## RAILKING TINPLATE PREMIER O GAUGE AND STANDARD GAUGE TRAINS



## **Celebrating 25 Years**

In this our 25th year, we invite you to compare each of our More Detail: product lines with those of our competitors. While we are all making strong contributions to the hobby, we believe no other manufacturer has matched the variety, the prototypical detailing, and the amount of brand-new tooling in our 2005 product line. As they say in Hollywood, "you're only as good as your last picture," or, put another way, "what have you done for me - lately?" Here's a sampling of what's new in this catalog and what we've done for you in our 25th vear.

#### **New Locomotive Tooling:**

Among the locomotives appearing for the first time in this catalog are the moderately-priced RailKing Scale Alco RS-1 and Baldwin VO-1000 diesels. In our Premier Line, you'll find new offerings from the tiny Pennsylvania A5s 0-4-0 switcher to the massive C&O Kanawha 2-8-4 to the newest diesel on American rails, Electro-Motive's SD70ACe.

#### **New Freight Car Trucks:**

All of our 2005 Premier and RailKing freight cars are equipped with new trucks that employ a new coupler design, feature smoother and better rolling wheel sets and on Premier versions included enhanced detail like separate brake hoses for an added touch of realism.

#### **More Realism:**

During our first 25 years, we've witnessed a shift in interest among a large number of O gaugers, from a desire to own the trains of their youth to a quest for realistic models that rival or exceed the detail found in other gauges. Many of you have told us you want more accurate models, and we've worked to meet those desires. Our research for a new car or locomotive now includes working with railroad historical societies, searches through archives, museum visits to measure and photograph preserved equipment, and anything else it takes to give you the most accurate model trains we can produce. This does not, however, mean we are abandoning hobbyists who enjoy traditional-sized, attractively priced O gauge trains. As you can see in this catalog, our RailKing and Rugged Rails lines are full of new models and roadnames.

Our Premier Line locomotives and cars for 2005 have more added-on details than ever before. A few years ago we were the first to add bell and whistle cords to die-cast steam engines, and Premier Line engines have continued to lead the way in prototype detailing. You'll also notice that our latest freight car offerings have metal grab irons and other separate detail parts.

#### **Period Models:**

In our past two catalogs, we introduced the first line of diecast O scale locomotives from the turn of the century - 19th century, that is. Our unique commitment to scale-proportioned period models continues in this catalog with new roadnames for our popular 2-8-0 Consolidation and new rolling stock to match our period steamers.

#### **DCS Upgrades:**

When we introduced our Digital Command System (DCS) in 2002, we promised you that software upgrades would be available on our Web site. Since then, we've added new functionality, made the system more robust, and eliminated virtually all known software bugs - and made each upgrade available as a free Internet download. Our latest upgrade in January 2005 added the ability to raise and lower the remote pantographs on our newest electric locomotives. You can buy a DCS system any time with the assur ance that it won't become obsolete tomorrow.

#### Service After the Sale

While we try to build MTH trains to last a lifetime, the reality is that all things mechanical and electrical are subject to occasional breakdowns. We think one of the true measures of a company's attitude toward its customers is how easy it is to get service and parts. Over the past four years, we've worked to build a network of service centers across the United States, with the goal of enabling virtually any customer to walk into a local hobby shop and have MTH products serviced by a factory-trained technician. As of April 2005, the number of service centers stood at 150 and growing. This year, as in past years, we will host regu-

lar training seminars at our Columbia, Maryland head quarters to train new technicians and to give existing tech nicians the opportunity to refresh and update their knowledge of our products. Of course, we also maintain a fullystaffed repair department in Columbia, as well as an extensive parts inventory. We believe nobody in the hobby can match our parts availability or our commitment to providing service at the hobby shop level.

#### **Management Continuity**

At MTH, we believe that one of our greatest resources is a management team distinguished for its unique blend of talent, continuity, and cohesiveness. As many of you know, Mike Wolf started this business as a teenager working out of a spare bedroom in his parents' home. As the company grew, he hired the most talented people he could find to head each department. Many of them are folks he grew up with, who proved their talents in other careers and then joined Mike in his adventure. As a result, the management team at MTH has a shared philosophy, a unity of purpose, and a history together that we think are unmatched in this hobby. We think that bodes well for the future of this company and for your investment in MTH products - because you can rest assured that the direction of this company and its commitment to the hobby will never be in question.

Some of you have been reading our catalogs as long as we've been in business, while others may be picking up our catalog for the first time. To those of you who've been with us for all or much of this wonderful ride we've had for 25 years, we thank you. We owe our success to you, and we try to remember that every day. We hope we'll continue to surprise and delight you for many years to come. To those of you who are new to O gauge or may be considering your first MTH purchase, we welcome you and hope you'll join us in a hobby that gives all of us a huge amount of enjoyment, relaxation, excitement, and friendship.

The Proto-Sound 2.0 Upgrade Kit has been created for older M.T.H. strongly encourages consumers to utilize the nation-M.T.H. Premier Line steam locomotives and can be purchased wide network of M.T.H. Authorized Service Centers for instaldirectly from the company's website or through an M.T.H. lation of the Proto-Sound 2.0 upgrade kit. As M.T.H. has long Authorized Retailer. Each kit consists of a Proto-Sound 2.0 cir- cautioned, upgrading a locomotive to Proto-Sound 2.0 requires significant rewiring of the locomotive, installation of cuit board, a coil wound Proto-Coupler, various wire harnessnew mounting brackets, soldering and careful wire managees, new speaker, new rechargeable batteries, new mounting brackets, and headlight and backup light bulbs. The kits are ment to prevent pinched wires that could damage the circuit boards. Consult a participating M.T.H. Authorized Service warranted for 90 days when installed by a participating M.T.H. Authorized Service Center. Each kit will require pro-Center for instalation costs. Cost are estimated to range from aramming of a sound set prior to operation. The sound sets can \$99 to \$150 depending on the locomotive. be downloaded from the M.T.H. website at no charge but will require the DCS system in order to be uploaded into the upgraded locomotive.

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n some cases, the Proto-Sound 2.0 Upgrade Kit can also be installed in non-M.T.H. locomotives. The only requirements for compatibility is sufficient space in the locomotive to house the electronics and a fywheel equipped motor for speed control reaulation.

train, even if you sell it.

#### Demand Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 In Your Next Locomotive

Virtually all features found in factory equipped Proto-Sound 2.0 locomotives are included in the Proto-Sound 2.0 Upgrade Kit. These include conventional and command mode Proto Speed Control, full Ps2 digital sound effects, DCS command features, conventional and command mode Proto-Coupler operation, conventional and command mode synchronized puffing smoke on locomotives equipped with fan driven M.T.H. smoke units, self recharging battery backup system and oper-

#### Proto-Sound 2.0 Upgrade Kit Features

- Proto Speed Control run locomotives at constant speeds up and down grades, through curves with and without loads.
- Proto-Coupler Operation uncouple your train at any time in conventional or command mode
- Synchronized Puffing Proto Smoke\*\* puffing smoke & chuffing steam sounds timed to driver revolutions.
- Proto-Sound 2.0 Diaital Sound & Control Effects Full command control features and CD-like quality.
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- Choose From Diesel or Steam Locomotive Kits
- 90-Day Limited Warranty\*\*\*

#### **Performance Service Plan**

All M.T.H. Electric Trains locomotives featured in the 2005 product line can now be purchased with an optional three-year M.T.H. Performance Service Plan (PSP) available either directly from M.T.H. or through your local M.T.H. Authorized Retailer. Each PSP ensures that you will receive added warranty protection beyond the normal M.T.H. One-Year Limited Warranty. The PSPs are renewable and transferrable so the protection goes with your • Transferrable

PSPs can be ordered online at www.mthtrains.com within 30 days of the date of purchase of any 2005 M.T.H. locomotive. PSPs can also be ordered from any M.t.H. Authorized Retailer within 30 days of purchase. Locomotives must be purchased from an Authorized M.T.H. Retailer and a copy of the sales receipt must be provided before the PSP will be issued.

- Parts & Labor on Proto-Sound 2.0 Electronics\* is Fully Covered
- No Deductible or Out-of-Pocket Expenses\*\*
- Free Return Shipping Back to Customer Renewable

\* Batteries, Lights, Pickup Rollers are not included.

\*\* Reimbursement of return shipping to factory for repair is not

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#### Did You Know?

The Triplex was engineered to haul 640 fiftyton cars in a train almost five miles long. But the couplers and draft gear of the early twentieth century could not have handled such a load, so the 2-8-8-8-2 was used as a pusher and never put to a full test.

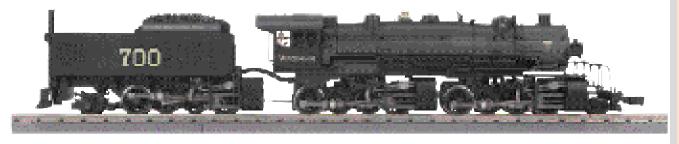


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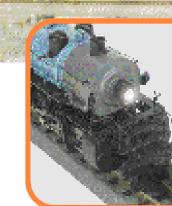
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#### FEATURES

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- Die-Cast Metal Chassis
- Authentic Paint Scheme
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Constant Voltage Headlight
- Die-Cast Truck Sides
- Remote Controlled Proto-Coupler<sup>™</sup>
- Engineer and Fireman Figures
- Metal Handrails and Decorative Bell
- Decorative Metal Whistle

- Real Coal Load
- Synchronized Puffing ProtoSmoke<sup>™</sup> Syster
- Locomotive Speed Control
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- Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 With The Digital Command System Featuring: Freight Yard Proto-Effects™
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- Operates On O-42 Curves





Erie - 2-8-8-8-2 Triplex Steam Engine With Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 \$699.95

Baltimore & Ohio - 2-8-8-8-2 Triplex Steam Engine With Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 \$699.95

Great Northern - 2-8-8-8-2 Triplex Steam Engine 30-1370-1 With Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 \$699.95

Virginian - 2-8-8-8-2 Triplex Steam Engine With Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 \$699.95

. T. Barnum would have loved the Triplex. It was an engine of superlatives: more drivers than anything before or since, too big for the shops of its owner, the Erie Railroad, powerful enough to pull a train nearly five miles long. Ninety years ago, in the days before multiple-unit control allowed one throttle to control several locomotives, the Triplex was the ultimate attempt to put as much power as possible in the hands of a single engineer. In the end, it proved a noble, flamboyant, but less-than-successful experiment.

Baldwin Locomotive Works built three triplexes between 1914 and 1916 for pusher service on the Erie Railroad's daunting Susquehanna Hill (also known as Gulf Summit) near Deposit, N.Y. The cylinders of the Triplex's middle engine were powered by high pressure steam direct from the boiler, while the front and rear engines used low pressure steam exhausted from the middle cylinders.

Each triplex replaced three ordinary helper engines, and the new locomotives worked well enough to stay on the Erie roster for more than a decade. But the design proved a bit over the top and only one more Triplex was ever built, for the Virginian Railway. Even with their huge boilers, the locomotives could only make enough steam to go 10 mph. One reason was poor draft in the firebox, because only the front cylinders exhausted through the smokebox and created draft; the rear cylinders exhausted through a separate smokestack on the tender. Another inherent problem with the design was that traction from the rear engine decreased as the boiler used coal and water and the tender got lighter.

The RailKing Imperial Triplex recreates the flamboyance of the original design but runs better than the prototype ever did. Only MTH engineering could make such a complex model run smoothly and steadily at speeds from a barely perceptible crawl to wide-open throttle. For 2005 the Triplex returns to the RailKing Imperial line decorated for both of the roads that owned these engines and two other roads that probably would have - if only the prototypes had run as well as the MTH model.





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#### FEATURES

- Die-Cast Boiler and Tender Body
- Die-Cast Metal Chassis
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Constant Voltage Headlight
- Die-Cast Truck Sides
- (2) Precision Flywheel Equipped Motors
- Metal Handrails and Decorative Bell
- Decorative Metal Whistle
- Remote Controlled Proto-Coupler™
- Synchronized Puffing ProtoSmoke<sup>™</sup> System

- Locomotive Speed Control
- Authentic Paint Scheme
- Real Coal Load
- Engineer and Fireman Figures
- Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 With The Digital
- Command System Featuring: Freight Yard Proto-Effects™
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- Operates On O-31 Curves

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Union Pacific - 4-8-8-4 Big Boy Steam Engine With Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 \$699.95

# NOW WITH A LONGER MORE SCALE SIZED TENDER





#### **Did You Know?**

Writer Henry Comstock beautifully described the Big Boy's place at the apex of steam engine history: "A Union Pacific 'Big Boy' was 604 tons and 19,000 cubic feet of steel and coal and water, poised upon 36 wheels spaced no wider apart than those of an automobile. That it could thunder safely over undulating and curved track at speeds in excess of 70 miles an hour was due in large measure to the efforts of two long-forgotten pioneers. As early as 1836, the basic system that held its wheels in equalized contact with the rails was patented by a Philadelphian named Joseph Harrison; and a French technical writer, Anatole Mallet, first thought to couple two driving units heel to toe below one boiler in 1874."

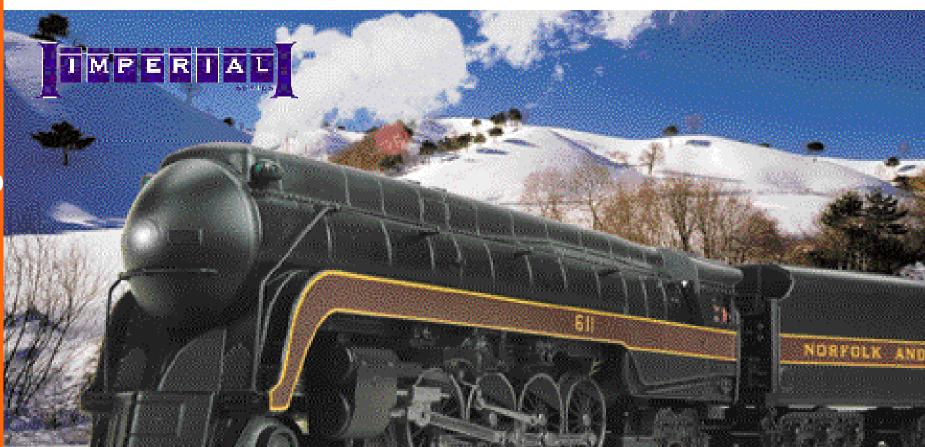


ust months before Pearl Harbor, the American Locomotive Company delivered the first Big Boy to the Union Pacific Railroad. The UP's Department of Research and Mechanical Standards had designed the locomotive for a specific task: to pull a 3600-ton train unassisted over the Wasatch Mountains in Utah. While the Big Boy is often cited as the biggest steam locomotive ever built, in fact it is not. The Norfolk & Western's Y6 and A, the Duluth Missabe & Iron Range's Yellowstones, and the Chesapeake and Ohio's Alleghenys were all in the same league, and some exceeded the Big Boy's weight and power.

But in the battle for hearts and minds, the Big Boy won. Perhaps it was the name, simple and direct, scrawled on a locomotive under construction by an ALCo shop worker. Maybe it was timing, as the Big Boys hit the road just when America needed symbols to rally around. Maybe the UP's publicity department just did a better job of telling the world what great equipment they had. Whatever the reason, the Big Boy captured the imagination of railfans and the American public over the ensuing years, perhaps more than any other steam engine. In many ways it is the symbolic locomotive of the American West, as big and powerful as the country it sped through.

This enduring symbol of American railroading returns to the RailKing line for 2005, complete with the industry-leading speed control, smoke output, and range of accurate sounds that characterize all MTH Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 locomotives. Both engine and tender are constructed of die-cast metal and adorned with detail. Our model features two motors and four traction tires for pulling power and speed that rival the original Big Boy.

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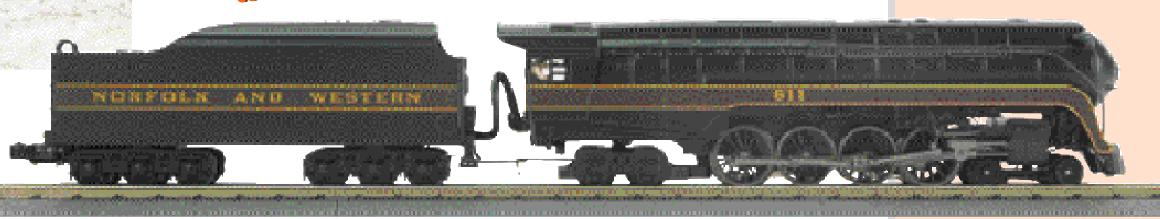
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#### FEATURES

- Die-Cast Boiler and Tender Body
- Die-Cast Metal Chassis
- Colorful Paint Scheme
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Constant Voltage Headlight
- Die-Cast Truck Sides
- Precision Flywheel Equipped Motor
- Remote Controlled Proto-Coupler<sup>™</sup>
- Metal Handrails and Decorative Bell
- Decorative Metal Whistle

- Synchronized Puffing ProtoSmoke<sup>™</sup> System
- Locomotive Speed Control
- Engineer and Fireman Figures
- Operating Tender Back-up Light
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- Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 With The Digital Command System Featuring: Passenger Station Proto-Effects™
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- Operates On O-31 Curves







Norfolk & Western - 4-8-4 "J" Northern Steam Engine, Cab # 611 With Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 \$449.95

Norfolk & Western - 4-8-4 "J" Northern Steam Engine, Cab # 608 With Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 \$449.95

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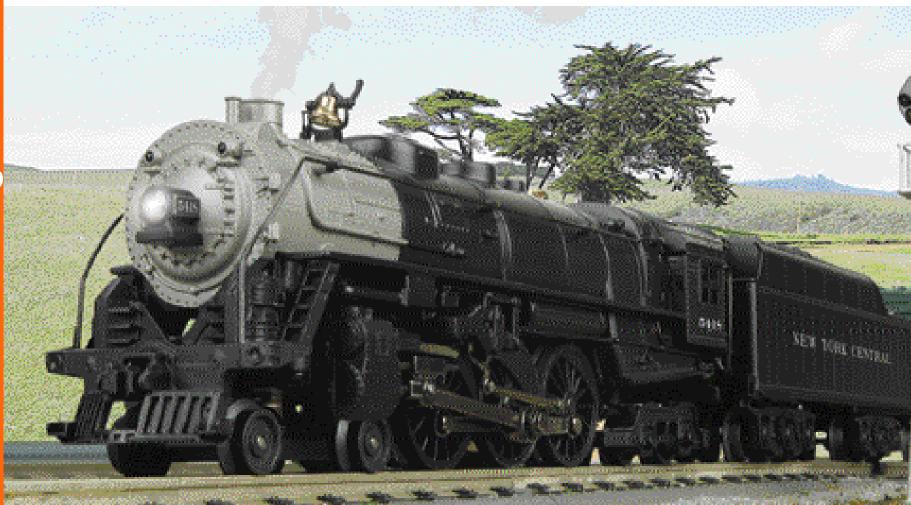
hile many railroads have switched to diesel power by the 1950's, Norfolk and Western was profitably using steam power until the 1960's. No other railroad fought dieselization for so long. The locomotive that led the fight was the "J" class 4-8-4. The J was so successful because in its design, N&W addressed one of the main problems that railroads had with steam locomotives: maintenance. The J's axleboxes had roller bearings. Its mechanical lubricators oiled other bearings, the steam cylinders and oil pumps. With these and other advancements, J's only had to visit the repair shops once every  $1 \frac{1}{2}$  years.

