

# The using of GNSS local-elements as a model of the GNSS/GALILEO certification.

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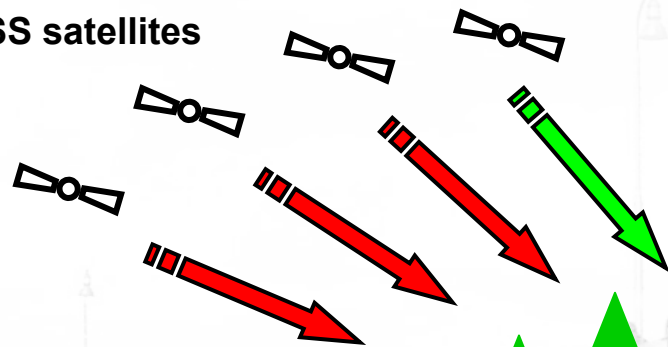
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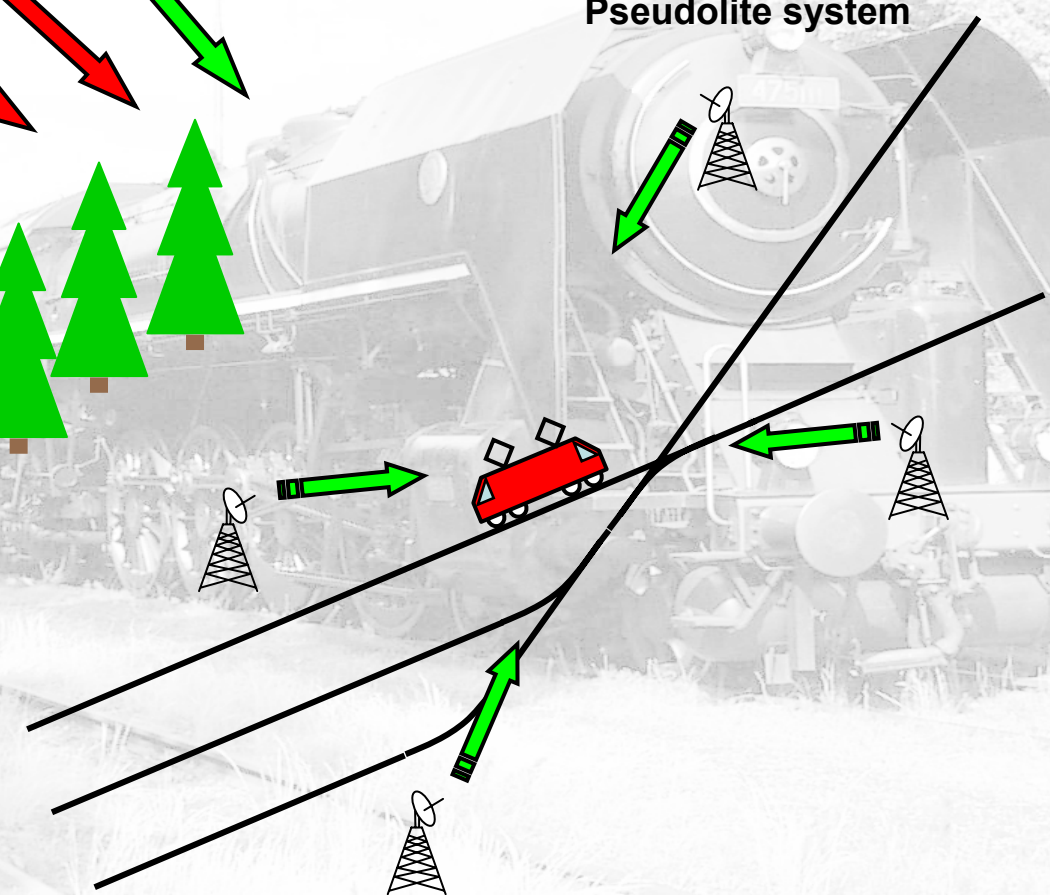
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### Availability of navigations systems.

GNSS satellites

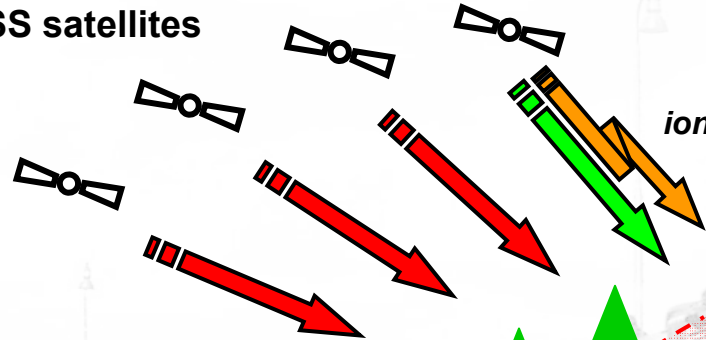


Pseudolite system



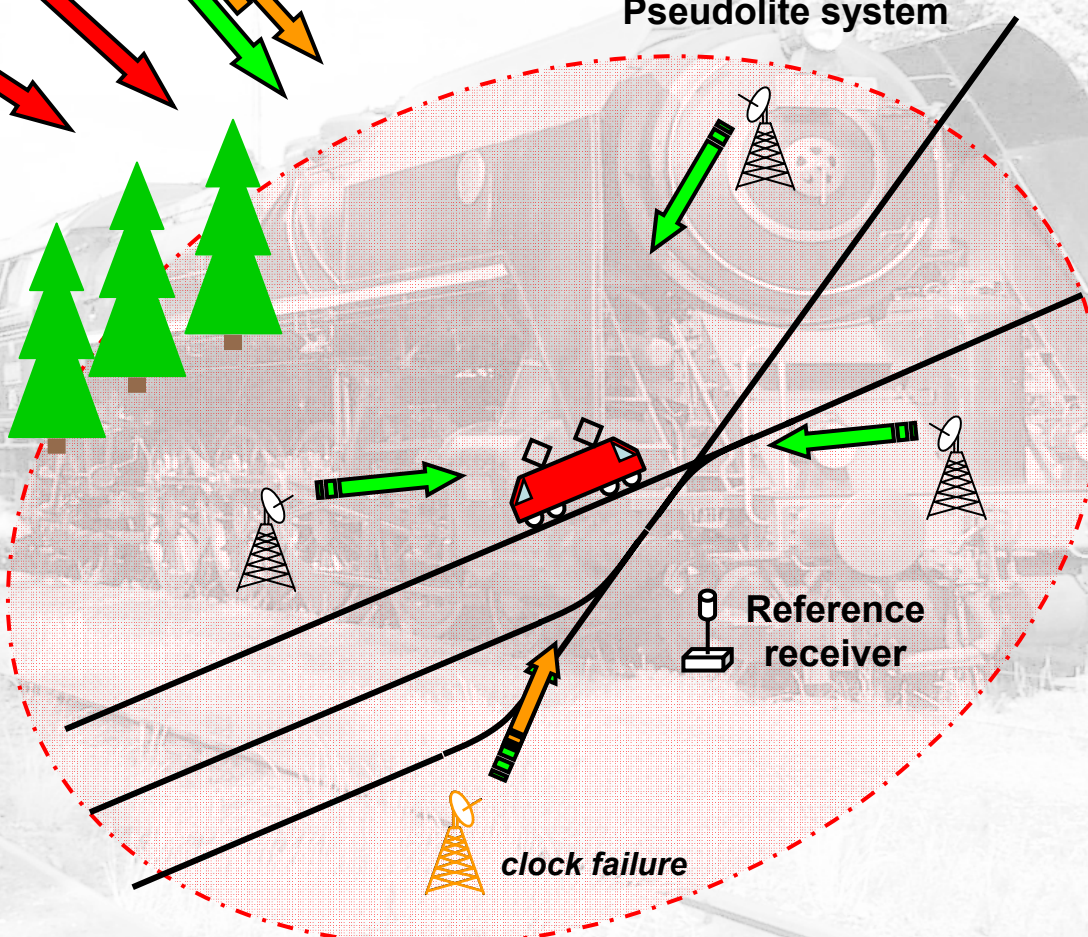
### Propagation of signal failures.

