



## 50<sup>th</sup> Session of Working Group TECH

The 50<sup>th</sup> session of the standing working group technology (WG TECH) will be held at OTIF's temporary premises in Gümligen on 7 and 8 September 2023. Remote participation will also be possible. On the evening of 7 September, participants will be offered a drink to celebrate this 50<sup>th</sup> session.

The main focus at this session will be to prepare the documents and decisions for the next Committee of Technical Experts.

The following items will be discussed:

- modification of the Uniform Technical Prescription concerning freight wagons (UTP WAG),
- modification of the Uniform Technical Prescription concerning noise (UTP NOI),
- modification of the Uniform Technical Prescription concerning train composition and route compatibility checks (UTP TCRC),
- the new explanatory document on the UTP TCRC,
- modification of the guide for the application of the Uniform Technical Prescription concerning locomotives and passenger rolling stock (UTP LOC&PAS).

It is also planned to discuss the draft Annex D to the Uniform Rules concerning the safe operation of trains in international traffic (EST UR – Appendix H to COTIF, not yet in force).

