



Cosmograph Daytona

Oyster, 40 mm, yellow gold

This Oyster Perpetual
Cosmograph Daytona in
18 kt yellow gold, with a
meteorite and black dial
and an Oysterflex
bracelet, features a
black Cerachrom bezel
with tachymetric scale.



METEORITE DIAL

An alloy from outer space

This model is the only Cosmograph Daytona with a meteorite dial. Meteorite comes from the heart of an asteroid or possibly even a planet that has exploded, propelling material across the Solar System until chance brings it into our planet's orbit and gravity pulls it to Earth.

During its journey, the centre of the meteorite is gradually transformed, producing highly unusual metallic patterns, resulting from the very slow cooling of molten asteroid cores. The designers at Rolex create from these configurations a unique treasure for some of the most prestigious models, including this Cosmograph Daytona.



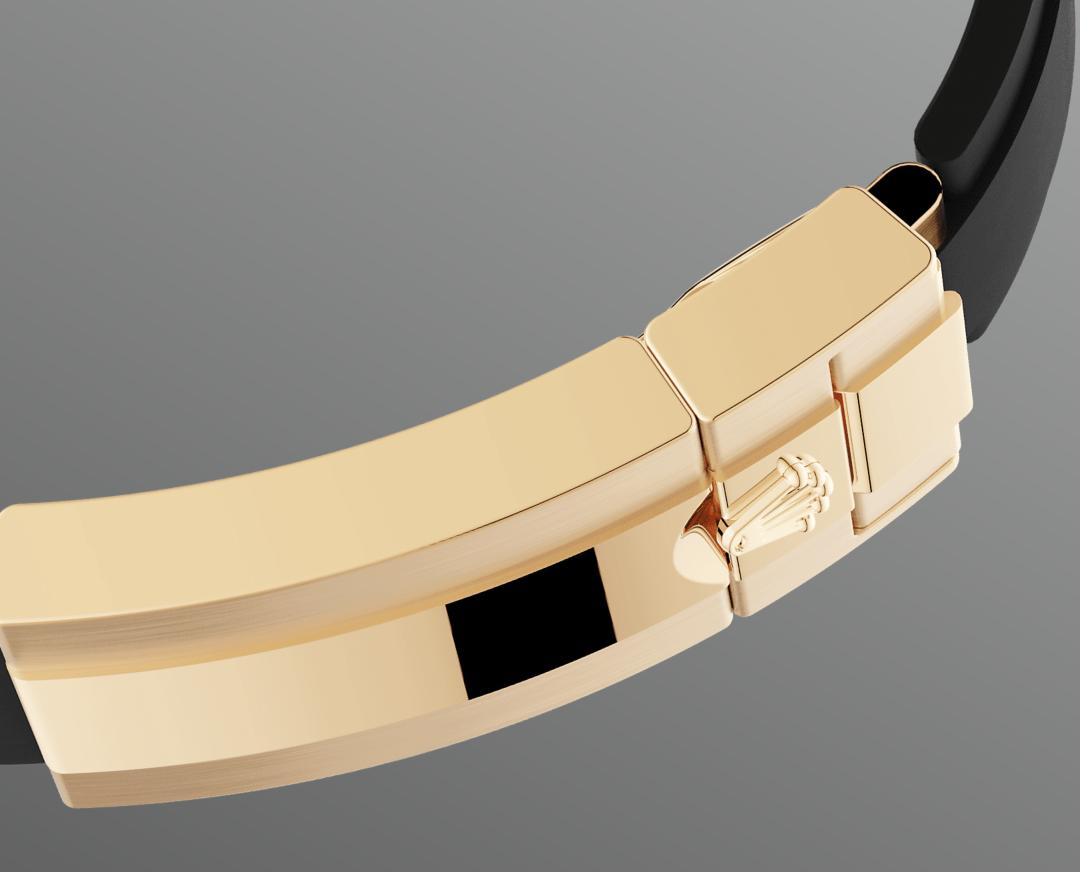
THE TACHYMETRIC SCALE

High-performance chronograph

A key part of the model's identity is the bezel moulded with a tachymetric scale for measuring average speeds of up to 400 miles or kilometres per hour. Blending high technology with sleek aesthetics, the black bezel is reminiscent of the 1965 model that was fitted with a black Plexiglas bezel insert.

The monobloc Cerachrom bezel in high-tech ceramic offers a number of advantages: it is

corrosion resistant, virtually scratchproof and the colour is unaffected by UV rays. This extremely durable bezel also offers an exceptionally legible tachymetric scale, thanks to the deposition of a thin layer of platinum in the numerals and graduations via a PVD (Physical Vapour Deposition) process. The monobloc Cerachrom bezel is made in a single piece and holds the crystal firmly in place on the middle case, ensuring waterproofness.



THE OYSTERFLEX BRACELET

Highly resistant and durable

The 18 kt gold versions of the Cosmograph Daytona with a Cerachrom bezel are available with an Oysterflex bracelet. Developed by Rolex and patented, it singularly combines the robustness of a metal bracelet with the comfort of an elastomer bracelet.

It is made up of two flexible curved metal blades – one in each bracelet section – overmoulded with high-performance black elastomer. For optimum

comfort, the Oysterflex bracelet is equipped with cushions on its inner sides and an Oysterlock safety clasp to prevent accidental opening. Its length may be adjusted via the ingenious Rolex Glidelock extension system.



18 KT YELLOW GOLD

Commitment to excellence

By operating its own exclusive foundry, Rolex has the unrivalled ability to cast the highest quality 18 kt gold alloys. According to the proportion of silver, copper, platinum or palladium added, different types of 18 kt gold are obtained: yellow, pink or white.

They are made with only the purest metals and meticulously inspected in an in-house laboratory with state-of-the-art equipment, before the gold is

formed and shaped with the same painstaking attention to quality. Rolex's commitment to excellence begins at the source.

More technical details Cosmograph Daytona

Reference 126518LN

Model Case

Type

Oyster, 40 mm, yellow gold

Diameter

40 mm

Material

Yellow gold

Bezel

Black monobloc Cerachrom bezel in ceramic with moulded tachymetric scale

Oyster Architecture

Monobloc middle case, screw-down case back and winding crown

Winding Crown

Screw-down, Triplock triple waterproofness system

Crystal

Scratch-resistant sapphire

Water Resistance

Waterproof to 100 metres / 330 feet

Movement

Type

Perpetual, mechanical chronograph, self-winding

Calibre

4131, manufacture Rolex

Precision

-2/+2 sec/day, after casing

Oscillator

Paramagnetic blue Parachrom hairspring. High-performance Paraflex shock absorbers

Winding

Bidirectional self-winding via Perpetual rotor

Power reserve

Approximately 72 hours

Functions

Centre hour and minute hands, small seconds hand at 6 o'clock. Chronograph via centre seconds hand, 30-minute counter at 3 o'clock and 12-hour counter at 9 o'clock. Stop seconds for exact time setting

Bracelet

Type

Oysterflex

Bracelet Material

Flexible metal blades overmoulded with high-performance elastomer

Clasp

Folding Oysterlock safety clasp with Rolex Glidelock extension system

Dial

Type

Meteorite and black

Details

Highly legible Chromalight display with long-lasting blue luminescence

Certification

Type

Superlative Chronometer (COSC + Rolex certification after casing)

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