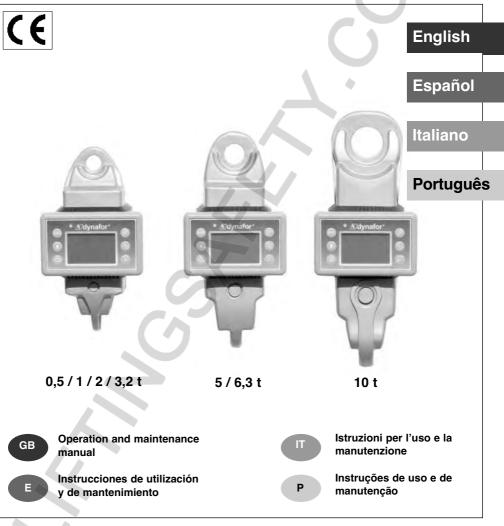
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Series LLX2 Electronic Dynamometer dinamómetro electrónico serie LLX2 dinamometro elettronico serie LLX2 dinamómetro electrónico série LLX2





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# PRIORITY RECOMMENDATIONS

#### Appliance completely protected by double or reinforced insulation.

- 1. Before installing and using this unit, to ensure safe, efficient use of the unit, be sure you have read and fully understood the information and instructions given in this manual. A copy of this manual should be made available to every operator. Extra copies of this manual can be supplied on request.
- 2. Do not use the unit if any of the plates mounted on the unit are missing or if any of the information on the plates, as indicated at the end of the manual, are no longer legible. Identical plates will be supplied on request; these must be secured on the unit before it can be used again.
- 3. Make sure that all persons operating this unit know perfectly how to use it in a safe way, in observance of all safety at work regulations. This manual must be made available to all users.
- 4. The positioning and commissioning of this appliance must be carried out under conditions that ensure installer safety in compliance with the relevant regulations.
- 5. Each time, before using the unit, inspect the unit for any visible damage, as well as the accessories used with the unit. Never use an appliance that is not obviously in good condition. Return the appliance to the manufacturer for servicing if any anomalies arise that have no connection with the state of the battery.
- 6. Protect your appliance from any form of impact, especially the display unit.
- 7. The unit must never be used for any operations other than those described in this manual. The unit must never be used to handle any loads exceeding the maximum utilization load indicated on the unit. It must never be used in explosive atmospheres.
- 8. This appliance should never be used for man-riding applications without a thorough prior check that the utilization coefficients required for personnel safety have been applied, and more generally that the safety regulations for the load line on which it has been installed have been applied.
- 9. Tractel declines any responsibility for use of this unit in a setup configuration not described in this manual.
- 10. Tractel declines any responsibility for the consequences of any changes made to the unit or removal of parts.
- 11. Tractel declines any responsibility for the consequences resulting from disassembly of the unit in any way not described in this manual or repairs performed without Tractel authorization, especially as concerns replacement of original parts by parts of another manufacturer.
- 12. As a dynafor™ dynamometer is a lifting accessory, the safety regulations applicable to this category of equipment must be applied.
- 13. If the unit is to be definitively removed from use, make sure the unit is discarded in a way which will prevent any possible use of the unit. All environment protection regulations must be observed.
- 14. Any operation of this appliance in conjunction with supplementary equipment relaying signals on an operating system must be preceded by a risk analysis related to the operating functions implemented, carried out by the system user or assembler, and all appropriate measures are taken as a consequence.
- 15. Certified in compliance with European regulations, this appliance should be checked for compliance with the regulations of any other country where it might be used, prior to being commissioned there.
- 16. The display power supply unit is used as a breaker and must be accessible at any time.

# **1 PRESENTATION**

The dynafor™ LLX2 dynamometers are precision appliances (0.1% ISO 376 . 21°C) (I.P. 67 = 0,2%), for measuring pulling force and indicating loads. The capacity scale ranges from 500 daN to 10000 daN.

A dynafor<sup>™</sup> LLX2 is made up of a sensor and a mobile display unit.

A two-way radio link-up using the 2.4 GHz wave band conects the two components.

16 radio channels are used. Each display unit and sensor have their own address, enabling unequivocal identification in the event of a multiple set-up.

The specific, patented shape of the attaching head enables you to use either standard shackles or standardised accessories for chains.

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The LLX2 is available in two versions: Standard version with interlinking anchoring rings in the perpendicular surfaces, or an optional version with the anchoring rings both on the same side (see Page 9 diagram). The standard version enables articulation of lifting accessories on both sides, thus avoiding stresses due to load movements and enhancing appliance precision.

These assemblies are put together on our production line and cannot be modified later by the user.

The technologies implemented on a radio and software level offer, aside from the standard uses to be expected from an industrial dynamometer, multiple configuration possibilities that combine several sensors with several display units. They also offer access to advanced function such as: saving, threshold management, monitoring etc.

The PC – USB link permits to dowload, save and manage measurements data.

The standard version of the equipment comes with batteries and power pack in a carrying case containing:

- a) A sensor
- b) A display unit and battery charger
- c) An operating and maintenance instruction manual
- d) A certificate of adjustment
- e) A certificate of CE compliance

# **1.1 Operating Principle**

The operating principle of the dynafor<sup>™</sup> LLX2 is based on strain gauge measurement of the extension, within its limits of elasticity, of a metal body subjected to traction stress. The appliance will work in all directions.

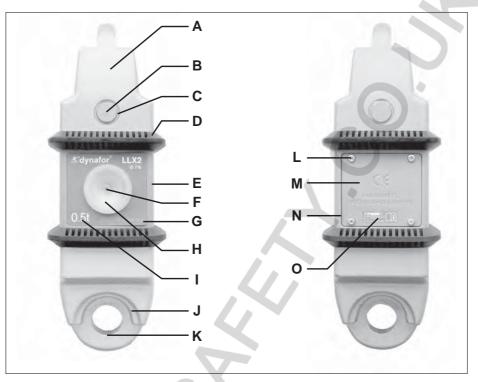
The sensor generates an electrical signal that is proportional to the load. This signal is processed by a micro-processor analyser and then transmitted via radio waves to the display unit, which immediately displays the load applied to the sensor to which it is linked.

When switched on, the sensor data, such as identification and date of last metrology check, is displayed on the display unit.

The display unit is compatible with all of the LLX2 model sensors, irrespective of their capacity. Unless otherwise ordered, the radio link-up between the LLX2 sensor and the display unit is set definitively in the factory before dispatch. After this, the radio link can be configured by the user to meet their requirements.

