

Watches

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Casio A168

"This watch is small, especially for its G-Shock style digital aesthetic, which makes it an excellent choice for those with thinner wrists."

"The tactile quality of the operation is fun and satisfying, and the watch seems to respond quickly to the pushers."

"Some cons include its plastic construction, average water resistance, and potential hair-pulling from the bracelet's thin links."

Casio F91W

"Great quality for the money"

"Long battery life"

"I recommend this watch to everybody, who wants a little reliable timeless classic"

Casio A700

"very comfortable. It sits beautifully flat, without digging in or threatening to extend over the edges of your arm

"On this A700, the contrast is still there, however, this time it looks good! The silver panels at the top of each bracelet piece may be matte, but they are about the same tone of silver as that used in the main case; giving an interesting multi-textured aesthetic that adds to the style of the watch when unfolded.""

"The face has a rather symmetrical design, with the logo and text generally positioned towards the centre. I think it looks quite classy and I prefer the less cluttered design compared to some of the older watches; though that is going to be subjective and based on what you prefer."

Tissot PRX

"Effectively, this was a mechanical variation on the PRX theme. It maintained the 40mm integrated design but added a patterned dial in a variety of colors. The most popular is the blue dial version which (we have to say it) is quite reminiscent of a certain similarly styled watch that costs many multiples more than this one. But hey, no one brand owns the steel sports watch design, and no one brand owns the ability to add a little depth and visual interest to a dial."

Tissot T-MyLady

"Delicate and subtle watches for the elegant minimalist Lady"

"A beautiful game of light and colour takes place on the dial, which is enhanced at the top by warm reflections of rose-gold indices and hands with decorative engraving. The leather strap that comes with them has a decent cream color."

CLASSIC MESH ARCTIC Daniel Wellington

“The Classic Mesh Arctic from Daniel Wellington is a versatile piece with much to offer. The blue dial with a sunray finish echoes polar waters, while the silver watchband gives the timepiece a snowy brilliance. Thanks to its slim profile and beveled case, it also feels nice on the wrist. As an overall timepiece, this watch expresses a modern classic's quiet yet sophisticated elegance. Pair it with any style or change straps for a personalized look.”

Timex Weekender

“Let's take a closer look at what makes the Timex Weekender 38 so appealing and wearable. The case is made of brass with an attractive, polished silver finish. The dial is matte black with large Arabic numerals in a no-nonsense font. Military time is recorded on a concentric inner ring with smaller numerals. In addition to the silver hour and minute hands, a red seconds hand sweeps in one second increments. The dial is highly legible and the lack of a date window makes this a true “grab & go” watch.”

“Coming in at 38mm, the case diameter would satisfy Goldilocks and really hits a sweet spot in terms of size. In some ways, the case seems bigger than it really is because of the generously sized dial. The lugs, however, have a graceful, downward curve that enhances wearability for those with smaller wrists. Speaking of lugs, they have a 20mm width that offers plenty of alternative strap possibilities for those seeking variety.”

Seiko 5 Automatic

“This is a small watch but still has good presence and bold styling. It's a 37mm dial with a lug to lug of only 42mm (which seems a bit wrong, I would say 44mm) per my dodgy and very cheap digital callipers, I bought them as I couldn't find my proper ones, they are in a storage box somewhere. Anyway, it looks great, the bezel and case are polished, and the proportions don't stop it from having an impact. The crown is small and tucked away, which I'm not used to but it works well, it's a slick and sleek look. ”

“We have a slight issue here, and it comes in the form of a bulbous caseback. It protrudes more than the dial/bezel which is odd, though it isn't entirely obvious on the wrist it does look weird on inspection. ”

Citizen BM7360

“While I liked the physical build quality of the few watches I had handled until that point, Citizen had a tiny catalog of men's watches below £200, which was the designated price bracket for the video mentioned above. Very few of those options were close to fitting my slim wrist, as their sub-41mm collection was even more limited. I have to say, I'm amazed by this material so far, as it has the inherent lightweight benefits of titanium that I'm familiar with, along with more precise finishing than some of the titanium watches I've covered in days past. Indeed, despite the lovely 9.5mm side profile, it's still too large for my wrist, with a 41mm diameter and an effective lug to lug of 53.7mm due to the inflexible end-links. It's got a fine vertically engraved dial, which is executed to a good standard, considering the cost of the watch. It almost looks like a woven fabric, and the applied Citizen logo sits atop it”

Casio Edifice

“This model is 42.5mm wide and 8.5mm thick though given the case design it wears similar to a 40mm. The integrated solid link bracelet tapers from 24mm at the case to 18mm at the clasp. The bracelet is fairly comfortable and given the price of the watch I think it's

acceptable, the clasp is a weak point but since it's 18mm I'll likely try to upgrade it at some point. The dial is my favorite part of the watch, I'm a sucker for brushed dials and this one doesn't disappoint. The applied indices are similar to my gm2100 and do not have any lume. That brings me to my main dislike. The only lume present is on the minute and hour hands and it is not very long lasting."

