

Here we are, three and a half years since the Hublot manufacture opened at Nyon in Switzerland.

## Presenting the **BIG BANG UNICO!**

The perfect fusion of Hublot's award-winning iconic design and its Manufacture movement, the UNICO chrono.

**Unveiled today, this new piece is the first in a new line of products designed to house all future incarnations of the UNICO movement.**

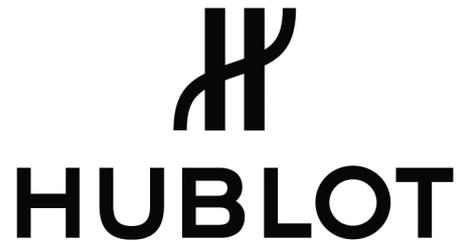
The iconic design of the Big Bang has evolved to contain the UNICO, a column wheel chronograph movement with a dual horizontal coupling visible on the dial side, designed, developed and produced entirely within the Hublot manufacture workshops. The result, presented here in its 4 best-selling versions – will mark **the start of a new line of Hublot products** designed to complete the Big Bang, Classic Fusion, King Power and Masterpieces ranges.

The design of the Big Bang Unico features a powerful 45.5 mm diameter case for a stylish mechanical look, and a bezel secured by **6 H-shaped screws** with a new, subtle and more technical design (the head of each screw is now in relief, allowing the application of alternating polished and matt finishes). A notable feature is the **new design of the crown**, which is screw-down with overmoulded rubber and decorated on the end with the famous H from the Hublot screw. For the very first time since the creation of the Big Bang in 2005, **the push-buttons are round**. Each one is protected by a push-button guard integrated in the middle and finished like an engine piston. The sharp angles and intelligent sandwich system have been retained in the case design, but **the strap attachment has been significantly optimised**: It features the now famous **"One click" system** which allows the wearer to switch between a wide choice of straps - each watch is supplied with a structured and ribbed natural rubber strap (also new) which perfectly matches the endpieces of the middle. Finally, the movement is revealed thanks to a skeleton dial featuring the famous **indexes and Arabic numerals, redesigned** to give them more volume (and hollowed out and filled with SuperLuminova™), as well as **two counters "encircled" by a polished ring**, one for the minutes positioned at 3 o'clock and the other at 9 o'clock for the small second; the date window is visible at 3 o'clock. The hands have also been reworked, faceted on two levels and filled with Superluminova™.

The UNICO manufacture movement is brand's signature chronograph movement. And that is why it was chosen. It has been entirely designed, developed, machined and assembled by micro-mechanics, engineers and watchmakers at Hublot. The movement is a flyback chronograph which can be reset at any time, and which is **unique in the watchmaking industry**, two push-buttons, with date indicator, and featuring a **uniquely positioned mechanism with dual coupling and the famous "column wheel" visible on the dial side**.

Its development required a completely original approach and thinking outside the box: For example, the hour counter is driven directly by the barrel, and there is no jumper in the chronograph mechanism. This simplification boosts **reliability** and **robustness**. Its pallet fork and escapement wheel are fixed to a removable platform and are made from silicon, whose lightness provides a guarantee of performance. Its construction, which incorporates just 330 components, has been simplified as much as possible in order to further increase robustness. This result is the fruit of **continual adjustments made since 2009**, the year it was launched, which have been carried out jointly by the technical office, the laboratory and the after-sales service in the manufacture. Its frequency of 4hz/28,800 vibrations per hour and its immaculate finish are also a guarantee of high chronometric quality. Finally, its automated production, which includes automation of the machining, stone fitting, oiling and numerous assembly operations also ensures consistent, controlled quality. Its power reserve is around 72 hours.

In short, the entire piece has been conceived and designed to reflect Hublot's pure DNA: **sport, performance and technology**. No useless gadgets. The design is stylish, practical and rational.



