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## 1. Safety and Liability

#### 1.1 Safety and Usage Precautions

This manual contains important information on the safety, use and maintenance of the Proceq DY-2. Read through the manual carefully before the first use of the instrument. Keep the manual in a safe place for future reference.

## 1.2 Liability

Our "General Terms and Conditions of Sale and Delivery" apply in all cases. Warranty and liability claims arising from personal injury and damage to property cannot be upheld if they are due to one or more of the following causes:

- Failure to use the instrument in accordance with its designated use as described in this manual.
- Incorrect performance check for operation and maintenance of the instrument and its components.
- Failure to adhere to the sections of the manual dealing with the performance check, operation and maintenance of the instrument and its components.
- Unauthorized structural modifications to the instrument and its components.
- Serious damage resulting from the effects of foreign bodies, accidents, vandalism and force majeure.

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## 1.3 Safety Instructions

The instrument is not allowed to be operated by children or anyone under the influence of alcohol, drugs or pharmaceutical preparations. Anyone who is not familiar with this manual must be supervised when using the instrument.

## 1.4 Compliance with Standards

Proceg DY-2 complies fully with the standards listed in the next chapter.

Proceq DY-2 is calibrated according to EN ISO 7500-1 Annex C - Alternative Method of Testing Machine Classification.

The software necessary to calibrate the instrument is included in DY-Link.

# 2. Standards and Equipment Selection

## 2.1 Summary of the main pull-off testing standards

| Standard            | Description  | Test disc                  | Specified load rate  | Total<br>test<br>time |
|---------------------|--|----------------------------|--|-----------------------|
| EN 1542             | Products and systems for<br>the protection and repair of<br>concrete structures - Mea-<br>surement of bond strength by<br>pull-off   | Ø 50mm                     | 0.05 ± 0.01 Mpa/s  | < 90s                 |
| EN 1015-12          | Determination of adhesive<br>strength of hardened render-<br>ing and plastering mortars on<br>substrates   | Ø 50mm                     | 0.003 – 0.1 MPa/s  | 20-60s                |
| EN 1348             | Mortar for tiles and slabs. Determination of the adhesive strength of cement based mortar for indoor and outdoor.  | Ø 50mm                     | 250 ± 50 N/s   | -                     |
| ISO 4624            | Paints and varnishes - Pull-off<br>test for adhesion. Supercedes<br>EN24624 and NF T30-062   | Ø 20mm                     | < 1 MPa/s  | < 90s                 |
| BS 1881<br>Part 207 | Recommendations for the as-<br>sessment of concrete strength<br>by near-to surface tests   | Ø 50mm                     | 0.05 ± 0.03 MPa/s  | -                     |
| ASTM D<br>4541      | Standard test method for pull-<br>off strength of coatings using<br>portable adhesion testers  | -                          | < 1 MPa/s  | < 100s                |
| ASTM C<br>1583      | Standard test method for<br>tensile strength of concrete<br>surfaces and the bond strength<br>or tensile strength of concrete<br>repair and overlay materials by<br>direct tension (Pull-off method) | Steel<br>Ø 50mm            | 5±2 psi/s<br>0.035±.015MPa/s   | -                     |
| ASTM D<br>7234-05   | Standard test method for pull-<br>off adhesion strength of coat-<br>ings on concrete using portable<br>pull-off adhesion testers   | Ø 20mm<br>Ø 50mm<br>Ø 75mm | < 0.2MPa/s, 30psi/s  | 5s to<br>30s          |
| ASTM D<br>7522      | Standard test method for pull-<br>off strength of FRP bonded to<br>concrete substrate  | Ø 50mm<br>Ø 75mm<br>Ø100mm | < 1 MPa/min<br>< 150 psi/min   |                       |
| ZTV-ING             | The Federal Minister for Transport. Additional technical contract conditions and guidelines for engineering buildings and the repair of concrete components  | Ø 50mm                     | 100 N/s for concrete<br>300N/s for elastic<br>surfaces (Proceq<br>DY-206, Proceq DY-<br>216 recommended<br>for elastic surfaces) |                       |

