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ANNEX VIII

SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS

CHAPTER VI

Automatic Rail Weighbridges

1. Accuracy classes

Instruments are divided into four accuracy classes as follows:

0,2; 0,5; 1; 2.

2. **MPE**

2.1. The MPEs for weighing-in-motion of a single wagon or a total train are shown in Table 9.

Table 9		
Accuracy class	MPE	
0,2	± 0,1 %	
0,5	± 0,25 %	
1	± 0,5 %	
2	± 1,0 %	

- 2.2. The MPEs for the weight of coupled or uncoupled wagons weighing-in-motion shall be one of the following values, whichever is the greatest:
- the value calculated according to Table 9, rounded to the nearest scale interval;
- the value calculated according to Table 9, rounded to the nearest scale interval for a weight equal to 35 % of the maximum wagon weight (as inscribed on the descriptive markings);
- one scale interval (d).
- 2.3. The MPEs for the weight of train weighing-in-motion shall be one of the following values, whichever is the greatest:
- the value calculated according to Table 9, rounded to the nearest scale interval;
- -- the value calculated according to Table 9, for the weight of a single wagon equal to 35 % of the maximum wagon weight (as inscribed on the descriptive markings) multiplied by the number of reference wagons (not exceeding 10) in the train, and rounded to the nearest scale interval;
- one scale interval (d) for each wagon in the train, but not exceeding 10 d.
- 2.4. When weighing coupled wagons; the errors of not more than 10 % of the weighing results taken from one or more passes of the train may exceed the appropriate MPE given in point 2.2, but shall not exceed twice the MPE.
- 3. Scale interval (d)

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TABLE 10

Accuracy class	Scale interval (d)	
0,2	$d \le 50 \text{ kg}$	
0,5	$d \le 100 \text{ kg}$	
1	$d \le 200 \text{ kg}$	
2	$d \le 500 \text{ kg}$	

4. **Measurement range**

- 4.1. The minimum capacity shall not be less than 1 t, and not greater than the value of the result of the minimum wagon weight divided by the number of partial weighings.
- 4.2. The minimum wagon weight shall not be less than 50 d.

5. **Performance under influence factor and electromagnetic disturbance**

5.1. The MPE due to an influence factor shall be as specified in Table 11.

Table 11		
Load (m) in verification scale intervals (d)	MPE	
$0 \le m \le 500$	± 0,5 d	
$500 < m \le 2\ 000$	± 1,0 d	
$2\ 000 < m \le 10\ 000$	± 1,5 d	

5.2. The critical change value due to a disturbance is one scale interval.

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