SEIKO DIGITAL QUARTZ

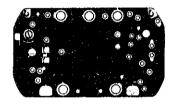
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(Cal. SO23A:The module parts are assembled to the casebezel, so that the module can not be disassembled from the casebezel.



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4245 022



4245 023

4270 442

4313 442

4446 011

4510 321



☆Toshiba WG3

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Cal. SO23A

Characteristics

Diameter of case:

60.0 mm × 54.0 mm

Height of case:

15.0 mm

Frequency of quartz crystal oscillator: 32,768 Hz (Hz=Hertz..... Cycles per second)

Stopwatch display: Digital Display System showing minute, second and 1/100 second up to 60 minutes.

The lap time is displayed by depressing a side button.

Time display: Digital Display System showing hour, minute, second, day of the week and A.M./P.M.

Calendar display: Digital Display System showing month, date and day of the week.

Display medium : Nematic Liquid Crystal, FE-Mode

Regulation system: Trimmer condenser

Battery life indicator: All the digits in the display begin flashing.

PART NO.	PART NAME	PART NO.	PART NAME
4001 442	Circuit block		
4245 022	Side switch spring		
4245 023 4270 442	Front switch spring Battery connection (—)		
4313 442	Connector	j	
4446 011	Crystal unit cushion		
4510 321	Liquid crystal panel		
012 924	Circuit block screw		
☆ Toshiba WG3 ☆ SONY EVEREADY392 ☆ U. C. C. 392	Silver oxide battery		
☆ Maxell SR41W			
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Remarks:

☆ Toshiba WG3

⇔SONY EVEREADY 392

☆ U.C.C. 392

☆ Maxell SR41 W

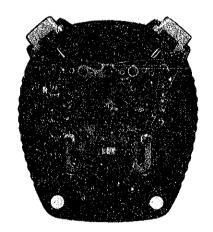
The applied battery for this calibre might be added the substitutive in the future. In that case, please refer to separate "BATTERIES FOR SEIKO QUARTZ WATCHES".

TECHNICAL GUIDE

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CAL. S023A





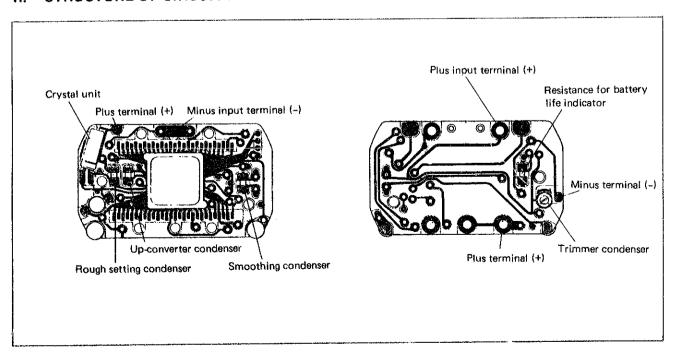
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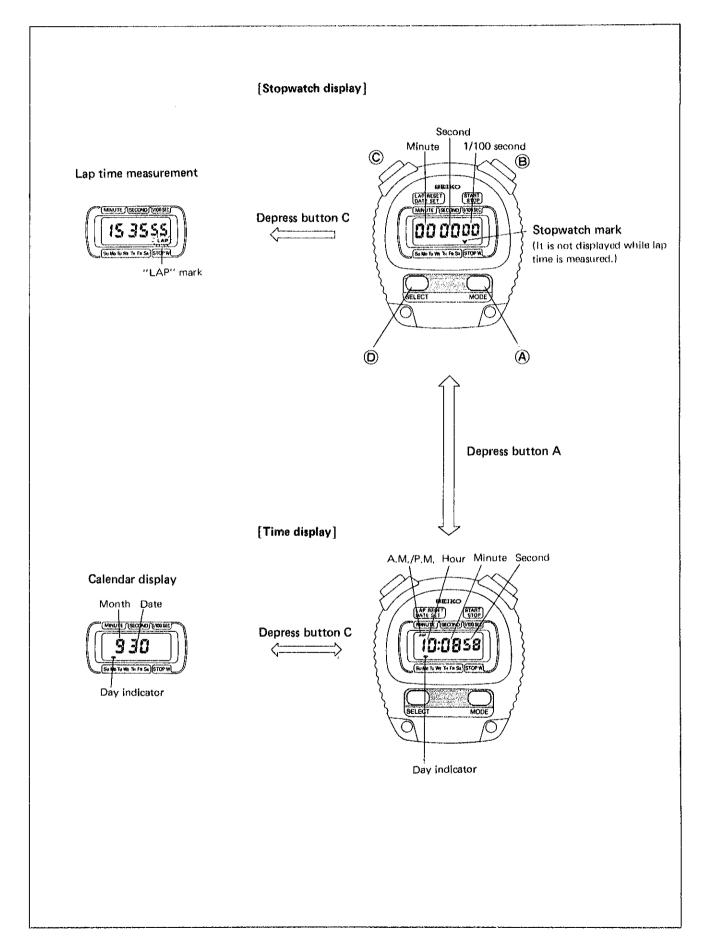
I. SPECIFICATIONS