GNSS satellites



*iono-sphere failure*

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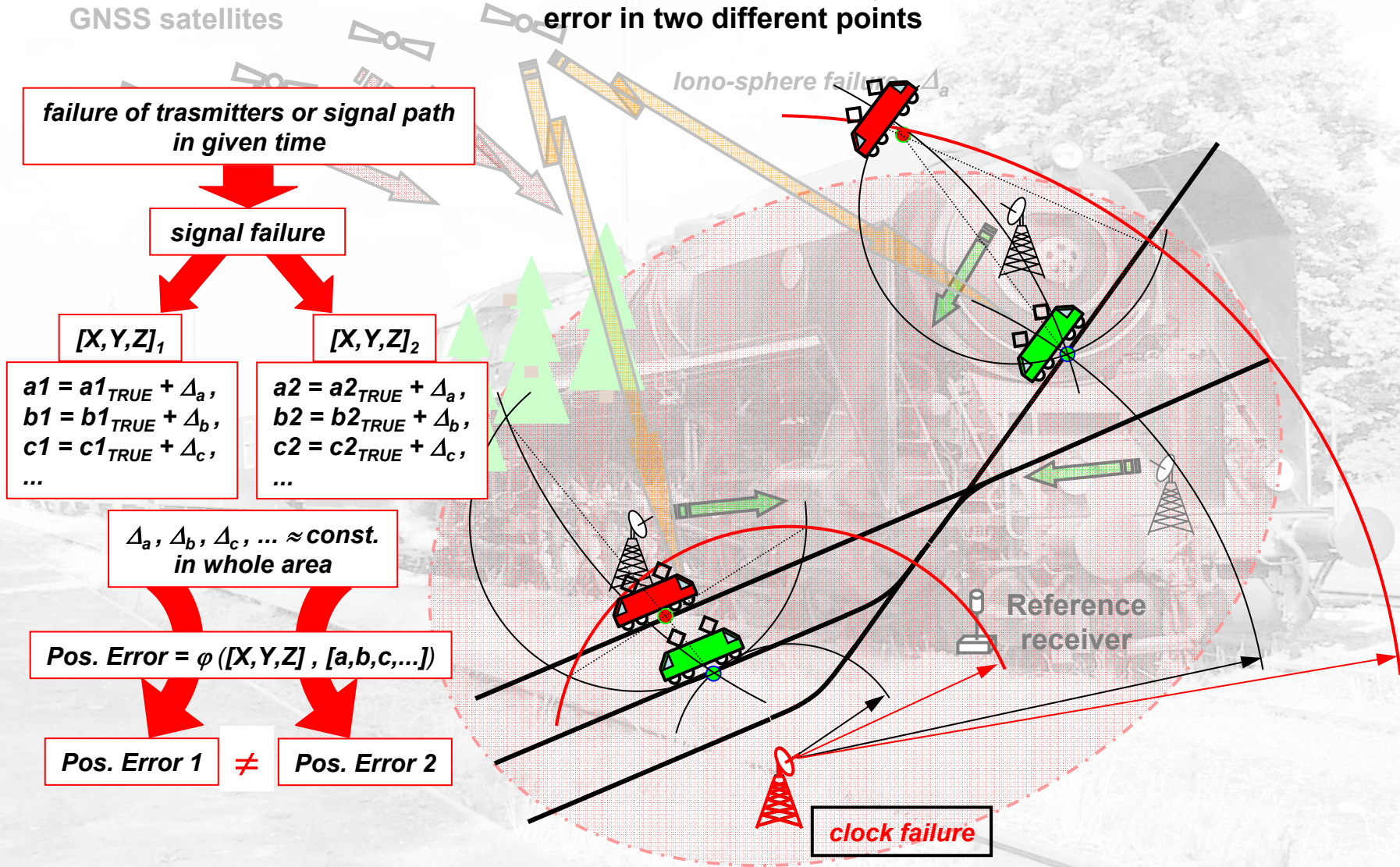


