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# Facing Point Lock and Detection Testing – Combined Point Machine

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# **About This Standard**

This document defines the procedures and tests to be followed when carrying out maintenance on a combined point machine, facing point lock and detector.

# 1 General

Refer to Section 3.1 General Procedure in ESM-06-01 Facing Point Lock and Detection Testing.

## 1.1 Facing Point Lock

Refer to Section 3.2 Facing Point Lock in ESM-06-01 Facing Point Lock and Detection Testing.

## 1.2 Detection

Refer to Section 3.3 Detection in ESM-06-01 Facing Point Lock and Detection Testing.

### 1.3 Claw Locks

Where points are driven and locked by claw lock assemblies, the facing point lock test shall be conducted using a no-go obstruction gauge of 4.8 mm placed between the stock rail running face and the switch in line with the drive rod.

The detection shall be gauge tested as described for conventional electric point machines.

# 1.4 Clamp Locks

Where points are driven and locked by clamp lock assemblies, the facing point lock test shall be conducted using the 1.6 mm and 3.2 mm obstruction gauges placed in turn between the stockrail running face and the switch in line with the lock arm.

The 2.5/4 mm obstruction gauge for the clamp lock detection test is placed between the detector blade and the detector blade lug. The detection is to be made at 2.5 mm and be open with the 4 mm gauge.