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- *Part 1: Requirements and definitions;*
- *Part 2: Test methods.*

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## 1 Scope

This European Standard describes the functionality, constraints, performance and operation of a brake system for use in self propelling thermal and electric trains operating on routes of the European conventional rail system network.

This European Standard covers:

- all new vehicle designs of self-propelling thermal and electric trains being operated at a maximum speed up to 200 km/h, in the following text simply called EMU/DMU;
- all major overhauls of the above-mentioned vehicles if they involve redesigning or extensive alteration to the brake system of the vehicle concerned.

This standard does not cover:

- locomotive hauled trains which are specified by EN 14198;
- mass transit rolling stock which is specified by EN 13452-1;
- high speed trains being operated at speeds greater than 200 km/h which are specified by EN 15734-1.

## 2 Normative references

The following documents, in whole or in part, are normatively referenced in this document and are indispensable for its application. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

EN 837-1:1996, *Pressure gauges — Part 1: Bourdon tube pressure gauges — Dimensions, metrology, requirements and testing*

EN 854, *Rubber hoses and hose assemblies — Textile reinforced hydraulic type — Specification*

EN 10220, *Seamless and welded steel tubes — Dimensions and masses per unit length*

EN 10305-4, *Steel tubes for precision applications — Technical delivery conditions — Part 4: Seamless cold drawn tubes for hydraulic and pneumatic power systems*

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EN 13749, *Railway applications — Wheelsets and bogies — Method of specifying the structural requirements of bogie frames*

EN 14198, *Railway applications — Braking — Requirements for the brake system of trains hauled by a locomotive*

EN 14478:2005, *Railway applications — Braking — Generic vocabulary*

EN 14535-1, *Railway applications — Brake discs for railway rolling stock — Part 1: Brake discs pressed or shrunk onto the axle or drive shaft, dimensions and quality requirements*

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