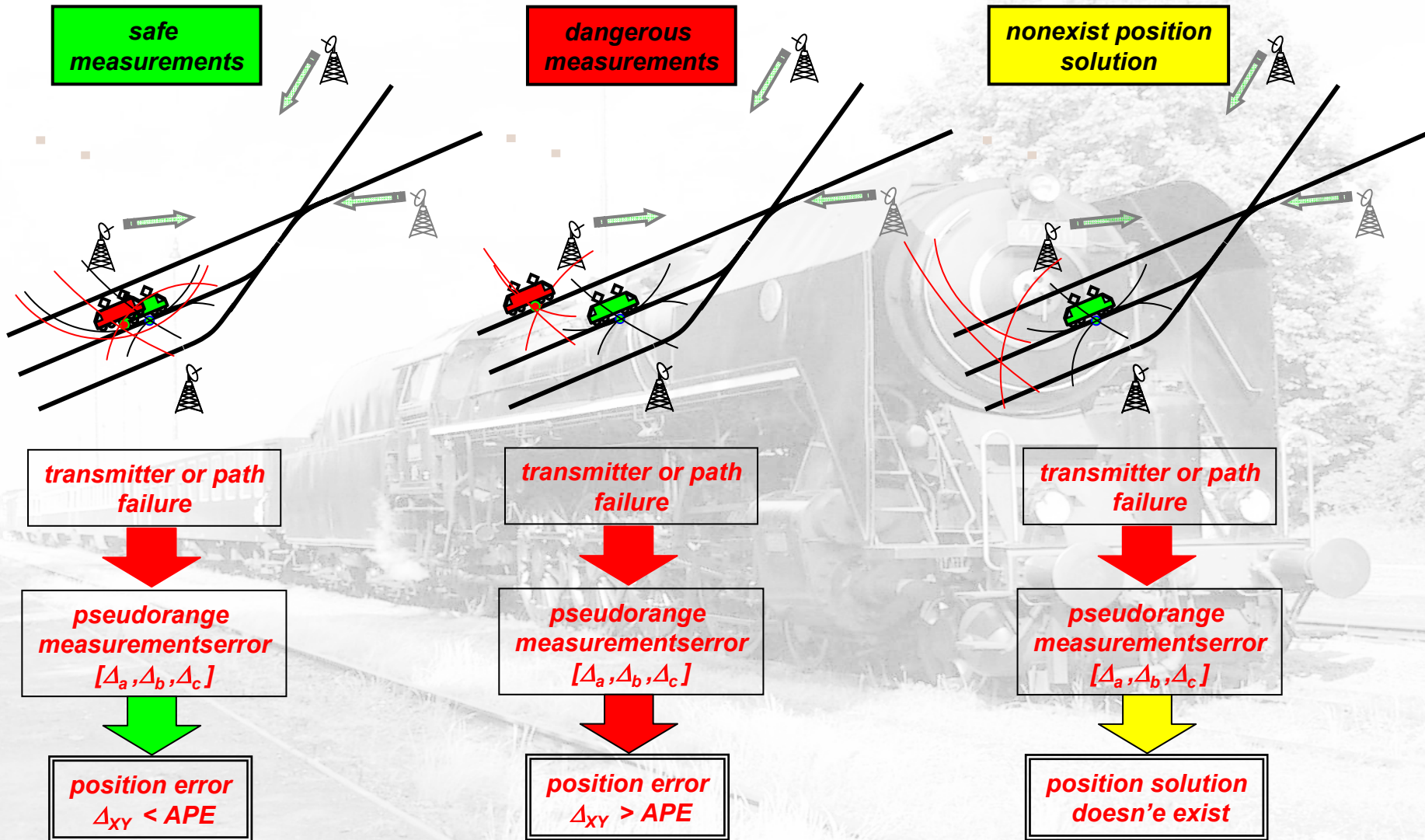
Reference receiver

*clock failure*

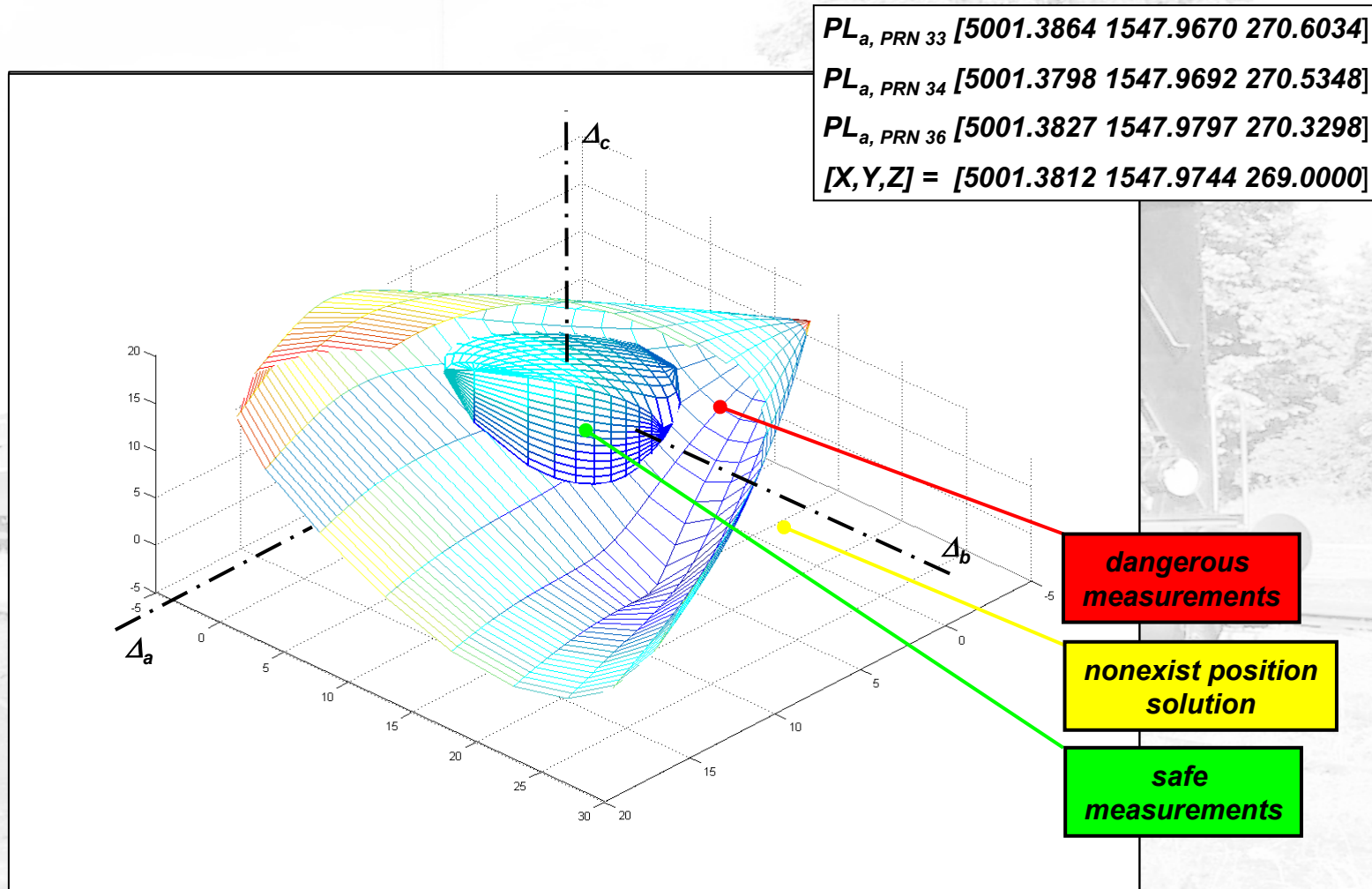


### Different influence of measured pseudorange error on the position error in two different points

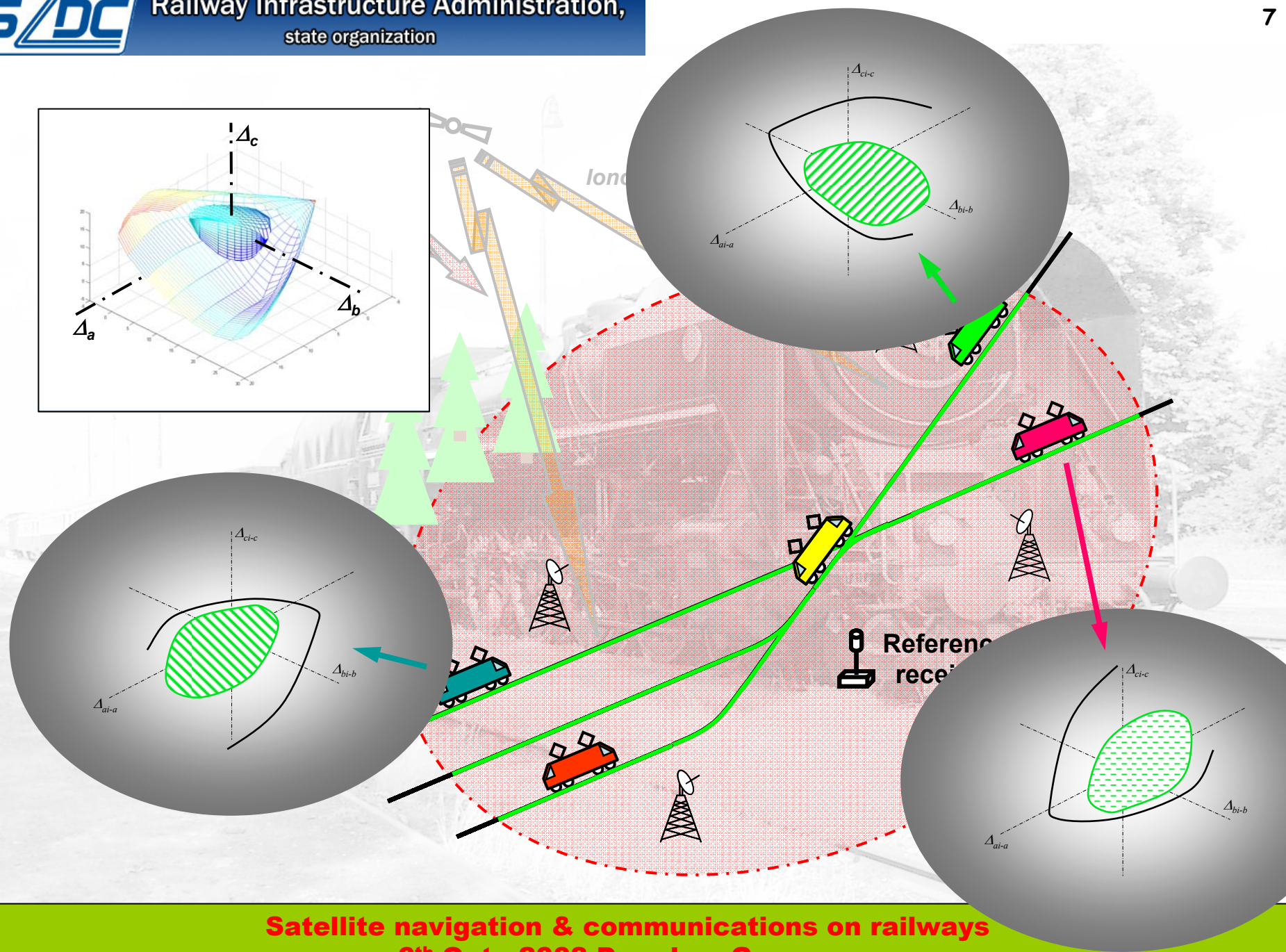
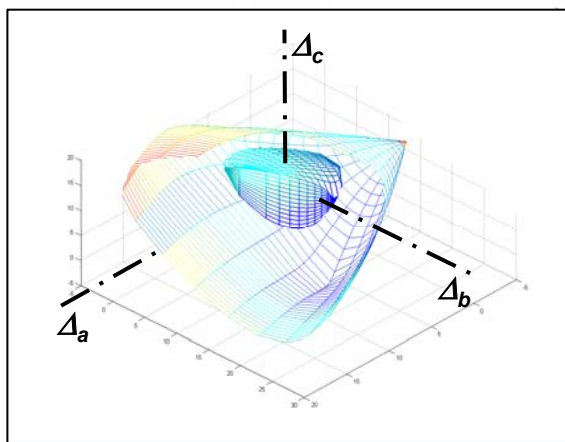


