

C65 Chronograph

Owner's Handbook



Time on your side

Your Christopher Ward watch has been designed in Britain and engineered in Switzerland by highly talented craftspeople. This ensures not only accurate and precise timekeeping, but also brings a real pride of ownership that only watches of the highest quality standards can hope to deliver.

You have made an investment, a good one, and the aim of this manual is to help you make the most of that investment in what we hope will be a lifetime of ownership.

Mike France
CEO & co-founder



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The late 1960s were a time of experimentation. And that was as true with watchmaking as it was in music, fashion or design.

Your C65 Chronograph is a homage to those incredible, unforgettable times.

Something demonstrated perfectly by that beautifully proportioned dial. With a design inspired by the 'regatta' watches of the 1960s and '70s, its two subdials – one for seconds, the other a 30-minute counter – not only add balance but are also an outward sign of the movement that powers the watch. In this case, the self-winding Sellita SW510 BH α.

Not only is it accurate – it's a Sellita after all – but its chronograph functions enable you to use your watch as a fully equipped stopwatch (the bright orange central-seconds starts when you press the top pusher). If you need to time something, you can now do so instantly and accurately. All without having to reach into your pocket for your phone.

Which brings us back to the dial. The design. The capability on show. The sheer joy of a timing instrument that fuses engineering excellence with the out-there experimentation of the psychedelic era. It's all here. And it's all yours.

Enjoy wearing the C65 Chronograph. It's an honour to have made it for you.

Features

- Swiss made
- 27 jewel self-winding mechanical chronograph
- 48-hour power reserve
- Hour, minute, small second and date calendar with 60 seconds and 30 minutes chronograph indication
- Hacking small seconds
- Anti-shock system
- Tachymeter
- Twin-flag engraving over 'Colimaçoné' finish on the rotor
- Brushed and polished marine-grade stainless steel case
- Embossed screw-down crown and screw-down pushers
- Screw-down exhibition caseback
- Unique engraved serial number
- Unidirectional aluminium bezel
- "Glass box" sapphire crystal
- Sunray finish dial with printed minute markers
- Azzuré subdials with printed colours at 3
- Super-LumiNova® Grade X1 GL C1 hands and indexes
- Polished indexes
- Eco-friendly luxury presentation case and owner's handbook

Technical Information

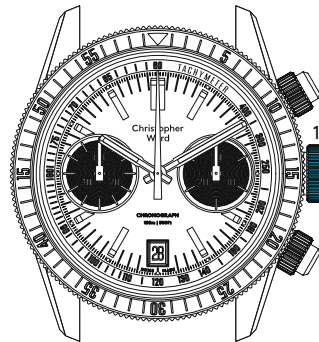
Calibre	Sellita SW510 BH a
Case	316L stainless steel
Diameter	41mm
Height	15mm
Weight	83g
Water resistance	15 ATM (150 metres)
Vibrations	28,800 per hour (4 Hz)
Timing tolerance	-20/+20 seconds per day
Lug to lug	47.1mm
Strap width	22mm



Setting the time and date

For a superior water resistance your crown is of the screw-down type. The crown should sit flush to the case (position **1**) in order to maintain water resistance.

- First unscrew the crown anti-clockwise from the case to position **2** for winding in power. Wind in a clockwise direction to re-power the watch. Your C65 Chronograph has a maximum power reserve of 48 hours when fully wound.
- Pull gently into position **3**. For rapid date correction, turn in an anti-clockwise direction.
- Pull gently into position **4** for handsetting and stopping of the seconds hand. For precise time setting it is recommended to pass beyond the desired minute and to set the hand backwards.



1. Crown screw-down position
2. Unscrewed position/manual winding
3. Date setting
4. Time setting

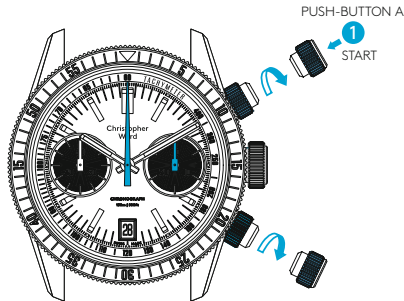
PLEASE NOTE: Date correction should not be carried out between 20.00 hr and 02.00 hr as the watch gearing will already be aligning itself to change the date. The crown should always be pushed in after adjustment, and it is best to do so from position **3** to avoid advancing beyond the desired date.

