

Real Men Real Style

# ULTIMATE WATCH CHECKLIST

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Why Do You Want A Watch?	
Practical reasons	<input type="checkbox"/>
To look good	<input type="checkbox"/>
As an heirloom piece	<input type="checkbox"/>
What Type Of Watch Do You Want?	
Quartz	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mechanical	<input type="checkbox"/>
Automatic	<input type="checkbox"/>
Solar	<input type="checkbox"/>
Kinetic	<input type="checkbox"/>
Choose The Style	
Diving Watch	<input type="checkbox"/>
Dress Watch	<input type="checkbox"/>
Survival Watch	<input type="checkbox"/>
Field Watch	<input type="checkbox"/>
Aviator Watch	<input type="checkbox"/>
Chronograph Watch	<input type="checkbox"/>
Fashion Watch	<input type="checkbox"/>
Smart Watch	<input type="checkbox"/>

Pick Your Features / Complications	
Alarm	
Stopwatch	
Pressure Release Valve	
Compass	
Different Time Zones	
Temperature	
Digital Syncing Capabilities	
Power Reserve	
Moon Phase	
Day / Date	
Tachymeters	
Moonphase	
Rotating Bezel	
Power Reserve	
<i>Add your own</i>	
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New / Used?	
New	
Used	
What's Your Budget?	
\$100 - \$1,000	
\$1,000 - \$10,000	
\$10,000 +	

Buying As An Investment?	
Have you researched thoroughly?	<input type="checkbox"/>
Will it hold its value?	<input type="checkbox"/>
Pick Your Brand	
Does it have a brand story?	<input type="checkbox"/>
Will you be able to purchase spare parts in the future?	<input type="checkbox"/>
Signs Of Quality (For Watches Made From Metal)	
Geneva Seal	<input type="checkbox"/>
A signed caseback, crown, deployant clasp or strap buckle	<input type="checkbox"/>
Graphics or graphics or logos are printed in relief (instead of etched)	<input type="checkbox"/>
Does it have screwed links in the bracelet?	<input type="checkbox"/>
Are the watch case and bracelet links solid pieces of metal, rather than folded metal or hollow?	<input type="checkbox"/>
Stainless steel is at least 316L	<input type="checkbox"/>
Does it have PVD coating?	<input type="checkbox"/>
Smooth finish - no bumps or loose parts	<input type="checkbox"/>
Signs Of Quality (Survival Watches)	
Crown protector	<input type="checkbox"/>
Screw crown	<input type="checkbox"/>
Fixed push pins (springbar without collar)	<input type="checkbox"/>

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Signs Of Quality (Watch Strap / Bracelet)	
Leather watch strap is made from top grain leather	
Metal bracelet has a locking deployment clasp	
Graphics or graphics or logos are printed in relief (instead of etched)	
Metal bracelet has screwed links	
Watch Location - Can You See It In Person?	
Yes	
No	
How Are You Going To Buy?	
Authorized dealer	
Gray market	
Type Of Movement	
Swiss	
Japanese	
Glass Type	
Sapphire (check for 'Saffire' label on dial or back of watch)	
Crystal	
Mineral	
Does it have anti-reflective coating?	
Ensure the glass is scratch resistant	
Illumination	
Does the watch have luminant so you can check the time in the dark?	
Have you tested the watch in the dark?	

## Weight

Weight is substantial enough to justify your investment

Watch is light enough for practical daily use

## Watch Materials

Stainless Steel

Titanium

Ceramic

Aluminum

Rhodium

Gold

Rose Gold

Silver

Platinum

Plastic

Rubber

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