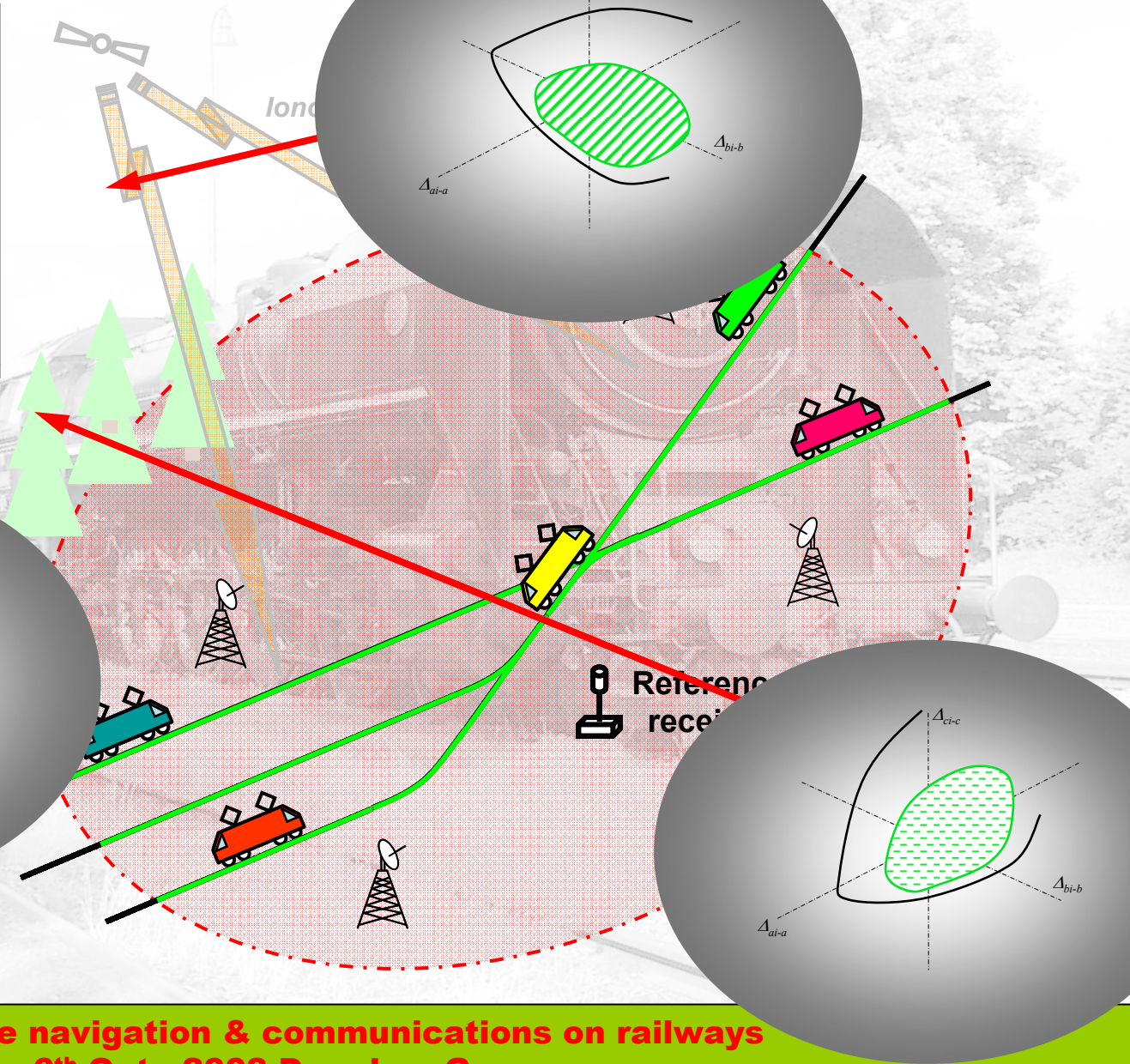
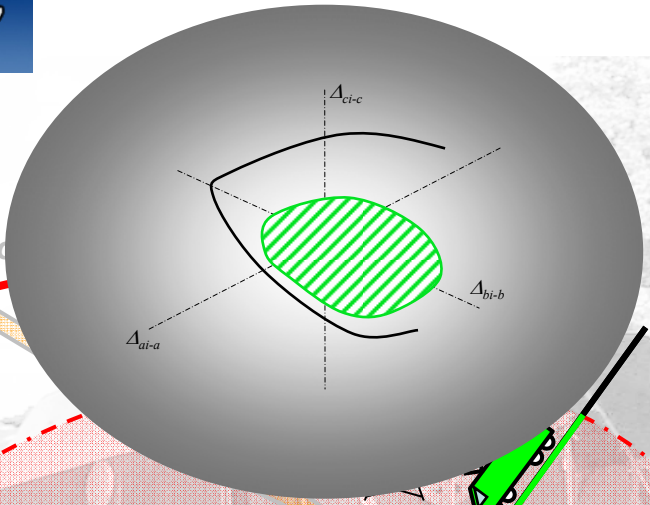
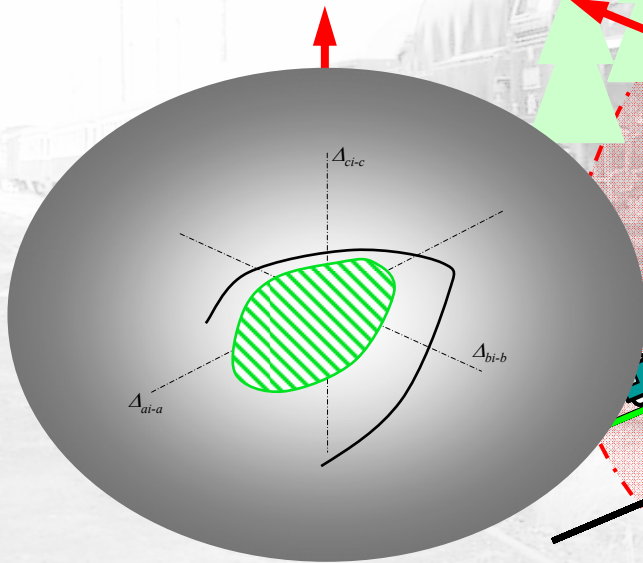
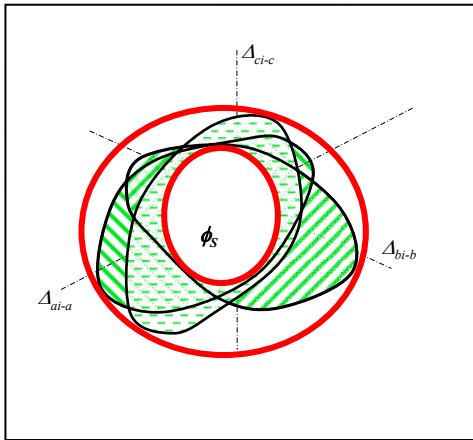


*Safe and dangerous error-areas for measurements of three pseudoranges in the given point.*



