AQUADATE

Chrono

USER MANUAL

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The Eberhard & Co. watch manufactory was founded by Georges-Lucien Eberhard at La Chaux-de-Fonds back in 1887. Ever since, the venture has specialised in the making of chronographs.

In this capacity, it has attained a highly respected position in the world of high-grade watches. With the introduction, at a later stage, of sportively elegant watches it has furthermore augmented this status of the Eberhard & Co. brand name.

Eberhard's success story is backed by consistent deployment of advanced technology, meticulous craftsmanship and, not least, by observing that long tradition of superior workmanship which has made Swiss watchmaking a household name.

Today, with well over 130 years gone by, watches by Eberhard & Co. continue to stand for that high-grade quality and those excellent virtues which will please even the most demanding of connoisseurs.

Aquadate Chrono

The Aquadate collection, launched in the 1960s, now includes a new chronograph version ot his unique timepiece.
Animated by a calibre that is proven to be robust and reliable, "Aquadate Chrono" has a 41 mm case. The dial, available in different colours, is enriched by a "vagues-droites" decoration and the shield — symbol of the Maison — at 12 o'clock while on the steel bezel some polished knurls stand out. The date window at 6 o'clock is easy to read and the piece is water resistant to 100 metres. The model comes with a steel bracelet.
With its essential lines and extreme elegance, "Aquadate Chrono" is an unmistakeable model, perfect for anybody looking for a charming accessory that can be worn any time, from formal occasions to leisure activities.

INFORMATION REGARDING THE INTERNATIONAL GUARANTEE

We hereby guarantee your Eberhard & Co. watch against any defects in manufacture or materials for a period of 24 months, subject to normal conditions of use.
This guarantee does not cover:
- damage caused by improper technical handling or by shocks
- wear to the strap, glass, crown or any other part during normal watch use
- any possible shipping and insurance costs.
For technical revisions of the Eberhard & Co. "Aquadate Chrono" model please contact only technical service facilities authorised by Eberhard & Co.
We recommend to have the movement checked and overhauled every three years.
For our part, we shall always endeavour to give full satisfaction.

A Push button to start and stop the chronograph
B Push button for setting to zero all hands of the chronograph
C Winding crown
D Hours-hand of the watch
E Minutes-hand of the watch

F Small continuous seconds-hand
G Centre-seconds-hand counter of the chronograph
H 30-minutes chronograph register-hand
I Date indicator

FEATURES
The "Aquadate Chrono" has a mechanical automatic-winding movement. Screwed-in crown and vaulted sapphire glass, the caseback is fixed with 8 screws.

From this collection, the following version is available:
– Case in stainless steel with steel bracelet.
  Water-resistant down to 100 m.

READING THE DIAL
On the "Aquadate Chrono" dial there are 2 counters which have the following functions:
– Small continuous seconds-hand **F**
– 30-minutes chronograph register-hand **H**
The chronograph seconds are given by the centre-hand **G**
The calendar is situated at 6.

PUSHBUTTONS
Make sure pushbuttons are always pressed in following order:
A : start
A : stop
B : return to zero
Abide by this sequence quite severely so as to preclude damage to the mechanism.
Never make use of the push-buttons under water since they are not watertight while being pressed.
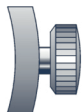
USE OF THE CROWN

POSITION A - Screwed-in crown, guaranteed water-resistance

POSITION B - TWINDING OF THE WATCH – To unscrew the crown turn it counter-clockwise.
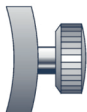When it is unscrewed, turn it clockwise to transmit the manual charge to the movement. If your "Aquadate Chrono" has not been worn for some time, the automatic movement has to be winded manually, in order to obtain an immediate sufficient power-reserve and to ensure an accurate working of the watch.

POSITION C - RAPID DATE-SETTING: Pull the crown to the first catch.
Turning the crown clockwise you will operate for setting the desired date.
IMPORTANT: Never make the correction of the date between 10 p.m. and 1 a.m.

POSITION D - TIME SETTING – Pull the crown to the second catch to set the time.

IMPORTANT
To set back the crown, push it lightly against the watch case while twisting it clockwise until it is fully screwed back in.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE CHRONOGRAPH

Press the push-button **A** to start the chronograph mechanism. Press the push-button a second time to stop the chronograph mechanism. You can now read on the counters how many seconds **G** and minutes **H** have elapsed. Press the push-button again and the chronograph will restart from the intermediate stop. To return to zero, the chronograph must be in the stop position.

Press the second push-button **B** and all hands will return to zero. You are advised not to leave the chronograph mechanism operating continuously.

EFFECTS FROM MAGNETIC FIELDS

It is recommended that you do not leave your watch near electronic equipment (e.g. televisions – cell phones – refrigerators – microwave ovens – radio alarms etc.), which could, even at short distances, give off magnetic fields capable of magnetizing several components of the mechanical movement, causing variations in operational precision. In case of magnetization, the movement must undergo a simple demagnetizing procedure.

CARE OF WATERPROOF WATCHES

The "Aquadate Chrono" model can be worn in the shower, for diving and snorkelling, but is not designed for deep water diving.

Important: it is recommended that you check the crown is properly seated before any contact with water. After use in seawater, always gently rinse your watch with fresh water. Be careful not to pull out the crown when the watch is wet. It is recommended that the watch's waterproofing is checked annually at one of our authorised service centres, who will inform you if the seals need to be replaced.