 1952. The first generation, like the present watch, has a double circle around the aperture for the moon phases, one indicating the constant seconds, the other one the date of the month.

The present example must be considered amongst the very best preserved specimen of this legendary model as it appears to be in virtually unworn condition. Its case does not show signs of wear and certainly no signs of polishing. The original leather strap, still after 70 years, appears to be unworn.

Much to the collectors delight, the original certificate and invoice have also been preserved until to date. A more complete package and better preserved complicated Patek Philippe wristwatch from the early 1940s is a near impossible find.

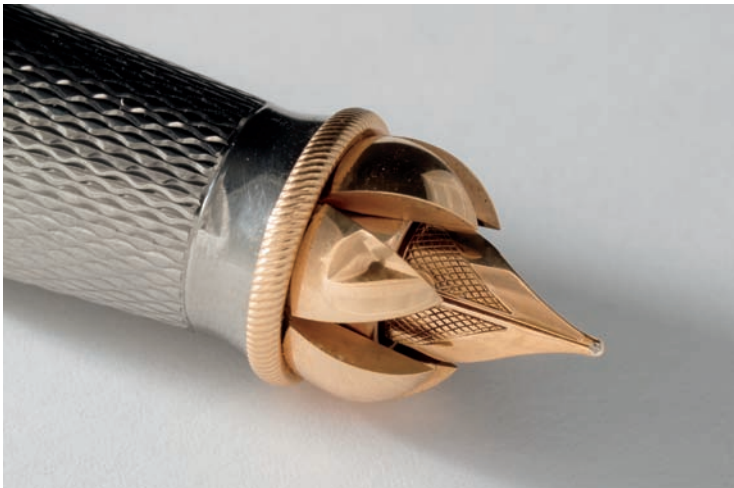
A limited edition set of titanium and pink gold writing instruments, one ballpoint and the other a fountain pen

MANUFACTURER	F.P. Journe
YEAR	2009
REFERENCE No.	
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	007
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	Titanium and 18k pink gold
CRYSTAL	
CALIBRE	
BRACELET/STRAP	
CLASP/BUCKLE	
DIMENSIONS	Fountain pen, 116mm. length; Ballpoint pen, 119mm. length
SIGNED	Each pen signed
ESTIMATE	CHF 3,000-5,000 • \$3,100-5,100 €2,800-4,700



NOTES

ACCESSORIES
F.P. Journe fitted presentation box, outer packaging and numbered guarantee



LOT 127

F.P.JOURNE

NO RESERVE



Introduced in 2008, F.P. Journe created a very unique set of prestigious writing instruments. Created in a limited series, the instruments are available in either platinum and titanium or pink gold and titanium. Both sets are available in a limited series of 500 pieces and the present lot is numbered 007.

This limited edition set is comprised of a ballpoint pen or roller pen and a fountain pen. Both instruments are made and finished from hand and signed at the top.

The fountain pen should receive particular attention as it is highly unusual. Instead of being fitted with a top or lid, Journe patented a new concept, the retractable system whereby screwing the top of the pen, the nib of the fountain pen is revealed through 6 flaps that open and close very similar to the petals of a flower.

This limited edition set is offered in "like new" condition.

A fine platinum wristwatch with
power reserve

MANUFACTURER	F.P. Journe
YEAR	2011
REFERENCE No.	
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	No. 020 - CS
MODEL NAME	Chronomètre Souverain
MATERIAL	Platinum, 18k gold movement
CRYSTAL	Sapphire
CALIBRE	Manual, 1304
BRACELET/STRAP	Crocodile
CLASP/BUCKLE	Platinum buckle, <i>signed F.P. Journe</i>
DIMENSIONS	40mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 12,000-18,000 • Σ \$12,300-18,400 €11,400-17,100



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LOT 128

F.P.JOURNE

NO RESERVE

CHRONOMÈTRE SOUVERAIN



The winner of the Grand Prix d'Horlogerie de Genève Best Men's Watch Prize in 2005, F.P. Journe's Chronomètre Souverain features a highly polished platinum case measuring a masculine 40 mm in diameter.

Its silver dial is adorned with guilloché engravings, and includes a power reserve indication at 3 o'clock and seconds indications at 7 o'clock.

Furthermore, the watch is distinguished by a hand-finished movement using bridges and plates made of solid 18 karat rose gold that provides 56 hours of power reserve.

A fine and rare platinum wristwatch with power reserve

MANUFACTURER	F.P. Journe
YEAR	2014
REFERENCE No.	
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	No. 950-CS
MODEL NAME	Chronomètre Souverain
MATERIAL	Platinum, 18k gold movement
CRYSTAL	Sapphire
CALIBRE	Manual, 1304
BRACELET/STRAP	Crocodile
CLASP/BUCKLE	Platinum buckle <i>signed F.P. Journe</i>
DIMENSIONS	40mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 14,000-22,000 Δ Σ \$14,300-22,500 €13,300-20,800



NOTES

ACCESSORIES
F.P. Journe Warranty Card, dated 30th September 2014, instruction manual, presentation box, outer packaging and polish cloth



LOT 129

F.P.JOURNE
CHRONOMÈTRE SOUVERAIN



This latest version of the F.P. Journe Chronomètre Souverain, produced in 2014, features not only a movement made of solid 18 carat rose gold, but also a dial made of solid gold.

Cased in platinum, the dial is manufactured by Journe with raised, stylized Arabic numerals in relief, embossed from the dial's surface.

Polished to a mirror-like shine, the numerals radiate and reflect light for a superb, eye-catching effect. It remains in stunning, like new condition.

A fine and rare limited edition titanium wristwatch with power reserve, ruthenium dial, made to celebrate the first anniversary of the Tokyo boutique

MANUFACTURER	F.P. Journe
YEAR	2005
REFERENCE No.	
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	05/20
MODEL NAME	Chronomètre Souverain
MATERIAL	Titanium, ruthenium dial, 18k gold movement
CRYSTAL	Sapphire
CALIBRE	Manual, twin barrel, 1304
BRACELET/STRAP	Crocodile
CLASP/BUCKLE	White gold deployment, <i>signed F.P. Journe</i>
DIMENSIONS	40mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 20,000-30,000 Σ \$20,500-30,700 €18,900-28,400



NOTES

PROVENANCE
Property from a distinguished Gentleman

ACCESSORIES
Certificate dated 8th November 2008, fitted presentation box and outer packaging.



LOT 130

F.P.JOURNE

CHRONOMÈTRE SOUVERAIN/ TOKYO



F.P. Journe has some ten boutiques located around the world and in 2003 the brand opened its flagship store in Tokyo.

It has always been known that Journe has a particular fondness for Japan and to celebrate the one year anniversary he created the present watch in a limited series of 20 examples only.

Offered in close to unused condition and complete with box and certificate, the watch is cased in titanium, powered by the famous twin barrel calibre 1304 crafted of solid gold and is fitted with a dial made from ruthenium.

A fine and rare platinum limited edition tonneau wristwatch with wandering hours

MANUFACTURER	F.P. Journe
YEAR	2005
REFERENCE No.	
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	No. 44/69V
MODEL NAME	Vagabondage I
MATERIAL	Platinum, 18k gold movement
CRYSTAL	Sapphire
CALIBRE	
BRACELET/STRAP	Crocodile
CLASP/BUCKLE	18k white gold folding deployment clasp, <i>signed F.P. Journe</i>
DIMENSIONS	36mm. Width
SIGNED	<i>Case and movement signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 30,000-50,000 Δ Σ \$30,700-51,200 €28,400-47,400



NOTES

ACCESSORIES
F.P. Journe fitted presentation box, outer packaging and polish cloth.



LOT 131

F.P.JOURNE

VAGABONDAGE I



In 2004, Francois-Paul Journe presented the Vagabondage 1, in a trilogy of white, rose, and yellow gold.

They were launched at a charity watch auction for ICM, the Paris based neurological research charity. Almost immediately afterwards, a further limited series of 69 examples were released in platinum.

This was the first F.P. Journe watch with a tortue shaped case, rather than the round examples he produced in the past. He produced two effects- a brush finish on the bezel or the alternative with polished beveled edges and sides. Each watch features the 'wandering hour dial' from whence the name Vagabondage is derived.

A very rare and unusual platinum limited edition skeletonized tonneau wristwatch with digital form display and power reserve

MANUFACTURER	F.P. Journe
YEAR	2010
REFERENCE No.	
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	No. 44/69-VII
MODEL NAME	Vagabondage II
MATERIAL	Platinum, 18k gold movement
CRYSTAL	Sapphire
CALIBRE	Manual, 1509
BRACELET/STRAP	Crocodile
CLASP/BUCKLE	Folding white gold and platinum deployment clasp
DIMENSIONS	38mm. Width
SIGNED	Movement and case signed, case further numbered 44/69
ESTIMATE	CHF 35,000-55,000 Δ Σ \$35,900-56,400 €33,200-52,100



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ACCESSORIES
Certificate of authenticity dated 22nd October 2010, polish cloth, fitted presentation box and outer packaging.



LOT 132

F.P.JOURNE

VAGABONDAGE II



Following the success of the Vagabondage I series with the wandering hour dial, Journe developed another slim sized Tortue case, this time with an open work dial as well as digital display and jump hour.

Once again, like the Vagabondage I, 69 pieces were released in platinum and a further 68 in rose gold.

An unusual feature of this model is the 'smokey coloured' crystal, where the rose gold mechanism is still visible for appreciation, but it is perhaps less distracting to the user.

An exceptional and unique openface yellow gold keyless lever watch with enamel miniature painted by Suzanne Rohr, after an 1864 painting by Jean-Baptiste Camille Corot

MANUFACTURER	Patek Philippe
YEAR	Enamel Painting completed in 1996, movement manufactured in 2006 and sold in May 2008
REFERENCE No.	974/2J
MOVEMENT No.	1'945'096
CASE No.	2'963'326
MODEL NAME	"Souvenirs de Mortefontaine"
MATERIAL	18k yellow gold and enamel
CRYSTAL	Glass
CALIBRE	Manual, 1-17/145
BRACELET/STRAP	
CLASP/BUCKLE	
DIMENSIONS	
SIGNED	<i>Movement, case and dial signed Patek Philippe, enamel painting signed S. Rohr, 1996</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 120,000-180,000 \$123,000-184,000 €114,000-171,000



NOTES

PROVENANCE
Property from an Important Collector

ACCESSORIES
Patek Philippe Certificate of Origin dated May 27th 2008, portfolio photographs, fitted presentation box and outer packaging

LITERATURE
For other examples of Suzanne Rohr enamels, please see *Patek Philippe Museum, Patek Philippe Watches - Volume II*, pages 380 to 381



LOT 133

PATEK PHILIPPE

REF. 974/2J "SOUVENIRS DE MORTEFONTAINE"



Souvenirs de Mortefontaine, painted in 1864 by Jean-Baptiste-Camille Corot, is a scene of tranquillity depicting a woman and children quietly enjoying at the shores of a lake. Amongst scholars it is considered one of his masterpieces and most poetic works.

Corot repeatedly visited Mortefontaine, a small village in northern France, during the 1850s to study the effect of light and reflection on water. Souvenirs de Mortefontaine was purchased the year it was painted directly from Corot for the French state and, after hanging at Fontainebleau until 1889, it was transferred to the Louvre where it can be admired today.

Suzanne Rohr is broadly considered one of, if not the most skilled miniature enameller and reserved her skills exclusively to Patek Philippe. In 2007 she celebrated 40 years of faithful collaboration with the venerable Geneva manufacture. Her works are of unequalled depth and, no matter if the theme is a portrait, landscape or perfect reproduction of an impressionist painting, her talent brings colours, minute details and moods into perfect harmony. The results are simply stunning miniatures and must be considered important works of art.

A very rare limited edition wristwatch with digital display, power reserve and unusual white gold hand engraved dial

MANUFACTURER	A. Lange & Söhne
YEAR	2012
REFERENCE No.	LSLS1402AM
MOVEMENT No.	97'998
CASE No.	206'323
MODEL NAME	ZEITWERK HANDWERKUNST
MATERIAL	Platinum and white gold
CRYSTAL	Sapphire
CALIBRE	Manual, L043.4
BRACELET/STRAP	Crocodile
CLASP/BUCKLE	Platinum buckle, <i>signed A. Lange & Söhne</i>
DIMENSIONS	41.9mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed, case further engraved 23/30</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 120,000-250,000 Σ \$123,000-256,000 €114,000-237,000



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ACCESSORIES
Guarantee dated January 12th 2014 confirming the present watch is numbered 23 of a limited edition of 30 pieces, instruction booklet, fitted presentation box and outer packaging.



LOT 134

A. LANGE & SÖHNE

ZEITWERK HANDWERKUNST



Produced in a limited edition of just 30 examples in 2012, the Lange Zeitwerk Handwerkskunst is the rarest of all of Lange's coveted Zeitwerk models. The first time ever appearing at auction, it's distinguished by a meticulously crafted dial, made of white gold and hand engraved with a grained texture known as "tremblage".

The resulting surface is sumptuous and exquisite, and the product of two weeks of labor.

Its heavy platinum case, measuring a masculine 41.9 mm in diameter, shines with highly polished lugs and a brushed-finished central case band. The Lange caliber L043.1 within is specially finished with a granular surface treatment, and all writing on the movement is hand engraved, further demonstrating the importance of this exceptional timepiece.

In immaculate condition, this example includes its original boxes, leather folio, and guarantee papers.

A very rare and important yellow gold limited edition minute repeating wristwatch made to celebrate the inauguration of the new Patek Philippe factory

MANUFACTURER	Patek Philippe
YEAR	1996
REFERENCE No.	5029J
MOVEMENT No.	1'904'072
CASE No.	4'015'625
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	18k yellow gold
CRYSTAL	Sapphire
CALIBRE	Automatic, R27 PS
BRACELET/STRAP	Crocodile
CLASP/BUCKLE	18k yellow gold Campaign buckle signed PPC
DIMENSIONS	35mm Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed
ESTIMATE	CHF 250,000-350,000 Σ \$256,000-359,000 €237,000-332,000



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ACCESSORIES
Accompanied by a Patek Philippe Certificate of Origin, Controle Officiel Suisse des Chronometre dated May 2nd, 1997, Attestation, leather envelope, commemorative medallion, product literature and large fitted presentation box with outer packaging. Further delivered with a Extract from the Archives confirming production of the present watch in 1996 and its subsequent sale on December 8th, 1997.

LITERATURE
For another example of reference 5029, please see Patek Philippe Museum, Patek Philippe Watches - Volume II, page 424



LOT 135

PATEK PHILIPPE

REF. 5029J



Consigned by an important private collector, the present 5029 was purchased new from the Patek Philippe boutique in Geneva and subsequently put in a vault where the watch lay sleeping for the past 18 years.

The watch is accompanied by all original documents at the time of sale and is as complete as one could ask for.

Manufactured in a limited series of only 10 examples in yellow gold, pink gold and platinum the present reference was made to celebrate the opening of the new factory in Geneva. This minute repeating watch combines everything the market has come to admire about arguably the greatest watch manufacture in history. Its very subtle looks will fool the casual observer whom would have no idea that the watch is fitted with the ingenious minute repeating calibre R 27 PS.

A rare and attractive stainless steel wristwatch with black lacquer dial and flyforward chronograph

MANUFACTURER	Bovet
YEAR	1950
REFERENCE No.	5347
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	4393
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	Stainless steel
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Manual
BRACELET/STRAP	Leather
CLASP/BUCKLE	Stainless steel buckle
DIMENSIONS	38mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Dial signed Bovet, case and movement signed Rensie Watch Co, case back further engraved R. Eberhart 444491
ESTIMATE	CHF 2,000-3,000 • Δ \$2,000-3,100 €1,900-2,800



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LOT 136

BOVET

NO RESERVE

REF. 5347



The present chronograph watch offers immense value thanks to its incredible design but also to its interesting chronograph movement.

The black dial still features the original luminous on the numerals perfectly matching the hands. The substantial stainless steel case is remarkably well-preserved.

The most interesting of all features is the patented flyback mechanism which fulfills the same function like a traditional split seconds chronograph but with only one chronograph hand. When pressing the button at the 4 o'clock position, the seconds hand stops and upon releasing it, it catches up the really elapsed time.

A very fine and rare stainless steel wristwatch with flyback chronograph, bracelet and unusual case

MANUFACTURER	Longines
YEAR	1942
REFERENCE No.	21391
MOVEMENT No.	6'152'144
CASE No.	
MODEL NAME	NO-MAG
MATERIAL	Stainless steel
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Manual, 13ZN
BRACELET/STRAP	Stainless steel folding stretch link bracelet
CLASP/BUCKLE	Folding deployant clasp, signed F & R, BEV & DEM
DIMENSIONS	35mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed
ESTIMATE	CHF 15,000-25,000 \$15,400-25,600 €14,200-23,700



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ACCESSORIES
Accompanied by Longines Extract from the Archives



LOT 137

LONGINES

REF. 21391 NO-MAG



The present Longines chronograph reference 21391 is, without a doubt, one of the rarest, most attractive and best preserved Longines chronographs to come to the market in recent years.

It is not only in all original and unrestored condition and features also a number of very rare technical elements but also an interesting history. In fact, the Archives of Longines confirm that it was sold originally to China.

The most unusual feature can be found on the dial where, underneath the Longines signature, it is printed “NO-MAG” (for non-magnetic). We cannot remember having seen another chronograph with such a designation on the dial. The case back is characterised by the unusual “two ears”, a feature to help watchmakers to more safely open the case back in view of its enhanced water resistance.

The case has most likely never been polished and harmonises very well with the period flexible steel bracelet composed of outer polished and inner satin finished links.

A fine and very rare yellow gold wristwatch with hooded lugs and world time indication

MANUFACTURER	Agassiz
YEAR	1950
REFERENCE No.	
MOVEMENT No.	4'841'539
CASE No.	4'841'539
MODEL NAME	World Time
MATERIAL	14k yellow gold
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Manual
BRACELET/STRAP	Crocodile
CLASP/BUCKLE	Gold plated buckle
DIMENSIONS	34mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed
ESTIMATE	CHF 7,000-9,000 Σ \$7,200-9,200 €6,600-8,500



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Louis Cottier, a much celebrated Geneva watch maker was commissioned by several well known watch manufactures to produce his patented world time movements for them.

This included greats such as Patek Philippe, Rolex, Vacheron & Constantin, and the less well known Agassiz. Cottier's output was limited to only around 455 movements in total for pocket watches, wristwatches, and clocks, so consequently this is a particularly rare example.

His use of the lollipop hour hand became something of a signature for him, as can be seen on this and other brands.

A very rare, unusual and large anti-magnetic divers wristwatch with centre seconds

MANUFACTURER	Blancpain
YEAR	1958
REFERENCE No.	
MOVEMENT No.	1361N
CASE No.	759
MODEL NAME	Fifty Fathoms
MATERIAL	Stainless steel
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Automatic
BRACELET/STRAP	Leather
CLASP/BUCKLE	Stainless steel
DIMENSIONS	41mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed
ESTIMATE	CHF 14,000-22,000 Δ \$14,300-22,500 €13,300-20,800



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LOT 139

BLANCPAIN

FIFTY FATHOMS



Debuted in 1953, Blancpain's celebrated "Fifty Fathoms" model was presented as the first true modern diving wristwatch.

The idea for the model arose when two captains of the French navy, Commander Maloubier and Lieutenant Riffand, requested a practical solution for a watch to be used by a new unit of military combat swimmers.

Upon finding no existing watch capable of withstanding the extreme conditions of underwater missions, the two officers approached Blancpain with a very specific set of technical specifications, including the revolutionary unidirectional bezel. The watch developed following these requests is considered the archetype of the diver's watch, its name derived from the water resistance guaranteed to a depth of 50 fathoms or 91.45 meters.

An exceptional and very rare pink gold bracelet watch with centre seconds and two-tone “pie pan” dial

MANUFACTURER	Omega
YEAR	1958
REFERENCE No.	OT14355
MOVEMENT No.	15'769'264
CASE No.	229'353
MODEL NAME	Constellation Grand Luxe
MATERIAL	18k pink gold
CRYSTAL	Original Omega plastic
CALIBRE	Automatic, 505
BRACELET/STRAP	Brick link <i>Grand Lux</i> bracelet
CLASP/BUCKLE	Concealed Omega folding clasp
DIMENSIONS	35mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Movement, dial and case signed
ESTIMATE	CHF 10,000-15,000 \$10,200-15,400 €9,500-14,200



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ACCESSORIES
Accompanied by *Omega Extract* from the Archives

LITERATURE
The present Omega Grand de Luxe is prominently featured in *Omega Watches* by John Goldberger, page 192



LOT 140

OMEGA

REF. OT14355 "CONSTELLATION GRAND LUXE"



The present Omega Constellation Grand Luxe in rose gold was at the time of its production by far the most expensive model of Omega's line.

Made in 1958, it did not only feature the legendary observatory tested calibre 505 but also the incredibly well made Grand Luxe gold bracelet imitating the shape of a hand finished leather strap. The dial, adorned with four diamonds, is rather unusual as the Omega's signature is applied below the centre. Knowing that a large portion of the Grand Luxe's production was sold to royal families in the Middle East it is possible that the large blank space on the upper half of the dial was originally reserved for either a portrait or the signature of the country's ruler.

The specimen offer here for sale is in overall very good condition and still features the original period crystal, recognisable by the microscopic Omega symbol placed in the centre.

A fine and very rare stainless steel writwatch with centre seconds, date and alarm

MANUFACTURER	Jaeger LeCoultre
YEAR	1967
REFERENCE No.	E859
MOVEMENT No.	1'881'933
CASE No.	1'099'785, inner case-back engravings Brevet 313813, 6-67
MODEL NAME	Memodate, Polaris
MATERIAL	Stainless steel
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Automatic, 825
BRACELET/STRAP	Rubber
CLASP/BUCKLE	Stainless steel buckle
DIMENSIONS	42mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed
ESTIMATE	CHF 15,000-25,000 \$15,400-25,600 €14,200-23,700



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ACCESSORIES
Extract from the Archives confirming production in 1967. The extract further states that 1'714 Memovox Polaris wristwatches were manufactured between 1965 and 1971.



LOT 141

JAEGER LECOULTRE

REF. E859 MEMODATE, POLARIS



The Polaris was produced from 1965 until 1971 in a small series of only 1714 examples and is probably the firm's best known divers watch. Known amongst collectors as reference E859 it features an unusually large diameter of 42mm and three crowns. During 1962 and 1963 fifty prototypes were produced but never sold to the public.

The Polaris was designed as a reliable and highly waterproof alarm watch for divers. The compressor case features a case back with 16 holes to increase the audibility of the alarm under water.

The present example is from 1967 and stands out by an overall excellent and original condition. A very rare feature is the MEMODATE inscription underneath the triangle for the alarm setting where normally the designation MEMOVOX can be found.

A very rare and attractive stainless steel wristwatch with centre seconds and salmon dial

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1954
REFERENCE No.	8895
MOVEMENT No.	N62'432
CASE No.	13'843
MODEL NAME	Precision
MATERIAL	Stainless steel
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Manual
BRACELET/STRAP	Stainless steel
CLASP/BUCKLE	Integral stainless steel clasp
DIMENSIONS	38mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed
ESTIMATE	CHF 10,000-15,000 ▼ \$10,200-15,400 €9,500-14,200



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ACCESSORIES
With fitted presentation box.



LOT 142

ROLEX

REF. 8895



Although not one of the famous Oyster models, the present Precision reference 8895 is one of the most beautiful time only wristwatches ever made by Rolex.

Fitted with a masculine salmon-coloured dial and prominent dauphine hands which perfectly harmonize with the bamboo bracelet typical from the period, it has probably never been polished since new and it is a perfect proof of how in watch design, “less is more” and is never going out of fashion.

A fine and rare stainless steel wristwatch with bracelet and deadbeat seconds, retailed by Tiffany & Co.

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1955
REFERENCE No.	6556
MOVEMENT No.	N823'698
CASE No.	139'017
MODEL NAME	Tru-Beat
MATERIAL	Stainless Steel
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Automatic, 1040
BRACELET/STRAP	Stainless steel expandable <i>Rolex Oyster</i> , end links stamped 57
CLASP/BUCKLE	Folding deployant clasp, stamped 4.53
DIMENSIONS	35mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed, dial further signed Tiffany & Co, inside case back stamped I.56</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 8,000-12,000 ▼ \$8,200-12,300 €7,600-11,400

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LOT 143

ROLEX

REF. 6556



An exceptionally rare Rolex model, the Tru-Beat reference 6556 was launched in 1954 as a tool watch for doctors and healthcare workers.

It's the only mechanical Rolex model to ever incorporate a "dead-beat" seconds mechanism that advances the seconds hand only once per second. This permitted more accurate readings of patients' pulse rates, however the demand for such a timepiece was quite low, and the reference was soon discontinued. Amongst the small quantities produced, few have survived with the dead-beat mechanism of the Rolex caliber 1040 still intact.

The present example functions exactly as Rolex originally designed, with a seconds hand that perfectly advances once every second. The silver, sectorized dial, dauphine hour and minute hands, and red-painted seconds hand are immaculately preserved, making this one of the finest ref. 6556 to appear on the market in recent years.

A very fine and very rare yellow gold wristwatch with centre seconds, bracelet and honeycomb dial

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1949
REFERENCE No.	5029
MOVEMENT No.	G19331
CASE No.	651'517
MODEL NAME	Oyster Perpetual
MATERIAL	18k yellow gold
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Automatic, Super Balance, 730
BRACELET/STRAP	18k yellow gold Rolex Oyster stretch bracelet
CLASP/BUCKLE	Folded concealed clasp, stamped 4.51
DIMENSIONS	35mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Movement, case and dial signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 30,000-50,000 ▼ \$30,700-51,200 €28,400-47,400



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LOT 144

ROLEX

REF. 5029



The present reference 5029 in yellow gold is one of the most attractive examples of this timeless classic of the late 1940s.

The extremely well preserved case is in excellent overall condition with very sharp lines and still retaining its original finishing. The case is of masculine proportion and fitted with a screw back and enjoys popularity thanks to its diameter of 35 mm.

