

# AMVOX2 CHRONOGRAPH RACING



## Jaeger-LeCoultre AMVOX2 Chronograph Racing Paris

An exclusive limited edition of 24 pieces available at Jaeger-LeCoultre boutique in Paris

The 2009 edition of Le Mans 24 Hours thrilled both motor sports enthusiasts and fine watchmaking devotees. Fifty years on from Aston Martin's victory in the 1959 Le Mans 24 Hours, the Aston Martin Racing team has exceeded all expectations by finishing an excellent fourth overall in this year's race, having been quickest of the petrol runners from start to finish. As part of the three-year partnership signed between the two exceptional brands this spring, Jaeger-LeCoultre celebrated Le Mans with two limited editions of the AMVOX2 Chronograph Racing model, which is still the only chronograph operating without push pieces thanks to its revolutionary patented vertical-trigger system.

Following the success of the 2 AMVOX2 Chronograph Racing presented at Le Mans 2009, Jaeger-LeCoultre just launched a new limited edition of 24 pieces of its iconic chronograph, only available at Jaeger-LeCoultre boutique in Paris, Place Vendôme.

This exclusive edition features a black PVD-coated grade 5 titanium case with black and white dial, and black luminescent numerals. The dial decoration revealing the movement reproduces the characteristic gridwork motif of car radiator grills and is framed by a black flange. The movement bridges and plates are coated with ruthenium, while the chronograph levers in orange eloxed aluminium appear through an opening between 4 and 8 o'clock.

Jaeger-LeCoultre boutique in Paris will receive the first pieces of this exclusive limited edition of 24 last week of November.

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### **Manufacture Jaeger-LeCoultre**

Born of an invention, the Grande Maison has always been driven by the spirit of discovery; the need to create new, ever more accurate and more complex technical marvels. Year after year, knowledge and skills have been enriched, renewed and multiplied to serve the unique purpose of mastering the countless operations involved in manufacturing watch movements and cases – the fundamental prerequisite for rising to the most daunting technical challenges. A major player in watchmaking history, Jaeger-LeCoultre has now celebrated its 175th anniversary. The Manufacture has an impressive range of world firsts, superlative creations and legendary models to its credit, including the Reverso, the Duoplan, the Master Control, the Memovox Polaris, the Gyrotourbillon I and the Atmos. In 2009, around 1000 people proficient in over 40 watchmaking professions and more than 20 cutting-edge technologies continue to pay tribute to the pioneering ardour of the company founders by creating new masterpieces proudly perpetuating the grand horological tradition. In 2010, as a further extension to the capacious premises now surrounding Antoine LeCoultre's original atelier, Jaeger-LeCoultre will be inaugurating a new building providing 9,000m<sup>2</sup> of additional workshop space.

### **Jaeger-LeCoultre**

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## AMVOX2 Chronograph Racing : Technical information

### Movement:

- Self-winding mechanical movement, Calibre Jaeger-LeCoultre 751E, crafted, assembled and decorated by hand
- 28,800 vibrations per hour
- 65-hour power reserve
- 280 parts
- 41 jewels
- 5.65 mm thick

### Functions:

- hours, minutes
- date
- chronograph: hour and minute dials, centre seconds

### Dial:

- Black and white dial with openings revealing the mechanism. Applied metal hour-markers. Black numerals with luminescent treatment.

### Hands:

- Local hour and minutes: Calypso style in rhodium-plated brass, luminescent openworked hands
- Seconds: red-lacquered brass

### Vertical-triggering system :

- vertical triggering system for the chronograph functions
- selection device to block one or the other of the chronograph functions

### Case:

- ø 44 mm in titanium with pvd coating
- sapphire crystal, hardness N°9
- water-resistant to 50 metres

### Strap and buckle:

- calfskin strap
- 20 mm folding clasp in steel with pvd coating

