

Geckota

WATCH MANUAL
2020

WELCOME

Thank you for choosing your high quality *Geckota* watch and welcome to the *Geckota* family! Like you, we love receiving watches, so we know you'll want to start enjoying yours immediately...

Please read this owner's handbook before setting and wearing your *Geckota* watch for the first time. This is important because it will help ensure that you get years of enjoyable timekeeping from your *Geckota* watch.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Jon Quinn', set against a light gray rectangular background.

Jonathan Quinn

Founder & Managing Director



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ABOUT US





The Geckota Story

Geckota simply grew from a hobby. Back in 2010, our director Jon Quinn collected, studied and enjoyed watches in his spare time. He was an avid watch geek which led to an idea: to sell watches and watch straps online to like-minded enthusiasts without the high price tag.

We made contact with suppliers and started developing our own range of

watches and watch straps. Doing this meant we had full control over the design, materials, specifications, movements and most importantly, a carefully considered price point.

Our philosophy and work ethic hasn't changed since day one. We all share Jon's original vision for the company and strive to bring quality products to our customers.

OPERATING YOUR WATCH

When you screw the crown down, the watch case locks with the crown's internal threads and gaskets to form a secure seal. The seal is vital for your watch to resist entry of water and dust.



CAUTION After adjusting your watch, always make sure the crown is fully screwed down before getting the watch wet.

TO UNSCREW THE CROWN:

Turn it gently ANTI-CLOCKWISE. Because it is spring loaded and under tension, the crown will 'jump out' slightly into its normal position when fully disengaged.



TO SCREW THE CROWN DOWN:

Push the crown gently towards the case. While holding it down turn it gently ANTI-CLOCKWISE about half a turn.



Then, still holding it down, turn the crown
CLOCKWISE to engage the thread and continue
turning it until it is secure.



CAUTION Cross-threading or over-tightening the screw-down crown may damage your watch.

Setting The Time

1. First, unscrew the crown.
2. Pull the crown out to its final position.



[1, 2]

Setting The Time

3. Turn the crown to set the hour and minute hand.
4. Push the crown back to the normal position.
5. Screw-down the crown.

[3]



1. First, unscrew the crown until it 'jumps out' slightly into its normal position.



[1]

Operating Your Watch

Winding Your Watch *mechanical movements only



2. Wind the watch by turning the crown **CLOCKWISE** 20-55 times.
3. Push the crown back to the normal position.
4. Screw-down the crown.

Operating Your Watch
Setting the Date * where fitted

1. First, unscrew the crown.
2. Pull the crown out to the first-click position.



3. Turn the crown COUNTER CLOCKWISE to set the date
4. Push the crown back to the normal position.
5. Screw-down the crown.

[3]



Operating Your Watch

Chronograph Operation

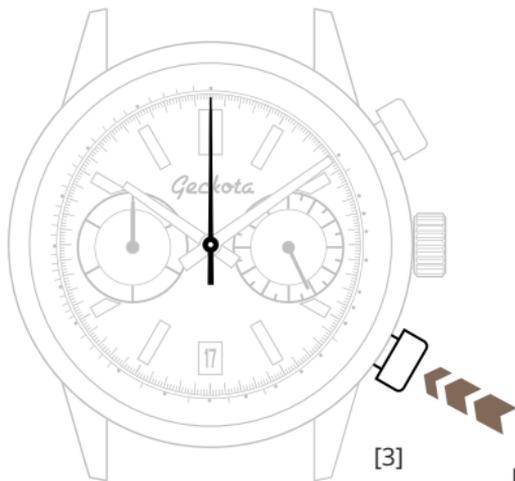
1. To start or stop the chronograph, press the Start/Stop pusher.
2. When the chronograph is stopped, it can be restarted from the same position by pressing the Start/Stop pusher again.



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Operating Your Watch

Chronograph Operation



3. To reset the chronograph, press the reset pusher. The chronograph hand will jump back to the 12 position ('instant reset' function).

NOTE: Pressing the reset pusher during chronograph operation will not cause any problems.

Reset Function

If the chronograph hand positions are incorrect after normal resetting, you can reset them as follows.



1. Pull the screw crown out to the second-click position.

Operating Your Watch

Reset Function

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2. Press the reset pusher and hold it down for two seconds. This will return the hands to their correct positions. Then screw down the crown.

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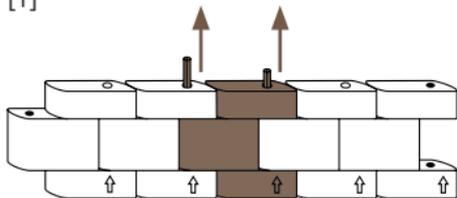


ADJUSTING YOUR STRAP

Adjusting Your Strap

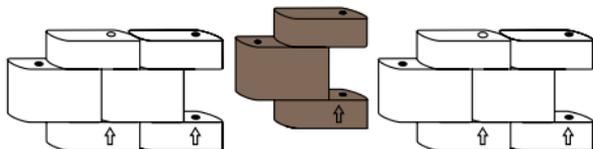
Link Removal

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1. Push pins out using an appropriate tool (we recommend a pin pusher) in the direction of the arrows shown on the strap.

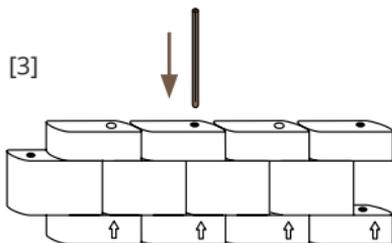
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2. Remove link.