The absolutely most striking element of this watch is however the dial. Its surface is finished with the highly sophisticated honeycomb technique. The applied hour markers are either faceted baton or (at 3, 6 and 9) Arabic numerals. The dial, a work of art, is in beautiful original condition.

Presented with its period gold Oyster bracelet the present watch is a highly charismatic example presented in remarkable condition.

A fine and rare yellow gold chronograph wristwatch with black dial, bracelet, guarantee and box

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1982
REFERENCE No.	6263
MOVEMENT No.	11522
CASE No.	7'426'649
MODEL NAME	Rolex Oyster Cosmograph
MATERIAL	18k yellow gold
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Manual, 727
BRACELET/STRAP	18k yellow gold Rolex Oyster, end links stamped 71
CLASP/BUCKLE	18k gold folding clasp, stamped 81
DIMENSIONS	37mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed
ESTIMATE	CHF 40,000-70,000 ▼ \$41,000-71,700 €37,900-66,300



NOTES

ACCESSORIES
Undated punched guarantee, product literature, fitted presentation box and outer packaging



LOT 145

ROLEX

REF. 6263



The gold Oyster Cosmograph Daytona with screw down pushers was in production for nearly 20 years. Interestingly, scholars estimate that no more than approximately 2000 examples were ever made during these years.

With an average output of no more than 100 watches per year, references 6263 and 6265 are very rare and should be considered as such, particularly in view of Rolex's overall production.

This gold reference 6263 is amongst the finest examples offered in recent years as it is not only in hardly worn condition but also still retaining its original gold Oyster bracelet as well as the original punched certificate and box. Probably kept in a safe for much of its life, both the case and bracelet have gently oxidised and taken on a very special warm hue lending the watch an incredible charm. A gentle clean would easily remove the surface oxidation, but what purist would dare doing so!

For many years, the full gold Daytona was associated with overdressing and showing off. Today however it is an expression of taste and self confidence.

A rare and very attractive yellow gold chronograph wristwatch with bracelet, retailed by Tiffany & Co.

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1964
REFERENCE No.	6238
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	997'154
MODEL NAME	"Pre Daytona"
MATERIAL	14k yellow gold
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Manual, 72B
BRACELET/STRAP	9k yellow gold
CLASP/BUCKLE	9k yellow gold folding clasp, with Birmingham hallmark for 1966
DIMENSIONS	36mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed, case further signed Tiffany & Co
ESTIMATE	CHF 50,000-80,000 ▼ \$51,200-82,000 €47,400-75,800

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LOT 146

ROLEX

REF. 6238



Rolex's chronograph reference 6238 is the last model with a smooth bezel and graduated scale printed on the dial. A sporty yet elegant watch, its design is more modern compared to earlier Rolex Chronograph watches.

The immediate predecessor of reference 6239, the first Cosmograph Daytona released by Rolex, it is also known amongst collectors as the "Pre-Daytona".

Reference 6238 was made predominantly in stainless steel with very few examples in gold. Whereas the European and Asian market were serviced with the 18 carat gold version, examples like the present one, cased in 14 carat gold, were usually reserved for the North American market.

To the delight of scholars, the beautiful and well preserved dial, featuring the distinguished "Tiffany & Co" signature, is matching perfectly with the 14 carat gold case, both features in accordance with the North American market. Furthermore the watch is overall preserved in very original and crisp condition and takes in any Rolex collection a prominent position.

A very rare and attractive yellow gold triple calendar wristwatch with two tone dial and luminous dots and hands

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1953
REFERENCE No.	6062
MOVEMENT No.	N32'696
CASE No.	911'096
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	18k yellow gold
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Automatic, <i>SuperBalance</i> , 9 3/4'''
BRACELET/STRAP	Hermes Leather
CLASP/BUCKLE	gold plated buckle, <i>signed Rolex</i>
DIMENSIONS	37mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 160,000-260,000 ▼ \$164,000-266,000 €152,000-246,000



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LOT 147

ROLEX

REF. 6062



Amongst collectors and scholars, reference 6062 is one of Rolex's most important and beautiful models ever created and, being one of only two models in the firm's history to feature a full calendar and phases of the moon, also one of the rarest.

Often called "Stelline", the yellow gold version is known with a variety of dial designs and different shapes of numerals. The present example has a wonderfully warm, light beige-coloured dial featuring pyramid-shaped gold numerals and luminous markers and hands.

Examples like the present one, in absolutely all original condition and without any signs of cosmetic enhancements, are however the rarest species within the refetene 6062 family, regardless of the dial version. In the years to come, purists and collectors will struggle to locate and acquire such "sleeping beauties", worthy a place on the podium of the preservation class category.

A very rare and attractive stainless steel chronograph wristwatch with bracelet and original box

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1971
REFERENCE No.	6263, stamped 6239 inside the case back
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	2'648'400
MODEL NAME	Oyster Cosmograph "Paul Newman Panda"
MATERIAL	Stainless steel
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Manual, 727
BRACELET/STRAP	Stainless steel Rolex Oyster bracelet, reference 1835, end links stamped 271
CLASP/BUCKLE	Folding deployant clasp, stamped 1. 72
DIMENSIONS	37mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed
ESTIMATE	CHF 150,000-250,000 ▼ \$154,000-256,000 €142,000-237,000



NOTES

ACCESSORIES
Rolex fitted presentation box



LOT 148

ROLEX

REF. 6263



Reference 6263 in stainless steel fitted with the famous Oyster Paul Newman dial is generally divided into two types; off-white dial with black subsidiary dials and outer black ring, tenderly nicknamed “Panda” due to its looks (and Oyster printed on the second line) and black dial with white subsidiary dials and white outer ring, known as “Oyster Sotto” (“Oyster underneath” in Italian) since the Oyster designation is on the third line.

This very attractive “Panda” is a most original and superbly preserved example, still retaining the correct Mk1 pushers and bezel. The unrestored dial displays warm colours and, in certain angles under light, the dark subsidiary dials and outer ring show subtle tones of brown.

Few vintage wristwatches combine in such perfect manner everything a demanding collector could expect like this 6263 Oyster Paul Newman: Looks, rarity, condition, exclusivity and, most importantly, wearability. To many Rolex collectors a fine Paul Newman example from the famed Cosmograph Daytona family is a perfect watch. Few dare wishing for a Oyster Paul Newman given its rarity and popularity amongst aficionados.

A very rare and exceptional yellow gold and diamond chronograph wristwatch with bracelet, briefcase presentation box and guarantee

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1987
REFERENCE No.	6269
MOVEMENT No.	18071
CASE No.	9'533'905
MODEL NAME	Daytona
MATERIAL	18k yellow gold and diamonds
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Manual, 727
BRACELET/STRAP	18k yellow gold Rolex Oyster, end links stamped 71
CLASP/BUCKLE	Folding deployant clasp stamped 87
DIMENSIONS	37mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed, case back still retaining green factory sticker
ESTIMATE	CHF 250,000-450,000 ▼ o \$256,000-461,000 €237,000-426,000



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ACCESSORIES
Green Rolex Presentation box in the form of a briefcase with locking mechanism, punched *guarantee* dated 8th May 1989, green leather wallet and swing tag

LITERATURE
Published in the *Ultimate Rolex Daytona* by Pucci Papaleo, pages 524 to 527



LOT 149

ROLEX

REF 6269 "THE JACK OF DIAMONDS"

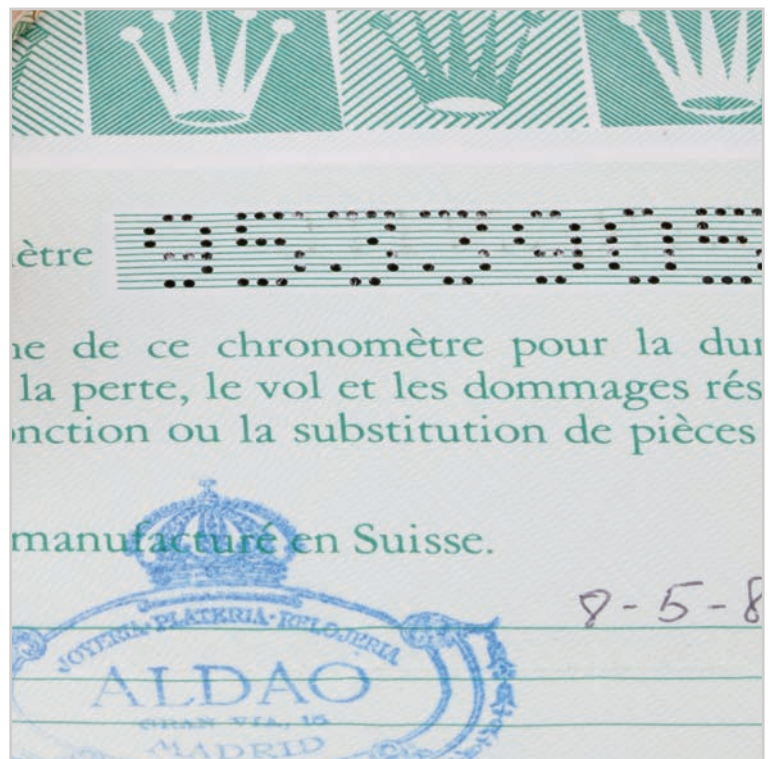


Together with reference 6270, Rolex's reference 6269 takes a very prestigious position as the most lavish, exclusive and certainly boldest manual Cosmograph ever produced.

Its bezel is set with 48 brilliant-cut diamonds, most examples were also fitted with a pavé dial, set with 240 round-cut diamonds. These two models were the first chronographs by Rolex finished in jewelled cases.

The present example, coming from a very private European collection, is completely fresh to the auction market and in close to mint condition. Probably never worn and certainly not polished, it still retains its original green sticker on the back. It is of such good condition with the gold printed coronet and reference number untouched that it is safe to assume that the watch has spent most of its life in a security vault.

Originally sold in Spain, it still has the original riveted Oyster bracelet, original box (actually, suitcase is a more appropriate word) and certificate; this is possibly the best preserved example to come to the market in quite some time.



LOT 149

ROLEX

REF 6269 "THE JACK OF DIAMONDS"



A very rare and attractive platinum and diamond set bracelet watch with concealed dial, retailed by Serpico y Laino

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1956
REFERENCE No.	9287
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	236'362
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	Platinum and diamonds
CRYSTAL	Glass
CALIBRE	Manual, 282
BRACELET/STRAP	Platinum and diamond set
CLASP/BUCKLE	Concealed clasp
DIMENSIONS	19mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed by the maker, dial further signed by the retailer
ESTIMATE	CHF 20,000-30,000 ▼ \$20,500-30,700 €18,900-28,400



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ACCESSORIES
Rolex fitted presentation box



LOT 150

ROLEX

REF. 9287



Rolex, best known for its sports and water resistant Oyster models also made in very limited quantities fine and elegant jewelled watches.

The present example is an outstanding bracelet watch cased in platinum and lavishly set with diamonds. In addition, the watch also bears the famous retailers signature Serpico y Laino, Rolex's retailer in Caracas giving the present lot a double stamp of approval.

Presented in extremely well preserved original condition, this bracelet watch encompasses everything the collector of vintage, lavishly set jewelled watches could ask for.

A fine and very rare, heavy white gold and diamond set bracelet watch with centre seconds, made for the Sultanate of Oman

MANUFACTURER	IWC
YEAR	1975
REFERENCE No.	9212
MOVEMENT No.	2'123'709
CASE No.	2'189'816
MODEL NAME	Da Vinci
MATERIAL	18k white gold and diamonds
CRYSTAL	Sapphire
CALIBRE	Automatic, 8541B
BRACELET/STRAP	18k white gold with bark finish
CLASP/BUCKLE	Folding deployment clasp
DIMENSIONS	38mm. Width
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed, dial further stamped with the national emblem of Oman in red
ESTIMATE	CHF 6,000-9,000 \$6,100-9,200 €5,700-8,500



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LOT 151

IWC

REF. 9212 DA VINCI



In the late 1960's and 1970's IWC's flag ship model was the Da Vinci. The current watch, cased in 18k white gold is powered by the IWC in house caliber 8541B.

The Da Vinci was one of the firms rarest and costliest watches manufactured in the 1960's and 1970's.

The present watch, made for the Sultanate of Oman is finished throughout with a textured case and bracelet which is remarkably heavy. Its black dial contrasts beautifully with the hour markers composed of diamonds.

In exceptional condition, this example is one of the most exclusive designs ever created by IWC.

An extremely rare and important lady's platinum bracelet watch set with diamonds and sapphires and with concealed dial

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1967
REFERENCE No.	2780
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	1'787'467
MODEL NAME	Rolex Precision
MATERIAL	Platinum, diamonds and sapphires
CRYSTAL	Glass
CALIBRE	Manual, 1400
BRACELET/STRAP	Sapphire, diamond and platinum link bracelet
CLASP/BUCKLE	Sapphire set concealed clasp
DIMENSIONS	33mm Diameter 150mm. Total Length
SIGNED	Case, dial, movement and bracelet signed
ESTIMATE	CHF 40,000-60,000 ▼ \$41,000-61,500 €37,900-56,800



NOTES

ACCESSORIES
Rolex fitted presentation box



LOT 152

ROLEX

REF. 2780



The present watch is one of the firm's most lavish creations of all time with its incredibly unusual and elegant manta ray shape.

Manufactured in platinum, the case and the bracelet are set with different sizes diamonds and sapphires. One can only imagine that it must have retailed for 10 or 20 times that of a steel sports watch.

Preserved in beautiful, like new condition accompanied by its original box, one can see that Rolex is also a master of beautifully crafted lady's watches.

A lady’s rare and heavy white gold bracelet watch

MANUFACTURER	Piaget
YEAR	1968
REFERENCE No.	1001 N10
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	153822
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	18k white gold
CRYSTAL	Glass
CALIBRE	Back Winding manual, P2
BRACELET/STRAP	18k white gold curb link, <i>signed Piaget</i>
CLASP/BUCKLE	Locking clasp with security clips
DIMENSIONS	9mm. Width
SIGNED	<i>Movement, case, bracelet and dial signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 6,000-9,000 \$6,100-9,200 €5,700-8,500



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LITERATURE
For a similar example in yellow gold, please see *Piaget, Watches and Wonders*, by Cologni, Negretti and Nencini, page 100



LOT 153

PIAGET

REF. 1001 N10



The present watch is an extremely unusual model by Piaget and very seldom appears on the market.

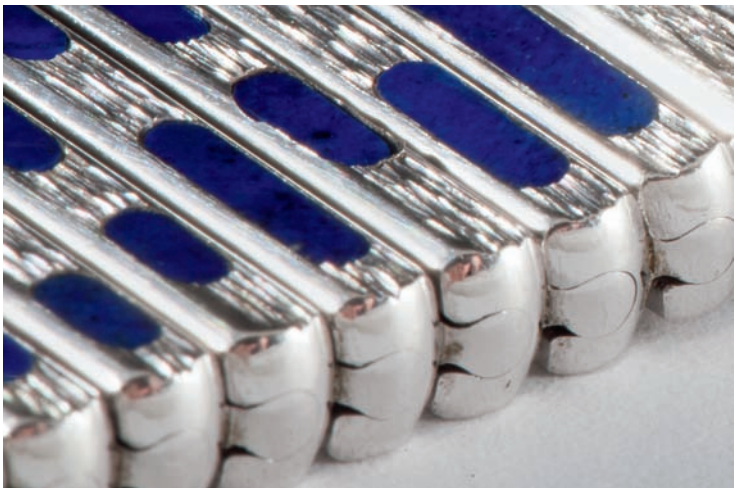
Cased in white gold, it features a very unusual slim and heavy chain link bracelet signed by Piaget. The bracelet is a rarity by itself and has been preserved in remarkably crisp and original condition.

A fine, rare and heavy white gold bracelet watch set with lapis lazuli and diamonds

MANUFACTURER	Piaget
YEAR	1977
REFERENCE No.	9902 C426
MOVEMENT No.	771'120
CASE No.	283'422
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	18k white gold, diamond and lapis lazuli
CRYSTAL	Glass
CALIBRE	Manual, 9P2
BRACELET/STRAP	18k white gold and lapis lazuli set screw link heavy bracelet
CLASP/BUCKLE	Folding clasp
DIMENSIONS	23mm. Width
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed
ESTIMATE	CHF 7,000-9,000 \$7,200-9,200 €6,600-8,500



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LOT 154

PIAGET

REF. 9902 C426



The present watch is an excellent example of the firm's creative work during the 1970's.

The case and bracelet are crafted in white gold, highly decorated and set with asymmetrically positioned lapis lazuli bars, perfectly matching the lapis lazuli and diamond dial.

It is a masterpiece of the firm's creativity, still after nearly 40 years a modern piece to enjoy every day.

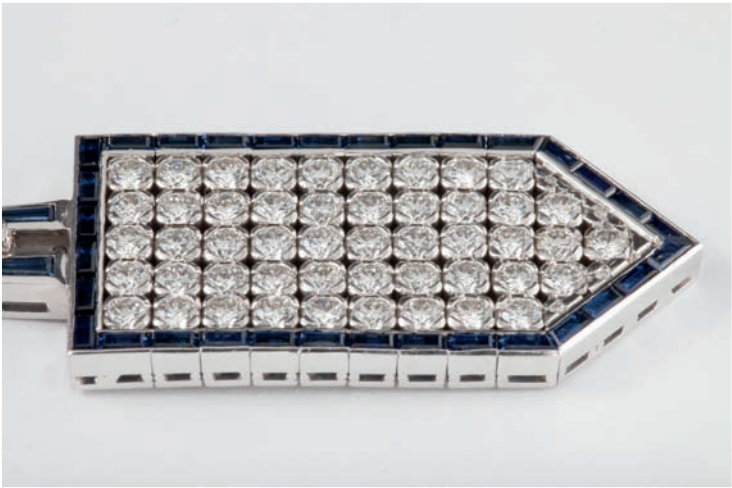
A fine and rare white gold, diamond and sapphire pendant watch with mother of pearl dial

MANUFACTURER	Piaget
YEAR	1983
REFERENCE No.	977
MOVEMENT No.	837'309
CASE No.	
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	18k white gold, diamond, sapphire and mother of pearl
CRYSTAL	Sapphire
CALIBRE	Manual, 9P
BRACELET/STRAP	
CLASP/BUCKLE	Diamond and Sapphire set white gold lapel
DIMENSIONS	42mm. Diameter 119mm. Total length
SIGNED	Dial, case and movement signed
ESTIMATE	CHF 25,000-35,000 Σ \$25,600-35,900 €23,700-33,200



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LITERATURE
A similar watch, however set with rubies is illustrated in *Piaget, Watch and Wonders*, by Cologni, Negretti, Nencini, page 127



LOT 155

PIAGET

REF. 977



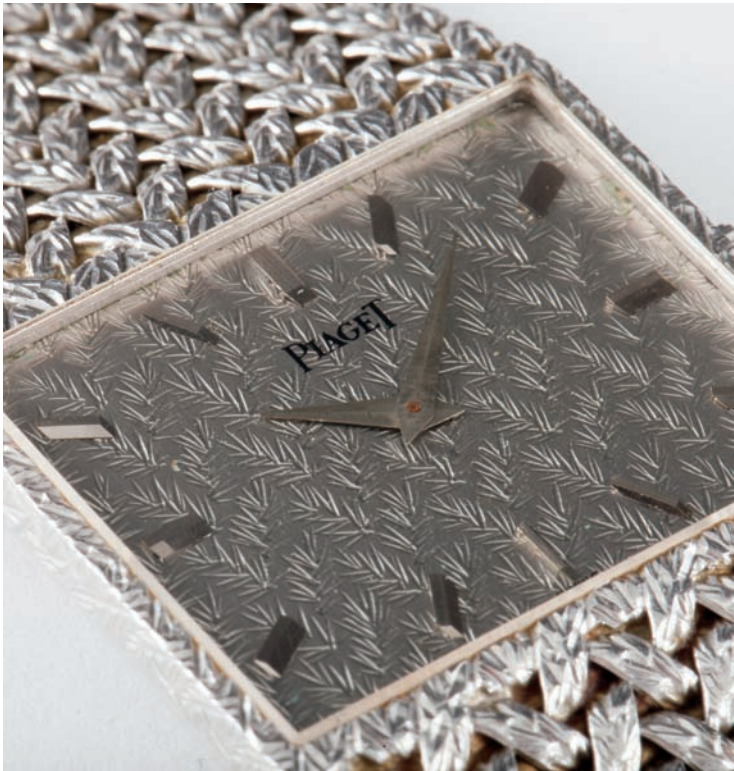
Piaget has not only designed the most amazing wristwatches and bangle watches but has also made in smaller quantities very fine and rare dress watches for a clientele who wished to perpetuate a certain tradition and who used to wear these watches for very special occasions.

The present example forged of white gold is lavishly set with 110 diamonds (5.93ct) and 174 baguette sapphires (12ct) centred by a mother of pearl and diamond dial.

Presented in overall excellent condition and the case back still retaining its blue factory seal, this pendant watch amazes with its beauty and timeless design.

A fine and rare 18k white gold bracelet watch

MANUFACTURER	Piaget
YEAR	1973
REFERENCE No.	92110 D2
MOVEMENT No.	737'535
CASE No.	227'517
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	18k white gold
CRYSTAL	Glass
CALIBRE	Manual, 9P
BRACELET/STRAP	18k white gold Mesh weave, <i>signed Piaget</i>
CLASP/BUCKLE	Folding clasp
DIMENSIONS	28mm. Width
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 8,000-12,000 \$8,200-12,300 €7,600-11,400



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LOT 156

PIAGET

REF. 92110 D2

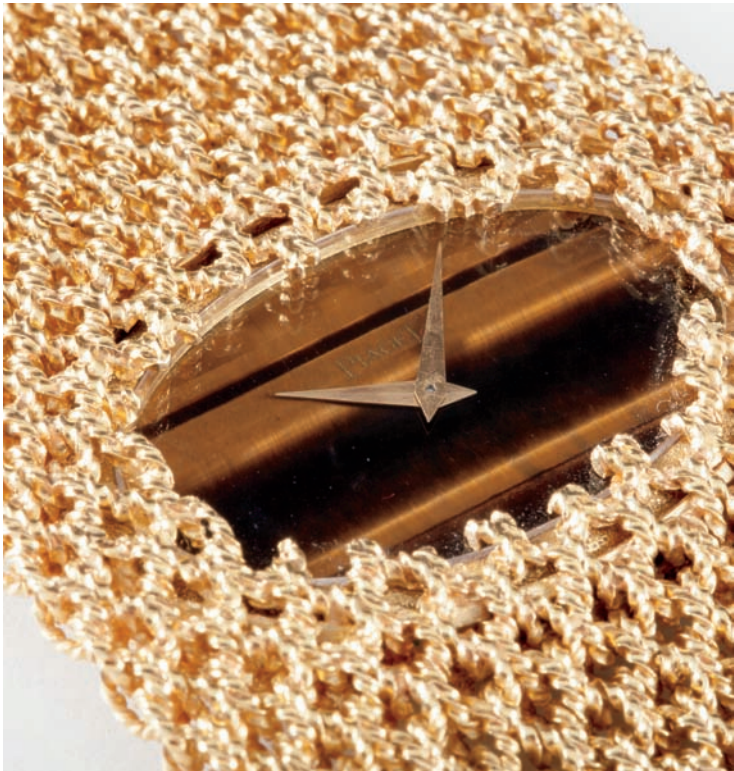


The present watch is a classic example from the Seventies with a thin and elegant case.

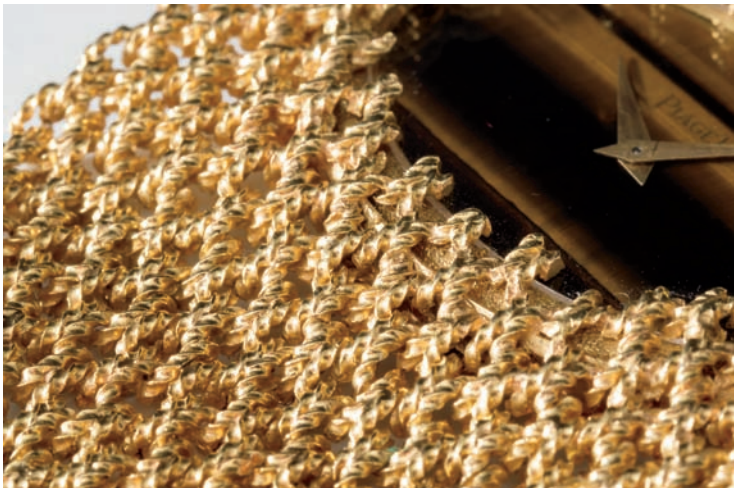
The integrated solid white gold bracelet features hand engraved basket weaves which perfectly match the engraving on the dial. Equally harmonious are the angle faceted hour markers with the matching faceted dauphine hands.

A very rare and attractive yellow gold bracelet watch with tigers-eye dial

MANUFACTURER	Piaget
YEAR	1969
REFERENCE No.	9850 N 38
MOVEMENT No.	6'904'906
CASE No.	9850N38/174444
MODEL NAME	Montre-Manchette
MATERIAL	18k yellow gold
CRYSTAL	Glass
CALIBRE	Manual, 9P
BRACELET/STRAP	18k yellow gold woven <i>Piaget</i> bracelet
CLASP/BUCKLE	Concealed clasp, <i>signed Piaget</i>
DIMENSIONS	44mm. Width.
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial, movement and bracelet signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 14,000-22,000 \$14,300-22,500 €13,300-20,800



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LOT 157

PIAGET

REF. 9850 N 38



Jean-Paul Gueit designed some sensational 'Esclave' or 'cuff watches' during the 60's and 70's for Piaget.

Thanks to the tiny 9P and 12P mechanisms that were made available to him, he was at liberty to design spectacular jewellery watches with less focus on the watch itself but more on the overall impact of the design .