| Standard  | Description   | Test disc                   | Specified load rate  | Total<br>test<br>time                   |
|-----------|---|-----------------------------|--|---|
| SIA 281/3 | Bitumen sheeting pull-off testing   | dia. 50mm 300<br>+/- 15 N/s | (Proceq DY-206,<br>Proceq DY-216<br>recommended for<br>elastic surfaces) |   |
| JGJ110    | Construction Engineering dec-<br>orative tile Adhesive Strength<br>Testing Standard |                             |  |   |
| JGJ126    | The Exterior Decorative Brick<br>Construction and Inspection<br>Acceptance Standard | 95x45x8mm,<br>40x40x8mm     |  |   |
| JGJ144    | Exterior Insulation Engineering<br>Technical Standard                               | 100x100x8mm                 | •••••  | *************************************** |

### 2.2 Proceq DY-2 Models

Three versions of Proceg DY-2 are available differentiated by maximum pulling force.

- Proceq DY-206 has increased accuracy for low strength applications. Recommended for elastic surfaces due to higher requirement on load rate.
- Proceq DY-216 covering most applications. Recommended for elastic surfaces due to higher requirement on load rate.
- Proceq DY-225 required for compliance with ASTM C 1583. Typically used for testing of fibre reinforced polymers bonded to concrete structures.

The table below shows the recommended working range with a selection of test discs to help you ascertain which model is most suited to your application.

|        | Working Range  |                  | Maximum        |
|--------|----------------|------------------|----------------|
|        | Tensile Force  | Test Disc Ø 50mm | Pulling Speed  |
| Proceq | 0.6 - 6 kN     | 0.3 - 3.1 MPa    |                |
| DY-206 | 135 - 1349 lbf | 44 - 443 psi     | 4.65 mm/min    |
| Proceq | 1.6 - 16 kN    | 0.81 - 8.1 MPa   | 0.183 inch/min |
| DY-216 | 360 - 3597 lbf | 118 - 1182 psi   |                |
| Proceq | 2.5 - 25 kN    | 1.3 - 12.7 MPa   | 2.2 mm/min     |
| DY-225 | 562 - 5620 lbf | 185 - 1847 psi   | 0.086 inch/min |



Note: The instrument begins to display and record measurement values from 0 kN.

## 3. Getting started



Note: When shipped, battery packs are not fully charged. Prior to use, please charge the battery completely. To prevent the battery from damage, avoid deep-discharging or storing it long-term when empty. Store the instrument at room temperature and charge the battery fully at least once a year.

#### 3.1 Charging the Proceq DY-2

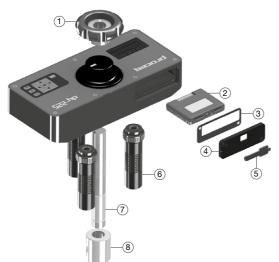
A fully charged battery is sufficient for approximately 80 complete load cycles.

The battery status symbol will be displayed when the accumulator is at 10% of its capacity. In this case it is still possible to make measurements, but it is advisable to recharge the battery by connecting the unit to a wall adaptor or a PC via the mini-USB port on the rear of the instrument. A complete charging cycle will take approximately 3 hours (longer in the case of a deep-discharge).



Note: When charging the battery or when operating on mains supply, the charging circuit will be disconnected after 5 hours of continuous charging. This is a safety precaution. The instrument will then turn off after a further 5 minutes.

A reserve battery pack (Part No. 346 10 220) may be purchased and held in reserve.



- 1 Hand wheel
- 2 Battery pack complete
- 3 Seal for battery compartement
- 4 Cover plate for battery compartement
- 5 USB cover
- 6 Foot complete
- 7 Draw spindle
- 8 Coupling for the draw bolt

## 3.2 The Proceq DY-2 Operating Panel

Use the navigation keys to highlight a menu item and press the center key to select it.



Back button – Returns to the previous menu without making any changes

2nd Function button - Access a 2nd function screen

Power button

The STOP button is used to stop the test at any time. See 5.4.

