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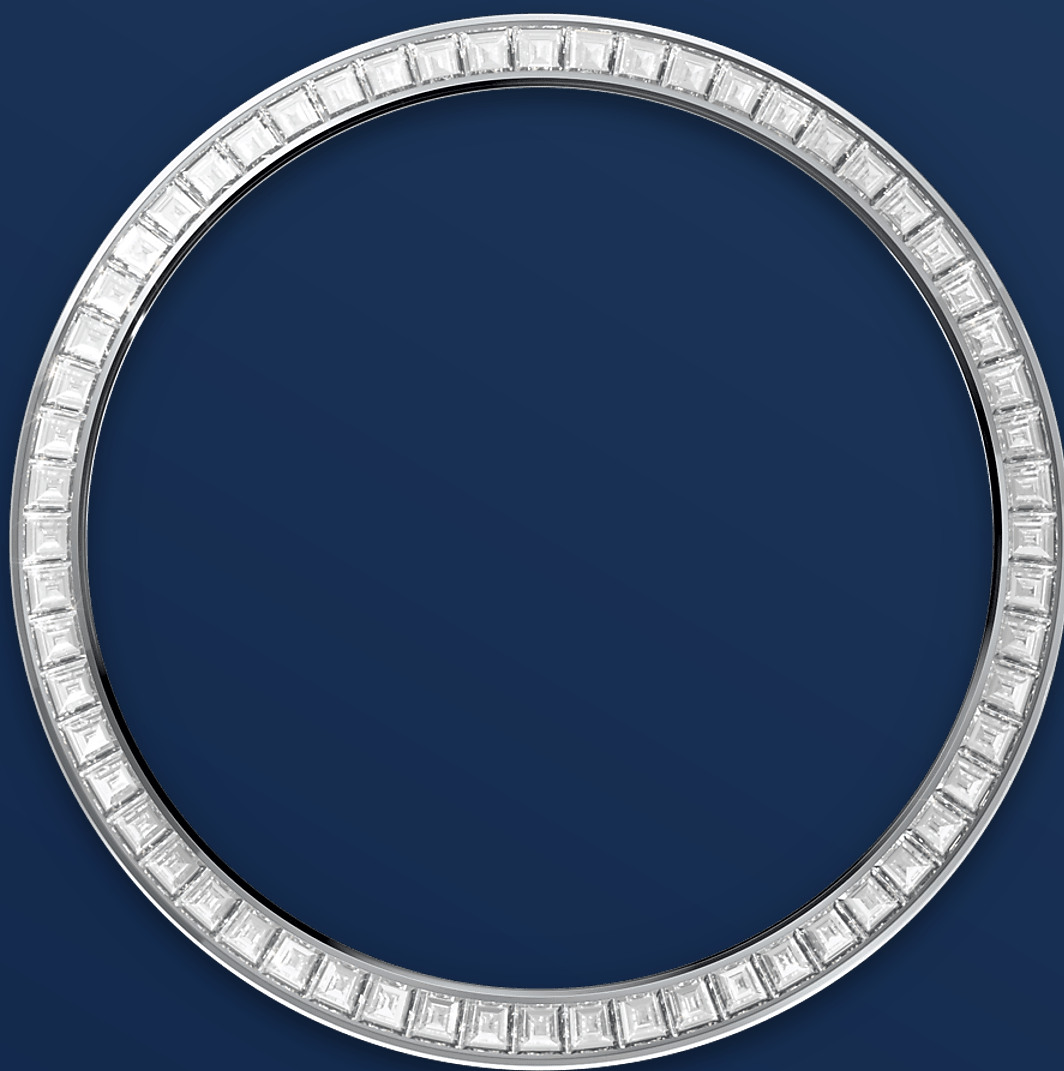
Oyster, 36 mm, platinum and diamonds

The Oyster Perpetual Day-Date 36 in platinum with an ice-blue dial, diamond-set bezel and a President bracelet.