**BIG BANG UNICO TITANIUM CERAMIC**  
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**BIG BANG UNICO KING GOLD CERAMIC**  
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**TECHNICAL DETAILS**

References	411.NM.1170.RX (BIG BANG UNICO TITANIUM CERAMIC) 411. NX.1170.RX (BIG BANG UNICO TITANIUM) 411.OM.1180.RX (BIG BANG UNICO KING GOLD CERAMIC) 411.OX.1180.RX (BIG BANG UNICO KING GOLD)
Case	45.5 mm diameter in Titanium or 18K King Gold
Bezel	Satin-finished black ceramic or titanium 6 o'clock/12 o'clock polished side 6 H-shaped matt titanium screws, countersunk, polished & locked
Crystal	Sapphire with interior/exterior anti-reflective coating and Hublot logo
Bezel lugs	Black composite resin + black anodised aluminium bezel ring
Lateral inserts	Black composite resin
Crown	King Gold or satin-finished Titanium with black overmoulded rubber Hublot logo
Push-pieces	18K King Gold or satin-finished Titanium
Case-back	18K King Gold or circular satin-finished Titanium Sapphire crystal with interior anti-reflective treatment
Water resistance	10 ATM, i.e. approx. 100 metres
Dial	Matt black varnished skeleton 5N gold-plated or polished rhodium-plated counter ring 5N gold-plated or matt rhodium-plated indexes, white SuperLuminova™
Hands	5N gold-plated or satin-finished rhodium-plated, white SuperLuminova™
Movement	HUB 1242 Unico movement, developed and manufactured in-house by Hublot, automatic flyback chronograph
Date	White window at 3 o'clock
Oscillating weight	Black satin-finished tungsten
Power reserve	Approximately 72 hours
Strap	Structured, ribbed black rubber
Clasp	Titanium or black PVD titanium deployant buckle with ceramic, 5N gold or titanium inserts depending on the version.



# BIG BANG



45mm

 UNICO



**TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS**



**CASE:**

**Big Bang UNICO** Diameter 45mm

**Titanium and Titanium Ceramic**

Polished and Satin-finished Titanium

**Crystal** Sapphire with Anti-reflective Treatment and HUBLOT Logo Printed on the Inner Side

**Bezel Lug** Black Composite Resin

**Lateral Inserts** Black Composite Resin

**Case-back** Satin-finished Titanium with

Sapphire Crystal Interior Anti-reflective Treatment

**Crown** Black Rubber and Satin-finished Titanium

**Pushers** Satin-finished Titanium

**Screws** Titanium

**Water Resistant** 100m or 10 ATM

**King Gold and King Gold Ceramic**

Polished and Satin-finished 18K King Gold

**Crystal** Sapphire with Anti-reflective Treatment and HUBLOT Logo Printed on the Inner Side

**Bezel Lug** Black Composite Resin

**Lateral Inserts** Black Composite Resin

**Case-back** Satin-finished 18K King Gold with

Sapphire Crystal Interior Anti-reflective Treatment

**Crown** Black Rubber Satin-finished 18K King Gold

**Pushers** Satin-finished 18K King Gold

**Screws** Titanium

**Water Resistant** 100m or 10 ATM



**BEZEL:**

**Titanium** Satin-finished Titanium and Anodized Black Aluminium Lower Bezel with 6 H-shaped Titanium Screws

**King Gold** Satin-finished 18K King Gold and Anodized Black Aluminium Lower Bezel with 6 H-shaped Titanium Screws

**Titanium and King Gold Ceramic** Satin-finished Black Ceramic and Anodized Black Aluminium Lower Bezel with 6 H-shaped Titanium Screws



**DIAL AND HANDS:**

**Titanium and Titanium Ceramic**

Mat Black Dial and Rhodium-plated Upper Layer Indexes with White Luminescent Satin-finished and Microblasted Rhodium-plated Hands with White Luminescent

**King Gold and King Gold Ceramic**

Mat Black Dial and Gold-plated Upper Layer Indexes with White Luminescent Satin-finished and Microblasted Gold-plated Hands with White Luminescent



**MOVEMENT:**

HUB1242

UNICO Manufacture  
Self-winding Chronograph  
Flyback Movement with  
Column Wheel  
Calendar Display at 3.0

Date  
Oscillating Weight

Tungsten Oscillating Weight  
with Microblasted and  
Satin-finished Surface  
Treated in Pearly Black

Escapement  
No. of Components  
Jewels  
Frequency (Hz)  
Power Reserve

Swiss Lever Escapement  
330  
38  
4 (28'800 A/h)  
72 Hours



**STRAPS AND CLASP:**

Black Structured Lined Rubber

**Titanium** Titanium  
with Titanium Insert Deployant Buckle

**Titanium Ceramic** Titanium  
with Black Ceramic Insert Deployant Buckle

**King Gold and King Gold Ceramic**  
Black PVD Titanium with 18K King Gold Insert  
Deployant Buckle Clasp



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**UNICO KING GOLD CERAMIC**