Adjusting Your Strap

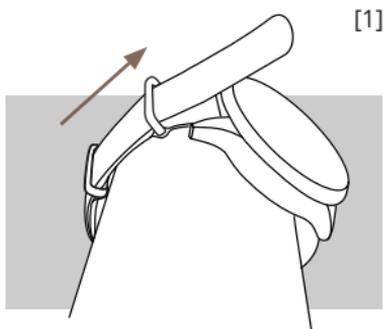
Link Removal



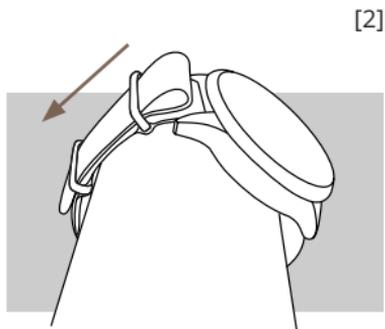
3. Make sure you insert the pin - round end first - in the opposite direction of the guide arrows.

Adjusting Your Strap

Nato Strap



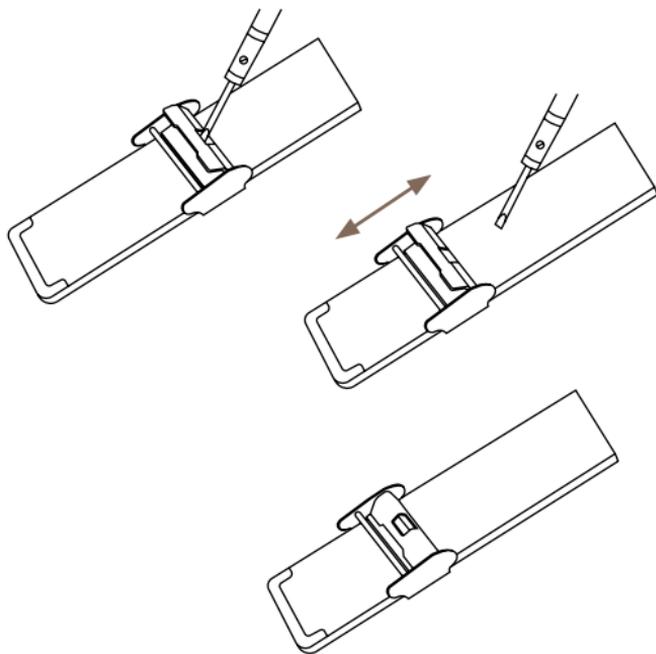
1. Pull the strap through the keepers after you've adjusted it to your wrist.



2. If the strap's too long, fold it back into the keepers.

Adjusting Your Strap

Mesh Strap Adjustment



MOVEMENTS

A selection of movements
used within the *Geckota* range



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JEWELS SWISS MADE

DM171A 164
SW 200-7

Technical Specifications

Movement Type	Automatic
Jewels	25/26
Vibrations Per Hour	28,000 vph
Power Reserve	Around 38 hours
Accuracy	+/- 30 seconds per day
Hacking	Yes
Winding Direction	Bi-directional

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TWENTY-FOUR 24 JEWELS

MIYOTA CO.



Technical Specifications

Movement Type	Automatic
Jewels	24
Vibrations Per Hour	28,000 vph
Power Reserve	Around 42 hours
Accuracy	-10/+30 seconds per day
Hacking	Yes
Winding Direction	Uni-directional



TWENTY-ONE JEWELS

MIYOTA CO. JAPAN

Technical Specifications

Movement Type	Automatic
Jewels	21
Vibrations Per Hour	21,600 vph
Power Reserve	Around 42 hours
Accuracy	-20/+40 seconds per day
Hacking	No
Winding Direction	Uni-directional



Technical Specifications

Movement Type	Manual Wind Tourbillon
Jewels	18
Vibrations Per Hour	28,800 vph
Power Reserve	Around 40 hours
Accuracy	+/-25 seconds per day
Hacking	No



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TWENTY-FOUR JEWELS

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Technical Specifications

Movement Type	Automatic
Jewels	24
Vibrations Per Hour	21,600 vph
Power Reserve	Around 41 hours
Accuracy	-20/+40 seconds per day
Hacking	Yes
Winding Direction	Bi-directional

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Technical Specifications

This hybrid meca-quartz Calibre 64 movement combines quartz and mechanical technologies, making this movement highly accurate using quartz timekeeping but with the look and feel of an expensive mechanical chronograph movement.

Movement Type	Meca-Quartz
Jewels	0
Accuracy	+/-20 seconds per month
Battery Life	3 Years



Technical Specifications

Movement Type	Automatic
Jewels	20
Power Reserve	Around 42 hours
Accuracy	-5/+25 seconds per day



Technical Specifications

Movement Type	Hand Wound
Jewels	19
Vibrations Per Hour	21,600 vph
Power Reserve	Around 38 hours
Accuracy	--3/+17 seconds per day

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THIRTY-FOUR
24 JEWELS

9039

MIYOTA CO.



Technical Specifications

Movement Type	Automatic
Jewels	24
Vibrations Per Hour	28,800 vph
Power Reserve	Around 42 hours
Accuracy	-10/+30 seconds per day
Hacking	Yes

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6321
NO JEWELS
SEIMETSU

EPSON
MOTOLA CO.

Technical Specifications

Movement Type	Quartz
Jewels	0
Accuracy	+/-20 seconds per month
Battery Life	3 Years



Technical Specifications

Movement Type	Automatic
Jewels	25
Vibrations Per Hour	28,800 vph
Power Reserve	Around 38 hours
Accuracy	+/-12 seconds per day
Hacking	Yes

CONTACT US





Keep In Touch

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