# 1.2 Description and marking

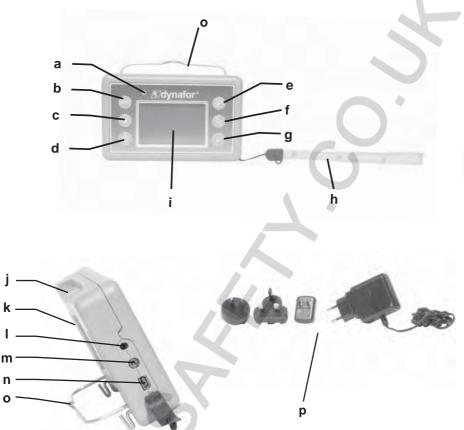
# 1.2.1 Sensor



Α	Attaching head	I	Maximum sensor capacity
В	Coupling stud	J	Shackle centring flange
С	B stud securing clip	К	Attaching ring
D	Protective bumper	L	M Securing screws
E	Protective housing	М	Battery cover
F	On / Off button	Ν	Battery housing ( 3 x "AA" )
G	Serial No.	0	Manufacturer's label
Н	Operating indicator		

# Provisions applied:

- Machine Directives: 98/37/CEE
- European Standards: EN 12100-1 and 12100-2
- CEM Directive: 89/336/CEE
- Electrical Safety: IEC 61010-1 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition
- Radio certifications: CE : Radio Tests EN 300 440-2 V1.1.1 / USA & Canada: FCC ID / Australia: C-Tick ID
- R&TTE Directive (1999/5/CE)

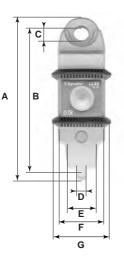


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а	Indicator LED ( manufacturer use )	i	LCD graphic screen 128 x 64 pixels 67 x 40 mm
b	Key: "esc"		Attaching points for the display unit on the bumper of the sensor housing
С	Key: Back lighting. Auto off after 10"	k	CE Marking and Serial No.
d	Key: On / Off	I	Charger socket
е	Key: Enables available options and clockwise browsing	m	Serial port ( manufacturer use )
f	Key: Enables available options and anti-clockwise browsing	n	USB port
g	Key: Confirm / Enter	ο	Metal wire
h	Safety wrist strap	р	Charger 100-240 Vac 50/60 Hz. 180 mA 🔲 Secondary: 12 Vdc. 500 mA.

# 2. SPECIFICATIONS

# 2.1 Sensor and Display Unit





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MODEL		LLX2	LLX2	LLX2	LLX2	LLX2	LLX2	LLX2	Disp.
		0.5 t	1 t	2 t	3.2 t	5 t	6.3 t	10 t	Unit
Maximum capacity	t	0.5	1	2	3.2	5	6.3	10	All
Test load	t	0.75	1.5	3	4.8	7.5	9.6	15	-
Safety coefficient					Minimum 4				-
Precision		0,	1 % acco	rding to IS	SO 376 . 2	21°C (I.P.	67 = 0,29	%)	-
TIECISION	daN	0.5	1	2	3.2	5	6.3	10	-
Increment	daN	0.1	0.2	0.5	0.5	1	1	2	<-
Max. Display	daN	550	1100	2200	3500	5500	6900	11000	<-
Number height	mm			-	-	-	-	-	25
Autonomy			From 3			nding of fu			48 h
Radio scope	m			80 (in		d) (I.P. 67	= 60)		-
RF technology					2.4	Ghz		_	
Weight	kg		2.3	00		3.3	350	6.45	0.180
IP Protection			I.	P. 66 NEI	MA 4 (I.P.	67 optior	ı)		I.P. 54
Usafe					From - 20	° to 40°C			
Sensitivity to T°				0.0	5% per 10	С°С			
Head material					Steel				-
Sensor material				Alum	inium			Steel	-
	Α	248	248	248	248	290	290	341	-
	В	224	224	224	224	254	254	296	-
	С	Ø 20	Ø 20	Ø 20	Ø 20	Ø 28	Ø 28	Ø 40	-
	D	10	10	10	10	16	16	20	-
Dimensions mm	Е	24	24	24	24	35	35	54	-
Dimensions min	F	80	80	80	80	80	80	80	-
	G	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	-
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# 2.2 Anchoring accessories

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# 2.2.1 Chain anchoring accessories

To facilitate assembly and disassembly, Tractel offers a series of accessories for G 80 chain, equipped with treated steel pins and DIN 6799 support collar type elastic rings. The accessories are delivered boxed.

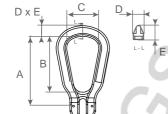
# To implement this solution, it is essential that you use Tractel supplied pins and collars.

Using a pin with support collars.

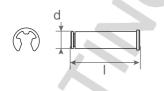
Position the chain accessory on the sensor attachment ring and slide the pin through the holes in the accessory and the sensor Lock off the pin with a collar.

For preference, use an assembly fork for the DIN 6799 collar.

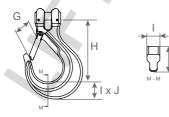
## 2.2.1.1 Size in mm



WLL	А	В	С	D	Е
0.5 < >3.2 t	111	88	50	17	17
5 - 6.3 t	185	150	85	27	29
10 t	210	155	95	27	31



WLL	d	I	Support collar
0.5 < >3.2 t	13	50	10 mm DIN 6799
5 - 6.3 t	20	76	15 mm DIN 6799
10 t	24	92	19 mm DIN 6799

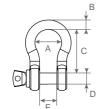


WLL	G	н	I	J
0.5 < >3.2 t	41	110	25	30
5 - 6.3 t	67	164	34	47
10 t	80	195	43	50

## 2.2.2 Cable anchoring accessory

Any shackle that complies with the relevant regulations can be used for dynafor™ LLX2 to be mounted onto a traction line, as long as it complies with the dynafor™ LLX2 maximum capacity.

