



THE AUTOMATIQUE

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The reference model of the Classique Collection

For the 20th anniversary of the Octa caliber in 2021, F.P.Journe presented the Automatique Limited Series with a rhodium-plated Brass movement and a satin-finished dial in yellow Gold. Not surprisingly, the Automatique has joined the current collection in a 40 or 42 mm case in Platinum or 18K 6N Gold, combining the elegance of pure lines with the performance of the Octa 1300.3 automatic caliber.

On the white Gold or 5N Gold dial, an instantaneous large date offers optimal legibility thanks to a 4.7 x 2.6 mm window. On the right, the hours, minutes and seconds are displayed on an off-center subdial in whitened Silver guilloché. The knurled crown, that has been enlarged to perfect the balance of the case, allows the Automatic settings. These elements, along with the stretched teardrop-shaped blued steel hands and the polished steel circle screwed to the dial, are the iconic features that make F.P.Journe watches so unique.

The uncluttered design of an F.P.Journe timepiece always reflect the highest level of mechanical innovation. The Octa 1300.3 automatic caliber, manufactured in 18K rose Gold, proposes a chronometric precision of 120 hours and an exceptional power reserve of 160 hours. The unidirectional winding of the exclusive off-center F.P.Journe rotor in 22K 5N Gold is possible thanks to a self-locking ball bearing system. Thus, each slightest movement of the wrist is exploited to ensure an optimized winding of the watch. A large sapphire glass caseback emphasizes the subtlety of the finishings, as well as the gearing system visible through the openworked bridges.



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Technical specifications

Movement_

Calibre 1300.3 in 18K rose Gold
Rotor in 22K 5N Gold, off centre and guilloche
Mechanism with unidirectional automatic winding

Dimensions of the movement_

Overall diameter: 34.60 mm
Casing-up diameter: 30.40 mm
Overall height: 5.90 mm
Height of winding system: 3.10 mm
Diameter of stem thread: S1.20 mm

Balance_

Balance with four adjustable inertia weights
Anachron flat balance spring
Mobile stud holder
Free-sprung
Nivatronic laser soldered balance spring
Pinned GE stud
Slipping mainspring
Frequency: 21,600 v/h, (3Hz)
Inertia: 10.10 mg*cm²
Angle of lift: 52°
Amplitude: 12 h dial up: > 280°
90 h dial up: > 220°

Indications_

Off centre hours, minutes and small second
Large date
Power reserve

Escapement_

Linear lever escapement 15 teeth

Main Characteristics_

Mono directional automatic winding
Instantaneous date change
Three position crown
Correction of the date, position 2, anti-clock wise
Correction of the time, position 3

Autonomy_

160 +/- 12 hours
Winding speed: 274 rotations / 24 hours

Finishing_

High grade
Circular stripes on the bridges
Baseplate partly circular grained
Polished screw heads with chamfered slots
Pegs with polished rounded ends
Steelwork with polished chamfers

Case_

Platinum PT 950 or 18K 6N Gold
Diameter: 40 or 42 mm
Total height: 10.70 mm

Dial_

White Gold or 5N Gold and whitened guilloché Silver
Steel circle fixing the hour dial

Number of parts_

Movement without dial: 260
Cased up on leather strap: 301
Jewels: 37



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