

SA467251

Gents 1950s Omega Seamaster automatic watch

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA467251****Date of manufacture: 1950**

Description

A gents gold capped Omega Seamaster automatic wrist watch. The watch has an automatic movement, calibre 501 with 20 jewels, which is working nicely. The movement is fully signed and the serial number of 16,071,614 which dates it back to 1958. The watch itself measures 33.5mm diameter excluding the winding crown and the lugs. The case is gold capped which means a generous layer of 14k gold has been applied to the front and sides of the case and the bezel is solid 14k gold. It was said that the gold capping was so thick that it could hold its shape when not fitted to the case and apparently the salesman used to carry a sample of just the gold capping to demonstrate how strong it was. There are a few little marks to the capping but very acceptable for a piece from the 1950s. Later Seamaster watches have the Seamaster logo to the case back but this particular watch is a little bit early for that and it is stamped rather faintly with the Seamaster name, together with the word Waterproof. As with any vintage watch, however, it should be kept away from water. The inside of the case back has the Omega triangular stamp together with the case reference 2846-2848 4SC which ...

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