Subject: timetable entry type
Posted by Thomas Schwanck on Tue, 17 Nov 2009 10:45:34 GMT
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Hello.

how to interpret the type-Attribute of the timetable entry-Tag?

The types "begin" and "end" - simply marking the first and the last station of the Train or do they denote external stations, i.e. stations not in the infrastructure?

Kind regards, Thomas Schwanck

Subject: Re: timetable entry type
Posted by Joachim Rubröder railML on Mon, 23 Nov 2009 17:57:36 GMT
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Hello,

the attribute 'type' of the 'entry' element could be either: begin/end/pass/stop (in railML V1.1).

This is a mixture of two different meanings:

- stop/pass to indicate whether the train stops at this entry or passes this point
- begin/end at the first/last entry to indicate if this is only part of a longer train which is starting/ending somewhere else, or its begin/end

Usually an 'entry' is considered to be a station but not necessary. Especially a passed entry could be any point along the track e.g. a blocking signal.

In the new version 2.0 the attribute will be renamed to 'ocpType' (former 'type') in 'ocpTT' (former 'entry'), but with the same meaning and characteristic.

Kind regards, Joachim Rubröder