Item Cal. No.	S023A		
Display medium	Nematic Liquid Crystal, FEM (Field Effect Mode)		
Display system	Stopwatch display Time and calendar display		
Additional mechanism	Battery life indicator		
Loss/gain	Loss/gain at normal temperature 99.9992% (equivalent to the mean monthly rate of less than 20 seconds)		
Diameter of watch case	60.0mm, between 12 o'clock and 6 o'clock sides 54.0mm, between 3 o'clock and 9 o'clock sides		
Height of watch case	15.0mm		
Regulation system	Trimmer condenser		
Measuring gate by Quartz Tester	Any gate is available.		
Battery	Toshiba SR41W or WG3, Maxell SR41W, SONY EVEREADY 392 of U.C.C. 392		
	Battery life is approximately 2 years. Voltage: 1.55 V		

II. STRUCTURE OF CIRCUIT BLOCK



III. DISPLAY FUNCTION



IV. DISASSEMBLING, REASSEMBLING AND LUBRICATING

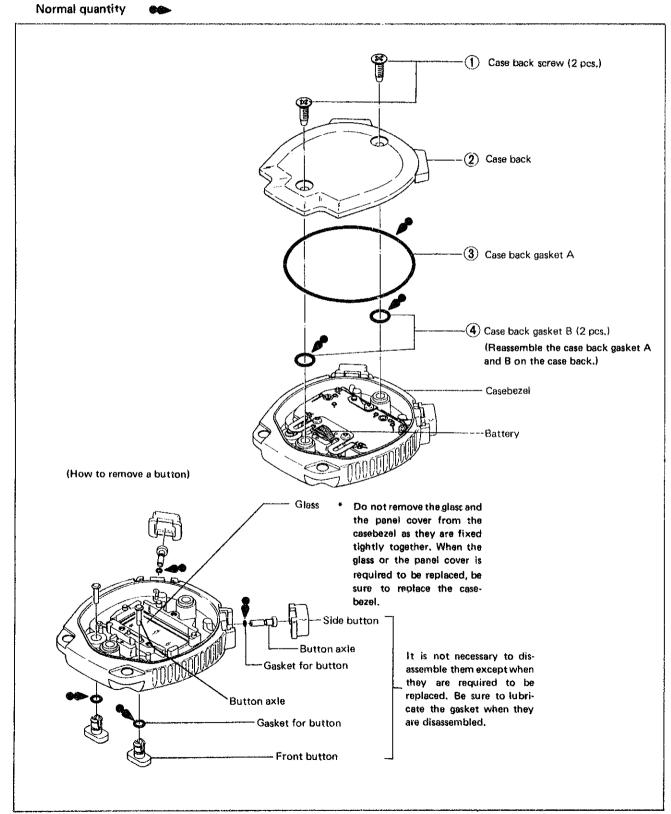
1. Disassembling, reassembling and lubricating of the case

Disassembling procedures Figs. : $(1) \rightarrow (4)$

Reassembling procedures Figs. : (4) -> (1)

Lubricating

Silicone grease 500,000 c.s.



Remarks for disassembling and reassembling

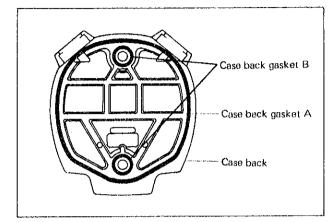
(1) Case back screw

Use the plus thread screw driver. (The circuit block screw is also plus thread.)

*Be careful not to turn the case back screw excessively. Be sure to check if there is an opening between the case back and the casebezel.

3 4 Case back gasket A and B

Set the case back gasket A and B as shown in the illustration on the right.



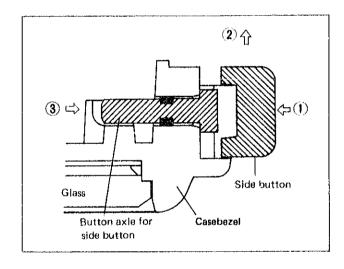
• Disassembling and reassembling of button

 Disassembling and reassembling of the side button and the front button must be performed after removing the side switch spring and the front switch spring.

[Disassembling procedures of the side button]

- 1) Depress the button to the casebezel.
- 2) Push the button up to remove from the casebezel.
- 3 Push the tip of the button axle for side button with tweezers from inside the casebezel and remove it.