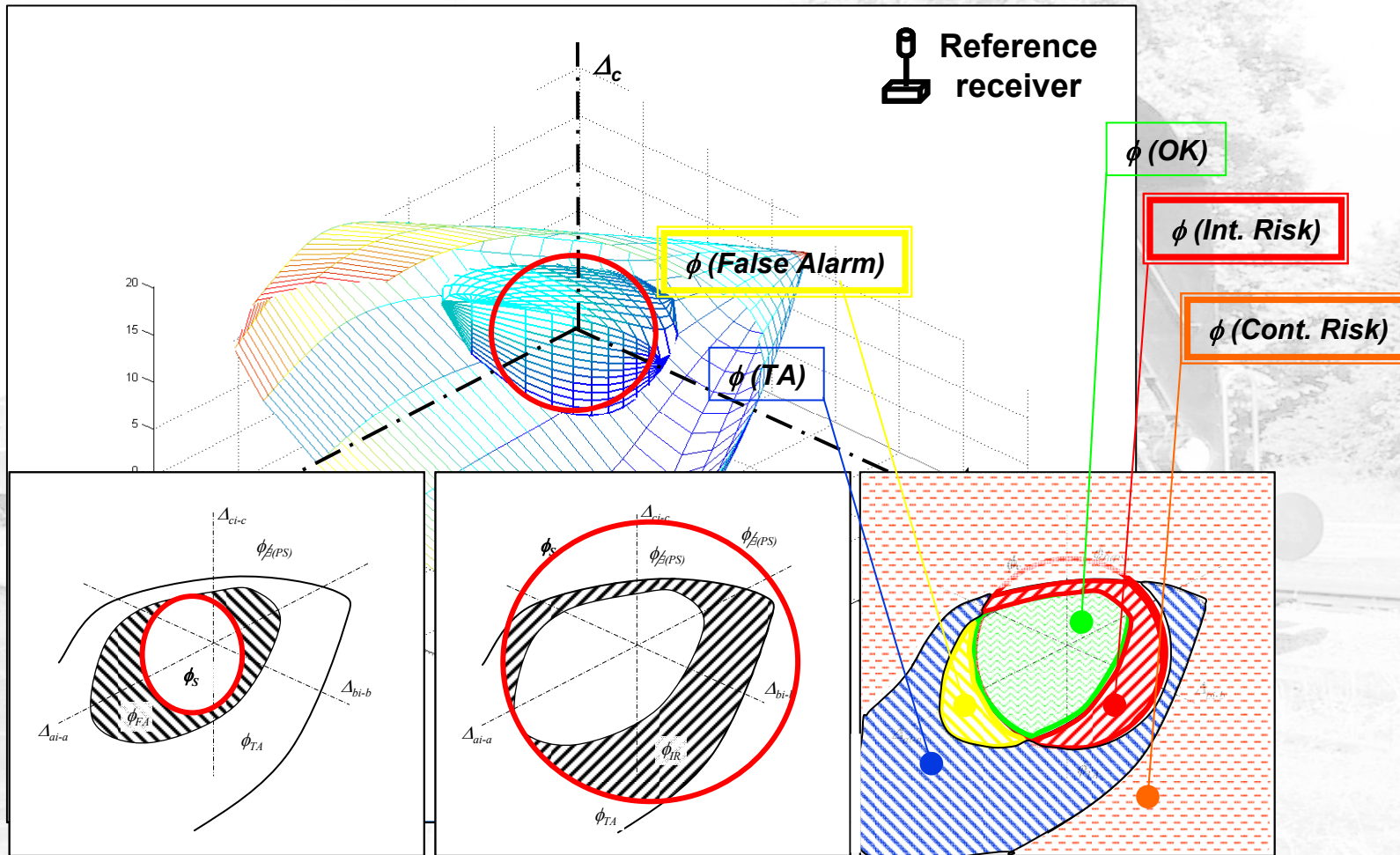








**Safe and dangerous error-areas for measurements of three pseudoranges in the given point.**



## Simplified scenario of the safe positioning by the pseudolite system

### Reference station

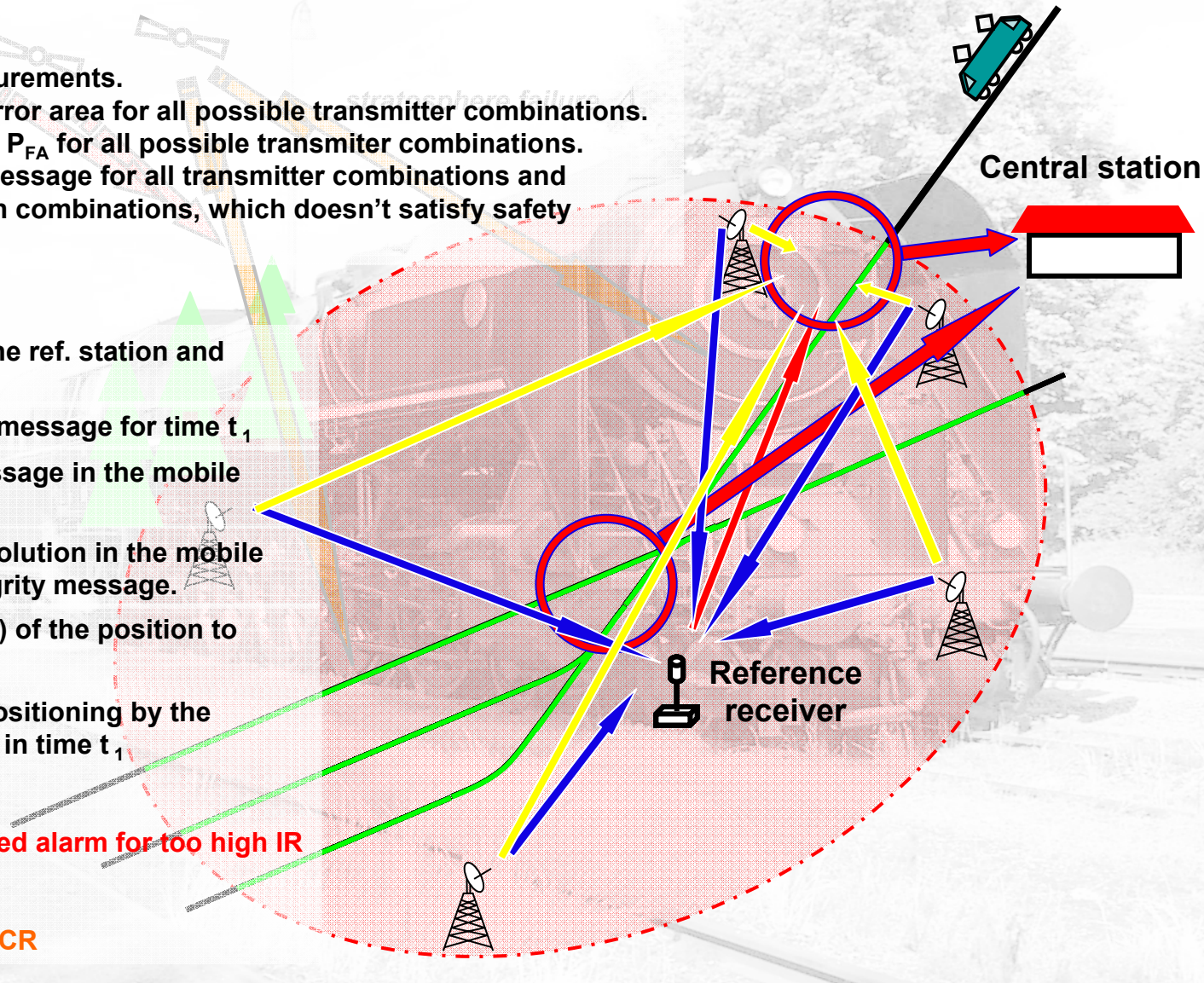
- monitors all signal measurements.
- defines the optimal safe error area for all possible transmitter combinations.
- determines the IR, CR and  $P_{FA}$  for all possible transmitter combinations.
- determines the integrity message for all transmitter combinations and proclaims the alarm for such combinations, which doesn't satisfy safety requirements.

### Basic operations in time $t_1$

1. signal measurements in the ref. station and mobile receiver.
2. Transmission of integrity message for time  $t_1$
3. Receiving of integrity message in the mobile receiver
4. Choice optimal position solution in the mobile receiver about relevant integrity message.
5. Sending (if it's necessary) of the position to central station

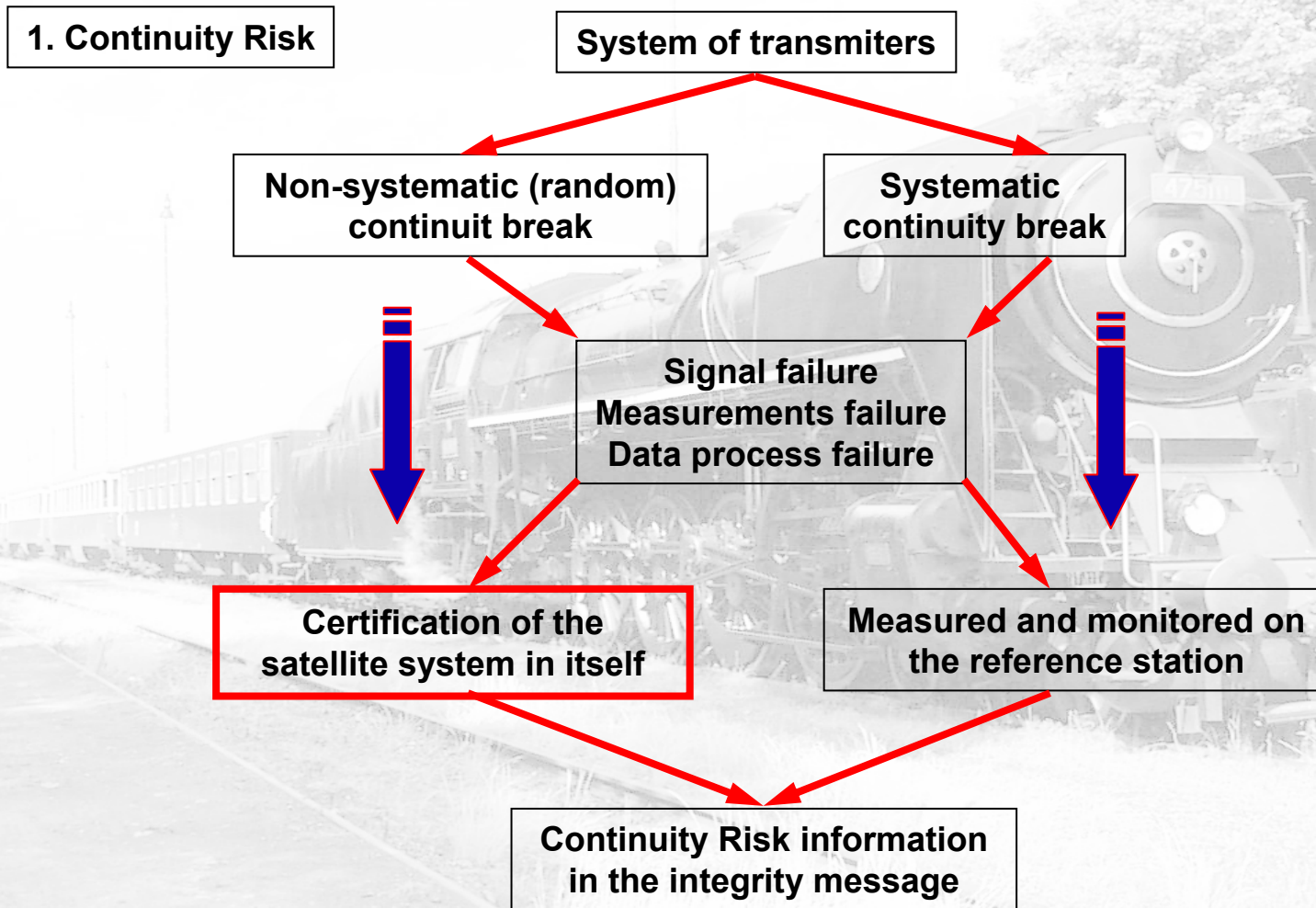
### The Integrity message for positioning by the combination of transmitters in time $t_1$

