

Diseño integral de soluciones para reducir vibraciones y mejorar la calidad y vida útil del transporte ferroviario

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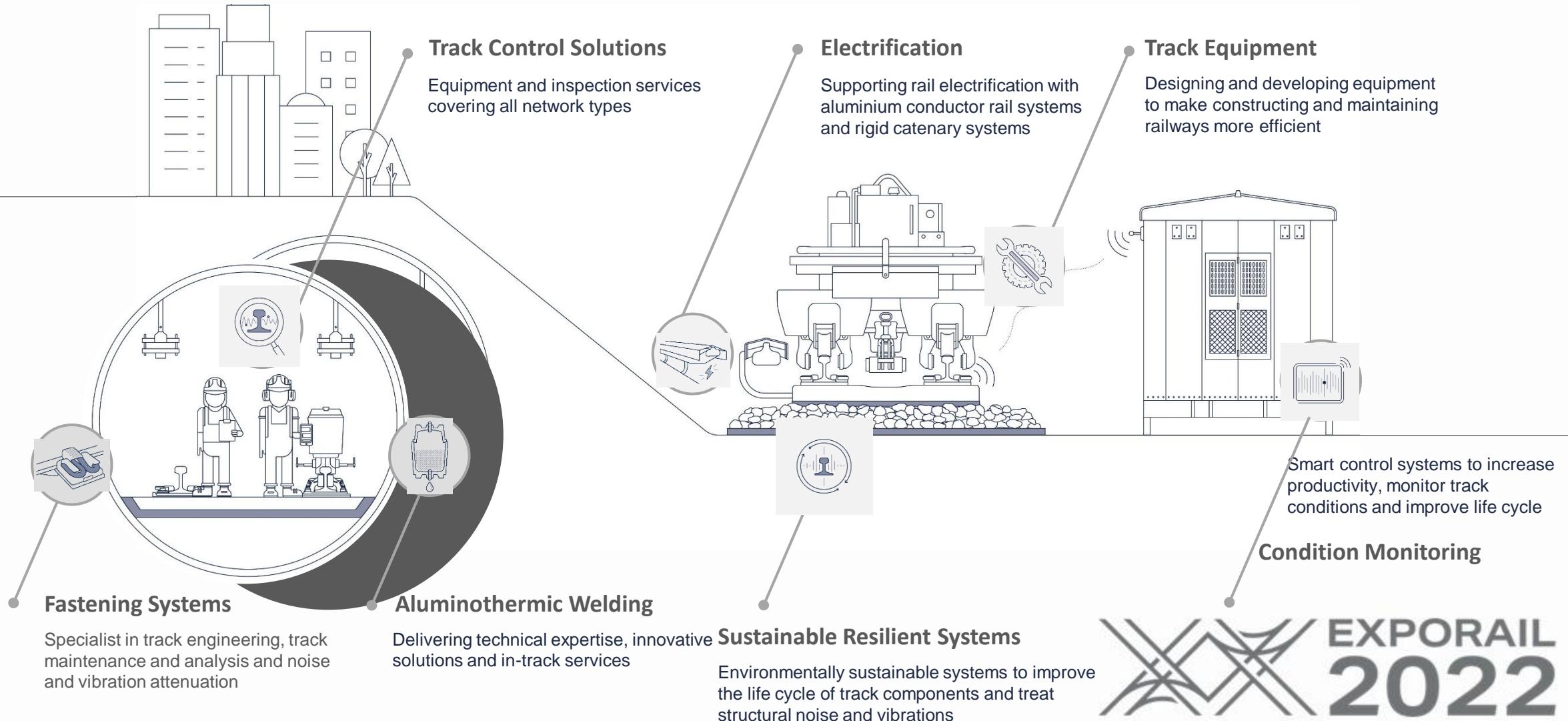
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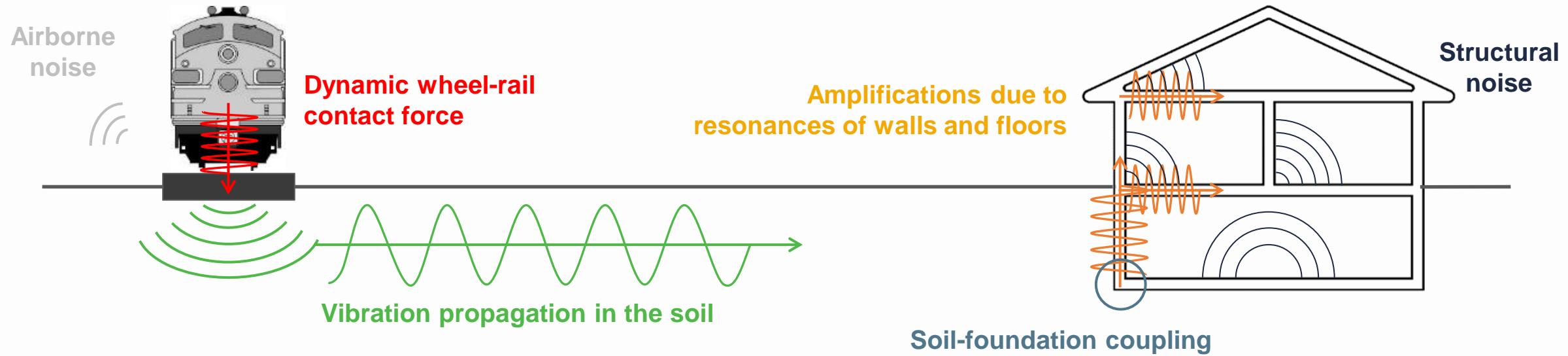
Exporail 2022 – Panel Ruido y vibraciones en la infrestructura ferroviaria

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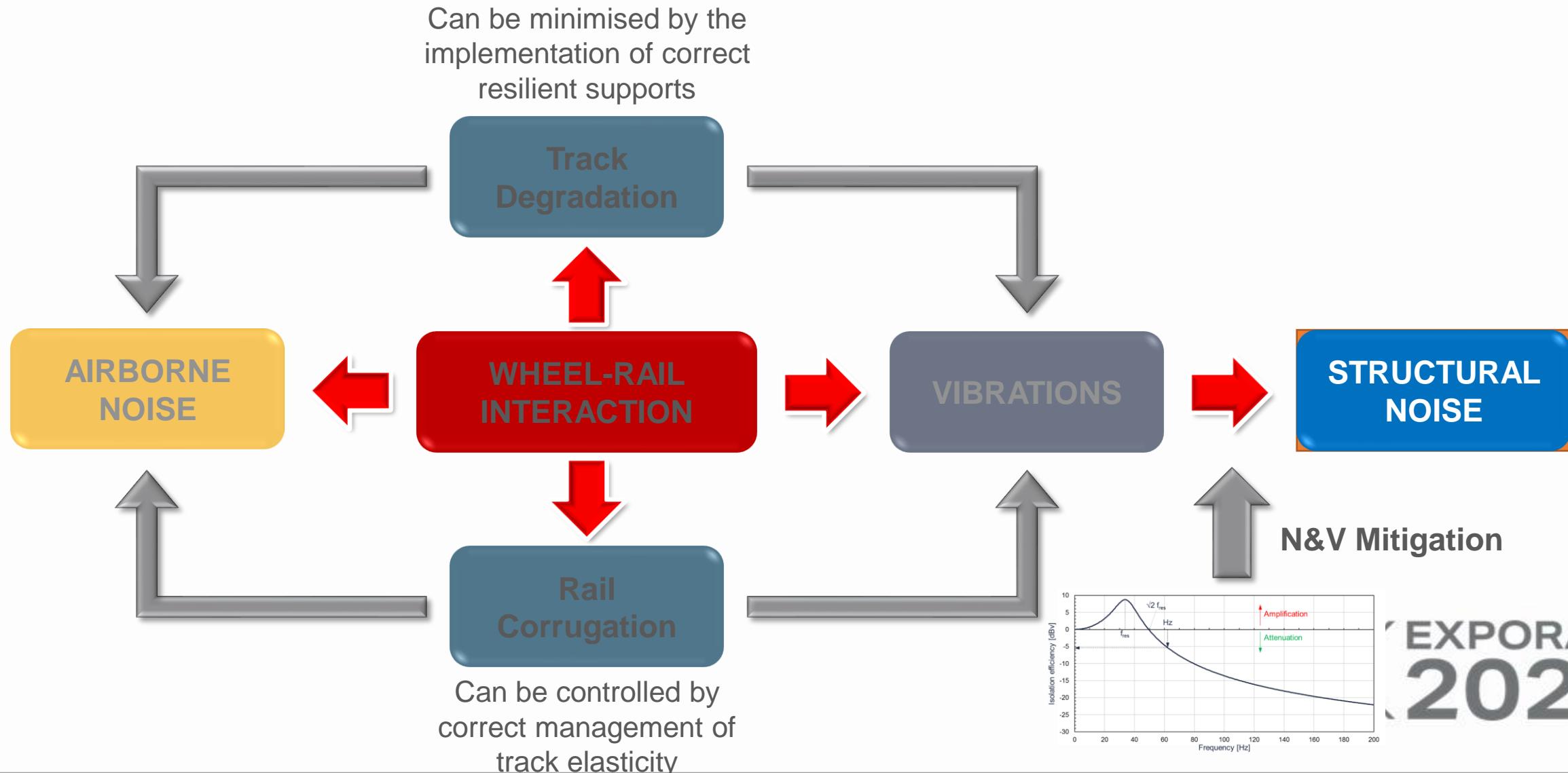
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Definiendo el origeng problema: Ruido estructural y vibraciones