#### 2.2.2.1 Size in mm



WLL	А	В	С	D	E	kg
0.5 < >3.2 t	42	16	60	19	27	0.6
5 - 6.3 t	58	22	84	25	37	1.4
10 t	89	35	132	38	57	4.4

# 3 INSTALLATION, UTILIZATION AND UNINSTALLATION

### 3.1 Conditions prior to set-up and use

- Altitude: Up to 2000 m
- Relative humidity: Max 80%
- Degree of pollution assigned: 2

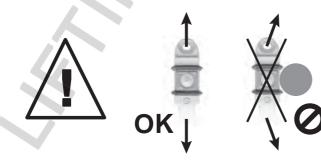
#### Before setting up and using the dynamometer you must:

- a) make sure that there is no stress value shown when the appliance is not subject to traction. Should this occur, refer to Chapter 11 Operating Anomalies and Troubleshooting.
- b) make sure that the sensor batteries and display unit power pack are adequately charged.
- c) make sure that there is a good radio link between the sensor and the display unit.
- d) use the "ID" icon to check that the sensor serial number shown on the sensor plate is the same as the sensor serial number shown by the display unit ( see section 6.2.2 and section 6.2.3 )

# 3.2 Installation

When installing you must:

- a) make sure that the load line anchoring point(s) are sufficiently robust in relation to the traction that will be applied.
- b) make sure that the anchoring accessories at either end of the dynamometer are compatible, and that they comply with the relevant regulations.
- c) make sure that clevis pins are well locked, with the nut screwed down to the maximum, and make sure that the hook safety latch is working correctly.
- d) make sure that the sensor is correctly aligned in the traction line.



# 3.3 Utilization

Only use dynafor<sup>™</sup> LLX2 in traction, avoiding compression, twisting or flexing. The appliance can be used in all directions, including horizontally. The dynafor<sup>™</sup> LLX2 operates correctly in a temperature range of de –20° C to + 40° C. For use outside of this range, the appliance will require heat protection.

# 3.4 Uninstallation

When uninstalling the appliance, first make sure that it is no longer subject to any traction stress.

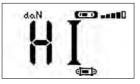
# **4 UTILIZATION PROHIBITIONS**

# It is prohibited:

- To use dynafor™ LLX2 in a line for lifting people without having carried out a prior specific risk analysis.
- To modify the appliance housing by machining, drilling or any other process.
- To use dynafor™ beyond their maximum capacity.
- · To put the Dynafor in a arc weld electrical circuit.
- To disassemble or uncover the sensor or display unit.
- $\boldsymbol{\cdot}$  To use the appliance for operations other than those described in this manual.

# **5 OVERLOAD INDICATOR**





When the load applied to the sensor exceeds the maximum capacity of the appliance of 15 % (e.g.: a 5 t loaded at 5.75 t) the display unit indicates an overload message "HI" as shown opposite, and emits an intermittent beep.

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If several sensors are connected to the display unit, the overloaded sensor will be immediately identified.

In the example display opposite, relating to a two-sensor set up, the sensor on the second line is overloaded.

In the event of overload, all stress on the sensor must be completely relieved and a check made that the appliance returns to zero.

If the appliance shows a stress value, even though tension is not applied, then it has suffered a permanent distortion. In this case, you must have the appliance serviced by the manufacturer before continuing to use it. Single configuration consists of using an assembly made up of one sensor and one display unit for measuring and displaying the stress on the sensor. Depending on the user's requirements, the display unit can either be attached to the sensor or be separated from it.

Unless otherwise ordered, the radio link-up between the sensor and the display unit is set definitively in the factory before dispatch. After this, the radio link can be configured by the user to meet their requirements. (see: Chapter 7: Operation in multiple configuration )

# 6.1 Commissioning

6.1.1 Enabling the sensor batteries

The 3 x 1.5 V "AA" batteries are installed in the factory. Remove the insulating tab protruding from the battery compartment to enable them. For future battery changes, refer to Chapter 9.2

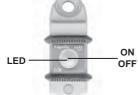
6.1.2 Charging the display unit

The display unit is delivered with the power pack charged. Afterwards, use the charger provided to charge the power pack. Charging time: 3 h.

The display unit can be used during charging.



Always turn on the sensor before turning on the display unit; otherwise the display unit will not be able to establish the radio link.

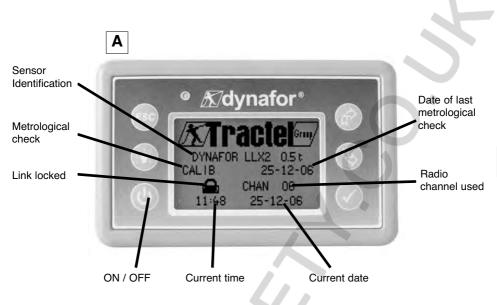


6.1.3 Turning on the sensor

Press the centre of the flexible cap covering the switch.

On switching on the two red LED will flash.

Sensor operating MODE	Sensor LED flashing L Measures her secon		Autonomy
Stop	Off	-	-
Standard	1 flash per second	4 per second	300 h
Standard slow	1 flash every 2 seconds	1 per second	500 h
Power saving	1 flash every 4 seconds	1 every 4 seconds	1000 h
Standby	1 flash every 8 seconds	-	3000 h
Peak load	2 flashes per second	32 per second	100 h
Batteries low	Same but one LED at a time		-



The welcome screen is shown for 4 seconds, then the standard display window is shown.

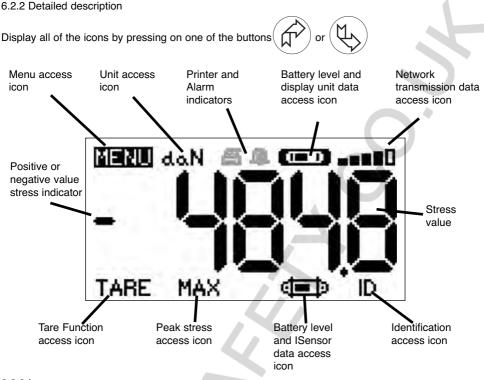
# 6.2 Elementary functions

This chapter presents the functions that enable elementary use of dynafor™ LLX2

### 6.2.1 Standard display screen

(	Action	Comments
daN 🚥 💷	No action	<b>Standard Display:</b> After the welcome screen, the
191	ESC No action	standard display screen appears automatically.
	Select an icon	The sensor / display unit assembly
	Select an icon	is ready to use.

-In this manual, this number refers , should this happen, to the position of the screen in the synopsis at the end of this manual.



