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It is the Railway Research Institute's tradition to organize regular scientific seminars. Their topics concern crucial issues of rail transport and they are aimed to improve the knowledge relating to innovative solutions and develop new technology development perspectives. The article describes issues presented during four seminars (nine papers in total) which were held in the second half of 2016. There were presented social, economic and technical matters, high speed rail system, timber sleepers, as well as the description of the test stand and its possibilities as regards ETCS L1 on-board equipment installed on the Railway Test Track in Żmigród.

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