PARTS LIST / TECHNICAL GUIDE Cal.6R15A / 6R15B

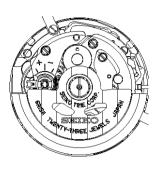
[SPECIFICATION]

Cal. No. 6R15A / 6R15B



-3 Hands (Hour, minute and second hand)

Calendar (Date: Date disk)



Movement size

• Diameter Outside : ϕ 27.4 mm

Casing : ϕ 27.0 mm

•Height : 5.25 mm

Driving system		Automatic winding with manual winding mechanism					
Additional function		Instant date setting device Second hand stop function					
Crown	Normal position	Manual winding (clockwise only)					
position 1st click position Date setting (counter closkwise only) 2nd click position Time setting / Second hand stop function							
Vibratio	ns per hour	21,600 (6 beats per second)					
Loss/	Daily rate	Between +25/-15 seconds per day (worn on the wrist at temperature-range between 5°C and 35°C)					
Gain	Standard rate for measurement		Instantaneous rate at T0 (Fully wound condition) Isochronous			Isochronous fault	
		Testing positions	Dial upward	6 o'clock at the top	9 o'clock at the top	Dial upward	
		Measurement (daily rate in seconds:s/d)	±10 s/d	±15 s/d	±15 s/d	±10 s/d	
Regulation system		ETACHRON system					
Lift angle of the escapement		53°					
Continuous operating time		From fully wound to stoppage: Approximately 50 hours					
Number of Jewels		23 Jewels					

FEATURES

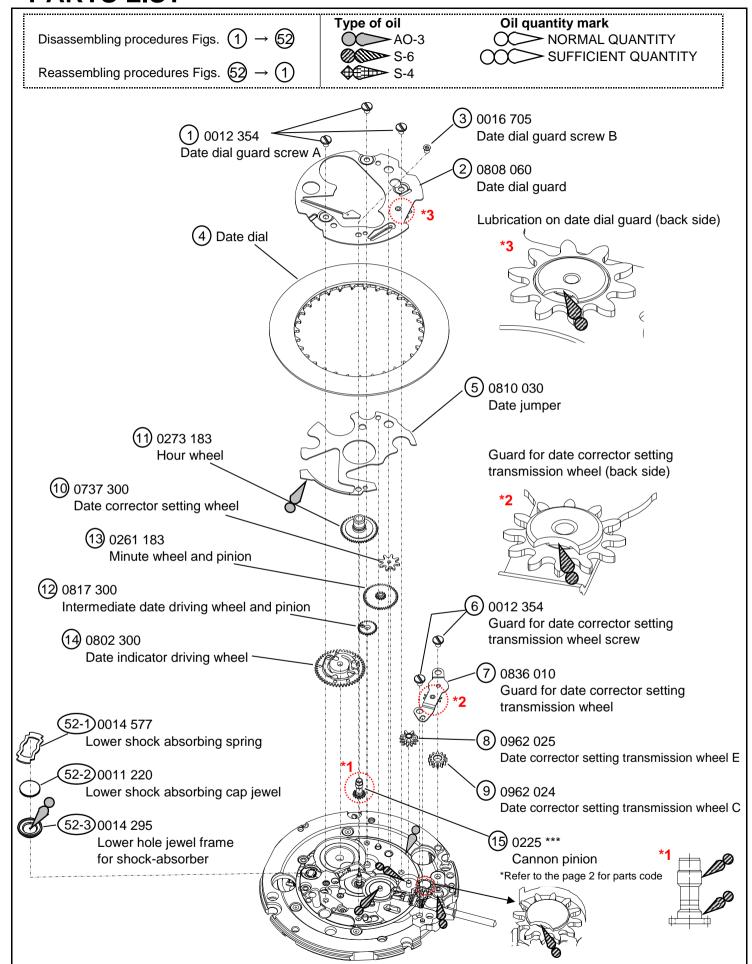
SEIKO Automatic Mechanical Cal. 6R15B is replacement caliber of Cal. 6R15A.