This coincided perfectly with the fashionable use of semi-precious colourful stone dials with intricately woven mesh-link bracelets for the adoring fashion scene.

A very fine and rare yellow gold bangle watch with lapis lazuli dial and original fitted box

MANUFACTURER	Piaget
YEAR	1970
REFERENCE No.	9467 D 59
MOVEMENT No.	75'344
CASE No.	194167
MODEL NAME	Manchette, Esclave
MATERIAL	18k gold and lapis lazuli
CRYSTAL	Glass
CALIBRE	Manual, 9P
BRACELET/STRAP	18k gold textured open work
CLASP/BUCKLE	Sprung button and lock
DIMENSIONS	59 mm. diameter & 150 mm. overall length
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed, bangle bearing the initials NS and crown
ESTIMATE	CHF 30,000-50,000 \$30,700-51,200 €28,400-47,400



NOTES

ACCESSORIES
With fitted Piaget box

LITERATURE
The model is illustrated in Montres et Merveilles de Piaget by F. Cologni, G. Negretti, F. Nencini



LOT 158

PIAGET

REF. 9467 D 59 MANCHETTE



The present watch is a typical and impressive example of the “Manchette” model launched in the early 1970s. These watches were characterized by their large bracelets, forming a cone when worn, and their unusual dial materials.

This example features a beautiful lapis lazuli dial. Furthermore the back of the watch features a royal crown and the initial NS.

In the 1970's, while other brands were focusing on sports watches, Piaget carved its own niche, producing fashionable dress and jewellery watches known for their extravagant style and exquisite design and composed of fine metals and glittering jewels.

Offered in exceptional original condition the watch is still accompanied by its fitted Piaget presentation box.

A fine and very rare white gold, diamond and onyx bracelet watch

MANUFACTURER	Chopard
YEAR	1975
REFERENCE No.	G2965/1
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	408002
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	White gold, diamonds and onyx
CRYSTAL	Glass
CALIBRE	Manual, 2442
BRACELET/STRAP	18k white gold, diamond and onyx
CLASP/BUCKLE	Concealed clasp
DIMENSIONS	31mm. Width
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 10,000-15,000 \$10,200-15,400 €9,500-14,200



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LOT 159

CHOPARD

G2965/1



In terms of design, the 1970s were a decade of unmatched creativity where especially jewelled lady's watches reached new heights. Chopard was at the forefront of this movement and the present watch is perfect proof of this.

The watch case and links are oval-shaped white gold frames, set with polished onyx plaques, highlighted by a diamond set wave-shaped surmount. This geometric design displays incredible dynamism and is today, as it was at the time of its production, a most attractive work of art to be worn on special occasions.

A rare and early rectangular stainless steel and pink gold wristwatch with Breguet numerals

MANUFACTURER	Patek Philippe
YEAR	1937
REFERENCE No.	429/1
MOVEMENT No.	832'215
CASE No.	505'256
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	Stainless steel and 18k pink gold
CRYSTAL	Glass
CALIBRE	Manual, 9'''90
BRACELET/STRAP	Crocodile
CLASP/BUCKLE	Stainless steel, <i>signed PPC</i>
DIMENSIONS	37mm. Length
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 7,000-9,000 Σ \$7,200-9,200 €6,600-8,500



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ACCESSORIES
Extract from the Archives confirming the production of the present watch in 1937 with Breguet numerals in pink gold and its subsequent sale on October 21st, 1938



LOT 160

PATEK PHILIPPE

REF. 429/1



Reference 429/1 is not only an excellent representative of the 1930s but also one of the rarest models ever made by Patek Philippe.

Its stepped case with a thin rose gold filet is wonderfully harmonising with the rose gold Breguet numerals and feuille hands.

Today this is only the second known example of this two-tone reference. Consigned by an important private collector it has not been worn since its last service at Patek Philippe over 15 years ago.

A very rare and large pink gold wristwatch

MANUFACTURER	Patek Philippe
YEAR	1951
REFERENCE No.	2458
MOVEMENT No.	969'359
CASE No.	664'559
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	18k pink gold
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Manual, 12'''120
BRACELET/STRAP	Crocodile
CLASP/BUCKLE	18k pink gold, <i>signed PPC</i>
DIMENSIONS	36mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 10,000-15,000 Σ \$10,200-15,400 €9,500-14,200



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ACCESSORIES
Extract from the Archives confirming production of the present watch in 1951 and its subsequent sale on June 17th, 1952

LITERATURE
Another example is illustrated in *Patek Philippe Wristwatches* by Martin Huber & Alan Banbery, second edition, p. 253, pl. 389.



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PATEK PHILIPPE

REF. 2458



Despite its very short and small production, reference 2458 is very well known to the community of Patek Philippe collectors as it is the very reference that also the world famous J. B. Champion Observatory Chronometer has.

Interestingly, the present example in rose gold and the Champion were both sold in the same year, 1952. Examples in rose gold are very rare and only another five pieces are known today to have survived.

The example here has a lovely and unrestored dial and a very crisp and hardly polished case.

A rare and very unusual white gold wristwatch with original certificate and sales tag

MANUFACTURER	Patek Philippe
YEAR	1962
REFERENCE No.	3433
MOVEMENT No.	1'112'383
CASE No.	2'624'656
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	18k white gold
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Automatic, 27-460
BRACELET/STRAP	Crocodile
CLASP/BUCKLE	18k white gold, <i>signed PPC</i>
DIMENSIONS	36mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 40,000-60,000 Σ \$41,000-61,500 €37,900-56,800



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PROVENANCE
Property from an Important Private Collector

ACCESSORIES
Original Certificate and sales tag. Further accompanied by *Extract from the Archives* confirming production of present watch in 1962 and subsequent sale on November 6th, 1962.



LOT 162

PATEK PHILIPPE

REF. 3433



Collectors of vintage wristwatches, paying attention to condition, often regret that there is no time-machine available to them, travelling back to the 1950's or 1960's and secure their vintage wristwatch, together with all its accessories.

The present white gold example of reference 3433, one of only three known today, can offer some help as it is not only preserved in excellent condition but, quite remarkably, has still its original certificate and even the hand-numbered, numbered hanging tag.

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Reference 3433 was launched in 1960 and was the direct successor to reference 2551. It was fitted with calibre 27-460, newly introduced in the same year. The present example has been acquired by the present owner nearly ten years ago at auction and has remained since then in his private collection.

A very rare and early yellow gold world-time wristwatch, formerly the property of Robert Stack

MANUFACTURER	Patek Philippe
YEAR	1939
REFERENCE No.	1415
MOVEMENT No.	176'120
CASE No.	618'818
MODEL NAME	Worldtime
MATERIAL	18k yellow gold
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Manual, 12'''
BRACELET/STRAP	Crocodile
CLASP/BUCKLE	18k yellow gold buckle, signed PPC
DIMENSIONS	31mm. Diameter
SIGNED	case, dial and movement signed, case back further engraved with the name Robert Stack
ESTIMATE	CHF 60,000-90,000 Σ \$61,500-92,200 €56,800-85,300



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ACCESSORIES
Extract from the Archives confirming production of the present watch with engraving to the case back in 1939 and its subsequent sale on October 8th, 1940

LITERATURE
Examples of reference 1415 are illustrated in *Patek Philippe Wristwatches* by Martin Huber & Alan Banbery, second edition, pp. 243 - 247.



LOT 163

PATEK PHILIPPE

THE ROBERT STACK REF. 1415



The present reference 1415 is one of the historically most significant examples of this model. In fact, it appears to be the second ever made example of this reference, completed in 1939, the year the reference was launched.

This reference 1415 differs through a vast number of elements from the later version: the movement is a 12''' pocket watch movement with camwheel regulation, wolf tooth winding and gold wheel train. The bezel, with red enamel hour markers, features only 30 cities whereas later generations have either 39 or 41. The silvered dial has roman and baton numerals all in black enamel versus gold applied markers.

When examining this watch up close it becomes evident that in 1939 Patek Philippe's world time wristwatch production was still in its infancy and it is fair to say that these watches served as forerunners and prototypes for the later production.

In the late 1930s world time wristwatches must have been the ultimate novelty and it should not come as a surprise that a star like Robert Stack has been one of the fortunate first owners of such a watch.

Robert Stack (born Charles Langford Modini Stack, January 13, 1919 – May 14, 2003) was a multilingual American actor and television host. In addition to acting in more than 40 feature films, he starred in the 1959–63 television series *The Untouchables*, for which he won the 1960 Emmy Award for Best Actor in a Dramatic Series, and later hosted *Unsolved Mysteries* from 1987 until 2002. He was also nominated for an Academy Award for Best Supporting Actor for the film *Written on the Wind* in 1956.

An exceptionally rare and important pink gold wristwatch with four tone pink dial, Breguet numerals and original certificate

MANUFACTURER	Patek Philippe
YEAR	1943
REFERENCE No.	570
MOVEMENT No.	923'573
CASE No.	
MODEL NAME	Calatrava
MATERIAL	18k pink gold
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Manual, 12'''120
BRACELET/STRAP	Reptile
CLASP/BUCKLE	18k pink gold buckle, <i>signed PPC</i>
DIMENSIONS	35.5mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 150,000-250,000 Σ \$154,000-256,000 €142,000-237,000



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ACCESSORIES
Certificate of Origin and Extract from the Archives confirming production of the present watch with silvery rose dial and applied Breguet numerals in rose gold in 1943 and its subsequent sale on July 15th, 1943

LITERATURE
A reference 570 with Breguet numerals and two-tone dial, cased in platinum is illustrated in *Patek Philippe Museum, Patek Philippe Watches - Volume II*, page 331



LOT 164

PATEK PHILIPPE

REF. 570 "CALATRAVA"



Amongst Patek Philippe's production of time-only wristwatches (wristwatches without complications), reference 570 is to many the most perfect in terms of shape and size.

Examples featuring the extraordinary multi-tone dials with oversized Breguet numerals are most certainly the rarest, richest and most complex versions of this reference.

The present example, never before offered at auction, is in virtually mint condition and still features the original certificate from Patek Philippe. The dial, composed of four differently finished shades of rose, shows no signs of cleaning or restoration whatsoever.

Vintage Patek Philippe wristwatches, where aesthetics, condition and rarity are all at their best are the gems collectors are looking for. The present "Calatravone" (Italian for large Calatrava) is certainly part of this elite and constitutes a probably unique opportunity for the most discerning collectors around the world.

A highly important and very rare pink gold perpetual calendar chronograph wristwatch with pink dial, moon phases and heavy Gay Frères bracelet signed Patek Philippe

MANUFACTURER	Patek Philippe
YEAR	1948
REFERENCE No.	1518
MOVEMENT No.	867'363
CASE No.	652'365
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	18k pink gold
CRYSTAL	Glass
CALIBRE	Manual, 13'''
BRACELET/STRAP	18K pink gold heavy bracelet, <i>signed Gay Frères and Patek Philippe</i>
CLASP/BUCKLE	18k pink gold folding clasp
DIMENSIONS	35mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial, movement and bracelet signed, bracelet further signed GF for Gay Freres</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 800,000-1,400,000 \$820,000-1,430,000 €758,000-1,330,000



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ACCESSORIES

Extract from the Archives confirming production of the present watch with rose dial, Arabic numerals and rose gold dots, tachometer scale and bracelet in rose gold in 1948 and its subsequent sale on December 21st, 1948

LITERATURE

A pink on pink reference 1518 however without bracelet is illustrated in Patek Philippe Museum, Patek Philippe Watches - Volume II, page 303



LOT 165

PATEK PHILIPPE

REF. 1518



Reference 1518 was launched in 1941 and was not only Patek Philippe's first wristwatch ever to feature a chronograph and a perpetual calendar, but in fact the world's first ever made in series.

This landmark model is not only a must to any serious collector of vintage wristwatches but also a mission more and more difficult to accomplish given the scarcity of well-preserved examples coming to the market. Literature suggests that in approximate 14 years of the model's production a total of 281 examples have been made. The majority of these were cased in yellow gold and fitted with silvered dials. Examples in pink gold are exceedingly rare.

Examples of reference 1518 cased in rose gold were either fitted with a silvered dial and in rare instances with a rose dial. Some 12 watches with this mythical "pink on pink" dial combination are known today, making it one of the rarest and most exclusive complicated Patek Philippe wristwatch for a collector to acquire. All of these watches known to have survived are in the hands of connoisseurs and it normally takes years until a well preserved example of this limited series comes to the market. It is consequently a true event when a previously unknown example is offered at auction, completely fresh to the market and never been shown or offered publicly before. The present example is such an event as it is one of the very few ultra-watches that the public has never before known about.

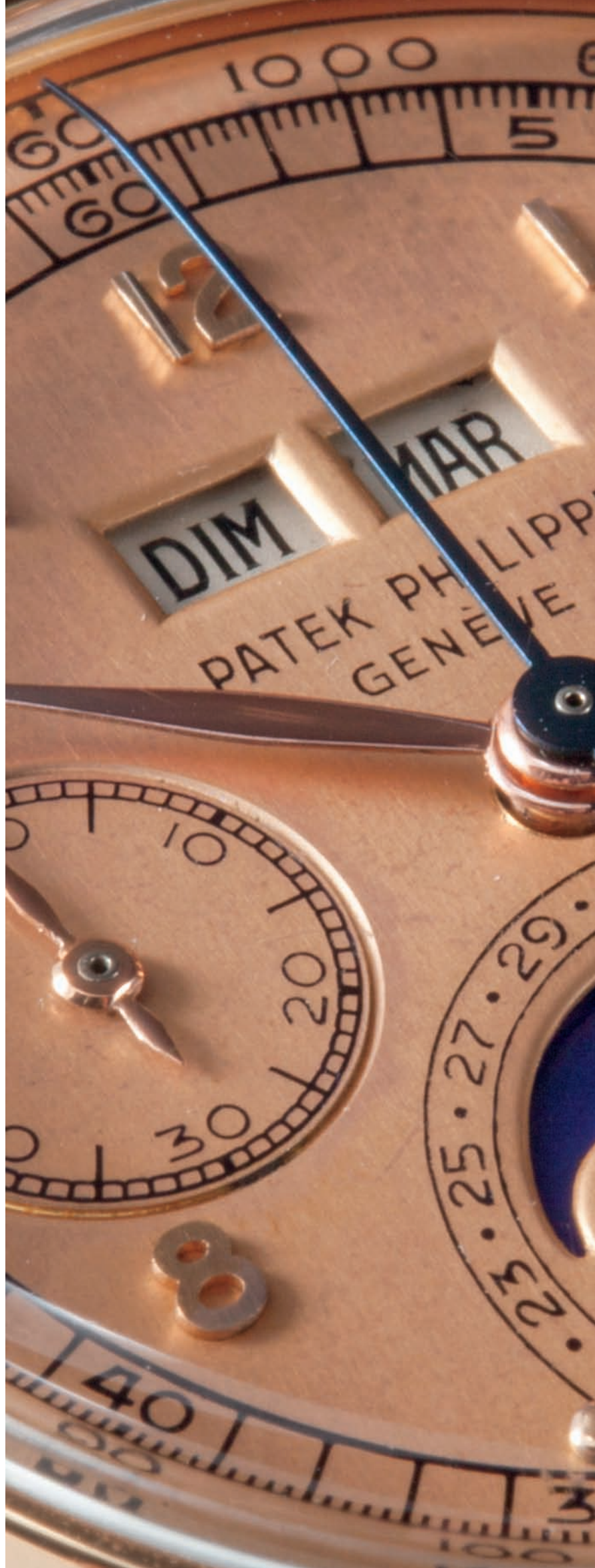
The present example has a flawless and well documented provenance and has, since its manufacture in 1948, only been in the hands of 4 owners.

Until the late 1970s, it was the property of the original owner's family when acquired, via an agent, by Zurich based Harald Schade, one of the world's most important and knowledgeable gentleman dealers of vintage watches at the time. It remained in his personal and private collection until he sold it to a European collector in 1990. Over a decade later, in 2002, Schade was fortunate enough to purchase it again from his client and passed it on to an important US collector who held onto it until this auction.

Throughout his life this "pink on pink" reference 1518 has seen hardly any wear and consequently was never exposed to polishing and repeated servicing. The strong case proportions and in particular the very crisp hallmark on the left case side are proof of this. The dial was never restored and the signature and all the scales are beautifully raised in black hard enamel. Pending the light the dial shines in warm tones of copper and rose and has an attractive patina to the surface lacquer.

The most breath-taking visual element of this watch is however the massive pink gold Gay Frères bracelet, never seen on any reference 1518 before. A substantial 20 mm wide and over 5 mm thick, it is composed of 7 rows of oversized rice grains. The records of Patek Philippe show that the bracelet was charged to the client at the astonishing amount of 1,000 Swiss francs, nearly as much as the watch itself. The archives of Patek Philippe show that this bracelet was a specific order of the original owner, a prominent French businessman.

To an educated and passionate collector of vintage Patek Philippe wristwatches, the present reference 1518 constitutes an opportunity not to be missed. Examples, fresh to the market and as honest and unrestored as the present watch, paired with a flawless and well documented provenance, are becoming exceedingly rare and it may well take years until another one is offered for sale.



LOT 165

PATEK PHILIPPE

REF. 1518

A close-up photograph of a Patek Philippe Chronograph Reference 1518 watch. The watch features a rose gold case and a light-colored dial. The dial is adorned with a large semi-circular scale at the top, ranging from 0 to 600. A moon phase sub-dial is located at the 6 o'clock position, and a moon phase window is visible at the 9 o'clock position. The watch has a fluted crown and a pusher on the right side. The text "LOT 165" is visible in the top left corner, "PATEK PHILIPPE" is in the top right corner, and "REF. 1518" is below the brand name.

A rare stainless steel wristwatch with centre seconds, date and bracelet

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1986
REFERENCE No.	16800
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	9'421'621
MODEL NAME	Submariner
MATERIAL	Stainless steel
CRYSTAL	Sapphire
CALIBRE	Automatic, 3035
BRACELET/STRAP	Stainless steel Rolex Oyster, reference 93150, end links stamped 593
CLASP/BUCKLE	Folding twin lock clasp
DIMENSIONS	40mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed
ESTIMATE	CHF 5,000-8,000 ▼ \$5,100-8,200 €4,700-7,600



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ACCESSORIES
Punched guarantee dated 29th December 1986, fitted presentation box, outer packaging, swing tags and product literature



LOT 166

ROLEX

REF. 16800



Within the constantly evolving Rolex Submariner product line, the reference 16800 is noteworthy for being the first Submariner to be fitted with a sapphire crystal. Requiring a redesigned bezel, the enhancements significantly increased the Submariner's water resistance, rising from a depth rating of 200 meters to 300.

Considered a transitional model, the earliest versions of the 16800 were fitted with matte dials with luminous markers directly applied to the dial, whereas later versions were fitted with glossy dials with luminous, white gold markers.

The present example, perfect for a discerning collector, comes complete with its original boxes, papers, and accessories. It especially stands out thanks to its immaculate dial with markers that have aged to a warm ivory color.

A very rare and unusual wristwatch with centre seconds, bracelet, red depth rating, guarantee, box and swing tags

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1956
REFERENCE No.	6610
MOVEMENT No.	565'747
CASE No.	113'174
MODEL NAME	Explorer
MATERIAL	Stainless steel
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Automatic, 1030
BRACELET/STRAP	Stainless steel, <i>Rolex Oyster</i> , reference 7206, end links stamped 80
CLASP/BUCKLE	Folding deployant clasp, stamped 4.66
DIMENSIONS	36mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed, inside case stamped I.56</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 10,000-15,000 ▼ \$10,200-15,400 €9,500-14,200



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ACCESSORIES

Rolex guarantee dated 25th July 1956, product literature, *Bureaux Suisses de Controle Officiel de la Marche des Montres*, no. 425484 dated 28th December 1955, fitted presentation box and swing tag.

LITERATURE

For an illustrated example of a reference 6610, please see *100 Superlative Rolex Watches* by John Goldberger, page 182



LOT 167

ROLEX

REF. 6610



A superbly rare, highly desirable, and early variant of the iconic Rolex Explorer model, this example's most prominent feature is a coveted depth rating, made even more desirable with its red-colored printing, found above the dial's center.

The galvanized black dial, with gilt lettering and minute track has aged in a consistent and pleasing manner over the course of its nearly 60-year life. It's fitted with its rare and original, elongated gilt hour and minute hands, and gilt seconds hand.

One of the most exciting and complete examples of this reference to appear, the present lot includes its original box, hangtag, guarantee papers, and chronometer certification. In overall excellent condition, it is a trophy for any vintage Rolex sport watch collector.

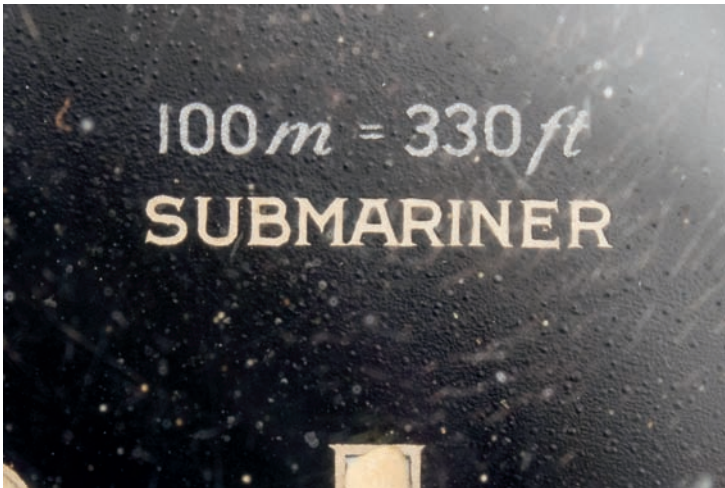
A fine and rare stainless steel wristwatch with centre seconds and bracelet

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1958
REFERENCE No.	5508
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	489'985
MODEL NAME	Submariner
MATERIAL	Stainless steel
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Automatic, 1530
BRACELET/STRAP	Stainless steel Rolex Oyster, reference 7206, end links stamped 58
CLASP/BUCKLE	Folding deployant clasp, stamped 4. 67
DIMENSIONS	38mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed, inside case back stamped III. 1958
ESTIMATE	CHF 15,000-25,000 ▼ \$15,400-25,600 €14,200-23,700



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LITERATURE
A similar example of this reference 5508 is illustrated in *100 Superlative Rolex Watches*, by John Goldberger, page 186



LOT 168

ROLEX

REF. 5508



The reference 5508 with so-called “small crown” was the final Rolex model to be made without crown guards, found on every other Submariner produced afterwards, beginning with the reference 5512.

The reference is also noteworthy for being the last version of the Submariner to have a depth rating of 100 feet.

The present example is fitted with its original and stunning glossy dial, with a combination of gilt printing for the coronet, Rolex, Oyster Perpetual, and Submariner text, and a silver printed depth rating. The dial’s luminous markers match the luminous material found inside the early style hands.

A fine and rare stainless steel chronograph wristwatch with “tropical” registers

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1973
REFERENCE No.	6263, stamped 6265 inside the case back
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	3'590'478
MODEL NAME	Oyster Cosmograph
MATERIAL	Stainless steel
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Manual, 727
BRACELET/STRAP	Leather
CLASP/BUCKLE	Stainless Steel buckle
DIMENSIONS	37mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed
ESTIMATE	CHF 40,000-80,000 ▼ \$41,000-82,000 €37,900-75,800



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LITERATURE
For another reference 6263 with tropical registers, please see *Ultimate Rolex Daytona*, by Pucci Papaleo, pages 380 to 383



LOT 169

ROLEX

REF. 6263



The second generation of 6263 and 6265 have serial numbers between 3 million and approximately 4.3 million, of which the present example is an excellent specimen.

They feature the new steel pushers (referred to as MK2) with the internal Rolex code 24-P301-0 and the new 701 winding crown, recognizable by the 3 small dots underneath the Rolex coronet.

The example here is preserved in very attractive condition and still features a part of the now faded sticker to the case back, a rarity by itself. It enjoys a unique look thanks to its excellent soleil finished dial, wonderfully contrasting with the cappuccino brown subsidiary dials. The luminous dots as well as the luminous material on the hour and minute hand are all complete and intact and have taken a warm uniform beige tone.

A very rare and attractive yellow gold chronograph wristwatch with bracelet

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1945
REFERENCE No.	3525
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	386'541
MODEL NAME	Oyster Chronographe Antimagnetique
MATERIAL	18k yellow gold
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Manual
BRACELET/STRAP	18k gold Rolex Oyster stretch bracelet, end links stamped 57
CLASP/BUCKLE	Folding clasp, stamped 3.57
DIMENSIONS	35mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed
ESTIMATE	CHF 100,000-150,000 ▼ \$102,000-154,000 €94,700-142,000



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LITERATURE

A similar example of reference 3525 in gold is illustrated in *I Cronografi Rolex, La Leggenda*, by Pucci Papaleo, page 185



LOT 170

ROLEX

REF. 3525



The present lot is a stunning example of reference 3525 launched by Rolex in 1939. The model was made in stainless steel, yellow and pink gold as well as steel and gold (yellow and pink).

Made in 1945, it is from the last series of this reference with the engraved reference and serial numbers between the lugs.

The astoundingly crisp and unpolished case and the sharp edges of the lugs render this watch one of the best preserved examples to have appeared at auction in recent years.

Its value to collectors is underlined by the untouched grain finish in between the lugs and the very crisp, probably never touched, serial numbers. The silvered dial is free of any signs of restoration.

The accompanied flexible Rolex Oyster bracelet was purchased by the first owner from the Rolex retailer in Catania, Sicily, in 1957.

A very rare, attractive and unusual pink gold triple calendar wristwatch with moon phases and “Precision” two-tone luminous dial

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1951
REFERENCE No.	8171
MOVEMENT No.	67'806
CASE No.	791'075 and 072
MODEL NAME	‘Padellone’
MATERIAL	18k pink gold
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Automatic <i>Super Balance</i> , 10 1/2’’
BRACELET/STRAP	Leather
CLASP/BUCKLE	18k pink gold buckle
DIMENSIONS	38mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 180,000-280,000 ▼ \$184,000-287,000 €171,000-265,000



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LITERATURE
For an example of a pink reference 8171 without Precision dial, please see
100 Superlative Rolex Watches, by John Goldberger, page 55



LOT 171

ROLEX

REF. 8171



Reference 8171 is one of only two models ever made by Rolex featuring a triple-calendar and phases of the moon.