# a) Active icons:

Menu access icon: offers access to advanced functions (See chapter 6.3) Units access icon: enables measurement unit selection (See section 6.2.4.3) Tare Function access icon: enables Tare function (Gross / Net Load) (See section 6.2.4.4) Peak Stress access icon: enables the maximum stress save function (See section 6.2.4.5) Display unit data access icon: shows display unit power pack charge and data relating to the display unit (See section 6.3.2.2)

Transmission data access icon: enables viewing and modification of the radio network status (see section 6.3.2.4)

Identification access icon: enables viewing of network equipment identification ( see section 6.3.2.3)

Sensor data access icon: Shows sensor battery charge and data relating to the sensor ( See section 6.3.2.1)

# b) Indicator Icons:

Alarm Indicators: Appear if one or more safety thresholds have been set, flashing if exceeded. Printer Indicators: appear when data transmission to PC is requested (requires PC Connection option)

# 6.2.4.1 Standard display

	Display	Action	Comments
1	daN 💷 💵	No action	Standard Display: Sensor stress Measurement units Display unit power pack level
	<u>nn</u>	ESC No action	Sensor battery level
		Select an icon	
		Select an icon	
6	6.2.4.2 Navigating between ic	cons	
2	MENU dan 💷	Confirm current selection	Navigation: By pressing on either of the two arrows, all available functions are
	00	ESC Return to standard display	displayed. Move from icon to icon using the arrows.
	TARE MAX DID	Move clockwise from icon to icon	
		Move anti-clockwise from icon to icon	
6	6.2.4.3 Measurement unit sel	ection	
3	MENU	Confirm selection	Select Unit: daN, kN, kg, t, Lbs, Ton. Select the unit icon, which starts
		ESC Return to standard display without modification	Confirm with ✓
		Select an icon and enable the available options	Enable the various unit symbols: <sup>9</sup> daN, kN, kg, Metric ton, pounds, short Ton.
		Select an icon and enable the available options	<sup>3</sup> Confirm with $\checkmark$
6	5.2.4.4 Tare Function		
4		Confirm TARE option when it is highlighted.	TARE Function: Select the TARE icon, which starts flashing.
		ESC Return to standard display without modification	Confirm with 🗸 Enable the various options.
	RAW	Select an icon and enable the available options	Confirm with TARE = Initialise a new Tare
		Select an icon and enable the available options	<b>RAW</b> = Sum of NET + TARE <b>NET</b> = Difference between RAW - TARE
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# 6.2.4.5 MAX Function ( Peak stress save )

Display	Action	Comments
·I		
	Reset MAX value to current stress level	Peak load function: From the Standard screen, go to the MAX icon.
ERASE ALL 2	ESC Return to standard display	Confirm with 🗸
NO	No action	The "in progress" screen appears while the display unit dialogues with the sensor to change to "Peak
	No action	Load" mode - 32 measures per second
MAX dan 📼D	Reset MAX value to current stress level	<b>Peak load function:</b> The peak load value is displayed The barograph represents 100% of
	ESC Return to standard display	sensor capacity The cursor indicates the peak value
	Enable MAX window selection mode	of stress The moving black line shows the immediate stress value
	Enable MAX window selection mode	
	6	1
MAX dan 📼 💷	Confirm selection	Advanced Peak load functions: In this mode you can saves the peak stress. Using the arrows and from the MAX
- 1549	ESC Return to MAX display	using the arrows and from the MAX window, select the icon: Diskette and confirm with ✓ to save.
	Move clockwise from icon to icon	
	Move anti-clockwise from icon to icon	1

Display	Action	Comments
1361.01	Confirm selection	Language group selection: Select the MENU icon.
MENU FUNCTIONS PARAM CONF LANGUAGE1	ESC Return to standard disp without modification	play Select the required language group: LANGUAGE 1,
LANGUAGE2	Select the available options	
	Select the available options	Confirm with 🗸
	, r	
	Confirm selection	Language selection: Select the required language.
MENU-LANGUAGE1 OBUTCH ENGLISH ESPANOL	ESC Return to previous disp without modification	
FRANCAIS ITALIANO PORTUGUES	Select the available options	
	Select the available options	
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]	Confirm selection	Language selection:
MENU-LANGUAGE2		Select the required language.
μ.	without modification	—Confirm with 🗸

Select the available options

Select the available options

Display	Action	Comments
GB 6.2.5 Error Messages No radio reception	No action         ESC       No action         Select an icon and enable the available options         Select an icon and enable the available options	Arrêt du dispositif : Keep the ON / OFF button depressed for 3 seconds to switch off the display unit. The sensor automatically moves into standby mode, and will start up again when the display unit is switched on. If necessary you can switch off the sensor by pressing on the ON / OFF button.
12	Possible causes	Solutions
	Sensor switched off or switched to the standby mode (see 27) Sensor too far from display unit Network conflict	Switch off display unit, switch or sensor, switch on display unit. Bring appliances closer together Check network configuration (see advanced functions section 6.3.2.4)

# 6.3 Advanced functions

This chapter presents the functions that enable advanced use of dynafor LLX2 See the general overview of the programme at the end of the manual.

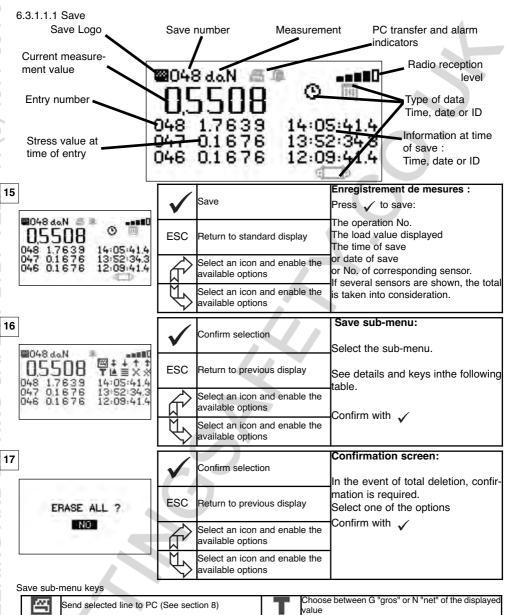
# 6.3.1 MAIN Menu

13	Main Menu:
MENU	Select MENU.
PARAM CONF LANGUAGE1	ESC Return to standard display Confirm with
LANGUAGE2	Select an icon and enable the available options
	Select an icon and enable the Confirm with  Available options

## 6.3.1.1 Functions Menu

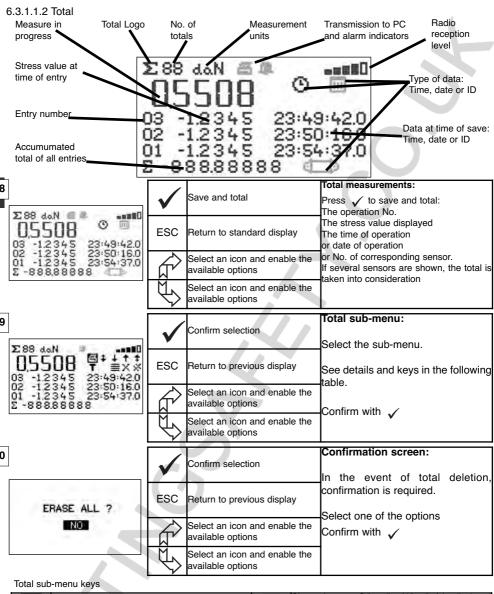
MENU

	$\checkmark$	Confirm selection	Functions Menu : Select the required sub-menu.
J-FUNCTIONS RAWEENSENTES ROLLUP THRESH		Return to standard display without modification	Confirm with 🗸
		Select an icon and enable the available options	
		Select an icon and enable the available options	

