

Title (en)
Train sensor for warning persons in the track area

Title (de)
Zugsensor zur Warnung von Personen im Gleisbereich

Title (fr)
Capteur de train pour alerter des personnes dans la zone de voie ferrée

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Abstract (en)
[origin: EP0875437A2] The train sensor uses pressure chambers (21,41) and associated pressure sensors (23,43), for detecting variations in the pressure between the rail track and the track bed (2) upon passage of the train wheels, for supplying a train warning signal to a warning station (15), positioned along the track ahead of the train, via a communication channel (11). The detected pressure variations are evaluated by comparison with a threshold value, with a fault signal supplied to the communication channel when the pressure signal falls below a given level.

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