HOW OFTEN DO YOU NEED TO SERVICE ROLEX?



It is recommended that your Rolex be serviced every 10 years for continued accuracy and waterproofness. Your Rolex watch should be serviced at an Official Rolex Retailer or a Rolex Service Center on a regular basis.

To preserve sustained accuracy and waterproofness, Rolex watches should be repaired every ten years, depending on the model and real-world usage. Your Rolex watch should be professionally serviced at an Official Rolex Retailer or Service Centre on a periodic basis.

It is important to refill the lubricants in a Rolex watch. The synthetic lubricants used by watchmakers will evaporate and dry up over time. Due to the mechanical sheering from the pivots running dry, debris and dirt will build up. The pivots may eventually fail. It is advisable therefore to have the wristwatch serviced before it reaches that point. Internal wear can be prevented by cleaning the watch caliber and maintaining it at set intervals. Watches made by Rolex are water-resistant. Models like the Sea-Dweller and Submariner Deep Sea are nearly watertight. Your watch's water resistance could be the lone reason to service it regularly if it is important to you. Rolex watches are no different than any other watch that is regularly exposed to water in this regard. If you often submerge your watch underwater, you should have it examined on a regular basis. At your local Rolex Service Center RSC, pressure testing is available. It is probably time to have a 100m water-resistant watch serviced if you find out that it can only endure 30m or 3ATM of pressure. Water resistance on Rolex watches is not permanent and requires periodic service.

How Much Does Rolex Watch Service Cost?

A Rolex watch service costs around \$800. An overhaul of a Rolex usually costs between \$800 and \$1500, depending on its condition and the work required. A qualified watchmaker carefully examines your timepiece and calculates the amount of repair that will be required. All work on your watch must be accepted by you prior to undergoing any repairs.

independent watch services are typically less expensive than approved Rolex service centres, but they do not have Rolex's approval for the work. independent watch services will cost between \$350 and \$950. If you have your Rolex serviced by an independent non authorized third party, your warranty will be voided.

You must maintain your Rolex watch's flawless, original state, even though servicing it may appear complicated due to its worth and collectability. Your Rolex watch should be serviced every ten years, according to Rolex. Servicing is an important aspect of owning a watch, so do it while it's still in good shape.

What Happens In A Rolex Service?

All required operations to restore accuracy, functionality and aesthetics are included in Rolex service. It includes the internal and external cleaning of the watch, including the scratch-resistant cerachrom, chromalight, magnetic shield, Oyster case and the perpetual movement. The Rolex calibre will be take aparted and each component will be cleaned individually. Each watch parts is ultrasonically cleansed to ensure that all dirt and impurities are removed. A Rolex horologer certified by the company has the skills and knowledge to carefully disassemble a band like a two-colour 904l stainless steel Oyster or President bracelet. Essentially, all Rolex Glidelock, links and parts will be dismantled and cleaned one by one separately.

Every portion of the movement (mainspring, wheel train, pivots, escapement mechanism, pallet fork, oscillating weight and hairspring) will be inspected by the Rolex Service Center, with worn-out parts being replaced with new ones. The movement will also be oiled before the watch is put back together. It is necessary to lubricate the top and bottom jewels of the Balance Staff with a light oil. lubrication is needed for the escape wheel and pallet fork's bottom and top jewels. lubrication is needed for gears in gear trains. A qualified watchmaker cleanses and re-lubricates the Mainspring using a one-dip technique if it needs to be re-lubricated.

To ensure COSC (contrôle officiel suisse des chronomètres) accuracy -2/+2 sec/ day, the Rolex superlative movement will be inspected and adjusted.

The Rolex will be polished to restore the original brilliance of the bracelet, case, bidirectional or unidirectional bezel (fluted, domed, tachymeter or cerachrom) and screw-down crown (twinlock or triplock). Superalloys from Rolex, such as Everose, Rolesor, and Oystersteel, can be polished to remove light scuffs. In addition to stainless steel 904L, 18ct white gold, 18ct yellow gold, 18ct rose gold, and 950 platinum, other metals can also be refinished during the Rolex service.