The other reference, 6062, has an Oyster case while reference 8171 has a snap-on-back case. Thanks to its generous diameter of 38mm, it is one of the largest vintage wristwatches. Cased in either stainless steel or gold, examples in rose gold are particularly rare.

The present “Padellone” (italian for “large pan”) is one of the most beautiful and best preserved pink gold examples seen on the market in recent years. It stands out from the ordinary (is there such a thing?) reference 8171 by a number of qualities, rendering it a premium example. It’s all original and

unrestored condition, with minimal signs of wear, harmonises beautifully with the excellently preserved and untouched graine two-tone dial with applied faceted hour markers and the very rare luminous dots and hands. The “Precision” signature, commonly associated with the steel version (being however all correct on this watch as the movement is not marked “Chronometer” by Rolex) is a rarity by itself for a gold reference 8171. The case back still features the finely engraved coronet and serial number which is nearer to the centre in order to allow sufficient space for the gold marks, a legal requirement for watches originally exported to South America.

Not only one of the most important Rolex models in absolute terms but also a fantastic watch to wear, the “Padellone” has long ago reached its elite position within the community of collectors. Examples of such extraordinary quality and condition even more so.

A very fine and very rare stainless steel wristwatch with bracelet, small logo and Explorer dial

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1954
REFERENCE No.	6200
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	32'085
MODEL NAME	Submariner
MATERIAL	Stainless steel
CRYSTAL	plastic
CALIBRE	Automatic, A296
BRACELET/STRAP	Stainless steel expandable, Rolex Oyster
CLASP/BUCKLE	Folding clasp, stamped 1.66
DIMENSIONS	39mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed
ESTIMATE	CHF 200,000-400,000 ▼ \$205,000-410,000 €189,000-379,000



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LITERATURE
For a reference 6200 with “Explorer dial” please see *100 Superlative Rolex Watches*, by John Goldberger, pages 198 to 199



LOT 172

ROLEX

REF. 6200



Introduced at the 1954 Basel Fair, the Submariner soon became the world's most legendary tool watch and, generations later, is still enjoying immense popularity today.

The present reference 6200 is one of the rarest and most sought after Submariner models ever produced. Launched in 1954 and made in very few examples only, this 6200 is fitted with an original unrestored "Explorer" dial characterised by its 3, 6 and 9 numerals. Furthermore, the signature is much smaller and nicknamed "Small Logo". There is no Submariner designation nor depth rating indicating that this dial is a very early example.

The rarity of the present watch is further enhanced by its original condition, still retaining the bezel without the minute markers, the "mercedes" hands, large "Brevet" crown, and original dial. Few sports watches have such iconic status amongst collectors. The present 6200 is of no exception and will please the most discerning collectors.

A fine and rare stainless steel wristwatch with date, centre seconds, bracelet and gas escape valve, made for COMEX

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1980
REFERENCE No.	1665
MOVEMENT No.	D596'417
CASE No.	6'675'826, repeated inside the case back
MODEL NAME	Sea-Dweller, made for COMEX
MATERIAL	Stainless steel
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Automatic, 1570
BRACELET/STRAP	Stainless steel Rolex Oyster, reference 93150, end links stamped 585
CLASP/BUCKLE	Twin lock folding clasp, stamped 93150
DIMENSIONS	39.5mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed, dial further signed for COMEX, case back stamped with COMEX issue number 2255 and signed Rolex Patent Oyster Gas Escape Valve
ESTIMATE	CHF 60,000-90,000 ▼ \$61,500-92,200 €56,800-85,300



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LITERATURE

A similar example of a reference 1665 made for COMEX is illustrated in 100 Superlative Rolex Watches, by John Goldberger, pages 222 to 223



LOT 173

ROLEX
REF. 1665 COMEX



In the late 1960s, Rolex worked in collaboration with the deep sea diving company Compagnie Maritime d'Expertise, or COMEX, to develop the helium escape valve – and the basis for the Sea-Dweller.

While working inside pressure-controlled diving chambers, the tiny helium atoms of the air mixture that COMEX divers breathed would penetrate the case and get trapped inside, causing their watches to burst upon resurfacing. The helium escape valve was a brilliantly simple solution that allowed the helium to easily escape.

Rolex produced a batch of approximately 300 reference 1665 Sea-Dwellers for COMEX between 1977 to 1981. Their dials featured the COMEX logo printed in black inside a white box. Their casebacks were engraved with a prominent issue number and inside, the full serial number was engraved. The present example includes its original COMEX dial noted by the 600 m depth rating. The dial's luminous hour markers have gracefully aged to a pleasing ivory-colored tone, identically matching the color of the original luminous hands.

A rare white gold extra flat wristwatch with four-tone dial

MANUFACTURER	Audemars Piguet
YEAR	1958
REFERENCE No.	5093
MOVEMENT No.	70'276
CASE No.	12'656
MODEL NAME	"Disco Volante"
MATERIAL	18k white gold
CRYSTAL	Glass
CALIBRE	Manual, 2003
BRACELET/STRAP	Leather
CLASP/BUCKLE	18k white gold buckle
DIMENSIONS	35mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed
ESTIMATE	CHF 5,000-8,000 \$5,100-8,200 €4,700-7,600



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LOT 174

AUDEMARS PIGUET

REF. 5093



Audemars Piguet vintage watches are widely recognized by collectors as rare and remarkable timepieces which stand out by their unique but classic designs, and highly sought-after movements.

The present example features the ultra-thin caliber 2003 with a record breaking thickness of only 1.64 mm. Calibre 2003 was introduced in 1953 as a replacement of 9'''ML.

Another very appealing element of the present watch is its very original and unpolished overall condition; the case shows hardly any sign of wear and still retains very crisp numbers stamped on the back, the engine-turning on the bezel does not show any sign of polishing and is still very sharp.

The highly elegant and sophisticated look renders this watch timeless.

A fine and very rare yellow gold skeletonised and diamond set keyless lever watch and pendant

MANUFACTURER	Audemars Piguet
YEAR	1980
REFERENCE No.	5714 BA
MOVEMENT No.	198'871
CASE No.	
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	18k yellow gold and 14k yellow gold
movement	
CRYSTAL	Sapphire
CALIBRE	Manual, 2003 squelette
BRACELET/STRAP	
CLASP/BUCKLE	
DIMENSIONS	33mm. Diameter and 49mm. including bow
SIGNED	Case signed, pendant with diamond set initials AP
ESTIMATE	CHF 10,000-15,000 \$10,200-15,400 €9,500-14,200

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LOT 175

AUDEMARS PIGUET

REF. 5714 BA



Skeletonising is one of the most difficult tasks even for the most skilled watch makers.

In an example like the present one where the bridges of the movement are made of 14k gold, the smallest error can irreversibly harm the structure of the movement. With its know-how, Audemars Piguet's beautifully demonstrates in this elegant piece how to master all disciplines in the tradition of watch making.

A very fine and rare yellow gold chronograph wristwatch with three registers

MANUFACTURER	Audemars Piguet
YEAR	Made in 1942
REFERENCE No.	
MOVEMENT No.	45'996
CASE No.	45'996
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	18k yellow gold
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Manual, 13''' VZAH
BRACELET/STRAP	Crocodile
CLASP/BUCKLE	14k gold, <i>signed Audemars Piguet</i>
DIMENSIONS	33mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 40,000-60,000 Σ \$41,000-61,500 €37,900-56,800

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LOT 176

AUDEMARS PIGUET



Audemars Piguet vintage chronograph wristwatches are amongst the rarest specimens. One can look through a mountain of auction catalogues to find just one example.

Made in much smaller quantities compared to other highly distinguished manufactures, they stand out by their design, elegant look and refined proportions and today offer true value to discerning collectors.

The present watch is characterised by its very well preserved original condition. The case has become tarnished from oxidation and still retains very crisp case number to the outside of the case back. The dial has aged evenly throughout and gives the watch a very warm feeling. These elements presented together render this vintage chronograph a real collectors watch.

A very rare and elegant yellow gold single button chronograph wristwatch with enamel dial and 30 minute register

MANUFACTURER	Audemars Piguet
YEAR	Manufactured in 1933
REFERENCE No.	
MOVEMENT No.	42'622
CASE No.	42'622
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	18k yellow gold
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Manual, Valjoux VZ 13'''
BRACELET/STRAP	Crocodile
CLASP/BUCKLE	18k yellow gold buckle
DIMENSIONS	33mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Dial signed and case numbered
ESTIMATE	CHF 50,000-100,000 Σ \$51,200-102,000 €47,400-94,700



NOTES

ACCESSORIES
Audemars Piguet presentation case and Certificate of Origin

LITERATURE
The present lot is featured in *I cronografi da Polso* by Paul White, page 12, volume one.



LOT 177

AUDEMARS PIGUET



Audemars Piguet's chronographs from the interwar years remain some of the most sought after watches due to their very high quality and low production numbers during that time.

It is also very rare to find a surviving example of an early single button chronograph wristwatch with an intact enamel dial. Enamel dials, whilst fragile, are not susceptible to the same problems that might blight a metal dial such as water damage and so can still remain crisp and clean in their appearance.

The present watch is presented in exceptional overall condition and is fresh to the market. Another example, very similar to the present watch is published in Audemars Piguet (Brunner, Pfeiffer-Belli, Wehrli), ill a & b, page 239.

A fine and very rare platinum keyless lever open face minute repeating split seconds watch, retailed by Tiffany & Co.

MANUFACTURER	Audemars Piguet
YEAR	Manufactured in 1917
REFERENCE No.	
MOVEMENT No.	20'683
CASE No.	20'683
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	Platinum
CRYSTAL	Glass
CALIBRE	Manual, 18'''SMCRV, Extra quality
BRACELET/STRAP	
CLASP/BUCKLE	
DIMENSIONS	46mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Movement and case signed Audemars Piguet, dial signed Tiffany & Co
ESTIMATE	CHF 30,000-60,000 \$30,700-61,500 €28,400-56,800



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Audemars Piguet were unquestionably at the forefront of watch production, and particularly the production of grand complications from the end of the 19th century.

In 1899 they manufactured a Grande Complication, the first Grande and Petite Sonnerie on three gongs, alarm, deadbeat seconds, chronograph and jumping seconds, perpetual calendar and split seconds masterpiece. Considering the true complexities of the watch, it was kept to a relatively small size.

During the years that followed, only around 1'200 watches were made and assembled in house in the first four years. Business boomed during the 1920's, partly thanks to the endorsement of major houses such as Cartier, Tiffany and Bulgari. Audemars Piguet continued to produce high grade and stylish complicated pocket watches to meet the demands of their glamorous, international clientele.

The present watch is a perfect example of what was fashionable at the time; crisp lines, fine detail and elegance. The watch also features the extremely rare split-seconds chronograph mechanism.

A rare yellow gold hunting cased keyless lever watch, made in commemoration of the 50th Swiss Federal Target Shooting Festival, with original certificate

MANUFACTURER	Patek Philippe
YEAR	1979
REFERENCE No.	898
MOVEMENT No.	932'867
CASE No.	545'572, inside cuvette numbered No. 61
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	18k yellow gold
CRYSTAL	Glass
CALIBRE	Manual, 17-170
BRACELET/STRAP	
CLASP/BUCKLE	
DIMENSIONS	48mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Movement, dial and case signed
ESTIMATE	CHF 8,000-14,000 \$8,200-14,300 €7,600-13,300



NOTES

ACCESSORIES
Original Certificate with Gubelin stamp, product literature and Extract from the Archives confirming production of the present watch with engravings in 1979 and its subsequent sale on January 25th, 1980

LITERATURE
Another example of this reference is illustrated in Patek Philippe Museum, Patek Philippe Watches - Volume II, page 386



LOT 179

PATEK PHILIPPE

REF. 898



Schützenfests once played a significant role in the Old Swiss Confederacy, as they were pivotal in maintaining democracy within the new Swiss federal state. The first Swiss Federal Shooting Festival was held in 1824 and numerous levels of competitions have continued through to today.

This particular watch was made in a limited edition of 100 examples to commemorate the anniversary of the Swiss Federal Target shooting festival in Lucerne, Switzerland, and features the famous story of William Tell shooting the apple embossed in high relief, designed and signed by the celebrated artist Hans Erni.

Hans Erni (February 21, 1909 – March 21, 2015) was a Swiss graphic designer, painter, illustrator, engraver and sculptor. Born in Lucerne, he studied art in France and Berlin, and admired artists such as Pablo Picasso and Georges Braque. He is known for having illustrated postage stamps, his lithographs for the Swiss Red Cross and his participation on the Olympic Committee.

A very fine, historically important and probably unique gold and enamel presentation watch, awarded on the occasion of the Swiss Federal Rifle Championship in 1844 by the Policemen of the Canton of Geneva

MANUFACTURER François & August Meylan
YEAR 1840

REFERENCE No.
MOVEMENT No.
CASE No. 25569
MODEL NAME
MATERIAL 18k yellow gold and enamel
CRYSTAL Glass
CALIBRE Bagnolet
BRACELET/STRAP
CLASP/BUCKLE
DIMENSIONS 43mm. Diameter
SIGNED *Movement signed*

ESTIMATE CHF 28,000-38,000
 \$28,700-38,900
 €26,500-36,000



NOTES

ACCESSORIES
Together with a short 18k yellow gold chain and winding key and with associated tortoiseshell box. Accompanied by *Swiss Historical watches* by Jean L. Martin in 8 volumes and a copy of *Illustrierte Zeitung*, Leipzig, Juli 1844, and copy of a letter of M. Martin stating the uniqueness of the watch





The present presentation watch is possibly the earliest known example of a Swiss Federal Rifle Championship watch. In 1836, the first championship took place in Lausanne and until 1939 each year a watch was awarded to the winner. Later, several watches were given out to the finalists.

According to the inscription on the movement, the watch was offered by the Police Corps of Geneva on the occasion of the 1844 tournament, also commemorating the 400th anniversary of the battle of St. Jakob, shown on

the large rectangular cartouche in the centre of the enamelled case back. Underneath, the names of the commanders fallen during the battle, are listed. At the top, the flags of the cantons part of the Old Swiss Confederacy.

Jean L. Martin, author of 8 volumes dedicated to historic watches and in particular presentation watches of Swiss Rifle Championships, states that he has not seen another example of this type and believes that it is unique.

The Battle of St. Jakob an der Birs was fought between the Old Swiss Confederacy and French (mostly Armagnac) mercenaries, on the banks of the river Birs. The battle took place on 26 August 1444 and was part of the Old Zürich War. The site of the battle was near Münchenstein, Switzerland, just above 1 km outside the city walls of Basel, today within Basel's St-Alban district.

An exceptional and unique yellow gold keyless lever open-face minute repeating perpetual calendar watch with moonphases, black dial and Glucydur balance

MANUFACTURER	Patek Philippe
YEAR	Movement manufactured in 1925, first sold on 13th December 1935 and resold in 1938 when the case was upgraded to the current one
REFERENCE No.	600
MOVEMENT No.	198'004
CASE No.	618'751
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	18k yellow gold
CRYSTAL	Glass
CALIBRE	Manual, 18'''
BRACELET/STRAP	
CLASP/BUCKLE	
DIMENSIONS	48mm Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed Patek Philippe
ESTIMATE	CHF 120,000-180,000 \$123,000-184,000 €114,000-171,000



NOTES

ACCESSORIES
Fitted presentation box signed *Tiffany & Co* New York and *Extract from the Archives* confirming the original date of sale in 1935 and confirming the upgrade of the case in 1938 to the present one.



LOT 181

PATEK PHILIPPE

REF. 600



It is not uncommon that Patek Philippe's most complicated and valuable movements were not immediately cased and sold but sometimes remained with the manufacturer for years. This is the case here as it wasn't until 1935 that this perpetual calendar minute repeating movement was first sold, having been made 10 years earlier.

It is even more fascinating that already 3 years later the watch returned to Patek Philippe and was upgraded with a number of new features: a new reference 600 case in yellow gold, together with a state-of-the-art black dial, very much en vogue in the late 1930s. But also the movement was modernised, receiving a Glucydur balance, invented only a few years earlier. The advantage of this balance lies in the alloy composed of beryllium and copper providing greatest stability for a wider spectrum of temperatures. The screw-less design enjoys furthermore greater aerodynamic efficiency.

Few complicated Patek Philippe pocket watches are known from the pre-war era and the present example, preserved in excellent and all original condition, is an extraordinary collector's watch.

A rare yellow gold wristwatch with date and unusual dial

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1987
REFERENCE No.	16018, stamped 16000 inside the case back
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	R730'059
MODEL NAME	Datejust
MATERIAL	18k yellow gold
CRYSTAL	Sapphire
CALIBRE	Automatic, 3055
BRACELET/STRAP	Leather
CLASP/BUCKLE	Gold plated, <i>signed Rolex</i>
DIMENSIONS	36mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 3,000-5,000 ▼ \$3,100-5,100 €2,800-4,700



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LOT 182

ROLEX

REF. 16018



The present example is a highly unusual watch thanks to its dial finished in a grained silvery surface and especially to its round faceted hour markers and elongated roman numerals.

Preserved in an extraordinary condition, this watch is a wonderful value for those who wish to wear a collector's watch every day.

A fine and rare stainless steel and yellow gold wristwatch with date, retailed by Serpico y Laino

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1962
REFERENCE No.	6105
MOVEMENT No.	52210/H22538
CASE No.	903'654
MODEL NAME	Datejust, "Ovettone"
MATERIAL	Steel and 18k yellow gold
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Automatic, A. 296
BRACELET/STRAP	Leather
CLASP/BUCKLE	Stainless Steel buckle
DIMENSIONS	36mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed
ESTIMATE	CHF 8,000-12,000 ▼ \$8,200-12,300 €7,600-11,400



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LOT 183

ROLEX

REF. 6105



The present reference 6105 is a wonderful example of the Rolex Datejust made in the 1st decade of production.

Delivered and sold through Serpico y Laino, Rolex's retailer in Caracas, Venezuela, it has survived in remarkably crisp and unpolished condition.

The thin reeding on the bezel is crisp and the case back still features the fine S&L Acero (for Serpico y Laino, steel) engraving. The date indication is in red, a typical and popular feature for the 1950's.

Lastly, the dial also displays the depth rating more commonly found on sports watches from this period.

A very fine and rare white gold wristwatch with date and “Tropical” dial

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1963
REFERENCE No.	1601
MOVEMENT No.	52155
CASE No.	926'223
MODEL NAME	Datejust
MATERIAL	18k white gold
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Automatic, 1560
BRACELET/STRAP	Leather
CLASP/BUCKLE	Stainless steel, <i>signed Rolex</i>
DIMENSIONS	36mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 12,000-18,000 ▼ \$12,300-18,400 €11,400-17,100



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LOT 184

ROLEX

REF. 1601



The present reference 1601 is a highly charismatic and rare example of the famous Datejust. Mainly found in steel or yellow gold cases, white gold examples are exceedingly rare.

Manufactured in 1963, the dial has transformed from black to a very warm and appealing brown, which depending on how one holds the watch gives a different impression each time. The silver graphics further enhance its beauty and are a perfect match with the white case colour.

The galvanic finish black dial features at the bottom the SWISS designation. In fact, 1963 was the last year before tritium was introduced for luminous hour markers and hands.

Seemingly a rather plain Rolex Datejust, the present example is in fact quite the opposite. Without exaggeration, thanks to its extremely rare white gold case, stunning black dial and very attractive original condition, it is one of the most collectable examples of this landmark model.

A very rare yellow gold wristwatch with date, centre seconds, bracelet, lapis lazuli dial and guarantee

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1977
REFERENCE No.	16018, stamped 16000 inside the case back
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	5'283'860
MODEL NAME	Datejust
MATERIAL	18k yellow gold
CRYSTAL	Sapphire
CALIBRE	Automatic, 3035
BRACELET/STRAP	18k yellow gold, Rolex Oyster, end links stamped 76
CLASP/BUCKLE	Folding clasp
DIMENSIONS	37mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed
ESTIMATE	CHF 12,000-18,000 ▼ \$12,300-18,400 €11,400-17,100



NOTES

ACCESSORIES
Rolex Guarantee dated 22nd January, 1980



LOT 185

ROLEX

REF. 16018



Reference 16018 was the first Datejust reference available with sapphire crystal. The present example is certainly one of the most exclusive versions as it fitted with the highly sought after lapis lazuli hard stone dial.

Rolex's use of hard stone dials on Day-Date and Datejust models is recognizable by the gold frames used around the apertures on the dial.

In addition to the highly attractive dial, the Oyster bracelet mounted on this model is a rarity by itself and is presented in near mint condition. The case is extremely well-preserved, free of polishing, and the green sticker is still present to the case back.

All of these factors render the present example a true collectors watch and one that both the novice or demanding collector can appreciate together.

A very fine and rare yellow gold wristwatch with date, bracelet and attractive black lacquer dial

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1963
REFERENCE No.	1601
MOVEMENT No.	D48'395
CASE No.	937'768
MODEL NAME	Datejust
MATERIAL	18k yellow gold
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Automatic, 1560
BRACELET/STRAP	18k yellow gold brick link
CLASP/BUCKLE	Folding deployant clasp, stamped 1.62
DIMENSIONS	36mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial, movement and bracelet signed
ESTIMATE	CHF 15,000-25,000 ▼ \$15,400-25,600 €14,200-23,700



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LOT 186

ROLEX

REF. 1601



This most attractive reference 1601 Datejust stands out by two prominent features; the highly attractive galvanic black lacquer dial and the most unusual, original gold bracelet.

Better known on sports models from the 1950's and early 1960's, this type of dial-finish is highly sought after by collectors due to the gilt graphics printed underneath the black lacquer. The dial features the SWISS

designation at the bottom confirming production no later than 1963, the last year before laws changed and tritium was introduced.

The second eye catching quality is the highly unusual bracelet. Stamped 1.62, the bracelet is presented in wonderfully original condition. The case is preserved in excellent condition with crisp gold marks and French import marks stamped to the outside of the case. Also the bracelet features the French import marks, wonderful proof that the bracelet and head have spent all their live together.

Overall, an extraordinary collector's watch in truly original condition, proving that the Datejust is anything but a standard model but actually quite the contrary.

A rare and very attractive pink gold wristwatch with date, pink dial and bracelet

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1953
REFERENCE No.	6305
MOVEMENT No.	H94753
CASE No.	971'887
MODEL NAME	Datejust
MATERIAL	18k pink gold
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Automatic, A.296
BRACELET/STRAP	18k pink gold Rolex Jubilee
CLASP/BUCKLE	Folding deployant clasp, stamped 3. 53
DIMENSIONS	36mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed
ESTIMATE	CHF 15,000-25,000 ▼ \$15,400-25,600 €14,200-23,700



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LOT 187

ROLEX

REF. 6305



At the time of manufacture of the present reference 6305, the Datejust was not yet 10 years old. Nevertheless, it has already progressed a lot in terms of design and has by then found its own personality. This example from 1953 is a superb specimen from the golden years and has a number of qualities appreciated by collectors.

The subtle rose-coloured dial harmonises beautifully with the pink gold case and has substantial faceted spade-shaped hour markers. The date of the month is throughout in red, a typical feature for Rolex wristwatches during the mid-50s. The finely reeded bezel is the correct one for the period as is the jubilee bracelet dated 1953.

Overall in lovely and unrestored condition, one struggles to believe that it is already over 60 years of age as it does not only have a very contemporary look but could equally impress its wearer daily on the wrist.

A very fine are rare stainless steel chronograph wristwatch with bracelet, “Tropical” dial, guarantee, box and swing tags

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1971
REFERENCE No.	6263, stamped 6262 inside the case back
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	2'849'368
MODEL NAME	Oyster Cosmograph
MATERIAL	Stainless steel
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Manual, 727
BRACELET/STRAP	Stainless steel Rolex Oyster, reference 7835, end links stamped 257
CLASP/BUCKLE	Folding deployant clasp, stamped 1.71
DIMENSIONS	37mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed
ESTIMATE	CHF 70,000-100,000 ▼ \$71,700-102,000 €66,300-94,700



NOTES

ACCESSORIES
Guarantee, product literature, additional stainless steel Rolex buckle, fitted presentation box, outer packaging and swing tags



LOT 188

ROLEX

REF. 6263



References 6263 and 6265 were launched in 1969 and succeeded the outgoing 6240, the first Oyster Cosmograph model.

Thanks to the redesigned screw down buttons and crown, these models were now guaranteed water resistant for 50 meters. The first batch, from which the present watch is a premium example, are fitted with the MK1 pushers, easily recognizable thanks to their more fine reeding.

The example here is a real treat to a demanding collector having survived in stunning original condition and still preserving its original certificate, hanging tag, box and other accessories. It was originally sold in the United States and the guarantee is stamped 5.73., showing how humble demand was for these models at the time.

The most evident visual aspect however is the untouched dial which has turned over the last 40 years from black to a strong mocca brown. Preserved in close to perfect overall condition, this Oyster Cosmograph ticks every box for the most demanding collector.

A fine and very rare stainless steel wristwatch with rare honeycomb “Tropical” dial and ‘lightning flash’ hand

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1958
REFERENCE No.	6541
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	412'102
MODEL NAME	Milgauss
MATERIAL	Stainless steel
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Automatic, 1066
BRACELET/STRAP	Stainless steel Rolex Oyster, end links stamped 65
CLASP/BUCKLE	Folding deployant clasp, stamped 2. 55
DIMENSIONS	38mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed, inside case back stamped IV. 1958
ESTIMATE	CHF 150,000-300,000 ▼ \$154,000-307,000 €142,000-284,000



NOTES

LITERATURE
For another example of a reference 6541 with honeycomb dial and “lightning flash” hand, please see *100 Superlative Rolex Watches*, by John Goldberger, pages 224 and 225



LOT 189

ROLEX

REF. 6541



To meet the demands of scientists and engineers working in magnetic environments, in 1954, Rolex launched the Milgauss, reference 6541. Rolex designed a case with a secondary, soft iron cage within that surrounded the caliber 1066M to shield it from magnetic forces of up to 1000 Gauss.