- IM(33,34,35,36,37)
- IM(33,34,35,36)
- IM(33,34,35,37) – proclaimed alarm for too high IR
- IM(33,34,36,37)
- IM(33,35,36,37)
- IM(34,35,36,37) – too high CR





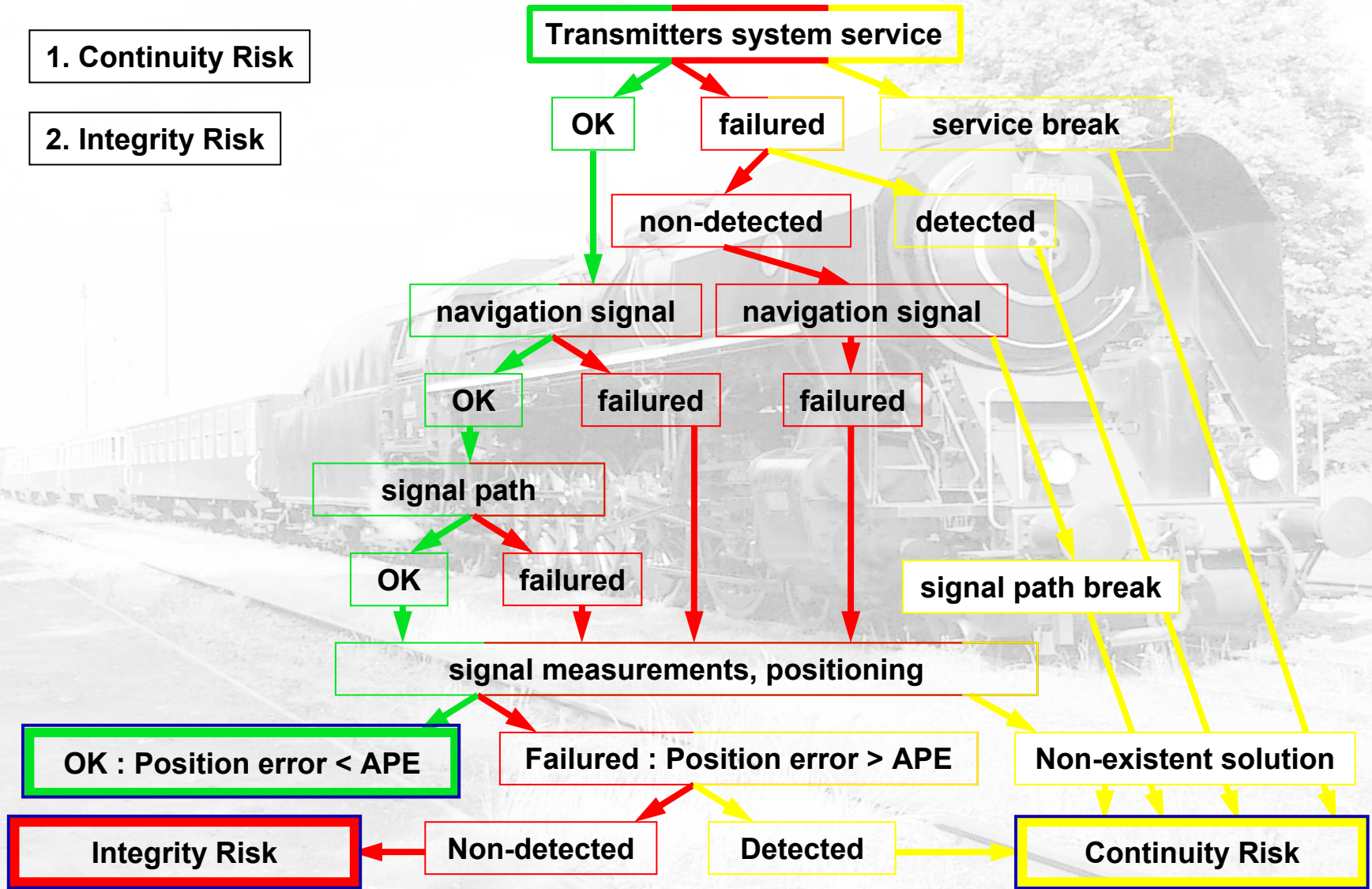
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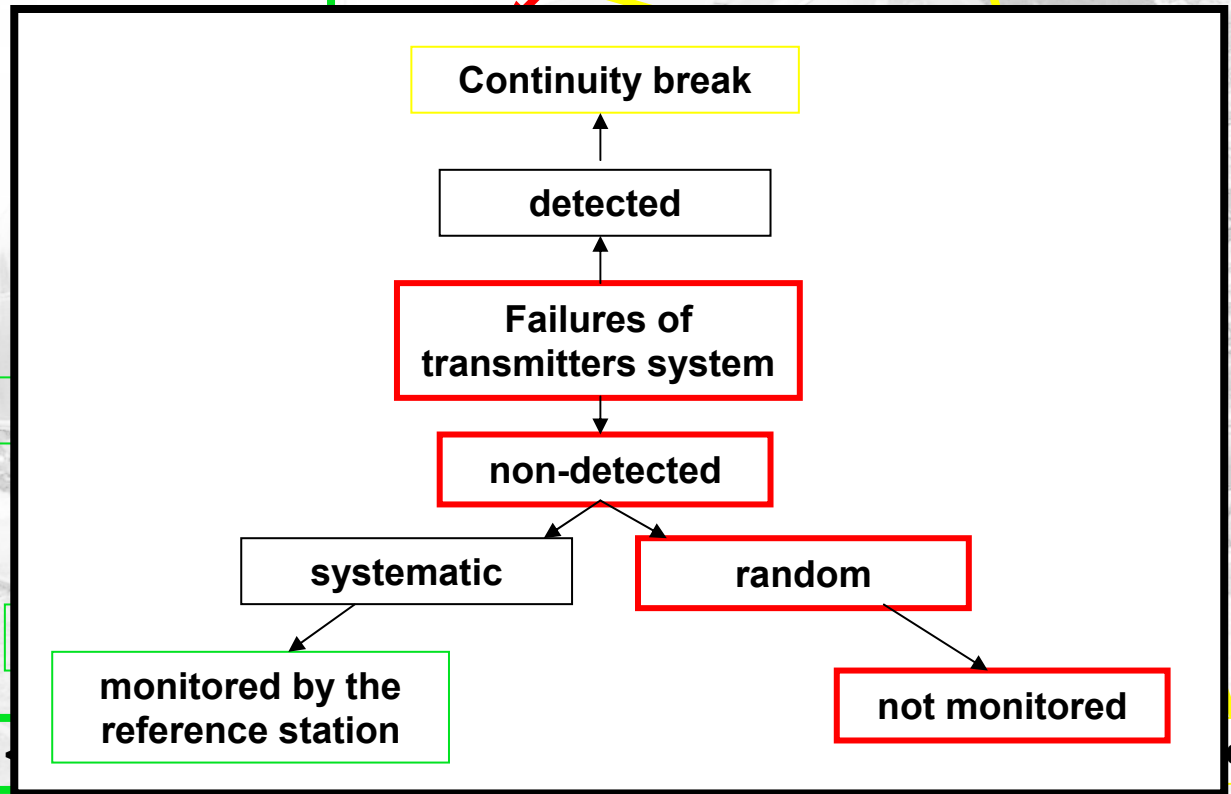
2. Integrity Risk