Multiple gaskets in water-resistant Oyster casings are replaced automatically during the watch service. Replacement of the Triplock crown triple waterproofness gaskets (Submariner, Daytona, Sea Dweller) or Twinlock double waterproofness gaskets (DayDate, Datejust, Oyster, GMT MASTER) gaskets is included in standard Rolex service prices. The watch will be put through a waterproof test to see if it fits the model's requirements: waterproof to 100 metres / 330 feet (most Rolexes), waterproof to 300 metres / 1000 feet (Submariner), waterproof to 1220 metres / 4000 feet (Sea Dweller) and waterproof to 3900 metres / 12800 feet (Deep Sea). water pressure testing is comparable to that carried out in Rolex's Swiss plant.

Will Rolex Service A Second Hand Watch?

No paperwork is required to service genuine Rolex timepieces. The paperwork is missing from some Rolex owners. The watch may easily be maintained at a certified service center.

A green plastic card called Rolex paper is included in the box of every new Rolex timepiece. It is shaped like a banking card. This was previously a paper document, therefore the terms Rolex document and Rolex documentation. Rolex cards function similarly to ID cards for timepieces. This includes the wristwatch's reference number and unique serial number. On the back of the card is a stamp with information about the Rolex store and the date the timepiece was acquired. This card also acts as the Rolex warranty. For every Rolex watch, only an unique green plasticcard was ever made. If the card is lost or even stolen, Rolex will not replace it.

A Rolex owner may not have the original documents for a variety of reasons. Without a document, a Rolex can be serviced. You must know if your Rolex has been modified or serviced by an independent watchmaker if you do not have the original green card for the wristwatch. Another useful piece of information is where it was purchased or who owned it previously. Any document relating to its purchase could be helpful. If the watch is authentic Rolex watch, has not been modified, and is not stolen, then Rolex will service it. Even if you don't have the original certification papers, Rolex will service your watch if you ship it to them in the mail or bring it in to one of their Official Rolex Retailers and Service Centers.

Rolexes That Are Over Ten Years Old

Some Rolex watches that are over ten years old require maintenance.

Model	Reference	Discontinued
Rolex Cosmograph Daytona Steel White	116520-0016	2011
Rolex Explorer II Superluminova	16570-0003	2011
Rolex Explorer II Black Superluminova	16570-0004	2011
Rolex Explorer II Black Tritium	16570-0002	2011
Rolex Explorer II White Tritium	16570-0001	2011
Rolex Submariner Date 16610 LV Mark 1	16610LV MK1	2010
Rolex Submariner Date 16610 LV Mark 6	16610LV MK6	2010
Rolex Submariner Date 16610 LV Mark 7	16610LV MK7	2010
Rolex Submariner Date 16610 LV Mark 2	16610LV MK2	2010
Rolex Submariner Date 16610 LV Mark 3	16610LV MK3	2010
Rolex Submariner Date 16610 LV Mark 4	16610LV MK4	2010
Rolex Submariner Date 16610 LV Mark 5	16610LV MK5	2010
Rolex Submariner Date 16610 SuperLuminova	16610 SuperLuminova	2010
Rolex Submariner Date 16610 Tritium	16610 Tritium	2010
Rolex Submariner Date 16610 Tritium Tiffany	16610 Tritium Tiffany	2010
Rolex Explorer	114270-0001	2010
Rolex Submariner Date 16613 Black Tritium	16613 Black Tritium	2009
Rolex Submariner Date 16613 Black Tiffany Tritium	16613 Black Tiffany Tritium	2009
Rolex Submariner Date 16613 Blue Tritium	16613 Blue Tritium	2009
Rolex Submariner Date 16613 Black Superluminova	16613 Black Superluminova	2009
Rolex Submariner Date 16613 Panama Canal	16613 Panama	2009
Rolex Submariner Date 16613 Blue Tiffany Tritium	16613 Blue Tiffany Tritium	2009
Rolex Submariner Date 16613 Serti Silver	16613 Serti Silver	2009
Rolex Submariner Date 16613 Onyx	16613 Onyx	2009
Rolex Submariner Date 16613 Blue Tritium	16613 Blue SuperLuminova	2009
Rolex Submariner 16618 Blue SuperLuminova	16618 Blue Superluminova	2008
Rolex Submariner 16618 Gold Serti	16618 Gold Serti	2008
Rolex Submariner 16618 Black SuperLuminova	16618 Black SuperLuminova	2008