The cases were therefore larger and thicker, making them perfectly sized for today's modern tastes. Due to their highly specialized nature, few were produced, making them exceptionally rare.

The most prominent feature of the reference 6541 Milgauss is its unusual and delightful seconds hand in the shape of a lightning bolt. Other distinguishing features include a rotating bezel with a red-colored triangle and a honeycomb-patterned dial with non-luminous, circular hour markers and faceted, triangular hour markers at 3, 6, and 9 o'clock.

The present example, manufactured in 1958, features a dial that has aged to a beautiful and uniform, so-called 'tropical' brown color, and includes all of its original parts and extremely well preserved case with sharp lines and beveled edges. A superb example of this highly coveted reference.

A rare stainless steel special edition reversible wristwatch with red dial

MANUFACTURER	Jaeger LeCoultre
YEAR	2012
REFERENCE No.	Q278856J
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	2'810'097
MODEL NAME	Grande Reverso Ultra thin 1931 <i>Special Edition Rouge</i>
MATERIAL	Stainless steel
CRYSTAL	Sapphire
CALIBRE	Manual, 822
BRACELET/STRAP	Crocodile strap
CLASP/BUCKLE	Stainless steel buckle, <i>signed Jaeger-LeCoultre</i>
DIMENSIONS	46mm. Length
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 3,000-5,000 Δ Σ • \$3,100-5,100 €2,800-4,700



NOTES

ACCESSORIES
Guarantee Certificate dated 28th June 2012, product literature, fitted presentation box and outer packaging



LOT 190

JAEGER LECOULTRE

NO RESERVE

GRANDE REVERSO ULTRA THIN 1931 SPECIAL EDITION ROUGE



Shortly after its launch in 1931, the already popular Reverso made some interesting changes to its appearance, releasing quite daring colours for the dials.

Bright blue matt finish dials and bright red lacquer dials were introduced and very popular with the exuberant public, eager to enjoy every aspect of the 'Annees Folles' or 'crazy years' in Paris following the economic boom after the First World War.

In 2012 and in tribute to this design, Jaeger-LeCoultre released the 'Grande Reverso 1931 Rouge.' JLC remained fairly faithful to the design and continued to use the red dial, but experimented with a deeper shade of red and added the 'Reverso' text. The size also changed to a larger and slimmer version to accommodate the manually wound calibre 822.

A fine and rare platinum wristwatch with oversized date, power reserve and black dial

MANUFACTURER	A. Lange & Söhne
YEAR	2000
REFERENCE No.	111.032
MOVEMENT No.	8971
CASE No.	118'962
MODEL NAME	Lange 1
MATERIAL	Platinum
CRYSTAL	Sapphire
CALIBRE	Manual, L901.0
BRACELET/STRAP	Crocodile
CLASP/BUCKLE	Platinum, <i>signed A. Lange and Sohne</i>
DIMENSIONS	39mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 10,000-15,000 Σ \$10,200-15,400 €9,500-14,200



NOTES

ACCESSORIES
A. Lange & Söhne presentation box and outer packaging.



LOT 191

A. LANGE & SÖHNE

LANGE 1



A. Lange & Söhne first introduced the Lange 1 model in 1994 and due to the ever growing popularity it is still in production today. To many collectors, the Lange 1 is the most recognizable watch manufactured by the brand and is to Lange what the Calatrava is to Patek Philippe.

Fitted with the oversized date, power reserve and eccentric time display and subsidiary seconds, the reference has been revised over the years and is today manufactured in a slightly larger case than the present example. However, the Lange 1 has retained its identity and remains largely unchanged from the first examples seen some twenty years ago.

The present watch, consigned by a very prominent collector is still in excellent overall condition.

A large white gold perpetual calendar wristwatch with 7 day power reserve and moon phases

MANUFACTURER	IWC
YEAR	2012
REFERENCE No.	5023
MOVEMENT No.	3'419'804
CASE No.	5'057'306
MODEL NAME	Portugieser Perpetual Calendar
MATERIAL	18k white gold
CRYSTAL	Sapphire
CALIBRE	Automatic, 51613
BRACELET/STRAP	Crocodile
CLASP/BUCKLE	18k white gold buckle, <i>signed IWC</i>
DIMENSIONS	44mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 14,000-22,000 Δ Σ \$14,300-22,500 €13,300-20,800



NOTES

ACCESSORIES
IWC guarantee card, instruction manual, service booklet, fitted presentation box and additional date disc for the perpetual calendar



LOT 192

IWC

REF. 5023 PORTUGIESE PERPETUAL CALENDAR



It is exactly this year that IWC's legendary Portugieser celebrates its 75th anniversary. Its birth is the result of a special request by two Portuguese businessmen asking IWC to produce them wristwatches performing at the level of marine chronometers. The only possibility to achieve this task was to use a pocket watch movement, the firm's in-house calibre 74.

The present example, cased in white gold, is the newest version featuring a perpetual calendar. Hardly ever worn by the original owner, it is complete with all accessories delivered when purchased new.

A set of four rare white gold chronograph wristwatches with either mother of pearl or hard stone dials

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	2001 to 2005
REFERENCE No.	116519
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	Yellow; K194'443, Green P155'732, Blue Y402'160, Pink P184'916,
MODEL NAME	Rolex Daytona "Beach"
MATERIAL	18k white gold
CRYSTAL	Sapphire
CALIBRE	Automatic, 4130
BRACELET/STRAP	Crocodile
CLASP/BUCKLE	18k white gold folding deployant clasp
DIMENSIONS	40mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Cases, dials and movements signed
ESTIMATE	CHF 50,000-100,000 ▼ Σ \$51,200-102,000 €47,400-94,700



NOTES

ACCESSORIES
Yellow; Punched guarantee dated December 2005, leather wallet, additional yellow crocodile strap, product literature, yellow presentation box and outer packaging, white paper note pad. Green; Punched guarantee dated 15th February 2001, green leather wallet, product literature, additional green crocodile strap, green presentation box and outer packaging. Pink; Punched guarantee dated 6th May 2002, pink leather wallet, product literature, additional pink crocodile strap, pink presentation box and outer packaging. Blue; Punched guarantee, blue leather wallet, product literature, blue leather wallet with note pad, blue presentation box and outer packaging.



LOT 193

ROLEX

REF. 116519



The Rolex Daytona is not only known as a masculine steel sports watch but also as a colorful fashion statement watch expressing “joie de vivre”.

Cosmographs from the Beach series are fitted with hard stone dials (yellow mother of pearl, green chalcidony, pink mother of pearl and turquoise) and, already today, rare collector's watches.

It is very rare to find a complete set of four and in the present lot, all the watches are in mint condition, evidenced by the excellently preserved green stickers on the back and, are complete with all accessories including original guarantees and presentation boxes.

A rare and impressive yellow gold, diamond, ruby and sapphire wristwatch with bracelet, date and dual time

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	2009
REFERENCE No.	116758
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	M849'844
MODEL NAME	GMT-MASTER II, SARU
MATERIAL	18k yellow gold, diamond, sapphire and ruby
CRYSTAL	Sapphire
CALIBRE	Automatic, 3186
BRACELET/STRAP	18k gold Rolex Oyster with diamonds
CLASP/BUCKLE	18k yellow gold folding deployant clasp
DIMENSIONS	41mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed
ESTIMATE	CHF 50,000-80,000 ▼ \$51,200-82,000 €47,400-75,800



NOTES

ACCESSORIES
Rolex guarantee card dated 28th October, 2013



LOT 194

ROLEX

REF. 116758



Precious-stone set sport's watches are amongst the rarest species of Rolex and they are made in very small series only.

Remaining the ultimate niche product and compared with the substantial production run of all Rolex sports watches, jewelled set references are today considered the rarest trophies for the demanding collector.

The present watch, SARU, referring to the sapphire and ruby setting, is distinguished by its diamond, sapphire and ruby-set bezel, a tribute to the blue and red coloured bakelite bezel of the first GMT Master model launched in 1956. Furthermore, the dial, the lugs and the central links of the bracelet are all set with pave diamonds.

Rarely a sports watch has been dressed up so effectively as this GMT-Master in the present version and it can be considered as treasure in today's market.

A very fine and rare stainless steel chronograph wristwatch with original box

MANUFACTURER	Heuer
YEAR	1969
REFERENCE No.	1133
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	161'022
MODEL NAME	Monaco
MATERIAL	Stainless steel
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	11
BRACELET/STRAP	Perforated Heuer blue leather
CLASP/BUCKLE	Stainless steel buckle, <i>signed, Heuer</i>
DIMENSIONS	40mm. Width
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed, case back still retaining original factory sticker</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 6,000-8,000 \$6,100-8,200 €5,700-7,600



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ACCESSORIES
Heuer fitted presentation box



LOT 195

HEUER

REF. 1133 MONACO



The Heuer Monaco reference 1133 was one of the first self-winding chronograph wristwatches ever produced. In fact, its launch in 1969 coincided with the presentation of Zenith's "El Primero" and scholars from both camps still debate today which of the two really deserves the title of the first self-winding chronograph ever made.

But this is not the right place for this discussion.

The present example of Heuer's legendary chronograph is preserved in absolutely mint condition, still retaining the original Heuer sticker on the case back. It also comes with its original presentation box, typical pierced leather bracelet and period steel Heuer buckle.

Since the re-launch of the Monaco on the occasion of the 40th anniversary, the original Monaco has gained again huge popularity. However, no re-edition can ever meet the original, especially when (still today) it is so conservatively valued as the present "eleven-thirty three".

A fine and rare stainless steel anti-magnetic wristwatch with centre seconds, date and bracelet

MANUFACTURER	IWC
YEAR	1971
REFERENCE No.	866
MOVEMENT No.	2'037'843
CASE No.	2'011'971
MODEL NAME	Ingenieur
MATERIAL	Stainless steel
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Automatic, 8541B
BRACELET/STRAP	Stainless steel link bracelet
CLASP/BUCKLE	Stainless steel folding clasp
DIMENSIONS	38mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Movement, case, bracelet and dial signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 6,000-9,000 \$6,100-9,200 €5,700-8,500



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LOT 196

IWC

REF. 866 INGENIEUR



The celebrated Ingenieur model was developed by Albert Pellaton, IWC's technical director responsible for the creation of the firm's first automatic movement.

The present example, from the reference series 866, was manufactured in 1971 and is powered by the firm's in-house caliber 8541B.

Reference 866 was introduced in 1967 and received several upgrades from its predecessor, most notably the larger diameter, the larger date indication and the presence of the hack feature.

The present Ingenieur is also mounting the typical sunburst silver dial with applied IWC typical of that period. Considered one of the earliest "tool" watches, the Ingenieur model enjoys cult status amongst collectors thanks to its distinctive and timeless design.

A very rare and unusual stainless steel antimagnetic divers wristwatch with centre seconds, wide bezel and certificate

MANUFACTURER	Blancpain
YEAR	1954
REFERENCE No.	
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	3'500
MODEL NAME	Aqua-Lung
MATERIAL	Stainless steel
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Automatic, <i>MilSpec</i> R570
BRACELET/STRAP	Nato
CLASP/BUCKLE	Stainless steel buckle
DIMENSIONS	41mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 20,000-30,000 \$20,500-30,700 €18,900-28,400



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PROVENANCE
Property from a Distinguished Gentleman

ACCESSORIES
Certificate confirming that the present watch was selected by Marc A. Hayek personally to take part in the Fifty Fathoms exhibition held in conjunction with the celebration of Blancpain's 275th anniversary. Further accompanied by exerts from the exhibition and service receipts where the watch was serviced at Blancpain for 5,000 Sfr.



LOT 197

BLANCPAIN

AQUA-LUNG



When Commander Maloubier and Lieutenant Riffand of the French navy struggled to find a watch that met the exacting, technical and rigorous standards, demanded at their Ecole des nageurs de combat (Combat Diving School), they commissioned Blancpain with the task of meeting these specifications.

The watch developed was the "Fifty Fathoms", which was named after the greatest depth that a combat diver was allegedly able to withstand at the time. The watch combines various elements such as the anti-magnetic and water-resistant case, a screw-on case back, the 'double O-ring crown system', an automatic movement and the unidirectional rotating bezel.

The "Fifty Fathoms" quickly became well established as an essential piece of diving equipment for the military. A further development of this model, a more civilian version, followed soon after. When the famous diver Jacques Cousteau had launched his own line of diving equipment, in particular the scuba air regulator named Aqualung, a series of Blancpain's celebrated diver's watches were made bearing the same name. The present example, one of the very rare "Aqua-Lung" version, has been selected by Marc A. Hayek to participate in a themed exhibition in 2011, dedicated to the Fifty Fathoms.

A very fine, rare and large stainless steel wristwatch with flyback chronograph

MANUFACTURER	Longines
YEAR	1940
REFERENCE No.	
MOVEMENT No.	5'827'453
CASE No.	23'297
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	Stainless steel
CRYSTAL	Glass
CALIBRE	Manual, 13ZN
BRACELET/STRAP	Leather
CLASP/BUCKLE	Stainless steel buckle
DIMENSIONS	39.5mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed
ESTIMATE	CHF 10,000-15,000 Δ
	\$10,200-15,400
	€9,500-14,200



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ACCESSORIES
Accompanied by Longines Extract from the Archives



LOT 198

LONGINES



To many chronograph scholars and historians, Longines' calibre 13ZN is one of the most beautiful chronograph movements ever built by any manufacturer.

The present reference 23297 dates from 1940 and has been sold to Casa Welch, a famous retailer in Lima, Peru. This model is not only impressing with its large diameter but also with its refined case design featuring polished and satin finished elements.

It is rare to find vintage wristwatches of $\frac{3}{4}$ century of age, offering such immense value when worn daily but also of such timeless design.

A fine and very rare yellow wristwatch with cloisonné dial

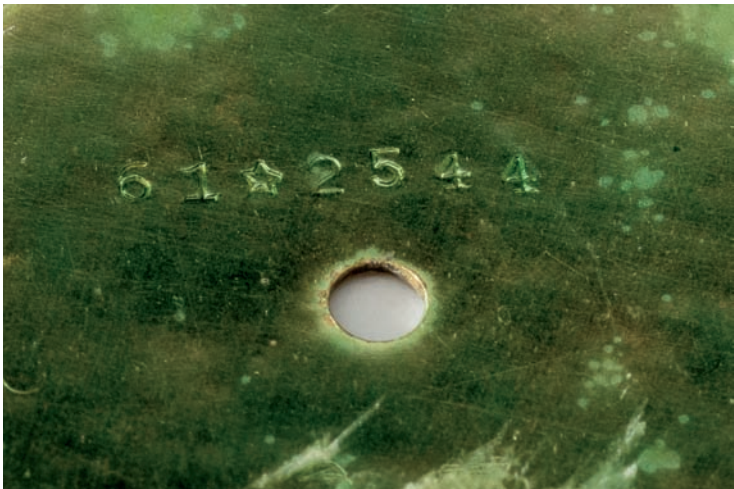
MANUFACTURER	IWC
YEAR	1950
REFERENCE No.	
MOVEMENT No.	1'235'828
CASE No.	1'256'483
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	18k yellow gold
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Automatic, 85
BRACELET/STRAP	Crocodile
CLASP/BUCKLE	18k yellow gold buckle
DIMENSIONS	34mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Movement, dial, case signed
ESTIMATE	CHF 15,000-25,000 Σ \$15,400-25,600 €14,200-23,700



NOTES

ACCESSORIES
With IWC receipt and pouch

LITERATURE:
For an IWC wristwatch from the 1950s with similar cloisonné enamel dial see Ore d'Oro 2 by J. Barracca, G. Negretti, F. Nencini, p. 161



N° des Commandes	EMAILLAGE		DORAGE	
	Remis	Rendu	Remis	Rendu
1. W. e. 72541	1 doit. # 26 Oiseau fantaisie 13 laph.	1 de Rock 75.-	75	160.-
1. W. e. 72544	1 doit. # 25 fleur stylis. 13 laph.	1 de Rock 72.-	72	155.-
" 72553				



Vintage wristwatches with cloisonné enamel dials are not just wristwatches. They are considered amongst collectors true works of art.

Stern Créations has been the best known and most skilled manufacturer of cloisonné enamel dials during the golden era, considered the period spanning from the 1940s to 1960s. Switzerland's most prestigious watch manufacturers were supplied with enamel dials from Stern, including Patek Philippe, Rolex, Vacheron Constantin and IWC, just to name a few. The most beautiful dials were finished by Mrs Marguerite Koch, master enameller working for Stern.

Thankfully, the Stern records still exist today, allowing us to identify individual dials. The present example, numbered on the back-plate "61*2544", is listed in the Stern records as having been made for IWC as "fleurs stylisées" (stylized flowers). Interestingly, it is also mentioned that the dial features 13 gold hour markers, at first sight rather unexplainable. Closer examination however reveals that at the 12 o'clock position there are 2 faceted baton markers mounted, very close next to each other. The present watch is also fitted with IWC's in-house calibre 85, the first automatic movement made by the firm in series. This movement was only in production in 1950 and 1951.

Without a doubt, this IWC is one of the most beautiful and valuable vintage wristwatches by the venerable manufacture to appear on the market in years.

A rare and attractive yellow gold wristwatch with centre seconds and two tone dial

MANUFACTURER	Vacheron Constantin
YEAR	1957
REFERENCE No.	6038
MOVEMENT No.	528'226
CASE No.	360'716
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	18k yellow gold
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Automatic, P1019/1
BRACELET/STRAP	Leather
CLASP/BUCKLE	18k yellow gold, <i>signed Vacheron Constantin</i>
DIMENSIONS	35mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 6,000-8,000 \$6,100-8,200 €5,700-7,600



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ACCESSORIES
Accompanied by *Vacheron Constantin Extract* from the Archives



LOT 200

VACHERON CONSTANTIN

REF. 6038



The present reference 6038 in yellow gold is one of the most attractive examples of this timeless classic of the late 1950s. It is powered by the firm's calibre P1019-1, stamped twice with the seal of Geneva.

The well preserved case of masculine proportion is fitted with a screw back and enjoys popularity thanks to its diameter over 35 mm.

The absolutely most striking element of this watch is however the dial. Its surface is finished in two-tones of off white and the minute marks outside are engraved beads. The applied hour markers are either faceted baton or (at 12, 3, 6 and 9) faceted roman numerals.

The most remarkable and unusual feature are the gold applied stars positioned outside the roman numerals. The dial, a work of art, is in beautiful original condition.

A fine and very rare pink gold triple calendar wristwatch with phases of the moon, original box and certificate

MANUFACTURER	Vacheron & Constantin
YEAR	1948
REFERENCE No.	4240L
MOVEMENT No.	463'961
CASE No.	308'335
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	18k pink gold
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Manual, V495
BRACELET/STRAP	Leather
CLASP/BUCKLE	
DIMENSIONS	35mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Movement, case and dial signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 15,000-20,000 \$15,400-20,500 €14,200-18,900



NOTES

ACCESSORIES
Vacheron Constantin fitted presentation box and undated guarantee together with a Vacheron Constantin Extract from the Archives



LOT 201

VACHERON CONSTANTIN

REF. 4240L



Vacheron Constantin's reference 4240 is one of the few vintage wristwatch designs by the firm featuring a triple calendar function. To date, examples cased in yellow gold and pink gold are known among scholars, with the vast majority of the latter having been sold in the South American market.

The present example, made in 1948, is probably no exception featuring not only the warm rose gold case colour but also the calendar discs for the day of the week and month in Spanish.

The multi-toned dial is absolutely unrestored and displays a fascinating patina with tones of honey and copper. Vintage wristwatches, where stunning looks and a very high degree of refined engineering meet at such high level, as with the present watch, are true works of art.

A fine and rare yellow gold wristwatch with centre seconds, champagne dial, date and original certificate

MANUFACTURER	Vacheron & Constantin
YEAR	1973
REFERENCE No.	6440Q
MOVEMENT No.	643'911
CASE No.	443'711
MODEL NAME	"Cioccolatone"
MATERIAL	18k yellow gold
CRYSTAL	Glass
CALIBRE	Automatic, 1072/1
BRACELET/STRAP	Crocodile
CLASP/BUCKLE	18k yellow gold buckle
DIMENSIONS	44mm. Length; 35mm. Width
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed
ESTIMATE	CHF 20,000-30,000 Σ \$20,500-30,700 €18,900-28,400



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ACCESSORIES
Undated Vacheron Constantin Certificate of Origin, also accompanied by Vacheron Constantin Extract from the Archives



LOT 202

VACHERON CONSTANTIN

REF. 6440Q



The present watch is a superb example of the celebrated “Cioccolatone” model by Vacheron Constantin. Originally introduced into the market in the 1950s, it was a very innovative design considering the time of its launch.

There are several “Cioccolatone” models, the majority of them cased in yellow gold, including a manual wind, an automatic, a version with date only, and of course the famous triple date calendar. The time only and triple date versions were reissued by Vacheron Constantin later under the name Toledo 1952, though only the triple date is still in production.

The present watch, manufactured in 1970 and housing the 1072/1 automatic movement, is in excellent condition, still retaining its original certificate and strap. The untouched and original champagne coloured dial is enhancing the beauty and rarity of this wonderful vintage wristwatch.

A rare and very attractive pink gold chronograph wristwatch with pink two tone dial

MANUFACTURER	Vacheron & Constantin
YEAR	1942
REFERENCE No.	4178
MOVEMENT No.	431'316
CASE No.	271'245
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	18k pink gold
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Manual, 434
BRACELET/STRAP	Reptile
CLASP/BUCKLE	18k gold, <i>signed Vacheron Constantin</i>
DIMENSIONS	36mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 50,000-100,000 Σ \$51,200-102,000 €47,400-94,700



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ACCESSORIES
Accompanied by Vacheron Constantin Extract from the Archives



LOT 203

VACHERON CONSTANTIN

REF. 4178



Vacheron Constantin's reference 4178 is most likely the firm's best known chronograph design. Introduced in the early 1940s it was available in stainless steel, yellow gold, pink gold and stainless steel and gold.

The present example, cased in rose gold and from 1942, is one of the most beautiful and best preserved specimen of this model to appear on the market in years.

All components are in virtually mint condition and appear to feature the correct factory finish. The movement seems to have seen only one service since new and is in excellent condition. The case, in our view never polished, displays the full beauty this reference has when preserved in its factory finish.

The dial is a work of art and captures the attention thanks to its contrasted two-tone colour theme in shiny and matte shades of champagne. The large Arabic numerals enhance the looks and harmonise very well with the rose gold and blue steel hands.

A very rare and attractive stainless steel wristwatch with roulette three-tone dial, unusual angular lugs and Gay Frères bracelet

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1937
REFERENCE No.	2831
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	26'768
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	Stainless steel
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Manual
BRACELET/STRAP	Stainless steel expandable <i>Gay Frères</i> bracelet
CLASP/BUCKLE	Folding deployant clasp stamped 3.53
DIMENSIONS	32mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 10,000-15,000 ▼ \$10,200-15,400 €9,500-14,200



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LOT 204

ROLEX

REF. 2831



Manufactured in 1937, this rare Rolex ref. 2831 is distinguished by an unusual, exceptionally attractive, and superbly crafted three-tone roulette-style dial, with subsidiary seconds at 6 o'clock.

The outermost ring of the dial is silver, matching the silver colour in the centre of the dial. Laying just inside, two coloured rings are found – a champagne-coloured closed railroad-type minute track with inlaid enamel, surrounding a mirror-finished, copper ring with enamel five minute divisions. Inlaid enamel Arabic hour markers are found at 3, 9, and 12 o'clock.

Its stainless steel case, measuring 32 mm in diameter, features spectacular, multi-faceted angular lugs that further enhance the appeal of this timepiece. It is fitted with a later, riveted Oyster-style bracelet manufactured by Gay Frères.

THE ROLEX BUBBLEBACK OR OVETTO

LOTS 205-209


In the beginning, Hans Wilsdorf and Alfred Davis founded the company known as “Wilsdorf and Davis” in 1905. This endeavor, of course, was to become “Rolex”. In fact, Mr. Wilsdorf officially registered his company in Geneva on November 15, 1915. However, it was not until 1919-20 that he decided to change the name of the company to “Rolex”. The rest, as they say, is history.

ROLEX

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WINDS ITSELF



The manufacturer's earliest successes came in the 1920s. The Rolex Prince and the first Oyster watches became popularized at this time. These two references established the company as an important maker with many more successful models to come. Although there were automatic wristwatches produced by such companies as Wig Wag and Harwood (amongst others), Rolex improved upon this mechanism in 1931.

It was then that Mr. Wilsdorf successfully manufactured the first, fully rotating automatic movement with winding rotor that turned 360 degrees upon a centrally located pivot or staff.

This mechanism, born from an Aegler-based movement, was far more consistent and reliable than its predecessors. In 1932, Rolex patented its first automatic movement, and by 1933, they were producing the first automatic waterproof wristwatch.

In this form, the "Bubbleback" was descriptively named for its bubbleshaped case back. This allowed for the centrally pivoted weight to rotate without obstruction. Coupled with a hermetically-sealed case, this efficient and accurate timepiece was to become a huge success. It would be produced in prolific numbers from the early 1930s well into the 1950s. Also nicknamed "Ovetto", or little egg in Italian, this iconic timepiece was to enjoy many variations which would revolutionize the world of horology in terms of both function and style. There were many references that were developed to house Rolex's NA, PA and RA movements. Throughout the decades, the designers at Rolex exploited their brilliance with the presentation of countless beautiful, original, and diverse dial and case forms - each more beautiful than the next.

In the following five lots you will see a microscopic glimpse into the aesthetically dynamic world of the Rolex Bubbleback. These are but a few examples of the many references that are known as Bubbleback; each varies in case form, dial design, and precious metal composition.