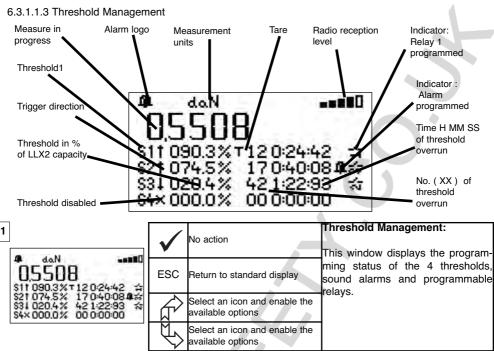


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ß	Send selected line to PC (See section 8)	Т	Choose between G "gros" or N "net" of the displayed value
+	Scroll page by page downwards	≝	Graphic (disabled function )
÷	Scroll line by line downwards		Press $\checkmark$ to display one after another: The time, the date or sensor identification
+	Scroll line by line upwards	Х	Delete selected line
+	Scroll page by page upwards	*	Delete all (followed by confirmation screen)
O	Displays the time	₿	Displays sensor identification
	Displays the date		



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មា	Send selected line to PC (See section 8)		Choose between G "gros" or N "net" of the displayed value
÷	Scroll page by page downwards		Graphic (disabled function )
÷	Scroll line by line downwards		Press 🗸 to display one after another: The time, the date or sensor identification
+	Scroll line by line upwards	Х	Delete selected line
- 1	Scroll page by page upwards	×	Delete all ( followed by confirmation screen )
O	Displays the time	Û	Displays sensor identification
Ξ	Displays the date		



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2 4 daN	Confirm selection	Threshold management sub-menu: Select the sub-menu. See details and keys in the
0.5508 V44 % 0 \$11 090.3% T12 02442 \$	ESC Return to previous display	following table.
S21 074.5米 17 0:40:08年会 S34 020.4米 42 1:22:93 会 S4×000.0米 00 0:00:00	Select an icon and enable the available options	- · ·
	Select an icon and enable the available options	Adjustment range: From 0 to 120% of sensor capacity.

# Threshold management sub-menu keys

+	Scroll threshold by threshold downwards	Ŷ	To modify the threshold value
+	Scroll line by line upwards	đ	Sound alarm programmed
1	Trigger of programmed threshold when upward overrun	1}	Relay 1 programmed. (Disabled in current version.)
۰.	Trigger of programmed threshold when downward overrun	P <sup>b</sup>	Trigger selection in relation to Gros or Net
X	No threshold trigger programmed	Θ	Reset number and duration of programmed thres- hold overruns

# 6.3.1.2 Parameter setting menu

Display	Action	Comments
23 CONFIG MENU	Confirm selection	Parameter setting menu: Select the sub-menu.
COEFFICIENTS MEMORY	ESC Return to previous display	Confirm with 🗸
CONFIG MENU COEFFICIENTS MEMORY +CD +CD	Select an icon and enable the available options	For +
	Select an icon and enable the available options	
6.3.1.2.1 Date and Time		
24	Return to main display	Date and hour : Select the parameter to be modified
	ESC Return to main display	Confirm with Modify the parameters, using th arrows.
13:4):56	Select an icon and enable the available options	Exit and confirm modifications b
	Select an icon and enable the available options	validating V at the bottom of th screen.
6.3.1.2.2 Coefficients		
	No action	COEFFICIENTS : These parameters can only b modified by the manufacturer. Hysteresis of the trigger points
THRESHOLD HYSTERES 50% AUTOMATIC ZERO 10%	ESC Return to main display	50% of the adjusted value. ZERO auto < 10 % of the capacity
ACCELERATION OF GRAVITY 9.8093	No action	Gravity acceleration: coefficien used for the conversion N / k PARIS value by default
	No action	

# 6.3.1.2.3 Available memory check

6.3.1.2.3 Available memory cl	neck	
26	Return to main display	Memory: Indicates the memory fill rate.
MEMORY USED SAVE MSMTS, 07% ROLLUP: 10%	ESC Return to main display	Point: Saved values (Max. 99) Total: accumulated values (Max. 99)
NG	No action	For reset see sections 6.3.1.1.1 and 6.3.1.1.2
	No action	
6.3.1.3 Languages See section 6.2.4.6		
SE	22	

6.3.2.1	Sensor	icon:	۹L	Þ

Sensor settings and data

	Display	Action	Comments
7	SENSAD:022	Confirm selection	Sensor parameters display AD 22 = sensor address Switch from standard to power saving mode after 28' if variation step > 15% of
	STANDARD +TT: 28' LVAR: 15% ~ ECONOMY	ESC Return to standard display	the stress. Enabled ✓ Switch to power saving mode in standby Disabled X
	FENABLE X STANDBY COMPLETE STOP	available options	TOTAL SHUTDOWN: Powers down the sensor. To power up again you must use
_		Select an icon and enable the available options	the ON/OFF switch on the sensor

6.3.2.2. Display Unit icon:

Display Unit Settings and Data

28			Display unit parameter display.
	$\checkmark$	No action	AD = display unit address
C AD:00002	ESC		This screen is displayed if the sen- sor/display unit pair is locked.
<b>a</b>		No action	
	Ŷ	No action	

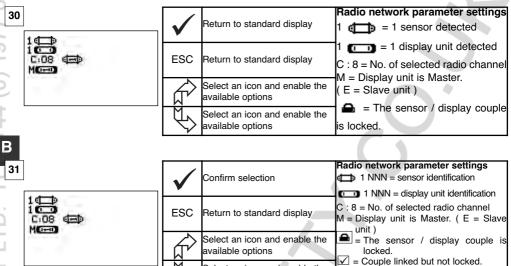
6.3.2.3 Identification icon: ID

29		Return to standard display	Display identification of elements in the network. Sensor: Serial No., capacity, hardware
CHAN-08 ID: 0500080 MAX 0.5t V1-0 S1-0 CALIB 25-12-06	ESC	Return to standard display	version, software version, date of last calibration or
ID: 06007007 V1-0 S1-0		No action	adjustment Disp. Unit: Serial No., hardware
		No action	version, software version.

