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Model: QHR204K

PRODUCT OVERVIEW

This manual provides detailed instructions for the Seiko QHR204K Black Plastic Alarm Clock. Designed for indoor use, this radio-controlled alarm clock features a luminous dial, a beep alarm with snooze function, and a unique second hand stop feature during alarm.



Image: Front view of the Seiko QHR204K Black Plastic Alarm Clock, showcasing its black plastic casing, round face with white numbers, and luminous hands. The dial indicates "SEIKO" and "RADIO WAVE CONTROL".

SETUP

1. Battery Installation

The Seiko QHR204K alarm clock is battery-powered.

1. Locate the battery compartment on the back of the clock.
2. Open the battery compartment cover.
3. Insert the required batteries (refer to the battery type indicated inside the compartment, typically AA or AAA) ensuring correct polarity (+/-).
4. Close the battery compartment cover securely.

2. Initial Time Synchronization (Radio Control)

This alarm clock is radio-controlled, meaning it automatically synchronizes with the atomic clock signal for accurate timekeeping.

1. After battery installation, place the clock in an area with good reception, away from electronic devices that may cause interference.
2. The clock will automatically attempt to receive the time signal. This process may take several minutes or up to an hour.
3. Once synchronized, the time will be set automatically.
4. If synchronization fails, try repositioning the clock or manually setting the time (see "Manual Time Setting" in the Operating section).

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Setting the Alarm

1. Locate the alarm setting knob/button on the back or side of the clock.
2. Rotate the knob or press the button to move the alarm hand to your desired alarm time.
3. Ensure the alarm ON/OFF switch is in the "ON" position.

Snooze Function

When the alarm sounds, press the snooze button (usually located on top of the clock). The alarm will temporarily stop and sound again after a few minutes.

Stopping the Alarm

To completely stop the alarm, move the alarm ON/OFF switch to the "OFF" position.

Luminous Dial

The clock features a luminous dial, allowing for easy time reading in low-light conditions. The hands and hour markers are treated with a luminous material that glows after exposure to light.

Second Hand Behavior

A unique feature of this clock is that the second hand stops when the alarm is activated. This conserves battery life and ensures quiet operation during the alarm period.

Manual Time Setting (if radio control fails)

In rare cases where radio control signal is weak or unavailable, you may need to set the time manually.

1. Locate the time setting knob/button on the back of the clock.
2. Rotate the knob to adjust the hour and minute hands to the correct time.
3. The second hand will automatically synchronize once the hour and minute hands are set.

MAINTENANCE

Cleaning

To clean the clock, wipe it gently with a soft, dry cloth. Do not use abrasive cleaners, solvents, or chemical sprays, as these can damage the casing and dial.

Battery Replacement

Replace batteries when the clock's performance diminishes (e.g., dim display, slow movement, or alarm failure). Always replace all batteries at the same time with new ones of the recommended type. Dispose of old batteries responsibly.

Storage

If storing the clock for an extended period, remove the batteries to prevent leakage and potential damage to the internal components.

TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Clock not working	Batteries are dead or incorrectly installed.	Check battery polarity and replace with fresh batteries.
Time is incorrect or not setting automatically	Weak radio signal or interference.	Move the clock to a different location, away from electronic devices. Try manual time setting.
Alarm not sounding	Alarm is OFF or batteries are low.	Ensure the alarm switch is ON. Replace batteries.
Luminous dial not glowing	Insufficient exposure to light.	Expose the clock to bright light for a period to charge the luminous material.

SPECIFICATIONS

Brand: Seiko

Model Number: QHR204K

Color: Black

Material: Plastic

Dimensions (L x W x H): 12 cm x 3.81 cm x 11 cm (approximately 4.72 in x 1.5 in x 4.33 in)

Weight: 260 grams (approximately 0.57 lbs)

Power Source: Battery Powered

Features: Snooze function, Radio-controlled time, Beep alarm, Luminous dial, Second hand stops during alarm

Display Type: Analog

Intended Use: Indoor

Country of Origin: China

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For warranty information and customer support, please refer to the documentation included with your purchase or visit the official Seiko website.

Note: Availability of spare parts information is not provided.

