

SA428462

A gents 1949 Eterna-Matic
wrist watch

Price

Sold

Item Reference: SA428462

Date of manufacture: 1940

Description

A gents 1949 Eterna-Matic wrist watch. The watch has a signed automatic movement, calibre 1249T, which came into production in 1949. This calibre was the first gents automatic movement with the ball bearing rotor (the first automatic ball bearing movement was produced in 1948 but it was for ladies' watches). The shape of the rotor was changed very quickly, within the first year of production in fact, with the revised calibre number 1249UT. The serial number of 34,159,962 dates the watch back to 1949. The movement is working nicely. The watch measures 34mm diameter excluding the winding crown and the lugs. The stainless steel case is in very nice condition and the snap-on case back is signed inside with the Eterna name. The lens is in good condition. The dial is in lovely condition and has the five ball bearings Eterna logo. A later brown leather strap has been fitted. PRICE INCLUDES WORLDWIDE POSTAGE

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