#### Operation - Power ON / OFF

- Power ON Press the power button.
- Power OFF It is only possible to power off from the main menu screen. If you are in any other menu, press the back button to return to the main menu.

Press the power button once for the information screen showing the serial number, hardware and firmware versions and the battery status:



Press the power button again to power off.

Return to the main menu from the information screen by pressing the center key or the back button.

The instrument shuts down automatically after 5 minutes of inactivity.

#### 3.3 The Proceg DY-2 Menu

On start-up the main menu screen will be shown.

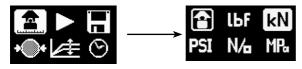


# 4. Test Parameter Settings

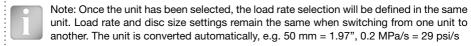


Note: The most current test settings are saved when the unit is powered off.

#### **Setting the Units**



- Choose between: lbf. kN. psi, N/mm2 and MPa.
- Press the center key to complete the action.



#### Set the Test Disc Size



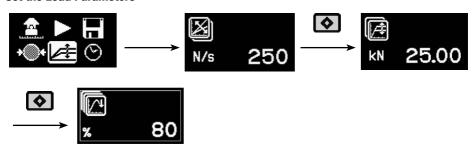
#### For circular test discs:

- · Enter the diameter of the disc.
- Press the center key to complete the action.

#### For square discs:

- · Press the 2nd function key.
- Enter the surface area, e.g. for a 50x50 mm test plate, the surface area is 2500 mm<sup>2</sup>.
   (Note the diameter setting will show a theoretically calculated value in this case.)
- · Press the center key to complete the action.

#### **Set the Load Parameters**



#### Maximum applied load:

- To set a maximum applied load, press the 2nd function key.
- Enter the maximum load to be applied during the test. The minimum permissible setting for this parameter is 20 % of the maximum value. If no maximum load is required, this should be set at the maximum value supported by the instrument, i.e. 6kN, 16kN or 25kN.
- Press the center key to complete the action.

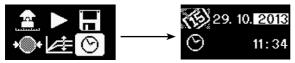
#### Load rate:

- Set the load rate specified by the standard. If a load rate is not specified, a typical load rate of 100 N/s (22.5 lbf/s) may be selected.
- Press the center key to complete the action.

#### End of test criteria:

- To set the criteria for test completion, press the 2nd function key again. The default value is 80 %.
   This means that the test will be completed when the load has dropped to 80 % of the peak load.
- When testing on softer or elastic materials it is possible that the test disc does not separate
  completely from the substrate. Setting this parameter to 0 % will ensure that the instrument
  continues pulling until the maximum stroke of 5mm is achieved.

#### Set the Date and Time



Every measurement is saved with a time stamp.

Set the date and time:

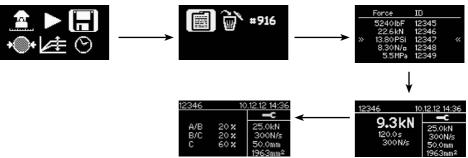
- Use the left and right navigation keys to select the item from either column.
- Use the up and down navigation keys to adjust the value.
- · Press the center key to complete the action.

### **Measurement Memory**

Memory can hold a maximum of 100 measurements.

When completely full, the oldest will be overwritten.

To review the saved measurements follow the procedure below:



- · Choose the memory icon.
- Choose the icon to review the measurements.
- Scroll to the desired measurement and press the center key to see the measurement details.



 Press the left and right navigation keys to switch between the main test result (see above) and the failure mode reporting screens (see below).



Details see chapter 5.3.

#### Measurement ID



The measurement ID may be set by the user. The ID is incremented after each measurement.

Press the center key to complete the action.

#### Deleting all saved objects



- · Press the center key to delete.
- Press the back button to escape without deleting.

## Performing a Pull-Off Test with Proceq DY-2

Proceq DY-2 is designed to make it very easy to work according to the various standards for pull-off testing. It allows the user to specify a load rate and provides a graphical display (via DY-Link software) of the effective load rate achieved during the test. The standards vary according to the purpose of the pull-off test and the types of material under test. (See the list in Chapter 2). Typically, the key test parameters are:

- · The size of the test disc
- The load rate applied to the test disc
- The total time allowed for the test

#### 5.1 Test Preparation

Pull-off testing is used on many different types of materials. The actual test parameters should be taken from the specified standard as noted below.