Using the chronograph

START

First unscrew the pushers anti-clockwise from the case for starting, stopping, restarting and resetting the timing mode.

Press push-button **A** to start timing.



STOP

To stop the timing, press push-button **A** once more and read the 2 chronograph counters, for example: 3 mins / 34 seconds.

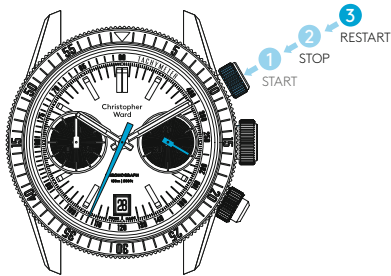
PLEASE NOTE: Before starting the chronograph, reset the chronograph hands to their original position. See the reset section to set the counters to zero.



RESTART/STOP

To restart the timing, press push-button **A** again (timing is resumed).

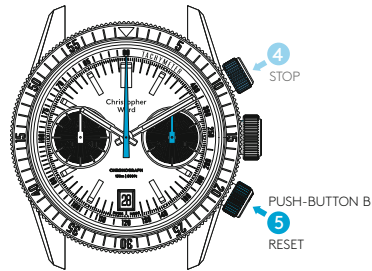
To stop timing press push-button **A** and read the two chronograph counters: 10 mins / 34 seconds.



RESET

To reset the timing, press push-button **B** (The two chronograph hands will be reset to their zero positions).

PLEASE NOTE: Do not operate the chronograph pushers under water in order to prevent water entering the mechanism. Ensure pushers are screwed flush to case.





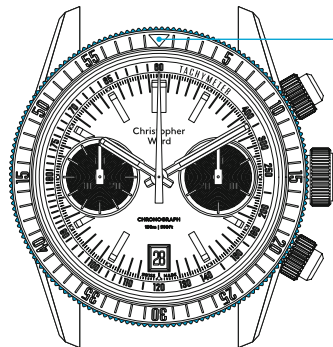
Diving with your watch

If using the bezel for a dive and let's say the recognised maximum "no-stop time" is 55 minutes, then in this example (shown right) the time at the surface immediately before the dive is 10.10am. However the bezel marker is at the 12.00 hr position.

- Move the bezel marker anti-clockwise so that it aligns with the 10 minute position.
- You can now read that the 55 minute no decompression limit will occur at 5 minutes past the next hour.

PLEASE NOTE:

It is always useful and best practice to make a note on a dive slate before entering the water and to carry a set of dive tables should the dive plan change during the course of a dive. A safety stop for 3 to 5 minutes at 15ft is recommended at the end of all dives. A safety stop for 3 minutes at 15ft is required any time you come within 3 pressure groups of a no decompression limit, and for any dive to a depth of 100ft or deeper.



Bezel marker



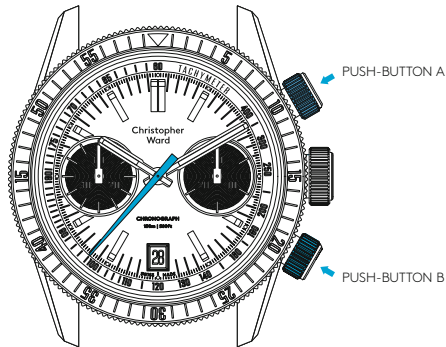
No decompression limit

Start of dive

Using the tachymetric scale to calculate speed

Example: calculating the speed of a racecar over the course of a mile.

1. Record the time the racecar takes to cover a known distance of 1 mile.
2. Read off the speed on the tachymetric scale indicated by the central seconds hand. In this case, the racecar is travelling at 98mph.





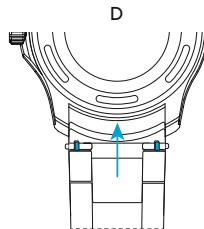
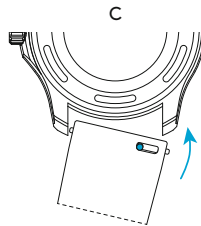
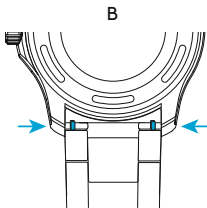
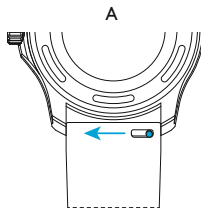
Straps and bracelets

As you would expect, we place as much emphasis on the quality of our straps and bracelets as we do our watches. We only use the finest materials in our straps, with quick-release pins also included for your convenience.