Display unit and sensor identification and data

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Data on the power and status of the radio link



If several sensors are linked to the display unit, the weakest signal will be displayed.

available options

# **7 OPERATION IN MULTIPLE CONFIGURATION**

# 7.1 Generalities

Multiple configuration consists of linking up the four sensors to anything up to four display units. The sensors can have different capacities.

Select an icon and enable the

= Couple not linked.

(For more than four sensors the PC option is required. See chapter 8)

For some applications it is useful to display the measures coming from several sensors on just one display unit.

Example: Lifting a load with a two- winch suspended load bar, each winch equipped with a sensor. The grouping of the two strain measures on the same display unit enables the operator to view two strains and their total and to check the correct distribution of the load between the two winches.

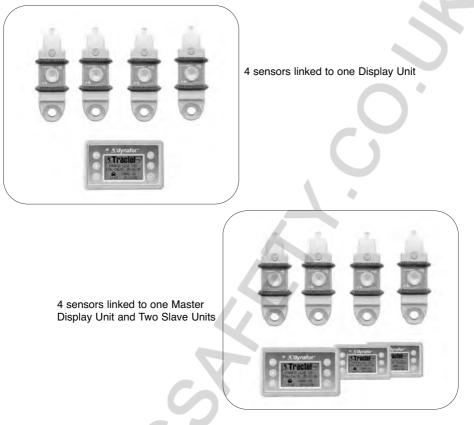
For other applications it is useful to have the display of the stress measurement from one sensor on several display units.

Example: Two operators are manoeuvring a load. One guides the manoeuvre, the other monitors and saves the stress levels. It should be noted that in an application with several display units, only the "Master Unit", has control over the sensor, the other "Slave units", repeat the data coming from the Master Unit.

Certain applications require several sensors on several display units.

Example: Complex manipulation of a load, like a hydro-electric power station turbine, carried out by several participants, working on different levels.

#### 7.2 Examples of multiple configurations.



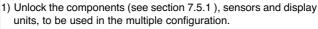
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7.3 Safety Recommendations

When setting up a multiple configuration, you must physically assemble and identify all of the components: sensors, Slave display units and Master display unit before starting to link them.

This operation is essential if you are to avoid an improbable, but possible, confusion with a component that does not belong in the set up.

# 7.4 General procedure for setting up multiple configurations



- 2) Switch off all hardware.
  - Select a unit to be the Master Display Unit in the configuration.
  - Select the unit(s) that will be the Slave units in the configuration.
  - 3) Check / Set appropriate mode (see section 7.5.4)
- 1) Switch on Master unit and use **HEBBO** to check that no foreign element is present on the Master radio channel. ( see section 7.5.5 )
- 2) If needed select another channel (see section 7.5.6)

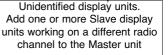
Switch off the Master unit.
 Switch on all other components apart from the Master unit.
 Switch on Master unit.

- The components to be included, using the Master unit channel, are identified by the Master and automatically associated with a multiple configuration.
  - Check the associations using

Sensors see : section 7.5.7.1 a D. units see: section 7.5.7.2 a

Unidentified sensors. Add one or more sensors working on a different radio channel to the Master unit

See 7.5.7.1 b





# 7.5 Tools for setting up multiple configurations.

This chapter describes all of the tools that might be required for setting up a multiple configuration.

7.5.1 Unlocking an assembly.

To be able to operate in "Multiple Configuration", the sensor / display unit assemblies must be previously "unlocked".

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To unlock an assembly, follow the instructions described hereafter:

Using the arrows, move to the icon:  $\blacksquare\blacksquare\blacksquare\blacksquare$  and confirm with  $\checkmark$ 

2	$\checkmark$	Return to standard display	Status check.
	ESC	Return to standard display	= the display unit at hand C: 08 = No. of radio channel in use
		Select an icon and enable the available options	M = Display unit is Master.
		Select an icon and enable the available options	The sensor / display couple is locked.
3	$\checkmark$	Confirm the selection	Unlocking an assembly. IDENT = Serial No. Select the A icon and confirm with
	ESC	Return to standard display	✓ Select and confirm
		Select an icon and enable the available options	The sensor / display couple is locked.
	K)	Select an icon and enable the available options	= The sensor / display couple is unlocked.

7.5.2 Locking an assembly.

Unless otherwise ordered, the radio link-up between the sensor and the display unit is "locked" in the factory before dispatch. In this configuration, the sensor / display unit assembly, switched on, creates a sealed "couple" impervious to any other radio link.

On switching on, the display unit only seeks out the sensor to which it is locked.

To lock an assembly, follow the instructions described hereafter:

Using the arrows, move to the icon: **The set of** and confirm with  $\checkmark$ .

$\checkmark$	Confirm the selection	Locking an assembly. IDENT = Serial No. Select the Sensor/ Display intersection box
ESC		and confirm using ✓ Select and confirm ■ = The sensor / display couple is
	Select an icon and enable the available options	locked. The sensor / display couple is linked. Locking is only possible if no other assembly
	Select an icon and enable the available options	association is shown on the screen.

# 7.5.3 Associating an assembly

To be able to operate in "Multiple Configuration", the sensor / Slave display unit must be "associated" with the Master display unit.

On switching on, the display unit seeks out all the sensors that are powered up and operating on its radio channel.

To associate an assembly, follow the instructions described hereafter:

Using the arrows, move to the icon: **\blacksquare \blacksquare \blacksquare** and confirm with  $\checkmark$ .

1	$\checkmark$	Confirm the selection	Associate an assembly. IDENT = Serial No. Select the Sensor/ Display intersec-
	ESC	Return to standard display	tion box and confirm using $\checkmark$ Select and confirm $\checkmark$
		Select an icon and enable the available options	✓ = The sensor / display couple is associated. Note: You can associate several diffe-
		Select an icon and enable the available options	rent elements.

7.5.4 Setting display unit parameters in Master and Slave mode

As the Slave display unit(s) operate only as replicas of the Master unit, the " modification of sensor parameters " and "associate" functions are no longer available.

To set parameters for Master and Slave modes, the units must be locked (see section 7.5.1)

From the standard display screen

Master display unit

16 	$\checkmark$	Confirm the selection	Set Master / Slave parameters: Go to icon
C AD:00002	ESC	Return to standard display	Select the available option. Confirm with ✓
			Using the arrows, make selection: M = Master display unit. S = Slave display unit.
	£	Select an icon and enable the available options	Confirm with $\checkmark$

Master or Slave mode appears when the display unit is powered up.



Slave display unit

When a display unit is "Slave" you can identify the Master unit to which it is associated.