Even though N&W built their J's in their own Roanoke, Virginia shops, outside sources supplied many necessary parts. Many of these outside suppliers were rapidly going out of business. The parts supply shortages, a changing coal market, changing horsepower needs and other factors finally caused the end of the last steam program in 1960.

Today, the Norfolk and Western J is alive and well and returns to the RailKing line of steam engines with the incredible Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 digital command system.

## NOW WITH REAL COAL IN TENDER

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Christmas - 4-6-4 Hudson Steam Engine 30-1360-1

#### • Die-Cast Metal Chassis

- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Precision Flywheel Equipped Motor
- Metal Handrails and Decorative Bell
- Decorative Metal Whistle
- Operating Marker Lights
- Die-Cast Boiler and Tender Body
- Constant Voltage Headlight
- Die-Cast Truck Sides
- Engineer Figure

#### FEATURES

- Colorful Paint Scheme
- Remote Controlled Proto-Coupler™
- Synchronized Puffing ProtoSmoke<sup>™</sup> System
- Locomotive Speed Control
- Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 With The Digital Command System Featuring: Passenger Station or Freight Yard Proto-Effects™
- Unit Measures:20 3/4" x 2 1/2" x 3 5/8"
- Operates On O-31 Curves

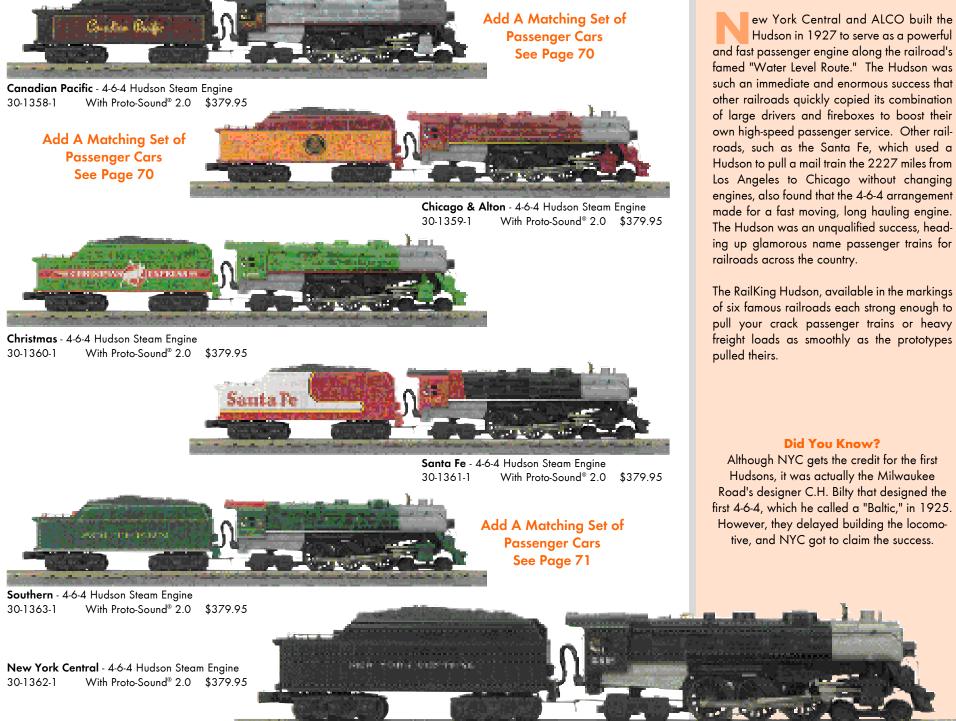






Southern - 4-6-4 Hudson Steam Engine 30-1363-1

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Did You Know?

ew York Central and ALCO built the

Hudson in 1927 to serve as a powerful and fast passenger engine along the railroad's

famed "Water Level Route." The Hudson was such an immediate and enormous success that

other railroads quickly copied its combination

of large drivers and fireboxes to boost their own high-speed passenger service. Other rail-

roads, such as the Santa Fe, which used a

Hudson to pull a mail train the 2227 miles from

Los Angeles to Chicago without changing engines, also found that the 4-6-4 arrangement

made for a fast moving, long hauling engine.

The Hudson was an unqualified success, head-

ing up glamorous name passenger trains for

The RailKing Hudson, available in the markings of six famous railroads each strong enough to

freight loads as smoothly as the prototypes

railroads across the country.

pulled theirs.

Although NYC gets the credit for the first Hudsons, it was actually the Milwaukee Road's designer C.H. Bilty that designed the first 4-6-4, which he called a "Baltic," in 1925. However, they delayed building the locomotive, and NYC got to claim the success.

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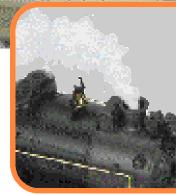
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#### FEATURES

- Die-Cast Boiler and Tender Bodies
- Die-Cast Metal Chassis
- Authentic Paint Scheme
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Die-Cast Truck Sides
- Precision Flywheel Equipped Motor
- Remote Controlled Proto-Coupler<sup>™</sup>
- Metal Handrails and Decorative Bell
- Die-Cast Boiler and Tender Body

- Locomotive Speed Control
- Engineer and Fireman Figures
- Synchronized Puffing ProtoSmoke<sup>™</sup>System
- Constant Voltage Headlight
- Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 With The Digital
- Command System Featuring: Freight Yard Proto-Effects™
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- Operates On O-31 Curves





Boston & Maine - 4-8-2 Mountain Steam Engine With Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 \$399.95

Northern Pacific - 4-8-2 Mountain Steam Engine With Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 \$399.95

Pennsylvania - 4-8-2 M1-a Mountain Steam Engine With Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 \$399.95

Duluth Missabe & Iron Range - 4-8-2 Mountain Steam Engine With Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 \$399.95

he Mountain represents the apex of Pennsy steam power in the golden age of railroading. It was the last in a line of highly successful, homedesigned, Belpaire-boilered Pennsy steamers that included the E6 Atlantic, the H series Consolidations, the K4 Pacific, and the 11 Decapod. (A Belpaire boiler is identified by the squared-off hump at the rear, above the firebox.) While the Pennsy's late experiments with modern streamlined steamers were visually exciting, they failed at their intended purpose - stopping the diesel onslaught. The M1's in fact outlasted all the experimental engines, soldiering on for three decades to the very end of steam.

The first M1 was built in 1923 in the PRR's Juniata shops and, in typical conservative Pennsy fashion, underwent years of testing and refinement before the railroad committed to the design. But once the die was cast, the Pennsy - the self-proclaimed Standard Railroad of the World - did things in a big way, as usual. Two hundred M1's were built in 1926 and a hundred M1a's, with slight upgrades from the original engines, were turned out in 1930 by Baldwin, Lima, and the Pennsy's own shops.

While the first Mountains were delivered pulling normal-sized tenders, with the 1930 delivery the huge "coast-to-coast" tenders became the norm. Although their large coal and water capacity lessened the need for fuel stops, they were also equipped with scoops for taking on water on the fly, from pans between the rails.

With their big 72-inch drivers, the Mountains were designed to be dual-service passenger and fast freight engines. Despite their name, they ruled the relatively level divisions of the Pennsy - except the electrified lines - where they could hustle 17- or 18car passenger trains or hundred-car freights. Within a few years of their introduction, the Mountains found their niche as the Pennsy's preferred freight engine in most non-electrified territory.

A true representative of the golden age of steam power, the Mountain returns to the RailKing line in 2005 lettered for the Pennsylvania and several other roads that rostered similar 4-8-2 locomotives. Both engine and tender are constructed of die-cast metal and adorned with detail. Complete with the industry-leading speed control, smoke output, and range of accurate sounds that characterize all MTH Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 locomotives, our Mountain is designed to rival the pulling power, dependability, and longevity of the Pennsy original.





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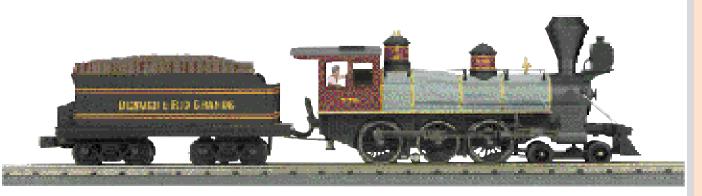
- Die-Cast Detailed Tender Body
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Precision Flywheel Equipped Motor
- Metal Handrails and Decorative Bell
- Decorative Metal Whistle
- Constant Voltage Headlight
- Die-Cast Truck Sides
- Remote Controlled Proto-Coupler™

#### FEATURES

- Synchronized Puffing ProtoSmoke™ System
- Colorful Paint Scheme
- Locomotive Speed Control
- Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 With The Digital Command System Featuring: Freight Yard Proto-Effects™
- Unit Measures: 17 1/2" x 2 7/8" x 3 1/2"
- Operates On O-31 Curves







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Denver Rio Grande - 4-6-0 Ten Wheeler Steam Engine With Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 \$349.95

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Pennsylvania - 4-6-0 Ten Wheeler Steam Engine 30-1373-1 With Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 \$349.95

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Denver Rio Grande - 4-6-0 Ten Wheeler Steam Engine With Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 \$349.95

he 4-6-0 steam locomotive appeared on the railroad scene in the mid- to late-19th Century. It largely replaced the 4-4-0 American type popularized in Currier & Ives prints, as heavier trains and mountainous terrain demanded more power.

The 4-4-0 design was first modified by locomotive builder Richard Norris & Son of Philadelphia, who added an extra driving axle at the rear of the locomotive to create the 4-6-0, or "Ten Wheeler" as it became known. The extra pair of drivers permitted the construction of a bigger boiler and firebox. Combined with the traction of the extra wheels, these changes produced a 50% increase in tractive effort over a 4-4-0. It would still be some time before designers thought to add a trailing truck to support an even larger firebox.

After the transcontinental railroad was completed in 1869, fleets of Ten Wheelers were among the engines that conquered the American West and built the young nation's first truly national transportation network. In a time when railroads were still new technology and black had not yet become the standard color of steam locomotives, many 4-6-0's were flamboyantly decorated in the colors of their individual railroads.

Relive the pioneering spirit of 19th-century railroading with the RailKing Ten Wheeler and RailKing period rolling stock. The Ten Wheeler returns to the MTH lineup in 2005 decorated for the Pennsylvania Railroad locomotives that conquered the Allegheny Mountains and the Denver & Rio Grande steamers that hauled tonnage over the Rockies. Featuring the incredible speed control, variable smoke output, and digital sound quality of Proto-Sound® 2.0, this locomotive is sure to become a favorite on your layout.

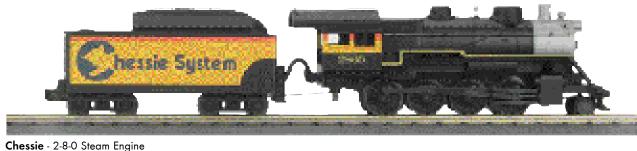




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#### • Die-Cast Boiler

- Detailed ABS Tender
- Die-Cast Metal Chassis
- Colorful Paint Scheme
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Constant Voltage Headlight
- Die-Cast Truck Sides
- Precision Flywheel Equipped Motor
- Remote Controlled Proto-Coupler™

#### FEATURES

- Metal Handrails and Decorative Bell
- Decorative Metal Whistle
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Pennsylvania - 2-8-0 Steam Engine With Proto-Sound® 2.0 \$249.95

Great Northern - 2-8-0 Steam Engine With Proto-Sound® 2.0 \$249.95

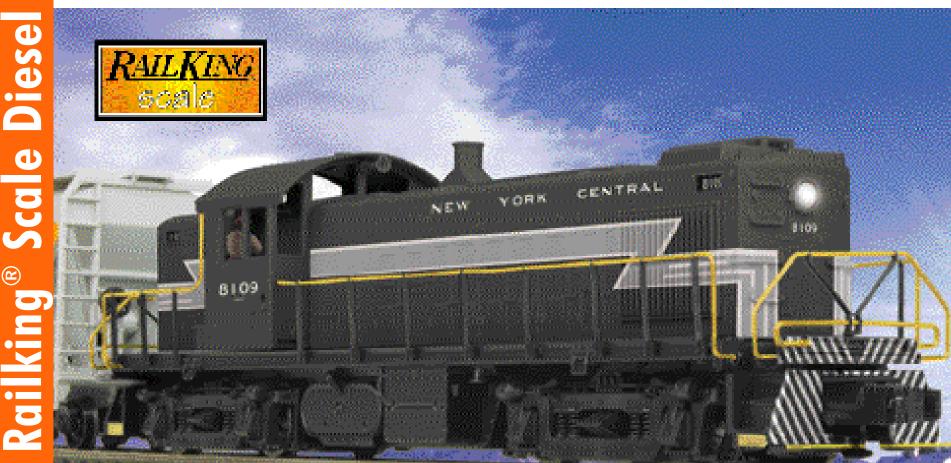
With Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 \$249.95

SpongeBob™ SquarePants - 2-6-0 Steam Engine 33-1018-0 With Whistle and Bell \$199.95

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he 2-8-0 steam engine was first developed in 1864-1865 to provide power for heavy trains running at moderate speeds, especially on steep grades. Alexander Mitchell, the chief mechanic for the Lehigh and Maloney Railroad, an eastern Pennsylvania coal hauler, designed the original 2-8-0. The Pennsylvania Railroad (PRR) was the first to put the 2-8-0 type engine on the rails when they rebuilt a Baldwin flexible-beam engine to a 2-8-0 configuration. For more than forty years, the 2-8-0 Consolidation was America's standard freight locomotive, working hard on virtually every railroad.

Produced in near-scale proportions, the Rugged Rails 2-8-0 steam locomotive may be low-priced but it's still equipped with the same high quality components and features found in more expensive RailKing steam locomotives. Featuring a die-cast metal locomotive boiler and chassis and durable ABS tender, each 2-8-0 is equipped with the stateof-the-art Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 system for an incredible operating experience. No other manufacturer gives you a locomotive with speed control, synchronized puffing smoke, remotely controlled Proto-Couplers™ or high quality digital sound at this low of a price. You'll be amazed at how slowly and smoothly she runs - up and down grades and around corners with or without a load. And When you see her smoke, with each puff timed to the revolutions of the drivers, you'll know that you've just obtained the best value in model railroading.



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- Intricately Detailed ABS Body
- Colorful Paint Scheme
- Metal Chassis
- Metal Handrails and Decorative Horn
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- (2) Operating Metal Couplers
- Die-Cast Truck Sides, Pilots and Fuel Tank
- (2) Cab Figures
- Unit Measures:
- Operates On O-31 Curves

#### ADDITIONAL POWERED FEATURES

- Proto-Sound 2.0 With The Digital
- Command System Featuring: Freight Yard Proto-Effects
- (2) Precision Flywheel Equipped Motors
- Metal Gears
- (2) Remotley Controlled Proto-Couplers™
- Locomotive Speed Control
- Directionally Controlled Headlights





30-2627-1 30-2627-3



Baltimore & Ohio - Alco Rs-1 Diesel Engine 30-2624-1 With Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 \$299.95 30-2624-3 \$129.95 Non-Powered

Illinois Central Gulf - Alco Rs-1 Diesel Engine With Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 \$299.95 Non-Powered \$129.95





Pennsylvania - Alco Rs-1 Diesel Engine With Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 \$299.95 Non-Powered \$129.95



he American Locomotive Company pioneered the multi-purpose "road switcher" design in 1941 with its 1000 hp RS-1 Alco's designers added a second, shorter hood to a basic switcher to make room for a steam boiler for passenger train heat. The short hood also afforded the crew additional accident protection. Smoother-riding trucks made the RS-1 suitable for the higher road speeds that would be daunting in a typical switcher. Although EMD's later GP7 and GP9 sold better and really established the road switcher as a universal locomotive, the RS-1 had the longest production run of any American-made diesel. The last new RS-1 left Alco's shops in 1960.

Interestingly, the first two years of RS-1 production went to the military. The 13 units that had been delivered to American railroads were requisitioned from their owners, and, along with 144 additional engines, were sent to Iran, Russia, and U.S. Army posts. These RS-1s were fitted with three-axle trucks to make them suitable for lighter rail on overseas roads. A group that plied the Trans-Iranian Railroad became known as "the diesels that saved Russia" because they brought in food and other supplies after the Luftwaffe had crippled Russian shipping. These engines later became the prototype for Russia's own early diesels.

