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PARADOX[®]

WHAT IS PARADOX?

The sand flows from bottom to top – and that somehow makes the time different?

- X A paradoxical reversal of a natural law
- \mathbf{X} A surprising effect to catch the eye
- \mathbf{X} An item that sells by itself
- \mathbf{X} A new feeling of time and life

PARADOX has become iconic in no time. A gift or useful timer with long-lasting presence. For friends, family, lovers, children and even business.



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THIS IS PARADOX!

The Paradox hourglasses from 4everTREND put colour into your moments in time, whether as a cooking timer, relaxation timer or office timer. The time does not flow backwards, but paradox. The perfect gift idea.

Paradox hourglasses are high quality, durable products, HANDMADE IN GERMANY. Each individual hourglass is filled and sealed by hand. The liquid which is used is made from natural and non-toxic ingredients. For the colouring, a colour master is specially instructed to watch over the consistently high quality of the colour mixture and the careful colouration of the pellets.

That is the only way to achieve the intense and brilliant colour effect. Even the containers are made from first-class quality plastic so no discolourations impair the visibility. The running times of the individual models are approximations: the viscosity of liquids depends strongly on the ambient temperature and the pellets have different diameters and, depending on the colour, also different weights. For technical reasons there are also small differences in the filling capacity.



PARADOXology

Breaks are good, being in a rush isn't.
Relaxation is important, stress is nasty.
Stress hormones are poison, for the body as well as the soul.
A daily dose of hustle and bustle
is the same as a daily dose of poison.

School is stressful, and so is your job, just like the news, breakups, smartphones, traffic lights, appointments.

Never really having time makes you socially inept, your emotional intelligence withers, your libido suffers, and you never get to have those actually important talks with actually important people.

Is there an antidote?

There is, see above: Rest and relaxation. They act as natural armour, surprisingly strong, and surprisingly fast.

How does it work? Watch PARADOX, have an intenisve look how time is flowing up, accept that gravitation is annuled, let your thoughts come and go.

PARADOX cheats the brain. A bit of magic's in the air. After only a few minutes you will feel relaxed and full of energy.

PARADOXIst

PARADOXists are not rushed by anyone, stay cool, make the right decisions as to what is important and what isn't, and are able to just say "No" once in a while.

PARADOXists can savour the moment, they calm their nerves, they contemplate and take care of their friends.

The good ones, the real friends.

PARADOXists make more out of life, they are more successful, they recognise each other instantly.
Why? Because, instead of being "pretenders", they are authentic – you can tell.

On <u>www.paradoxtime.com.paradoxist/test</u> people can make a test for being a PARADOXist. Having passed, they receive a certificate which confirms being a true PARADOXist. Free of charge? Free of charge.







PARADOX flowMotion is a perplexing source of amazement for customers who see it for the first time. Then they wonder what mysterious force energizes the brilliantly colored elements to swirl magically in the cylinder.

"Without batteries?" they ask. Without batteries. The mystery inside remains a secret.

They walk away puzzled, only to return. Now they want to know "why?" No secret. PARADOX QUANTUM radiates inspiration. Relaxed in concentrated contemplation, facilitator of response as paperweight. A well-deserved gift to yourself. A thoughtful gift to friends. A symbolic gift to colleagues and superiors. Mental stimulation for all.



PARADOX flowMotion HANDMADE IN GERMANY OUANTUM



DIMENSION13,3, x 3,8 cmRUNTIMEapprox. 10 minutesCOLOURSpink, green, blue, red

MATERIAL first-class quality plastic, non-toxic liquid, aluminium caps

RRP € 24,95

DISTRIBUTION 4everTREND GmbH
PRODUCTION HANDMADE in Germany
WEBSITE www.paradoxtime.com

Suggestions for use:

Helps concentration Motivates reflection Interesting gift for interesting people Adorns any desk



jazz soul tango techno

This series represents four foundations of life

PARADOX jazz for music and spontaneity and the phenomenon of being able to see music

PARADOX soul for our inner life and to keep good memories alive

PARADOX tango for passion and all the dances still waiting for us

PARADOX techno for the contemporary and the helpful 40-minute "just do it" deal









DIMENSION 8,5 x 3 x 12,5 cm (LxWxH) **RUNTIME** approx. 15-20 minutes

COLOURS blue, yellow, green, orange, pink, red MATERIAL first-class quality plastic, non-toxic liquid

RRP € 16.9

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PRODUCTION HANDMADE in Germany
WEBSITE www.paradoxtime.com

Suggestions for use:

