

# Design and Development of Electromagnetic Braking System

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**Abstract:** *The principle of braking in road vehicles involves the conversion of kinetic energy into heat. This high energy conversion therefore demands an appropriate rate of heat dissipation if a reasonable temperature and performance stability are to be maintained. While the design, construction, and location features severely limit the heat dissipation function of the friction brake, electromagnetic brakes work in a relatively cool condition and avoid problems that friction brakes face by using a totally different working principle and installation location. By using the electromagnetic brake as supplementary retardation equipment, the friction brakes can be used less frequently and therefore practically never reach high temperatures. The brake linings thus have a longer life span, and the potential brake fade problem can be avoided. It is apparent that the electromagnetic brake is an essential complement to the safe braking of heavy vehicles.*

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