

Train Derailment near the Cruachan Power Station

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The train was derailed near the Cruachan Power Station close to Loch Awe in Argyll. None of the 60 people on board the Glasgow to Oban service was seriously injured.

The A85 Oban to Perth road was closed for 7 days. A train carriage was left hanging precariously over a 50ft drop on to the road. The picture depicts the logistical nightmare of lifting the 40 ton carriage off the embankment.



Motorists should allow extra time for their journeys and pay attention to any advisory signs which will be in place throughout the works. For real time journey planning information visit <http://www.trafficscotland.org/>