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Orient Star Launches New Light Blue Dial Models to its Layered Skeleton Range

Orient Star has added two new Layered Skeleton models to its Contemporary Collection. The dial designs are inspired by textile patterns and enhanced by light blue colouring. The stylish models are suitable for every occasion from business to casual.



Layered Skeleton features an original dial composed of two layers and takes its inspiration from the elegant layering of suit textiles. The upper layer dial representing the outer material of a suit is designed with a herringbone pattern, while the lower layer dial has a paisley pattern with a sheen reminiscent of a cupra lining. The contrasting fabrics provide a unique accent to the overall look of the watch. The large semi-skeleton opening on the dial is paisley shaped, and the open-work design of the power reserve display also reveals the inner workings of the mechanical movement. This sense of depth combined with the textile patterns creates an eye-catching look.

The latest models feature a refreshing blue colour on the herringbone-patterned upper layer dial and paisley-patterned lower layer dial. In contrast to the previous white or dark coloured models, the subtly different smoky light blue tones of the new models emphasize each layer and add a colourful accent to the metallic feel of the dial. It is the perfect watch for today's businessperson who embraces a casual style and wants to express their individuality.

The limited-edition model of 1,000 pieces worldwide, does not feature the textile pattern on the dial, but the grey upper layer and blue bottom layers create a sophisticated two-toned colour scheme that can be matched to a range of styles from blue to grey. In addition to a metal bracelet, the limited-edition model comes with a grey calf leather strap to change the look of the watch.

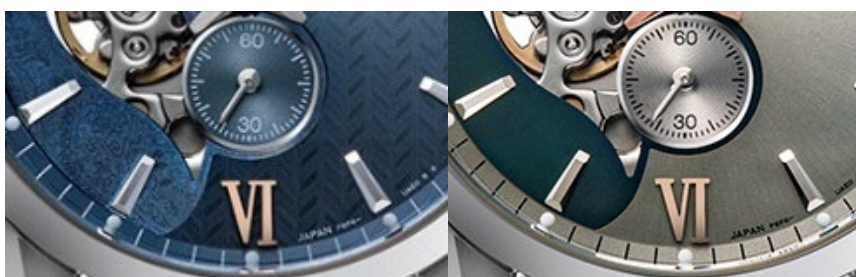
The textile motif extends to the gentle curves of the case's lugs that evoke drapes of fabric. Furthermore, the dual-curved sapphire crystal with non-reflective coating for increased legibility also complements the model's unique design. The metal bracelet with short five-piece links adds an elegant touch as well as comfort for the wearer.

The mechanical automatic in-house calibre F6F44 movement offers a 50-hour power reserve and stable high accuracy. The highly sophisticated mechanism is visible beneath the Layered Skeleton, complete with Orient Star's power reserve indicator.



RE-AV0B08L

RE-AV0B09N



■ A two-layer dial featuring motifs incorporating suit fabric. The dial on the left is designed with a herringbone pattern on the upper layer and a paisley pattern on the lower layer, while the dial on the right is a plain two-tone dial.



■ Case back with engravings (RE-AV0B09N)

About Orient Star

Established in Japan in 1951, Orient Star originates from a desire to create a mechanical watch that would become a “shining star” in every aspect including design, components, and manufacturing. Orient Star continues to shine and innovate its technology as well as the design of its beautiful timepieces. The Skeleton models, launched in 2021 are mounted with the latest movement with silicon escape wheel for longer power reserve and beauty, incorporating design inspired by the vast universe. The brand continues the theme of “NOWHERE, NOW HERE” (meaning, it was nowhere else to be found, but it's here now). Traditional skills to achieve intricate craftsmanship, in-house production system to create high-quality mechanical movements, and original designs, are all incorporated for these unique, made-in-Japan watches. Orient Star will continue to deliver these creations in Japan and throughout the world.

A Short History

- 1951 Orient Star is created.
- 1957 Orient Star Dynamic* is launched with hour, minute, and second hands on the central axis of the watch.
- 1971 The 46 series movement is created, combining both practicality and high accuracy. This formed the base movement of the Orient Star and Orient brand for 50 years.
- 1991 Mon Bijou* is launched, a skeleton model of high-quality and aesthetic appeal.
- 1996 The power reserve indicator, now an iconic feature of the brand, is integrated into the design.
- 2017 Orient Watch Co. Ltd. merges with [Seiko Epson Corporation](#), a company with a strong watchmaking heritage and focus on precision engineering. Both organisations share a vision for innovation and high-quality design and craftsmanship creating a strong foundation for the future growth of Orient Star.
- 2017 The Mechanical Moon Phase, a cosmic timekeeper is launched as a symbol of this new collaboration. This marks a new era of watchmaking for Orient Star brand, allowing owners to experience the three joys of owning an Orient Star timepiece: the “pleasure to wear”, the “delight to see”, and the “joy of connecting with others”.
- 2021 Orient Star celebrates its 70th anniversary.

*Currently not for sale.

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— Product Specifications —

Collection	Contemporary	
Series name	Layered Skeleton	
Reference	RE-AV0B08L	RE-AV0B09N
Movement	Automatic (with hand winding) mechanical in-house calibre F6F44 made in Japan	
Power reserve	50 hours	
Accuracy	+ 25 seconds ~ - 15 seconds per day	
Case material	Stainless steel	
Case size	Height 48.3 mm / width 41.0 mm / thickness 13.6 mm	
Case back	—	Limited edition and serial number engraving
Glass	Front: dual curved sapphire crystal (AR (anti-reflective) coating), back: crystal glass	
Bracelet	Stainless steel (SUS316L) / trifold deployant buckle with push button / width 20 mm	Stainless steel (SUS316L) / trifold deployant buckle with push button / width 20mm / exchangeable leather strap
Colour of dial	Light blue	Silver grey

Limited edition	—	1,000 pieces
Other features	Water resistance to 100m (10 bar), power reserve indicator, second hand hacking, 24 jewels, Luminous Light, see-through exhibition case back	

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