A very rare and attractive stainless steel and pink gold wristwatch with pink California dial, bracelet, riveted hooded lugs and original box

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1940
REFERENCE No.	3595
MOVEMENT No.	N 16'929
CASE No.	46'079
MODEL NAME	Oyster Perpetual "Bubbleback"
MATERIAL	Stainless steel and pink gold
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Automatic, 9 3/4'''
BRACELET/STRAP	Stainless steel and pink gold
CLASP/BUCKLE	Stainless steel folding deployant clasp
DIMENSIONS	32mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed
ESTIMATE	CHF 20,000-40,000 ▼ \$20,800-41,500 €19,100-38,200



NOTES

ACCESSORIES
Fitted presentation box signed Rolex, The World's Most Accurate Wristwatch, The Highest Honours Ever Awarded by London Paris and Geneva Observatories



LOT 205

ROLEX

REF. 3595



Reference 3595 belongs to the family of hooded Bubblebacks, the hood being decorated with horizontal stripes. Thanks to the ribbed hood, it has a more substantial appearance.

This model was only offered in stainless steel and gold, the hood could however be either in yellow or pink gold. On the present example, both the bezel and hoods are in pink gold, superbly harmonising with the rose coloured "California-dial". The latter features the typical Roman numerals on the upper half of the dial and Arabic numerals on the lower. The original Mercedes-style hands are also luminous as the numerals.

The result of this combination is very appealing and gives an excellent idea of the how Bubblebacks from the late 1930's and early 1940's were anything but classic and monotone but quite the opposite. Examples using pink gold and rose coloured dials were often reserved for the South American market.

The lovely "Bamboo-style" Rolex bracelet is further enhancing the overall looks of this classy and lavish hooded Bubblebacks. Despite its smaller diameter (compared to many post-war Rolex wristwatches), it has the presence and attractiveness at a level usually reserved for larger and more costly collector's watches. A savvy collector will certainly appreciate this fine example.

A very rare and attractive stainless steel and pink gold wristwatch with bracelet, two-tone dial and original box, retailed by Mappin & Webb

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1945
REFERENCE No.	3372
MOVEMENT No.	93'882
CASE No.	301'684
MODEL NAME	Oyster Perpetual "Bubbleback"
MATERIAL	Stainless steel and pink gold
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Automatic, <i>Super Balance</i> , 9 3/4'''
BRACELET/STRAP	Stainless steel and pink gold
CLASP/BUCKLE	Folding deployant clasp
DIMENSIONS	33mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed
ESTIMATE	CHF 12,000-18,000 ▼ \$12,500-18,700 €11,500-17,200



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ACCESSORIES
Fitted presentation box signed Rolex, *The World's Most Accurate Wristwatch, The Highest Honours Ever Awarded by London Paris and Geneva Observatories*



LOT 206

ROLEX

REF. 3372



Each Bubbleback is different; some stand out in case design, others with an unusual dial. Then there are those standing out by the condition. And then there are those who impress by all the these criteria. The present example, a reference 3372, is such a Bubbleback.

The stainless steel and rose gold case is characterised by its reeded bezel, highlighted by chased hour markers and finely engraved concentric circles. This bezel decoration suffers quickly when polished and the present examples displays the original finish to the best extend.

The dial is highly unusual as it has not only all black Arabic numerals (such dials are also called “Telephone dials”) but displays a lovely two-tone rose colour scheme. Most multi-tone dials have concentric circles of different shades, but the present one has one of the rarest two-tones colour schemes with the dial being divided into 4 segments. Some scholars refer to them as “bow-tie dials”, others as “Papillon” (french for butterfly).

The correct “Bamboo-style” bracelet is also made with stainless steel and pink gold and is signed Rolex completing this excellent watch beautifully. In terms of rarity and originality this Bubbleback can hardly be matched, but the greatest virtue to collectors is its great level or pleasure it can provide on one’s wrist.

A very rare and attractive stainless steel wristwatch with rice grain bracelet, sector dial and original box

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1938
REFERENCE No.	3135
MOVEMENT No.	99'669
CASE No.	115'200
MODEL NAME	Oyster Perpetual "Bubbleback"
MATERIAL	Stainless steel
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Automatic, <i>Super Oyster</i> , 9 3/4'''
BRACELET/STRAP	Stainless steel, Rolex rice grain
CLASP/BUCKLE	Folding deployant clasp, stamped 4. 51
DIMENSIONS	33mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed
ESTIMATE	CHF 25,000-50,000 ▼ \$26,000-51,900 €23,900-47,700



NOTES

ACCESSORIES
Fitted presentation box signed Rolex, *The World's Most Accurate Wristwatch, The Highest Honours Ever Awarded by London Paris and Geneva Observatories*



LOT 207

ROLEX

REF. 3135



The present stainless steel reference 3135 is, without exaggeration, one of the most beautiful, rarest and best preserved examples to come to the market in years.

The multi-tone silvered sector dial is one of the rarest versions for bubblebacks and is a very typical design, used by many distinguished manufactures, between the late 1930's and early 1940's. As a scholar would expect, the correct hands to match this dial design are of blued steel.

The case is in virtually perfect condition and shows no polishing whatsoever. In fact, the diamond polished bezel has retained its perfect mirror finish. The crystal, now with crazing, also appears to be the original one. To round up and complete this perfect example, a beautiful Rolex stainless steel grain de riz (rice grain) bracelet is mounted on the watch.

Bubblebacks uniting so many highly attractive and rare elements, like the present one, are much rarer than many Rolex sports watches from the second half of the twentieth century. In our view, they are until now undervalued treasures and avid collectors should not wait too long.

A very fine and rare pink gold wristwatch with centre seconds, 24 hour two tone dial, rice grain bracelet and original box

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1945
REFERENCE No.	3372
MOVEMENT No.	3564
CASE No.	387'604
MODEL NAME	Oyster Perpetual, "Bubbleback"
MATERIAL	18k pink gold
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Automatic, 9 3/4'''
BRACELET/STRAP	18k pink gold Rolex rice grain
CLASP/BUCKLE	18k pink gold folding concealed clasp
DIMENSIONS	33mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed
ESTIMATE	CHF 15,000-25,000 ▼ \$15,400-25,600 €14,200-23,700



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ACCESSORIES
Fitted presentation box signed Rolex, The World's Most Accurate Wristwatch, The Highest Honours Ever Awarded by London Paris and Geneva Observatories, Solid Gold



LOT 208

ROLEX

REF. 3372



The Rolex Bubbleback reference 3372 is easily recognisable by the chased and engraved bezel, featuring baton and dot hour markers. Examples of this model in 18 carat pink gold are by far the rarest and most valuable.

When fitted with a perfectly original two-tone rose 24-hours dial, it becomes a true work of art.

In fact, this rose two-tone dial is a perfect match for the rose gold case and has prominently large luminous arabic numerals. The inner circle features the hours for pm, ranging from 13 to 24. The case is in excellent original condition, quite possibly never polished, and the individual serial number is as crisp and legible as when the watch was finished.

To further enhanced its collectibility and value, a wonderful Rolex 7-row *grain de riz* (rice grain) bracelet is mounted on this Bubbleback. The result of this combination is extraordinarily elegant and one that an avid connoisseur should not miss.

A very rare and attractive stainless steel and pink gold wristwatch with centre seconds, rice grain bracelet, black lacquer California dial, hooded lugs and original box

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1939
REFERENCE No.	3536
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	44'645
MODEL NAME	Oyster Perpetual. "Bubbleback"
MATERIAL	Stainless steel and pink gold
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Automatic, 9 3/4'''
BRACELET/STRAP	Stainless steel and pink gold Rolex rice grain
CLASP/BUCKLE	Stainless steel folding deployant clasp
DIMENSIONS	32mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed
ESTIMATE	CHF 20,000-40,000 ▼ \$20,500-41,000 €18,900-37,900



NOTES

ACCESSORIES
Fitted presentation box signed Rolex, The World's Most Accurate Wristwatch, The Highest Honours Ever Awarded by London Paris and Geneva Observatories



LOT 209

ROLEX

REF. 3536



The Bubbleback reference 3536 is quite an extraordinary model as it is more similar to a Rolex Athlete than the regular Bubbleback.

Made either in stainless steel or stainless steel and gold, it features a rounded hood in between the lugs. Any version of this reference is a very rare appearance at international auctions and examples of such high quality fitted with an incredibly rare dial are only seen on the market a few times per decade.

The present example is an exceedingly rare two-tone version, with the case in steel and the hoods in pink gold. The black lacker “California-dial” features luminous roman and arabic numerals, perfectly matching with the correct Mercedes-style hands. The outer railway track as well as the writing on the dial are in a subtle tone of copper, intentionally made to match the pink gold colour of the hoods.

With a wonderful and all correct seven-row steel and pink gold grain de riz (rice grain) bracelet, signed Rolex, the looks of this Bubbleback can only be described as eye catching, exclusive and irresistible.

A very rare and very attractive platinum rectangular doctor's wristwatch with flared sides and two-tone dial

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1935
REFERENCE No.	971
MOVEMENT No.	1'134
CASE No.	6047
MODEL NAME	Prince
MATERIAL	Platinum
CRYSTAL	Glass
CALIBRE	Manual
BRACELET/STRAP	Ostrich
CLASP/BUCKLE	Stainless steel buckle, <i>signed Rolex</i>
DIMENSIONS	26mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 40,000-60,000 ▼ Σ \$41,000-61,500 €37,900-56,800



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LOT 210

ROLEX

REF. 971



The present Prince in platinum is an exceedingly rare and most attractive example of Rolex's celebrated reference 971 series, one of the brand's key models of the Art Deco period.

Clearly a product of the 1920s, the elegant design of the Prince was considered a symbol of luxury within the Depression-era clientele and was promoted as "the watch for men of distinction". The dial is divided into an upper half, showing the hours and minutes and the lower half, leaving a prominent place for the constant seconds. The clearly legible seconds made the Prince a first choice for doctors, hence its designation "doctor's watch".

While the Prince is housing a chronometer movement of the highest quality, it became obsolete with the ever-growing success of the automatic ("Perpetual") and water-resistant ("Oyster") models.

The Prince Brancard, as the present model is also known amongst collectors, has the elaborate case with flared sides. Platinum versions, as the present one, are by far the rarest and most coveted trophies amongst collectors, particularly when preserved in such outstanding original overall condition.

A very fine and rare stainless steel triple calendar chronograph wristwatch with bracelet, two tone dial and guarantee

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1958
REFERENCE No.	6236
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	384'210
MODEL NAME	Oyster Chronograph Anti-Magnetique, 'Jean-Claude Killy'
MATERIAL	Stainless steel
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Manual, 72C
BRACELET/STRAP	Stainless steel Rolex Oyster expandable, end links stamped 57
CLASP/BUCKLE	Folding deployant clasp, stamped 4.64
DIMENSIONS	36mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed
ESTIMATE	CHF 150,000-250,000 ▼ \$154,000-256,000 €142,000-237,000



NOTES

ACCESSORIES
Rolex undated guarantee

LITERATURE
Reference 6236 in stainless steel is illustrated in *100 Superlative Rolex Watches*, by John Goldberger, pages 156 to 157.



LOT 211

ROLEX

REF. 6236



There is only one Rolex Oyster model with full calendar and chronograph: The “Dato-Compax” (not an official name) or the “Killy” - even less official.

The latter name stems from the triple-Olympic ski champion who has been wearing such a model for many years. Its production lasted approximately 20 years, from the mid-1940's to the mid-1960's, and four references were made: 4767, 5036, 6036 and 6236.

The present “Killy”, a fourth series or reference 6236, has never been offered at auction before. It is not only in excellent condition but also, thanks to its decades long private ownership, a most original example, free of restoration.

Purchased in the south of Italy in 1958, the watch features the original calendar discs in Italian. The original certificate, regrettably never filled in and stamped, is also present. The dial has taken on a lovely, eggshell coloured patina. The dial is a rare variant featuring the 1 at the 12 o'clock position, where as most Dato-Compax” models feature the 31st of the month at the top of the dial.

A very rare stainless steel wristwatch with centre seconds, hack feature and military markings, made for the British Royal Navy

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1975
REFERENCE No.	5513
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	3926992, repeated inside the case back
MODEL NAME	Submariner
MATERIAL	Stainless steel
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Automatic, 1520
BRACELET/STRAP	NATO
CLASP/BUCKLE	Steel unsigned
DIMENSIONS	40mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed, inside case back stamped l. 72, outer case back stamped with military issue numbers 0552/923-7697 and unit number 425/75
ESTIMATE	CHF 70,000-120,000 ▼ \$71,700-123,000 €66,300-114,000



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ACCESSORIES
Rolex fitted presentation box



LOT 212

ROLEX

REF. 5513



In the early 1970s, the British Ministry of Defense commissioned very limited batches of Rolex ref. 5513 Submariners, designed to enhanced specifications to meet the demands of their Special Forces.

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These “Military Submariners”, or “MilSubs”, differ in many ways from standard production pieces. They feature thicker, sword-shaped hands for enhanced readability, a rotating bezel calibrated to 60 minutes, an encircled “T” on the dial indicating the use of luminescent Tritium, and solid steel bars fixed between the lugs, permitting the use of a nylon NATO strap that ensured a watch would not be separated from its wearer. Finally, the case back is engraved with the military branch, unit, and year of issue.

The present example, issued in 1975, is in remarkably original and unrestored condition, with all of its original militarized features perfectly intact. Referred to collectors as a “full spec”, it even retains its original NATO strap, making it one of the most exciting MilSubs to appear on the market in years

A very fine and extremely rare stainless steel centre seconds wristwatch with date, bracelet and gas escape value, made for the Sultanate of Oman

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1977
REFERENCE No.	1665
MOVEMENT No.	X2'309'957
CASE No.	5'082'969, repeated inside the case back
MODEL NAME	Sea-Dweller
MATERIAL	Stainless steel
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Automatic, 1570
BRACELET/STRAP	Stainless steel Rolex Oyster
CLASP/BUCKLE	Twin lock deployant clasp, stamped S W3
DIMENSIONS	40mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed, dial further stamped in golden print with the National emblem of Oman, case back further engraved OYSTER, Gas Escape Valve, Rolex Patent
ESTIMATE	CHF 200,000-400,000 ▼ \$205,000-410,000 €189,000-379,000



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ACCESSORIES
International service card dated 14th January 2008 and correspondence with Rolex on service requirements and two additional links

LITERATURE
For an earlier example with Red Kanjar, please see *100 Superlative Rolex Watches*, by John Goldberger, pages 218 to 219



LOT 213

ROLEX

REF 1665



Emblazoned on the dial at 6 o'clock is the "Khanjar", the national emblem of Oman that features a traditional Khanjar-type dagger used for ceremonial occasions.

When found on a Rolex watch, it signifies a royal provenance. Such watches, referred to as "Khanjar" by collectors, were made on commission from the Sultan of Oman, His Majesty Sultan Qaboos bin Said al Said. With his own formidable watch collection, His Majesty's passion for horology is well known. They were given as gifts to loyal servants and foreign dignitaries.

Born in 1940, and ascending to the throne at age 30 following studies under the President of India and military training at the Royal Military Academy at Sandhurst, England, his reign has been one of great success. With revenues received from oil sales, he drove transformational advances in healthcare, education, and infrastructure.

Watches with the Khanjar are extremely sought after. Due to their exceptional rarity, few have appeared on the market.

Phillips is proud and delighted to offer, for the first time ever at auction, what is amongst the rarest of all versions of the Rolex Sea Dweller. With its distinguished Gold Khanjar at 6 o'clock on the dial, it is amongst the rarest of all Khanjar watches known to exist.



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LOT 213

ROLEX

REF 1665

In the 1970s, to recognize the role that Britain's elite special forces branch, the SAS, played in defeating the Dhofar Rebellion, His Majesty Al Said commissioned very limited batches of Rolex Sea Dwellers with either a red Khanjar, red 'Qaboos' dial script, and rarest of all, a Gold Khanjar.

It's believed the red color, as used in the Omani flag, symbolizes battles against invaders – a theme that is in accordance with the British soldiers who served to protect his nation.

The gold color signifies an object of utmost importance, used to represent the Sultan himself. Whereas approximately 80 to 90 Sea Dwellers with red Omani text are estimated to have been made, only between 9 and 12 Sea Dwellers are believed to exist with a gold Khanjar. Until now, only four of these watches have surfaced, most falling within a very narrow serial range spanning just 10 numbers.

In addition to the Gold Khanjar, the dials on these watches exhibit other variations not seen on any other Sea-Dweller. The coronet at 12 o'clock is of a unique shape whilst the hour markers contain no luminous materials.

This particular example is in exceptional condition. With hardly any signs of wear and ever having been polished, the sharp bevels, angles and curves are perfectly preserved. The dial is flawless, with perfectly white markers, printed with the identical ink used for the coronet and 'Rolex' logo at 12 o'clock. The 'Rolex' logo is horizontally engraved on its caseback, consistent with the casebacks found on 'Double Red' Sea-Dwellers produced during the same era. The inner side of the caseback is engraved with the same serial number stamped between the lugs at 6 o'clock, indicating that this watch was indeed made by Rolex upon special order.

Furthermore, it is accompanied by multiple confirmation papers from Rolex Geneva that include an International Service Guarantee and an original service invoice mentioning the special dial.

Its historical significance, royal provenance, immaculate condition, and superb rarity make it one of the most exciting and important Rolex sport watches to appear at auction in recent years.



An extremely rare and highly important stainless steel chronograph wristwatch with bracelet, formerly in the collection of Sir Eric Clapton

MANUFACTURER	Rolex
YEAR	1971
REFERENCE No.	6263, stamped 6262 inside the case back
MOVEMENT No.	
CASE No.	2'874'334
MODEL NAME	Oyster Cosmograph "Albino"
MATERIAL	Stainless steel
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Manual, 727
BRACELET/STRAP	Rolex Oyster, reference 7835, end links numbered 271
CLASP/BUCKLE	Folding clasp, stamped 2.71
DIMENSIONS	37.5mm Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed
ESTIMATE	CHF 500,000-1,000,000 ▼ \$512,000-1,020,000 €474,000-947,000



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LITERATURE
Published in the *Ultimate Rolex Daytona* by Pucci Papaleo, pages 372 to 375



LOT 214

ROLEX

REF 6263 "THE OYSTER ALBINO"



Few vintage collectors watches are so famous that they have a name on their own: "the Duke Ellington 1563", "the Bao Dai 6062", "the platinum J.B. Champion" and "the Oyster 6263 Albino" to name just a few of the best known.

What these uber-watches have all in common is their extreme rarity, famous ownership and record- and history-making appearance at auction.

The present Rolex reference 6263 is one of only four known examples of white dialled Cosmographs where the subsidiary dials are not in black with white printing but in the same silver finish as the dial plate. The visual impact is striking and the more a specialist's eye is trained to see Rolex Daytonas the more he (or she) will believe that they are victims of an optical illusion. It comes as no surprise that the market and scholars have named the all-white Cosmographs "Albino".



This highly unusual reference 6263 dates to 1971 and has its correct calibre 727 movement but also the correct MK1 pushers and bezel for the period.

The earliest years of this watch are unknown, but it is understood that Eric Clapton purchased the watch in the late 1990s. It was then auctioned at Christie's New York on the 5th of June 2003, as property from the Collection of Eric Clapton. A few years later, at Sotheby's New York, it smashed the previous world record for any Rolex Cosmographs when selling for 505,000 USD, five times its presale auction estimate.

Sir Eric Patrick Clapton, CBE (born 30 March 1945), is an English musician, singer-songwriter and guitarist. He is the only three-time inductee to the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame: once as a solo artist and separately as a member of the Yardbirds and Cream. Clapton has been referred to as one of the most important and influential guitarists of all time. Clapton ranked second in Rolling Stone magazine's list of the "100 Greatest Guitarists of All Time" and fourth in Gibson's "Top 50 Guitarists of All Time". He was also named number five in Time magazine's list of "The 10 Best Electric Guitar Players" in 2009.

LOT 214

ROLEX

REF 6263 "THE OYSTER ALBINO"



A rare and attractive yellow gold chronograph wristwatch, retailed by Verga

MANUFACTURER	Ulysse Nardin
YEAR	1940
REFERENCE No.	
MOVEMENT No.	121'347
CASE No.	605'188
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	18k yellow gold
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Manual
BRACELET/STRAP	Leather
CLASP/BUCKLE	18k yellow gold buckle
DIMENSIONS	35mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed, dial further signed by the retailer, case back with monogram GCG
ESTIMATE	CHF 6,000-9,000 • \$6,100-9,200 €5,700-8,500



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LOT 215

ULYSSE NARDIN

NO RESERVE



The present Ulysse Nardin chronograph is one of the most attractive and best preserved examples to come to the market in recent years. In virtually unworn and unpolished condition, it is very likely still featuring the original crystal, leather strap and gold buckle.

The case is characterised by its triple faceted lugs and generous diameter of over 35 mm. The dial was most likely a special order as the Ulysse Nardin signature is positioned below the centre, allowing Rome's distinguished retailer Verga to apply their firm's logo.

Not only a most handsome chronograph in its own right but also quite similar to Rolex's celebrated reference 3330, from two feet distance one could easily attribute this wonderful Ulysse Nardin a value 10 or 20 times higher than its current estimate.

A fine and rare yellow gold wristwatch with centre seconds, date, bracelet and black engine-turned dial

MANUFACTURER	Omega
YEAR	1957
REFERENCE No.	2852
MOVEMENT No.	15'009'694
CASE No.	112'594
MODEL NAME	Constellation
MATERIAL	18k yellow gold
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Automatic, 501
BRACELET/STRAP	18k yellow gold, expandable brick link
CLASP/BUCKLE	Folding deployant clasp
DIMENSIONS	35mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial, movement and bracelet signed
ESTIMATE	CHF 7,000-12,000 \$7,200-12,300 €6,600-11,400



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ACCESSORIES
Accompanied by Omega Extract from the Archives



LOT 216

OMEGA

REF. 2852 CONSTELLATION



Omega's Constellation model was the firm's most luxurious, technically perfect and costly model. Fitted with the in house calibre 501, an observatory tested chronometer, it was available in stainless steel or different versions in precious metal.

The present example, a reference 2852, is from 1957 and unites a number of elements dear to an avid collector. Most evidently to the beholder is the stunning and unrestored black engine-turned dial featuring applied hour markers in gold but also the Omega symbol, Omega name and Constellation star in 18 carat gold.

Furthermore, this Constellation still features the original gold bracelet, a rarity by itself. The watch is overall in excellent original condition and features the correct crystal, recognisable by the microscopically small Omega symbol in the centre.

A fine and rare stainless steel chronograph wristwatch with bracelet

MANUFACTURER	Omega
YEAR	1960
REFERENCE No.	2998-5
MOVEMENT No.	17'301'309
CASE No.	
MODEL NAME	Speedmaster
MATERIAL	Stainless steel
CRYSTAL	Original Omega, plastic
CALIBRE	Manual, 321
BRACELET/STRAP	Omega stainless steel, reference 7912, end links stamped 9
CLASP/BUCKLE	Folding clasp, stamped 3.63
DIMENSIONS	40mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Movement, dial, case and bracelet signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 7,000-12,000 \$7,200-12,300 €6,600-11,400



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ACCESSORIES
Accompanied by Omega Extract from the Archives



LOT 217

OMEGA

REF. 2998-5 SPEEDMASTER



The celebrated Omega Speedmaster was launched in 1957 and aimed at an “active clientele”. The tachometer scale on the bezel should help scientists and sportsmen with the calculation of speed.

The original Speedmaster reference 2915 was in production for only two years until it was replaced in 1959 by the present model, reference 2998. The example offered here dates from 1960, featuring the legendary calibre 321 and has the correct black tachometer bezel graduated to 500 units.

The original chronograph hands as well as all the luminous on the dial are amazingly well preserved. Lastly, the watch is completed by the correct Omega steel bracelet reference 7912.

A fine and rare yellow gold chronograph wristwatch with original swing tag, gold plated commemorative coin and original box

MANUFACTURER	Omega
YEAR	1970
REFERENCE No.	BA 145.022
MOVEMENT No.	29'117'348
CASE No.	14'502'269
MODEL NAME	Speedmaster Professional Apollo XI
MATERIAL	18k yellow gold
CRYSTAL	Original Omega crystal
CALIBRE	Manual, 861
BRACELET/STRAP	Crocodile
CLASP/BUCKLE	Omega plated buckle
DIMENSIONS	40mm. Diameter
SIGNED	Case, dial and movement signed
ESTIMATE	CHF 10,000-15,000 Σ \$10,200-15,400 €9,500-14,200



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ACCESSORIES
With fitted presentation box, original swing tag and a gold plated commemorative coin presented in its own fitted presentation case. “Also accompanied by Omega Extract from the Archives.”



LOT 218

OMEGA

REF. BA 145.022 SPEEDMASTER PROFESSIONAL APOLLO XI



Following the successful moon landing of Apollo XI in 1969, Omega launched a limited edition of 1014 examples in 18 carat gold to celebrate this event.

28 watches of the series were given to the astronauts and staff having contributed to this mission, the other 986 watches were sold.

The present example, bearing the individual serial number 858, is in virtually mint and unworn condition it features not only the original Omega strap, but also the original buckle. Furthermore the hanging tag as well as a gold plated commemoration medal are also still present.

Watches from this series are fitted with Omega's legendary calibre 861, to many scholars one of the greatest chronograph movement ever designed.

A rare pink gold square wristwatch with unusual lugs

MANUFACTURER	Patek Philippe
YEAR	1950
REFERENCE No.	2423
MOVEMENT No.	953'931
CASE No.	656'035
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	18k pink gold
CRYSTAL	Glass
CALIBRE	Manual, 10-200
BRACELET/STRAP	Crocodile
CLASP/BUCKLE	18k pink gold buckle, <i>signed PPC</i>
DIMENSIONS	30mm. Wide
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 10,000-15,000 Σ \$10,200-15,400 €9,500-14,200



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ACCESSORIES
Extract from the Archives confirming production of the present watch in 1950 and its subsequent sale on July 10th, 1950.



