

Track Control Solutions

Rail networks have an increasing need to understand the status of their track, which allows them to implement more efficient maintenance operations.

We provide solutions for inspection through innovative equipment and services, suitable for all types of networks.

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Ultrasonic Testing

Pandrol provides a range of Ultrasonic Testing (UT) equipment using high pitched waves to identify rail defects.

Our range includes both manual and vehicle-towed tools, which can be operated at up 20 km per hour.

We support you by providing complete equipment training as well as health and safety support.

Our UT Walking Stick is a railway inspection system used with specific transducers designed for track applications.

It can be used on any kind of rail.

A single operator can easily set-up the equipment and start the inspection.

The tool uses a magnetic handle system, and the handle height can be adjusted, ensuring comfort for the user.



UT Trolley is a manual piece of equipment for inspecting two rails simultaneously.

The information collected by the transducers are transmitted to two displays (right and left rail) for real time information viewing.

The tool is lightweight and can easily be lifted on and off track easily.



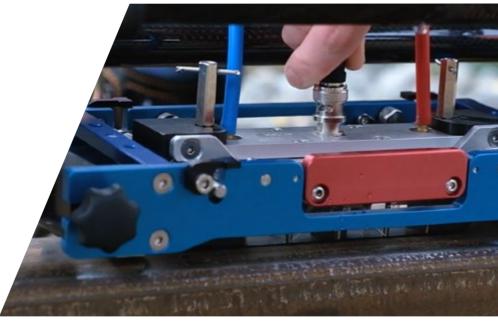
 \rightarrow features /

- Quickly inspect the rail condition
- Weighs only 3 kg
- Possibility to use even in traffic
- Possibility to adapt all probes
- Ideal tool for inspecting after head wash repair
- Inspect all track components



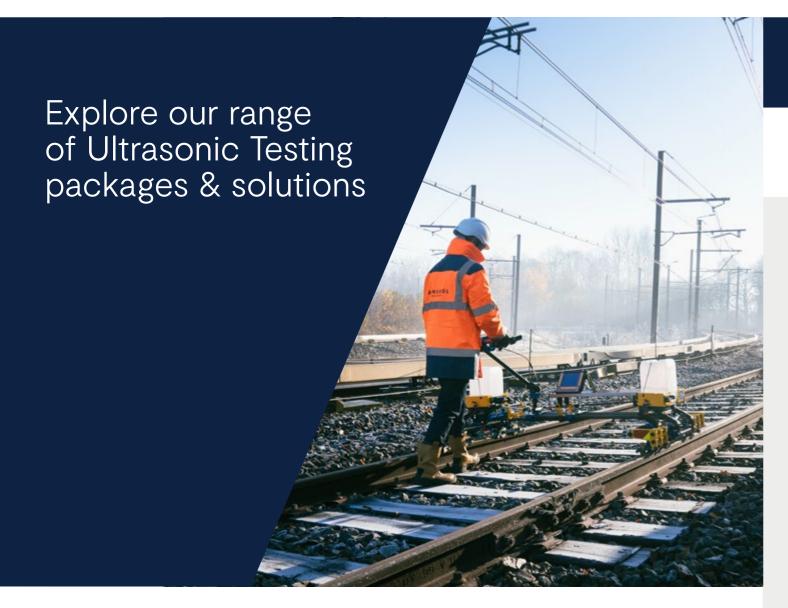


- Designed for safe use
- Weighs only 23 kg
- Maximum speed 5 km/h
- Water Capacity 2 x 10L
- Automatic safety brake
- Can be used on all track types
- Its lightweight design allows easy repacking and transport
- Works on rail temperature between -10 and 55°C
- Adjustable for rail gaps between 1000 and 1670 mm
- Wheels are totally isolated
- Approved by French railways









Finding effective maintenance equipment can be challenging. Our extensive track expertise allows us to offer suitable turnkey solutions that meet your needs.

Pandrol has a proven track record in making maintenance easier and more reliable. We have collaborated with many rail networks and guided them through various challenges.

We work closely with our customers to offer them tailored solutions, providing the equipment best-suited to their infrastructure. We offer a variety of UT probes for various global standards and track specifications.

Explore our range.

Our Turnkey Solutions

We provide complete training for all of our equipment. We also program the equipment according to your needs and specifications.

- Choose between walking stick or trolley UT systems
- All necessary probes
- UT Flaw Detector
- Calibration equipment
- Software for Smart solution
- Cables
- Onsite training and assistance

Basic or Smart?

Our equipment is intuitively designed, meaning both newly certified inspectors and experts can use it effectively.