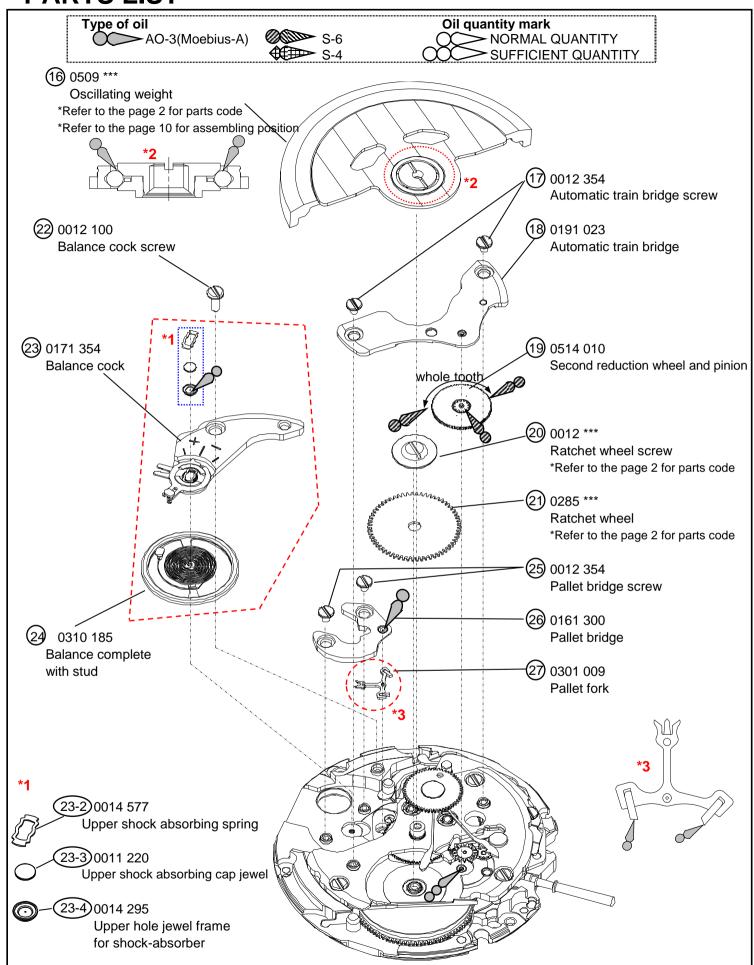
Construction of the B series are the same as A series, but using new parts.

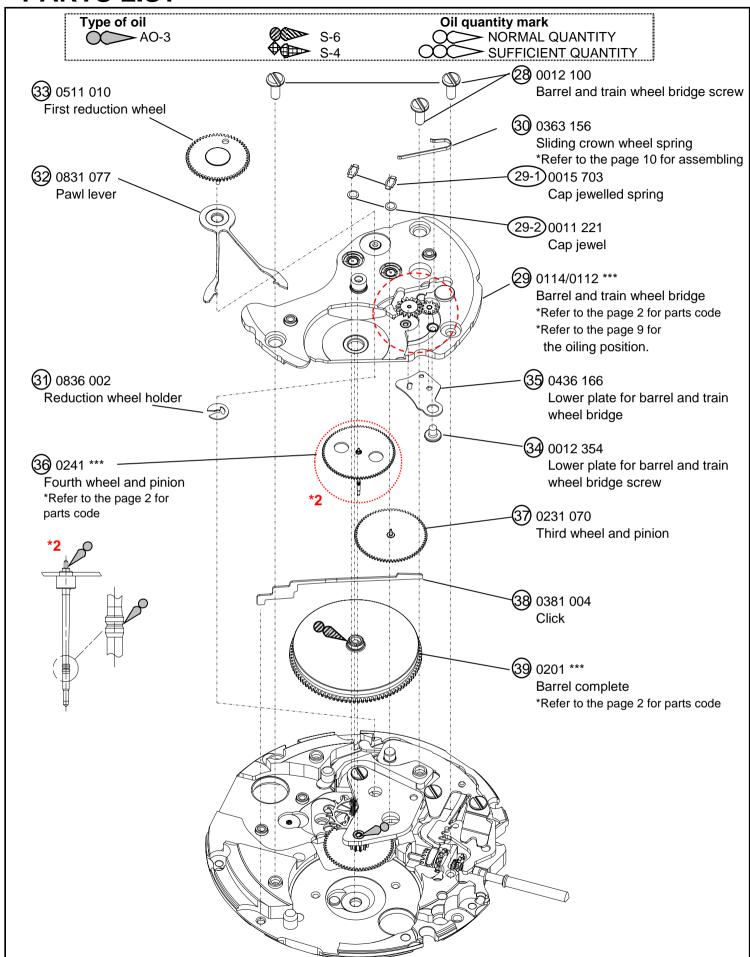
Since the size of movement is same as A series, the complete movement can be assembled into the watches which originally have the A series movement; however, as the parts are not convertible, please use the appropriate parts for each caliber.

