Iwona Wróbel: Integration of Railway Public Transport in the Aspect of Train Connections in Major Stations

The examples of two different hub stations, i.e. Kraków Główny and Wrocław Główny are the basis for presenting the analysis of train connections as a transport integration element. The review of historical data from previous (2014/15 and 2015/16 editions) and present (rjp 2016/17) train schedules (timetables) allowed assessing basic parameters such as the number of inter-voivodship trains, the number of links connected on directions defined in the Transport Plan, average waiting time, and mean connection time for the capitals of Małopolska and Lower Silesia, as well as for particular destinations. The presented changes helped to evaluate railway transport offer performed as a public service.

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