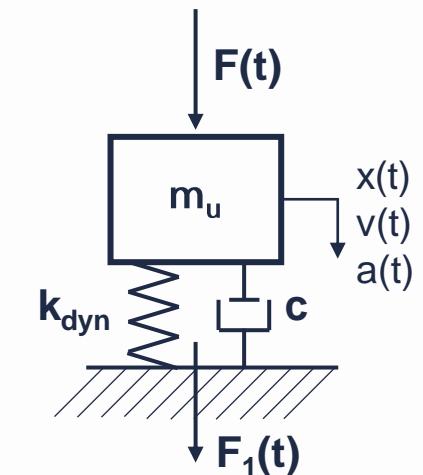
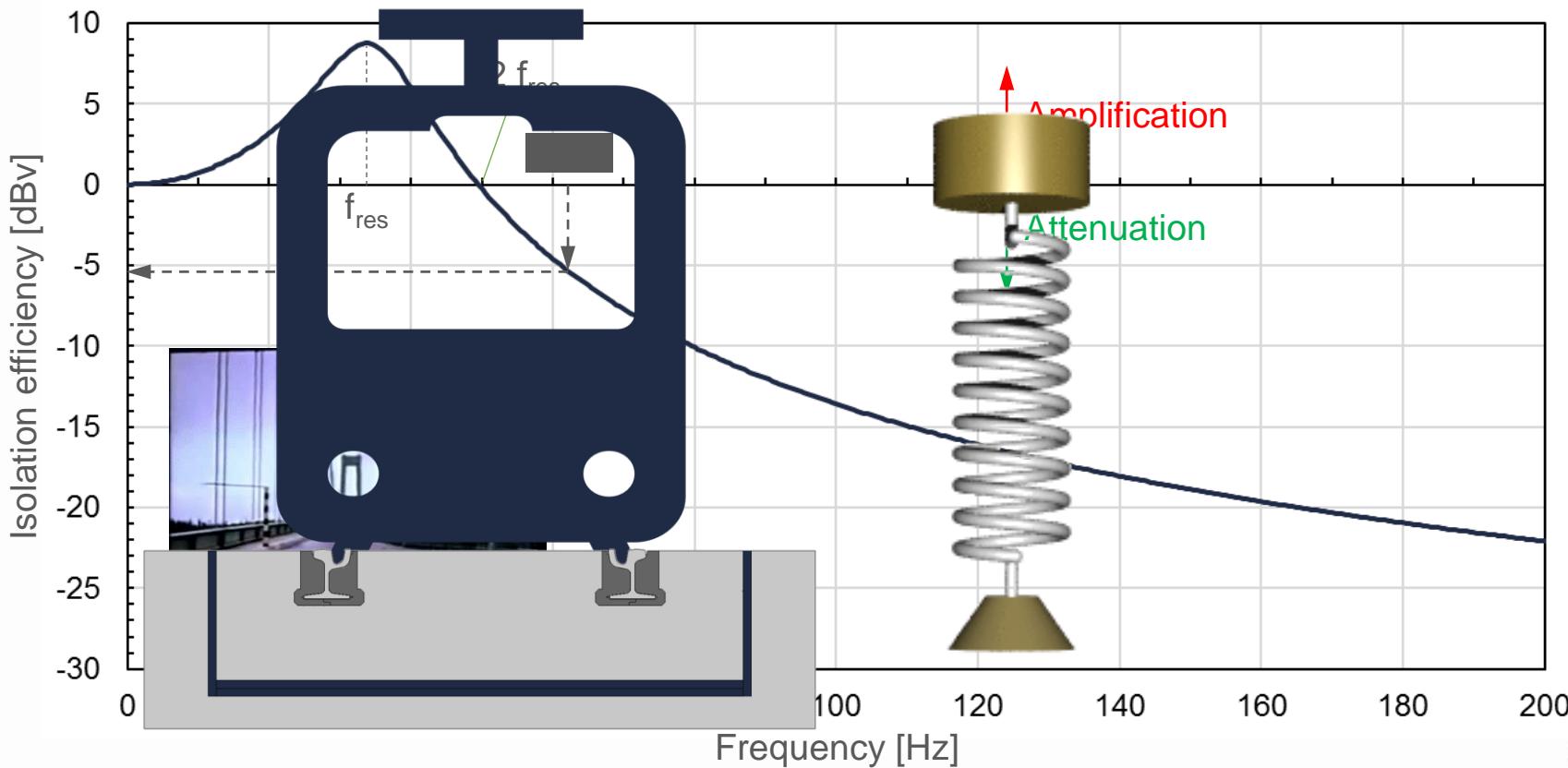


Problemas en la vía derivados de un incorrecto diseño de la interacción de componentes ferroviarios



N&V – Track isolation principles

- The track can be simplified as a 1 DOF system consisting in a mass on an elastic medium with specific spring and damping characteristics



$$f_{res} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \sqrt{\frac{k_{dyn}}{m_{unsprung}}}$$

Track Elastic Model (TEM) software



Inputs

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Track Elastic Model

General Project information

Project Number	300000	Country	Country	Project Name	Project Name	Customer	Customer
Author	—	Date	01/01/2018	Calculation Case	Calculation Case	Program Version	3.1.1

Basic Inputs

Rolling stock parameters

Type of rolling stock	Tramway	Axle load	120 kN/axle	Unsprung mass coef.	10 %	Bogie-bogie dist.	11,00 m
		Speed	60 km/h	Unsprung mass	1.223 kg/axle	Axle-axle dist.	1,60 m

