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#### 1 Scope

This document defines a harmonized way to assess the braking performance by test of locomotives, passenger coaches, freight wagons and self-propelled passenger trains (EMU/DMU).

The document sets out the standardized method for undertaking brake performance tests and the correction factors to be applied to the data obtained for all types of rolling stock.

This document also defines the methods to assess the brake performance in terms of stopping distance, and from this the process to determine vehicle(s) deceleration and braked weight.

It then deals with conversion of the braked weight to the braked weight percentage of a vehicle or train for operating purposes. It also sets out additional factors when determining the braked weight percentage of a train calculated from specified braked weight, depending on the formation of the train.

In Annex D there is a method for determining brake performance of freight wagons fitted with P10 cast iron or LL-blocks using limited testing (force measurement).

#### 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 14198, Railway applications — Braking — Requirements for the brake system of trains hauled by locomotives

EN 14478, Railway applications — Braking — Generic vocabulary

EN 14531-1, Railway applications — Methods for calculation of stopping and slowing distances and immobilization braking — Part 1: General algorithms utilizing mean value calculation for train sets or single vehicles

EN 14531-2:2015, Railway applications — Methods for calculation of stopping and slowing distances and immobilization braking — Part 2: Step by step calculations for train sets or single vehicles

EN 15355, Railway applications — Braking — Distributor valves and distributor-isolating devices

EN 15595, Railway applications — Braking — Wheel slide protection

EN 15663, Railway applications — Vehicle reference masses

EN 15877-1, Railway applications — Marking on railway vehicles — Part 1: Freight wagons

EN 15877-2, Railway applications — Markings of railway vehicles — Part 2: External markings on coaches, motive power units, locomotives and on track machines

EN 16207, Railway applications — Braking — Functional and performance criteria of Magnetic Track Brake systems for use in railway rolling stock

EN 16452, Railway applications — Braking — Brake blocks

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