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# Anniversary Clock Identification

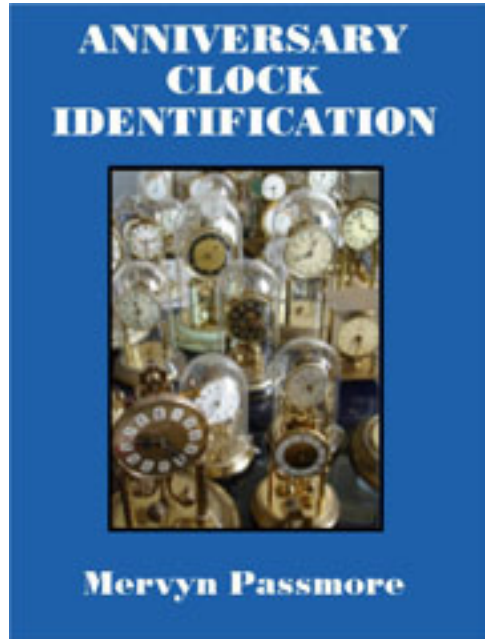
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Manufacturer:

**Jahresuhrenfabrik  
Aug. Schatz & Söhne**

Backplate information:

**Aug. Schatz & Söhne 53 Germany  
Two(2) JEWELS  
UNADJUSTED**

Model:

**Schatz Miniature 53 vest  
44mm x 64mm x 21mm**

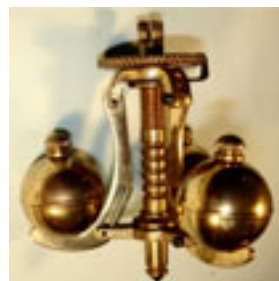


Movement ID code: **JS-53V**



Notes:

This movement has a conventional backplate, although normally suspended from above. If the backplate incorporates legs, it is not the same movement.



**Schatz Miniature 53 vest**  
44 x 64 x 21mm

## Notes

The month and year of manufacture often appears on the backplate.

The movement itself looks similar to the legged version.

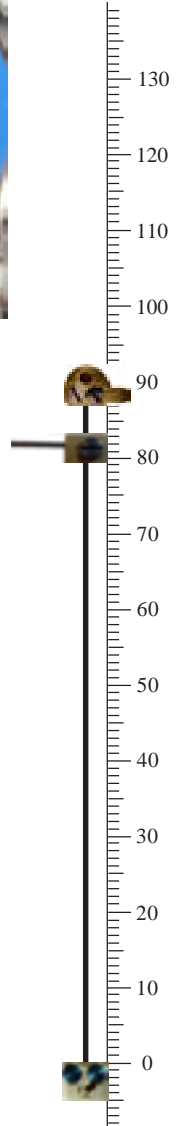


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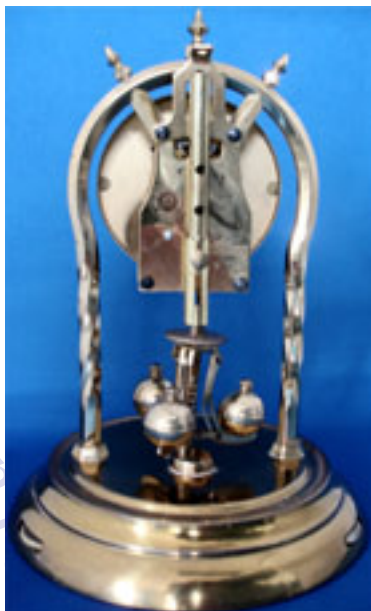
Often suspended from above.

## Data

Movement ID Code .....	<b>JS-53V</b>
Plate shape .....	<b>Vest</b>
Plate width .....	<b>44mm</b>
Plate height .....	<b>64mm</b>
Gap between plates .....	<b>21mm</b>
Escapement type .....	<b>Dead beat</b>
Original key size .....	<b>3.00mm</b>
Winding side .....	<b>Left</b>
Pivot adjuster .....	<b>Screwed bracket</b>
Locking device: .....	<b>On the guard</b>
Pendulum type/s .....	<b>3-ball</b>
Mainspring barrel .....	<b>16mm x 32mm</b>
Replacement wire .....	<b>No. 6 (Horolovar™ 0.0023"/0.058mm)</b>
Replacement unit .....	<b>JS-53 (Horolovar™ 10A)</b>
Jig settings .....	<b>82mm, 87mm</b>
Mainspring .....	<b>13 x 0.35 x 30mm (970mm)</b>
Beats per minute .....	<b>10</b>
Bob weight .....	<b>138g.</b>



Examples of clocks fitted with the Schatz 53 vest movement



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