Construction – Asphalt



Portable Skid Resistance Tester

This outstanding contribution to road safety is the result of over 10 years' intensive development by the Road Research Laboratory of the Department of Scientific and Industrial Research - a British Government organisation concerned with studying problems that arise in designing, building, maintaining and using public highways.

The instrument, which is direct reading, gives a measure of the friction between a skidding tyre and wet road surface. It provides the Highway Engineer with a practical means of obtaining reliable scientific evidence on which to take appropriate measures to reduce skidding.

To ensure consistency and maintenance of standard all instruments are submitted to the British Standards Institute for calibration and approval before supply to customers, for which a separate fee is charged.

For applications in pedestrian areas and indoor environments where slipping may be a hazard, the Skid Tester is used with a FourS (Standard Simulated Shoe Sole) rubber slider.

Measurement of slip resistance using the pendulum skid tester is the recommended method described in ISO and EN standards for highways, pavements, sports venues, business premises and other locations.

Related Products

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Roadstone Polishing	Rubber Sliders		
Studies of accident sites have revealed that the	As the nature of the rubber used for sliders has a critical		
polishing of roadstone is a major factor in	bearing on the performance for the Tester and as no		
skidding. An important application of the Tester	rubber properties can be guaranteed for longer than		
is in the laboratory determination of the	two years, the date of issue is marked on each slider.		
resistance of the roadstone to polishing.	Spare mounted rubber sliders for use with Main Tester		
	TRL type		
Detachable scale for Stone Polishing Tests,	Catalogue No.881032/1		
complete in case with 6 mounted rubber	Spare mounted rubber sliders for Stone Polishing Tests		
sliders.	Catalogue No.881035		
	Spare mounted rubber sliders for use with Main Tester		
Catalogue No. 89101	FourS type		
	Catalogue No.881032/2		
	Weights and Dimension (approx.)	Weight (kg)	Dimensions (cm)
	Instrument, complete with accessories in case	34.00	76 x 79 x 40
	Base plate for laboratory use	8.00	68 x 52 x 10
	Detachable scale with sliders	0.35	20 x 13 x 6

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