Subject: Re: Questions about "Category" and "Rosterings" Posted by yutaka.manchu on Fri, 12 Sep 2014 05:14:43 GMT

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Dear Andreas,

Thank you very much for replying to my questions. :-)

I understood your answers.

About Split / Join, there're examples that don't have data under /trainPartRef/s:

http://wiki.railml.org/index.php?title=TT:trainCouplingAndSh aring

May I confirm you if where the Split / Join occurs (i.e. "Lille", "SanAntonio" in above examples) are known from the /ocpRef/ of <octTT>s of <trainPart> referred from the /trainPartRef/ or not? If you have a "full railML timetable file" that contains Join / Split, would you mind sending it for me?

Best regards, Utah (Yutaka Manchu)

Andreas Tanner wrote:

>

> Dear Utah.

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>

- > welcome to the railML community. You are asking interesting questions!
- > Regarding category, the semantics is not completely defined within the
- > standard. Our customers use the train category mostly for distinguishing
- > local / regional / long distance etc. passenger trains and freight
- > trains. Transfer trips (purely operational trains that run outside
- > stations and do have an official train path) would use the "deadRun"
- > attribute.
- > Our system models different vehicle preparation time requirements and
- > staff rules depending on the train category.

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- > We don't use categoryPriority. I would expect it to have integer value
- > as in the wiki example given, but it is defined as string.

> > Yo

- > Your questions on join/split operations is difficult. railML uses trains
- > http://wiki.railml.org/index.php?title=TT:train to express joins and
- > splits. One might criticize this approach for its implication that one
- > needs to construct trains to model vehicle shunting. Syntactically it is
- possible to put multiple blockPartRefs into one blockPartSequence, but I
 have never seen such data and it would be ambiguous if the number of
- > blockPartRefs changes from blockPartSequence to blockPartSequence.

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  The attribute blockGroupNumber is optional. Our system uses it for
>
  defining the line in the roster matrix representation of the circulation.
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  I hope this helps. Best,
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  --Andreas.
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> Am 04.09.2014 09:10, schrieb Yutaka Manchu:
   Dear All,
>>
>> Would you mind answering the following questions for me
>>

    Category

     Regarding to the wiki, category means
these
>> terms are defined quite differently.'
>> ( httpwiki.railml.orgindex.phptitle=TTcategory ).
>>
>> But in TT_S-Bahn_ZH.xml, the category instance has only following data;
>>
>> categories
         category id=d2e125
>>
>> categories
>>
>>
>> 2. Rostering
>>
>> 2.1 blockPart - trainPartRef
>> According to the wiki,
>> trainPartRef This refers to the id attribute of the associated trainPart
>> element.
>> ( httpwiki.railml.orgindex.phptitle=TTblockPart )
>>
     I'd like to know the relationship between JoinSplit operation and the
>>
>> amount of trainPart. If there is a JoinSplit, could a blockPart have
   multiple trainPart
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     If somebody has a example file that has both JoinSplit operation, please
>>
>> send it to me.
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>> 2.2 block - blockGroupNumber
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    There's no precise description that explains blockGroupNumber on the
>>
wiki;
>> httpwiki.railml.orgindex.phptitle=TTblock
>>
>> TT_Rostering_edit.xml as follows;
>>
>> block id=d2e1628 blockGroupNumber=1
>> block
>>
>> block id=d2e1672 blockGroupNumber=1
>> block
>>
>> block id=d2e1711 blockGroupNumber=1
>> block
>>
>>
>> 1) What does blockGroupNumber mean
>> 2) Is blockGroupNumber mandatory attribute
>>
>> Best regards,
>> Utah (Yutaka Manchu)
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----= posted via PHP Headliner ==----
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