NIXON A083-000

NIXON 51-30 Chrono A083 User Manual

Model: A083-000

1. Introduction

Welcome to the user manual for your NIXON 51-30 Chrono A083 watch. This manual provides comprehensive instructions for setting up, operating, maintaining, and troubleshooting your timepiece. Please read this manual thoroughly to ensure proper use and to maximize the lifespan of your watch.

2. Product Overview

The NIXON 51-30 Chrono A083 is a robust and stylish men's analog fashion watch, designed for both functionality and a bold aesthetic. It features a large 51mm watch face and a durable 25mm stainless steel band, making it a prominent accessory. The watch is water-resistant up to 300 meters, suitable for serious water activities, and includes a chronograph function for precise time measurement.



Figure 2.1: Front view of the NIXON 51-30 Chrono A083 watch, showcasing its large 51mm black dial with prominent hour markers and chronograph subdials.

Key Features:

- **51mm Watch Face:** An oversized design for easy readability and a distinctive look.

- **Chronograph Function:** Features three CD textured subdials and six custom-molded hands for precise timekeeping and measurement.
- **300m Water Resistance:** Engineered for high water resistance, suitable for swimming, snorkeling, and diving.
- **Durable Construction:** Built with a stainless steel band and a double locking clasp for enhanced durability and security.
- **Strategic Crown and Pushers:** Positioned to prevent "wrist bite" during active use.



Figure 2.2: Side profile of the NIXON 51-30 Chrono A083, highlighting the crown and pusher placement on the left side of the watch case.



Figure 2.3: Rear view of the NIXON 51-30 Chrono A083, displaying the robust stainless steel bracelet and the secure double locking clasp.



Figure 2.4: Detailed view of the watch's case back, featuring "NIXON SIMPLIFY THE 51-30 CHRONO 300 M STAINLESS STEEL JAPAN MOVEMENT" engravings.

Official Product Video:

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Video 2.1: "NIXON 51-30 Go Big" - An official video from Nixon, Inc. showcasing the design and presence of the 51-30 Chrono watch.

3. Setup

3.1 Setting the Time and Date

1. **Unscrew the Crown:** The crown is located on the left side of the watch case. Gently unscrew it counter-clockwise until it pops out to the first position.
2. **Set the Date:** Pull the crown out to the second click position. Turn the crown clockwise or counter-clockwise to adjust the date.
3. **Set the Time:** Pull the crown out to the third click position. Turn the crown to set the hour and minute hands. Ensure you set the correct AM/PM by observing when the date changes (it changes around midnight).

4. **Secure the Crown:** Once the time and date are set, push the crown back in and screw it clockwise firmly against the case to ensure water resistance.

Note: Always ensure the crown is fully screwed in to maintain the watch's water resistance.

3.2 Initial Chronograph Setup

The chronograph is ready for use once the main time is set. No specific initial setup is required for the chronograph function itself beyond ensuring the main time is accurate.

4. Operating Instructions

4.1 Using the Chronograph

The NIXON 51-30 Chrono features a precise chronograph for measuring elapsed time. The chronograph pushers are located on the left side of the watch, above and below the crown.

1. **Start:** Press the top pusher to start the chronograph. The large second hand will begin to move, along with the subdial hands.
2. **Stop:** Press the top pusher again to stop the chronograph. The elapsed time will be displayed on the subdials.
3. **Reset:** After stopping, press the bottom pusher to reset the chronograph hands to their zero positions.
4. **Lap/Split Time:** While the chronograph is running, press the bottom pusher to record a split time. The hands will freeze, allowing you to read the time, while the internal timing continues. Press the bottom pusher again to catch up to the running time.

Note: Ensure the chronograph pushers are not operated underwater unless explicitly stated by Nixon for this specific model, as this can compromise water resistance.

4.2 Water Resistance

Your NIXON 51-30 Chrono A083 is rated for 300 meters (30 ATM) of water resistance. This means it is suitable for professional marine activity and serious surface water sports, but not for saturation diving.

- Always ensure the crown is fully screwed down before exposing the watch to water.
- Avoid operating the crown or pushers while the watch is wet or submerged.
- After exposure to saltwater, rinse the watch with fresh water and dry it thoroughly.

5. Maintenance

5.1 Cleaning

To maintain the appearance of your watch, regularly wipe the case and band with a soft, dry cloth. For stainless steel bands, a slightly damp cloth can be used, followed by immediate drying. Avoid using harsh chemicals or abrasive materials.

5.2 Battery Replacement

The NIXON 51-30 Chrono A083 uses a product-specific battery. When the watch stops running, it indicates the battery needs replacement. It is highly recommended to have the battery replaced by an authorized Nixon service center or a qualified watchmaker. This ensures proper sealing and maintains the watch's water resistance integrity.

5.3 Water Resistance Checks

For watches frequently exposed to water, it is advisable to have the water resistance checked annually by an authorized service center. Gaskets and seals can degrade over time, affecting the watch's water-resistant capabilities.

6. Troubleshooting

6.1 Watch Not Running

- **Check Battery:** The most common reason for a quartz watch to stop is a depleted battery. Refer to Section 5.2 for battery replacement.
- **Crown Position:** Ensure the crown is fully pushed in and screwed down. If it's pulled out, the watch will not run.

6.2 Chronograph Hands Not Resetting to Zero

- **Reset Procedure:** Ensure you are following the correct reset procedure (stop, then reset).
- **Calibration:** If the hands are consistently misaligned, the chronograph may need calibration. This typically requires professional service.

6.3 Condensation Under Crystal

- **Minor Fogging:** Small amounts of fogging that disappear quickly are usually due to temperature changes and are normal.
- **Persistent Condensation:** If condensation persists or forms large droplets, it indicates a breach in water resistance. Immediately take the watch to an authorized service center to prevent further damage.

7. Specifications

Feature	Detail
Model Number	A083-000
Brand	NIXON
Water Resistance	300 meters (30 ATM)
Case Dimensions	51mm diameter
Band Material	Stainless Steel
Band Width	25mm
Movement	Japan Movement
Product Dimensions	3.94 x 3.94 x 1.97 inches
Item Weight	7.76 ounces
Batteries Required	1 Product Specific battery

8. Warranty and Support

For information regarding your product's warranty, please refer to the warranty card included with your purchase or visit the official Nixon website. Nixon typically offers a limited warranty covering defects in materials and workmanship.
For further assistance, technical support, or to locate an authorized service center, please visit the official Nixon support page or refer to the comprehensive user manual available as a PDF:

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