Timer for reading time / good night story
Television time for children
Sets aside time for homework
Timer for presentations, speeches, lectures







DIMENSION8,5 x 2 x 7cm (LxWxH)RUNTIMEapprox. 3-4 minutesCOLOURSblue, yellow, green, orange, pink, redMATERIALfirst-class quality plastic, non-toxic liquidRRP€ 12,95DISTRIBUTION4everTREND GmbHPRODUCTIONHANDMADE in Germany

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Suggestions for use:

WEBSITE

For playing games Thinking time Exercise



tango



DIMENSION6 x 3 x 7,5cm (LxWxH)RUNTIMEapprox. 4-5 minutesCOLOURSblue, yellow, green, orange, pink, redMATERIALfirst-class quality plastic, non-toxic liquidRRP€ 12.95

DISTRIBUTION 4everTREND GmbH
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WEBSITE www.paradoxtime.com

Suggestions for use: Fitness training Morning run Day Dreaming Thinking

PARADOX CLASSIQUE HANDMADE IN GERMANY

techno



DIMENSION 11 x 3 x 13 cm (LxWxH) RUNTIME approx.25 – 40 minutes **COLOURS** blue, yellow, green, orange, pink, red **MATERIAL** first-class quality plastic, non-toxic liquid € 21,95 **RRP DISTRIBUTION** 4everTREND GmbH **PRODUCTION HANDMADE** in Germany **WEBSITE** www.paradoxtime.com

Suggestions for use: A relaxing bath Meditation

For your hobby Playing games

PARADOX KITCHEN Style HANDMADE IN GERMANY

BBQ timer EGG timer TEA timer

Time plays a special role in the kitchen and at the dining table. Watching PARADOX Kitchen Style timers allows the creation of secretive dramas, rare moments of happiness and a whole lot of hope for success.



PARADOX KITCHEN /tyle

BBO timer

PARADOX KITCHEN Style HANDMADE IN GERMANY

EGG timer

PARADOX KITCHEN /tyle HANDMADE IN GERMANY

TEA timer







DIMENSION 6 x 3 x 7,5 cm (LxWxH)

COLOURS

BBQ timer: dark red / EGG timer: 6 light-colours / TEA timer: 6 colours

RUNTIME

BBQ timer appr. 3 min / EGG timer appr. 10 min / TEA timer appr. 5 min.

MATERIAL first-class quality plastic, non-toxic liquid

RRP € 15,95

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Suggestions for use:

BBQ timer

Use the approximate runtime of 3 minutes to time how long it takes to cook your steak.

Turn over the BBQ timer and repeat as needed for doneness.

EGG timer

For the perfect PARADOX breakfast egg Offbeat accessory in the kitchen Cool gift Ideal for Easter egg hunts

TEA timer

The steeping time can be varied depending on the type of tea Exceptional accessory for tea lovers
Humorous addition to a gift of tea
Eye-catcher in the tea shop/teahouse during preparation



Times pass, moments stay. We have too little of the best moments.

Parents and children, friends and family, partners and confidents know it.

With PARADOX MOMENTS, they give the moment meaning and feelings a form.

The occasions are unlimited.







DIMENSION 8,5 x 2 x 7 cm (LxWxH) **RUNTIME** approx. 3-4 minutes

COLOUR red

MATERIAL first-class quality plastic, non-toxic liquid

RRP € 15,95

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Suggestions for use:

A declaration of love has to be at least this long An I'm-thinking-of-you break For a quick cuddle Quality time for you & me



Every city, every country. Nothing less and nothing more is in the expanding series **PARADOX AROUND THE WORLD.**An ambitious concept with high marketing targets. Keeps personal memories alive, awakens longing in recipients of the gift. The world becomes smaller, PARADOX AROUND THE WORLD larger. No paradox.

For anyone who likes to travel or would like to travel.

PARADOX

AROUND THE WORLD

HANDMADE IN GERMANY





























DIMENSION RUNTIME MATERIAL RRP DISTRIBUTION PRODUCTION WEBSITE 6 x 3 x 7,5 cm (LxWxH) approx. 4-5 minutes first-class quality plastic, non-toxic liquid € 15,95 4everTREND GmbH HANDMADE in Germany www.paradoxtime.com

Suggestions for use:

Extravagant souvenir Awakens memories of beautiful trips For passionate collectors Motivation to return

PARADOX to go HANDMADE IN GERMANY

to go soul to go tango

A return to a simpler way of finding your keys with the Timer to go Key chain. With Timer to go you on your desk or kitchen counter your eyes will tell you when it is time to leave or end your meeting.