Parts Differences Between A series and B series

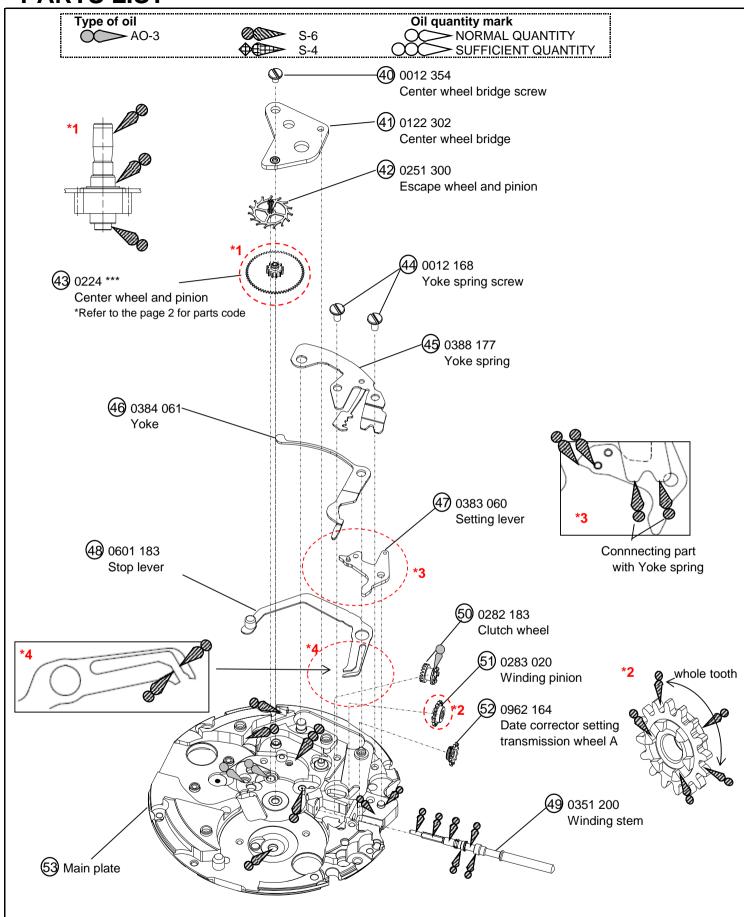
	Parts Name / Cal. No.	6R15A	6R15B	
Hands height		Standard	Standard	Special
15	CANNON PINION	0225 005	0225 005 0225 330	
16	OSCILLATING WEIGHT	0509 264	0509 267	
20	RATCHET WHEEL SCREW	0012 080	0012 919	
21	RATCHET WHEEL	0285 050	0285 051	
29	BARREL AND TRAIN WHEEL BRIDGE	0112 379	0114 348	
36	FOURTH WHEEL AND PINION	0241 010	0241 010 0241 382	
39	BARREL COMPLETE	0201 070	0201 267	
43	CENTER WHEEL AND PINION WITH CANNON PINION	0224 083	0224 086	0224 330







PARTS LIST Cal.6R15A/B



SEIKO WATCH CORPORATION

• CROSS-SECTION VIEW OF THE SCREW PARTS

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Parts No	Name	Parts No	Name	Parts No	Name		
0012 080 (6R15A) 0012 919 (6R15B)	② Ratchet wheel screw	0016 705	3 Date dial guard screw B	0012 354	Center wheel bridge screw Date dial guard screw A (x3)		
		0012 100	Barrel and train (28) wheel bridge screw (×3) Balance bridge screw	0012 334	Guard for date corrector setting transmission wheel screw (×2) Pallet bridge screw		
0012 168	Yoke spring screw (×2)				Lower plate for 34 barrel and train wheel bridge screw Automatic train bridge screw (x2)		

LOCATION OF THE JEWELS

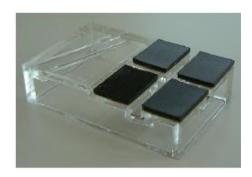
	Up	Upper		Lower		
	Hole Jewel	Cap Jewel	Hole Jewel	Cap Jewel		
Center wheel & pinion	0		0			
Fourth wheel & pinion	0					
Third wheel & pinion	0	0	0			
Escape wheel & pinion	0	0	0			
Pallet fork	0		0			
Balance sprinb	0	0	0	0		
Crown wheel	0					
First reduction wheel	0		0			
Second reduction wheel	0		0			
Entry pallet jewell		Ó				
Exit pallet jewell		0				
Roller jewel		0				
Total	23 jewels					

Remarks

The correct parts for the following are determined based on the design of the cases. Refer to "SEIKO Watch Parts Catalogue" to choose corresponding parts.

