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Press release



Metallic accents bring festive sparkle: Tangente 38 midnight blue radiates elegance in silver—while gold on the hands and dial give the smaller Tangente in 35 millimeters a subtle warmth.

An iconic timepiece with festive spirit: Tangente midnight blue

Introducing two new versions of the classic NOMOS watch model, handcrafted in Glashütte, Germany.

GLASHÜTTE, NOVEMBER 2019. Give a gift that lasts this holiday season—namely a fine mechanical timepiece that will bring joy all year round. Tangente, the iconic watch model from NOMOS Glashütte, is available in two brand-new versions, just in time for the festivities. Both are hand-wound and feature an elegant midnight blue dial for the very first time. One is a unisex 35 mm in diameter, while the other is a tick larger, at 38 mm. This pairing would be a wonderful present for a couple, although each watch has distinct charms that make it unique.

Tangente has become a design classic since its initial release over a quarter of a century ago. Its Bauhaus-inspired aesthetics are straightforward and angular, created

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according to the principle that “form follows function.” Subtle details are what reveal its charm. For example, gold accents provided by the hands and typography not only harmonize beautifully with the beige velour leather strap, but also give the smaller version of Tangente midnight blue an appealing warmth—and festive sparkle. By contrast, Tangente 38 midnight blue features exclusively silver hands and typography, which coordinate beautifully with the stainless steel case and anthracite velour leather strap. The metallic accents on both timepieces are framed by the deep blue of their dials.

Both of these fine mechanical timepieces are powered by the Alpha caliber, hand-crafted by NOMOS in Glashütte. This highly precise hand-wound caliber is also wonderfully finished—with sunburst polishing on the ratchet wheel, Glashütte ribbing on the three-quarter plate, and perlage on the base plate, which can be enjoyed through the sapphire crystal glass back. These traditional features draw on a rich heritage: The town of Glashütte, tucked away in the hills of rural Saxony, is the ticking heart of German watchmaking. Famous around the world for its high-quality timepieces, it has flourished since German reunification in 1990—which also happens to be the year in which NOMOS was founded.

Last but certainly not least: Tangente midnight blue and Tangente 38 midnight blue are accessibly priced, making them an excellent choice for all those looking to give an extra-special gift this year. They are available with retailers and online now.

Should you require further information and images, or if you would like to conduct an interview, or visit us—please get in touch. We would be happy to help!

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Tangente midnight blue



CASE

stainless steel, bipartite
sapphire crystal glass back

GLASS

sapphire crystal glass

WINDING

manual

DIMENSIONS

diameter 35.0 mm
height 6.5 mm

WATER RESISTANCE

up to 3 atm
(splash-proof)

DIAL

midnight blue

HANDS

in gold

STRAP

velour leather beige
lug width 18 mm

REFERENCE

133



CALIBER

Alpha—in-house built
NOMOS caliber with
manual winding

MOVEMENT HEIGHT

2.6 mm

DIAMETER

10 ½ lines (23.3 mm)

POWER RESERVE

up to 43 hours

SPECIAL QUALITIES

stop-seconds mechanism
Glashütte stopwork
Glashütte three-quarter
plate
adjusted in six positions
17 jewels
tempered blue screws
rhodium-plated surfaces
with Glashütte ribbing and
NOMOS perlage
ratchet and crown wheel
with Glashütte sunburst

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Tangente 38 midnight blue



CASE

stainless steel, bipartite
sapphire crystal glass back

GLASS

sapphire crystal glass

WINDING

manual

DIMENSIONS

diameter 37.5 mm
height 6.8 mm

WATER RESISTANCE

up to 3 atm
(splash-proof)

DIAL

midnight blue

HANDS

rhodium-plated

STRAP

velour leather anthracite
lug width 19 mm

REFERENCE

167



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