The RS-1 debuts in the M.T.H. RailKing Line in 2005, fully outfitted with the power and performance of Proto-Sound® 2.0. Built to 1/48 scale proportions like the RailKing Scale RS-3, the RailKing RS-1 beautifully portrays the first road switcher in American railroading. At home with either freight or passenger consists and featuring smoke output from the train heat boiler in the short hood - the RS-1 is appropriate for a model railroad set in any period from the 1940s through the 1980s.

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#### NON-POWERED FEATURES

- Intricately Detailed ABS Body
- Colorful Paint Scheme
- Metal Chassis
- Die-Cast Truck Sides, Pilots and Fuel Tank
- Metal Handrails and Decorative Horn
- (2) Operating Metal Couplers
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- (2) Engineer Cab Figures
- Unit Measures: 18 1/2" x 2 5/8" x 3 7/8"
- Operates On O-31 Curves

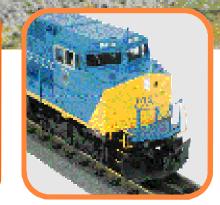
#### ADDITIONAL POWERED FEATURES

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- (2) Remotely Controlled Proto-Couplers™
- (2) Precision Flywheel Equipped Motors
- Illuminated Number Boards
- Intricately Detailed ABS Body
- Directionally Controlled Headlights
- Lighted Cab Interior and Marker Lights
- Metal Body Side Grilles
- Operating Smoke Unit

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- Locomotive Speed Control
- Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 With The Digital Command System Featuring:- Freight Yard Proto-Effects™





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n the late 1980s, as General Electric and General Motors' Electro-Motive Division engaged in heated competition (that continues today) for marketshare in the high horsepower category, GE announced the Dash-8 class of diesel locomotives. Although the first demonstrator version had only 3,200 hp, most of the Dash-8s had 4,000 hp when delivered. Because GE builds its diesel locomotives in five modules, it was able to customize its Dash-8s for each buyer to an unusual degree. Some railroads ordered their Dash-8s with the conventional narrow cabs, while other opted for the wider safety or comfort cabs. Some Dash-8s have 4-wheel trucks, and other have 6wheel trucks. All this variety means that these diesels, which were designed for fast freight duty, are also well suited for Amtrak's passenger service. Despite their many differences, all Dash-8s share microprocessor control. The microprocessor, a small computer, regulates rpm, fuel injection volume, generator excitation, and many other operational features to make the engines run more efficiently than any diesel ever had before them.

M.T.H. is proud to return this rugged American prototype as an all-new RailKing Scale model in a variety of roadnames that are sure to please. These highly detailed 1:48 scale models provide realistic operation and the long list of features shown.

#### Did You Know?

The microprocessor in the Dash-8 prototype recognizes if the engine is overheating while in a tunnel, as opposed to a malfunction on the open rails, and allows it to keep operating a full power for ten minutes, so the crew doesn't find itself stranded in a tunnel.

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#### FEATURES

- Colorful Paint Scheme
- Die-Cast Metal Chassis
- Die-Cast Truck Sides, Pilots and Fuel Tank
- Metal Wheels, Axles and Gears
- (2) Precision Flywheel Equipped Motors In Powered A Unit
- (2) Remotely Controlled Proto-Couplers<sup>TM</sup> (one per A Unit)
- Directionally Controlled Headlights

- Intricately Detailed ABS Bodies
- Locomotive Speed Control
- Operating Smoke Unit In Powered A Unit
- Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 With The Digital Command System Featuring:- Passenger
- Station Proto-Effects™
- Unit Measures:40 1/4" x 2 5/8" x 3 3/4"
- Operates On O-31 Curves





Canadian Pacific - F-3 ABA Diesel Engine Set With Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 \$499.95 Add A Matching Set of Passenger Cars See Page 72

Gulf Mobile & Ohio - F-3 ABA Diesel Engine Set 30-2629-1 With Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 \$499.95

Add A Matching Set of Passenger Cars See Page 73

MTH 25th Anniversary - F-3 ABA Diesel Engine Set 30-2630-1 With Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 \$499.95

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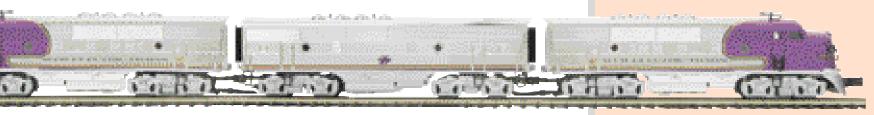
New York Central - F-3 ABA Diesel Engine Set With Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 \$499.95 Add A Matching Set of Passenger Cars See Page 74

hen the prototype railroads began to dieselize in the 1940s, model train manufacturers soon followed recognizing that boys wanted models of the newest trains they were seeing on real railroads. One of the initial toy train forays into into dieseldom was a replica of the best-selling diesel of the day, the F3 "covered wagon" made by the Electro Motive Division of General Motors.

Recognizing that EMD and the railroads were anxious to publicize their modern motive power, General Motors, the Santa Fe Railroad, and the New York Central Railroad helped share the cost of dies for the original models in exchange for having their names on engines that appeared on virtually every boy's holiday wish list for years. In the end, it seems the Santa Fe got the best deal, as its red, yellow, and silver "warbonnet" F3s remained a popular fixture on model railroad locomotives longer than any other railroad livery.

To this day, the F3 diesels of the late 1940s and early 1950s are recognized as some of the best toys ever produced. Virtually full O gauge scale models, they were tremendously dependable, highly detailed for their time, and terrific pullers.

Postwar and RailKing Scale fans will no doubt want to order this stellar M.T.H. replica of model railroading's most famous diesel. The look and feel of the classic original is faithfully reproduced, right down to the die-cast metal chassis. Under the hood, however, lies the power and performance of ProtoSound® 2.0, twin flywheel-equipped motors, and Proto-Smoke, offering today's model railroaders an operating experience that boys of the 1950s could only dream about.







#### 30-2618-1 30-2618-0 30-2618-3



#### NON-POWERED FEATURES

- Die-Cast Truck Sides, Pilots and Fuel Tank
- Colorful Paint Scheme
- Metal Chassis
- Metal Handrails and Decorative Horn
- Intricately Detailed ABS Body
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- (2) Operating Metal Couplers
- (2) Cab Figures
- Unit Measures: 17" x 2 5/8" x 3 7/8"
- Operates On O-31 Curves

#### ADDITIONAL POWERED FEATURES

- Directionally Controlled Headlights
- Metal Gears
- (2) Remotely Controlled Proto-Couplers®\*
- (2) Precision Flywheel Equipped Motors
  Illuminated Number Boards
- Operating Horn and Bell
- Locomotive Speed Control\*
- Operating ProtoSmoke<sup>™</sup>
- Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 With The Digital Command System Featuring: Freight Yard Proto-Effects™
  - \*Available on Proto-Sound® 2.0

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Pennsylvania - FM Train Master Diesel Engine

0-2617-1	With Proto-Sound <sup>®</sup> 2.0	\$299.95
0-2617-0	With Operating Horn and Bell	\$199.95
0-2617-3	Non-Powered	\$129.95

Canadian Pacific - FM Train Master Diesel Engine With Proto-Sound® 2.0 \$299.95 With Operating Horn and Bell \$199.95 \$129.95 Non-Powered



Erie Lackawanna - FM Train Master Diesel Engine 30-2619-1 With Proto-Sound® 2.0 \$299.95 30-2619-0 With Operating Horn and Bell \$199.95 \$129.95 30-2619-3 Non-Powered

Norfolk & Western - FM Train Master Diesel Engine With Proto-Sound® 2.0 \$299.95 With Operating Horn and Bell \$199.95 Non-Powered \$129.95



airbanks Morse got into the locomotive business because it made submarine engines. FM's unique opposed-piston diesel engine powered about half the U.S. Navy's World War II submarine fleet and developed a great reputation for reliability; the adaptation to railroad equipment during and after the war seemed like a natural transition.

In the opposed-piston motor, each cylinder had a piston at either end and the combustion chamber in the middle. There were no valves or cylinder heads. Intake and exhaust occurred through holes in the cylinder walls. The upper and lower banks of pistons each powered a separate crankshaft, and the two crankshafts were linked together to power the locomotive. While this sounds like a complex way to build an engine, the O.P. diesel in fact had several advantages over a conventional motor: less moving parts, terrific acceleration, and about double the horsepower per cylinder. In 1953 the O.P. engine reached its zenith in the Train Master.

Introduced at the Railroad Manufacturers' Supply Association show that year, FM's new locomotive took the show by storm. It was the most powerful singlemotored diesel locomotive of its era and had a brawny body to match its bold name. Emblazoned in bright yellow and red, four Train Master demonstrators barnstormed the country and walked away with any consist the railroads threw at them. For one brief moment, Fairbanks Morse looked like a contender

Ultimately, however, the opposed-piston engine proved ill-suited to locomotive use. The bone-jarring railroad environment was much rougher on the motor than a submarine cushioned by an ocean. The top crankshaft proved prone to oil leakage. Perhaps most important, maintenance was a nightmare. Whereas a single bad cylinder in an Electro-Motive diesel could be accessed by pulling off one cylinder head, a cylinder repair in an O.P. engine required removal of the top crankshaft and removal or disconnection of the entire top bank of cylinders - which also meant the roof of the locomotive had to come off. Ultimately, only 127 Train Masters were sold to 11 U.S. and Canadian railroads.

In the world of O gauge railroading, however, the Train Master was a hit from the moment it hit the market in the mid-1950's. The engine's massive size and tremendous pulling power have made it one of the most-loved engines among 3-rail operators for nearly half a century. The Train Master returns to the RailKing Scale lineup in 2005 in the paint schemes of four of the original purchasers, complete with the digital sound, amazing slow speed capability, and variable smoke output that make Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 the best sound and control system in O scale.

#### Did You Know?

Experienced engineers loved the Geep because, unlike the new streamliners, it felt like nome to them. An engineer in a Geep runnir long hood forward sat near the back of the ngine, looking out over the power plant - just as he had in a steam engine. Even running sho hood forward, the engineer's view was out past the engine's nose, similar to a steamer

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#### NON-POWERED FEATURES

- Intricately Detailed ABS Body
- Colorful Paint Scheme
- Metal Chassis
- Metal Handrails and Decorative Horn
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- (2) Operating Metal Couplers
- Die-Cast Truck Sides, Pilots and Fuel Tank
- (2) Cab Figures
- Unit Measures: 14 3/4" x 2 1/2" x 3 3/4"
- Operates On O-31 Curves

#### ADDITIONAL POWERED FEATURES

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- Metal Gears
- (2) Precision Flywheel Equipped Motors
- Directionally Controlled Headlights
- (2) Remotely Controlled Proto-Couplers™\*
- Operating Horn
- Operating Bell
- Locomotive Speed Control\*
- Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 With The Digital
- Command System Featuring: Freight Yard Proto-Effects™\*

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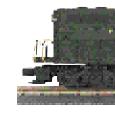


Missouri Pacific - GP-9 Diesel Engine									
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30-2638-0	With Operating Horn and Bell	\$199.95							
30-2638-3	Non-Powered	\$129.95							

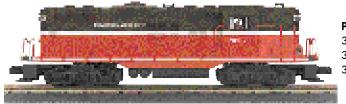
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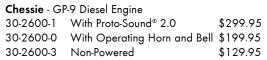
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Western Maryland - GP-7 Diesel Engine 30-2636-1 With Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 \$299.95 30-2636-0 With Operating Horn and Bell \$199.95 \$129.95 30-2636-3 Non-Powered







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0-2604-0	With Operating Horn and Bell	\$199.95
0-2604-3	Non-Powered	\$129.95

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7-0	With Operating Horn and Bell	\$199.95
7-3	Non-Powered	\$129.95



lectro-Motive Division's GP (for "General Purpose") engines were the brainchild of project engineer Dick Dilworth. In the late 1940s, Dilworth saw that America's 30,000 miles of main line rail had been virtually dieselized, but the 130,000 miles of secondary lines that carried half of the nation's freight traffic were still largely steam powered. He viewed that as a huge marketing opportunity.

In The Dilworth Story, a book published by Electro-Motive Division in 1954, Dilworth explained how he tried to meet that opportunity: "In planning the GP, I had two dreams. The first was to make a locomotive so ugly in appearance that no railroad would want it on the main line or anywhere near headquarters, but would keep it out as far as possible in the back country, where it could do really useful work. My second dream was to make it so simple in construction and so devoid of Christmas-tree ornaments and other whimsy that the price would be materially below our standard main-line freight locomotives."

Of course, Dilworth's explanation conveniently ignored the fact that Alco's arguably uglier RS-1 had introduced the road switcher concept eight years before EMD. And in one sense, Dilworth's project was a failure. Railroads bought Geeps for mainline service and relegated older power to secondary lines as they had always done. But his brainchild became the runaway best-seller among first-generation diesel power. U.S. and Canadian railroads bought nearly 7,000 copies of the 1500 horsepower GP7, introduced in 1949, and the 1750 horsepower GP9, produced from 1954 through 1963.

Except for the placement of a few ventilator louvers, the exterior of the GP9 was virtually identical to that of its older brother. Contrary to model railroading urban legend, the presence or absence of the dynamic brake blister on the top center of the long hood does not distinguish between the two locomotives, as both were available with optional dynamic braking.

Adding a full-featured, scale-proportioned locomotive to your diesel roster has never been easier than with the RailKing Scale GP9. Fully equipped with Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0, RailKing Scale engines may be the best value in all of model railroading. Watching these engines creep down the rails with the industry's best speed control system and hearing the incredible variety of sounds may just make the GP9 your favorite diesel. It's all possible thanks to the power and performance of Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0.

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#### NON-POWERED FEATURES

- Die-Cast Truck Sides, Pilots and Fuel Tank
- Colorful Paint Scheme
- Metal Chassis
- Metal Handrails and Decorative Horn
- Intricately Detailed ABS Body
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- (2) Operating Metal Couplers
- Unit Measures: 14 1/2" x 2 1/2" x 3 3/4"
- Operates On O-31 Curves

#### ADDITIONAL POWERED FEATURES

- Locomotive Speed Control
- (2) Precision Flywheel Equipped Motors
- (2) Remotely Controlled Proto-Couplers™
- Metal Gears
- (2) Cab Figures
- Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 With The Digital Command System Featuring: Freight Yard Proto-Effects™



#### 30-2605-1 30-2605-3



Monon - RS-3 Diesel Engine 30-2607-1 30-2607-3



Reading - RS-3 Diesel Engine 30-2609-1 30-2609-3





y the time the first RS-3's rolled off the assembly line in 1950, Alco had refined its road switcher concept to create "a truly universal locomotive which could do anything and go almost anywhere," in the words of author J.W. Swanson in New Haven Power. In contrast with its predecessor, the 1000 hp RS-1, the 1600 hp RS-3 had all the power of a road diesel of its time and could boil along at up to 80 mph.

For awhile in the early 1950's, ALCO looked like a true contender in the burgeoning road switcher market. RS-3's could be found on a majority of class one railroads doing everything from switching and transfer duties to mainline freight and even passenger and commuter service.

Ultimately, however, the RS-3 took a distant second place to Electro-Motive's GP7 and GP9 in sales volume. Perhaps what doomed Alco was EMD's already-commanding lead in the road diesel market in part because EMD's FT was the only road diesel allowed to be produced during World War II, when diesels began their takeover of American railroads. Other builders were relegated to producing diesel switchers until the conflict ended.

There was also talk that Alcos were less dependable. In hindsight, however, that seems to have been a result of EMD's sales lead. Perhaps shop crews were simply less familiar with Alco's model 244 prime mover and how to service it. In fact, roads with primarily Alco fleets, such as the New Haven, found Alco products to be very reliable when maintained properly. With their power and flexibility, RS-3's proved their worth so successfully that many railroads kept them on active duty after other first-generation diesels had been retired. They survived on class 1 railroads until the Delaware & Hudson retired its last RS-3 in 1986 and remained active in shortline and industrial service for years afterward.

Bring the versatility of this do-anything/go-anywhere engine to your railroad with the RailKing Scale RS-3. Thanks to ProtoSound<sup>®</sup> 2.0, our model features authentic Alco prime mover sounds, pulling power to match its hardy prototype, and a speed range from a slow crawl to full throttle. For 2005 this flexible firstgeneration diesel returns to the RailKing Scale lineup in six road names.

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#### NON-POWERED FEATURES

• Intricately Detailed ABS Body

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- Die-Cast Truck Sides, Pilots and Fuel Tank
- Colorful Paint Scheme
- Die-Cast Metal Chassis
- Metal Handrails
- (2) Operating Metal Couplers
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Unit Measures: 12" x 2 1/2" x 3 1/2"
- Operates On O-27 Curves

#### ADDITIONAL POWERED FEATURES

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- (2) Remotely Controlled Proto-Couplers™
- Die-Cast Truck Sides, Pilots and Fuel Tank
- (2) Precision Flywheel Equipped Motors
- Directionally Controlled Headlights
- Metal Gears
- Decorative Metal Horn
- Locomotive Speed Control
- Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 With The Digital
- Command System Featuring: Freight Yard Proto-Effects™



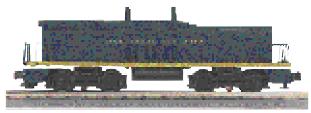






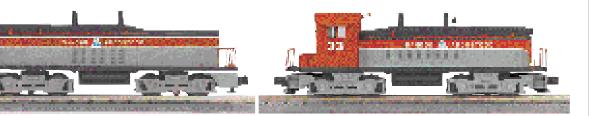
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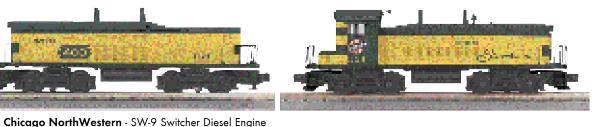


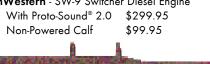
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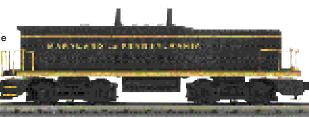






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Maryland & Pennsylvania - SW-9 Switcher Diesel Engine With Proto-Sound® 2.0 \$299.95 Non-Powered Calf \$99.95



MD's 800-hp SW-8s and 1,200-hp SW-9s both debuted in 1950, marking the next stage in the evolution of one of railroading's longest-lived diesel families. The first SW-class engine, the 600-hp SW1, appeared in 1939, and the SW-units remained in the EMD catalog until the 1,000-hp SW-1000 was finally retired in 1986. With the "SW" in the name denoting that the engine was built for switching duties, it never needed the high horsepower ratings of road diesels. They could be paired with cab-less "calf" units in the classic cow and calf configuration if a particular job needed more power.