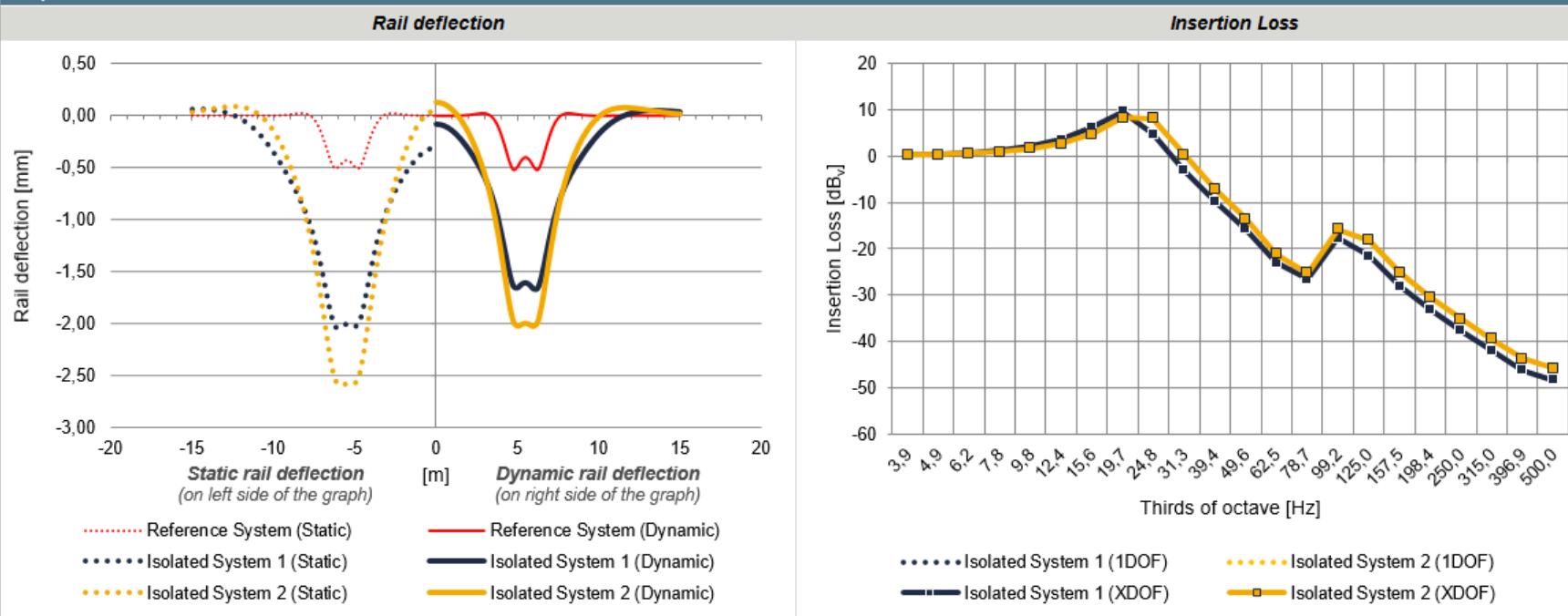
Track parameters

Given name	Reference System			Isolated System 1			Isolated System 2											
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Track type	Continuously Supported Embedded Rail		Continuously Supported Embedded Rail		Continuously Supported Embedded Rail													
Rail type	54G2 (Ri54G2)		54G2 (Ri54G2)		54G2 (Ri54G2)													
Spacing fastenings																		
Level 1	ERS EN 13146-9	kstat	kdyn,df	kdyn,vbr	ERS EN 13146-9	kstat	kdyn,df	kdyn,vbr	ERS EN 13146-9	kstat	kdyn,df	kdyn,vbr						
		[kN/mm/lm]				[kN/mm/lm]				[kN/mm/lm]								
	QT-SP-S		C	90,0	120,0	150,0	QT-SP-R		C	80,0	110,0	130,0	QT-SP-R		C	80,0	110,0	130,0
Level 2																		
Level 3																		
	FSM/FSP horizont.			FSM/FSP horizont.			FSM/FSP horizont.			FSM/FSP horizont.								
	DIN 45673-7			Cstat Cdyn,df Cdyn,vbr			DIN 45673-7			Cstat Cdyn,df Cdyn,vbr								
	[MN/m³]						[MN/m³]											
	Nothing		C	FSM-L13		C	9	15	21	FSM-L13		C	8	14	21			

Track Elastic Model (TEM) software



Outputs



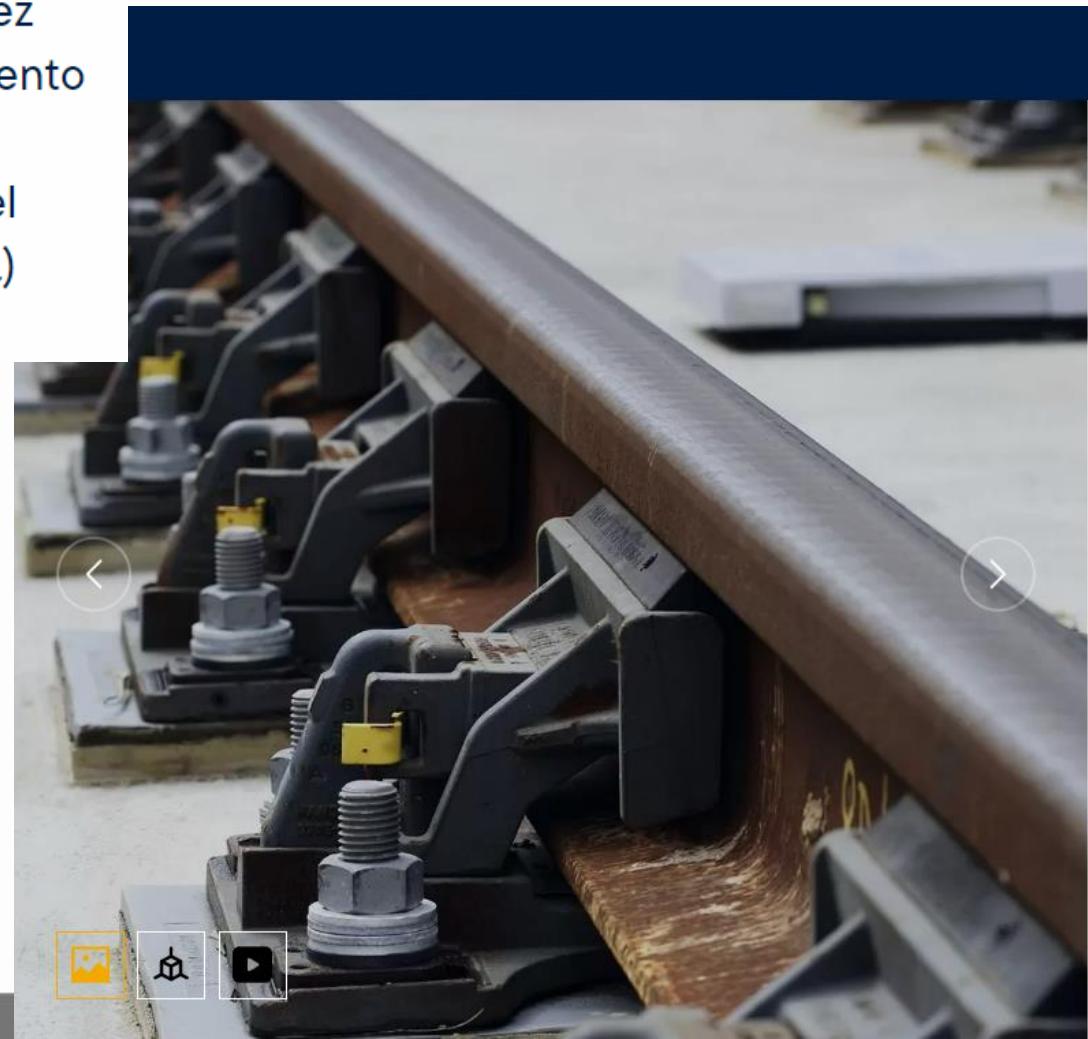
Eisenmann parameters for dynamic deflection calculations					
Standard deviation, t	3,0		2,0		2,0
Track condition, φ	10 %		10 %		10 %
Dyn. Amplification Factor	1,30		1,20		1,20
Equivalent track stiffness (seen by one single axle)					
Static	235,15 kN/mm		58,61 kN/mm		46,27 kN/mm
Total deflection at rail head					
Static	0,51 mm		2,05 mm		2,59 mm
Dynamic	0,52 mm		1,66 mm		2,03 mm
Results vibration					
First resonance frequency			20,3 Hz		22,7 Hz
Insertion loss at	80 Hz		-28,2 dB _V		-26,7 dB _V
Insertion loss between	30 and 150 Hz		-19,9 dB _V		-17,5 dB _V