 \rightarrow BASIC /

Our Basic version allows the user to have all functionalities for an effective inspection.

- A-SCAN display
- UT probe 5 angles -70 / -40 / 0 / 40 / 70°
- Record an image of each defect
- 2 years anti wear warrantee

 \rightarrow smart /

The Smart version offers more possibilities, with enhanced defect traceability and automatic reporting with its smart software.

- ✓ A-SCAN display
- B-SCAN display
- UT probe 5 angles -70 / -40 / 0 / 40 / 70°
- UT probe head radius 4 x 70°
- Record an image of each defect
- Record a video of each defect
- Odometer localization
- Defect traceability
- Anomalies defect table
- One probe for defection and characterization
- ✓ Smart Software
- 2 years anti wear warrantee

Basic & Smart versions are available for both the walking stick and trolley









→ UT Rail TRTRM001

This transducer is used to identify the characteristics of the defect (length, depth, etc.)



→ UT Weld TR452002

This transducer is used for Ultrasonic Testing of welds with Tandem rig (cf. p 14)



→ UT Weld TR02001

This transducer is mainly used for welds and scanning area.

We offer a range of wear-resistant probes for Ultrasonic
Testing, suitable for applications including inspection of

→ UT Weld TR452001

rail, welds, and defect detection.

This transducer is used for weld inspection.



→ UT Rail & More TRTRC002

Mounted on a walking stick or trolley, the transducer is used for UT inspection of all track material.





Technical data				
Item Reference	TRTRC002	TRTRC005	TR702001	TR452001
Angle	-70 / -40 / 0 / + 40 / +70	-70 / -40 / 0 / + 40 / +70	70	45
Frequency MHz (MHz)	2 - 4 - 2	2,25 - 4 - 2,25	2	2
Size mm			14 x 14	14 x 14
Connector	BNC	5 Lemo	Lemo00	Lemo00
Other information	For detection	For detection	For detection & characterization	For detection & characterization

Technical data				
Item Reference	TR452002	TRT02001	TRTRM001	TRTRM002
Angle	45	0	0 / 38 / 68	0 / 45 / 70
Frequency MHz (MHz)	2	2	4	4
Size mm	20 x 22	ø 10		
Connector	Lemo00	Lemo00		
Other information	For tandem rig	For detection and characterization	For characterization	For characterization

All our transducers are manufactured in France.

Above is a non-exhaustive list of our most popular solutions - please contact us to discuss all options available.



→ ULTRASONIC TESTING **UT Flaw Detectors**

→ USSTA001

Ultrasonic Flaw Detector 1 or 2 channels

Our time-tested manufacturing experience has enabled us to develop and produce a high-performing ultrasonic flaw detection system

- A Scan and B Scan Display
- Automatic calibration
- Standard DAC
- Auto Gain, Auto Freeze
- DAC

Autonomy	LCD Screen

Weigth	Dimensions	Autonomy	LCD Screen
0,74 kg	224 x 188 x 34	10 hours	1024 x 768



→ USBLU001

Ultrasonic Flaw Detector -Bluetooth version

Transform your smartphone or your tablet into a real ultrasonic device, allowing the same functionality as a standard device.

With this small tool, you can easily go on track and carry out inspections.

- A Scan and B Scan Display
- Automatic calibration
- Standard DAC
- Auto Gain, Auto Freeze

leigth	Dimensions	Autonomy	Connexion
40 g	112 x 32 x 79	8 hours	Bluetooth



→ USSTA004

Ultrasonic Flaw Detector -6 channels

This next-generation flaw detector uses our latest smart software. All data is recorded and can be exported in a PDF or Excel.

- A Scan and B Scan Display
- GPS and KP localization of data
- Post treatment of data in special analysed mode
- Intuitive user interface

Weigth	Dimensions	Autonomy	LCD Screen
0,74 kg	224 x 188 x 34	10 hours	1024 x 768



We offer various advanced Ultrasonic flaw

detectors with displays ranging from 1 to 8 channels.

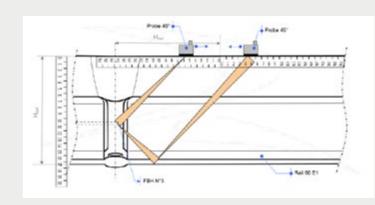


→ RTTAN001

→ Ultrasonic Testing Tandem rig

The rig has been designed to allow the detection of vertical defects in welds, including a lack of fusion, shrinkage, and thermal

Using 2 probes positioned at 45°, this tool allows the detection, characterization, and evaluation of the entire height of the weld.





