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Pocket Penetrometer.

Code: 29-3729

Product Group: Pocket Penetrometer, In-situ Testing

- Direct-reading scale in tons/sq. ft. and kg/sq. cm.
- Ground and polished stainless steel loading piston.
- Calibrated spring and penetrometer body plated for rust resistance and long life.
- Convenient belt-loop style carrying case.
- Optional Adapter Foot for testing very soft materials.

The Pocket Penetrometer was originally developed for use by field personnel in checking visual classification of soils. Data was compiled on several thousand unconfined compressive strength tests of silty clays and clayey soils against the penetrometer readings to develop the scale.

Further Information

IMPORTANT: the readings obtained from the pocket penetrometer do not replace laboratory test results due to the fact that a small area penetration test is inherently liable to give misleading results. The instrument should not be used for obtaining foundation design data.

Specification

Dimensions 19 x 162 mm
Range 0.25 to 4.5 kg/cm2
Scale divisions 0.25 kg/cm2

Load piston6 mm dia, stainless steelCarrying caseCanvas, belt-loop styleRange0.25 to 4.5 tons/sq. ft. (kg/sq.

cm).

Scale Divisions 0.25 tons/sq. ft. (kg/sq. cm). Load Piston 1/4" (6 mm) diam.; stainless

steel.

Carrying Case Canvas; belt-loop style.

Dimensions 3/4" diam. x 6-3/8" I. (19 x 162

mm).

Weight Net 7 oz. (198 g).

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