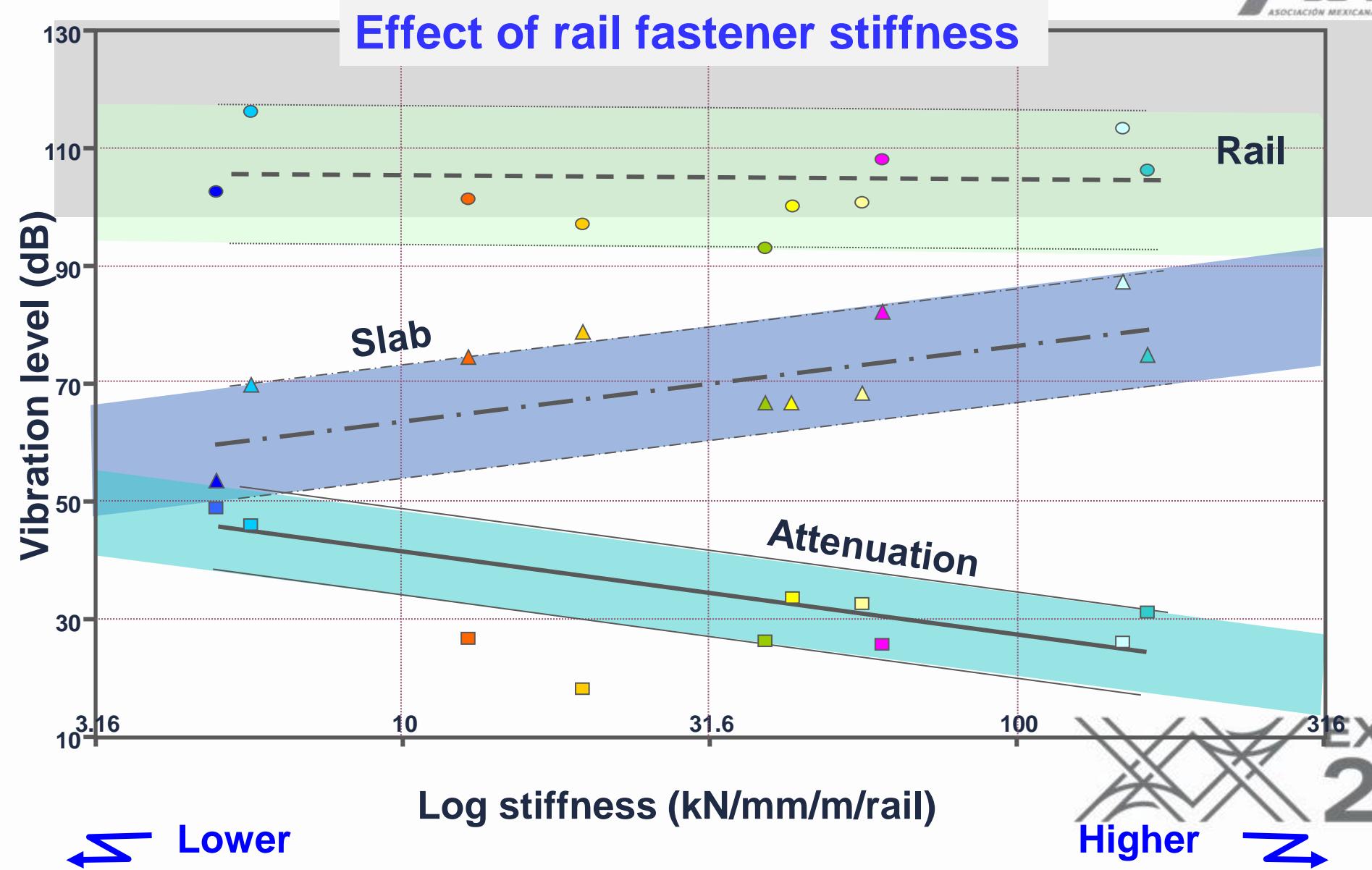


Pandrol: Fijación Vanguard

Vanguard constituye el sistema de fijación ideal cuando es preciso reducir la transmisión de vibraciones y ruido de la vía a los edificios próximos. Este sistema logra este objetivo al proporcionar una rigidez vertical excepcionalmente baja y, por tanto, un alto nivel de aislamiento de las vibraciones entre el carril y la placa de vía o la traviesa (durmiente). Al mismo tiempo, no pone en compromiso el control del movimiento lateral de la cabeza del carril y del ancho de vía (trocha) dinámico.

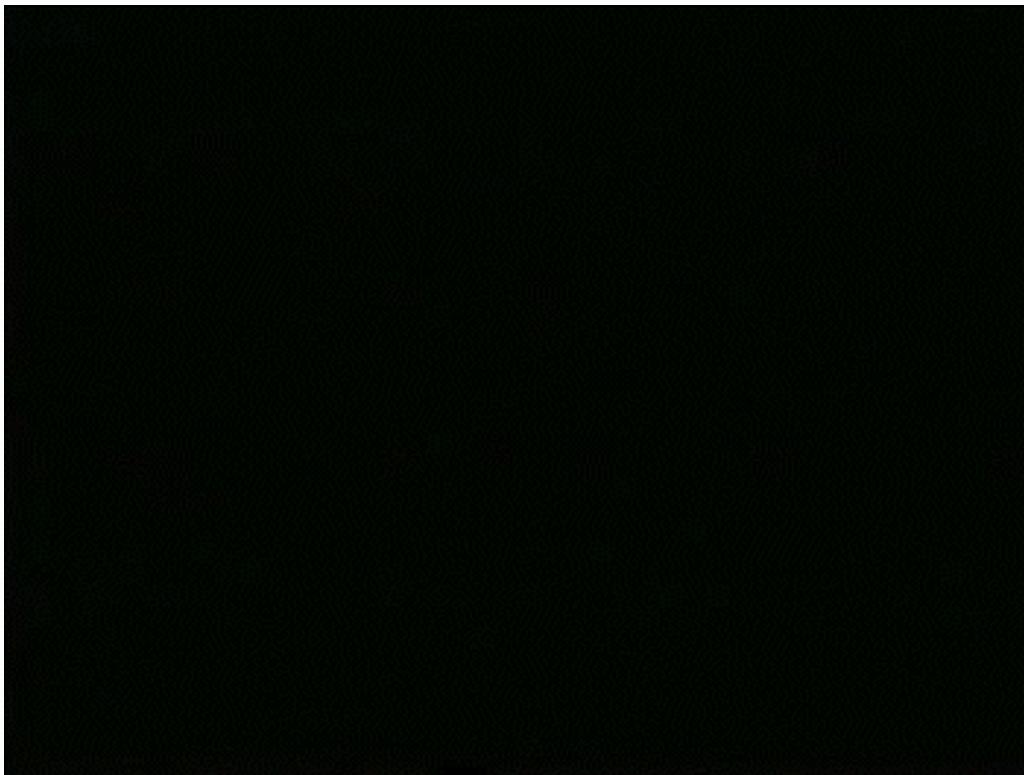
- El sistema Vanguard se puede suministrar en una diversidad de configuraciones, incluidos diferentes niveles de rigidez, tipos de anclajes y posiciones de anclaje
- Se pueden realizar ajustes laterales y verticales de la posición del carril. Las configuraciones estándar con pernos de anclaje habitualmente permiten +/-20mm de ajuste lateral por carril y un rango de ajuste vertical de 30 mm
- En comparación con muchos otros sistemas de fijación de baja rigidez, el sistema Vanguard queda montado en una posición baja en el carril respecto al plano superior de la placa de la vía o de la traviesa (durmiente).
- Frecuencia natural de aproximadamente 20-25 Hz