### 7.5.5 Radio channel availability

When switching on the Master display unit of a multiple configuration, it will scan the radio environment in order to ensure that the radio channel selected to create the multiple configuration is not already in use by other appliances that are foreign to the future configuration.

Should the case arise, the display unit will display the message " CHANNEL OCCUPIED". In this case, select a other channel (see § 7.5.6)

To check radio channel availability, follow the instructions provided hereafter:

Using the arrows, move to the icon:  $\blacksquare\blacksquare\blacksquare\blacksquare$  and confirm with  $\checkmark$ .

40	$\checkmark$	Return to standard display	Radio network parameter settings. C: 4 = No. of radio channel When no element is shown on the
	ESC	Return to standard display	channel used by the display unit, this means that the channel is fully available and would be suitable, for
		Select an icon and enable the available options	example, for a multiple configuration
		Select an icon and enable the available options	

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#### 7.5.6 Changing the radio channel

16 channels are available on the 2.4 GHz frequency.

The assembly operation channels are allocated in a random fashion in the factory.

Within a radius of 80 m you can operate up to 16 assemblies or 16 multiple configurations, each on its own channel.

Please consult the manufacturer if more than 16 channels are required.

To change an assembly's channel, first of all change the display unit channel and use the "Add a sensor" procedure (section 7.5.7.1 b) to automatically modify the sensor channel and reconstitute the assembly.

To change the radio channel, follow the instructions described hereafter:

Using the arrows, move to the icon: **TRUE** and confirm with  $\checkmark$ .

41 I (T)		Return to standard display	PRadio network parameter settings C: $8 = No.$ of radio channel Select C:08 and confirm $\checkmark$
	ESC	Return to standard display	Select another channel. Confirm with $\checkmark$ The unit seeks, displays and identifies
		Increment the channel Nos.	the appliances present on the selected channels. The assemblies, locked or associated,
	₹\$	Decrement the channel Nos.	and switched on will not be identified.

7.5.7.1 Adding one or more sensors

a) Adding sensors operating on the same channel as the Master display unit.

Using the arrows, move to the icon **LETED**, confirm and follow the procedure described hereafter:

42		$\checkmark$	Confirm the selection	Associate several components. Once the general procedure has been followed, the sensors operating on the
	100 C:08 (日) (日) (日) (日) M (日) (日) (日) (日) (日)	ESC	Return to standard display	same channel as the Master unit are automatically associated. $\boxed{\square}$ = The sensor <i>1</i> display couple is
3			Select an icon and enable the available options	associated. You can dissociate components:
			Select an icon and enable the available options	Image: The sensor / display couple is dissociated.

b) Adding sensors operating on a different channel to the Master display unit.

	$\checkmark$	Confirm the selection	Adding sensors:
CONFIG MENU DATERTINE COEFFICIENTS MEMORY	ESC	Detring to repeat on a side of a set of the	Go to the parameter setting menu and select option
+		Select an icon and enable the available options	+
		Select an icon and enable the available options	

14	No action	Scan environment:
+@		The display unit scans all of the
CHAN 02	ESC No action identifies all th	channels other than its own and identifies all the sensors, unlocked or disassociated, within an 80 m
	No action	radius.
	No action	

t 01-07 h5 01-07 it 01-07 it 01-07 h5 01-07	$\checkmark$	Confirm the selection	Identification of the sensors present The first five sensors that are powered u unlocked or disassociated, present with		
	ESC	General reset with no addition of sensor	radius of 80 m are displayed on the screen. If there are more than five, select the "others" line (or "start of list") and confirm to display all the sensors present.		
		Select an icon and enable the available options	XXXXXXX = Serial No. 21 / 0t5 = capacity 01 07 = calibration date		
		elect an icon and enable the vailable options			

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46	$\checkmark$	Confirm the selection	Selecting one of the sensors present: Select the sensor that will be added to the multiple configuration. The sensor's
+ 2t 01-07 XXXXXXXXX 0t5 01-07 XXXXXXXXX 5t 01-07	ESC	General reset with no addition of sensor	channel will be automatically modified. Confirm with ✓ You can only add one sensor at a time.
XXXXXXXX 2t 01-07 XXXXXXXX 0t5 01-07 OTHERS		Select an icon and enable the available options	Re-start the sequence for each added sensor.
	$\mathbb{P}$	Select an icon and enable the available options	
17 kN 🗃 🖲 🚥 🗤 💷 🛙	$\checkmark$	No action	Re-start sensors + 1 in in X mode: After you have confirmed your
+ 0000   📾 + 0000   📾	ESC	No action	selection, the messages "addition in progress" followed by "completed" are displayed.
+ 0000 I 💷 = 00003		Select an icon and enable the available options	Following this the unit re-boots. All of the associated sensors are
	$\swarrow$	Select an icon and enable the available options	displayed in the standard window.
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18	$\checkmark$	No action	Adding a sensor: It is not possible to add a sensor if the
▲ AD:00002	ESC	No action	Sensor / Display unit assembly is locked.
	Ŕ	No action	First of all unlock the assembly before continuing, see section 7.5.1
	$\swarrow$	No action	

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7.5.7.2 Adding a Slave display unit.

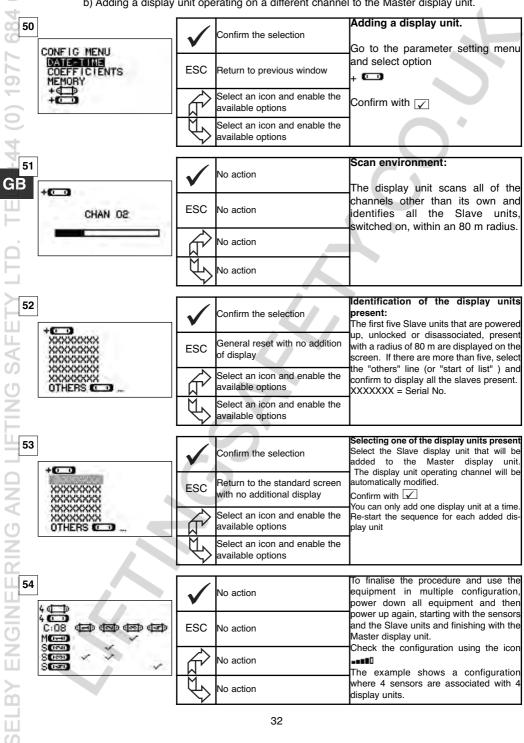
a) Adding Slave units operating on the same channel as the Master display unit.