LOT 219

PATEK PHILIPPE

REF. 2423



Few vintage wristwatches are as prominent as Patek Philippe's reference 2423. This should not come as a surprise as the horn-or-flame shaped lugs on this model are probably unique to this reference.

Examples in rose gold are amongst the rarest vintage wristwatches and the present watch, for the first time ever at auction, must be considered one of the best preserved and most attractive specimen of this landmark reference.

A rare pink gold chronograph wristwatch
with rose dial

MANUFACTURER	Patek Philippe
YEAR	1944
REFERENCE No.	130
MOVEMENT No.	863'453
CASE No.	638'768
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	18k pink gold
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Manual, 13'''
BRACELET/STRAP	Crocodile
CLASP/BUCKLE	18k pink gold buckle, <i>signed PPC</i>
DIMENSIONS	33mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 40,000-60,000 Σ \$41,000-61,500 €37,900-56,800



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ACCESSORIES
Extract from the Archives confirming production of the present watch with silvered dial in 1944

LITERATURE
Examples of reference 130 are described and illustrated in *Patek Philippe Museum - Patek Philippe - Volume II*, pp. 262-265



LOT 220

PATEK PHILIPPE

REF. 130



Patek Philippe's reference 130 is probably the firm's best known vintage chronograph model as it was in production for nearly 30 years. Made predominantly in stainless steel, yellow gold and pink gold, reference 130 has also been privileged to see a vast number of different dial versions.

The present example in rose gold has a rose dial, a typical colour combination for the 1940s and often reserved for the South American market. As one would expect for a watch made in 1944, the dial features the long signature (Patek Philippe & Co.).

It appears to have been recently fully overhauled at the workshops of Patek Philippe and can now be enjoyed for daily wearing or collecting.

A very fine, rare and highly attractive stainless steel chronograph wristwatch with Breguet numerals

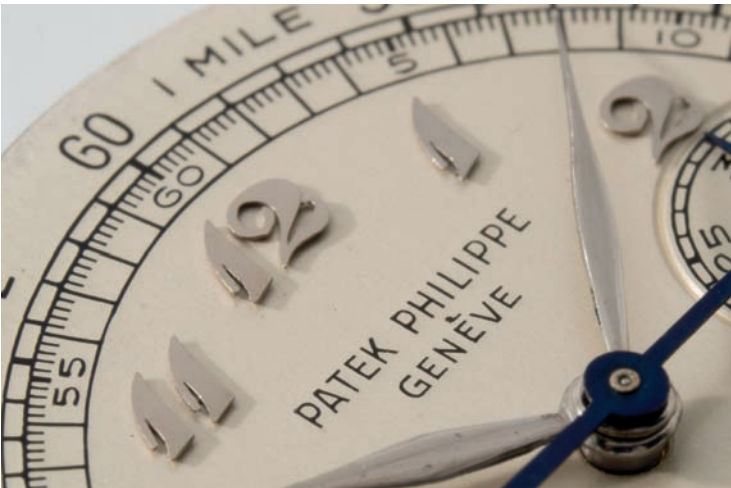
MANUFACTURER	Patek Philippe
YEAR	1950
REFERENCE No.	1463
MOVEMENT No.	867'889
CASE No.	660'161
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	Stainless Steel
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Manual, 13'''
BRACELET/STRAP	Crocodile
CLASP/BUCKLE	Stainless steel buckle, <i>signed PPC</i>
DIMENSIONS	35mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 280,000-420,000 Δ Σ \$287,000-430,000 €265,000-398,000



NOTES

ACCESSORIES
Extract from the Archives confirming production of the present watch with applied Breguet markers in steel in 1950 and its subsequent sale on March 28th, 1951

LITERATURE
The model is illustrated in *Patek Philippe Wristwatches* by Martin Huber & Alan Banbery, second edition, p. 267.



LOT 221

PATEK PHILIPPE

REF. 1463



Reference 1463 is the only vintage Patek Philippe chronograph model with a screw-back and round pushers (together with its ultra rare sister model reference 1563 featuring split-seconds).

It would probably be slightly exaggerated to call the “tasti tondi” (Italian for round pushers) a sport’s watch but Patek Philippe certainly aimed at an active clientele who would use their chronograph also in outdoor activities.

This stainless steel version most probably best epitomises the original concept of this reference and to many the Breguet numeral version is the most attractive and desirable. The example here comes not only in extraordinary condition, but its dial is also confirmed by the Extract from the Archives.

While one of the world’s most collectable vintage wristwatches and consequently very valuable, the steel reference 1463 can be comfortably worn daily thanks to its robust case design and very discreet looks.

A very rare and attractive pink gold wristwatch with pink dial and fancy lugs

MANUFACTURER	Patek Philippe
YEAR	1942
REFERENCE No.	1482
MOVEMENT No.	834'910
CASE No.	507'610
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	18k pink gold
CRYSTAL	Glass
CALIBRE	Manual, 9'''90
BRACELET/STRAP	Crocodile
CLASP/BUCKLE	18k pink gold, <i>signed PPC</i>
DIMENSIONS	39mm. Length
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 15,000-25,000 Σ \$15,400-25,600 €14,200-23,700



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ACCESSORIES
Extract from the Archives confirming production of the present watch in 1942 with silvery rose dial and its subsequent sale on May 28th, 1942



LOT 222

PATEK PHILIPPE

REF. 1482



Reference 1482 is one of Patek Philippe's rarest rectangular models and to date only six other pieces of this reference are known in pink gold.

Made only during three years in the early 1940s it is immediately recognisable thanks to the prominent triple lugs at the top and bottom of its case.

This example here, with a lovely silvery rose dial, has been in the same collection for over 10 years and has probably only seen one polishing since new. In fact, the hallmark on the right side of the case is very crisp.

A very fine and rare yellow gold perpetual calendar wristwatch with centre seconds and moon phases

MANUFACTURER	Patek Philippe
YEAR	1955
REFERENCE No.	2497
MOVEMENT No.	888'121
CASE No.	696'484
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	18K yellow gold
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Manual, 27SC Q
BRACELET/STRAP	Crocodile
CLASP/BUCKLE	18k gold buckle, <i>signed PPC</i>
DIMENSIONS	37mm. Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 150,000-250,000 Σ \$154,000-256,000 €142,000-237,000



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PROVENANCE
Property from an International Collector

ACCESSORIES
Extract from the Archives confirming production of the present watch in 1955 and its subsequent sale on July 25th, 1959.

LITERATURE
Examples of reference 2497 are illustrated in *Patek Philippe Wristwatches* by M. Huber & A. Banbery, 2nd edition, pp. 285 & 287.



LOT 223

PATEK PHILIPPE

REF. 2497



Reference 2497 was Patek Philippe's first perpetual calendar wristwatch featuring centre seconds. Whereas examples from the first generation have Arabic and dot numerals, watches from the late production have faceted baton numerals.

The present watch, now offered for sale by the second owner since new, was sold to the UK in 1959 and features not only inside the case back and the lower right lug the UK gold marks from 1959, but also on the original gold Patek Philippe buckle.

This fact, paired with its overall excellent condition, renders this watch a premium example of what many consider one of the most beautiful perpetual calendar wristwatches ever.

A very fine and rare white gold perpetual calendar wristwatch with moon phases

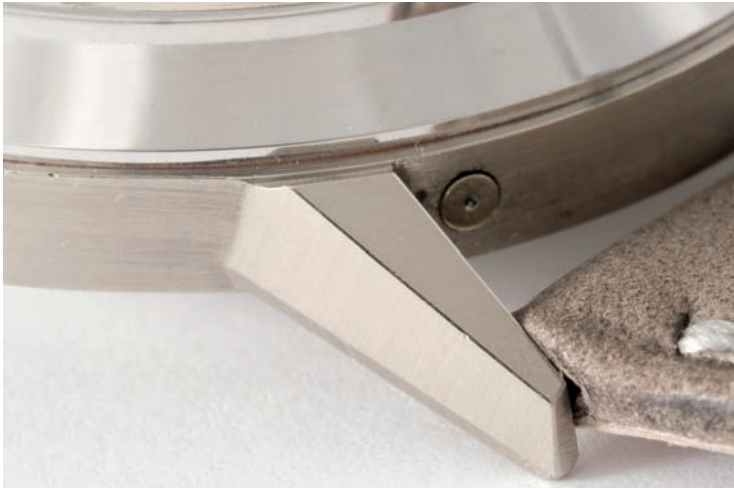
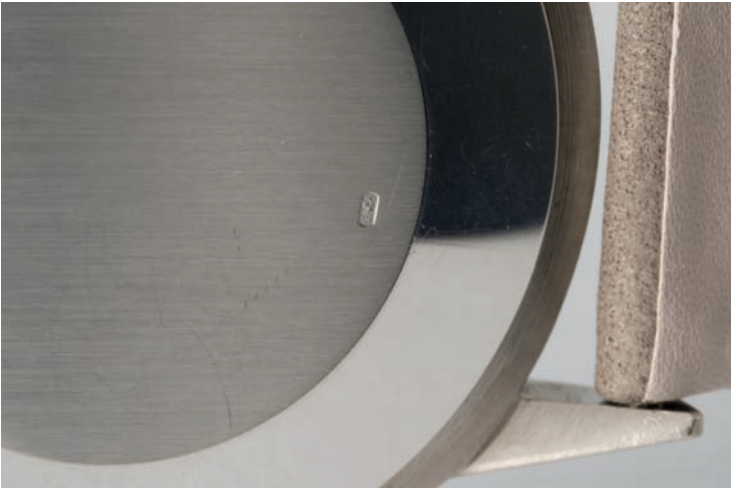
MANUFACTURER	Patek Philippe
YEAR	1981
REFERENCE No.	3448
MOVEMENT No.	1'119'584
CASE No.	332'624
MODEL NAME	
MATERIAL	18k white gold
CRYSTAL	Plastic
CALIBRE	Automatic, 27-460Q
BRACELET/STRAP	Leather
CLASP/BUCKLE	18k white gold, <i>signed PPC</i>
DIMENSIONS	37mm Diameter
SIGNED	<i>Case, dial and movement signed</i>
ESTIMATE	CHF 250,000-350,000 Δ \$256,000-359,000 €237,000-332,000



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ACCESSORIES
With *Extract from the Archives* confirming production of the present watch in 1981 and its subsequent sale on February 17th, 1982.

LITERATURE
Reference 3448 is illustrated in *Patek Philippe Wristwatches* by Martin Huber & Alan Banbery, second edition, p. 288



LOT 224

PATEK PHILIPPE

REF 3448



Reference 3448 was the first self-winding perpetual calendar wristwatch made by Patek Philippe and was introduced into the market in 1962. The watch was fitted with the new in-house calibre, the 27-460Q, which was patented by the firm.

According to literature there were 586 examples manufactured over the next 20 years and the majority of the production was cased in yellow gold. In 1981, reference 3448 was discontinued to make way for the reference 3450 with leap year indication.

The present watch is a stunningly crisp example, most probably never repolished, with sharp lines to the case and extremely well-defined lugs. The very visible hallmark to the outside of the case back is untouched. The dial is clean and in very attractive original condition.

It is interesting to note that this watch was manufactured at the very final stages of the reference 3448 production run. With the series starting with movement number 1'119'000, the present watch is the 585th example ever made, probably the second last one of the entire production run.

Fresh to the auction market, the present "Padellone" offers the best this reference can provide: Rarity, looks, condition, and pleasure on the wrist.

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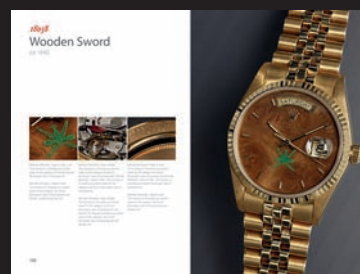
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GUIDE FOR PROSPECTIVE BUYERS

BUYING AT AUCTION

The following pages are designed to offer you information on how to buy at auction at Phillips. Our staff will be happy to assist you.

CONDITIONS OF SALE

The Conditions of Sale and Authorship Warranty which appear later in this catalogue govern the auction. Bidders are strongly encouraged to read them as they outline the legal relationship among Phillips, the seller and the buyer and describe the terms upon which property is bought at auction. Please be advised that Phillips generally acts as agent for the seller. Bidders should also read the Important Notices immediately following this Guide for Prospective Buyers.

BUYER'S PREMIUM AND VAT

Phillips charges the successful bidder a commission, or buyer's premium, on the hammer price of each lot sold. The buyer's premium is payable by the buyer as part of the total purchase price at the following rates: 25% of the hammer price up to and including CHF100,000, 20% of the portion of the hammer price above CHF100,000 up to and including CHF2,000,000 and 12% of the portion of the hammer price above CHF2,000,000.

Value added tax (VAT) of 8% is payable on the hammer price and the buyer's premium. This tax is refunded to any buyer domiciled outside Switzerland if, but only if, Phillips receives from such buyer an export declaration in respect of a purchased lot which has been stamped by Swiss customs.

The purchase price payable for any lot is the sum of the hammer price plus the buyer's premium plus VAT.

1 PRIOR TO AUCTION

Catalogue Subscriptions

If you would like to purchase a catalogue for this auction or any other Phillips sale, please contact us at +41 22 317 8181, +44 20 7318 4010 or +1 212 940 1240.

Pre-Sale Estimates

Pre-sale estimates are intended as a guide for prospective buyers. Any bid within the high and low estimate range should, in our opinion, offer a chance of success. However, many lots achieve prices below or above the pre-sale estimates. Where 'Estimate on Request' appears, please contact the specialist department for further information. It is advisable to contact us closer to the time of the auction as estimates can be subject to revision. Pre-sale estimates do not include the buyer's premium or VAT.

Pre-Sale Estimates in US Dollars and Euros

Although the sale is conducted in Swiss francs, the pre-sale estimates in the auction catalogues may also be printed in US dollars and/or euros. Since the exchange rate is that at the time of catalogue production and not at the date of auction, you should treat estimates in US dollars or euros as a guide only.

Catalogue Entries

Phillips may print in the catalogue entry the history of ownership of a work of art, as well as the exhibition history of the property and references to the work in art publications. While we are careful in the cataloguing process, provenance, exhibition and literature references may not be exhaustive and in some cases we may intentionally refrain from disclosing the identity of previous owners. Please note that all dimensions of the property set forth in the catalogue entry are approximate.

Condition of Lots

Our catalogues include references to condition only in the descriptions of multiple works (e.g., prints). Such references, though, do not amount to a full description of condition. The absence of reference to the condition of a lot in the catalogue entry does not imply that the lot is free from faults or imperfections. Solely as a convenience to clients, Phillips may provide condition reports. In preparing such reports, our specialists assess the condition in a manner appropriate to the estimated value of the property. While condition reports are prepared honestly and carefully, our staff are not professional restorers. We therefore encourage all prospective buyers to inspect the property at the pre-sale exhibitions and recommend, particularly in the case of any lot of significant value, that you retain your own restorer or professional advisor to report to you on the property's condition prior to bidding. Moreover, condition reports are not exhaustive and may not specify all mechanical replacements or imperfections to the movement, case, dial, pendulum, separate bases(s) or dome. The absence of a condition report or the absence of a reference to damage in the catalogue does not imply that the lot is in good condition, working order or free from restoration or repair.

Pre-Auction Viewing

Pre-auction viewings are open to the public and free of charge. Our specialists are available to give advice and condition reports at viewings or by appointment.

Symbol Key

The following key explains the symbols you may see inside this catalogue.

O ♦ Guaranteed Property

The seller of lots designated with the symbol O has been guaranteed a minimum price financed solely by Phillips. Where the guarantee is provided by a third party or jointly by us and a third party, the property will be denoted with the symbols O ♦. When a third party has financed all or part of our financial interest in a lot, it assumes all or part of the risk that the lot will not be sold and will be remunerated accordingly. The compensation will be a fixed fee, a percentage of the hammer price or the buyer's premium or some combination of the foregoing. The third party may bid on the guaranteed lot during the auction. If the third party is the successful bidder, the remuneration may be netted against the final purchase price. If the lot is not sold, the third party may incur a loss.

Δ Property in which Phillips has an Ownership Interest

Lots with this symbol indicate that Phillips owns the lot in whole or in part or has an economic interest in the lot equivalent to an ownership interest.

● No Reserve

Unless indicated by a ●, all lots in this catalogue are offered subject to a reserve. A reserve is the confidential value established between Phillips and the seller and below which a lot may not be sold. The reserve for each lot is generally set at a percentage of the low estimate and will not exceed the low pre-sale estimate.

Σ Endangered Species

Lots with this symbol have been identified at the time of cataloguing as containing endangered or other protected species of wildlife which may be subject to restrictions regarding export or import and which may require permits for export as well as import. Please refer to Paragraph 4 of the Guide for Prospective Buyers and Paragraph 11 of the Conditions of Sale.

▼ Restricted Importation

Lots with this symbol may be subject to importation restriction in the US. Please refer to the Important Notices which appear in this catalogue immediately following this Guide for Prospective Buyers.

2 BIDDING IN THE SALE

Bidding at Auction

Bids may be executed during the auction in person by paddle, by telephone, online or prior to the sale in writing by absentee bid. Proof of identity in the form of government-issued identification will be required, as will an original signature. We may also require that you furnish us with a bank reference.

Bidding in Person

To bid in person, you will need to register for and collect a paddle before the auction begins. New clients are encouraged to register at least 48 hours in advance of a sale to allow sufficient time for us to process your information. All lots sold will be invoiced to the name and address to which the paddle has been registered and invoices cannot be transferred to other names and addresses. Please do not misplace your paddle. In the event you lose it, inform a Phillips staff member immediately. At the end of the auction, please return your paddle to the registration desk.

Bidding by Telephone

If you cannot attend the auction, you may bid live on the telephone with one of our multilingual staff members. This service must be arranged at least 24 hours in advance of the sale and is available for lots whose low pre-sale estimate is at least CHF1,000. Telephone bids may be recorded. By bidding on the telephone, you consent to the recording of your conversation. We suggest that you leave a maximum bid, excluding the buyer's premium and VAT, which we can execute on your behalf in the event we are unable to reach you by telephone.

Online Bidding

If you cannot attend the auction in person, you may bid online on our online live bidding platform available on our website at www.phillips.com (Flash plugin is required). You must pre-register by clicking on 'Buy' in the drop-down menu under the 'Buy and Sell' button on the Home Page, then click on 'pre-register' under 'ONLINE LIVE BIDDING.' You must pre-register at least 24 hours before the start of the auction in order to be approved by our bid department. Please note that corporate firewalls may cause difficulties for online bidders.

Absentee Bids

If you are unable to attend the auction and cannot participate by telephone, Phillips will be happy to execute written bids on your behalf. A bidding form can be found at the back of this catalogue. This service is free and confidential. Bids must be placed in the currency of the sale. Our staff will attempt to execute an absentee bid at the lowest

possible price taking into account the reserve and other bidders. Always indicate a maximum bid, excluding the buyer’s premium and VAT. Unlimited bids will not be accepted. Any absentee bid must be received at least 24 hours in advance of the sale. In the event of identical bids, the earliest bid received will take precedence.

Employee Bidding

Employees of Phillips and our affiliated companies, including the huissier or the auctioneer (the ‘Auctioneer’), may bid at the auction by placing absentee bids so long as they do not know the reserve when submitting their absentee bids and otherwise comply with our employee bidding procedures.

Bidding Increments

Bidding generally opens below the low estimate and advances in increments of up to 10%, subject to the Auctioneer’s discretion. Absentee bids that do not conform to the increments set below may be lowered to the next bidding increment.

CHF50 to CHF1,000	by CHF50s
CHF1,000 to CHF2,000	by CHF100s
CHF2,000 to CHF3,000	by CHF200s
CHF3,000 to CHF5,000	by CHF200s, 500, 800 (i.e., CHF4,200, 4,500, 4,800)
CHF5,000 to CHF10,000	by CHF500s
CHF10,000 to CHF20,000	by CHF1,000s
CHF20,000 to CHF30,000	by CHF2,000s
CHF30,000 to CHF50,000	by CHF2,000s, 5,000, 8,000
CHF50,000 to CHF100,000	by CHF5,000s
CHF100,000 to CHF200,000	by CHF10,000s
above CHF200,000	at the Auctioneer’s discretion

The Auctioneer may vary the increments during the course of the auction at his or her own discretion.

3 THE AUCTION

Conditions of Sale

As noted above, the auction is governed by the Conditions of Sale and Authorship Warranty. All prospective bidders should read them carefully. They may be amended by saleroom addendum or Auctioneer’s announcement.

Interested Parties Announcement

In situations where a person allowed to bid on a lot has a direct or indirect interest in such lot, such as the beneficiary or executor of an estate selling the lot, a joint owner of the lot or a party providing or participating in a guarantee on the lot, Phillips will make an announcement in the saleroom that interested parties may bid on the lot.

Consecutive and Responsive Bidding; No Reserve Lots

The Auctioneer may open the bidding on any lot by placing a bid on behalf of the seller. The Auctioneer may further bid on behalf of the seller up to the amount of the reserve by placing consecutive bids or bids in response to other bidders. If a lot is offered without reserve, unless there are already competing absentee bids, the Auctioneer will generally open the bidding at 50% of the lot’s low pre-sale estimate. In the absence of a bid at that level, the Auctioneer will proceed backwards at his or her discretion until a bid is recognized and will then advance the bidding from that amount. Absentee bids on no reserve lots will, in the absence of a higher bid, be executed at approximately 50% of the low pre-sale estimate or at the amount of the bid if it is less than 50% of the low pre-sale estimate. If there is no bid whatsoever on a no reserve lot, the Auctioneer may deem such lot unsold.

4 AFTER THE AUCTION

Payment

Buyers are required to pay for purchases immediately following the auction unless other arrangements have been agreed with Phillips in writing in advance of the sale. Payment must be made in Swiss francs either by cash, check drawn on a Swiss bank or wire transfer, as noted in Paragraph 6 of the Conditions of Sale. It is our corporate policy not to make or accept single or multiple payments in cash or cash equivalents in excess of the local currency equivalent of US\$10,000.

Credit Cards

As a courtesy to clients, Phillips will accept American Express, Visa and MasterCard to pay for invoices of CHF100,000 or less. A processing fee will apply.

Collection

It is our policy to request proof of identity on collection of a lot. A lot will be released to the buyer or the buyer’s authorized representative when Phillips has received full and cleared payment and we are not owed any other amount by the buyer. After the auction, all lots will be kept at our premises.

Loss or Damage

Buyers are reminded that Phillips accepts liability for loss or damage to lots for a maximum of seven days following the auction.

Transport and Shipping

As a free service for buyers, Phillips will wrap purchased lots for hand carry only. We do not provide packing, handling or shipping services directly. However, we will coordinate with shipping agents instructed by you in order to facilitate the packing, handling and shipping of property purchased at Phillips. Please refer to Paragraph 7 of the Conditions of Sale for more information.

Export and Import Licences

Before bidding for any property, prospective bidders are advised to make independent enquiries as to whether a licence is required to export the property from Switzerland or to import it into another country. It is the buyer’s sole responsibility to comply with all import and export laws and to obtain any necessary licences or permits. The denial of any required licence or permit or any delay in obtaining such documentation will not justify the cancellation of the sale or any delay in making full payment for the lot.

Endangered Species

Items made of or incorporating plant or animal material, such as coral, crocodile, ivory, whalebone, Brazilian rosewood, rhinoceros horn or tortoiseshell, irrespective of age, percentage or value, may require a licence or certificate prior to exportation and additional licences or certificates upon importation to the US or to any country within or outside the European Union (EU). Please note that the ability to obtain an export licence or certificate does not ensure the ability to obtain an import licence or certificate in another country, and vice versa. We suggest that prospective bidders check with their own government regarding wildlife import requirements prior to placing a bid. It is the buyer’s sole responsibility to obtain any necessary export or import licences or certificates as well as any other required documentation. Please note that the US prohibits the importation of any item containing African elephant ivory. Asian elephant ivory may be imported in to the US only if accompanied by independent scientific analysis regarding continent of origin and confirmation the object is more than 100 years old. We have not obtained a scientific analysis on any lot prior to sale and cannot indicate whether elephant ivory in a particular lot is African or Asian elephant. Buyers purchase these lots at their own risk and will be responsible for the costs of obtaining any scientific analysis or other report required in connection with their proposed import of such property into the US.

With regard to any item containing endangered species other than elephant ivory, an importer into the US must provide documented evidence of the species identification and age of an object in order to demonstrate that the object qualifies as an antique. This will require the buyer to obtain an independent appraisal certifying the species of endangered material on the object and certifying that the object is not less than 100 years of age. A prospective buyer planning to import an object into the US may not rely on Phillips cataloguing to establish the species of endangered material on the object or to establish the age of the object and must consult with a qualified independent appraiser prior to placing a bid on the lot.

Please note that lots containing potentially regulated plant or animal material are marked as a convenience to our clients, but Phillips does not accept liability for errors or for failing to mark lots containing protected or regulated species.

IMPORTANT NOTICES

Condition

Phillips makes no representation or warranty that any watch or clock is in working order, and no catalogue description of any lot should be construed as so stating. Prospective buyers are advised to have watches and clocks checked by a competent watchmaker or watch or clock restorer before use. As a service to prospective buyers, we may provide a description of the condition of watches and clocks in the catalogue entry, including references to defects and repairs, and furnish a condition report, but such information is not necessarily complete and may not specify all mechanical replacements, restorations or defects. Please note that Phillips does not guarantee the authenticity of any individual components parts, such as wheels, hands, crowns, crystals, screws, bracelets and leather bands, since prior repairs and restoration work may have resulted in the replacement of original parts. Nor does Phillips warrant that watches in water-resistant cases are currently water-resistant. Prospective buyers should inspect all watches and clocks prior to the auction to evaluate the condition of property offered for sale.

Importation of Watches into the US

Prospective buyers should be aware that the importation of luxury watches such as Rolex into the US is highly restricted. These watches (not limited to Rolex) may not be shipped into the US and may only be imported personally. US customs regulations generally limit the importation of luxury watches to one per buyer. Lots marked with ▼ are subject to these restrictions. A purchaser's inability to import a luxury watch into the US or Phillips's failure to mark a lot with ▼ shall not constitute grounds for non-payment or cancellation of the sale.

