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# INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION OF IF-3 RAILWAY PROJECTS. BALLASTED TRACK. CALCULATING THE THICKNESS OF LAYERS IN THE CROSS SECTION.

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No abre el plazo - Nezahajuje odklady - Fristerne indledes ikke - Kein Fristbeginn - Viivituste perioodi ei avata - Καμμία έναρξη προθεσμίας - Does not open the delays - N'ouvre pas de délais - Non fa decorrere la mora - Neietekmē atlikšanu - Atidėjimai nepradedami - Nem nyitja meg a késéseket - Ma' jiftaħx il-perijodi ta' dawmien - Geen termijnbegin - Nie otwiera opóźnień - Nao inicia o prazo - Neotvorí oneskorenia - Ne uvaja zamud - Мääräaika ei ala tästä - Inleder ingen frist - Не се предвижда период на прекъсване - Nu deschide perioadele de stagnare - Nu deschide perioadele de stagnare.

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#### 1. Structured Information Line

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## 2. Member State

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#### 3. Department Responsible

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#### 5. Title

INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION OF IF-3 RAILWAY PROJECTS. BALLASTED TRACK. CALCULATING THE THICKNESS OF LAYERS IN THE CROSS SECTION.

#### 6. Products Concerned

Railway lines on the public railway network using standard European and Iberian gauges.

#### 7. Notification Under Another Act

- DIRECTIVE 2004/49/EC OF 24 APRIL 2004 ON SAFETY ON THE COMMUNITY'S RAILWAYS.

DIRECTIVE 2008/57/EC OF 17 JUNE 2008 ON THE INTEROPERABILITY OF THE RAIL SYSTEM WITHIN THE COMMUNITY

#### 8. Main Content

The aim of these instructions is to define the properties and thicknesses of the various layers making up the track's cross section (ballast, sub-ballast, prepared subgrade, etc.) for the design, construction and maintenance of all new railway projects on ballasted track on the standard European (1 435 mm) or Iberian (1 668 mm) gauge, and for speeds of up to 360 km/h on the public railway network. Overall, these instructions are consistent with the standard UIC 719R.

## 9. Brief Statement of Grounds

There is a need to update knowledge relating to the properties and thicknesses of railway subgrades, and to contribute to standardising the design of such structures.

## 10. Reference Documents - Basic Texts

No basic texts available

## 11. Invocation of the Emergency Procedure

No

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12. Grounds for the Emergency
13. Confidentiality No
14. Fiscal measures No
15. Impact assessment
16. TBT and SPS aspects TBT aspect
NO - the draft has no significant impact on international trade.
SPS aspect
No - the draft is not a sanitary or phytosanitary measure
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