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| Component | Failure Mode | probability of occurrence | severity of failure | probability of detection | n Risk Priority Number (R | Risk Priority Number (RPN) | |
|---|--|---------------------------|---------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------|--|
| horizontal pins holding trains together | Single pin fails | | 5 | 6 | 7 | 210 | |
| | Double pin failure adjacent pins,simultaneously | | 2 | 10 | 10 | 200 | |
| | Double pin failure adjacent pins, period of time between failure | | 5 | 10 | 10 | 500 | |

Notes: scale of 1 to 10 used for each column

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