These boxy little workhorses return to the M.T.H. RailKing lineup in 2005 in a new variety of roadnames. As with all RailKing diesel engines, each is available with the exciting Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 system for unprecented value and fun. As switch locomotives, the SWs are perfect for yard duty thanks to their incredible slow-speed performance - performance governed by M.T.H.'s industry-leading Proto-Speed Control<sup>™</sup> system. No other switchers can creep so slow or uncouple cars from front or rear without additional equipment. If you've got a transformer with a whistle and bell button, you've got the best switcher you can buy today.

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30-2643-1 30-2643-3



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- Intricately Detailed ABS Body
- Colorful Paint Scheme
- Die-Cast Metal Chassis
- (2) Operating Metal Couplers
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Die-Cast Truck Sides, Pilots and Fuel Tank
- (2) Cab Figures
- Unit Measures: 14 1/2" x 2 1/2" x 3 1/2"
- Operates On O-31 Curves

#### ADDITIONAL POWERED FEATURES

- Die-Cast Truck Sides, Pilots and Fuel Tank
- Directionally Controlled Headlights
- Metal Wheels, Axles and Gears
- (2) Remotely Controlled Proto-Couplers<sup>™</sup>
- (2) Precision Flywheel Equipped Motors
- Locomotive Speed Control

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- Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 With The Digital
- Command System Featuring:
- Passenger Station Proto-Effects™





he Baldwin Locomotive Works had been building steam engines for a century before it sold its first production diesel in 1937. While most of Baldwin's diesels were ultimately disappointments to its customers, the engines' unique looks won the hearts of American railfans and modelers. Nothing else on rails looked like the babyfaced 24-wheeled Centipedes or the Raymond Loewystyled Sharknoses. The distinctive VO-1000, perhaps the most muscular looking of all first-generation diesel switchers, was Baldwin's most successful product. The U.S. military and over 30 class one railroads bought 548 copies of the 1000 hp. engine between 1939 and 1946.

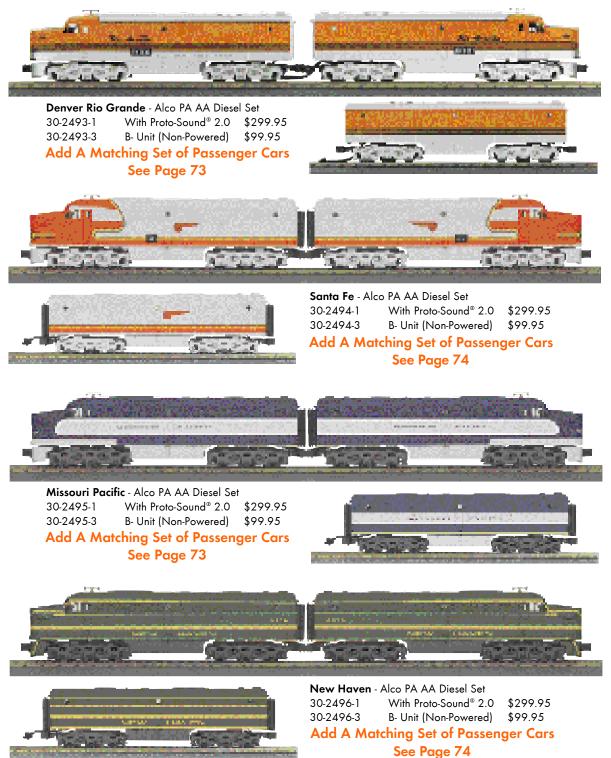
All Baldwin diesels were powered by variations of the same De La Vergne diesel motor. Acquired by Baldwin in 1931, the De La Vergne Engine Company had started life in 1880 making mechanical refrigeration machines for breweries. Its power plant for Baldwin's locomotives was rather unique among diesels of its time. In order to make the fuel burn slower and give their 4-cycle engine a longer power stroke, De La Vergne's designers used massive cylinders more than a foot in diameter and added a separate combustion chamber above each cylinder. To allow the fuel more time to burn, they ran the engine at a maximum speed of 625 rpm – just over half the speed of most competitive diesels. In the October 1936 issue of Baldwin Locomotives Magazine, the company claimed that "slow combustion gives low fuel consumption, absence of smoke, quick pick-up, and smooth idling."

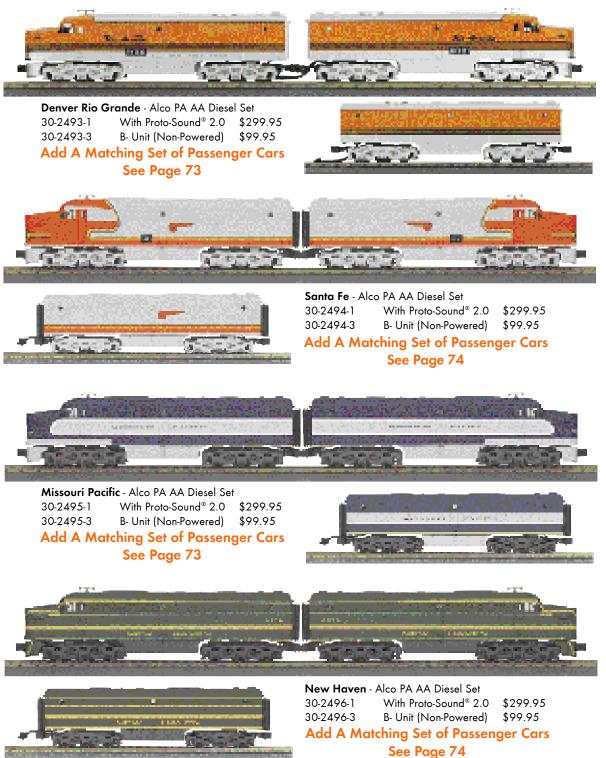
Ultimately the massive De La Vergne motor proved to be both a blessing and a curse. Teamed up with equally heavy-duty traction motors supplied by Westinghouse, Baldwin's prime mover found its niche in low-speed lugging assignments, which it handled relatively well. But those were just the types of assignments in which crews tended to abuse equipment and push an engine to its limits. As a result, Baldwin engines eventually developed a reputation for high maintenance costs. The VO-1000 switcher, with its normally aspirated 8-cylinder engine, was actually one of Baldwin's most dependable locomotives, and many served for decades. The turbocharged models that succeeded the VO-1000, however, were plagued with problems that included excessive piston wear. By 1956 it was clear that Baldwin was no longer a contender in the diesel business, and the nation's oldest locomotive builder threw in the towel.

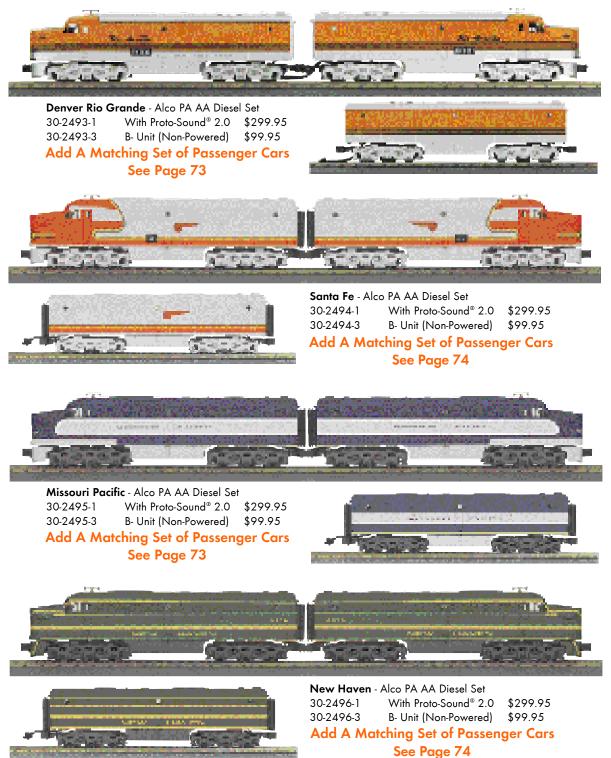
Relive the excitement and variety of the early diesel years with the RailKing Scale VO-1000. Thanks to ProtoSound® 2.0, our model features authentic Baldwin prime mover sounds and the ability to duplicate the low-speed lugging power of its prototype - as well as the ability to hustle along virtually as fast as you care to run it. For 2005 this new addition to the RailKing Scale lineup is offered in six authentic railroad and military paint schemes.

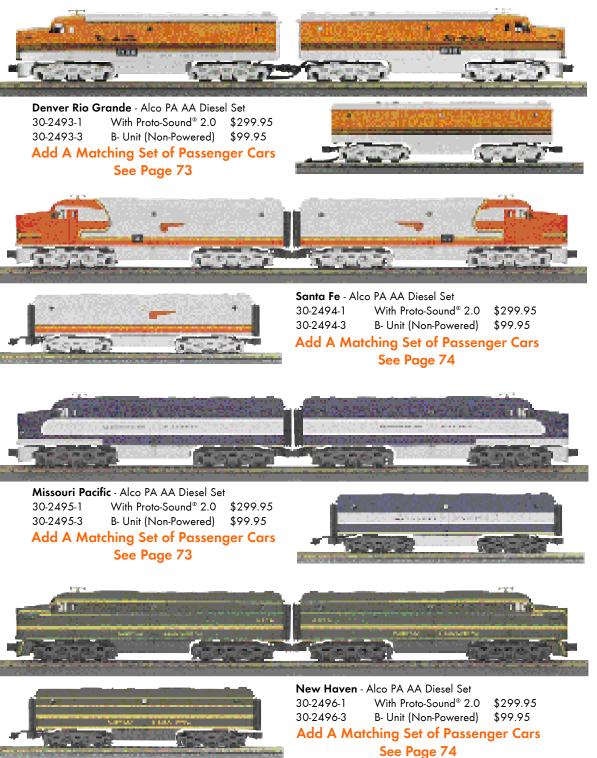
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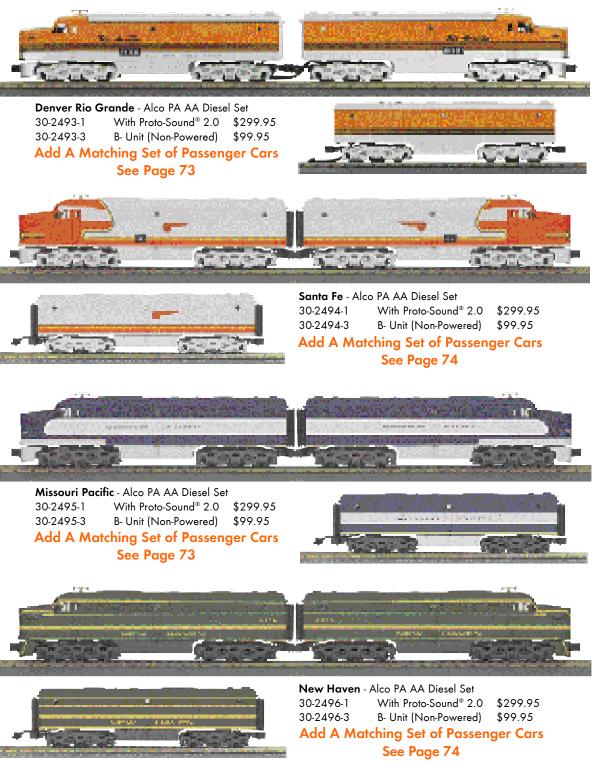












#### FEATURES

- Colorful Paint Scheme
- Metal Chassis
- Die-Cast Truck Sides, Pilots and Fuel Tank
- (2) Remotely Controlled Proto-Couplers™
- (2) Precision Flywheel Equipped Motors
- Metal Wheels, Axles and Gears
- Directionally Controlled Headlights
- Intricately Detailed ABS Bodies
- Locomotive Speed Control
- Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 With The Digital Command System Featuring: Passenger Station Proto-Effects™
- Unit Measures:28 1/2" x 2 1/2" x 3 5/8"
- Operates On O-27 Curves

#### **B-UNIT FEATURES**

- Intricately Detailed ABS Body
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Colorful Paint Scheme
- Die-Cast Truck Sides
- Metal Chassis
- (2) Operating Metal Couplers
- Unit Measures: 12 7/8" x 2 1/2" x 3 3/8"
- Operates On O-27 Curves





he PA was Alco's glamour girl. While Electro-Motive's E-units easily beat Alco's passenger engine in terms of popularity, the PA is widely regarded as the most beautiful first-generation diesel - period. Perhaps no other locomotive looked so right at the head of the streamlined trains of the late forties and fifties that were the last hurrah of American long-distance passenger service. The 294 PA's and cabless PB's built between 1946 and 1953 powered some of the most famous name trains from coast to coast, from the Santa Fe's Super Chief to the New Haven's Merchants' Limited.

The muscular PA profile and its elegant nose with the characteristic grille around the headlight were designed by Ray Patten of General Electric. At the time, GE and Alco were partners in the locomotive business, with GE making the electrical equipment for all Alco diesels. While Alco would later fall by the wayside, GE went on to become America's largest locomotive builder by the early 1990's. Under the hood of the PA beat a 16-cylinder model 244 prime mover that developed 2000 hp. Depending on their gearing, PA's could hustle a passenger consist along at up to 100 mph.

Long after all other PA's had gone to scrap, four restored ex-Santa Fe units remained in service on the Delaware & Hudson into the late 1970's. Sold to the Ferrocarriles Nacionales de Mexico (FNM) in 1978, most of the units eventually deteriorated to junk status, although one remained operational. But in April of 2000, Doyle McCormack - who also happens to be the engineer of 4449, the restored Southern Pacific Daylight - and the Smithsonian Institution repatriated two of the junked units for rebuilding. One of the units will be restored to Santa Fe livery for static display, while Doyle is bringing the other PA back to life in the Nickel Plate Road "Bluebird" scheme. You can follow the progress of Doyle's labor on the Web site www.nkp190.com.

Recreate the excitement of first-class passenger travel with the RailKing Alco PA locomotive and matching RailKing passenger sets. Our ProtoSound® 2.0 sound and control system brings you the authentic sounds of an Alco prime mover and the ability to start your train so gently you won't spill the water in the diner - and then accelerate up to scale speeds of over 100 mph, just like the prototype.

#### Did You Know?

e engine's rating to 2000 horsepower instead e 1800 horses that gave the original E-unit eir name, but the series kept the "E" c

tion as long as they were in production.

#### FEATURES

#### Metal Handrails

- Intricately Detailed ABS Bodies
- Directionally Controlled Headlights
- Metal Wheels, Axles and Gears
- Die-Cast Truck Sides, Pilots and Fuel Tank
- (2) Remotely Controlled Proto-Couplers™
- Colorful Paint Scheme
- Metal Chassis
- (2) Precision Flywheel Equipped Motors
- Locomotive Speed Control
- Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 With The Digital Command System Featuring: Passenger Station or Freight-Yard Proto-Effects™
- Operates On O-31 Curves