The following guidelines explain how easy it is to use, adjust and replace your Christopher Ward strap or bracelet.

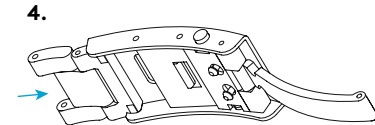
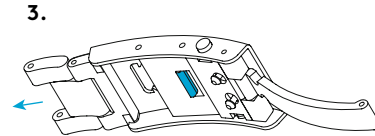
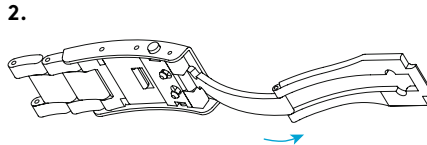
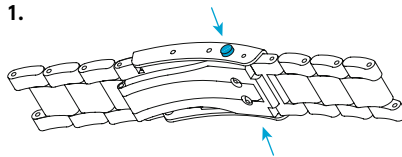
Using the quick-release pins on your strap/bracelet

1. Locate the quick-release pin (or pins) on your strap (A) or bracelet (B). Pull the pin(s) inwards to detach.
2. To reattach your strap (C) or bracelet (D), pull the pin(s) inwards, and align the spring bars so that they click securely into the lug holes on each side.



How to use the micro adjustment on your bracelet

1. Press buttons to release.
2. Pull open the clasp.
3. There are five micro adjustment positions, which allows for a maximum extension of 8.4mm. To extend, pull the lever to unlock and simultaneously pull on the bracelet into the desired position.
4. To shorten, simply push the bracelet back into the clasp.



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



15 ATM (150 metres)

Safe to use while snorkelling in open water



100 ATM (1000 metres)

Professional deep sea diving



3 ATM (30 metres)

Washing your car and/or general hose pipe usage



30 ATM (300 metres)

Ideal for experienced divers and those practising scuba-diving



5 ATM (50 metres)

Water resistant to most household shower units



60 ATM (600 metres)

Professional divers, experiencing prolonged exposure underwater

60|60 Guarantee

Your watch is constructed from the finest components and powered by a Swiss mechanical movement. As with all quality watches, with the right care and attention, your new timepiece has the potential to become an heirloom, giving joy to future generations.

It's for this reason we've created an industry-leading approach to after-sales care, starting with our famous 60|60 Guarantee – the most comprehensive warranty in watchmaking.

60-day free returns

We hope you'll be happy with your watch from the moment it arrives. However, if that's not the case you have 60 days to return it in perfect, unused condition (with all its accompanying paperwork) in order to receive a replacement or full refund.

60-month movement guarantee

Your watch is powered by a precision-engineered Swiss movement. In the rare event that your movement develops a fault within five years we'll repair it for free under warranty. Your watch will need to be sent to us for a full diagnosis before processing a repair under warranty. We will always keep you informed before carrying out any work.

Service and repairs: the Christopher Ward way

Our approach to service and repairs is about uncompromised quality and great value for money. The process, led by our expert technicians, won't cost the earth and will have the watch back on your wrist in reasonable time. We recommend you service your watch every three to four years to keep it in peak condition.

PLEASE NOTE:

The 60|60 Guarantee does not cover accidental damage. Any service or repair by a third-party retailer will void your 60|60 Guarantee. For more details, please visit our website.

Keeping in touch with Christopher Ward

From small beginnings just 18 years ago (our first workshop was actually a refurbished chicken shed!), Christopher Ward has won a worldwide following 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 smart as the watches themselves. The very open approach of the business sees Mike and Peter, as well as the rest of the team, spending lots of time communicating

personally with customers – listening to feedback which helps us continually improve as we grow. As the owner of a Christopher Ward watch, if you ever need to get hold of us we are at your service. There is always something new on our website, across our social media communities and on the Christopher Ward Forum – informative and fun, these are the best places to join the conversation about the latest new releases, news and offers in the world of Christopher Ward.

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