- Holding ring for dial
- Date indicator
- Winding stem

- Tools and consumables required for disassembling/reassembling
 - Movement holder UNIVERSAL MOVEMENT HOLDER (S-682)



 Watch oils SEIKO Watch grease S-6 and S-4. Watch oil AO-3 (or Moebius A)

S-6



AO-3

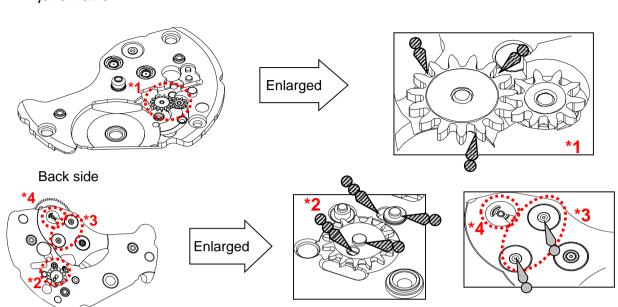


S-4

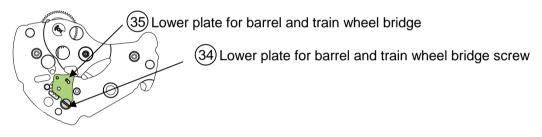


Barrel and train bridge

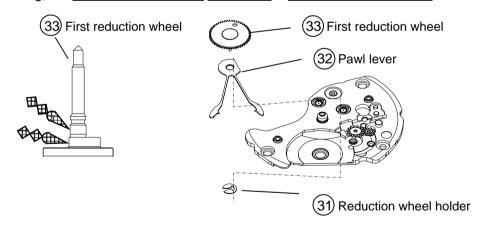
29 Barrel and train wheel bridge jewel frame



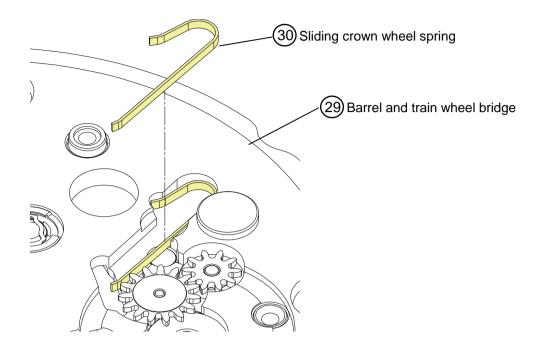
*2 After lublicating, set lower plate for barrel and train wheel bridge & screw



*4 After lublicating, set First reduction wheel, Pawl lever & Reduction wheel holder

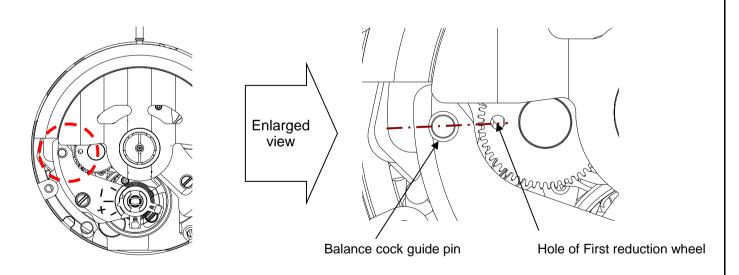


Sliding crown wheel spring



Oscillating weight

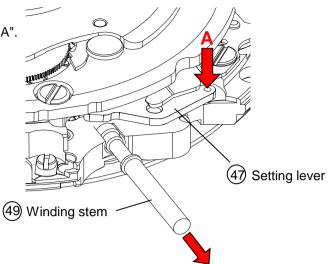
Rotate the First reduction wheel manually until its hole aligns with the guide pin for Balance cock (gilt dot) Then, set the Oscillating weight vertically at the stem side, and tighten the oscillating weight screw.