Casio G shock

"If you haven't heard of it, "Casioak" is a nickname for a new series of Casio G-shock watches. This model has a similar vibe to the rectangular DW5600 range, but swaps out the squared-off all digital display for a round ana-digi design.

It packs all of the features you'd expect from an entry-level G. I won't rewrite the mile-long feature list here, but it has LED light for the face, as well as backlight, world time, and the typical alarm, stopwatch, and countdown timer. Additionally, you can hold down two buttons and the hands move away from the digital display.

Within the analog form, the watch features a small digital display cutout that allows for the typical G-Shock complications and a day indicator on the left-hand side. On top of the redesigned bezel, G-Shock went with a more wearable case at 45.4mm diameter and a lug-to-lug of 48.5mm.

There is also a smaller model (GA-S2100) with dimensions of 42.9mm diameter and 46.2mm lug-to-lug. These may sound on the large side, but the lug-to-lug measurements make it feel more compact on the wrist and wear particularly well. ."

Orient RA-

"This model brings a new dimension to the Diver design model*, which is popular both as a fashionable item and for wearing around town. Its new compact 39.9 mm case, makes it ideal for both men and women.

With the smaller case comes a movement that shows only the date, as well as a simpler dial calendar display. Bars are used for the Luminous Light hands and indices that allow the time to be read even in the dark, lending a clean feel and creating a simpler, more visible dial layout. The simple, light feel of the design also extends to the shape of the right side of the case, where the crown guard usually sits but is deliberately omitted here, as well as the rotating bezel that is left uncoloured to showcase the texture of the steel.

*Not an ISO standard diver's watch.

Case size (3H-9H): 39.9mm

Stainless Steel Case

Water Resistance 20bar(200m)

Dial colour: Black"

Seiko 5 Sports

"The Seiko 5 Sports movement is a reliable and accurate movement that is well-suited for everyday wear. While it may not be as accurate as a quartz watch or a high-end mechanical watch, it is still within the standard for mechanical watches and can keep time within a few seconds per day., This one is the most straightforward. The slightly grainy black dial looks great with the silver applied indices and stark white lume. It's used on several different models, but looks different depending on the case and strap. The SRPD91 is housed in a

gun metal case with both brushed and finished surfaces and has a black bezel insert. It comes on a Seiko branded olive green nylon strap that gives it a tactical military look. I found myself gravitating towards this one the most.”

Timex Expedition

“The Timex Expedition Scout 36mm is a retro-style field watch with a strong military aesthetic. Timex calls it a “rugged outdoor watch,” and it’s hard to argue with that. This watch is part of the Expedition line, which is Timex’s main range of field watches. The Scout is their take on a more casual field watch that’s stylish enough to be worn every day. Although it’s on the smaller side, it still has a substantial presence on the wrist due to the thickness and lug-to-lug distance. The Expedition Scout uses a standard Timex quartz movement. It might not seem like much, but keep in mind that Timex’s quartz movements are pretty long-lasting and reliable. The Scout features Timex’s INDIGLO backlighting, which you activate by pressing in the crown. The hands also have regular lume, so this watch is extremely visible in the dark”

Hamilton Khaki Field Mechanical

“The Khaki Field Mechanical is, to many, the quintessential field watch. It’s a direct reissue of the no-nonsense mil-spec design contracted by the US government throughout the Vietnam Conflict. Case diameter: 38mm (42mm including the crown).

Lug to lug distance: 47mm.

Lug width: 20mm. This is a great standard size with strap offerings from tons of brands.

Height: Just about 9.7mm tall. Nice and low profile.

Weight: 1.7oz (47g) and 2oz (60g) with the strap. It’s refreshingly lightweight and practically disappears on the wrist. The Khaki Field Mechanical is available on a number of NATO straps, varying between nylon and leather and differing in color depending on which color variant of the watch you buy. I opted for the standard olive drab green NATO. Designed for legibility, the dial layout consists of a matte black face contrasted by crisply printed white numerals and a 60 minute track around the perimeter”

Seiko 5 Sports Midfield

“It has a water resistance rating of 100 meters, making it suitable for swimming and snorkeling. Overall, the Seiko 5 Sports 'Green Zone' Midfield Automatic Watch SRPJ85K1 is a versatile and practical accessory that is both stylish and functional. It is perfect for everyday wear and can be worn on any adventure. Featuring a sleek and durable 36mm black dial with luminous hands and markers, this watch offers clear and easy-to-read timekeeping in any lighting condition. The dial is protected by a scratch-resistant Hardlex crystal that ensures durability and longevity.

The watch’s signature feature is the eye-catching green NATO strap, which adds a pop of color and a rugged, adventurous vibe to the overall design. The strap is made of high-quality nylon and is easily adjustable for a comfortable fit on any wrist size.

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