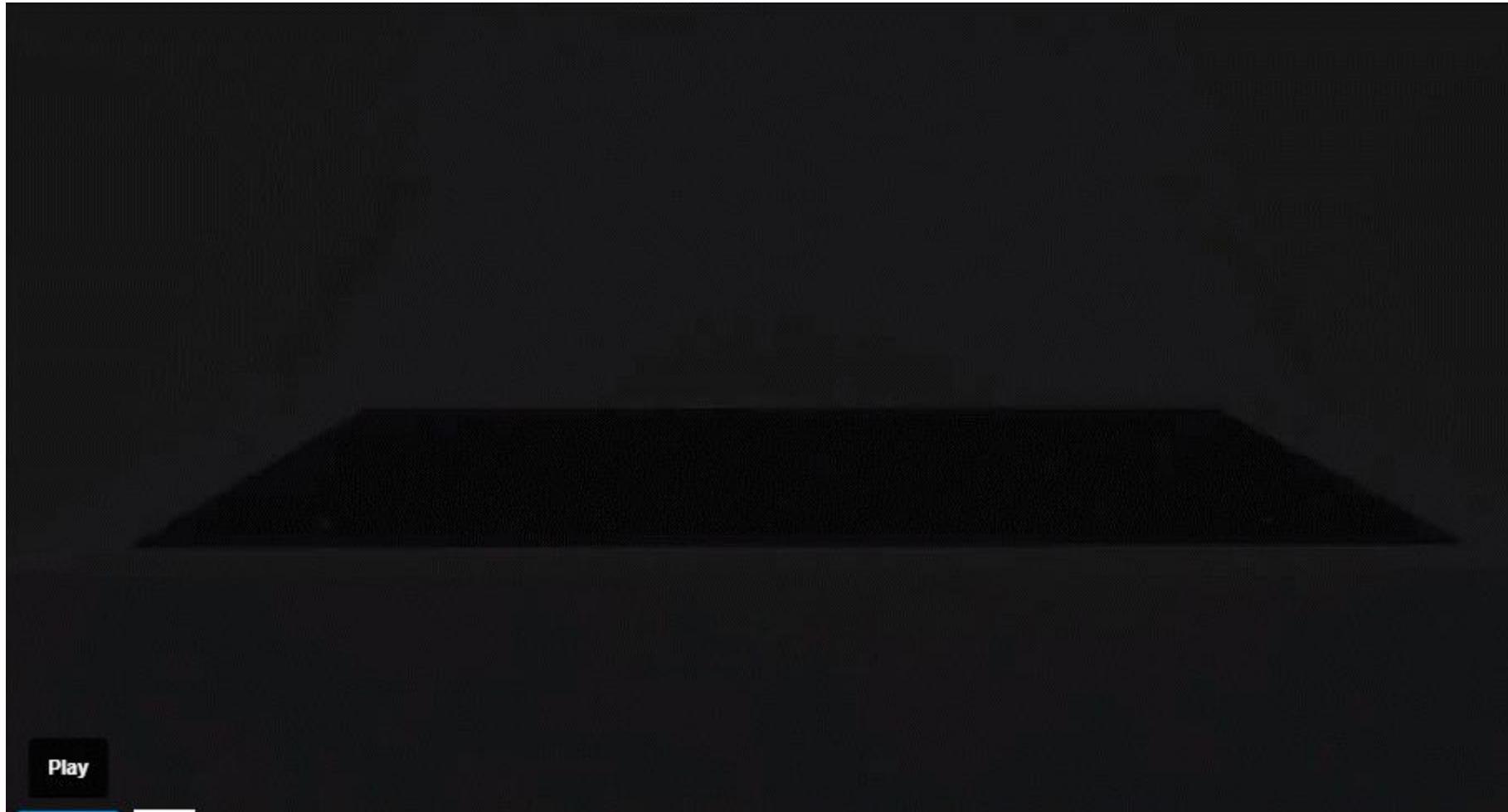




Pandrol Vanguard



Pandrol Vanguard Installation

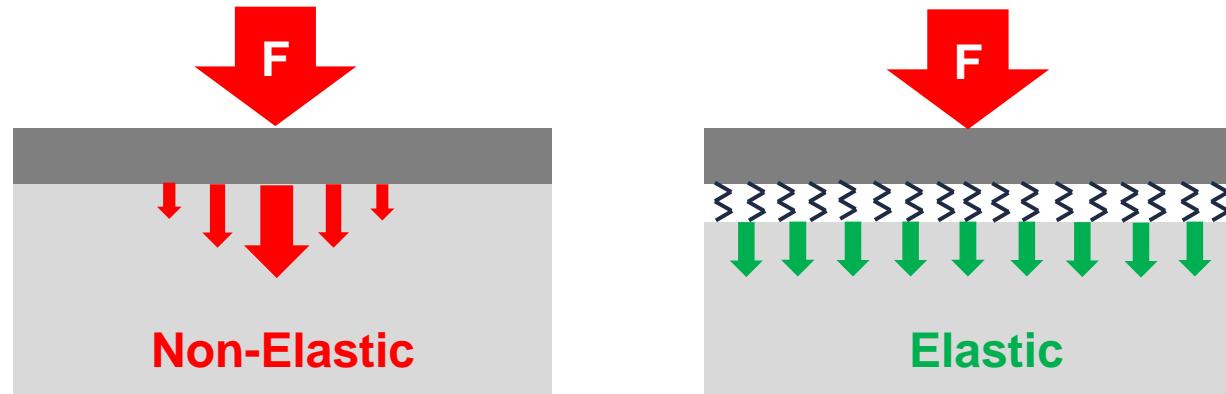


Benefits of an Elastic Track



The addition of resilience into the track helps to better distribute the huge dynamic forces associated with modern railway.

If we use the Beam on Elastic Foundation model, we see that the addition of elasticity greatly improves force distribution:



This principle when applied to the track results in similar effects

Solutions

Pandrol can provide the optimized solution for each case

SLAB TRACK

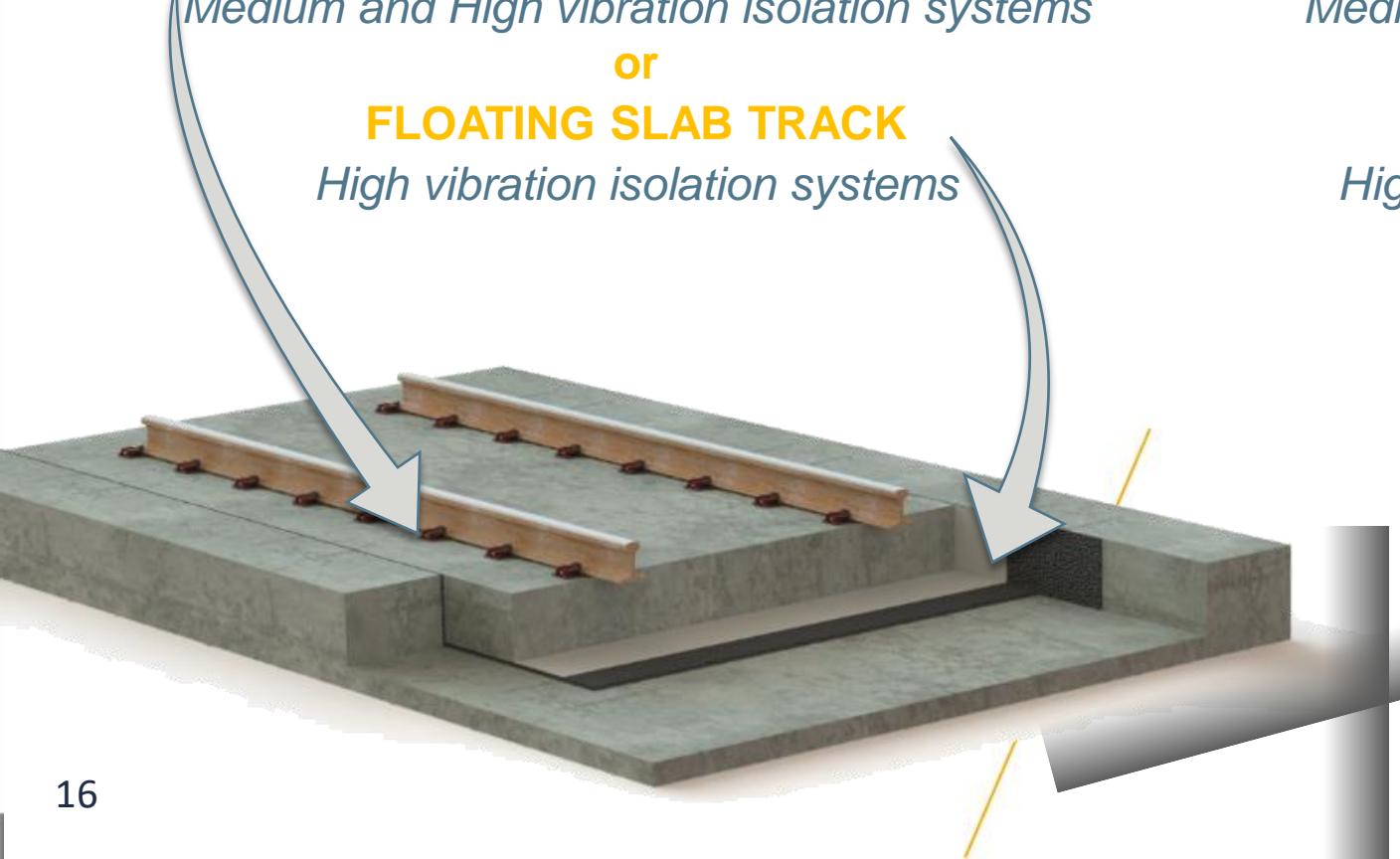
INDIRECT RAIL FASTENING ASSEMBLIES

Medium and High vibration isolation systems

or

FLOATING SLAB TRACK

High vibration isolation systems



BALLASTED TRACK

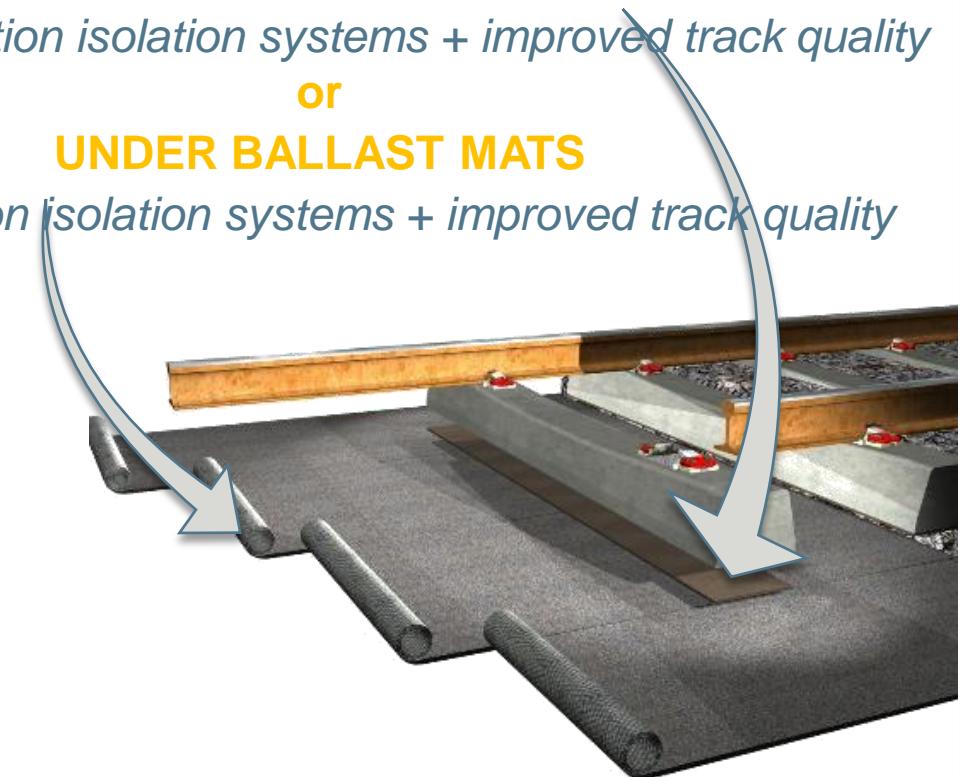
UNDER SLEEPER PADS

Medium vibration isolation systems + improved track quality

or

UNDER BALLAST MATS

High vibration isolation systems + improved track quality



PANDROL UBM: Definición

- Las Mantas Bajo Balasto (Under Ballast Mats) son capas resilientes de material instaladas debajo de la vía de balasto. Las soluciones de PANDROL UBM se pueden utilizar para combinar la atenuación de las vibraciones y la protección de la subestructura.

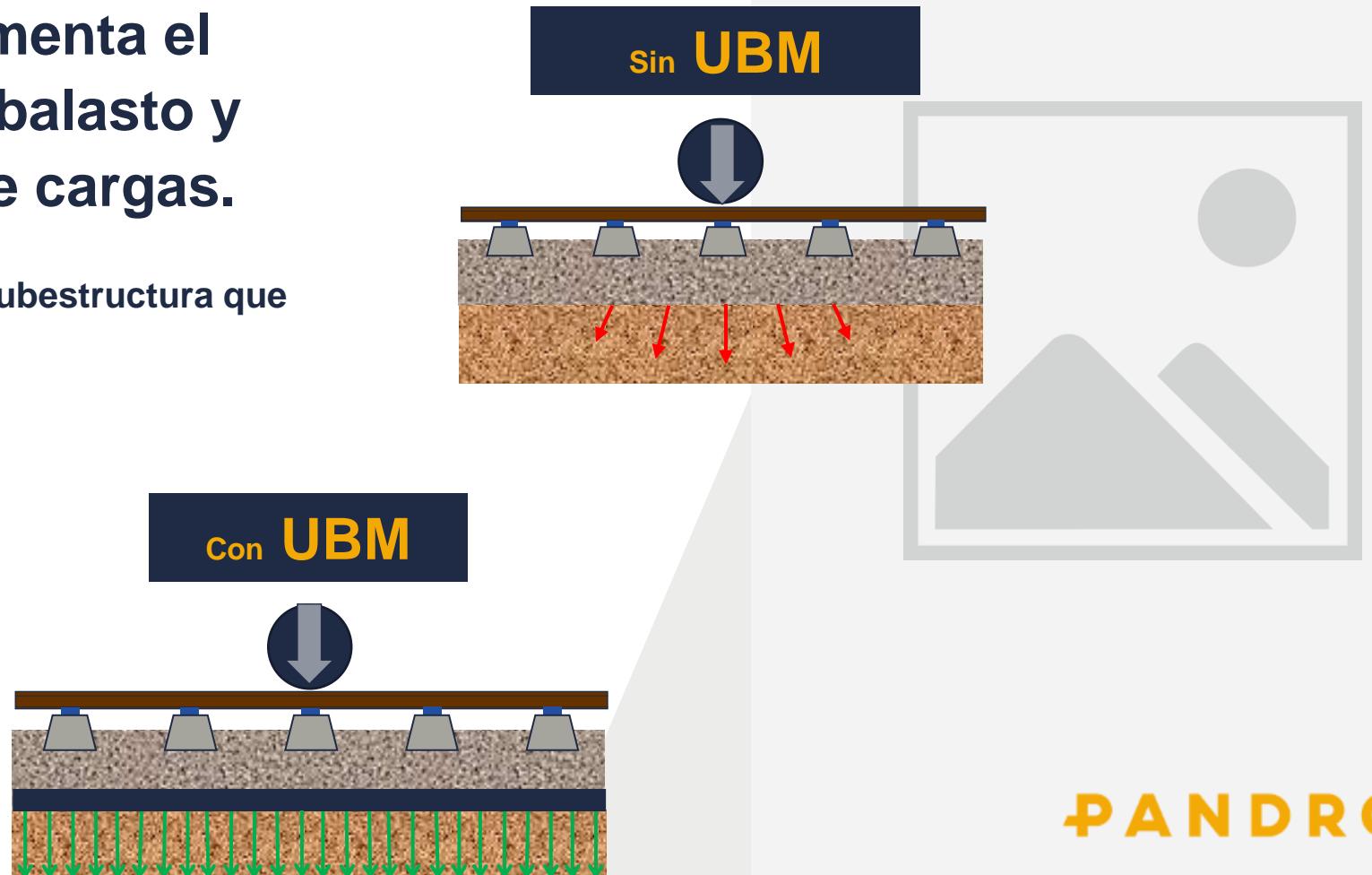
Homologación de categorías:

- Ferrocarril ligero y pesado
- Mercancías
- Metro
- Interurbano
- Alta velocidad
- Tranviario



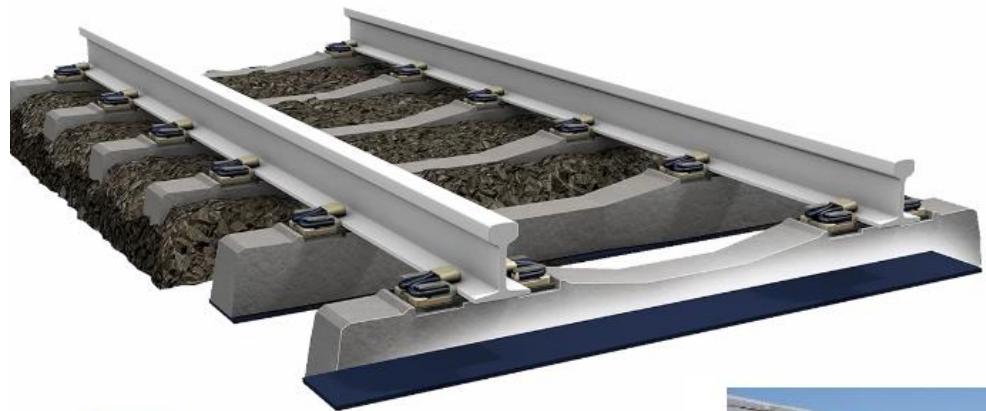
PANDROL UBM: Calidad y protección de la vía

- La presencia de **UBM** aumenta el área de contacto con el balasto y mejora la distribución de cargas.
- Lleva menos estrés en el balasto y la subestructura que extende la vida de ambos.