→ TOC00065

DigiLame - Digital Scale

This tool is used to measure the flatness of the rail profile and its alignment. It allows checking weld geometry by obtaining curves on the mobile app.

This tool is designed to be used after welding to check the weld conformity.

Measurement specification	
Weight (excluding PDA)	8,25 kg
Measuring range	+/- 4 mm
Measurement accuracy	+/- 0,025 mm
Measured length	1 000 mm

We provide useful tools for NDT weld inspections using Ultrasonic Testing & Eddy Current Technology.

2 / Track Geometry TRACK GEOMETRY



Track Geometry

Pandrol provide a range of Track Geometry equipment - from small and lightweight gauges through to trolleys for long distance inspections.



Track Geometry Gauges

The Abtus range of Track Geometry Gauges offer accurate and repeatable measurement performance, in a light-weight and robust design.

Abtus track gauges have been designed with a sprung gauging foot, with all measurements displayed on the useable end of the gauge, ensuring improved repeatability and accuracy of measurements, whilst minimising potential user error.



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	P4670	P5000	P5010	P5020
Reference	PGEOP022	TOCR0027	TOC00064	TOC000061
Weight	2.8kg	3.2Kg	3.2Kg	3.2Kg
Size	1500mm x 300mm x 200mm	1660mm x 135mm x 150mm	1660mm x 135mm x 150mm	1660mm x 135mm x 150mm
Gauge sizes available	1000, 1067, 1435, 1600, 1668			
Measure free wheel clearance	Х		Х	Х
Measure free wheel passage			Х	Х
Flangway	Х			
Gauge / Cant		Х	Х	Х
Switch & Crossing	Х			



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	P7000	P7100
Weight	23,5 kg	25 kg
Dimensions	1700mm x 1012mm x 716mm	700 mm x 1000 mm x 720 mm
Gauge sizes available	1435, 1600, 1668	1435, 1600, 1668
Distance	1000, 1067, 1435, 1600, 1668	1000, 1067, 1435, 1600, 1668
Gauge	Χ	X
Cant	Х	X
wist	Х	Х
GPS	Х	X
Cyclic top		Х

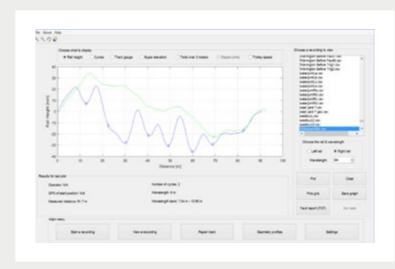
→ System capabilities

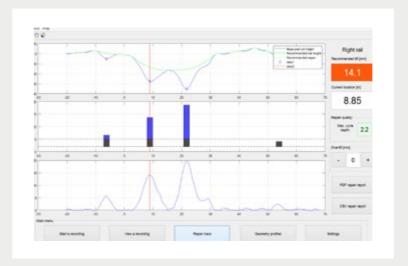
- Cyclic Top Identification 4,5m, 6m, 9m, 13, & 18m wavelengths
- Left and right rails measured simultaneously
- Pre-maintenance guidance live high/low point identification and lift
- Post-maintenance inspection maintenance effectiveness analysis
- Trigger point identification locate and measure track defects
- Track geo recording gauge, cant, distance and twist measurement
- Track geo reporting live data viewing/analysis + exportable data
- A precision GPS receiver ensures future recordings can be conducted at the same location enabling pre/post maintenance analysis and preventive maintenance of known problem sites



→ Software

 User interface allows pre/post maintenance comparison allowing track engineers to clearly see the effectiveness of maintenance and the removal of cyclic top faults.





User interface allows track recording to be viewed on site whilst also providing live maintenance guidance in the form of lift recommendations and high/low point identification.







Overhead Line (OHL) Inspection

Pandrol offers a range of equipment for overhead line (OHL) inspection.

Overhead Line Inspection

The Overhead Line Equipment is a new range of solutions which save time by storing data directly onto an Android device. The product is a folding, robust, and lightweight tool for measuring the height and stagger of overhead catenary wire.

The P4640, P8000, and P8100 are calibrated to offer accurate laser angles every time, for detailed and accurate measuring.

Zoom On P8000

- The Android App can be used to view and send recorded files via email or USB.
- Exportable reports can be accessed, providing the user with results for review on their smart phone and can be emailed from site.

Meas. No. 1 (STR)	Saved
Height.	Stagger
2365	-456
Gauge	Cant
1491	13
Temperature	Stagger mode
25°C	nominal gauge
Refos	Reg arm type
1701 Left	
Structure number	Reg arm supp (L/R)
	_ O: O:
GPS coordinate	
No GPS signal	
Measure	Meas. refos
	View meas.





