



C8 UTC Worldtimer

Owner's handbook

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Time on your side...

Your Christopher Ward watch has been designed and engineered by highly talented craftspeople to ensure not only accurate and precise timekeeping but also to give you a real pride of ownership that only luxury items of the highest quality can deliver.

You've made an investment, a good one, and the aim of this handbook is to help you make the most of it during what I hope will be a lifetime of ownership.



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C8 UTC Worldtimer

Aviation is something we take for granted, thinking nothing about circling the globe in flying metal tubes and meeting colleagues for lunch on a different continent. But the new Christopher Ward C8 UTC Worldtimer reminds us of the wonder of flying: linking the design of classic military aviation with the possibilities of modern jet travel in one ingenious, and very beautiful, watch.



The watch takes its design cues from the rest of the C8 Flyer Collection, which references the Smith's Mark II A clock used in Spitfires during World War II. All carry engravings of the historic aviation wind tunnels in Farnborough where the aerodynamics of British aircraft like the Spitfire and Concorde were honed.

Perhaps the most striking feature of the timepiece is the two-piece dial, which features a crown-operated worldtimer bezel showing prominent international cities, meaning the wearer can immediately work out the time anywhere on Earth. For those looking to keep track of one timezone in particular, the 24-hour UTC hand will be an invaluable tool.

The military feel is continued with the large Arabic numerals, raised indexes and 'pipette' hands, all of which are coated with Super-Luminova for visibility at low light.



Technical information

Features

- Swiss made
- Self-winding mechanical movement with UTC function
- 42-hour power reserve
- Date calendar
- Central hacking seconds
- Anti-shock system
- Marine-grade stainless steel case (or black diamond-like carbon steel case)
- Screw-in back plate with Farnborough wind tunnel design
- Anti-reflective sapphire crystal
- Bi-directional rotating internal bezel displaying international destinations
- T-C1 Super-LumiNova coating on hands and indices (or Light Old Radium Super-LumiNova on the black DLC version)

- Gun-metal hands
- Vintage finish leather strap with hand-sewn whip stitch

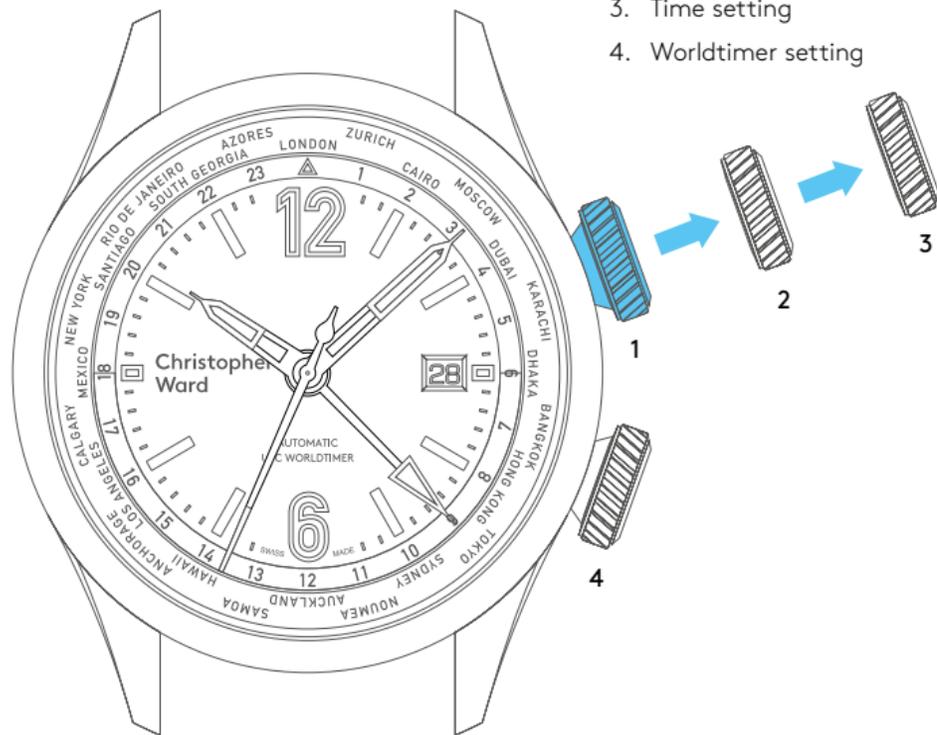
Technical information

Diameter:	44mm
Height:	11.5mm
Weight:	88g
Calibre:	ETA 2893-2
Case:	316L stainless steel
Water Resistance:	5 ATM (50 metres)
Vibrations:	28,800 per hour (4 Hz)
Timing tolerance:	±20 seconds per day
Lug to lug:	53.2mm
Strap:	22mm



Setting the time/date

1. Manual winding
2. Date and UTC setting
3. Time setting
4. Worldtimer setting



The crown should sit flush to the case (position 1) in order to maintain water resistance.

