



Omega Seamaster Automatic cal.597 1960
£1,199.00

Watch: Omega Seamaster 14704 -1 Cal 597

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Omega Seamaster 14704-1 SC – Calibre 597 – 34mm – Automatic – 1960

A beautifully preserved Omega Seamaster reference 14704-1 SC, dating to approximately 1960 and powered by the highly regarded Omega Calibre 597 automatic movement. Representing the elegant and understated design language that established the Seamaster as one of Omega's most enduring collections, this vintage example perfectly balances dress-watch sophistication with everyday practicality.

The standout feature is undoubtedly the wonderfully aged off-white dial, which has developed a charming natural patina over the decades. Combined with the gilt hour markers and original alpha hands, it creates a warm vintage aesthetic that simply cannot be replicated.

Key Details

- Model: Omega Seamaster
- Reference: 14704-1 SC
- Year: 1960 - dated by serial number
- Case Size: 34mm
- Case Material: Stainless Steel
- Dial: Off-white with natural patina
- Hour Markers: Applied gilt baton markers
- Hands: Original gilt hands
- Crystal: Acrylic crystal
- Movement: Automatic
- Calibre: Omega 597
- Strap: New grey leather strap
- Alternative Straps: Alternative colours available upon request
- Caseback: Screw-down Seamaster hippocampus caseback
- Guarantee: 12-month mechanical guarantee

Condition Report

Case: Excellent vintage condition with light signs of age-related wear.

Dial: Beautifully aged original dial displaying an attractive and even natural patina.

Hands: Original gilt alpha hands in excellent condition.

Crystal: Clear with only minor signs consistent with age.

Caseback: Crisp Seamaster hippocampus medallion retaining excellent definition.

Strap: Newly fitted grey leather strap in excellent condition.

Overall: An exceptionally honest and attractive vintage Seamaster that has clearly been well cared for throughout its life.

Working Order

The Omega Calibre 597 automatic movement is running strongly and keeping excellent time.

All functions operating exactly as intended.

Supplied with our 12-month mechanical guarantee.

Our View

Early Seamaster references such as the 14704 occupy a special place in Omega's history. Produced during a period when Omega was creating some of its most elegant and durable watches, these models offer a wonderful blend of classic design and everyday functionality.

The naturally aged dial on this example is particularly appealing. Collectors increasingly value originality, and the warm patina, gilt detailing and absence of a date window create a beautifully balanced and characterful appearance. The crisp hippocampus caseback and reliable Calibre 597 movement only add to its appeal.