#### **B-UNIT FEATURES**

• Intricately Detailed ABS Body

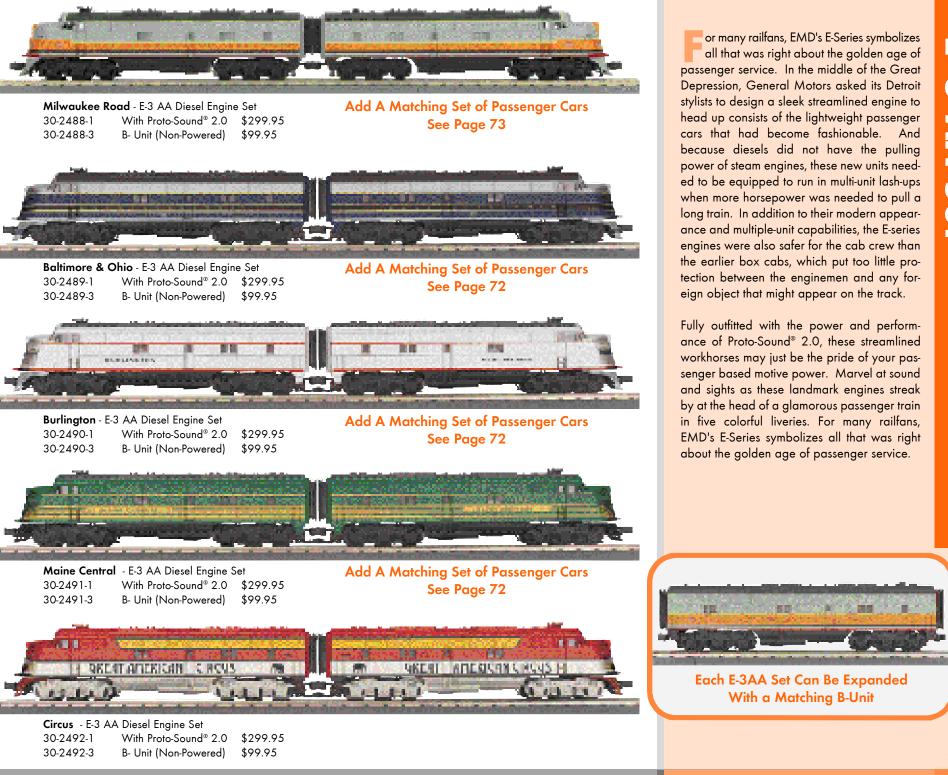
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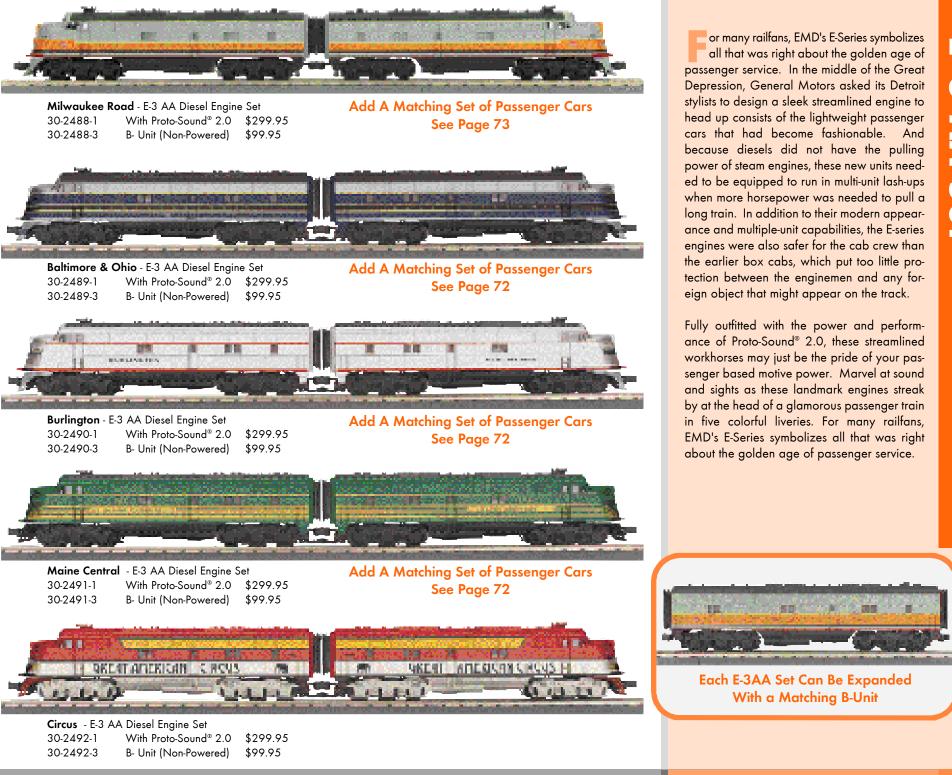
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Colorful Paint Scheme
- Die-Cast Truck Sides
- Metal Handrails
- Metal Chassis
- Unit Measures: 14 3/4" x 2 1/2" x 3 3/8"
- Operates On O-31 Curves

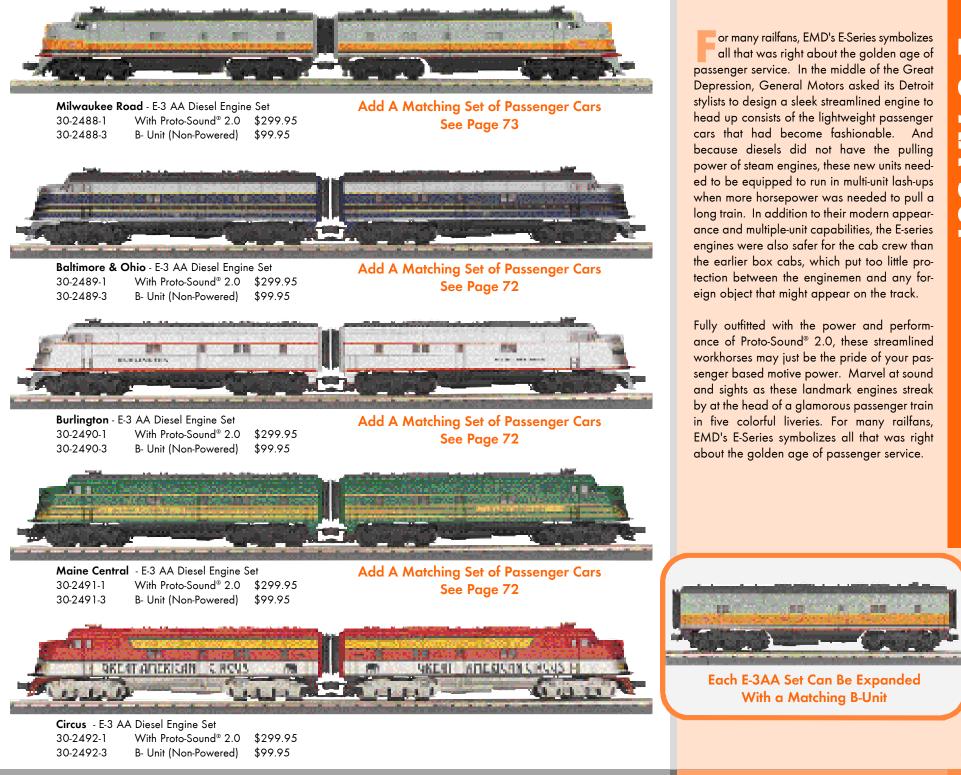


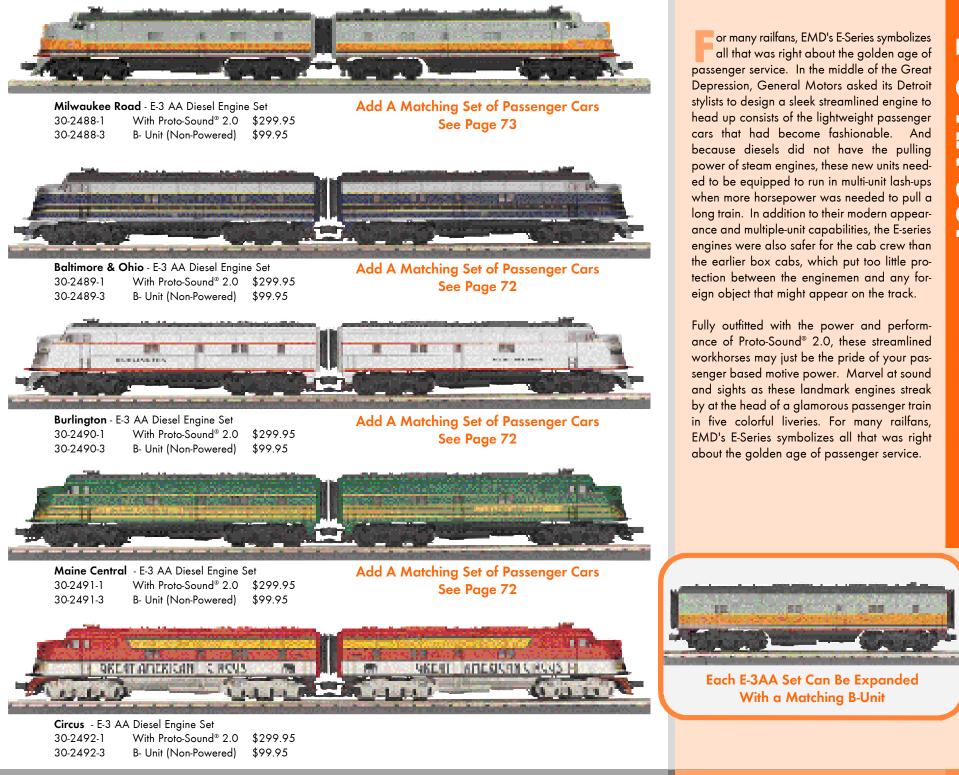


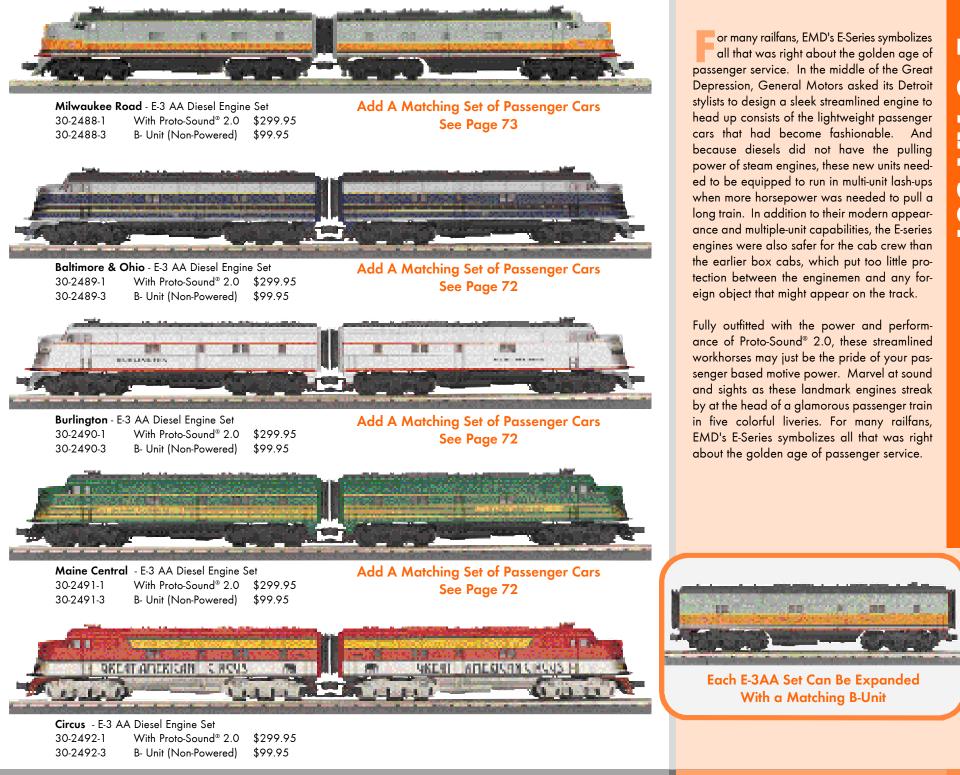




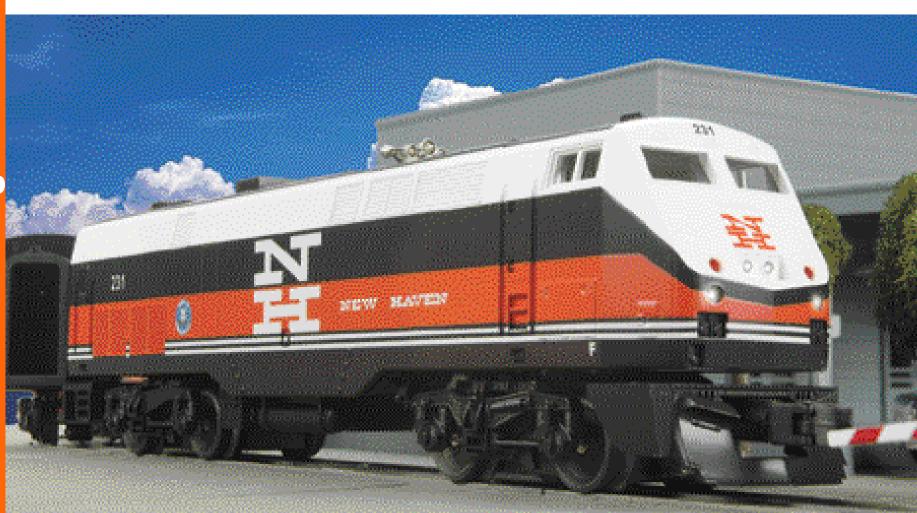












#### NON-POWERED FEATURES

- Intricately Detailed ABS Body
- Colorful Paint Scheme
- Metal Chassis
- (2) Operating Metal Couplers
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Die-Cast Truck Sides, Pilots and Fuel Tank
- Unit Measures: 14 1/2" x 2 1/2" x 3 1/2"
- Operates On O-31 Curves

#### ADDITIONAL POWERED FEATURES

- (2) Remotely Controlled Proto-Couplers™\*
- (2) Precision Flywheel Equipped Motors
- Operating Horn
- Operating Bell
- Locomotive Speed Control\*
- Directionally Controlled Headlights
- Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 With The Digital Command System Featuring: Passenger Station Proto-Effects™\*
  - \* Available on Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 Models Only







MTA - Genesis Diesel Engine 30-2633-3 Non-Powered



30-2635-1 With Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 30-2635-3 Non-Powered

30-2634-3 Non-Powered

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y the late 1980's, Amtrak was searching for a replacement for its outdated and aging fleet of F40PH and GP-40s. Weary of getting more locomotives that were really designed for freight operation, Amtrak searched for a new, lightweight, high-tech alternative. General Electric provided Amtrak with an answer with its unveiling of the "Genesis." Featuring a monocoque frame, advanced electronics, and special environmental and safety features, the Genesis represents the state-of-theart in U.S. passenger service.

While GE officially designated these engines as model AMD-103 (for Amtrak Diesel-103 mph), they are popularly called the Genesis engine because they represent an entirely new stage in passenger locomotive technology. Forty-four of these 4,000 hp engines, numbered 800-843, were delivered between April and December 1993.

Returning to our RailKing lineup, the Genesis prototype brings you everything you have come to expect from M.T.H. diesels, including the awesome sound and features of Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0. Enjoy the incredible performance of Proto-Speed Control™ for slow, realistic stops as your train arrives at a passenger station. A push of the bell and whistle buttons on your transformer announces the arrival of your train at the station - complete with conductor voices and sounds of passengers coming and going. These unique features are only found in M.T.H. passenger locomotives.

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Cincinnati - PCC Electric Street Car 30-2571-1



North America's roster of 4,902 PCC cars, built by St. Louis Car Company and Pullman-Standard, was dwarfed by the fleet that operated behind the Iron Curtain. Using PCC technology but different carbody designs, Tatra of Czechosolvakia manufactured over 15,000 cars for use in Russia and other Soviet Bloc nations. The largest North American owners were Pittsburgh, Chicago, and Toronto, each with over 650 cars.

#### FEATURES

• Directionally Controlled Headlights

• Precision Flywheel Equipped Motor

• Intricately Detailed ABS Body

• Die-Cast Truck Sides

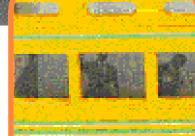
• Lighted Interior

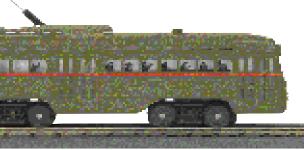
Authentic Paint Scheme

• Illuminated Number Boards

Lighted Marker Lights

- Metal Wheels, Axles and Gears
- Locomotive Speed Control
- Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 With The Digital Command System Featuring: Station Stop Proto-Effects™
- Unit Measures: 11 1/2" x 2 1/2" x 3 3/8"
- Operates On O-27 Curves





Brooklyn - PCC Electric Street Car 30-2570-1 With Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 \$229.95

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Toronto - PCC Electric Street Car 30-2583-1 With Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 \$229.95

#### **Did You Know?**



s the United States entered the Great Depression in 1929, the nation's trolley systems were already in a depression of their own. Ridership was plummeting as automobiles and an improving road system stole droves of passengers away from the rails. And those passengers who still chose to ride the streetcars were not having a great experience. Of the 74,000 trolleys they rode every day, fully 54,000 were worn out or obsolete.

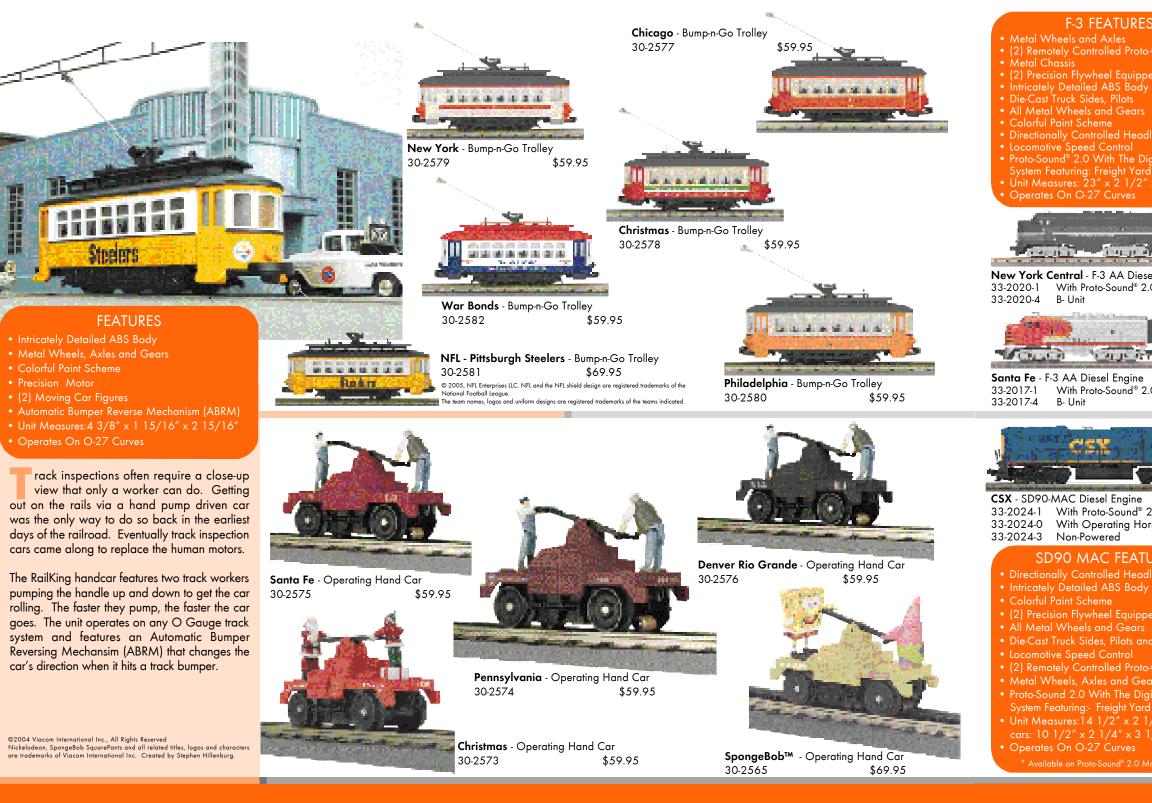
In an attempt to save the flagging urban transit business, a group of executives formed the Electric Railway Presidents Conference Committee, or ERPCC. Composed of 28 transit and interurban railways and 26 manufacturers, the ERPCC's mission was to come up with a car that would save the industry. In early 1930, the Committee hired Dr. Clarence F. Hirshfeld, head of research for Detroit Edison, as its chief engineer and began to use the Brooklyn & Queens Transit Corp. as its test lab. By February 1935 the designs for the new car were complete.