- To re-power the watch after a period of non-use, simply wind the crown in a clockwise direction. Your C8 UTC Worldtimer has a maximum power reserve of 42 hours when fully wound. Normal wearing will allow the rotor to start re-powering the watch over time after putting it on your wrist
- Pull gently into position 2. For rapid date correction, turn in an anti-clockwise direction. To set the 24-hour UTC hand, turn in a clockwise direction.
- To set the time pull out the crown gently into position 3. This position is used for handsetting and stopping of the second hand. Turn the crown until you reach the correct time e.g. 10.08 hr. For precise time setting it is recommended to pass beyond the desired minute and to set the hand backwards.

PLEASE NOTE: Date correction should not be carried out between 20.00 hr and 02.00 hr as the watch gearing will already be aligning itself to change the date.

Setting the UTC hand

How to use the UTC hand if you're travelling

Set the time in your new destination by pulling the top crown (A) into position 3 and move the hour/minute hands until they indicate the desired time. Push crown into position 2 and wind, clockwise, the UTC hand around the inner 24-hour dial ring until you have the right time at home. E.g If you're travelling from London at 12:10 to New York (Figure 1),

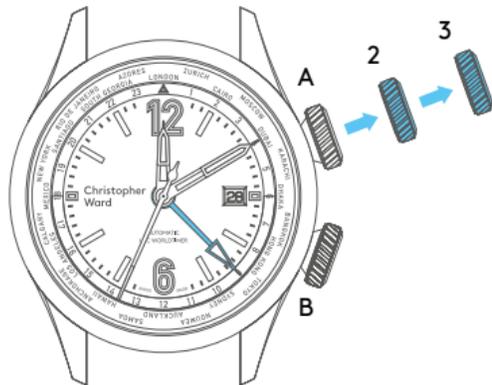


Figure 1

you would turn the hour/minute hands to 7:10 (NY time is five hours behind London) and wind the UTC hand around to the 12:00 position (Figure 2).

Once set, it means that, for example, you can ring your friends and family without waking them in the middle of the night.

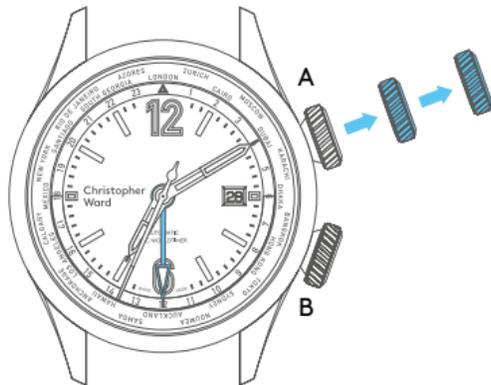
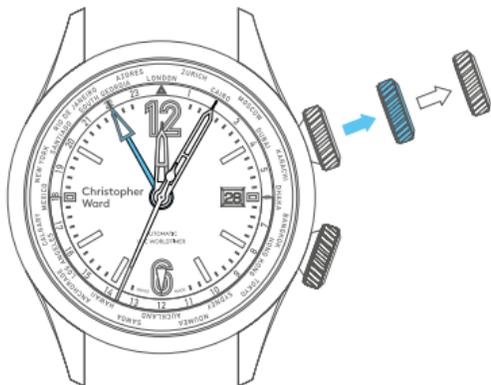


Figure 2

How to use the UTC hand if you're staying at home

If you have relatives or work colleagues in another timezone, you can use the UTC hand to mark what time it is in their country. Just gently pull the top crown (A) into position 2, then use the 24-hour dial ring (note the contrasting 'day', and 'night' sections) to set the time there. E.g. If the UTC in London is 12:05, in Australia it would be 22:05 (+10 hours).