**Transmitters system service**

OK

failed

service break



OK : Position error

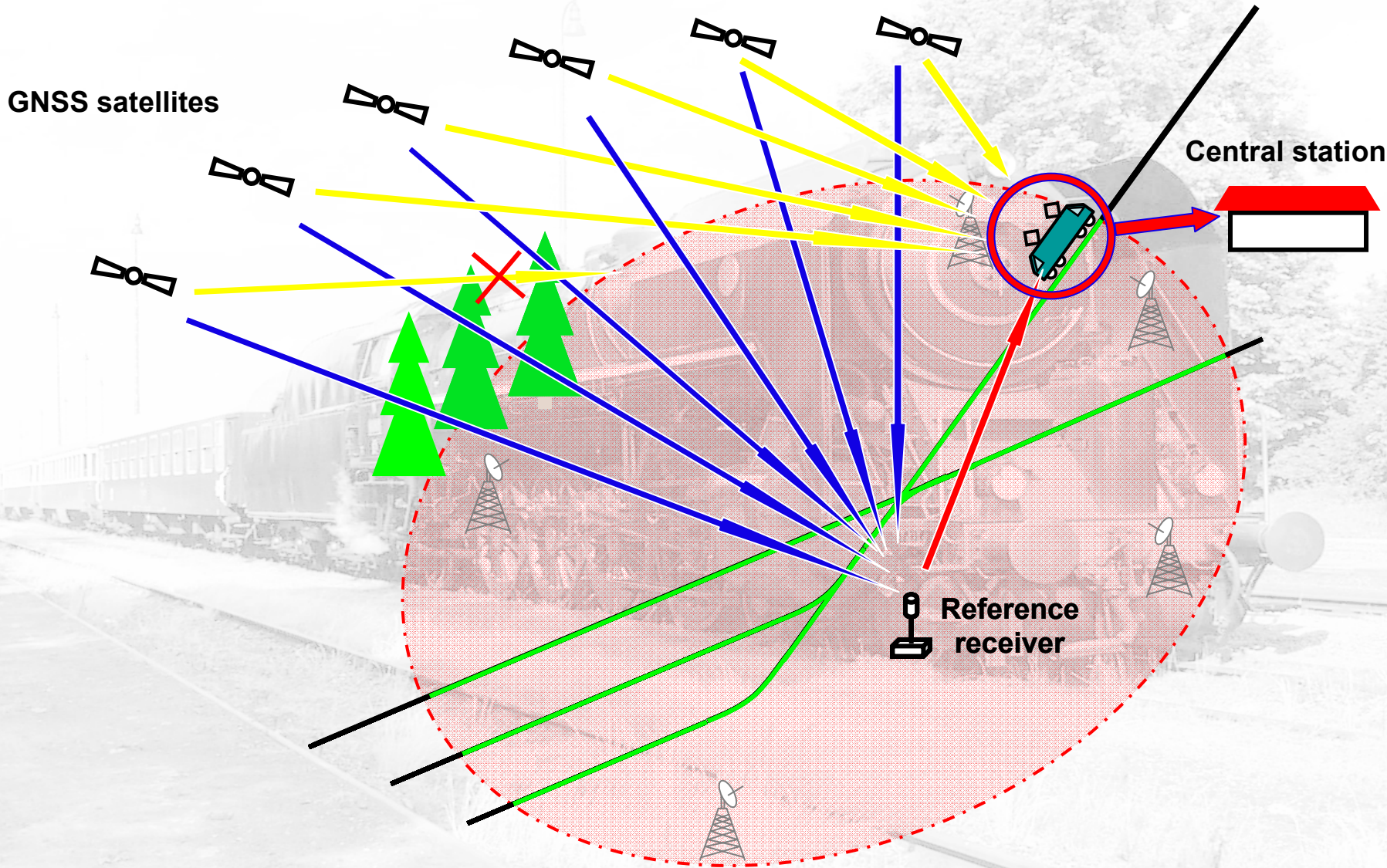
**Integrity Risk**

Non-detected

Detected

**Continuity Risk**

### Analogic scenario of the safe positioning by the satellite system

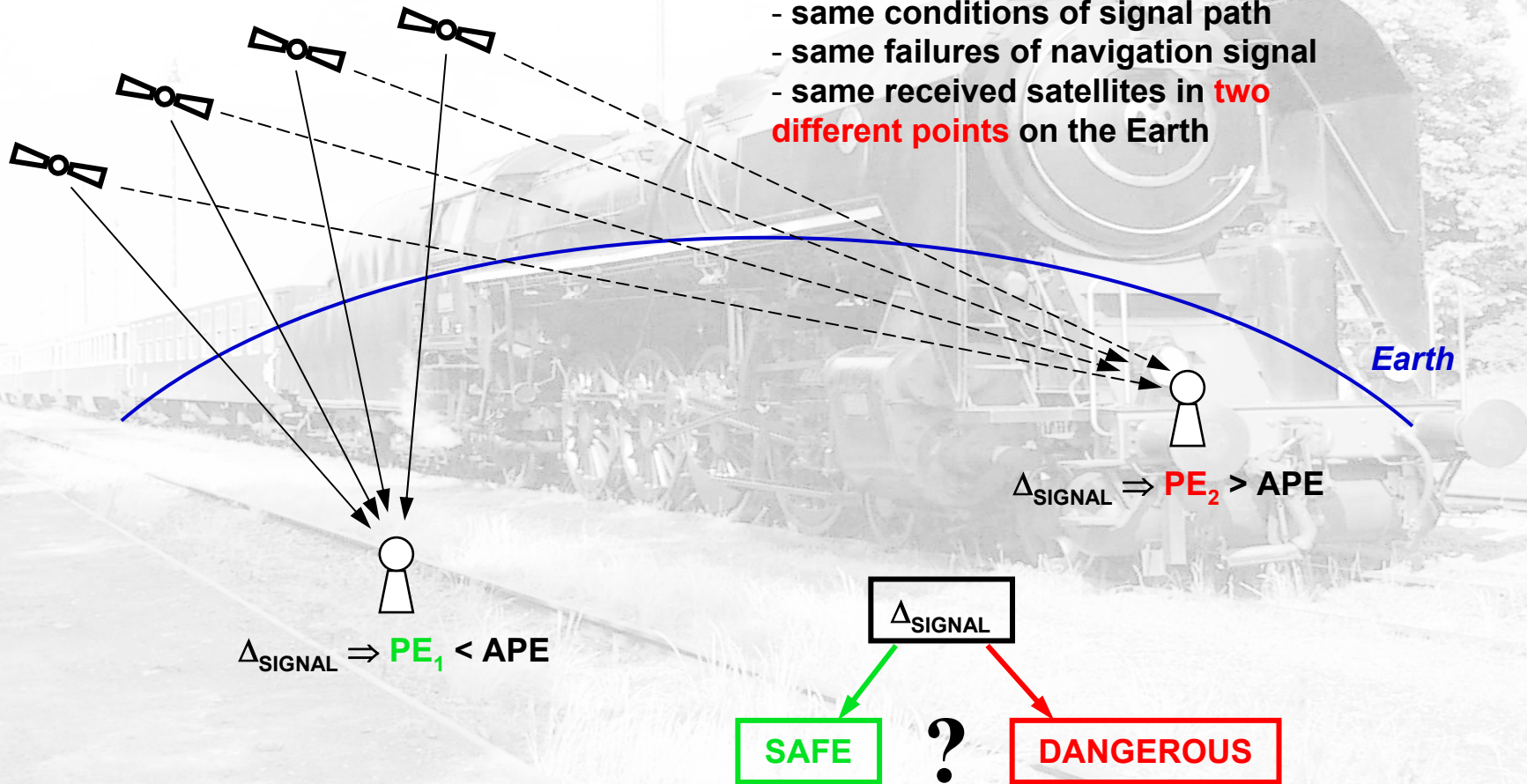




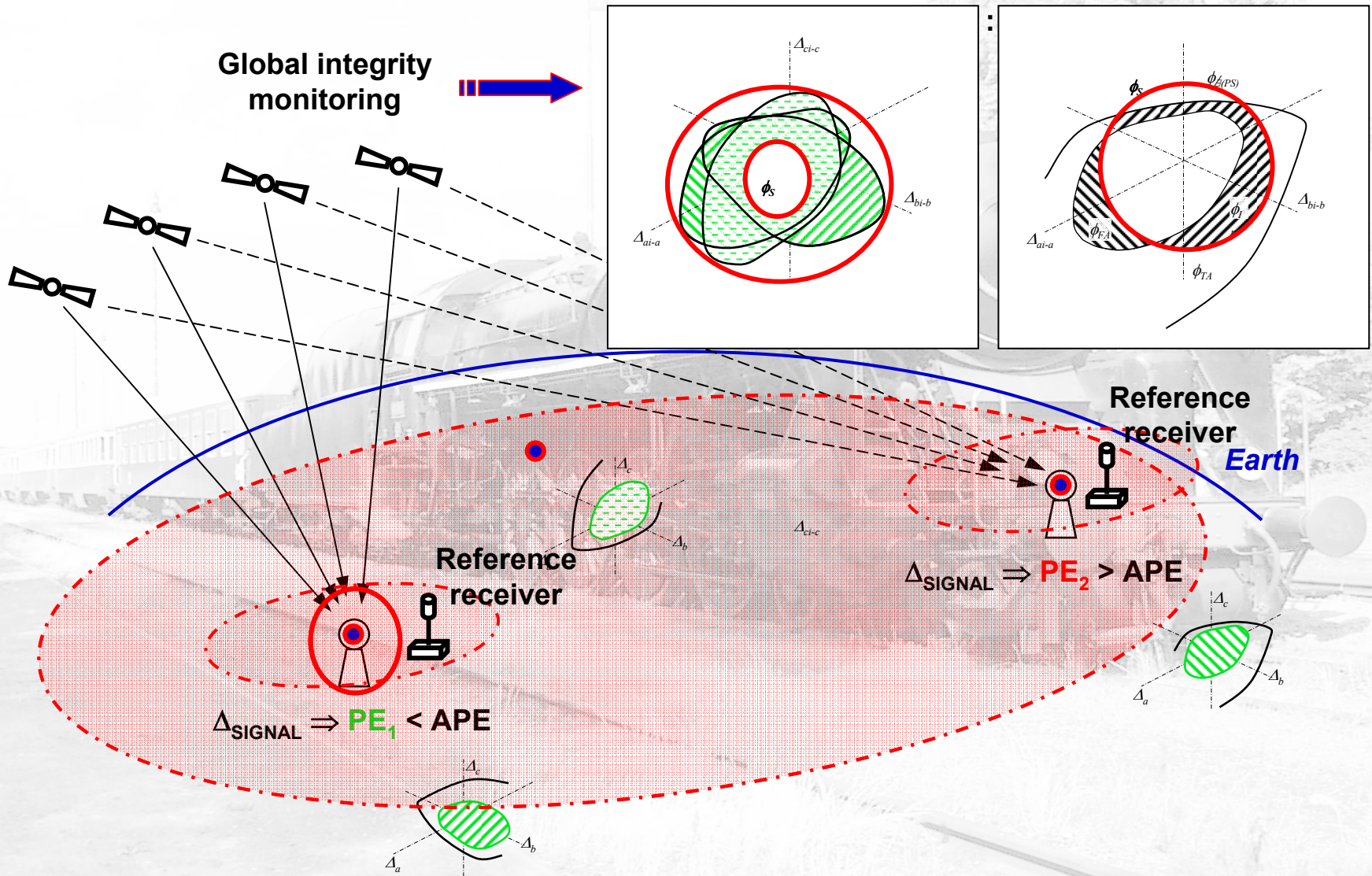
## What is necessary to certification of the satellite system?

One simply situation :

- one time
- same navigation signal
- same conditions of signal path
- same failures of navigation signal
- same received satellites in **two different points** on the Earth

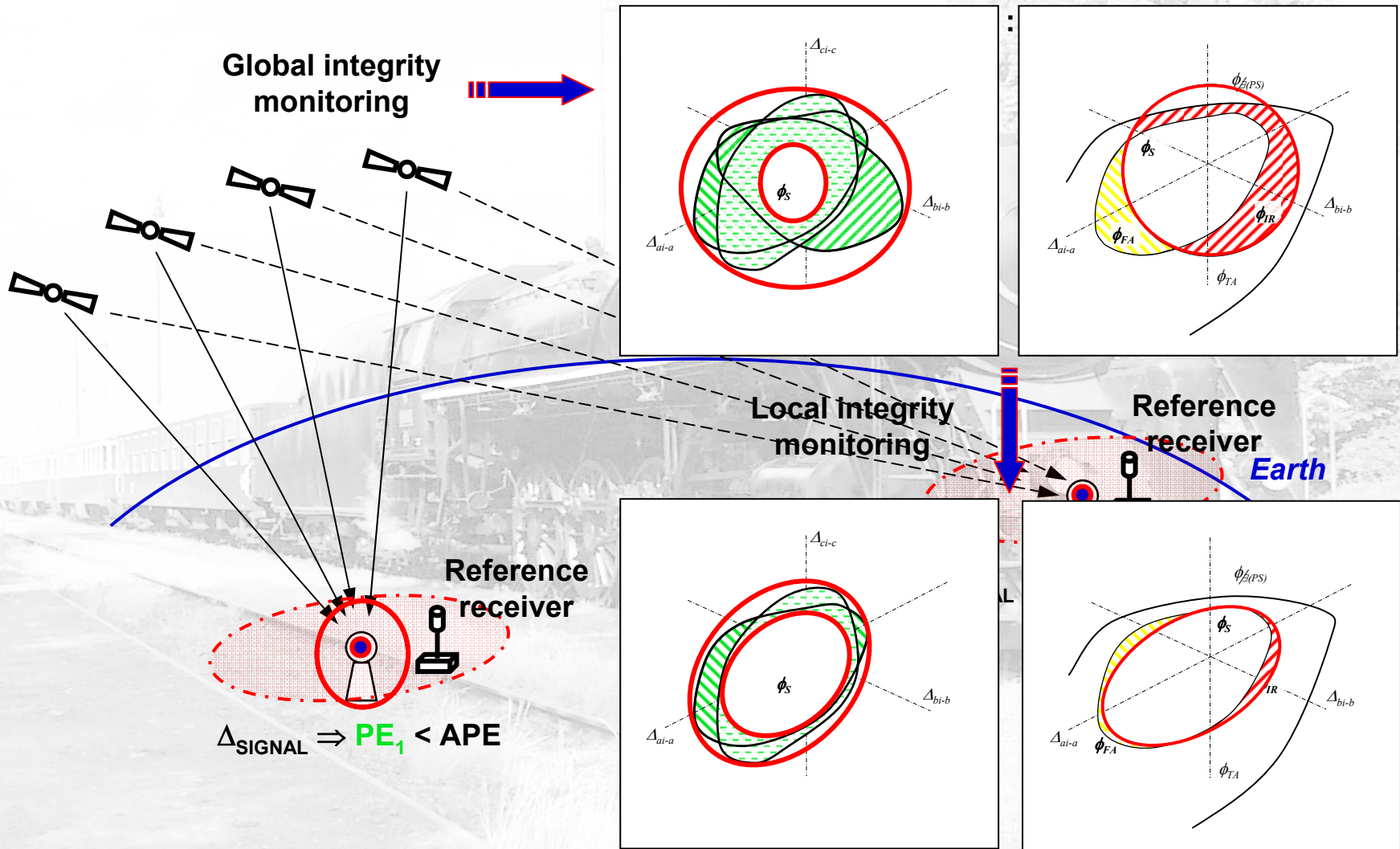


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**GNSS Integrity message :**

- CR** – risk of all breaks owing to satellite. system failures, failures on signal path, receiving and positioning failures ...
- IR** – risk of nondetected dangerous failures of satellite system, all dangerous failures

risks for systematic failures for positioning by

- number of satellites : 4
- radius of area of coverage : **1000 km**

IR : 8.01587.10-4  
CR : 3.65872.10-7  
PFA : 7.15480.10-4

**GNSS Integrity message :**

- CR** – risk of random break owing to satellite system failures
- IR** – undefinable information

**Reference station Integrity message :**

- CR** – risk of break owing to systematic failures of satellite system. signal path.
- IR** – risks for systematic failures for positioning by

risks for systematic failures for positioning by

- number of satellites : 4
- radius of area of coverage : **500 m**

IR : 1.67823.10-7  
CR : 2.15784.10-8  
PFA : 9.79658.10-6



## Conclusions

1. Certification of the satellite navigation system for some very critical safety related applications in global conception and the global coverage of the integrity by the satellite system in itself is very disadvantageous.

