



# OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS



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## Preface

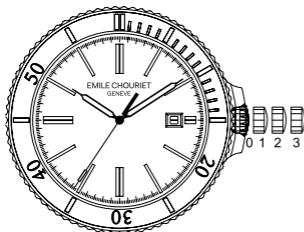
Thanks for selecting Emile Chouriet watch.

Emile Chouriet, founded in Geneva, Switzerland, is a reputable Swiss watch brand. It is admired for the high precision timepieces, representing the best of Swiss watch making tradition. Every original Emile Chouriet watch is accompanied by an international guarantee card.

To use and maintain Emile Chouriet watch appropriately, please read this manual carefully and operate according to the relative instructions.

## Operating Instructions

### Mechanical watch with rotating bezel-08.1169.G/22.1169.G Function description



#### Position 0: Locked working position

This watch is configured with a spiral crown.

In position 0, the crown is completely screwed against the case. It is not possible to access the watch settings.

Before manual winding or time and date setting, the crown has to be unscrewed backwards (anti-clockwise) until it is separated from the tube. The crown is then in position 1.

**Note:** The crown must always be kept in position 0 to ensure that the case is sealed and waterproof. Do not unscrew the crown in wet conditions.

#### Position 1: Manual winding

Turn the crown forwards (clockwise) more than 30 circles to get a full power reservation.

#### Position 2: Setting date

**Note:** The date cannot be set when the time is between 8:00 pm and 4:00 am.

#### Position 3: Adjusting time

The second hand will stop. Do not turn the hour and minute hands rotate anti-clockwise.

**Example: Set the time to 8:00 am, 9th.**

- Turn the crown

backwards (anti-clockwise) until it is separated from the tube. The crown is then from position 0 to position 1.

- Pull the crown out to position 3:

Turn the crown backwards (anti-clockwise), adjust the hour and minute hands, recommended to 6 o'clock (avoid the restricted area);

- Push the crown back to position 2: Setting date quickly;

Turn the crown forwards (clockwise) to adjust the date to the day before 9th, which is 8th;

- Pull the crown out to position 3:

Turn the crown backwards (anti-clockwise), observe the hands rotating and date jumping, until the date, hour and minute hands indicate the 9th and 8:00 am;

- Push the crown back to position 1 after the setting.

Then firmly press the crown and turn it forwards (clockwise) to tighten the crown to position 0 to ensure waterproof.

The anti-clockwise rotating bezel also provides chronograph and second time zone functions.

### **Timing/synchronisation function**

The bezel with its indicators allows you to count 60 minutes. The double indicator corresponds to the starting point. The first fifteen minutes only are graduated then the marking indicates each 5 minutes passed.

**Important:** The bezel cannot be rotated clockwise. If the bezel is impacted or in the event of an inadvertent rotation, the scheduled time may only be reduced and not increased.

e.g. It is now 10:10.

If the limited time is 20 minutes, turn the bezel

until the double indicator is located at 10:30. When the minute hand points to the double indicator, you will know that the time is up.

### **Chronograph function**

#### **Example of minute timing**

If you want to time an event and your watch shows 10:10, place the double indicator of the rotating bezel opposite the minute hand.

When the watch shows that the time is = 10:35 and the minute hand points to 25 minutes on the bezel scale, it means 25 minutes have been counted.

The function can count 60 minutes at most.

#### **Example of hour timing**

It is now 10:00.

Turn the bezel until the double indicator on the bezel is aligned with the hour hand. This shows the starting time.

When the watch indicates 1:00 p.m. and the hour hand

points to the 3rd indicator on the bezel (15th graduation) in 15 minutes or 3 hours, this means that 3 hours have been counted. It may count up to 12 hours at most.

#### **The second time zone function**

The second time zone may be indicated by the rotating bezel

#### **Example:**

Beijing: 11:30 a.m.

London: 3:30 a.m. (8 hour time lag)

Turn the bezel to show the second time zone on the bezel with the hour hand of the dial.

Beijing time shows on the dial, and London time shows on the bezel at the same time.

**Note:** the minute scale on the bezel should be transformed into a 12 hour scale when the bezel is used to indicate the second time zone or for timing/synchronisation of the current time.

### **Emile Chouriet Warranty**

Your Emile Chouriet watch is warranted for five years from the date of purchase under the terms and conditions of this warranty. The warranty is valid only if the warranty card is dated, fully and correctly filled in and stamped by an official Emile Chouriet seller.