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Sistemas de reducción de ruido y vibraciones en el siglo 21: Suelas bajo Traviesa // Pandrol USP



Las Suelas bajo traviesas (SBT) son sistemas elásticos confeccionados a medida y concebidos para reducir las necesidades de mantenimiento de la vía, aumentar la calidad de la vía y brindar una atenuación de vibraciones mediante la fijación de elementos elásticos a la superficie inferior de las traviesas.

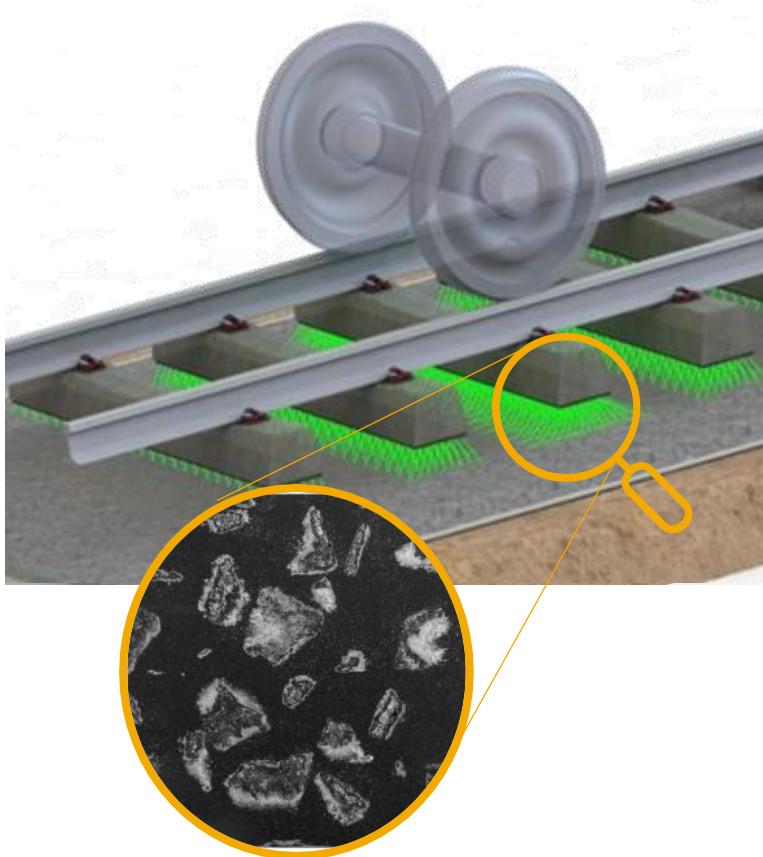
Las suelas se han concebido para su sujeción durante la producción de las traviesas mediante tecnología de Sujeciones Micro-Filamentosas (MFF®) para suelas SBT de Pandrol.



Sistemas de reducción de ruido y vibraciones en el siglo 21: Suelas bajo Traviesa



“Do you know many track components that, for a small fraction of the value, can decrease maintenance and increase lifetime this much?”



With USP

Contact between the Sleeper underside and ballast rises by up to 30%.

Load is now spread across 5 sleepers.

30%-40% load now in the central sleeper

Improvement of track quality

Lifetime track 5+ years

Reduction of maintenance efforts

Reduction maintenance by factor 2+

Transition zones construction

Compensation of sand ingress

Possibility to reduce ballast layer thickness

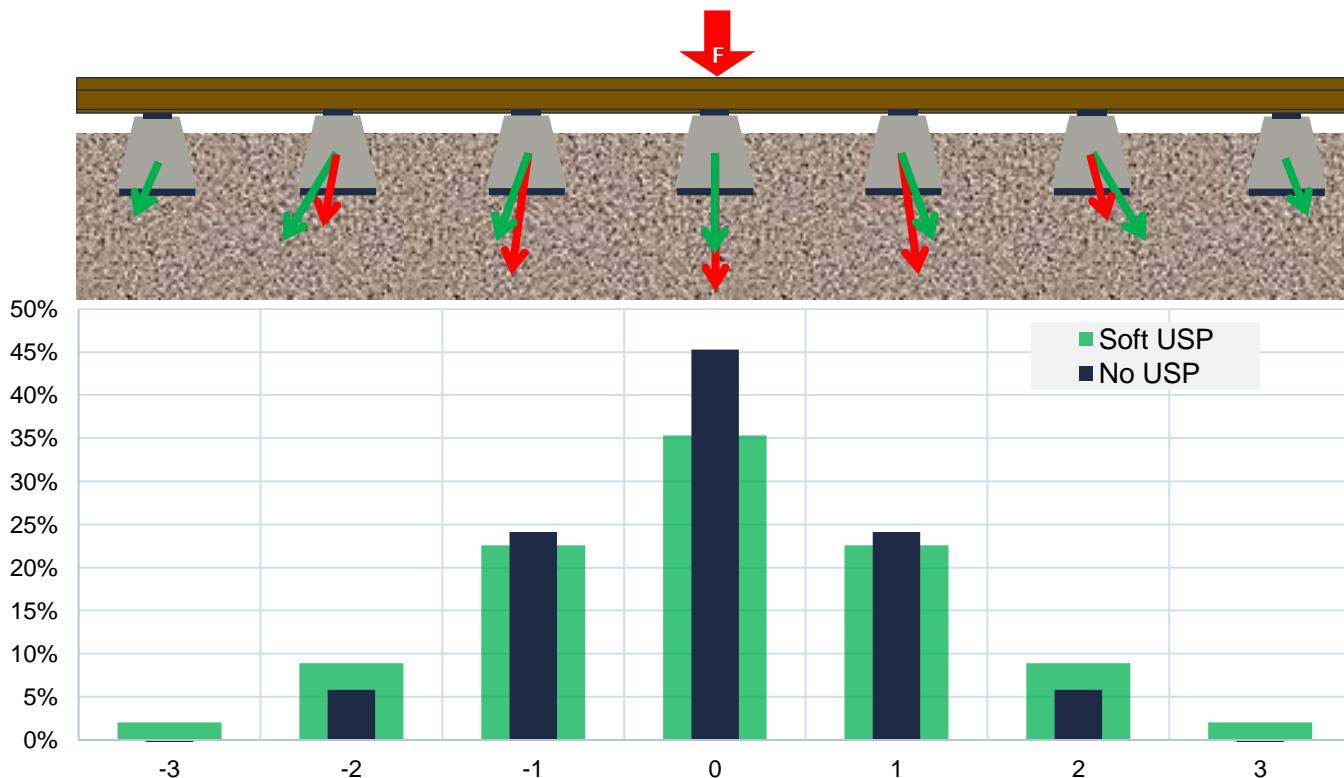
Up to 10 cm ballast reduction

Reduction of ground-borne vibrations

Improved Force Distribution

Due to a reduction of overall stiffness, the effective elastic length of the track increases, therefore, force distribution is greatly improved:

Longitudinally



For a 225kN Axle load:

Peak Rail Seat force:

Without USP ≈ 50.6kN

With Soft USP ≈ 39.4kN

Under Sleeper Pads – Field of Application

Case Study

BE-Infrabel – since 2004

Brussel's North-South Junction challenges

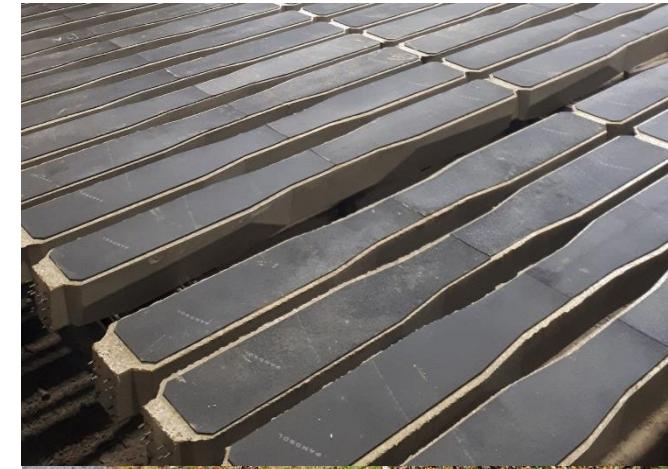
- Capacity / Availability
- Corrugation / Switches / Vibration
- ✓ Solution : Intermediate USP + Ballast Mat
- -10dBv + less corrugation/maintenance



SE-Trafikverket – since 2018

Mainline Track Protection + CO2 footprint

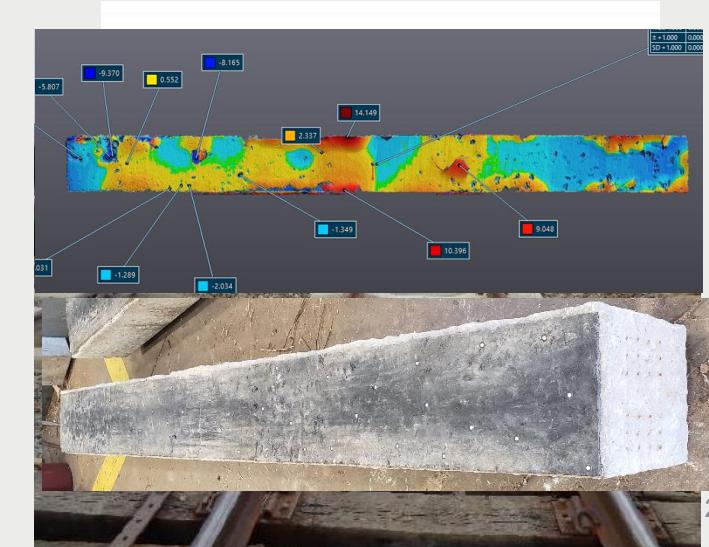
- Sustainable track
- ✓ Solution : Stiff USP
- Reduction by ~20 kg CO2eq per sleeper compared to plastic USP



US-Amtrak – since 2014

Bridge Approach

- Switches and Mainline
- Maintenance
- ✓ Solution : Intermediate USP
- Huge reduction maintenance so far

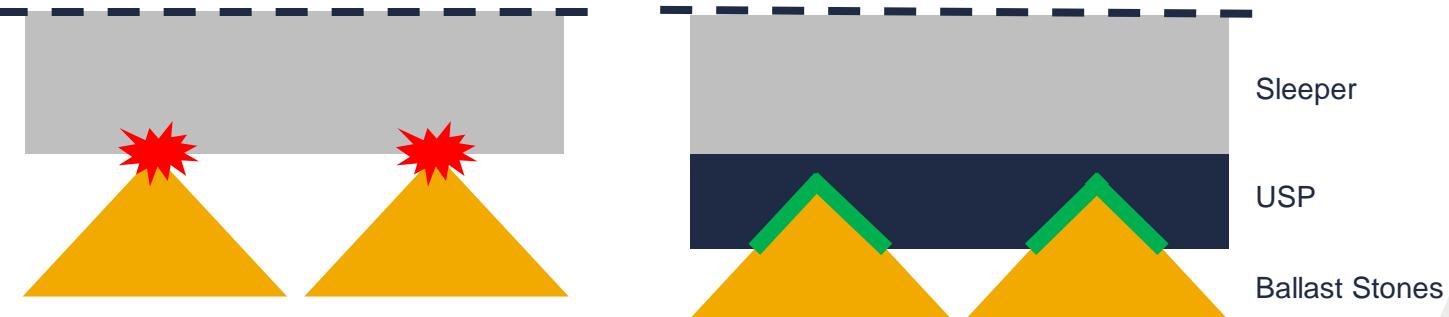


Increased Ballast Contact Area

On regular track with no USPs, the contact surface between ballast stones and the sleeper underside is approximately 5% - 8%.

This value is so small due to the relatively sharp ballast corners only being in contact with the flat sleeper surface.

With USPs installed, this value rises to approximately 30% due to embedment of the ballast stones into the USP.



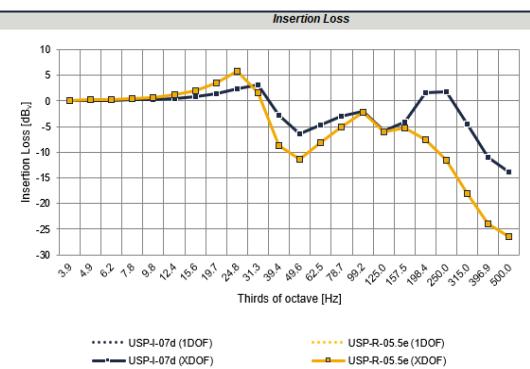
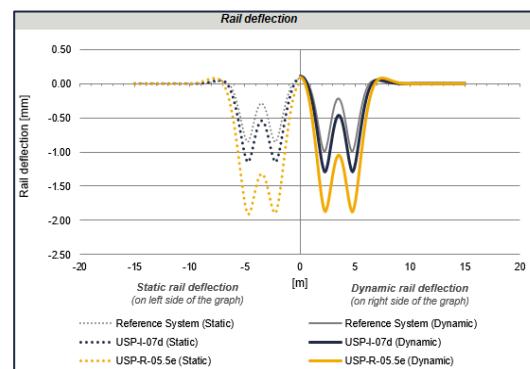
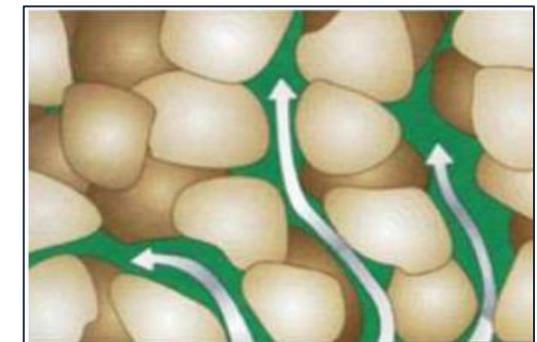
Binary Image of ballast contact impressions

How can we make rail infrastructure **greener**? Meet Pandrol' Resin-Bonded Rubber (RBR)



RESIN-BONDED RUBBER (RBR):

- is an engineered recycled rubber of uniform characteristics
- is made up of granular composites, with inner spaces in the material that allow for bulking out
- is compressible and soft
- allows the flow of water and air through the material whilst still maintaining durability
- has an ideal elasticity
- experiences minimal material settlement under service loads
- has durability in excess of typical track lifetime.



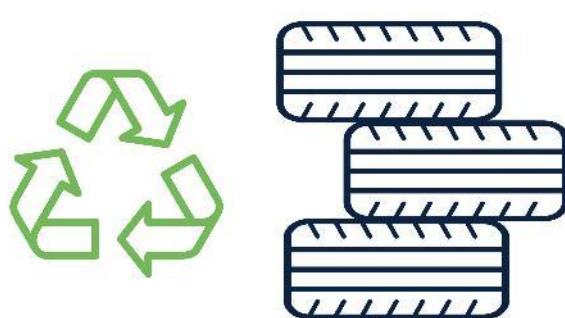
How can we make rail infrastructure **greener**?

EPD Analysis of Pandrol Sustainable Resilient Systems (SRS)



Saving tyres

Every kilometer of railway track installed with Pandrol SRS products saves a significant amount of tyres from landfill or burning.



Saving emissions

When compared to the industry average polyurethane solutions, our solutions massively reduce CO₂ output.



Saving the planet

The overall carbon footprint of systems made from microcellular polyurethane is much higher than that made with recycled rubber.



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