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This document has been prepared under a standardization request given to CEN by the European Commission and the European Free Trade Association, and supports essential requirements of EU Directive 2008/57/EC.

For relationship with EU Directive 2008/57/EC, see informative Annex ZA, which is an integral part of this document.

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Introduction

A Wheel Slide Protection (WSP) system is designed to make the best use of available adhesion and to improve adhesion by a controlled reduction and restoration of the brake force to prevent wheel sets from locking and uncontrolled sliding due to low adhesion. Thus the braking performance is optimized and the occurrence of wheelset damage is minimized.

The Wheel Rotation Monitoring (WRM) system is designed to detect locked wheels and to give immediate information in this case.

Trains fitted with WSP systems may consist of single vehicles, locomotive and trailing vehicles or may be high speed trains, multiple units, commuter trains, Light Rail Vehicles (LRV) and Tram Trains of any track gauge, etc.

Such trains will be equipped with friction brakes and may also be equipped with additional braking systems, e.g. dynamic brakes, wheel/rail adhesion independent brakes, and may also be fitted with adhesion improving systems, e.g. sanding.

This European Standard is not intended to be used to determine the stopping performance of a WSP equipped train under all environmental conditions.

1 Scope

This document specifies the criteria for system acceptance and type approval of a wheel slide protection (WSP) system. It also specifies criteria for the implementation of WSP to specific vehicle applications and specific operating conditions, as well as requirements for wheel rotation monitoring (WRM). This includes the design, testing and quality assessment of the WSP and WRM systems and their components.

This European Standard does not apply to vehicles on rubber tyred wheels or vehicles equipped with hydraulic brakes.

2 Normative references

The following documents are referred to in the text in such a way that some or all of their content constitutes requirements of this document. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

EN 14478:2017, *Railway applications - Braking - Generic vocabulary*

EN 15663, *Railway applications - Vehicle reference masses*

EN 16834:—¹, *Railway applications - Braking - Brake performance*

EN 45545 (all parts), *Railway applications - Fire protection on railway vehicles*

EN 50121-3-2, *Railway applications - Electromagnetic compatibility - Part 3-2: Rolling stock - Apparatus*

EN 50125-1, *Railway applications - Environmental conditions for equipment - Part 1: Rolling stock and on-board equipment*

EN 50126-1, *Railway Applications - The Specification and Demonstration of Reliability, Availability, Maintainability and Safety (RAMS) - Part 1: Generic RAMS Process*

EN 50128, *Railway applications - Communication, signalling and processing systems - Software for railway control and protection systems*

EN 50129, *Railway applications - Communication, signalling and processing systems - Safety related electronic systems for signalling*

EN 50155, *Railway applications - Rolling stock - Electronic equipment*

EN 60529, *Degrees of protection provided by enclosures (IP Code) (IEC 60529)*

EN 61373, *Railway applications - Rolling stock equipment - Shock and vibration tests (IEC 61373)*

EN ISO 228-2, *Pipe threads where pressure-tight joints are not made on the threads - Part 2: Verification by means of limit gauges (ISO 228-2)*

EN ISO/IEC 17025, *General requirements for the competence of testing and calibration laboratories (ISO/IEC 17025)*

¹ Under preparation. Stage at time of publication: FprEN 16834:2018.

ISO 8573-1, *Compressed air — Part 1: Contaminants and purity classes*

3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the terms and definitions given in EN 14478:2017 and the following apply.

ISO and IEC maintain terminological databases for use in standardization at the following addresses:

- IEC Electropedia: available at <http://www.electropedia.org/>
- ISO Online browsing platform: available at <http://www.iso.org/obp>

3.1

adhesion profile

predefined set of data representing the adhesion characteristics of a section of running line

3.2

relative air consumption

ratio of the total volume of air consumed during a braking stop with WSP activity against that which would be consumed during a stop with no WSP activity

3.3

supplementary reservoir

pressure reservoir used for determination of relative air consumption during WSP testing

3.4

crush laden

vehicle load condition based on the design mass under exceptional payload in accordance with EN 15663

3.5

dry rail

conditions where 100 % of the brake force of the vehicle can be applied with no axle sliding more than 2 %

3.6

dry rail stopping distance

actual measured stopping distance in dry rail conditions

3.7

low adhesion

conditions where the wheel/rail adhesion is in the range 0,08 to 0,05

3.8

very low adhesion

conditions where the wheel/rail adhesion is in the range 0,05 to 0,03

3.9

extremely low adhesion

conditions where the wheel/rail adhesion is below 0,03