Using the arrows, move to the icon  $\blacksquare\blacksquare\blacksquare\blacksquare$  , confirm using  $\checkmark$  and follow the procedure described hereafter:

You can simultaneously associate sensors and Slave display units operating on the same channel, all the components powered up appear in the "radio link" window

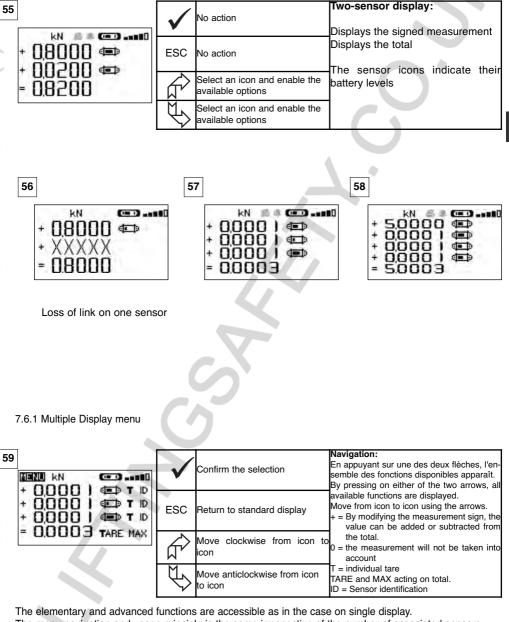
49	$\checkmark$	Confirm the selection	Associate several components: Once the general procedure has been followed, the Slave units operating on the
400 C:08 40 40 40 40 MG	ESC		same channel as the Master unit are automatically associated.
		Select an icon and enable the available options	associated. You can dissociate components: = The sensor / display couple is
		Select an icon and enable the available options	dissociated.

b) Adding a display unit operating on a different channel to the Master display unit.



# 7.6 Display in multiple configuration

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#### 8 PC CONNECTION (OPTIONAL)

#### 8.1 Description

The PC connection kit option is made up of a USB lead, a CD-ROM for installing the management software in Windows and a user manual.

The PC connection enables you to simultaneously manage up to 8 sensors.

The main PC connection functions are: The processing, saving in table or graph format and printing of measurement data.

The PC connection must be made using the Tractel software, and after having read the user manual.

#### 9 MAINTENANCE, CHECKING AND CLEANING

#### 9.1 Battery and power pack status

The icons provide a constant indicator of the state of charge in the sensor batteries and display unit power pack.

In the event of a weak charge, replace the sensor batteries with 3 new 1.5 V "AA" batteries.

Regularly charge the power pack supplied with the display unit using the dynafor™ charger. Power pack may be changed only by the manufacturer Characteristics: Leclanché LiPO 3,7 V/ 1300 mAh. Charge 1,3 A max 4,2 V.

#### 9.2 Changing sensor batteries

Using a Phillips screwdriver, remove the battery housing cover. Place the 3 1.5 V "AA" batteries ( or 3 1.2 V "AA" batteries ) checking the polarities. Replace the battery housing cover.

#### 9.3 Regulatory check

#### 9.3.1 Certificate of Adjustment

New appliances come with a certificate of adjustment. This document indicates the values obtained during adjustment and certifies that the sensor has been adjusted, in compliance with an in-house procedure, on a calibration bench with its calibration sensor connected to the International Standard calibrator.

Tractel recommends an annual metrological check for every appliance.

9.3.2 ISO 376 calibration certificate

On request, appliances can be supplied with an ISO 376 calibration certificate.

This document certifies, with figures as proof, that the appliance has been calibrated in compliance with the ISO 376 Standard, on a calibration bench with its calibration sensor connected to the International Standard calibrator.

This certificate is valid for a maximum period of 26 months.

Tractel recommends an annual metrological check for every appliance.

#### 9.4 Maintenance

The sensor / display unit assembly requires no specific maintenance other than a regular cleaning with a dry cloth.

# 10 STORAGE, TRANSPORT, DISPOSAL

Storage: Place the appliance in its original packaging, with the sensor batteries removed. Keep in a warm, dry place.

<u>Transport</u> : Transport the appliance in its original packaging.

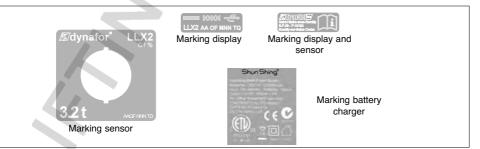
<u>Disposal</u>: Any disposal of the appliance must be carried out in compliance with the regulations in force in the country of use. For countries subject to European regulations, the dynamometers and remote controls (display units) do not come under the terms of the "DEEE" and "RoHS" directives.

#### 11 OPERATING ANOMALIES AND TROUBLESHOOTING

Display	Possible causes	Solutions
No initial reset	Tare Function enabled Permanent deformation of the sensor following a hand- ling error; excessive overload or compression.	Disable the Tare function and display the "GROS" stress value The appliance should be checked by the manufacturer before you continue using.
The sensor does not switch on	Dead batteries Electronic fault	Change batteries Contact the after-sales service
The display unit does not switch on	Dead power pack Electronic fault	Charge power pack Contact the after-sales service
Sensor LED flashes at 4 hertz. (4 per second)	No communication between the sensor and its electronic board.	Contact the after-sales service
	Sensor or sensor electronics malfunction.	Reset: Switch off the sensor and display unit and then switch on the sensor followed by the display unit. In the event of persistent malfunction, contact the after sales service
Linearity or precision problem.	Sensor or sensor electronics malfunction.	Contact the after-sales service

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Trouble	Possible causes	Solutions	
	Dead sensor batteries Sensor switched off or switched to take standby mode (see 27) Sensor too far from display unit Network conflict	sensor, switch on display unit. Bring appliances closer together	
daN 💷 💷	Sensor subject to compression or torsion	Eliminate compression stress on sensor	
	Negative imbalance of gauge bridge	Contact the after-sales service	
CHANNEL BUSY NEW CHANNEL: 10	Switch on a Master display unit on a site where several LLX2 are already operating.	Select a other channel (see § 7.5.6)	
PC LINK (USB)	A connection has been made using an USB lead between the display unit and the PC without having installed the Tractel software	Use the Tractel "PC Link" option	
Ineffective display	Malfunction of the display	Keep the ON/OFF key pressed during 10 sec. Reboot both load cell and dis- play (see 6.1)	

# **12 PRODUCT MARKING**



All of the indicators and labels placed on the product by the manufacturer must be kept clearly readable. Should they be lost or damaged, replace these indicators and labels before continuing to use the appliance. Tractel can provide new labelling on request.