Rolex Submariner 16618 Lapis	16618 Lapiz	2008
Rolex Submariner 16618 Black Tritium	16618 Tritium	2008
Rolex Submariner 16618 Blue Tritium	16618 Blue Tritium	2008
Rolex Submariner 16618 Silver Serti	16618 Silver Serti	2008
Rolex Sea-Dweller 16600T	16600T	2008
Rolex Sea-Dweller 16600 SuperLuminova	16600 SuperLuminova	2008
Rolex Sea-Dweller 16600 Polizia di Stato	16600 Polizia di Stato	2008
Rolex Sea-Dweller 16600 Tritium	16600 Tritium	2008
Rolex Sea-Dweller 16600 Comex Service	16600 Comex Service	2008
Rolex Submariner No-Date / Stainless Steel / Black	14060M-0001	2007
Rolex GMT-Master II 16710 Coke	16710 Coke	2005
Rolex GMT-Master II Two Tone / Black	16713	2005
Rolex GMT-Master II 16718 Yellow Gold	16718	2005
Rolex Daytona White Gold Sapphire Strap	16559saco	2000
Rolex Daytona Zenith Yellow Gold Pink Sapphire Black	16588safu-0001	2000
Rolex Daytona Zenith Yellow Gold Pink Sapphire Paved	16588safu-0002	2000
Rolex Submariner Date 16610 Panama Canal	16610 Panama Canal	1999
Rolex GMT-Master 16700	17616	1999
Rolex Submariner Date 16610 Comex	16610 Comex	1997
Rolex Sea-Dweller 16600 Comex Mark 2	16600 Comex MK2	1997
Rolex Sea-Dweller 16600 Comex Mark 1	16600 Comex MK1	1992
Rolex Sea-Dweller 16660 Matte Mark 1	16660 Matte MK1	1988
Rolex Sea-Dweller 16660 Matte Mark 2	16660 Matte MK2	1988
Rolex Sea-Dweller 16660 Gloss	16660 Gloss	1988
Rolex Sea-Dweller 16660 Comex Matte	16660 Comex Matte	1988
Rolex Daytona 6265 Stainless Steel / Silver / Big Red	6265-001	1988

About Prestige Watch Club

The Prestige Watch Club online platform is available to Rolex owners, those interested in Rolex wristwatches and Swiss watch. The **Prestige Watch Club** is a resource for Rolex watch owners who have questions about your Rolex timepiece. Rolex watch service, how to buy a used Rolex, how to remove scratches, and how to sell your Rolex for the best price are just a few of the topics discussed. PrestigeWatchClub.com has a wealth of Rolex-related information to assist you in getting the most out of your timepiece. Rolex owners who own a Submariner, Rolex Datejust, Rolex Oyster Perpetual, Rolex GMT-Master, Rolex Sky-Dweller, a Rolex Cosmograph Daytona, or any other legendary Rolex watch must visit Prestige Watch Club.



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Online Resources and References

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- <u>Cosc Controle Officiel Suisse Des Chronometres</u>
- Rolex.com
- Reddit.com/rolex
- Baselworld
- <u>Ablogtowatch.com</u>
- Watches And Wonders