Timer to go by PARADOX has two models: To go tango and To go soul.



PARADOX

HANDMADE IN GERMANY

to go soul

to go tango





DIMENSION $6 \times 1.1 \times 5 \text{ cm (LxWxH)}$ / $4.1 \times 2 \times 5 \text{ cm (LxWxH)}$ RUNTIMEapprox. 1,5 minutes/approx. 2 minutes

colours red, pink, orange, green, yellow, blue, black, lime

MATERIAL first-class quality plastic, non-toxic liquid

RRP € 9,95

DISTRIBUTION 4everTREND GmbH
PRODUCTION HANDMADE in Germany
WEBSITE www.paradoxtime.com

Suggestions for use:

Offbeat accessory for key chains Mobile time gauge For passing time Easy to locate in a pocket



opera fieavy metal

Newton versus PARADOX

Apples always fall, angels only exceptionally. If PARADOX is going to concede to Isaac Newton, then only for one reason for two models:

PARADOX opera is a gift for people of noble character and classic values. The golden pearls sink with aristocratic aplomb. It's impossible to have a gift show more appreciation.

PARADOX heavy metal for high-strung people who can assert themselves and know how. Manager types, strong types. A message in every single heavy pearl.

Falling Pearls for aspirations with a reason. Much more frequently than one thinks.



PARADOX falling pearls HANDMADE IN GERMANY

opera

heavy metal





DIMENSION RUNTIME COLOURS MATERIAL 8,5 x 2 x 7 cm (LxWxH) approx. 3 minutes

8,5 x 2 x 7 cm (LxWxH) approx. 3 minutes silver

gold

first-class quality plastic, non-toxic liquid

SPECIAL

This hourglass flows from top to bottom as it is filled with real glass beads

which are heavier than the pellets of the other hourglasses.

RRP € 12,9

DISTRIBUTION 4everTREND GmbH
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WEBSITE www.paradoxtime.com

Suggestions for use:

Attractive decorative and design object Classy timer for dental hygiene For the stylish espresso break

PRODUCTINFORMATION

MANUFACTURE

The specialist in plastic products has been manufacturing in southern Germany since 1982, using its own, complex injection moulding tools and state of the art ultrasound welding machines. A major technical challenge when manufacturing liquid-effect products from plastic was achieving leak tightness. Conventional glueing has been replaced by welding.

The extraordinary and amazing range was developed as the result of cooperation with various product designers and inventors.

Over the years the company has accumulated a great deal of expertise in the area of materials. Numerous types of acrylic have been tested for environmental influences, suitability for ultrasonic welding and durability. Formulae have been improved on a continual basis. Both product and production have now been perfected. Paradox is optimally prepared for further growth.

CORPORATE HISTORY

4everTREND has been selling cult hourglasses since 2013. Lovers of designer pieces and laws of nature will find Paradox in specialist retailers, museum shops and online stores worldwide. Suppliers can be found at www.paradoxtime.com.

Paradox can look back on a long tradition: The manufacturer has been developing liquid products from two immiscible liquids since 1982. The German Patent Office officially granted the patent for the reverse-flowing sand in 1990.

In 1993 the first hourglass, the JAZZ, was introduced.

The TECHNO model with its simple lines followed suit in 1995.

In 1997 the TANGO hourglass hit the market, with its new lid concept and transparent design.

In 1999 Paradox developed the SOUL model, and oval version of the TANGO with larger wings.

With these four shapes there are now various design lines available. The Paradox range is not broad enough to satisfy the continually increasing demand in Europe, and from 2016 onwards in the USA as well.

The 4INDIVIDUAL factory produces customer-specific versions, which are successfully used by renowned brands for marketing and sales activities. This includes noteworthy companies from the automotive, banking, services, retail, industrial, pharmaceutical, logistics, hotel and restaurant sectors.

ABOUT ⁴everTREND

there is much to say. But first things first: we do as the name suggests. We create trends. Long-lasting trends, carefully prepared. This happens in Munich. Distribution is carried out worldwide.

What makes us such an exceptional trend-setter? Second: Made in Germany. First and foremost: quality, quality, quality. And third: creative heights.

This order is not a ranking order, but having all three of these will result in the following: customers who go crazy with joy, and who love and collect our products.

Every product line is based on a philosophy which is thought through to the end. It combines new dimensions of lifestyle with astonishingly useful applications.

Some of them – like our PARADOX – are perfect for customizing. And they serve to amaze our customers' customers.

Almost for ever.

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