



RUNNING EQUATION, PERPETUAL CALENDAR, RETROGRADE MOON PHASES, SMALL SECONDS, UNDER-LUG CORRECTORS, SELF-WINDING CALIBRE 3863, UP TO 72-HOUR AUTONOMY.





#### THE CROWN HAS TWO DISTINCT POSITIONS:

Position A, crown in manual-winding position.

**Position B,** crown pulled out to time-setting position, enabling adjustment of the hours and minutes.

# ADJUSTING AND SYNCHRONISING THE EQUATION OF TIME AND THE PERPETUAL CALENDAR:

Correctors 1, 2, 3 and 5 located under the case lugs, as well as corrector 4 beneath the case middle, serve to make all adjustments. They may be actuated with a finger or using the tool supplied with the watch.

Pulling the winding stem out to position B and turn the hour and minute hands clockwise until the date jumps, and then position them at 12 o'clock.

- 1. Press corrector 5 at 11 o'clock, up to the desired date minus one day.
- 2. Press corrector 1 at 1 o'clock, up to the desired year (normal or leap year) and month
- 3. Press corrector 4 at 9 o'clock twice to index one day of the retrograding moon display. To adjust the moon phases: place the hand on the full-moon position, and determine the date of the last full moon using a lunar calendar. Press twice as many times as the number of days elapsed since the last full moon until the date indicated (2 presses = 1-day moon adjustment).
- Turn the hands clockwise to set the desired date and moon phase and then set the time.
- 5. Press corrector 3 at 7 o'clock to index the desired day.
- 6. Press corrector 2 at 5 o'clock to index the equation of time month in line with the perpetual calendar month.

**Nota bene:** the two equation-of-time hands are automatically adjusted when the date and equation are indexed. It may occur that the retrograding moon hand happens to be on one side of the display during the daytime and then jumps to the other side at 6 pm (the two far ends of the retrograde moon display show the same state of the moon).

### IMPORTANT

To avoid damaging the mechanism, be sure not to perform any corrections of the equation of time and the perpetual calendar between 8 pm and 1 pm.

# TRIPLE-BLADE FOLDING CLASP (WITH PRONG)

Only Blancpain wristbands specially designed for this folding clasp should be used. For your safety and comfort, we advise you to have your new clasp fitted by an authorised Blancpain retailer. You can always then adjust the length of the wristband yourself.

### **OPENING**

To open the fastening, place one finger on each side of the clasp and pull it upwards (Fig. 1). Proceed in the same manner to open the other blade (Fig. 2).





Fig. 2

## CLOSING

Slip your Blancpain watch on your wrist and close the folding blades as indicated on figures 3 and 4.





Fig. 4

### ADJUSTING THE WRISTBAND:

Slide the section of the wristband into the clasp and insert the prong into the desired hole (Fig. 5). Move the prong to another hole if necessary.



Fig. 5