With the warranty card, you will have the right to have any defect repaired free of charge during the warranty period. If we can not repair your watch to the normal condition of use, Emile Chouriet guarantees its replacement by an Emile Chouriet watch of identical or similar characteristics. The warranty period of the replacement watch is five years from the date of purchase of the replaced watch.

### **This manufacturer's warranty does not cover:**

- The life of battery.
- Normal wear and tear and aging(e.g. scratched crystal; alteration of the color and /or material of nonmetallic strap and chains, such as leather, textile, rubber; peeling of electroplate, etc).
- Any damage on any part resulting from abnormal/ abusive use, lack of care, negligence, accidents, incorrect use of the watch and non-observance of the operating instructions provided by Emile Chouriet.

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- Any indirect damage resulting from misuse or from any failure to operate, defects or lack of precision.
- Any Emile Chouriet watch that has been handled by non-authorized persons or which has been altered from its original condition beyond the control of Emile Chouriet.

### **In addition to the above warranty services:**

Any further claim against Emile Chouriet, e.g. for damages additional to the above described warranty is expressly excluded, except mandatory statutory rights the purchaser may have against the manufacturer.

Emile Chouriet is independent of any warranty that may be provided by the seller, for which he carries sole responsibility. This does not affect the purchaser's rights against the seller or any other mandatory statutory rights the purchaser may have against the seller.

Emile Chouriet customer service ensures the perfect maintenance of your Emile Chouriet watch. If your watch needs attention, rely on an official Emile Chouriet seller or an official Emile Chouriet Service Center listed in this manual book: they can guarantee service according to Emile Chouriet's standards.

**In order to keep your watch timing accurate, efficient and durable, there are some special recommendations:**

- **Magnetic fields:** Avoid placing your watch on loudspeakers or refrigerators, because they generate powerful magnetic fields, which may influence the accuracy of your watch.
- **Knocks:** Avoid knocks on your watch.
- **Temperature:** Your Emile Chouriet watch can accurately work in a daily temperature within 0°C- 50°C. Avoid exposure to extreme temperatures (higher than 50°C or lower than 0°C).
- **Chemical products:** Avoid contact with solvents, detergents, perfumes, cosmetics, as they may damage strap/bracelet, case, back and gasket.
- **Swimming:** Avoid wearing your watch for swimming or bathing very often, for the chemical products such as acid, alkali and salt in water, especially in seawater, may corrode watch strap/bracelet, case, back and gasket.
- **Water-resistance:** Water-resistance function of a watch cannot be permanently guaranteed, for the aging of gasket and the accidental knock to the crown. You'd better get water resistance test on your watch once a year in the Emile Chouriet official service center.
- **Cleaning:** For metal bracelets and water-resistant cases, in case of dirty, use a small brush with soapy water to clean and a soft cloth for drying.



## Maintenance

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- **Crown:** In daily wearing, for the screw-in crown, it should be carefully screwed in. For the non screw-in crown, it should be pushed in all the time to prevent penetration of water.
- **Chronograph push-buttons:** Avoid pressing chronograph push-buttons under water in order to prevent penetration of water.
- **Leather strap:** Avoid contact with water and moisture in order to prevent discoloration and deformation. Avoid direct exposure the leather strap in the sunlight, for it will lead to fading and cracking-off. Avoid contact with oily substance, acid, alkali or cosmetics, as these may damage straps.
- **Clasp:** The clasp, a vulnerable component and usually locked by friction or springs, may get rusted after contacting water. It can get a longer term use with a little lubricating oil in friction parts and springs. After too many times of open and close action, the clasp may become loose. In this case, we advise you to have it repaired in Emile Chouriet official service center in order to get a normal use.
- **Battery replacement:** Quartz watches will stop working when the power is exhausted. The battery must be replaced immediately in case the damage of movement by leaking liquid from the battery. Battery quality directly affects working period and time-keeping precision of the watch. We recommend that you contact an official Emile

Chouriet service center or authorized Emile Chouriet sellers, as they are institutions with all tools and apparatus required to carry out the work and the necessary checks in a professional manner.

**Note:** To avoid environmental pollution, do not discard used batteries in water or fire. Keep them out of the reach of children to prevent accidental swallowing.



- **Regular maintenance:** Like all precision instruments, watches need regular maintenance to ensure correct operation. Due to differences between models, climates and other conditions, the required maintenance frequency varies. Typically, you should go to an official Emile Chouriet service center for a comprehensive inspection on the watch every three to five years.
- **Quartz watch:** If your quartz watch will not be used for a few weeks or months, it is better to pull the crown out to the position in which the watch will stop. This will greatly save the battery power.



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