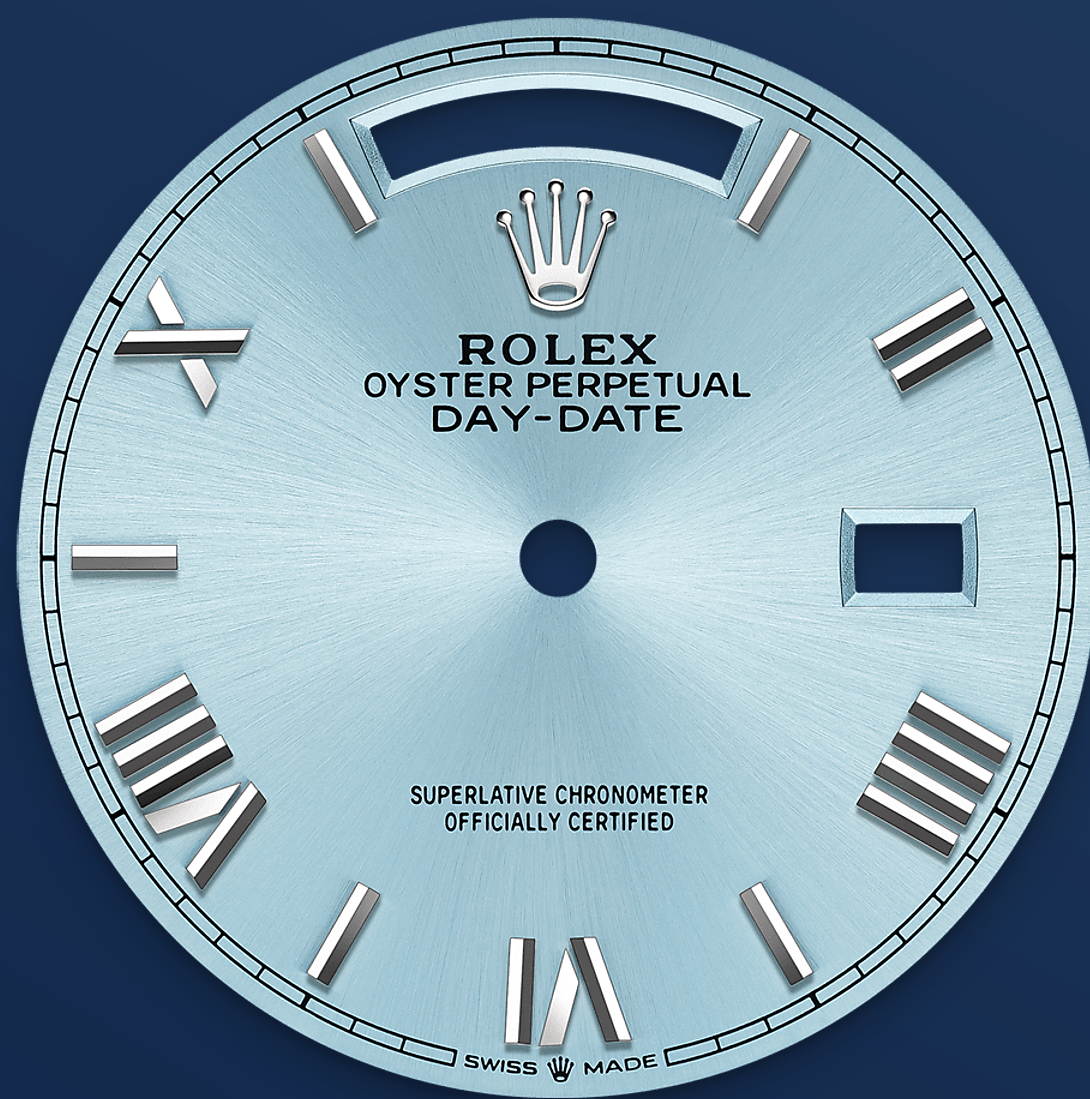# A sparkling symphony

Gem-setters, like sculptors, finely carve the precious metal to hand-shape the seat in which each gemstone will be perfectly lodged. With the art and craft of a jeweller, the stone is placed and meticulously aligned with the others, then firmly secured in its gold or platinum setting.

Besides the intrinsic quality of the stones, several other criteria contribute to the beauty of Rolex gem-setting: the precise alignment of the height of the gems, their orientation and position, the regularity, strength and proportions of the setting

as well as the intricate finishing of the metalwork. A sparkling symphony to enhance the watch and enchant the wearer.

ICE-BLUE DIAL

An exclusive signature

The ice-blue dial is the discreet and exclusive signature of a Rolex platinum watch. Rolex uses platinum, the noblest of metals, for the finest of watches.