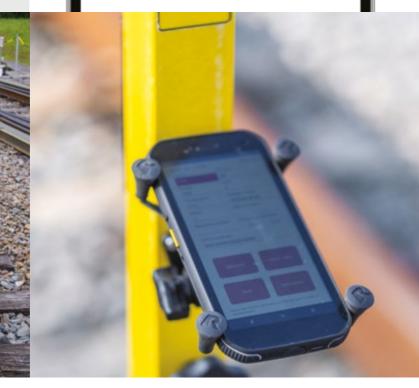






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	P4640	P8000	P8100
Reference	TOCR0023	PGEOP028	PGEOP029
Weight	6.1Kg	11kg	10Kg
Size	1620mm x 1450mm x 265mm	1616mm x 1450mm x 245mm	1620mm x 1450mm x 250mm
Gauge sizes available	1067, 1220, 1435, 1600, 1668	1435, 1600, 1668	1435, 1600, 1668
Data logs		X	
Over head line / Cant	X	X	X
Stagger	Referenced from nominal	Referenced from nominal or real gauge	Referenced from real gauge
Gauge / GPS		X	
REFOS (Rail Edge to Face of Structure)	Х	X	X

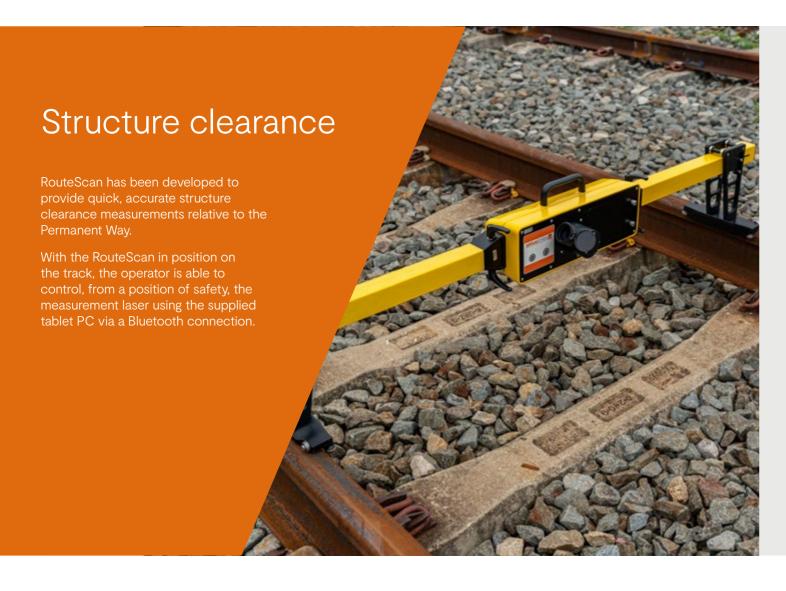






Structure clearance

We offer a range of equipment designed specifically for measuring structure clearance, including various gauges and RouteScan technology.



System capabilities

The unit is lightweight, electrically non-conductive and easily transported making it the ideal tool for a highly time pressured rail environment. The two legs detach easily from the body, allowing the whole kit to be stowed in two small carry bags.

The ABT5650 measures X/Y coordinates as single points or full profile scans, referenced to the running edge of the datum rail. The RouteScan also provides the user with accurate track gauge and SE readings whilst the sprung gauging foot ensures repeatability of positioning and measurement.

Bluetooth communication allows operation of the device from a position of safety offering significant benefits over more traditional gauging methods. The battery indicator button can alert the user of the remaining charge and the battery can be removed/swapped by accessing the front panel via the thumb screws. This allows for prolonged use of the RouteScan during long shifts.

\rightarrow situations /

- Tunnels
- Bridges
- Signals
- Platforms
- Datum plates
- Six-foot and ten-foot rail positions

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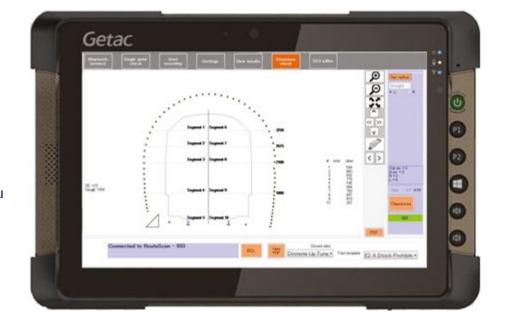


