

# SAGA MECCANICHE VELOCI

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## The Icon

### Basel Collection 2019

*This 100% Swiss Made high-end watch brand with an Italian soul was founded in Milan in 2006 with the QuattroValvole, a watch that instantly embodied the personality of the brand.*

*In 2016, the company moved to the watchmaking district of Plan-les-Ouates in Geneva, becoming «Meccaniche Veloci - Genève» and creating timepieces with a distinctive aesthetic and technical content developed in-house. The profile of the cases in the Icon and QuattroValvole collections is inspired by the distinctive shape of engine pistons.*

*The watches are driven by the brand's own movements, the calibre MV8802 for the four time zones and the calibre MV8880 that houses a tourbillon mechanism. Annual production is limited to a few thousand pieces.*



## MECCANICHE VELOCI ICON STARDUST

Meccaniche Veloci's Icon StarDust watch is illuminated with new silver flashes thanks to its dials made of Texalium, an extremely lightweight glass and aluminium fibre fabric, a technical material with proven striking structural and aesthetic qualities.

The Icon StarDust's characteristic 49 millimetre piston-shaped case is in titanium with a black a-DLC finish and a carbon-fibre case middle. The characteristic four dials – indicating four time zones – are enhanced by the metallic light of the Texalium fibre. The bold elegance of the contrast between light and dark benefits from the flair of the red details, the seconds hand on the bottom right dial and the numerals on the top right dial (10/11/12) inspired by car revolution counters.



## THE ICON MUD TRILOGY

Meccaniche Veloci presents the new Mud collection, an unrealised version of the Icon line with its distinctive four carbon-fibre dials. The lower two dials are skeletonised, allowing the technical details of the Manufacture calibre MV8802 – a movement designed in-house by Meccaniche Veloci and capable of simultaneously handling four time zones – to be admired.





## ICON VELENO

Icon Veleno is Meccaniche Veloci's ode to its recent past. It celebrates what has become a cult model for followers of the brand thanks to its «cocky» personality, paraded openly through the use of a highly unusual very bright green tone.

This year the brand adopts the design codes and intentions of the Veleno model, revisiting it to emphasise every detail and take each one to the extreme. Meccaniche Veloci's creative flair is overflowing, combining traditional finishes with an unusual and highly contemporary colour.



## ICON NEROFUMO AND QUATTROVALVOLE NEROFUMO

Meccaniche Veloci introduces the new NeroFumo, which for the first time becomes the star of two iconic collections from the brand, Icon and QuattroValvole. The special case treatment serves as a leitmotif that runs throughout the new watches, creating an imaginary world made up of engines and passion.



## QUATTROVALVOLE NARDI LIMITED EDITION

a unique timepiece from the QuattroValvole collection, the fruit of a collaboration with Nardi, the prestigious Italian firm that makes traditionally-crafted steering wheels. The result is QuattroValvole Nardi Edition, a limited-edition collection of 50 timepieces.

The watchmaking brand has enriched its beautiful creations with a new story of Italian excellence in celebration of a highly traditional company, Nardi: a legendary brand that has worked with the greatest names in the automobile industry for over ninety years.

The new Meccaniche Veloci Limited Edition continues the tradition of a partnership that has in the past allowed the brand to tell stories of fascinating engines and explore a wide range of materials in an expression of creative freedom applied to high watchmaking. ⚙️

