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Model: 005WTI-1000

## INTRODUCTION

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This manual provides comprehensive instructions for the setup, operation, and maintenance of your Rip Curl Women's Kauai Tide Watch. Please read this manual thoroughly to ensure proper use and to maximize the lifespan of your watch. The Kauai Tide Watch is designed for active lifestyles, featuring digital timekeeping, tide information, and water resistance.

## PRODUCT OVERVIEW

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Figure 1: Front view of the Rip Curl Kauai Tide Watch, displaying time, date, and a tide graph. The watch features a white case and strap with a light blue bezel around the digital display.

The Rip Curl Kauai Tide Watch is a digital timepiece equipped with several functions to assist you in your daily activities, especially those related to water sports. Key features include:

- Digital time display with date.
- Pre-programmed tide locations (500 locations).
- Alarm function.
- Stopwatch.
- Countdown timer.
- Backlight for low-light conditions.
- 100m/330ft water resistance.

### Button Functions



Figure 2: Side view of the watch, illustrating the placement of control buttons. The watch has a smooth white strap and case.

Your Kauai Tide Watch features four primary buttons, typically labeled LIGHT, MODE, UP, and DOWN. Refer to the watch face for exact button labels.

- **LIGHT:** Activates the backlight for the display.
- **MODE:** Cycles through different watch modes (Time, Tide, Alarm, Stopwatch, Timer).
- **UP:** Used to increase values or scroll up in settings.
- **DOWN:** Used to decrease values or scroll down in settings.

## Initial Time and Date Setting

1. From the Time Mode, press and hold the **MODE** button until the display flashes, indicating setup mode.
2. Use the **MODE** button to cycle through settings: Hour, Minute, Second, Year, Month, Day.
3. Use the **UP** and **DOWN** buttons to adjust the flashing value.
4. Once all settings are correct, press the **MODE** button again to exit setup mode.

## Tide Location Setup

To utilize the tide function, you must select your nearest pre-programmed tide location.

1. From the Time Mode, press the **MODE** button until you reach the Tide Mode.
2. Press and hold the **MODE** button until the location name flashes.
3. Use the **UP** and **DOWN** buttons to scroll through the 500 pre-programmed tide locations. Select the location closest to your current position.
4. Press the **MODE** button to confirm your selection and exit setup.

## OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

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### Time Mode

This is the default display mode, showing the current time, day of the week, and date. Press the **LIGHT** button to illuminate the display in dark conditions.

### Tide Mode



Figure 3: The watch display in Tide Mode, showing a graphical representation of tide movement over time.

From Time Mode, press the **MODE** button once to enter Tide Mode. The display will show either a graphical representation of the tide or detailed tide information (high/low tide times). Use the **UP** or **DOWN** buttons to switch between graph and detailed views, if available.

### Alarm Function

1. Press the **MODE** button repeatedly until 'ALARM' appears on the display.
2. Press and hold the **MODE** button to enter alarm setting mode. The hour will flash.
3. Use **UP** and **DOWN** to set the hour, then press **MODE** to move to minutes.
4. Use **UP** and **DOWN** to set the minutes.
5. Press **MODE** to confirm and exit.
6. To turn the alarm ON/OFF, press the **UP** button while in Alarm Mode. An alarm icon will

appear/disappear.

## Stopwatch

1. Press the **MODE** button repeatedly until 'STOPWATCH' or 'STW' appears.
2. Press **UP** to start the stopwatch.
3. Press **UP** again to pause.
4. Press **DOWN** to reset the stopwatch to zero.

## Countdown Timer

1. Press the **MODE** button repeatedly until 'TIMER' or 'TMR' appears.
2. Press and hold the **MODE** button to enter timer setting mode.
3. Use **UP** and **DOWN** to set the desired countdown time (hours, minutes, seconds).
4. Press **MODE** to confirm.
5. Press **UP** to start the countdown.
6. Press **UP** again to pause.
7. Press **DOWN** to reset the timer.

## MAINTENANCE

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### Cleaning Your Watch

To clean your watch, wipe it with a soft, damp cloth. For stubborn dirt, use a mild soap solution and rinse thoroughly with fresh water. Avoid using harsh chemicals or abrasive materials, as these can damage the watch case, strap, or lens.

### Battery Replacement

The watch is powered by a long-life battery, typically lasting 24 months. When the display becomes dim or functions become erratic, it may be time for a battery replacement. It is recommended to have the battery replaced by a qualified watch technician to ensure the water resistance seal is properly maintained. Improper battery replacement can compromise the watch's water resistance.

### Water Resistance

Your watch is water resistant to 100 meters (330 feet). This means it is suitable for swimming, surfing, and snorkeling. However, it is not recommended for scuba diving. To maintain water resistance:

- Do not operate buttons underwater.
- Ensure the crown (if applicable) is fully pushed in before exposing the watch to water.
- Avoid exposing the watch to extreme temperature changes, which can affect seals.
- Rinse the watch with fresh water after exposure to saltwater or chlorine.



Figure 4: Rear view of the watch, highlighting the case back and strap buckle. The case back is typically where water resistance ratings are engraved.

## TROUBLESHOOTING

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- **Display is blank or dim:** The battery may be low. Replace the battery as described in the Maintenance section.
- **Incorrect time or date:** Re-enter the time and date settings as described in the Setup section. Ensure you are in the correct 12-hour or 24-hour format if applicable.
- **Tide information is inaccurate:** Verify that the correct tide location has been selected in the Tide Location Setup. Ensure the time and date are set accurately, as tide calculations depend on these.
- **Buttons are unresponsive:** Ensure the watch is not in a locked mode (if applicable). If the issue

persists, a reset may be required (consult a service center if no reset procedure is in the manual).

- **Water inside the watch:** Immediately take the watch to a qualified service center. Do not attempt to open the watch yourself, as this will void the warranty and cause further damage.

## SPECIFICATIONS

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Feature	Detail
Model Number	005WTI-1000
Movement	Digital
Case Material	ABS Hardened Plastic
Strap Width	16mm
Lens Material	Plastic (ultrasonic weld)
Water Resistance	100m / 330ft
Battery Life	Approximately 24 months
Tide Functions	500 pre-programmed tide locations (graph or detailed display)
Additional Functions	Alarm, Stopwatch, Countdown Timer, Light

## WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

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Your Rip Curl Kauai Tide Watch is covered by a manufacturer's warranty against defects in materials and workmanship. Please refer to the warranty card included with your purchase or visit the official Rip Curl website for detailed warranty terms and conditions. For technical support or service inquiries, please contact Rip Curl customer service through their official channels.