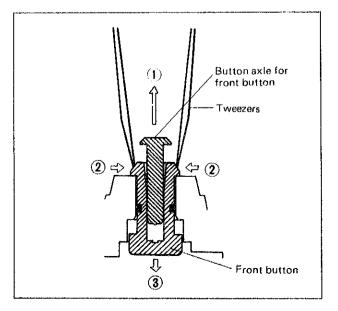
Note: Follow the reverse procedures to reassemble the side button.



[Disassembling procedures of the front button]

- ① Disassemble the button axle for front button.
 (Button axle for front button is put in the front button as shown in the illustration on the right, and it is easily removed. Be careful not to lose it.)
- 2 Push the tip of the button inside with tweezers as shown in the illustration on the right.
- (3) Remove it by pushing the front button down.

Note: Set the front button by pushing it from the glass side with your finger and reassemble the button axle for front button.



V. DISASSEMBLING AND REASSEMBLING

2. Disassembling, reassembling and lubricating of the module

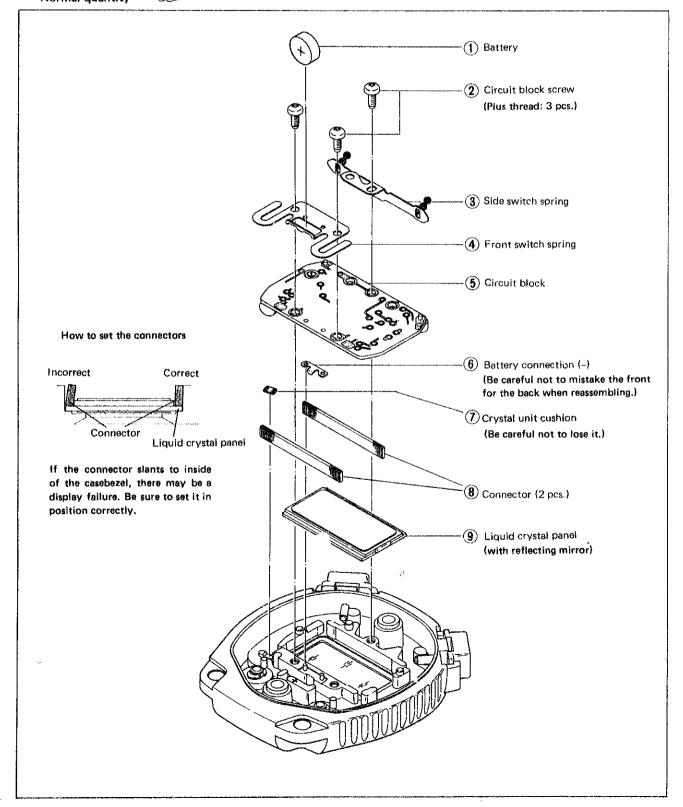
Disassembling procedures Figs.: (1) --> (9)

Reassembling procedures Figs. : 9 -> 1

Lubricating

SEIKO Watch Oil S-6

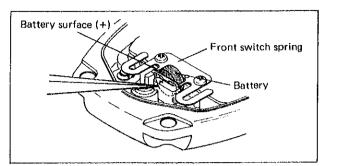
Normal quantity



Remarks for disassembling and reassembling

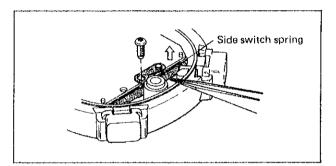
(1) Battery

Put the tip of tweezers under the battery as shown in the illustration and push it up to remove the battery. And when setting the battery, be careful no to mistake the (+) side for the (-) side.



3 Side switch spring

• How to disassemble Pry up the side switch spring with tweezers after the circuit block screw is removed.

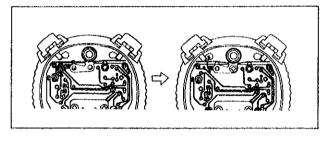


• How to reassemble

- 1) Push out the button axle of the side button.
- 2 Set the one side of the side switch spring between the casebezel and the circuit block.
- 3 Set the other side while holding the end of side switch spring (arrow-marked position) by your
 - *Be careful not to deform the side switch spring,

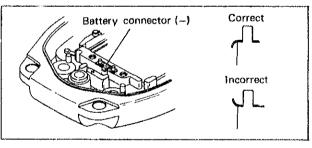
6 Battery connection (-)

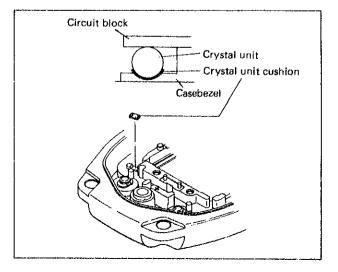
Set the battery connection (-) as shown in the illustration on the right.



