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THE ORIGINS OF VANGUART

Manufacturer Vanguart develops and creates highly complicated watches that introduce new technical and experiential ways to engage with Time.

Founded in 2017 by CEO, Axel Leuenberger (former APRP R&D department), Chief Technical Officer, Jeremy Frelechox (APRP veteran of 15 years), Chief Creative Officer, Thierry Fischer (watch designer with contributions to several major brands), and President, Mehmet Korutürk (private equity), the Vanguart teams collective and broad experience has resulted in a stunning start to the brand with the introduction of the Blackhole in 2020.





THE BLACKHOLE APPROACHES THE LANDSCAPE OF FUTURISM WHILE EVOKING A SENSE OF WONDER AND

SEAMLESS DESIGN

The sweeping lines of the case flow seamlessly, complex geometries are conveyed with grace and fluidity, and every detail has been treated with care, craft and consideration.

There are no visible screws or pins, which further pushes the organic aesthetic. The final result is a flowing design that was created in absolute coordination with its next generation highly engaging tourbillon mechanism.



AN AUTOMATON FOR THE FUTURE

Developed and created entirely in-house by the Vanguart team, caliber T-1701 features a central flying tourbillon that appears to be levitating above a purely 21st century animated dial. The time is indicated by a linear time display with the hour and minutes each having their own concentric dial that border the tourbillon.

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EMOTIONAL ENGINEERING

The setting of the watch is where the beautiful ingenuity of Vanguart is on full display. A highly ergonomic joystick-type setting system replaces a traditional crown and allows the user to advance and reverse the time in a highly engaging and tactile way. Time simply flows forward and backward with the Blackhole with the slightest pressure.







Over 750 components comprise this groundbreaking movement which has set the stage for the future of Vanguart mechanisms: technologically advanced, always engaging and placing User Interface into the equation, designed with refined beauty and hand-decorated entirely throughout.

ENGAGING TIME

EXPERIENTIAL COMPLICATIONS

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SPECIFICATIONS

- In-house levitating flying tourbillon.
- 2 Concentric 3 tiers automaton dial with linear time display.
- High precision joystick time setting with forward and reverse indication.
- 4 Vertical power reserve indicator / gauge.





ADDITIONAL SPECIFICATIONS

- -42 hours of useful power reserve
- 775 components
- Main plate and bridges in grade 5 titanium
- Finishes: Microblasted, satin-finished, block-polished and hand-beveled

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BLACK HOLE TOURBILLON

Current Collection



TITANIUM LIMITED TO 8 PIECES

Case in titanium grade 5 80 grams. Microblasted exoskeleton with polished bevels Microblasted fuselage

Dial in titanium grade 5 Anthracite PVD Hand painted indications

Presented on a anthracite rubber strap

Movement in titanium grade 5 Black PVD Microblasted finish Handmade polished bevels and satins



ROSE GOLD LIMITED TO 8 PIECES

Case in rose gold 173 grams. Microblasted exoskeleton with polished bevels Polished fuselage

Dial in titanium grade 5 Silver PVD Hand painted indications

Presented on a white rubber strap

Movement in titanium grade 5 Gold and silver PVD Microblasted finish Handmade polished bevels and satins



WHITE GOLD

LIMITED TO 8 PIECES

Case in white gold 173 grams. Microblasted exoskeleton with polished bevels Polished fuselage

Dial in titanium grade 5 Silver PVD Hand painted indications

Presented on a white rubber strap

Movement in titanium grade 5 Microblasted finish Microblasted finish Handmade polished bevels and satins ____ VANGUART

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