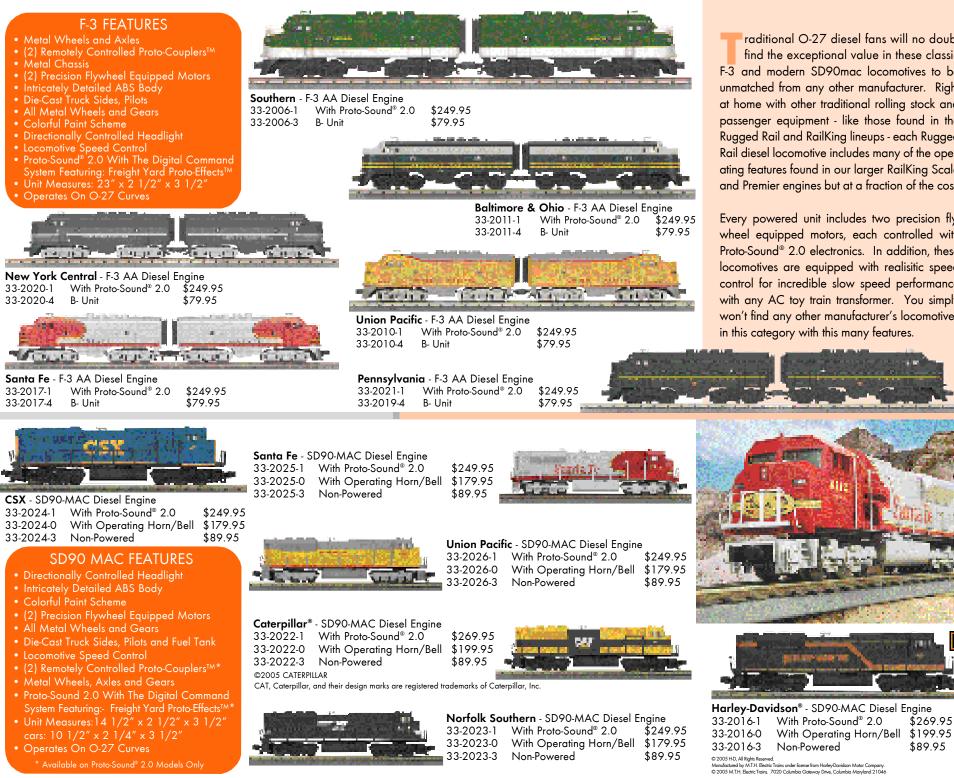
The PCC car, which took its name from the Committee, addressed two key issues: comfort and style. A control system developed by GE and Westinghouse gave the PCC smooth, rapid acceleration, compared with the jerky ride of the old streetcars. Hirschfeld's team also developed new truck and wheel designs that absorbed vibrations and bumps in the track. Heating, ventilation, and braking were also much improved over older cars. And these patented innovations were enclosed in a body design that looked decades newer than anything else on municipal rails - and was adaptable to various configurations to suit the needs of different cities.

Ultimately, neither the PCC nor any other trolley could prevent the automobile from dominating public transportation in America. But the PCC design proved successful enough - and rugged enough - to operate as long as half a century in some locations. PCCs are still working today in a number of cities, including San Francisco, where the F-Market line operates a historic fleet decorated for many of the cities that originally ran these cars.

Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 technology makes RailKing trolleys unique and incredibly fun to operate. Throttle down as low as 2 scale miles per hour and the PCC will maintain its speed regardless of curves or grades. Hear the operator announce authentic station stops in a proper regional dialect. For hands-off operation, create a trolley route with up to six automatic stops to pick up and drop off passengers.







raditional O-27 diesel fans will no doubt find the exceptional value in these classic F-3 and modern SD90mac locomotives to be unmatched from any other manufacturer. Right at home with other traditional rolling stock and passenger equipment - like those found in the Rugged Rail and RailKing lineups - each Rugged Rail diesel locomotive includes many of the operating features found in our larger RailKing Scale and Premier engines but at a fraction of the cost.

Every powered unit includes two precision flywheel equipped motors, each controlled with Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 electronics. In addition, these locomotives are equipped with realisitic speed control for incredible slow speed performance with any AC toy train transformer. You simply won't find any other manufacturer's locomotives in this category with this many features.

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ailKing operating freight cars add a new dimension and excitement level to your O Gauge layout with realistic action and quiet smooth operation in a way other operating cars cannot.

Most cars come to life when parked on an operating track section. When the track section is activated, the signal man will emerge from the opening car door with his lantern lit. Operating hopper cars simulate the dumping of coal through the bottom of the car by "lowering" the coal load level in the car. The helicopter cars are even more fun once the helicopter rotars start spinning just before the 'copter actually takes off and flies up to the sky!

You can see each of these cars operate by visiting the M.T.H. website (www.mthtrains.com) and click on the Video Link located right on the home page.



#### FEATURES

- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Die-Cast 4-Wheel Trucks
- Operating Die-Cast Metal Couplers
- Colorful, Attractive Paint Schemes
- Decorative Brake Wheels
- Fast-Angle Wheel Sets
- Needle-Point Axles
- Operating Interior Lighting
- Intricately Detailed Durable ABS Body
- Waving Signal Man w/Lighted Lantern
- Unit Measures: 11 5/8 x 2 1/2 x 3 3/16
- Operates On O-31 Curves







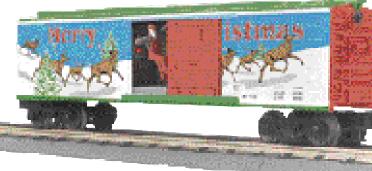
- "Thumbtackless" Coupler Armatures
- Improved Axle Bearing

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Watch as the door slides open and the gandy dancer leans out with his lantern to signal the engineer to move ahead.

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This all-new operating acquarium car debuts in the 2005 RailKing lineup in a larger than seen size that really makes the car's operation come to life. Powered by a guiet and efficient motorized player, the car's underwater action is sure to make your layout come to life.



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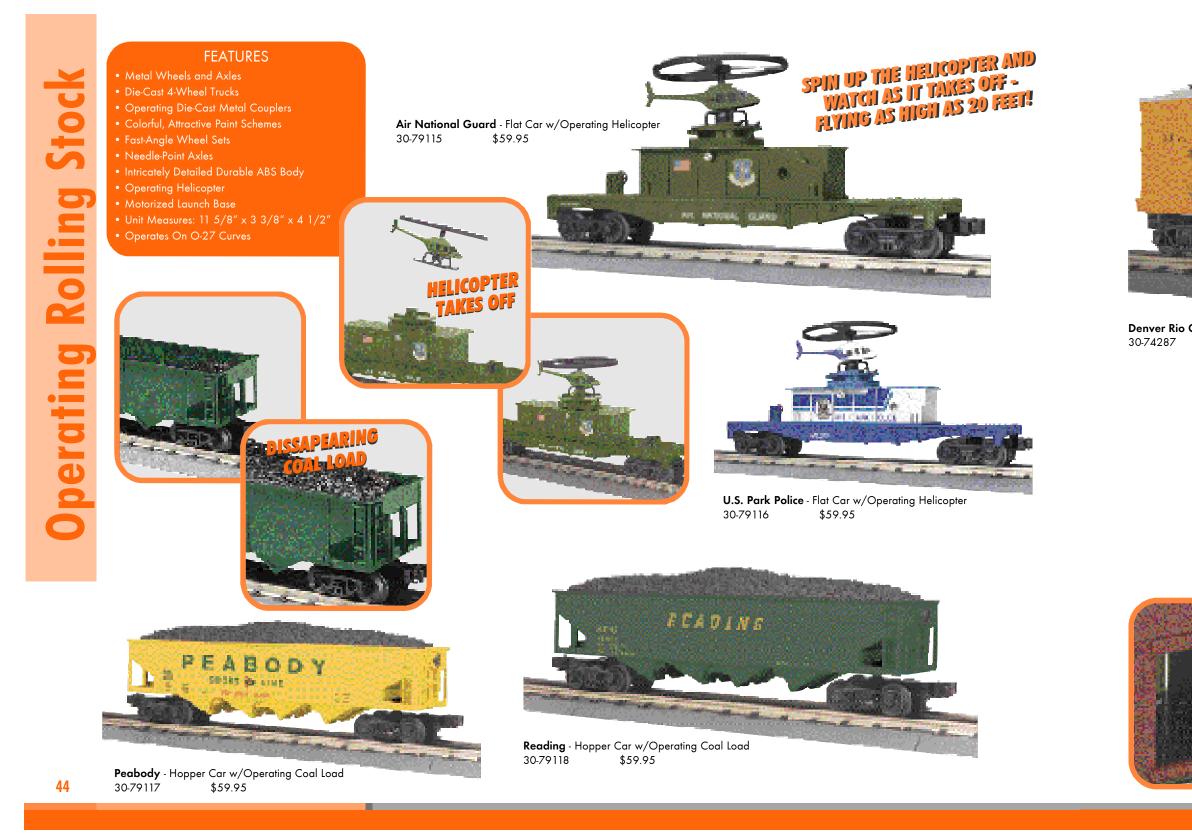
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- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Die-Cast 4-Wheel Trucks
- Operating Die-Cast Metal Couplers
- Colorful, Attractive Paint Schemes
- Decorative Brake Wheels
- Separate Metal Handrails
- Fast-Angle Wheel Sets
- Needle-Point Axles
- Moving Backlit Underwater Scenes
- Unit Measures: 11 1/2" x 2 3/8" x 2 5/16"
- Operates On O-27 Curves





Denver Rio Grande Western - 19th Century 34' Box Car 30-74287 \$39.95



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- Intricately Detailed Durable ABS Body
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Die-Cast 4-Wheel Trucks
- Operating Die-Cast Metal Couplers
- Colorful, Attractive Paint Schemes
- Fast-Angle Wheel Sets
- Needle-Point Axles
- Unit Measures:9 11/16" x 2 7/16" x 3 7/16"
- Operates On O-27 Curves



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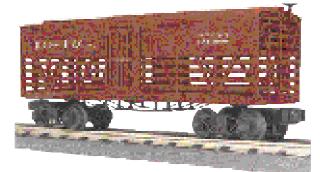


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- Intricately Detailed Durable ABS Body
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Die-Cast 4-Wheel Trucks
- Operating Die-Cast Metal Couplers
- Colorful, Attractive Paint Schemes
- Fast-Angle Wheel Sets
- Needle-Point Axles
- Unit Measures: 9 3/4" x 2 1/2" x 3 1/2"
- Operates On O-27 Curves



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- Operating Die-Cast Metal Couplers
- Colorful, Attractive Paint Schemes
- Decorative Brake Wheels
- Separate Metal Handrails
- Fast-Angle Wheel Sets
- Needle-Point Axles
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- Operates On O-27 Curves

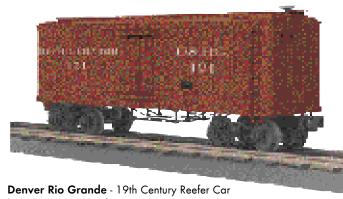




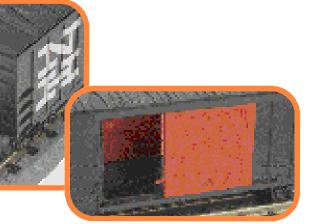
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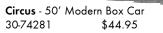
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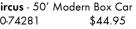




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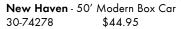


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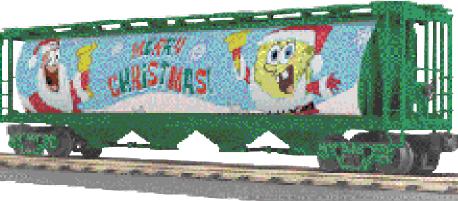
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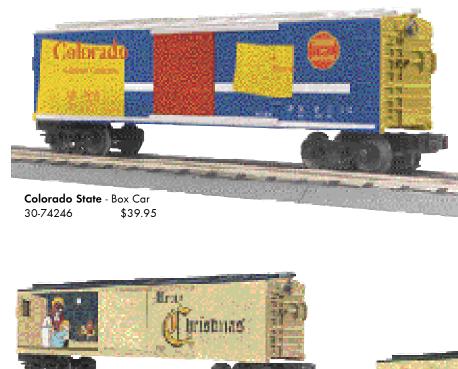
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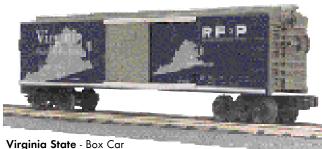
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- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Die-Cast 4-Wheel Trucks
- Operating Die-Cast Metal Couplers
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- Needle-Point Axles
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- Operates On O-31 Curves



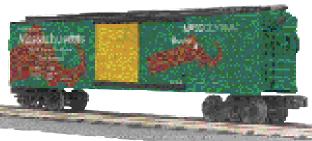
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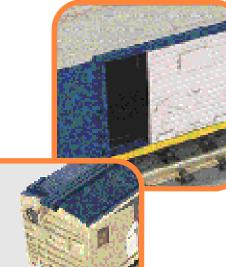




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- Intricately Detailed Durable ABS Body • Metal Wheels and Axles
- Die-Cast 4-Wheel Trucks
- Operating Die-Cast Metal Couplers Colorful, Attractive Paint Schemes
- Decorative Brake Wheels
- Fast-Angle Wheel Sets
- Needle-Point Axles • Unit Measures: 11 1/2" x 2 3/8" x 2 5/16"
- Operates On O-27 Curves



30-78014

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#### FEATURES

- Intricately Detailed Durable ABS Body
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Die-Cast 4-Wheel Trucks
- Operating Die-Cast Metal Couplers
- Colorful, Attractive Paint Schemes
- Decorative Brake Wheels
- Separate Metal Handrails
- Fast-Angle Wheel Sets
- Needle-Point Axles
- Unit Measures: 11 1/2" x 2 3/8" x 2 5/16"
- Operates On O-27 Curves



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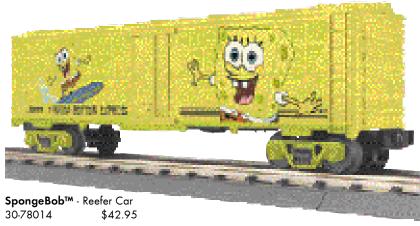


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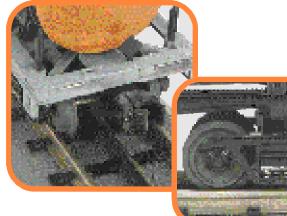
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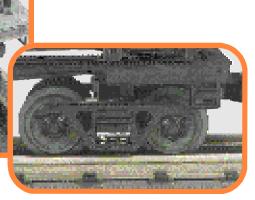


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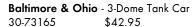




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- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Die-Cast 4-Wheel Trucks
- Operating Die-Cast Metal Couplers
- Colorful, Attractive Paint Schemes
- Fast-Angle Wheel Sets
- Operating Interior Lighting
- Unit Measures: 10 1/4" x 2 3/8" x 3 9/16"
- Operates On O-27 Curves



Canadian Pacific - 3-Dome Tank Car 30-73167 \$42.95



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#### FEATURES

- Intricately Detailed Durable ABS Body
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Die-Cast 4-Wheel Trucks
- Operating Die-Cast Metal Couplers
- Separate Metal Handrails
- Fast-Angle Wheel Sets
- Needle-Point Axles
- Operates On O-27 Curves





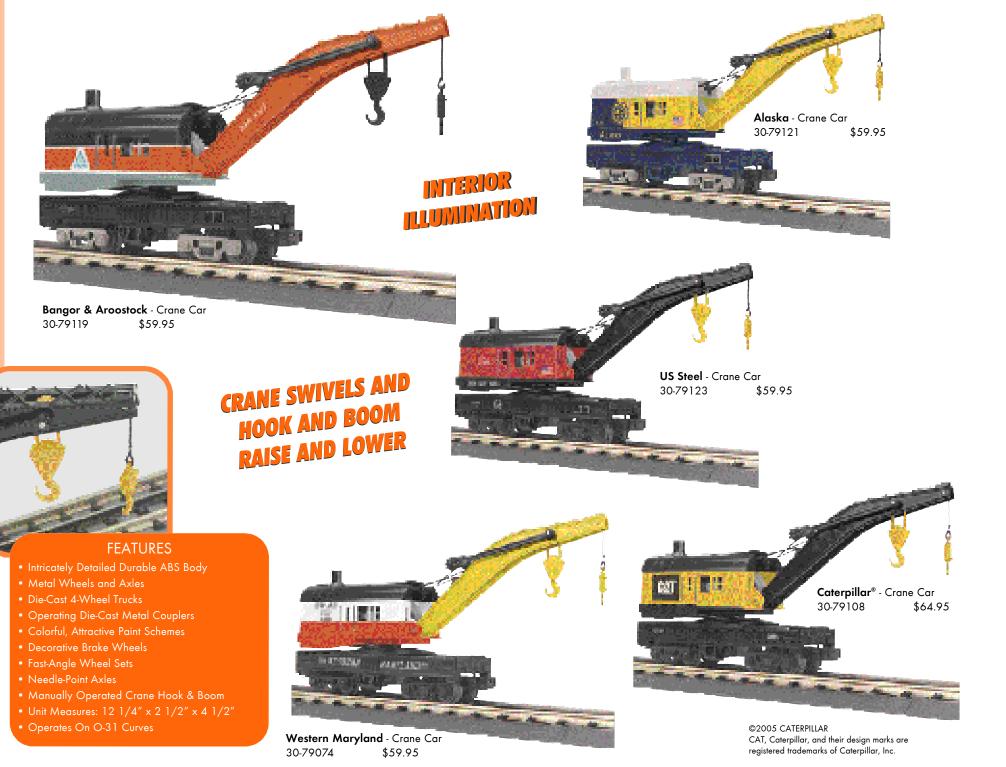
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#### FEATURES

