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Subject: Re: meaning of 'up' and 'down' in mileageChange.dir and track.mainDir  
Posted by [Christian Rahmig](#) on Mon, 01 Oct 2012 13:45:18 GMT

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Dear railML users,

>> The <mileageChange> element gets a new optional attribute "absDir",  
>> which provides the values 'raising' and 'falling'. It will replace the  
>> current attribute "dir" with the next major release and will become  
>> required then.

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>> [3] <https://trac.assembla.com/railML/ticket/159>

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> In addition to the changes for the element <mileageChange>, it is now  
> possible to define an absolute (mileage) direction at the beginning of a  
> track, too. The type tTrackNode has been extended by the new attribute  
> "absDir" providing the values 'raising' and 'falling'.

The mileage ticket has been modified again:

In order to keep a proper syntax, the new optional attribute "absPosIn"  
is introduced in the trackEnd element for defining the mileage of the  
(incoming) line. Thus, the track node provides the same parameters  
required for the mileage description like the mileageChange element.

Regards

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