- Preparation of the test disc. Depending on the material under test, it may be necessary to roughen the surface using emery paper to ensure good adhesion. It is also advisable to remove any grease from the surface.
- Gluing the test disc to the surface under test. The type of adhesive will vary with the application, but typical adhesives used are:
  - Devcon 2 Ton Epoxy
  - Loctite 907, Loctite 3430
  - Sikadur 30, Sikadur 31
  - Araldite Regular/Rapid
- Isolation of the test area by partial coring, or cutting. Typically a coring bit of the appropriate size (e.g. 50mm) is used to drill through the coating and into the concrete substrate. (E.g. EN 1542 recommends 15mm into the substrate).





Core Test disc

- · Waiting for the adhesive to set.
- Fixing the draw bolt to the test disc. (Proceq DY-2 test discs use a 10mm draw bolt. 8mm and 12mm draw bolts are also available).
- · Fit the draw bolt to the coupling.

This completes the test preparations.



Note: When measuring on perfectly horizontal or vertical surfaces a spirit level may be used if desired to check the alignment of the pull-off tester. Correct alignment may be achieved by adjusting the screws on the legs. If the surface is inclined, this method is not practical.

#### 5.2 Measurement Procedure



Press the center key to begin.



Verify settings. (Note: In the case of square discs, the diameter is a theoretical value.)

Parameters can only be reviewed. To make changes, press back to return to main menu.



Pre-loading. Turn the hand wheel to take up the slack on the test disk until a force (>0) is indicated as a blinking measurement. The force applied is minimal.

Press the center key to start the test.



The measurement screen indicates the increase in load.

A nominal load rate is applied until a force of 250 N (56 lbf) is applied. At this point the programmed load rate is applied for the duration of the test.



On completion of the test the summary screen shows the peak load, test duration and the effective load rate. The motor winds back automatically ready to begin the next test.



Press the center key to enter "Failure Mode Recording". (See below.) Press on save to complete the test and return to the main menu. If you do not wish to save the test, select the delete icon and press the center key to return to the main menu.



Note: If you do not wish to record the failure mode, simply press on save to complete the test. The test will be saved and you will return to the main menu.

### 5.2.1 Peak load, test duration and effective load rate

The peak load is the maximum load achieved during the test.

The test duration begins when the load reaches 250 N (56 lbf) (load rate control begins) and ends at the time when the end of test criteria is reached. If this is set to 0% this can be misleading. Look at the graphical output in this case for confirmation.

The effective load rate is calculated from the point at which load rate control begins (250N) to the time at which 80 % of the peak load is reached. (This is done to avoid inconsistencies in load rates caused by non-clean breaks when elastic and thermoplastic materials are being tested.)

#### 5.2.2 Load rate warning

Pull-off testing from a single side, is best suited for rigid substrates. Deformable substrates or elastic coatings can lead to a falsification of the results of a pull-off test. Proceq DY-2 provides the tools to help in the analysis when testing on such materials.

If the load graph appears on the measurement screen as a blinking icon during a test, it indicates that the programmed load rate cannot be achieved.



The most likely cause of this is due to plastic deformation of either the substrate or the material under test or the selection of a load rate beyond the capabilities of the instrument (see technical specifications).

It is recommended in this case to store the test result and download it to DY-Link for detailed analysis.

### 5.3 Failure Mode Recording

Many standards also require the user to record the mode of failure in varying degrees of complexity. Proceq DY-2 allows the user to record the failure mode with the test result for comprehensive reporting. The possibility to record the failure is flexible enough to accommodate the requirements of the various standards.

e.g. ISO 4624 failure mode reporting classification.

- A is a cohesive failure of the substrate;
- A/B is an adhesive failure between the substrate and the first coat;
- B is a cohesive failure of the first coat;
- B/C is an adhesive failure between the first and second coats;
- · etc.
- Estimate the area of fracture as a percentage to the nearest 10% for each type of fracture.