This exclusive dial colour can be found only on the Day-Date, the Cosmograph Daytona and the Perpetual 1908.
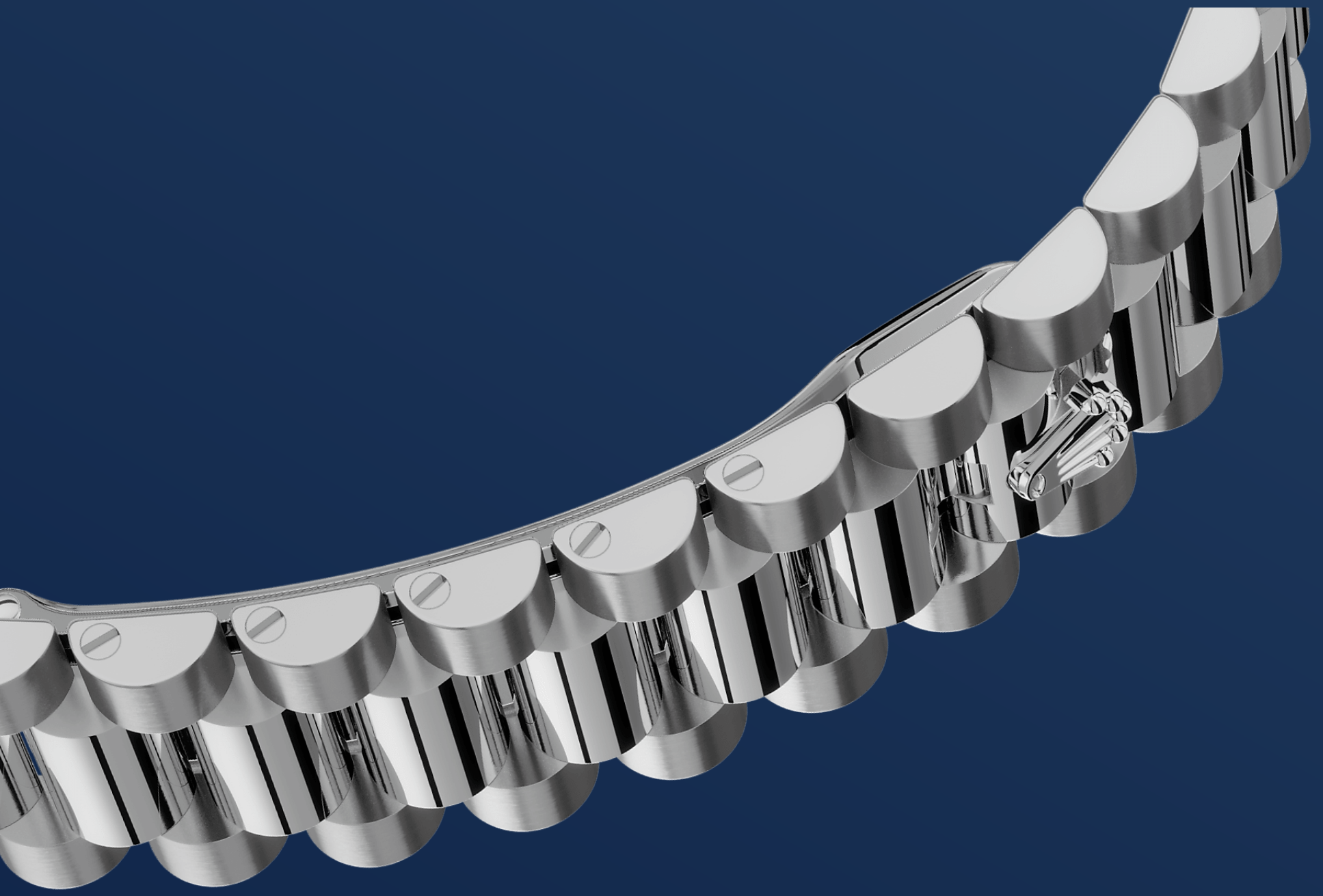
The noblest of metals

Rare and precious, platinum is striking for its silvery whiteness and vibrant luminosity. It is among the densest and heaviest metals in the world, distinguished by unique chemical and physical properties such as exceptional corrosion resistance.

Paradoxically, it is also soft, elastic and highly malleable, which makes machining and polishing especially difficult, demanding an extremely high degree of skill. Rolex always uses 950 platinum, an alloy consisting of 950‰ (thousandths)

platinum, painstakingly crafted in-house by the fine metalworkers at Rolex. The noblest of metals for the finest of watches.

The ultimate refinement

The design, development and production of Rolex bracelets and clasps, as well as the stringent tests they face, involve advanced high technology.

And, as with all the components of the watch, aesthetic controls by the human eye guarantee impeccable beauty. The President bracelet, with its semi-circular three piece links, was created in 1956 for the launch of the Oyster Perpetual Day-Date. It represents the ultimate in refinement and comfort and is always made of carefully selected precious metals.

More technical details
Day-Date

Reference 128396TBR

Model Case

Type
Oyster, 36 mm, platinum and diamonds

Diameter
36 mm

Material
Platinum

Bezel
Set with diamonds

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

Winding Crown
Screw-down, Twinlock double waterproofness system

Crystal
Scratch-resistant sapphire, Cyclops lens over the date

Water Resistance
Waterproof to 100 metres / 330 feet

Movement

Type
Perpetual, mechanical, self-winding

Calibre
3255, 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 70 hours

Functions
Centre hour, minute and seconds hands. Instantaneous day and date in apertures, secure rapid-setting. Stop-seconds for exact time setting

Bracelet

Type
President, semi-circular three-piece links

Bracelet Material
Platinum

Clasp
Concealed folding Crownclasp

Dial

Type
Ice blue

Certification

Type
Superlative Chronometer (COSC + Rolex certification after casing)

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