- Intricately Detailed Durable ABS Body
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Die-Cast 4-Wheel Trucks
- Operating Die-Cast Metal Couplers
- Colorful, Attractive Paint Schemes
- Decorative Brake Wheels
- Fast-Angle Wheel Sets
- Needle-Point Axles
- (2) Cars
- Unit Measures: 11 3/4" x 2 5/16" x 1 15/16"
- Operates On O-27 Curves



Reading - Flat Car w/(2) Red 3100 Pickup w/Stake Bed 30-76177 \$39.95



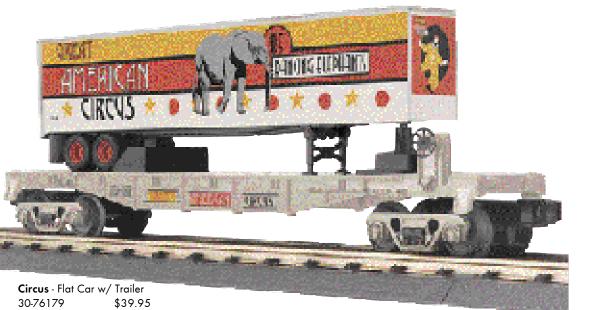
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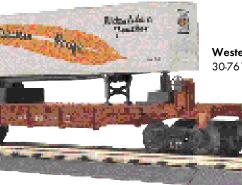
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Western Pacific - Flat Car w/ Trailer 30-76180 \$39.95



- Intricately Detailed Durable ABS Body
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Die-Cast 4-Wheel Trucks
- Operating Die-Cast Metal Couplers
- Colorful, Attractive Paint Schemes
- Decorative Brake Wheels
- Fast-Angle Wheel Sets
- Needle-Point Axles
- ABS Detailed Trailer
- Unit Measures: 11 5/8" x 2 1/4" x 3 3/4"
- Operates On O-27 Curves





Norfolk Southern - Flat Car w/ Trailer 30-76181 \$39.95

Milwaukee Road - Flat Car w/ Trailer 30-76168 \$39.95

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#### GONDOLA CAR FEATURES

- Intricately Detailed Durable ABS Body
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Die-Cast 4-Wheel Trucks
- Operating Die-Cast Metal Couplers
- Colorful, Attractive Paint Schemes
- Decorative Brake Wheels
- Fast-Angle Wheel Sets
- Needle-Point Axles
- Unit Measures: 11 7/8" x 2 3/16" x 1 11/16" • Operates On O-27 Curves



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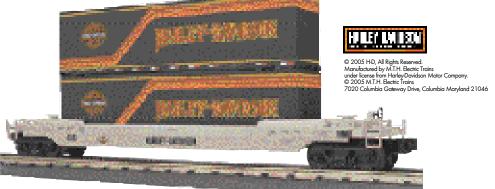
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#### HOPPER CAR FEATURES

- Intricately Detailed Durable ABS Body
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Die-Cast 4-Wheel Trucks
- Operating Die-Cast Metal Couplers
- Colorful, Attractive Paint Schemes
- Decorative Brake Wheels
- Separate Metal Handrails
- Fast-Angle Wheel Sets
- Needle-Point Axles
- Unit Measures: 11 3/4" x 2 1/2" x 2 3/4" Operates On O-27 Curves



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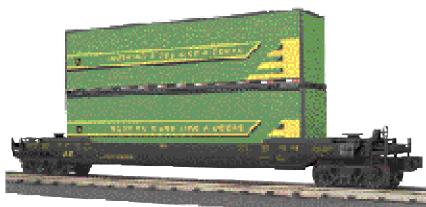
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#### FEATURES

- Intricately Detailed Durable ABS Body
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Die-Cast 4-Wheel Trucks
- Operating Die-Cast Metal Couplers
- Colorful, Attractive Paint Schemes
- Fast-Angle Wheel Sets
- Needle-Point Axles
- Unit Measures: 14 3/4" x 2 5/16" x 5"
- Operates On O-31 Curves

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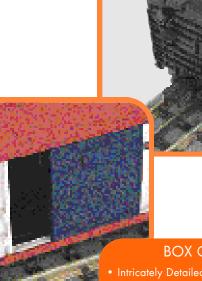


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#### BOX CAR FEATURES

- Intricately Detailed Durable ABS Body
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Die-Cast 4-Wheel Trucks
- Operating Die-Cast Metal Couplers
- Colorful, Attractive Paint Schemes
- Decorative Brake Wheels
- Separate Metal Handrails
- Fast-Angle Wheel Sets
- Needle-Point Axles
- Unit Measures: 11 1/2" x 2 3/8" x 2 5/16"
- Operates On O-27 Curves

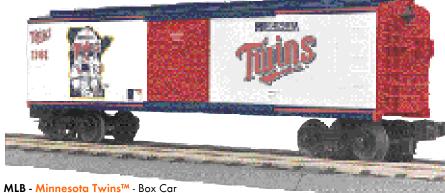
MLB - Washington Nationals<sup>™</sup> - Box Car 30-74236 \$44.95

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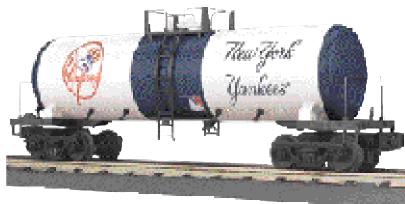






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#### MODERN TANK CAR FEATURES

- Intricately Detailed Durable ABS Body
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Die-Cast 4-Wheel Trucks
- Operating Die-Cast Metal Couplers
- Colorful, Attractive Paint Schemes
- Separate Metal Handrails
- Fast-Angle Wheel Sets
- Needle-Point Axles
- Unit Measures: 10 7/8" x 2 3/8" x 3 7/8"
- Operates On O-27 Curves



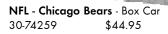
#### BOX CAR FEATURES

- Intricately Detailed Durable ABS Body
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Die-Cast 4-Wheel Trucks
- Operating Die-Cast Metal Couplers
- Colorful, Attractive Paint Schemes
- Decorative Brake Wheels
- Separate Metal Handrails
- Fast-Angle Wheel Sets
- Needle-Point Axles
- Unit Measures: 11 1/2" x 2 3/8" x 2 5/16" Operates On O-27 Curves



NFL - Dallas Cowboys - Box Car 30-74260 \$44.95



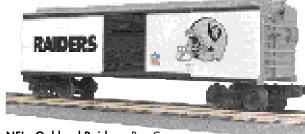




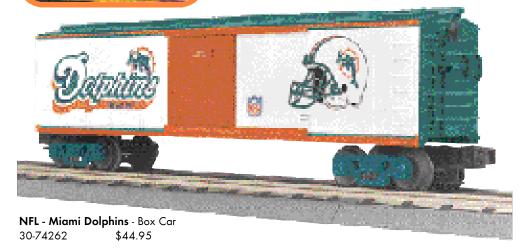


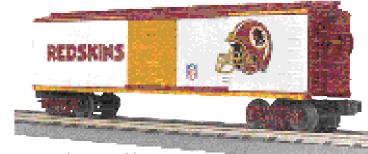


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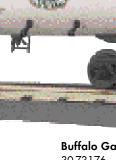


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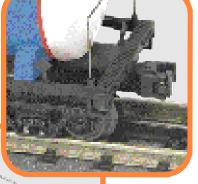


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Pennsylvania- Modern Tank Car 30-73177 \$44.95

#### MODERN TANK CAR FEATURES

- Intricately Detailed Durable ABS Body
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Die-Cast 4-Wheel Trucks
- Operating Die-Cast Metal Couplers
- Colorful, Attractive Paint Schemes
- Separate Metal Handrails
- Fast-Angle Wheel Sets
- Needle-Point Axles
- Unit Measures: 10 7/8" x 2 3/8" x 3 7/8"
- Operates On O-27 Curves



Smith-O-Lene Gasoline - Modern Tank Car \$44.95 30-73175



NFL - New England Patriots Super Bowl - 40' Double Door Box Car 30-74274 \$49.95



NFL - Pittsburgh Steelers Super Bowl - 40' Double Door Box Car 30-74276 \$49.95



NFL - Green Bay Packers World Championship - 40' Double Door Box Car 30-74273 \$49.95

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NFL - New York Giants Super Bowl - 40' Double Door Box Car

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BOX CAR FEATURES

Intricately Detailed Durable ABS Body

 Operating Die-Cast Metal Couplers Colorful, Attractive Paint Schemes Decorative Brake Wheels

• Unit Measures:11 1/2" x 2 1/2" x 3 7/16"

 Metal Wheels and Axles Die-Cast 4-Wheel Trucks

Fast-Angle Wheel Sets

Needle-Point Axles















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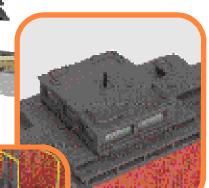
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- Intricately Detailed Durable ABS Body
- Operating Interior Lighting
- Die-Cast 4-Wheel Trucks
- Operating Die-Cast Metal Couplers
- Colorful, Attractive Paint Schemes
- Decorative Brake Wheels had a free the stand when the strend
  - Separate Metal Handrails
  - Fast-Angle Wheel Sets
  - Needle-Point Axles
  - Unit Measures: 10" x 2 3/4" x 3 3/4"
  - Operates On O-27 Curves

Pittsburgh & West Virginia - Woodsided Caboose \$49.95 30-77092

THE TYPE





ailKing Passenger Cars are available in the popular 60' Streamlined and Madison style bodies. Configured in 4-car, 2car and single-car configurations, each type features car interior detail, overhead interior lighting, end-of-car diaphragms and intricate under-car detail. All configurations are mounted atop die-cast metal 4 or 6-wheel trucks with operating metal couplers, metal wheels and metal axles.

Designed to bring authenticity and smooth performing operation to any O Gauge layout, modelers will find no finer O Gauge value than RailKing Passenger Cars.

#### FEATURES

- Durable ABS Intricately Detailed Bodies
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Overhead Interior Lighting
- Operating Die-Cast Metal Couplers
- Colorful, Attractive Paint Schemes
- End-of-Car Diaphragms
- Fast-Angle Wheel Sets
- Needle-Point Axles
- Detailed Car Interiors
- Die-Cast 6-Wheel Trucks

#### 4-CAR PASSENGER FEATURES

- 4-Car Sets Feature: (1) Baggage, (2) Coaches, (1) Observation
- Unit Measures: 68 3/4" x 2 5/8" x 3 5/16"
- Operates On O-31 Curves

#### COMBINE/DINER SET FEATURES

- 2-Car Sets Feature (1) Combine, (1) Diner
- Unit Measures: 34 6/16" x 2 5/8" x 3 5/16"
- Operates On O-31 Curves

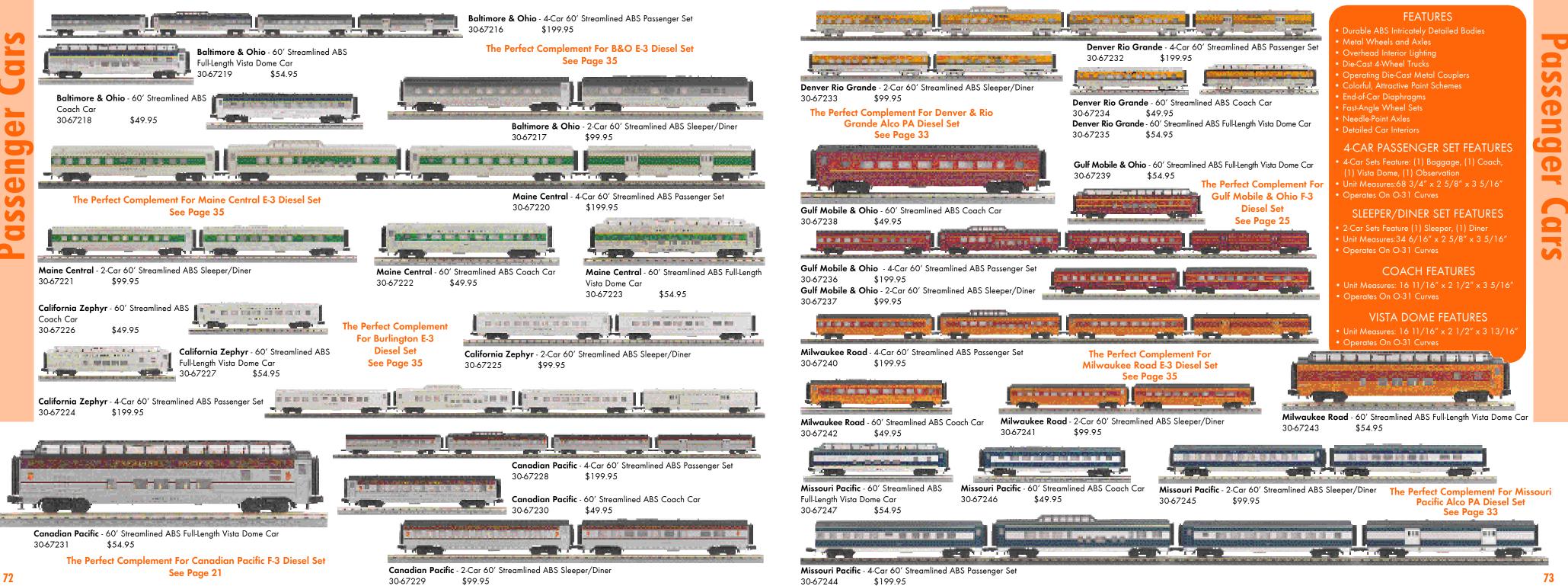
#### COACH FEATURES

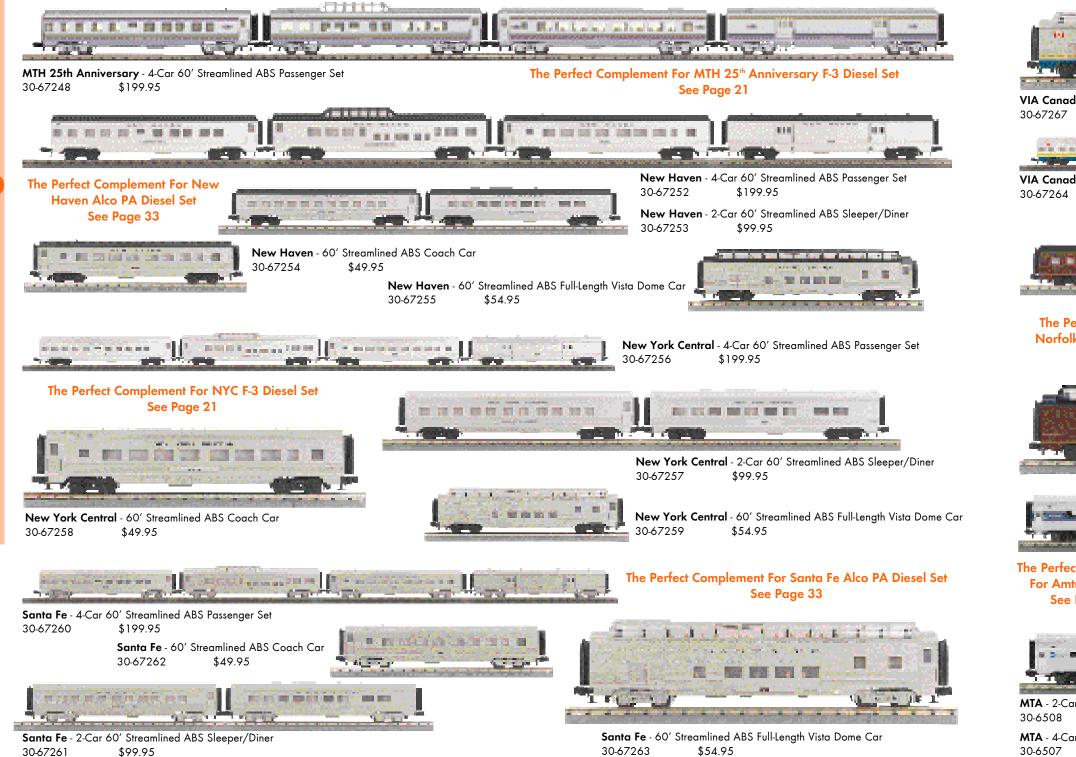
- Unit Measures: 16 11/16" x 2 5/8" x 4 5/16"
- Operates On O-31 Curves

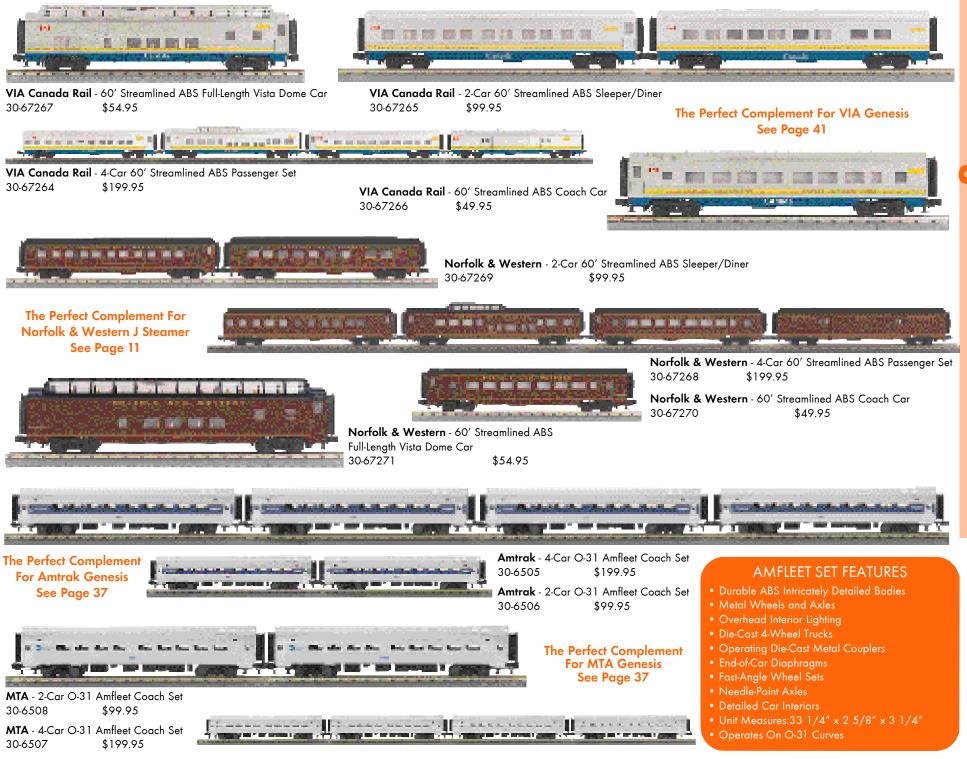
#### 3-CAR OVERTON SET FEATURES

- Unit Measures: 10 3/4" x 2 3/8" x 3 1/8" Each Car
- Operates On O-27 Curves









aced with an ever-worsening rail bottleneck at Philadelphia's Broad Street Station in the early 1900s, the Pennsylvania Railroad was desperate to simplify its suburban train service in order to lessen demand on the 160 trains per day station which had become bogged down under the stress of servicing 500 trains per day.