Using the inner bezel

The inner rotating bezel with capital cities has no relationship to the UTC hand. Instead it's a tool to gauge the time instantly in another part of the world. By rotating the inner bezel of your watch to the current UTC time, you can see the time in the other time zones separated by a full hour.

To set the bezel to a specific city location, rotate the lower crown (B) clockwise or anti-clockwise until your home time zone reaches the current time on the 24-hour inner dial ring (e.g. if you're in the UK and it's 2pm, move 'London' to 14.00). From there you can work out the time in any part of the world (eg: at 14.00 in the UK, it's 22.00 in Hong Kong).





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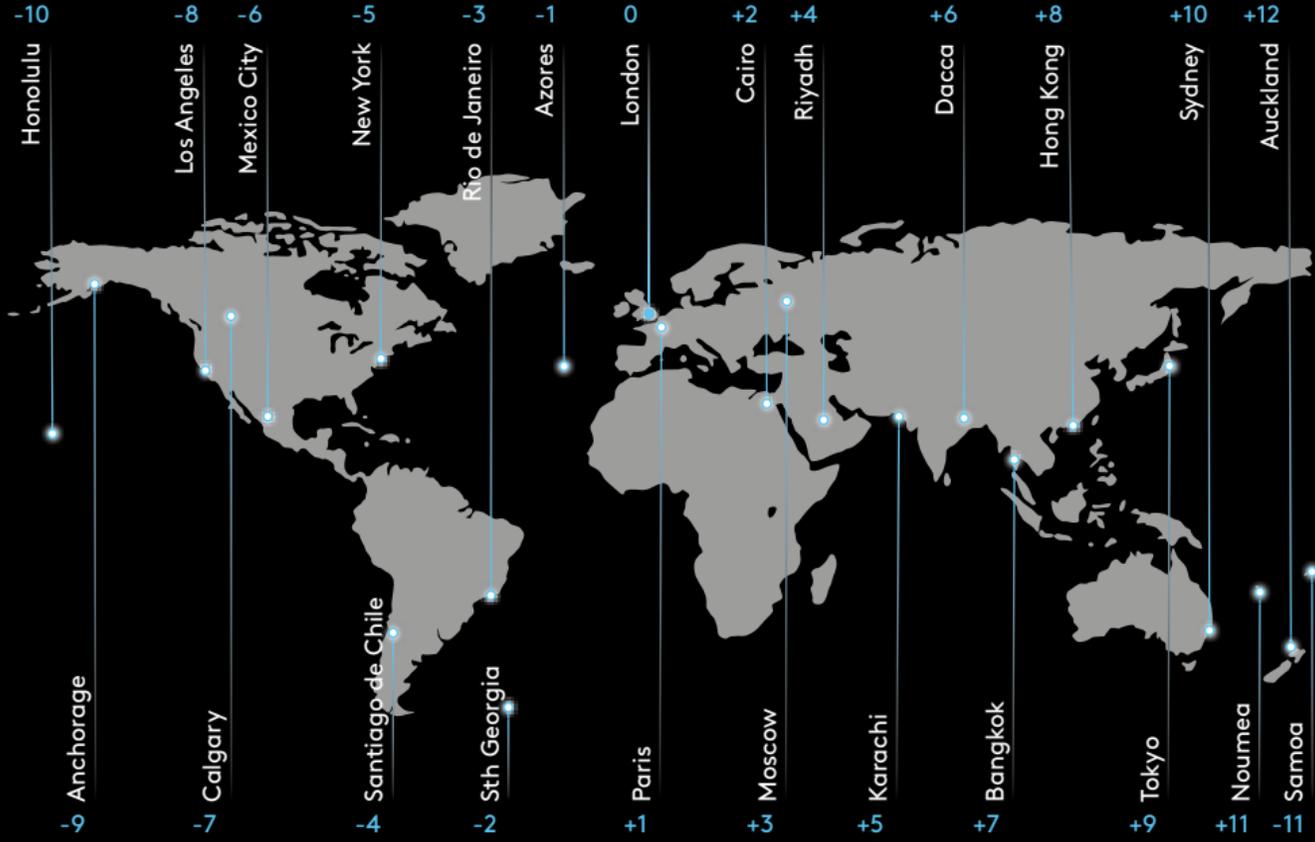
Coordinated Universal Time

Coordinated Universal Time (UTC) is the common time standard across the world.

