

Title (en)

Watch dial and manufacturing methods for such a dial

Title (de)

Uhrzifferblatt und Herstellungsverfahren dieses Zifferblattes

Title (fr)

Cadran pour pièce d'horlogerie et procédés de fabrication de ce cadran

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Abstract (en)

The dial has a visible surface of metallic appearance, comprising a morphology characteristic corresponding to that of mother-of-pearl. A mother-of-pearl sheet is subjected to a sandblasting operation, to give the morphology of mother-of-pearl, to the surface finish of the sheet. The surface is coated with a layer of metal such as pure yellow gold, grey platinum or pink gold/copper alloy. An independent claim is also included for a method for manufacturing a timepiece dial.

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