The first column indicates where the break took place. The second column indicates the percentage of the break in that particular layer.

For simplified reporting as specified for example in ASTM C 1583, then the user would enter for example B 100% indicating a failure at the first coating.

- Use the navigation keys to select the item from either column.
- Define your own classifications for A, B, etc.
- · Use the center key to alter the value.

## 5.4 Emergency Stop

In case of an emergency the red-colored STOP button can be pressed. The instrument stops in any case and the following dialog appears:



- Selecting the "Rewind" icon lets the instrument move back to its starting postition.
- Selecting the "Cancel" icon lets you return to the main menu without any movement of the motor and you may proceed with the test.

### 6. Accessories

## 6.1 Working with large test discs

The standard Proceq DY-2 configuration can be used with test discs up to 50mm diameter or  $50 \times 50$ mm square.

#### Adapter plate for large test discs

The adapter plate (Part No. 346 10 530) accommodates all test discs in the Proceq range.





Note: When working with the adapter plate the maximum load must not exceed 16kN. (See Chapter 4 - "Set the Load Parameters").

### 6.2 Working on vertical surfaces or overhead

When working on vertical surfaces or overhead ensure that the test disc is firmly glued to the surface before coupling the Proceq DY-2. When the test is completed the instrument will fall unless properly supported either by hand or by a mechanical fixing.

An optional fixing kit is available for this purpose (Part No. 346 10 550).





Warning! The operator is responsible for making sure that the instrument cannot fall and cause damage or injury.

# 7. Ordering Information

#### 7.1 Units

| Part No.   | Description  |
|------------|--|
| 346 10 000 | Proceq DY-206 Pull-off tester 6 kN (1349 lbf) including: battery pack, battery charger with USB-cable, test disc aluminium Ø 50mm/M10, draw bolt M10, torx screwdriver, software, operating instructions, calibration certificate and carrying case  |
| 346 20 000 | Proceq DY-216 Pull-off tester 16 kN (3597 lbf) including: battery pack, battery charger with USB-cable, test disc aluminium Ø 50mm/M10, draw bolt M10, torx screwdriver, software, operating instructions, calibration certificate and carrying case |
| 346 30 000 | Proceq DY-225 Pull-off tester 25 kN (5620 lbf) including: battery pack, battery charger with USB-cable, test disc aluminium Ø 50mm/M10, draw bolt M10, torx screwdriver, software, operating instructions, calibration certificate and carrying case |

#### 7.2 Test Discs and Accessories

| 346 10 500S | Test disc steel, Ø 50mm/M10, set of 10        |
|-------------|---|
| 346 10 501S | Test disc aluminum, Ø 50mm/M10, set of 10     |
| 346 10 502S | Test disc aluminum, Ø 20mm/M10, set of 10     |
| 346 10 503S | Test disc aluminum, 50x50mm/M10, set of 10    |
| 346 10 504S | Test disc aluminum, 40x40mm/M10, set of 10    |
| 346 10 505S | Test disc aluminum, Ø 100mm/M10, set of 3     |
| 346 10 506S | Test disc aluminum, 100x100mm/M10, set of 3   |
| 346 10 507S | Test disc aluminum, Ø 75mm/M10, set of 5      |
| 346 10 250  | Draw bolt M10 short for Proceq DY-2           |
| 346 10 520  | Draw bolt M8 short for Proceq DY-2            |
| 346 10 521  | Draw bolt M12 short for Proceq DY-2           |
| 346 10 530  | Adapter plate for large test discs            |
| 346 10 220  | Battery pack complete                         |
| 346 10 550  | Fixing kit for vertical and overhead surfaces |
|             |   |



Note: Proceq test discs require an M10 draw bolt. The M8 and M12 draw bolts are for use with test discs not supplied by Proceq. For the 25kN instrument an M10 draw bolt is required for forces above 16kN.