Global integrity must take to account of worst conditions of signal path, minimum number of received satellites at the worst possible constellation in the whole covered area... (a performance of basic requirements of safety applications in the railway is practically impossible).

*Certification of the GNSS/GALILEO for global using is only very small part of the certification of total positioning system used for given application.*

*What it's necessary for GALILEO certification?*

*Only risks related to random (non-systematic) failure, which can be global dangerous?*

*And, it's possible to global cover all dangerous failure for all applications, which will require certification?*

2. At the using of the local monitoring of integrity and continuity by the reference station, it's important only information from GNSS about the continuity risk caused by random failures of the satellite system. The integrity risk for GNSS in itself at the local conception is not possible to define – because it's not possible to define the safe and dangerous failure.

## Conclusions

3. **System certification must be the certification of the whole system, so system of satellites together with the signal propagation path, signal processing, measurement and finely including required safety related application.**
4. **Using of filters for measured data (usually based on the Kalman filterig method) increases generally the accuracy of position solution, but, at the same time it can be also a source of errors and it would have to also monitored.**



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A black and white photograph of a steam locomotive pulling a passenger train, serving as the background for the slide. The locomotive is a Class 475, with the number '475111' visible on its front. It is moving from right to left on a track. The train consists of several passenger cars. The background shows trees and a clear sky.

**Thank you.**

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