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- Part 1: Symbols and units
- Part 2: Aerodynamics on open track
- Part 3: Aerodynamics in tunnels
- Part 4: Requirements and test procedures for aerodynamics on open track<sup>1)</sup>
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## 1 Scope

This European Standard describes physical phenomena of railway-specific aerodynamics and gives recommendations for the documentation of tests.

## 2 Normative references

This European Standard incorporates by dated or undated reference, provisions from other publications. These normative references are cited at the appropriate places in the text, and the publications are listed hereafter. For dated references, subsequent amendments to or revisions of any of these publications apply to this European Standard only when incorporated in it by amendment or revision. For undated references the latest edition of the publication referred to applies (including amendments).

EN 14067-1, *Railway applications — Aerodynamics — Part 1: Symbols and units*.

## 3 Aerodynamic resistance

The symbols used in the present standard are explained in EN 14067-1.

### 3.1 General

As the drag may be drastically increased in a tunnel, it is also important to deal here with this additional source of resistance.

### 3.2 Resistance to motion formula

In a tunnel, the same resistance to motion formula as in the open air can be used under otherwise identical conditions (straight and level track, constant speed), the only modification is the introduction of a tunnel factor  $T_f$  in the third term:

$$R = C_1 + C_2 v_{tr} + T_f C_3 v_{tr}^2 \quad (1)$$

$T_f$  is the ratio ( $\geq 1$ ) of the tunnel drag by the open air drag. It varies during the train passage through the tunnel.

The increase of drag in a tunnel expressed by  $T_f$  depends on many factors, the blockage ratio  $B$  of the train in the tunnel is by far the most important of them. But the type of the train and its length also have to be considered, as well as, at least for short tunnels ( $< 2000$  m), the tunnel length and the train speed.

Examples of the variation of  $T_f$  averaged over the whole passage through the tunnel, with the blockage ratio  $B$ , the train length  $L_{tr}$ , the tunnel length  $L_{tu}$ , the train speed  $v_{tr}$  and the type of train are given in Figures 1 and 2. A method to calculate the averaged tunnel factor  $T_f$  is given in prEN (wi00256128).