

# CBTC Report for vendor Bombardier, Thales and Ansaldo STS

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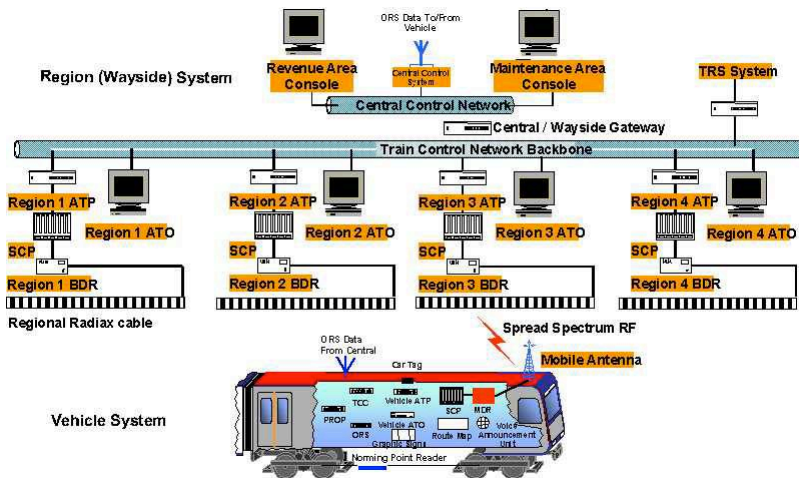
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- Manual override requests (when the central operator substitutes the automatic system ATP or ATO)
- Management initiation and termination of service
- Management of train schedules including dwell and headway control
- Management of route assignments for normal operations and failure modes
- Train management (including skip station or station close)
- Remote set or reset of emergency brakes
- Voice communication with the train and supervision
- Control of any power distribution system (SCADA)



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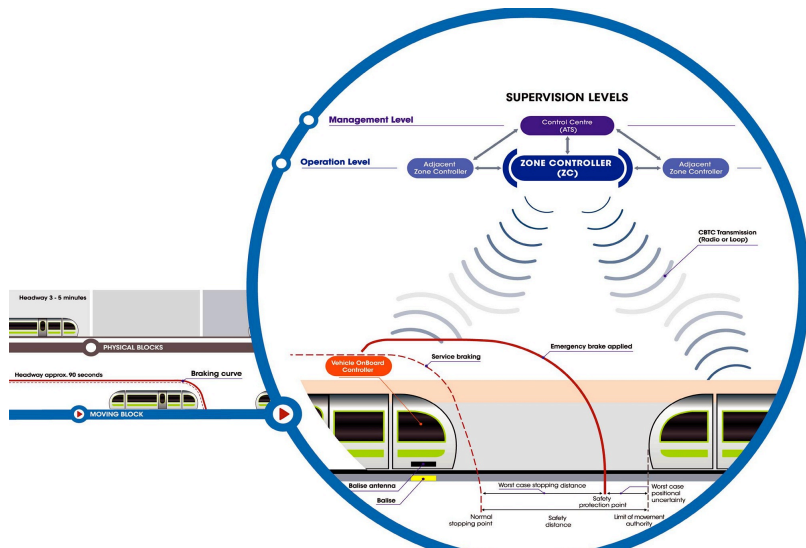
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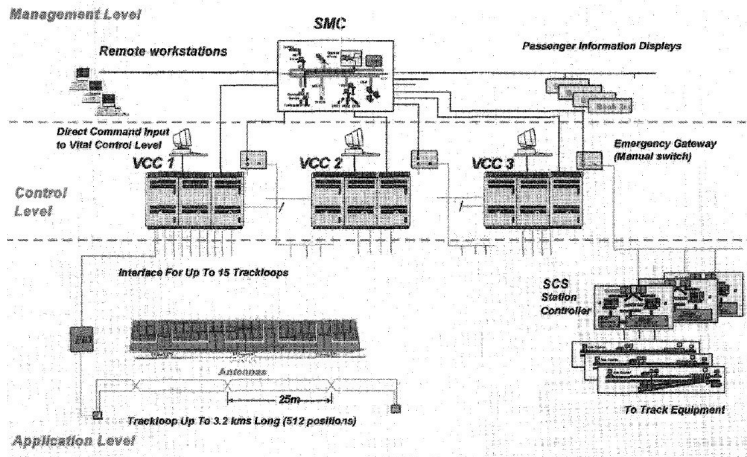
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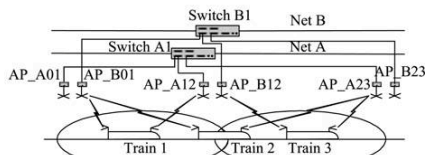
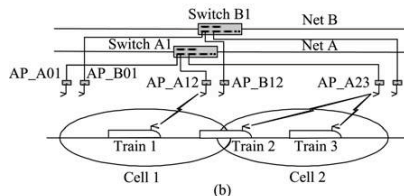
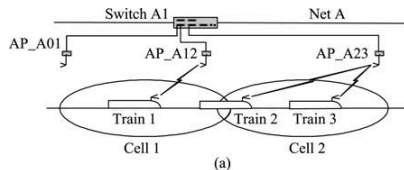


