

# **Fraass Breaking Point Apparatus**

#### **UTAS-0137**

The UTAS-0137 Breaking Point Apparatus is used to determine the breaking point of solid and semisolid bitumen.

The Fraass Breaking Point is the temperature at which bitumen first becomes brittle, as indicated by the appearance of cracks when a thin film of the bitumen on a metal plaque is cooled and flexed in accordance with specified conditions.

The apparatus consists of stainless steel plaque, cooling and bending apparatus, thermometer IP 42C (-38°C/+30°C), plate and stand.



## **Technical Specifications**

Dimensions	UTAS-0137	100x100x300 mm
	UTAS-0139	400x600x650 mm
Weight	UTAS-0137	3 kg
(approx.)	UTAS-0139	20 kg

#### **About PCTE**

PCTE have over 30 years' experience in the measurement and testing of construction materials. PCTE can provide more than just the equipment, they can provide expert training. PCTE have a service centre in Sydney in which they can provide calibration, repairs and warranty repairs.

### **Other Equipment**

PCTE supply three main ranges: NDT, Lab and Geotech Instrumentation.

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Lab includes equipment for: Concrete, Cement, Aggregate, Soil, Asphalt and Metal

Geotech Instrumentation includes: Strain Gauges, Piezometers, Inclinometers, Extensometers, Tiltmeters, Load Cells and Dataloggers