Exportation of Watch Bands Incorporating Material from Endangered Species

Some of the watches offered for sale in the catalogue may have bands made of endangered or protected animal materials, such as alligator or crocodile, and may not lawfully be exported from the auction site without a CITES export permit. As explained in Paragraph 4 of the Guide for Prospective Buyers, these lots are marked with Σ in the catalogue. Accordingly, for purchased watches that are to be shipped out of the sale site for delivery, Phillips may need to remove and retain the band before shipping the watch and buckle.

CONDITIONS OF SALE

The Conditions of Sale and Authorship Warranty set forth below govern the relationship between bidders and buyers, on the one hand, and Phillips and sellers, on the other hand. All prospective buyers should read these Conditions of Sale, the Important Notices immediately following the Guide for Prospective Buyers and the Authorship Warranty carefully before bidding.

1 INTRODUCTION

Each lot in this catalogue is offered for sale and sold subject to: (a) the Conditions of Sale and Authorship Warranty; (b) additional notices and terms printed in other places in this catalogue, including the Guide for Prospective Buyers and Important Notices and (c) supplements to this catalogue or other written material posted by Phillips in the saleroom, in each case as amended by any addendum or announcement by the auctioneer prior to the auction.

By bidding at the auction, whether in person, through an agent, by written bid, by telephone bid or other means, bidders and buyers agree to be bound by these Conditions of Sale, as so changed or supplemented, and Authorship Warranty.

These Conditions of Sale, as so changed or supplemented, and Authorship Warranty contain all the terms on which Phillips and the seller contract with the buyer.

2 PHILLIPS AS AGENT

Phillips acts as an agent for the seller, unless otherwise indicated in this catalogue or at the time of auction. On occasion, Phillips may own a lot directly, in which case we will act in a principal capacity as a consignor, or a company affiliated with Phillips may own a lot, in which case we will act as agent for that company, or Phillips or an affiliated company may have a legal, beneficial or financial interest in a lot as a secured creditor or otherwise.

3 CATALOGUE DESCRIPTIONS AND CONDITION OF PROPERTY

Lots are sold subject to the Authorship Warranty, as described in the catalogue (unless such description is changed or supplemented, as provided in Paragraph 1 above) and in the condition that they are in at the time of the sale on the following basis.

(a) The knowledge of Phillips in relation to each lot is partially dependent on information provided to us by the seller, and Phillips is not able to and does not carry out exhaustive due diligence on each lot. Prospective buyers acknowledge this fact and accept responsibility for carrying out inspections and investigations to satisfy themselves as to the lots in which they may be interested. Notwithstanding the foregoing, we shall exercise such reasonable care when making express statements in catalogue descriptions or condition reports as is consistent with our role as auctioneer of lots in this sale and in light of (i) the information provided to us by the seller, (ii) scholarship and technical knowledge and (iii) the generally accepted opinions of relevant experts, in each case at the time any such express statement is made.

(b) Each lot offered for sale at Phillips is available for inspection by prospective buyers prior to the auction. Phillips accepts bids on lots on the basis that bidders (and independent experts on their behalf, to the extent appropriate given the nature and value of the lot and the bidder's own expertise) have fully inspected the lot prior to bidding and have satisfied themselves as to both the condition of the lot and the accuracy of its description.

(c) Prospective buyers acknowledge that many lots are of an age and type which means that they are not in perfect condition. As a courtesy to clients, Phillips may prepare and provide condition reports to assist prospective buyers when they are inspecting lots. Catalogue descriptions and condition reports may make reference to particular imperfections of a lot, but bidders should note that lots may have other faults not expressly referred to in the catalogue or condition report. All dimensions are approximate. Illustrations are for identification purposes only and cannot be used as precise indications of size or to convey full information as to the actual condition of lots.

(d) Information provided to prospective buyers in respect of any lot, including any pre-sale estimate, whether written or oral, and information in any catalogue, condition or other report, commentary or valuation, is not a representation of fact but rather a statement of opinion held by Phillips. Any pre-sale estimate may not be relied on as a prediction of the selling price or value of the lot and may be revised from time to time by Phillips at our absolute discretion. Neither Phillips nor any of our affiliated companies shall be liable for any difference between the pre-sale estimates for any lot and the actual price achieved at auction or upon resale.

4 BIDDING AT AUCTION

(a) Phillips has absolute discretion to refuse admission to the auction or participation in the sale. All bidders must register for a paddle prior to bidding, supplying such information and references as required by Phillips.

(b) As a convenience to bidders who cannot attend the auction in person, Phillips may, if so instructed by the bidder, execute written absentee bids on a bidder's behalf.

Absentee bidders are required to submit bids on the 'Absentee Bid Form', a copy of which is printed in this catalogue or otherwise available from Phillips. Bids must be placed in the currency of the sale. The bidder must clearly indicate the maximum amount he or she intends to bid, excluding the buyer's premium and value added tax (VAT). The huissier or auctioneer (the 'Auctioneer') will not accept an instruction to execute an absentee bid which does not indicate such maximum bid. Our staff will attempt to execute an absentee bid at the lowest possible price taking into account the reserve and other bidders. Any absentee bid must be received at least 24 hours in advance of the sale. In the event of identical bids, the earliest bid received will take precedence.

(c) Telephone bidders are required to submit bids on the 'Telephone Bid Form', a copy of which is printed in this catalogue or otherwise available from Phillips. Telephone bidding is available for lots whose low pre-sale estimate is at least CHF1000. Phillips reserves the right to require written confirmation of a successful bid from a telephone bidder by fax or otherwise immediately after such bid is accepted by the Auctioneer. Telephone bids may be recorded and, by bidding on the telephone, a bidder consents to the recording of the conversation.

(d) Bidders may participate in an auction by bidding online through Phillips's online live bidding platform available on our website at www.phillips.com. To bid online, bidders must register online at least 24 hours before the start of the auction. Online bidding is subject to approval by Phillips's bid department in our sole discretion. As noted in Paragraph 3 above, Phillips encourages online bidders to inspect prior to the auction any lot(s) on which they may bid, and condition reports are available upon request. Bidding in a live auction can progress quickly. To ensure that online bidders are not placed at a disadvantage when bidding against bidders in the room or on the telephone, the procedure for placing bids through Phillips's online bidding platform is a one-step process. By clicking the bid button on the computer screen, a bidder submits a bid. Online bidders acknowledge and agree that bids so submitted are final and may not under any circumstances be amended or retracted. During a live auction, when bids other than online bids are placed, they will be displayed on the online bidder's computer screen as 'floor,' 'phone' or 'paddle no' bids. 'Floor' bids include bids made by the Auctioneer to protect the reserve. In the event that an online bid and a 'floor' or 'phone' bid are identical, the 'floor' or 'phone' bid will take precedence. The next bidding increment is shown for the convenience of online bidders under the bid button. The bidding increment available to online bidders may vary from the next bid actually taken by the Auctioneer, as the Auctioneer may deviate from Phillips's standard increments at any time at his or her discretion, but an online bidder may only place a bid in a whole bidding increment. Phillips's bidding increments are published in the Guide for Prospective Buyers.

(e) When making a bid, whether in person, by absentee bid, on the telephone or online, a bidder accepts personal liability to pay the purchase price, as described more fully in Paragraph 6 (a) below, plus all other applicable charges unless it has been explicitly agreed in writing with Phillips before the commencement of the auction that the bidder is acting as agent on behalf of an identified third party acceptable to Phillips and that we will only look to the principal for such payment.

(f) By participating in the auction, whether in person, by absentee bid, on the telephone or online, each prospective buyer represents and warrants that any bids placed by such person, or on such person's behalf, are not the product of any collusive or other anti-competitive agreement and are otherwise consistent with federal and state antitrust law.

(g) Arranging absentee, telephone and online bids is a free service provided by Phillips to prospective buyers. While we undertake to exercise reasonable care in undertaking such activity, we cannot accept liability for failure to execute such bids except where such failure is caused by our willful misconduct.

(h) Employees of Phillips and our affiliated companies, including the Auctioneer, may bid at the auction by placing absentee bids so long as they do not know the reserve when submitting their absentee bids and otherwise comply with our employee bidding procedures.

5 CONDUCT OF THE AUCTION

(a) Unless otherwise indicated by the symbol •, each lot is offered subject to a reserve, which is the confidential minimum selling price agreed by Phillips with the seller. The reserve will not exceed the low pre-sale estimate at the time of the auction.

(b) The Auctioneer has discretion at any time to refuse any bid, withdraw any lot, re-offer a lot for sale (including after the fall of the hammer) if he or she believes there may be error or dispute and take such other action as he or she deems reasonably appropriate. Phillips shall have no liability whatsoever for any such action taken by the Auctioneer. If any dispute arises after the sale, our sale record is conclusive. The Auctioneer may accept bids made by a company affiliated with Phillips provided that the bidder does not know the reserve placed on the lot.

(c) The Auctioneer will commence and advance the bidding at levels and in increments he or she considers appropriate. In order to protect the reserve on any lot, the Auctioneer may place one or more bids on behalf of the seller up to the reserve without indicating he or she is doing so, either by placing consecutive bids or bids in response to other bidders. If a lot is offered without reserve, unless there are already competing absentee bids, the Auctioneer will generally open the bidding at 50% of the lot's low pre-sale estimate. In the absence of a bid at that level, the Auctioneer will proceed backwards at his or her discretion until a bid is recognized and will then advance the bidding from that amount. Absentee bids on no reserve lots will, in the absence of a higher bid, be executed at approximately 50% of the low pre-sale estimate or at the amount of the bid if it is less than 50% of the low pre-sale estimate. If there is no bid whatsoever on a no reserve lot, the Auctioneer may deem such lot unsold.

(d) The sale will be conducted in Swiss francs and payment is due in Swiss francs. For the benefit of international clients, pre-sale estimates in the auction catalogue may be shown in US dollars and/or euros and, if so, will reflect approximate exchange rates. Accordingly, estimates in US dollars or euros should be treated only as a guide. If a currency converter is operated during the sale, it is done so as a courtesy to bidders, but Phillips accepts no responsibility for any errors in currency conversion calculation.

(e) Subject to the Auctioneer's reasonable discretion, the highest bidder accepted by the Auctioneer will be the buyer and the striking of the hammer marks the acceptance of the highest bid and the conclusion of a contract for sale between the seller and the buyer. Risk and responsibility for the lot passes to the buyer as set forth in Paragraph 7 below.

(f) If a lot is not sold, the Auctioneer will announce that it has been 'passed', 'withdrawn', 'returned to owner' or 'bought-in'.

(g) Any post-auction sale of lots offered at auction shall incorporate these Conditions of Sale and Authorship Warranty as if sold in the auction.

6 PURCHASE PRICE AND PAYMENT

(a) The buyer agrees to pay us, in addition to the hammer price of the lot, the buyer's premium, plus any applicable value added tax (VAT) (the 'Purchase Price'). The buyer's premium is 25% of the hammer price up to and including CHF100,000, 20% of the portion of the hammer price above CHF100,000 up to and including CHF2,000,000 and 12% of the portion of the hammer price above CHF2,000,000. Phillips reserves the right to pay from our compensation an introductory commission to one or more third parties for assisting in the sale of property offered and sold at auction.

(b) VAT of 8% is payable on the hammer price plus buyer's premium. This tax is refunded to any buyer domiciled outside Switzerland if, but only if, Phillips receives from such buyer an export declaration in respect of a purchased lot which has been stamped by Swiss customs. All prices, fees, charges and expenses set out in these Conditions of Sale are quoted exclusive of VAT.

(c) Unless otherwise agreed, a buyer is required to pay for a purchased lot immediately following the auction regardless of any intention to obtain an export or import license or other permit for such lot. Payments must be made by the invoiced party in Swiss francs either by cash, check drawn on a Swiss bank or wire transfer, as follows:

(i) Phillips will accept payment in cash provided that the total amount paid in cash or cash equivalents does not exceed the local currency equivalent of US\$10,000.

(ii) Personal checks and banker's drafts are accepted if drawn on a Swiss bank and the buyer provides to us acceptable government-issued identification. Checks and banker's drafts should be made payable to "Phillips". If payment is sent by post, please send the checks or banker's draft to the attention of the Client Accounting Department at Quai de l'Île 15, 1204 Genève, Switzerland, and ensure that the sale number is written on the check. Checks or banker's drafts drawn by third parties will not be accepted.

(iii) Payment by wire transfer may be sent directly to Phillips. Bank transfer details will be provided on the Invoice for purchased lots.

(d) As a courtesy to clients, Phillips will accept American Express, Visa and MasterCard to pay for invoices of CHF100,000 or less. A processing fee will apply.

(e) Title in a purchased lot will not pass until Phillips has received the Purchase Price for that lot in cleared funds. Phillips is not obliged to release a lot to the buyer until title in the lot has passed and appropriate identification has been provided, and any earlier release does not affect the passing of title or the buyer's unconditional obligation to pay the Purchase Price.

7 COLLECTION OF PROPERTY

(a) Phillips will not release a lot to the buyer until we have received payment of its Purchase Price in full in cleared funds, the buyer has paid all outstanding amounts due to Phillips or any of our affiliated companies, including any charges payable pursuant to Paragraph 8 (a) below, and the buyer has satisfied such other terms as we in our sole discretion shall require, including completing any anti-money laundering or anti-terrorism financing checks. As soon as a buyer has satisfied all of the foregoing conditions, he or she should contact us at +41 22 317 8181 to arrange for collection of purchased property.

(b) The buyer must arrange for collection of a purchased lot within seven days of the date of the auction. After the auction, all lots will be kept at our premises. Purchased lots are at the buyer's risk, including the responsibility for insurance, from (i) the date of collection or (ii) seven days after the auction, whichever is the earlier. Until risk passes, Phillips will compensate the buyer for any loss or damage to a purchased lot up to a maximum of the Purchase Price paid, subject to our usual exclusions for loss or damage to property.

(c) As a courtesy to clients, Phillips will, without charge, wrap purchased lots for hand carry only. We do not provide packing, handling, insurance or shipping services. We will coordinate with shipping agents instructed by the buyer, whether or not recommended by Phillips, in order to facilitate the packing, handling, insurance and shipping of property bought at Phillips. Any such instruction is entirely at the buyer's risk and responsibility, and we will not be liable for acts or omissions of third party packers or shippers.

(d) Phillips will require presentation of government-issued identification prior to release of a lot to the buyer or the buyer's authorized representative.

8 FAILURE TO COLLECT PURCHASES

(a) If the buyer pays the Purchase Price but fails to collect a purchased lot within 30 days of the auction, the buyer will incur a late collection fee of CHF10 per day for each uncollected lot. We will not release purchased lots to the buyer until all such charges have been paid in full.

(b) If a purchased lot is paid for but not collected within six months of the auction, the buyer authorizes Phillips, upon notice, to arrange a resale of the item by auction or private sale, with estimates and a reserve set at Phillips's reasonable discretion. The proceeds of such sale will be applied to pay for storage charges and any other outstanding costs and expenses owed by the buyer to Phillips or our affiliated companies and the remainder will be forfeited unless collected by the buyer within two years of the original auction.

9 REMEDIES FOR NON-PAYMENT

(a) Without prejudice to any rights the seller may have, if the buyer without prior agreement fails to make payment of the Purchase Price for a lot in cleared funds within seven days of the auction, Phillips may in our sole discretion exercise one or more of the following remedies: (i) store the lot at Phillips's premises or elsewhere at the buyer's sole risk and expense; (ii) cancel the sale of the lot, retaining any partial payment of the Purchase Price as liquidated damages; (iii) reject future bids from the buyer or render such bids subject to payment of a deposit; (iv) charge interest at 12% per annum from the date payment became due until the date the Purchase Price is received in cleared funds; (v) subject to notification of the buyer, exercise a lien over any of the buyer's property which is in the possession of Phillips and instruct our affiliated companies to exercise a lien over any of the buyer's property which is in their possession and, in each case, no earlier than 30 days from the date of such notice arrange the sale of such property and apply the proceeds to the amount owed to Phillips or any of our affiliated companies after the deduction from sale proceeds of our standard vendor's commission, all sale-related expenses and any applicable taxes thereon; (vi) resell the lot by auction or private sale, with estimates and a reserve set at Phillips's reasonable discretion, it being understood that in the event such resale is for less than the original hammer price and buyer's premium for that lot, the buyer will remain liable for the shortfall together with all costs incurred in such resale; (vii) commence legal proceedings to recover the hammer price and buyer's premium for that lot, together with interest and the costs of such proceedings; (viii) set off the outstanding amount remaining unpaid by the buyer against any amounts which we or any of our affiliated companies may owe the buyer in any other transactions; (ix) release the name and address of the buyer to the seller to enable the seller to commence legal proceedings to recover the amounts due and legal costs; or (x) take such other action as we deem necessary or appropriate.

(b) The buyer irrevocably authorizes Phillips to exercise a lien over the buyer's property which is in our possession upon notification by any of our affiliated companies that the buyer is in default of payment. Phillips will notify the buyer of any such lien. The buyer also irrevocably authorizes Phillips, upon notification by any of our affiliated companies that the buyer is in default of payment, to pledge the buyer's property in our possession by actual or constructive delivery to our affiliated company as security for the payment of any outstanding amount due. Phillips will notify the buyer if the buyer's property has been delivered to an affiliated company by way of pledge.

(c) If the buyer is in default of payment, the buyer irrevocably authorizes Phillips to instruct any of our affiliated companies in possession of the buyer's property to deliver the property by way of pledge as the buyer's agent to a third party instructed by Phillips to hold the property on our behalf as security for the payment of the Purchase Price and any other amount due and, no earlier than 30 days from the date of written notice to the buyer, to sell the property in such manner and for such consideration as can reasonably be obtained on a forced sale basis and to apply the proceeds to any amount owed to Phillips or any of our affiliated companies after the deduction from sale proceeds of our standard vendor's commission, all sale-related expenses and any applicable taxes thereon.

10 RESCISSION BY PHILLIPS

Phillips shall have the right, but not the obligation, to rescind a sale without notice to the buyer if we reasonably believe that there is a material breach of the seller's representations and warranties or the Authorship Warranty or an adverse claim is made by a third party. Upon notice of Phillips election to rescind the sale, the buyer will promptly return the lot to Phillips, and we will then refund the Purchase Price paid to us. As described more fully in Paragraph 13 below, the refund shall constitute the sole remedy and recourse of the buyer against Phillips and the seller with respect to such rescinded sale.

11 EXPORT, IMPORT AND ENDANGERED SPECIES LICENCES AND PERMITS

Before bidding for any property, prospective buyers are advised to make their own enquiries as to whether a licence is required to export a lot from Switzerland or to import it into another country. Prospective buyers are advised that some countries prohibit the import of property made of or incorporating plant or animal material, such as coral, crocodile, ivory, whalebone, Brazilian rosewood, rhinoceros horn or tortoiseshell, irrespective of age, percentage or value. Accordingly, prior to bidding, prospective buyers considering export of purchased lots should familiarize themselves with relevant export and import regulations of the countries concerned. Please note that the US prohibits the importation of any item containing African elephant ivory. Asian elephant ivory may be imported in to the US only if accompanied by independent scientific analysis of continent of origin and confirmation the object is more than 100 years old.

With regard to any item containing endangered species other than elephant ivory, an importer into the US must provide documented evidence of the species identification and age of an object in order to demonstrate that the item qualifies as an antique. This will require the buyer to obtain an independent appraisal certify the species of endangered material on the object and certifying that the object is not less than 100 years of age. A prospective buyer planning to import an object containing endangered species into the US may not rely on Phillips cataloguing to establish the species of endangered material on the object or to establish the age of the object and must consult with a qualified independent appraiser prior to placing a bid on the lot.

It is solely the buyer's responsibility to comply with these laws and to obtain any necessary export, import and endangered species licences or permits. Failure to obtain a licence or permit or delay in so doing will not justify the cancellation of the sale or any delay in making full payment for the lot. As a courtesy to clients, Phillips has marked in the catalogue lots containing potentially regulated plant or animal material, but we do not accept liability for errors or for failing to mark lots containing protected or regulated species.

12 DATA PROTECTION

(a) In connection with the supply of auction and related services, or as required by law, Phillips may ask clients to provide personal data. Phillips may take and retain a copy of government-issued identification such as a passport or driving license. We will use your personal data (i) to provide auction and related services; (ii) to enforce these Conditions of Sale; (iii) to carry out identity and credit checks; (iv) to implement and improve the management and operations of our business and (v) for other purposes set out in our Privacy Policy published on the Phillips website at www.phillips.com (the "Privacy Policy") and available on request by emailing dataprotection@phillips.com. By agreeing to these Conditions of Sale, you consent our use of your personal data, including sensitive personal data, in accordance with the Privacy Policy. The personal data we may collect and process is listed, and sensitive personal data is defined, in our Privacy Policy. Phillips may also, from time to time, send you promotional and marketing materials about us and our services. If you would prefer not to receive such information, please email us at dataprotection@phillips.com. Please also email us at this address to receive information about your personal data or to advise us if the personal data we hold about you is inaccurate or out of date.

(b) In order to provide our services, we may disclose your personal data to third parties, including professional advisors, shippers and credit agencies. We will disclose, share with and transfer your personal data to Phillips's affiliated persons (natural or legal) for administration, sale and auction related purposes, including to persons outside the European Economic Area (EEA), where national laws may not provide an equivalent level of protection to personal data as that provided within the EEA. You expressly consent to such transfer of your personal data, including sensitive personal data, outside the EEA. We will not sell, rent or otherwise transfer any of your personal data to third parties except as otherwise expressly provided in this Paragraph 12.

(c) Phillips's premises may be subject to video surveillance and recording. Telephone calls (e.g., telephone bidding) may also be recorded. We may process that information in accordance with our Privacy Policy.

13 LIMITATION OF LIABILITY

(a) Subject to sub-paragraph (e) below, the total liability of Phillips, our affiliated companies and the seller to the buyer in connection with the sale of a lot shall be limited to the Purchase Price actually paid by the buyer for the lot.

(b) Except as otherwise provided in this Paragraph 13, none of Phillips, any of our affiliated companies or the seller (i) is liable for any errors or omissions, whether orally or in writing, in information provided to prospective buyers by Phillips or any of our affiliated companies or (ii) accepts responsibility to any bidder in respect of acts or omissions, whether negligent or otherwise, by Phillips or any of our affiliated companies in connection with the conduct of the auction or for any other matter relating to the sale of any lot.

(c) All warranties other than the Authorship Warranty, express or implied, including any warranty of satisfactory quality and fitness for purpose, are specifically excluded by Phillips, our affiliated companies and the seller to the fullest extent permitted by law.

(d) Subject to sub-paragraph (e) below, none of Phillips, any of our affiliated companies or the seller shall be liable to the buyer for any loss or damage beyond the refund of the Purchase Price referred to in sub-paragraph (a) above, whether such loss or damage is characterised as direct, indirect, special, incidental or consequential, or for the payment of interest on the Purchase Price to the fullest extent permitted by law.

(e) No provision in these Conditions of Sale shall be deemed to exclude or limit the liability of Phillips or any of our affiliated companies to the buyer in respect of any fraud or fraudulent misrepresentation made by any of us or in respect of death or personal injury caused by our negligent acts or omissions.

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(b) Notices to Phillips shall be in writing and addressed to the department in charge of the sale, quoting the reference number specified at the beginning of the sale catalogue. Notices to clients shall be addressed to the last address notified by them in writing to Phillips.

(c) These Conditions of Sale are not assignable by any buyer without our prior written consent but are binding on the buyer's successors, assigns and representatives.

(d) Should any provision of these Conditions of Sale be held void, invalid or unenforceable for any reason, the remaining provisions shall remain in full force and effect. No failure by any party to exercise, nor any delay in exercising, any right or remedy under these Conditions of Sale shall act as a waiver or release thereof in whole or in part.

16 LAW AND JURISDICTION

(a) The rights and obligations of the parties with respect to these Conditions of Sale and Authorship Warranty, the conduct of the auction and any matters related to any of the foregoing shall be governed by and interpreted in accordance with Swiss law.

(b) For the benefit of Phillips, all bidders and sellers agree that the ordinary courts of the Canton of Geneva, Switzerland are to have exclusive jurisdiction to settle all disputes arising in connection with all aspects of all matters or transactions to which these Conditions of Sale and Authorship Warranty relate or apply, subject to appeal to the Federal Tribunal. All parties agree that Phillips shall retain the right to bring proceedings in any court other than the ordinary courts of the Canton of Geneva.

(c) All bidders and sellers irrevocably consent to service of process or any other documents in connection with proceedings in any court by facsimile transmission, personal service, delivery by mail or in any other manner permitted by Swiss law, the law of the place of service or the law of the jurisdiction where proceedings are instituted at the last address of the bidder or seller known to Phillips.

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(b) In any claim for breach of the Authorship Warranty, Phillips reserves the right, as a condition to rescinding any sale under this warranty, to require the buyer to provide to us at the buyer's expense the written opinions of two recognized experts approved in advance by Phillips. We shall not be bound by any expert report produced by the buyer and reserve the right to consult our own experts at our expense. If Phillips agrees to rescind a sale under the Authorship Warranty, we shall refund to the buyer the reasonable costs charged by the experts commissioned by the buyer and approved in advance by us.

(c) Subject to the exclusions set forth in subparagraph (a) above, the buyer may bring a claim for breach of the Authorship Warranty provided that (i) he or she has notified Phillips in writing within three months of receiving any information which causes the buyer to question the authorship of the lot, specifying the auction in which the property was included, the lot number in the auction catalogue and the reasons why the authorship of the lot is being questioned and (ii) the buyer returns the lot to Phillips to the salesroom in which it was purchased in the same condition as at the time of its auction and is able to transfer good and marketable title in the lot free from any third party claim arising after the date of the auction. Phillips has discretion to waive any of the foregoing requirements set forth in this subparagraph (c) or subparagraph (b) above.

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