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Model: RE-AW0002L

INTRODUCTION

This manual provides essential instructions for the proper setup, operation, maintenance, and care of your Orient Star Heritage Gothic Power Reserve Small Seconds Dress Watch, model RE-AW0002L. This timepiece features a Japanese automatic movement, a power reserve indicator, and a small seconds sub-dial, encased in stainless steel with a sapphire crystal.



Image: The Orient Star Heritage Gothic watch, model RE-AW0002L, displayed on a stand, highlighting its elegant design, blue dial, and stainless steel construction.

SETUP

1. Unboxing and Initial Inspection

Carefully remove the watch from its packaging. Inspect the watch for any visible damage or irregularities. Ensure all protective films are removed from the crystal, case back, and bracelet.

2. Manual Winding

As an automatic watch, it can be manually wound. To initiate power, rotate the crown clockwise in position 1 (normal position) approximately 30-40 times. This will build up an initial power reserve. The power reserve indicator on the dial will show the current power level.



Image: A detailed side view of the watch, focusing on the crown and the dial. The crown is used for winding and setting the time and date.

3. Setting the Time

1. Pull the crown out to position 2. The small seconds hand will stop.
2. Rotate the crown to set the hour and minute hands to the desired time. Ensure to account for AM/PM if setting the date.
3. Push the crown back into position 1 (normal position) to start the watch.

4. Setting the Date

1. Pull the crown out to position 1 (normal position).
2. Rotate the crown counter-clockwise to adjust the date.
3. **Important:** Avoid setting the date between 9:00 PM and 3:00 AM, as this can damage the date mechanism. If the current time falls within this period, first set the time outside this range, adjust the date, then reset the time.
4. Push the crown back into position 0 (fully pushed in).

5. Bracelet Adjustment

The stainless steel bracelet may require adjustment for a comfortable fit. It is recommended to have this done by a qualified jeweler or watchmaker to avoid damaging the bracelet or watch.

OPERATING YOUR WATCH

Automatic Movement

Your Orient Star watch is powered by an automatic mechanical movement. This means it is wound by the motion of your wrist. When worn regularly, the watch will maintain its power reserve. If the watch is not worn for an extended period, it will stop. Simply manually wind it as described in the Setup section, or wear it for several hours to restart and build up the power reserve.

Power Reserve Indicator

The dial features a power reserve indicator, typically located at the 12 o'clock position. This gauge shows the remaining running time of the watch. A full indicator signifies maximum power reserve (approximately 50 hours), while an empty indicator means the watch requires winding or wearing.

Small Seconds Sub-dial

The small seconds sub-dial, located at the 6 o'clock position, displays the seconds independently from the main hour and minute hands, offering a classic aesthetic and precise timekeeping.

Water Resistance (50 Meters / 5 ATM)

This watch is water resistant to 50 meters (5 ATM). This rating means it is suitable for everyday use and can withstand splashes, rain, and brief immersion in water. It is **not** suitable for swimming, showering, or diving. Always ensure the crown is fully pushed in before any contact with water.

MAINTENANCE

Cleaning

To clean your watch, wipe the case and bracelet with a soft, dry cloth. For more thorough cleaning, a slightly

damp cloth can be used, followed by immediate drying. Avoid using harsh chemicals, solvents, or abrasive materials, as these can damage the watch's finish or seals.

Storage

When not wearing your watch, store it in a cool, dry place away from direct sunlight, extreme temperatures, and strong magnetic fields. A watch box or pouch is ideal for protection.

Periodic Servicing

Like any precision mechanical instrument, your watch requires periodic servicing to ensure optimal performance and longevity. It is recommended to have your watch inspected and serviced by an authorized Orient service center or a reputable watchmaker every 3-5 years.

Avoidance

- **Shocks:** Avoid dropping the watch or subjecting it to strong impacts.
- **Magnetic Fields:** Keep the watch away from strong magnetic sources (e.g., speakers, refrigerators, certain electronic devices) as magnetism can affect timekeeping accuracy.
- **Extreme Temperatures:** Protect the watch from extreme heat or cold, and sudden temperature changes.
- **Chemicals:** Avoid contact with perfumes, cosmetics, cleaning agents, and other chemicals.



Image: The back of the watch, showcasing the exhibition case back that allows viewing of the intricate automatic movement, and the deployment clasp on the stainless steel bracelet.

TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
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Watch has stopped or is running slowly.	Insufficient power reserve.	Manually wind the watch (30-40 turns of the crown) or wear it consistently for several hours.
Timekeeping is inaccurate.	Exposure to strong magnetic fields; need for servicing.	Keep away from magnetic sources. If problem persists, seek professional servicing.
Date does not change at midnight.	Time is set to AM instead of PM, or date was set during restricted hours.	Advance the time by 12 hours. Avoid setting the date between 9:00 PM and 3:00 AM.
Condensation under the crystal.	Temperature change; water ingress.	If condensation persists, seek immediate professional inspection to prevent damage.

SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Model Number	RE-AW0002L
Movement Type	Japanese Automatic
Display Type	Analog
Case Material	Stainless Steel
Case Diameter	39 Millimeters
Case Thickness	12.5 Millimeters
Crystal Material	Synthetic Sapphire
Band Material	Stainless Steel
Band Width	20 Millimeters
Clasp Type	Foldover Clasp With Push Button
Dial Color	Blue
Water Resistance Depth	50 Meters (5 ATM)
Additional Features	Power Reserve Indicator, Small Seconds, See-Through Case Back
Item Weight	0.29 Pounds (approx. 132 grams)

WARRANTY INFORMATION

Your Orient Star watch comes with a Limited Warranty. The specific terms and duration of the warranty may vary by region and purchase location. Please refer to the warranty card included with your watch or visit the official Orient website for detailed information regarding coverage, exclusions, and how to make a warranty claim.

SUPPORT

For further assistance, technical support, or service inquiries, please contact Orient customer service. You can typically find contact information and frequently asked questions on the official Orient website:

[Visit the Official Orient Watch Website](#)

When contacting support, please have your watch model number (RE-AW0002L) and purchase details readily available.