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Plate Bearing Apparatus Complete. 500kN Capacity



Pocket Penetrometer.

Code: [29-3729](#)

Product Group: [In-situ Testing](#), [Pocket Penetrometer](#), [Plate Bearing Apparatus](#)

- 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

Range	0.25 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" l. (19 x 162 mm).
Weight	Net 7 oz. (198 g).

Accessories



Adaptor Foot

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Alternatives



C.O.E Cone Penetrometer

Code: [29-3741](#)



Proctor & Mortar Penetrometer Set

Code: [29-3935](#)



Proving Ring Penetrometer

Code: [29-3739](#)



Plate Bearing Apparatus Complete. 500kN Capacity

Code: 29-3800

Product Group: In-situ Testing, Plate Bearing Apparatus

Applications include the determination of bearing capacity of the soil in situ, designing for static loads on spread footings, and repetitive and non-repetitive plate loading tests of soils and flexible pavements.

Manufactured from machined steel plate with a finished thickness exceeding 25 mm. The plate has concentric markings on one face. All plates are supplied with two lifting eyes except for the 150 mm dia plate.

NOTE: to successfully perform the test, a reaction load is required.

IMPORTANT: The equipment is used in conjunction with a reaction beam. This is not supplied with the equipment.

Standards

BS 1377, EN 1997-3, ASTM D1194, ASTM D1195, ASTM D1196

Further Information

Comprising of:

- Hydraulic Jack 500 kN capacity
- Pressure system
- Datum bar
- 4x dial gauges 50 mm travel x 0.01 mm divisions
- 4x bearing plates: 150 mm, 305 mm, 455 mm and 760 mm diameter

Specification

Loading jack	500 kN capacity with integral ball seating
Pump	Hand operated, single speed with integral oil reservoir
Hose	3 m long. Maximum pressure 70 MPa with quick release couplings
Gauge	100 mm dia with quick release couplings and graphs to convert readings to kN, kgf and

Product Sheet

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Weights

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Loading jack 24 kg.
Pressure system 12.5 kg