## 8. Technical Specifications

| Maximum Tensile Force   | : Maximum Pulling Speed  |  |
|---|--|--|
| 6 kN  |  |  |
| 1349 lbf 4.65 mm/min  |  |  |
| 16 kN   | 0.183 inch/min   |  |
| 3597 lbf  |  |  |
| Y-225 25 kN 2.2 mm/min  |  |  |
| 5620 lbf  | 0.086 inch/min   |  |
| Max stroke 5 mm   |  |  |
| Calibration accuracy EN ISO 7500-1 Class 1 (±1% from 20% of max. Force) |  |  |
| Memory capacity 100 measurements  |  |  |
| Battery capacity 1500 mAh, 3.7V (min. 80 measurements)                  |  |  |
| USB type A (5V, 500mA)  |  |  |
| Weight 4.5 kg   |  |  |
| 109 x 240 x 205.5 mm  |  |  |
| -10 to 50°C (14 to 122°F)   |  |  |
| Storage temperature -10 to 70°C (14 to 158°F)                           |  |  |
| IP54  |  |  |
|   | 6 kN  1349 lbf  16 kN  3597 lbf  25 kN  5620 lbf  5 mm  EN ISO 7500-1 Class 1 (±1% fro 100 measurements  1500 mAh, 3.7V (min. 80 measur USB type A (5V, 500mA)  4.5 kg  109 x 240 x 205.5 mm  -10 to 50°C (14 to 122°F)  -10 to 70°C (14 to 158°F) |  |

## 8.1 Maintenance and Support

#### Maintenance

To ensure reliable and accurate operation, it is recommended to have the instrument serviced and re-calibrated on a yearly basis. Customers may however determine their own service interval based on application and usage. The instrument assists with determining a suitable interval by giving a warning on start-up after 1500 complete test cycles.



### **Support Concept**

Proceq is committed to providing a complete support service for this instrument by means of our global service and support facilities. It is recommended that the user register the product on www. proceq.com to obtain the latest on available updates and other valuable information.

## 8.2 Standard Warranty and Extended Warranty

The standard warranty covers the electronic portion of the instrument for 24 months and the mechanical portion of the instrument for 6 months. An extended warranty for one, two or three years for the electronic portion of the instrument may be purchased up to 90 days of date of purchase.

## 9. DY-Link Software

## **Installing DY-Link**



Locate the file "DY-Link Setup.exe" on your computer or on the CD and click on it. Follow the instructions you see on the screen.

Make sure that the "Launch USB Driver install" tick is selected.

Starting DY-Link and viewing data stored on Proceg DY-2.



Double click on the DY-Link icon on your desktop or start DY-Link via the start menu. DY-Link starts with a blank list.

### **Application settings**

The menu item "File–Application settings" allows the user to select the language and the date and time format to be used.

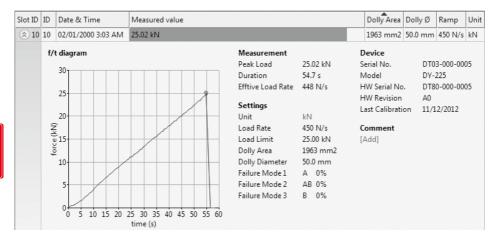
#### **Download Data**



Connect the Proceq DY-2 to a USB port, then click on this icon to download all data from the instrument.

| Data    |    |                     |                |            |         |              |       |
|---------|----|---------------------|----------------|------------|---------|--------------|-------|
| Slot ID | ID | Date & Time         | Measured value | Dolly Area | Dolly Ø | Ramp         | Unit  |
| ⊗ 1     | 1  | 01/01/2000 12:05 AM | 10.00 kN       | 1963 mm2   | 50.0 mm | 300 N/s      | kN    |
| € 2     | 2  | 01/01/2000 12:09 AM | 2252 lbf       | 3.04 in2   | 1.97 in | 67 lpf/s     | lbf   |
| ⊗ 3     | 3  | 01/01/2000 8:00 PM  | 10.21 MPa      | 1963 mm2   | 50.0 mm | 204 kPa/s    | MPa   |
| ⊗ 4     | 4  | 01/01/2000 8:04 PM  | 1480 PSI       | 3.04 in2   | 1.97 in | 30 PSI/s     | PSI   |
| ⊗ 5     | 5  | 02/01/2000 2:56 AM  | 4.61 N/mm2     | 1963 mm2   | 50.0 mm | 0.204 N/mm2s | N/mm2 |
| ⊗ 6     | 6  | 02/01/2000 2:56 AM  | 9.05 kN        | 1963 mm2   | 50.0 mm | 400 N/s      | kN    |

Click on the double arrow icon in the "Slot No." column to see the load rate graph.