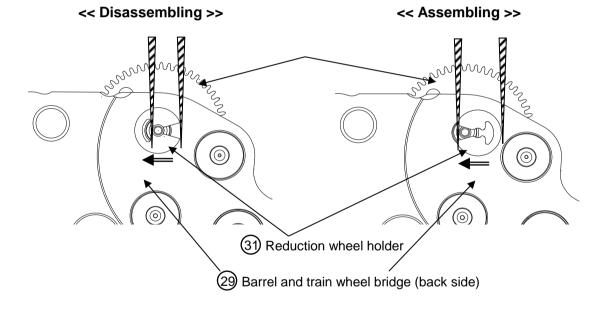
How to remove the winding stem

1) Set the winding stem to normal position.

2) Pull out the winding stem, while pushing "A".



Disassembling/Reassembling of the First reduction wheel

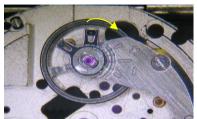


How to remove and install the Balance complete with stud

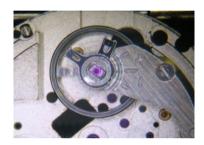
How to remove

1. Initial phase

Move the stud support toward the arrow marked direction until it touches the balance cock.

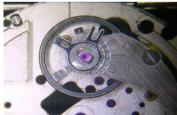


2. Make sure that the outer coil is not removed from the regulator arm.



3. Using sturdy tweezers, push the stud outward from the direction of the arrow shown in the illustration until it is removed from the stud support.





Unscrew the Balance cock screw and remove the Balance cock.



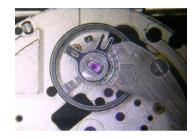
How to install

1. Initial phase

Set a new balance complete with stud to the main plate.



2. Set the Balance cock and tighten the balance cock screw.

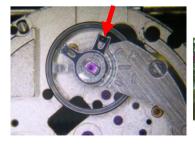


- Temporarily set the stud to the stud support.Make sure that the balance spring passes outside the regulator pin.
 - * Be careful not to damage the balance spring.





- Using sturdy tweezers, set the stud to the stud support and press it down.
 - Make sure that the outer coil passes through the regulator pin slot.
 - * Be careful not to damage the balance spring.





How to regulate the isochronous fault by adjusting the position of the balance-spring

This caliber has the Etachron system for fine regulation of the isochronous fault.

The watch shows a gain trend as amplitude decreases and loses time badly near the end of its useful power reserve. The isochronous fault can be adjusted easily by turning the Regulator pin to make the gap in the slot either larger or smaller.

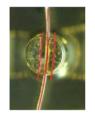
1) Make sure that the Regulator pin is aligned in a vertical position to the Regulator and the balance-spring passes parallel through the slot of the Regulator pin before fine-tuning the STUD and the Regulator pin.

Top side view

REGULATOR PIN



Back side view



Angled view



2) Rotate the STUD in order to align the position of the balance-spring passes through the center of the slot of the Regulator pin.

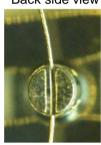
STUD

Top side view



REGULATOR PIN

Back side view



3) Rotate the REGULATOR PIN counterclockwise in order to fine-tune the clearance of the balance-spring passing through the slot of it. Set it to moderate gap to get the stable trend.

REGULATOR PIN

Top side view

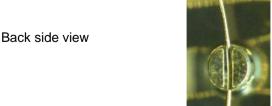
Before rotating



After rotating



Before rotating



(Maximum clearance)

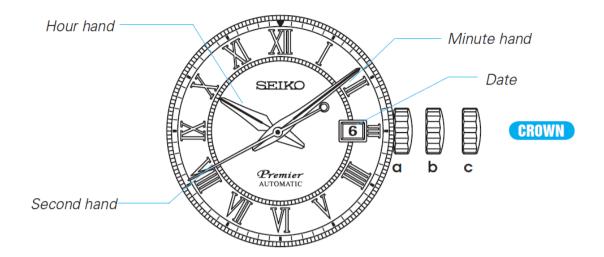


After rotating



(Minimum clearance)

[6R15 operation manual]



1. How to manually wind the mainspring by turning the crown

- 1) Slowly turn the crown clockwise (in the 12 o'clock direction) to wind the mainspring.
- 2) Continue to turn the crown until the mainspring is sufficiently wound. The second hand will start moving.
- 3) Set the time and date before putting the watch on your wrist.