# Thales System architecture Loop Inductive Version



SMC is Supervisory Control Level, VCC is Vehicle Control Computer, SCS is Station Controller Systems

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- RF
  - system are fully redundant.
  - Train-wayside protocol : IEEE 802.11
  - On Board Communication sub-system has two antennas, one on the front, and one on the rear of the train. Each onboard network device connected to the antenna is a modular component, with two IEEE 802.3 interfaces, as well as one CAN bus interface.

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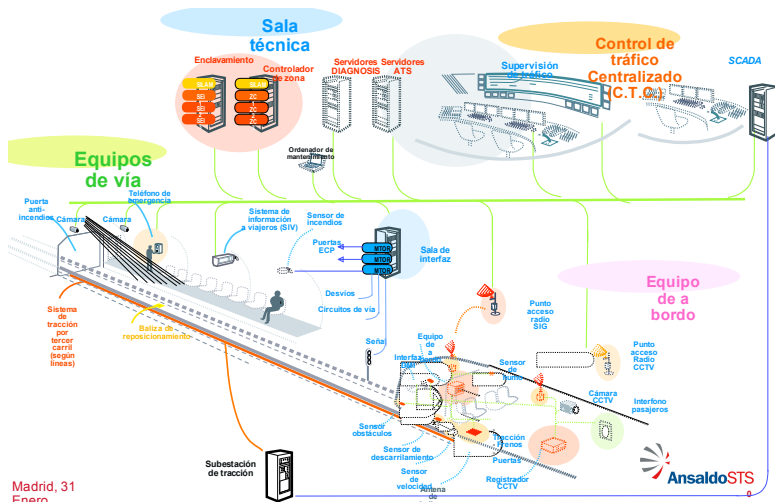
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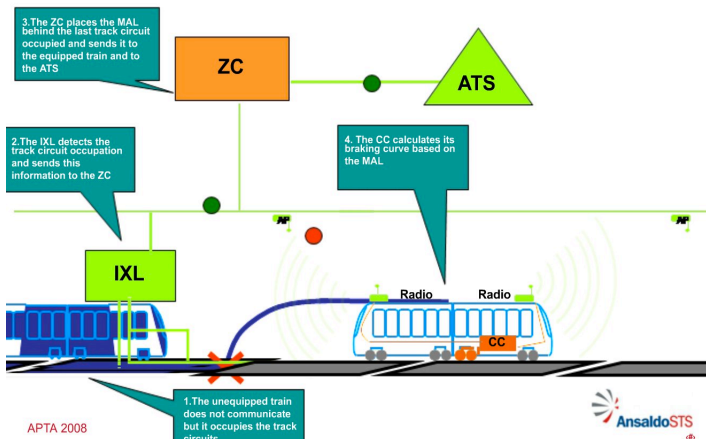
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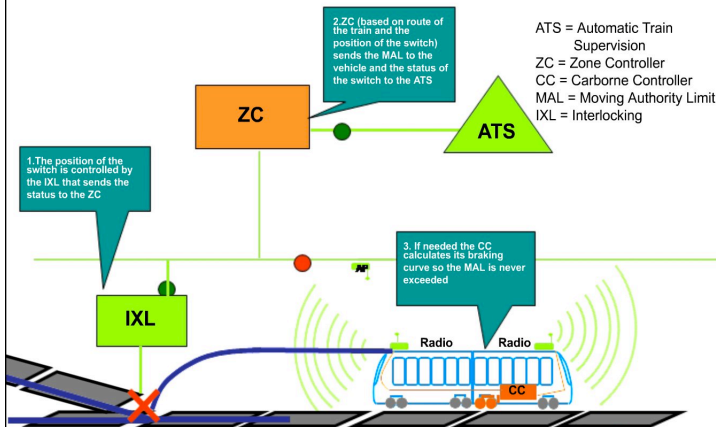
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