	P4050	P4610	P4659	P5650	
Reference	TOC00046	TOCR0021	PGEOP021	PGEOP026	Ī
Weight	4.7kg	8.0kg	13,7 kg	13.6kg	Ī
Size	1900mm x 400mm x 40mm		1655 mm x 315 mm x 265 mm	1655 mm x 315 mm x 265 mm	
Gauge sizes available	1067, 1435, 1495, 1600	1067, 1220, 1435, 1600, 1668	1000, 1067, 1435, 1600, 1668	1000, 1067, 1435, 1600, 1668	
Measures the height of a platform	X				
Measures the height and distance of any structure		Х		Х	
Cant		Χ		Χ	Ī
Gauges	X			Χ	Ī
Using with the RouteScan / Data logs			Х		



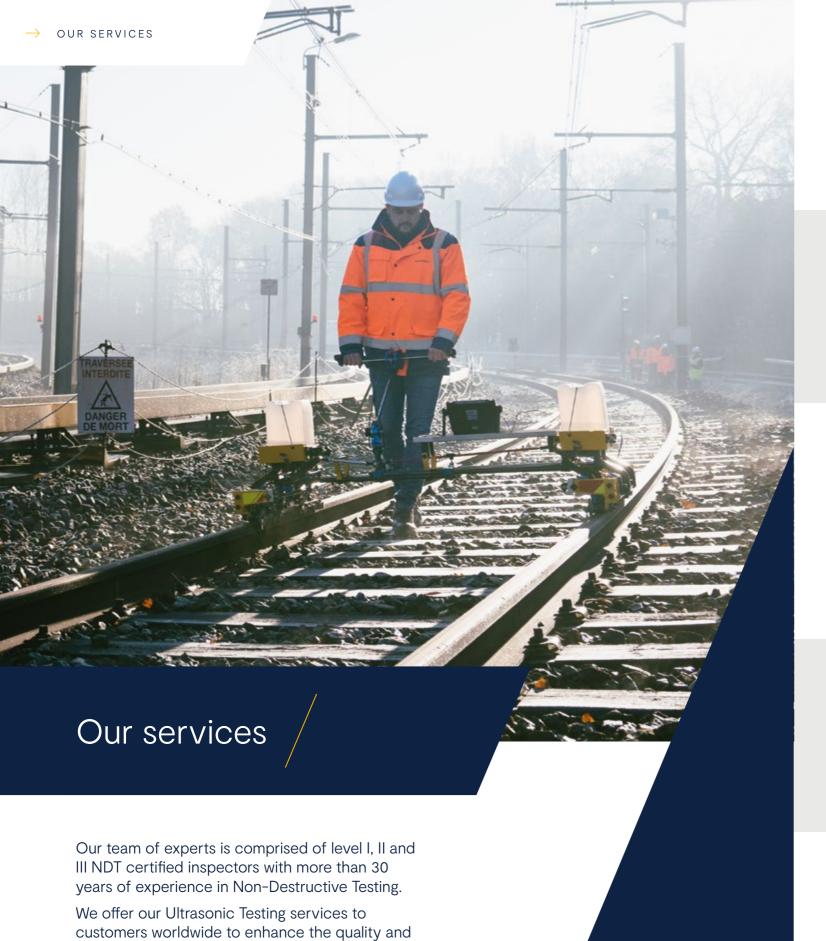
\rightarrow FEATURES

- Bluetooth connexion
- Several possibilities :
- Single point check
- Move the spindle +20° / -20°
- Move the spindle from 0 to 180°
- Choose start/end angle
- Results are graphical and numerical



Maintenance Services

Track Control Solutions proposes a range of inspection services for predictive track maintenance.



We offer all types of track inspection

Our services also extend to analysing the reception of welds, phased array analysis, and much more.

Ultrasonic testing

The inspection is made by our level I, II and III NDT certified inspectors. Our technicians are specialised in Ultrasonic Testing.

We work with our customers to determine the acceptance criteria for their network.

An exhaustive report of track quality and actions is supplied to help avoid track deterioration.



→ Geometry

We measure several parameters including gauge, cant, alignment, and twist.

The data collected is outputted into a comprehensive report, that shows all anomalies detected and their precise GPS location.

The report takes into account the data of the network (configuration, curve, etc.)

The report will classify all the geometrical anomalies in a priority fashion.



→ Corrugation

Inspecting rail corrugation allows the user to precisely detect any undulatory wear on the rail head.

This inspection highlights areas that need to be grinded, to prevent track and rolling stock deterioration.

The undulatory wear is determined by identifying the peak values in both wavelength and amplitude.



→ Rail profile

A detailed inspection of the rail is carried out using laser technology. The real profile is compared to the nominal profile to check the level of wear on the head of the rail.



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