2. How to set the time and date

- Check that the watch is operating, and then set the time and date.
- The watch is provided with a date function and is so designed that the date changes once every 24 hours.

 The date changes around 12 o'clock midnight. If AM/PM is not properly set, the date will change around 12 o'clock noon.
- 1) Pull out the crown to the first click. (The second hand continues moving and the accuracy of the watch is unimpaired.)
- 2) The date can be set by turning the crown counterclockwise. Turn it until the previous day's date appears. Ex.) If today is the 6th of the month, first set the date to "5" by turning the crown counterclockwise.
- 3) Pull out the crown to the second click when the second hand is at the 12 o'clock position. (The second hand stops on the spot.)

Turn the crown to advance the hands until the date changes to the next.

The time is now set for the a.m. period. Advance the hands to set the correct time.

4) Push the crown back in to the normal position in accordance with a time signal.

CAUTION

- Do not set the date between 10:00 p.m. and 1:00 a.m.
 - If you do, the date may not change properly / it may cause a malfunction.
- The mechanism of mechanical watches is different from that of quartz watches. When setting the time, be sure to turn back the minute hand a little behind the desired time and then advance it to the exact time.

●Water resistance test

Check the water resistance according to the designated specification of the watch

Marking on the case back	Test method	Applied pressure
WATER RESISTANT(WATER RESIST)	Air leak test	3 BAR
WATER RESIST 5BAR	Water pressure test	5 BAR
WATER RESIST 10BAR		10 BAR
WATER RESIST 15BAR	Control in the	15 BAR
WATER RESIST 20BAR	Condensation test	20 BAR
SCUBA DIVERIS (AIR DIVERIS) 150 m	Condensation test	18.75 BAR =150(m)times 0.125
SCUBA DIVERIS (AIR DIVERIS)200 m		25 BAR = 200(m)times 0.125
He-GAS DIVERIS 300 m	Water pressure test	37.5 BAR =300(m)times 0.125
He-GAS DIVERIS 600 m		75 BAR =600(m)times 0.125
He-GAS DIVERIS1000m	Condensation test	125 BAR =1000(m)times 0.125

Accuracy test

Measure the rate in three different positions within 30 minutes after the watch is fully wound up (wait approximately for 5 minutes after winding up in order to get a stable oscillation of the balance) and make sure the value shows within the range in the table below.

Measure the rate in dial-up position after 24 hours from fully wound up (T24) and check the rate difference with the rate in dial-up position when it is fully wound up (T0). Make sure that the value of T24-T0 shows within the range of the isochronism in the table below.

		Instantaneous rate at T0			Isochronous fault
		(Full	(Fully would condition)		
Standard rate	Testing positions	Dial upward	6 o'clock	9 o'clock	Dial upward
for measurement			at the top	at the top	
	Measurement				
	(Daily rate in	± 20 s/d	± 30 s/d	± 30 s/d	±30 s/d
	seconds:s/d)				

Accuracy of Mechanical Wataches

- ❖ The accuracy of mechanical watches is indicated by the daily rates of one week or so.
- The accuracy of mechanical watches may not fall within the specified range of time accuracy because of loss/gain changes due to the conditions of use, such as the length of time during which the watch is worn on the wrist, arm movement, whether the mainspring is wound up fully or not, etc.
- The key components in mechanical watches are made of metals which expand or contract depending on temperatures due to metal properties. This exerts an effect on the accuracy of the watches. Mechanical watches tend to lose time at high temperatures while they tend to gain time at low temperatures.
- ♣ In order to improve accuracy, it is important to regularly supply energy to the balance that controls the speed of the gears. The driving force of the mainspring that powers mechanical watches varies between when it is fully wound and immediately before it is unwound. As the mainspring unwinds, the force weakens.
 - Relatively steady accuracy can be obtained by wearing the watch on the wrist frequently for the selfwinding type and winding up the mainspring fully everyday at a fixed time to move it regularly for the wind-up mechanical type.
- When affected by external strong magnetism, a mechanical watch may loss/gain time temporarily. The parts of the watch may become magnetized depending on the extent of the effect. In such a case, consult the retailer from whom the watch was purchased since the watch requires repair, including demagnetizing.

Duration time test

Check the Power reserve of the watch after the m 10/16 condition with the dial-up position. Make sure that the watch runs approximately 41 hours until it stops.