This 24-hour time standard is kept using highly precise atomic clocks combined with the Earth's rotation. Greenwich Mean Time (GMT) is often interchanged or confused with UTC, but GMT is a time zone and UTC is a time standard.

UTC time standard

0	London	+12	Auckland
+1	Paris	-11	Samoa
+2	Cairo	-10	Honolulu
+3	Moscow	-9	Anchorage
+4	Riyadh	-8	Los Angeles
+5	Karachi	-7	Calgary
+6	Dacca	-6	Mexico City
+7	Bangkok	-5	New York
+8	Hong Kong	-4	Santiago de Chile
+9	Tokyo	-3	Rio de Janeiro
+10	Sydney	-2	South Georgia
+11	Noumea	-1	Azores



Water resistance

Although your watch has been through vigorous static pressure testing, it is worth remembering that there are many variables that can affect the water resistance of your watch.

For instance, arm movements during swimming and the sudden impact of diving and water sports will drastically increase the pressure the watch is under. Wearing your watch in the bath, shower, or sauna can also have an effect as a rapid increase in temperature can cause seals to expand and in extreme cases, malfunction or create condensation.

For these reasons, the water resistance rating of your watch (as shown) should only ever be considered a guideline and we strongly recommend they are always adhered to.



1 ATM (10 metres)

Safe to wear your watch while washing your hands with tap water.



3 ATM (30 metres)

Washing your car and/or general hose pipe usage.



5 ATM (50 metres)

Water resistant to most household shower units.



15 ATM (150 metres)

Safe to use while snorkelling in open water.



30 ATM (300 metres)

Ideal for experienced divers and those practising scuba-diving.



50 ATM (500 metres)

Professional divers, experiencing prolonged exposure underwater.



100 ATM (1000 metres)

Professional deep sea diving.

Our watch care programme

Your watch is constructed from the finest components and materials available including one of Switzerland's finest mechanical movements. As with all watches of this quality, with the right care and attention, your new Christopher Ward watch has the potential to become an heirloom piece giving further joy to future generations. It's for this reason we have created our industry leading approach to after-sales care, starting with our famous 60|60 Guarantee which remains the most comprehensive guarantee in the world of watchmaking.

Visit our website for more details about our 60|60 Guarantee and Service and Repair Programme.

60|60 Guarantee

1. 60 Day free returns

Our success depends on you being completely happy with your new Christopher Ward watch. You have up to 60 days to return your watch, absolutely free of charge, and receive a replacement or full refund by return – so long as it has not been worn and is returned in box-perfect condition.

2. 60 Month movement guarantee

Your watch, at its heart, has a top quality precision engineered Swiss movement – so it's very unlikely to give you problems with the minimum amount of care and attention, including a regular service. We recommend you return your watch to us every 3/4 years for a service, so our expert technicians can keep your fine timepiece in peak condition.

Servicing and repairs...the Christopher Ward way...

Our innovative approach to servicing and repairing your Christopher Ward watch means that having your watch serviced or repaired doesn't mean months of waiting followed by an exorbitant bill – which is more or less the experience guaranteed by every other luxury watch brand. We have developed an easy, quick and affordable expert service and repairs programme that doesn't cost the earth and has your watch back where it belongs – on your wrist – in double-quick time.

Keeping in touch with Christopher Ward

From small beginnings just a few short years ago (our first workshop was actually a refurbished chicken shed!), Christopher Ward has won a worldwide following for his eponymous watch brand and can justifiably claim to manufacture the most affordable luxury watches in the world.

For many, the philosophy behind the brand, of trying to put luxury watches within the reach of everyone, is as attractive as the watches themselves, as is the very open approach of the business which means that Chris and the team spend a lot of time communicating personally with our customers – many of whom have become friends.

As the owner of a Christopher Ward watch, if ever you need to get hold of us we are at your service. We have listed some useful contact details on the back cover.

There is also always something new going on at our website at **www.christopherward.co.uk** and, if you haven't already discovered the independent forum dedicated to our brand at **www.christopherwardforum.com** we would recommend a visit. Informative and fun, it's a great place to hear the unexpurgated view of Christopher Ward.



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