Note: Click on "Add" to attach a comment to the object.

DY-Link also provides the user with a "Summary" window. This is useful for comparing a series of tests

To include or exclude a measurement from the summary, click on the summary symbol in the Slot ID column. This symbol is either "black" or "greyed out", which shows whether or not the measurement is included in the summary. In order to make a summary, all selected series have to have the same unit.

### **Exporting data**

DY-Link allows you to export selected objects or the entire project for use in third party programs.

Click on the measurement object(s) you wish to export.



Click on the "Export measurements to CSV file(s)" icon. The data for this measurement object(s) is exported as a Microsoft Office Excel comma separated file or files. The export options may be chosen in the following window.



Click on the "Export measurements as graphic file(s)" icon to open the window which allows the various export options to be chosen.

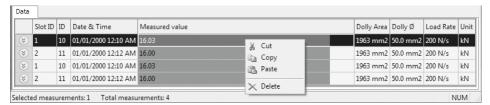
In both cases, a preview window shows the effects of the current output selection.

Finish by clicking on export to select the file location, name the file and in the case of a graphical output to set the output graphic format: .png, .bmp or .jpg

## **Data editing**

The menu item "Edit" allows you to "select all", "copy", "paste" and "delete" measurements from the downloaded data.

Alternatively you can also right click on one or more measurement rows to invoke the context menu which allows you to "cut", "copy", "paste" or "delete" the selected measurements.



For each measurement you can modify the following fields:

- ID (double click)
- Date & Time (right click)
- Unit (right click)

### Deleting data stored on the Proceg DY-2

Select the menu item "Device – Delete all measurements object on Proceq DY-2" to delete all data stored on the Proceq DY-2. A warning will be given when all of the data is about to be deleted. Confirm to delete. It is not possible to delete individual series.

#### **Further functions**

The following menu items are available via the icons at the top of the screen:



"PQUpgrade" icon - Allows you to upgrade your firmware via the internet or from local files.



"Open DY-link project file" icon - Allows you to open a previously saved .pgr project.



"Save project" icon – Allows you to save the current project.



"Print" icon – Allows you to print out the project. You may select in the printer dialog, if you want to print out all of the data or selected readings only.

It is also possible to select one of more measurements and copy and paste them between project files using CTR-C and CTRL-V.

#### **Live View Mode**

The Live View Mode allows the user to monitor the load increase in real-time when the Proceq DY-2 is connected to a PC.



Note: Once the Live View Mode has started, any changes to the settings on the device (e.g. load rate, max load, unit, dolly area) will not be reflected in the measurement plot until the Live View Mode is stopped and restarted.

Click on the "Live View" icon to open the dialog:





The measurement update rate determines how many data points are used to build up the curve.

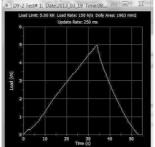
The Max Y-axis may be set either at automatic or using the maximum load setting on the instrument.

The default setting is to use a single window to show the load rate. If you wish to make comparisons between more than one test, then each subsequent test can be opened in its own window.

Press start to open the Live View window:



Start the test on the Proceq DY-2 and the load increase will be displayed in real-time until the test is completed





Note: This curve is for monitoring purposes only. You have to perform a download of the saved measurements from the Proceq DY-2 to see the saved curve data.

#### Calibration

Proceq Proceq DY-2 is calibrated according to EN ISO 7500-1 Annex C - Alternative Method of Testing Machine Classification.

This software allows a re-calibration or a reset to an earlier saved calibration. Typically this will only be performed by a service centre or calibration laboratory.

Separate Operating Instructions describing the calibration procedure can be found under the "Help" menu.