Crystal unit cushion

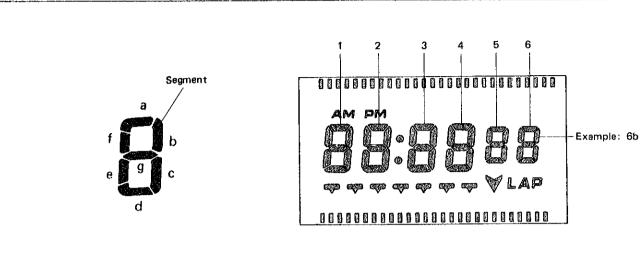
Set the crystal unit cushion to the casebezel correctly as shown in the illustration on the right.

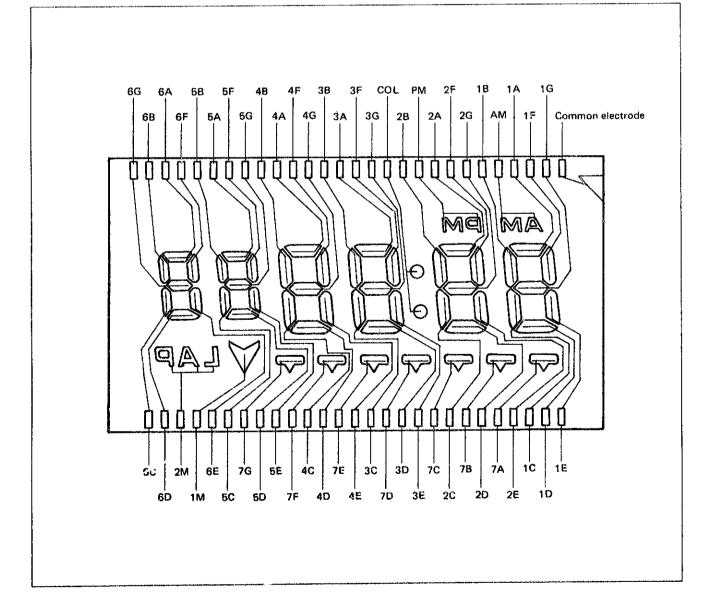




3. Segment (Liquid crystal panel electrode)

• Designation of segment





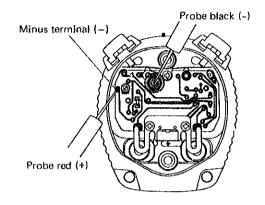
V. CHECKING AND ADJUSTMENT

• Refer to the "SEIKO QUARTZ TECHNICAL GUIDE, GENERAL

INSTRUCTION FOR DIGITAL WATCHES" for details. Procedure Result: **CHECK BATTERY VOLTAGE** More than 1.5V: Normal Less than 1.5V: Defective Replace the battery with a new one. CHECK CONDUCTIVITY OF LIQUID CRYSTAL PANEL, CIRCUIT BLOCK AND CONNECTOR CHECK LIQUID CRYSTAL PANEL AND CIRCUIT BLOCK Current supplier S-833 • Check to see if the electric signal Result: comes out from the circuit block More than 0.8V: Normal Less than 0.8V: Defective correctly. Replace the circuit block with a new one. Probes of the Volt-ohm-meter • Check for short circuit, broken Result: panel pattern, etc. of the liquid Lights up: Normal crystal panel. Does not light up: Defective Replace the liquid crystal panel with a new one. egment electrode Common electrode

Procedure

CHECK CURRENT CONSUMPTION



Volt-ohm-meter

Probe red (+)..... Minus terminal (-) Probe black (-).... Battery surface (-)

Result:

Less than 2.5μA: Normal *More than 2.5μA: Defective

* How to check if the liquid crystal panel or the circuit block is defective when the current consumption is more than 2.5µA.

Disassemble the liquid crystal panel and the connector. Measure the current consumption after fixing the circuit block with screws.

Result:

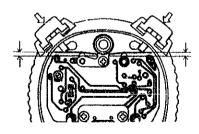
Less than 1.7µA
(circuit block): Normal
Replace the liquid crystal
panel with a new one,
More than 1.7µA
(circuit block): Defective
Replace the circuit block with
a new one,

CHECK ACCURACY

CHECK ADJUSTMENT AND FUNCTIONING

Front switch spring

CHECK CONDUCTIVITY OF SWITCH COMPONENTS



• Check the side switch spring.

Check to see if the side switch spring touches the circuit block electrode when the side switch button is depressed and there is a clearance between the side switch spring and the circuit block electrode when the side switch button is released.

• Check the front switch spring.

Push the front button down and check to see if there is a clearance between the front switch spring and the lead terminal of circuit block.

Result:

Functions correctly: Normal

Does not function correctly: Defective

Replace the switch spring with a new one.

All procedures of Disassembling, Reassembling, Checking and Adjustment are completed.

Button axle for front button

Front button