Changing Cable or Connector Types with TestPro

This article describes the process of changing the cable type used in a project. The same process is used to change connector type. The main reasons you might want to modify the cable type include:

- Having the stored test results show the actual cable type tested
- Ensuring accurate length measurements. Every cable has a unique Nominal Velocity of Propagation (NVP), which impacts how accurately length is computed. If you select the actual cable being tested your NVP will be correct leading to best results on length measurements.

1. Select Project
Power ON TestPro. From the Home Screen, press the Project icon

2. From the Project screen, select Edit
3. From the Project description screen, press Edit

4. From the Profile screen, press Cable

5. From the Cables screen, press the up or down arrows to select your desired supplier from 41 options in the database

6. Once your preferred supplier is selected, press it, then Enter
7. Now a list of available cables specific to that supplier is displayed. Use the cursors to find the one you need, press it, then Enter.

8. From the Profile screen you will now see the Cable type has changed to 4813 (in this example). Press Return.

9. From the Project description screen, you will confirm that the cable brand and type are as selected. Press the rubber HOME button if you wish to return to Home screen.