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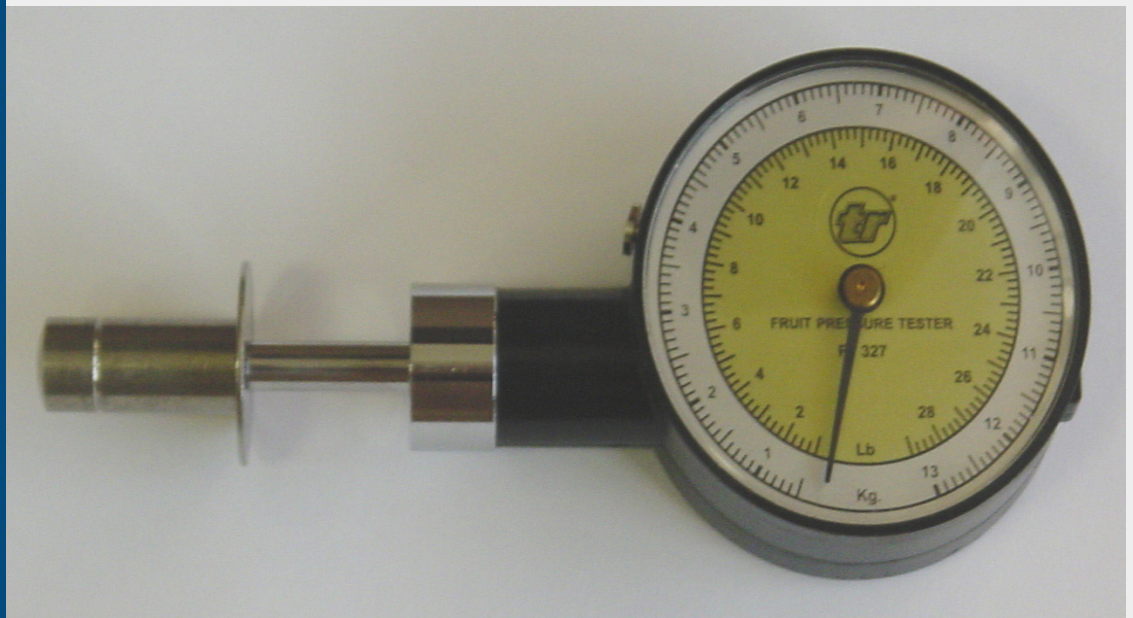
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handheld

analog

destructive



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### DESCRIPTION

The Fruit Firmness Tester (also known as a Fruit Pressure Tester) is a penetrometer that measures fruit firmness and provides a quick, easy and, according to university studies, accurate method to determine fruit maturity.

For Apples, Pears, Kiwi, Tomatoes, Peaches, Nectarines, Apricots, etc..

### SPECS

Range: till 20 kg / 44 lb

Resolution: 0,2 kg

Dual Graduations: reads in Grams and Pounds

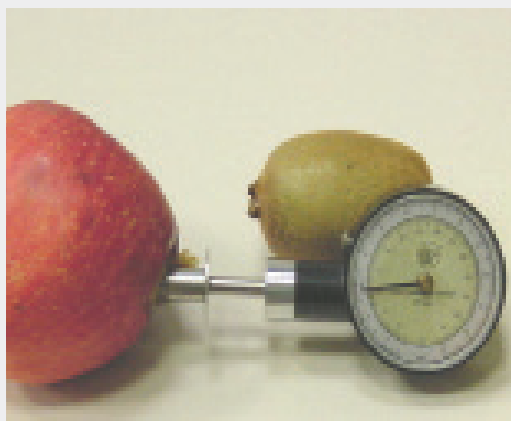
Accuracy:  $\pm 2$  graduations through 2500 grams;  $\pm 1$  graduation over 2500 grams.

Accessories included: 8 mm (5/16") and 11 mm (7/16") stainless steel plunger tips, protection (splash) plate, fruit peeler and carrying case.

Rugged Construction: High impact plastic case, aluminum dial, precision steel spring, brass mechanism chassis, impact resistant plastic crystal.

"Peak Firmness Hold" button automatically freezes the highest reading until released by push button that returns the pointer to zero.

Firmness, or degree of softness or crispness, is used world wide as a test of ripeness and maturity of many fruits. The Fruit Tester can be used as either a hand-held instrument or mounted on a test stand for more precise measurements (ref. 53200 SP not included).



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