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Timex Watches (Verdict: Love 'em!)



As with anything we review, we always care about fashion and function. However, when it comes to watches, we tend to pay extra attention to function, because that real estate on your wrist comes at a premium. We recently had the opportunity to play with three great pieces from Timex, and must admit we understand why these phenomenal watches “take a licking and keep on ticking!”



We started with the IRONMAN Triathlon 75 Lap HI-TI. This high-performance workout-oriented watch features a 75 lap memory recall, 100 hour

chronograph, and Timex's unbelievable Indiglo night-light. Beyond being functional, it is also extremely light making it perfect for long runs. And, by having great cut-outs on the top/bottom of the watch on the band, water does not get trapped underneath, preventing that hated "wrist-rot" smell from wearing a watch too long. Lastly, it features a deployment clasp- a feature we've never seen on an athletic watch, but absolutely love!



We then progressed to the Expedition E-Compass, which we absolutely loved! This stylish yet functional analog watch features an accurate electronic compass, declination adjustment scale, and Indiglo night-light. A watch such as this is ideal for when you want to wear something fun on the weekends and do some work around the house. You can totally bang this watch up; expect it to outlast whatever you could subject yourself to!



Our last review watch was the classic Metal Tech, also from the Expedition line. This simple design, which also features date and Indiglo, is designed for those who need to know the time, and want to play down their proverbial “bling.” At a price point under \$75, it makes for a great watch that you could wear anywhere and everywhere- knowing that you’ll always be on time, and in style.

To be honest, it’s hard for us to pick a favorite. Each of these pieces serves a different function. So, when in doubt... buy them all! Timex has been around way longer than we have, and we’ve been taught to always respect our elders, so spruce up that wrist, buy a Timex, and prepare to always be on time (even if you don’t like to be)!

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