The railroad turned to electrification of its entire suburban fleet to resolve their traffic woes and began plans to implement an 11,000 volt ac system by building P54 steel coaches, baggage and combine cars that could be converted to power cars in the future as needed. By 1914, those needs had become a reality and the P54s were sent to the Pennsy's Altoona shops where they received one pantograph and powered truck. Controllers were added to both ends of the cars and each car featured round end windows which gave the cars an owl-like appearance.

By 1915, a 20 mile electrified route had been completed from Broad St. Station to Paoli. Over the next decade and a half, the line was expanded all the way to Trenton, New Jersey setting the stage for the next phase of electrified commuter cars - the 65' MP54. Capable of reaching speeds of 80 miles per hour, the 750 horsepower MP54E3 power cars were often coupled to non-powered MP54 cars manned by engineers instructed to run no more than 65 m.p.h. Over 360 MP54 cars were produced from 1915 to 1937 before giving way to stainless steel MP85 cars.

The MP54 returns to O Gauge railroading in this allnew 2005 RailKing Scale 4-car set. Fully outfitted with Proto-Sound 2.0, two powerful motors, detailed car interiors with overhead lighting and moveable pantographs, the RailKing MP54 will bring a welcome addition to your commuter roster. Watching these sets creep into a station or swoosh down the track is sure to be an exciting sight on any model railroad.

Locomotive Speed Control

Illuminated Number Boards

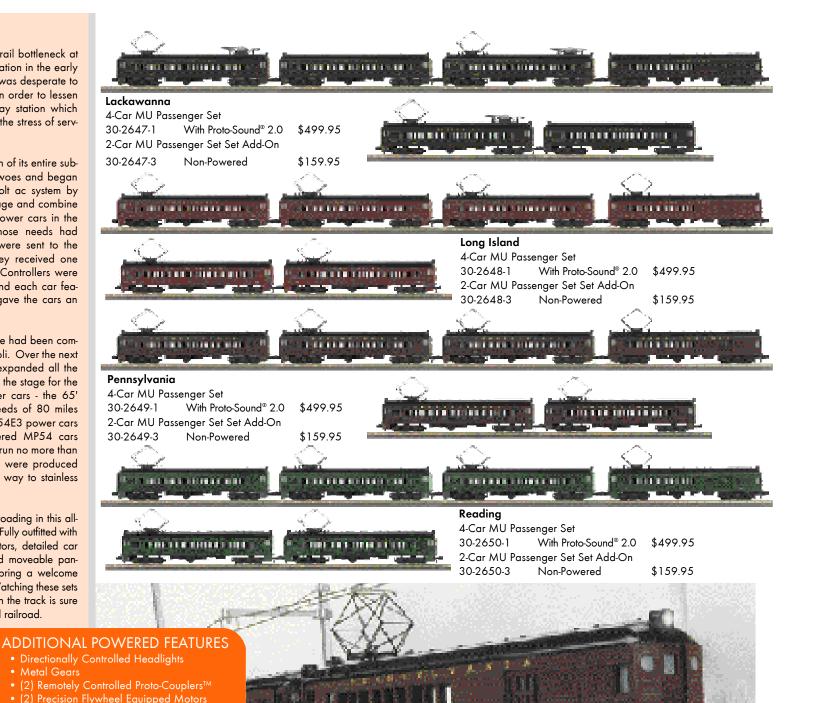
Lighted Cab Interiors

Proto-Effects™

Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 Featuring Station Stop

#### NON-POWERED FEATURES

- Operating Headlights
- Intricately Detailed ABS Bodies
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Die-Cast Truck Sides & Pilots
- Authentic Paint Scheme
- Detailed Interiors
- Mechanically Moveable Pantographs
- Unit Measures:34" x 2 1/2" x 4 1/4"
- Operates On O-42 Curves



MLB - Chicago White Sox™ 3200 Series 2-Car Subway Set



#### FEATURES

- Directionally Controlled Headlights Intricately Detailed ABS Bodies Metal Wheels, Axles and Gears Die-Cast Truck Sides & Pilots • (2) Remotely Controlled Proto-Couplers™ Authentic Paint Scheme • (2) Precision Flywheel Equipped Motors Locomotive Speed Control Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 Featuring Station Stop Proto-Effects™ Lighted Cab Interiors Illuminated Number Boards
- Each Car Measures 13 1/2" x 2 1/2" x 3 3/8" • Operates On O-31 Curves



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#### MLB - Chicago Cubs™

3200 Series 2-Car Subway Set 30-2621-1 With Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 \$349.95 3200 Series 2-Car Subway Add-On Set 30-2621-3 Non Powered \$149.95

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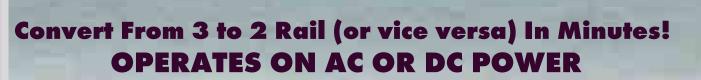
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perators who have long desired more realistic locomotives for their hi-rail lavouts can now choose an M.T.H. Premier Line steam locomotive with scale flanged wheels and configure it for 3-rail operation in minutes. And two-rail modelers can now enjoy many of the sounds and features of ProtoSound® 2.0. Beginning in 2005, every M.T.H. Premier Line steam locomotive is available with hi-rail or scale wheels and couplers and includes the new Proto-Scale 3-2 features.

In just minutes, locomotives equipped with Proto-Scale 3-2 can be reconfigured to operate on 3-rail AC or 2-rail DC lavouts. In 3-rail mode, a concealed switch sets the locomotive to pick up AC current from the wheels and the center rail rollers. With the switch in the 2-rail position, the locomotive's left and right side wheels are electrically separated from each other for DC current pickup. The center rail AC pickup rollers can be easily added or removed from the bottom of the locomotive chassis without disassembling the engine. Total conversion can be accomplished with a screwdriver in less than two minutes.

New Premier Line 2-rail locomotives are equipped with scale wheels and packaged with a set of center rail pickup rollers so that the engine can be quickly converted for 3-rail use.

# **ADD SCALE 2-RAIL REALISM TO YOUR** HI-RAIL LAYOUT WITH NEW **PROTO-SCALE 3-2**<sup>TM</sup>





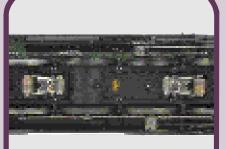
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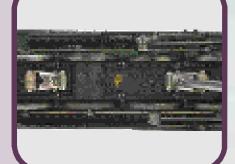


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Long Island - 2-8-0 H-3 Consolidation Steam Engine w/Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 20-3143-1 \$699.95











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#### Scale or Hi-Rail Wheels Which are Right for You?

#### Hi-Rail Wheels

M.T.H. Premier Line 3-rail locomotives are equipped with hi-rail wheels that feature deeper flanges, blind center drivers, wider wheels, and traction tires. Three-rail engines with Proto-Scale 3-2 are designed for operation on any type of 3-rail AC track system, and can quickly be converted for use on 2-rail DC layouts. The deeper flanges on locomotives with hi-rail wheels, however, may contact the track ties on low profile 2-rail track systems Engines with hi-rail wheels are also equipped with truckmounted Proto-Couplers that mate with any standard 3-rail equipment.

#### Scale Wheels

Two-rail Proto-Scale 3-2 locomotives feature narrower scale-width wheels with more-prototypical low flanges. There are no blind (non-flanged) wheels or traction tires on locomotives with scale wheels. These engines can be converted for use on 3-rail track by installing the center rail pickup rollers that are included with each engine. Because flanges are present on all wheels and are low in height, operation on some 3-rail track systems and switches may be compromised. The use of flanges on all wheels will increase the minimum curve requirement of scale-wheeled locomotives, and some uneven operation may be noticeable when traversing 3-rail switches. Engines with scale wheels are also equipped with body-mounted scale couplers that will not mate with standard 3-rail couplers. See the M.T.H. website for specific minimum curve requirements for each Scale Wheeled-equipped locomotive.



New York Central - 2-8-4 A-2 Berkshire Steam Engine w/Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 20-3128-1 \$999.95 \*This model is not equipped with Proto-Scale 3-2™





Pennsylvania - 0-4-0 A-5 Switcher Steam Engine w/Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 20-3173-1 20-3173-2

Hi-Rail Wheels

Scale Wheels

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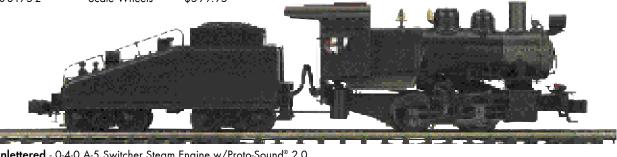
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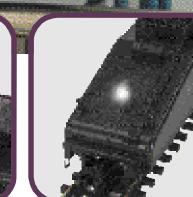
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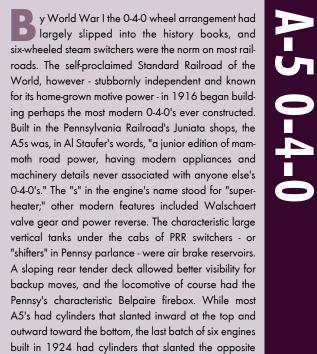
#### FEATURES

- Die-Cast Boiler and Tender Body
- 1:48 Scale Proportions
- Die-Cast Metal Chassis
- Authentic Paint Scheme
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Constant Voltage Headlight
- Die-Cast Truck Sides
- Engineer and Fireman Figures
- Operating Firebox Glow
- Metal Handrails and Decorative Bell
- Decorative Metal Whistle

- Operating Tender Back-up Light
- Locomotive Speed Control
- Synchronized Puffing ProtoSmoke® System
- Precision Flywheel Equipped Motor
- Proto-Scale 3-2 3-Rail/2-Rail Conversion Capable
- (2) Remote Controlled Proto-Coupler<sup>™</sup>
- Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 With The Digital Command System Featuring: Freight Yard Proto-Effects
- Unit Measures: 15 <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" x 3 <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" x 2 <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>"
- Hi-Rail Operates On O-31 Curves
- Scale Operates On 22" Radius Curves







way: outward at the top.

The 47 engines in the A5s class were right at home in the narrow streets and tight corners of industrial and wharf areas, particularly in Philadelphia, New York, and Baltimore. Because they worked at slow speeds among tightly-spaced buildings, many A5's carried a fire hose in a metal box to enable them to help out in an emergency. Some were also used as yard goats to move dead engines in roundhouse areas. The Pennsylvania refurbished A5s No. 94 for its historical locomotive collection, and that shifter resides today in the Railroad Museum of Pennsylvania in Strasburg, PA. While ours is not the first A5s to grace O gauge rails, we believe it will be the most detailed, feature-laden, and smooth running model of this Pennsy shifter ever built. Researched with the help of the Pennsylvania Railroad Technical and Historical Society, the MTH A5s is based on engine number 1587 as she appeared in Atlantic City circa 1950. Despite its diminutive size, this model features the full range of Premier PS2 locomotive features, including accurate sound, synchronized puffing smoke, incredible slow speed operation, a full complement of lighting, and command control.



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Long Island - 0-4-0 A-5 Switcher Steam Engine w/Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 \$599.95 Hi-Rail Wheels \$599.95 Scale Wheels

**Unlettered** - 0-4-0 A-5 Switcher Steam Engine w/Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 Scale Wheels \$599.95





20-3181-1 20-3181-2



20-3183-1 20-3183-2

#### FEATURES

- Die-Cast Boiler and Tender Body
- Die-Cast Metal Chassis
- Authentic Paint Scheme
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Constant Voltage Headlight
- Die-Cast Truck Sides
- Precision Pittman® Flywheel Equipped Motor
- Engineer and Fireman Figures
- Operating Firebox Glow
- Metal Handrails and Decorative Bell
- Decorative Metal Whistle

Operating Marker Lights

- Lighted Cab Interior
- Synchronized Puffing ProtoSmoke<sup>™</sup> System
- Remote Controlled Operating Proto-Coupler™
- Operating Tender Back-up Light
- Proto-Scale 3-2 3-Rail/2-Rail Conversion Capable
- Locomotive Speed Control
- Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 With The Digital Command System Featuring: Freight Yard Proto-Effects™
- Unit Measures: 21" x 2 5/8" x 3 11/16"
- Hi-Rail Operates On O-42 Curves
- Scale Operates On 36" Radius Curves



#### Did You Know?

The USRA Mikados came in two different versions: Light and Heavy. There were 625 Light Mikados and 233 Heavy Mikes built.



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Plttsburgh & West Virginia - 2-8-2 USRA Light Mikado Steam Engine w/Proto-Sound® 2.0 Hi-Rail Wheels \$799.95 Scale Wheels \$799.95

Nickel Plate Road - 2-8-2 USRA Light Mikado Steam Engine w/Proto-Sound® 2.0 Hi-Rail Wheels \$799.95 Scale Wheels \$799.95



Louisville & Nashville - 2-8-2 USRA Light Mikado Steam Engine w/Proto-Sound® 2.0 Hi-Rail Wheels \$799.95 20-3184-1 20-3184-2 Scale Wheels \$799.95

New York Central - 2-8-2 USRA Light Mikado Steam Engine w/Proto-Sound® 2.0 Hi-Rail Wheels \$799.95 **Unlettered** - 2-8-2 USRA Light Mikado Steam Engine w/Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 \$799.95 Scale Wheels Scale Wheels \$799.95 20-3204-2

uring World War I, Uncle Sam national-ized the railroads when they proved ized the railroads when they proved unequal to the task of moving massive amounts of men and materiel for the war effort. The agency that ran the trains was the United States Railroad Administration, or USRA, and one of its chief accomplishments was the creation of 12 steam engine designs that lasted for decades. According to the American Society of Mechanical Engineers, USRA locomotives were "the first successful standardization of American motive power" - and the only standard designs until the diesel era.

The most popular of the USRA designs was the 2-8-2 Mikado, which was heavy main line steam power in the World War I era. The very first USRA engine built was Baltimore & Ohio #4500, a light Mikado that is preserved today in the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Museum in Baltimore, MD. At the direction of Baldwin Locomotive Works Senior VP Samuel Vauclain, #4500 was constructed in a record 20 days so Baldwin would have the honor of delivering the first USRA locomotive on July 4, 1918.

The USRA designs were modern but conservative. They incorporated the best practices of their day, but broke little new ground. After the war, the basic designs were used by railroads across the nation, and about one-quarter of the Mikados built in the United States were either of USRA designs or descendants of those designs. While Mikados were generally relegated to lesser duties as heavier power arrived in succeeding decades, many USRA Mikes outlasted later, more modern steam engines because they were relatively simple and durable.

Constructed with dozens of added-on detail parts, the USRA Mikado returns to the Premier line in new road names and numbers for 2005. While other manufacturers have offered fine models of this classic engine, we believe none matches the detail level, sound quality, slow speed performance, and synchronized puffing smoke of this MTH Premier model.







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#### FEATURES

- Operating Tender Back-up Light
  - Locomotive Speed Control
  - Synchronized Puffing ProtoSmoke<sup>™</sup> System
  - Precision Flywheel Equipped Motor
  - Proto-Scale 3-2<sup>™</sup>
  - Proto-Scale 3-2<sup>™</sup> 3-Rail/2-Rail Conversion Capable
  - Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 With The Digital Command System Featuring: Freight Yard Proto-Effects™
  - Unit Measures: 15 3/4" x 2 3/8" x 3 3/4"
  - Hi-Rail Operates On O-42 Curves
  - Scale Operates On 22" Radius Curves

#### Did You Know?

The last H-3, No. 1187, was discovered in a stone guarry and reclaimed for restoration by the Pennsylvania. It was displayed at the 1939-40 New York World's Fair and now resides in the Pennsylvania Railroad Museum.

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• Die-Cast Boiler and Tender Body

• 1:48 Scale Proportions

• Die-Cast Metal Chassis

Authentic Paint Scheme

• Die-Cast Truck Sides

Metal Wheels and Axles

• Constant Voltage Headlight

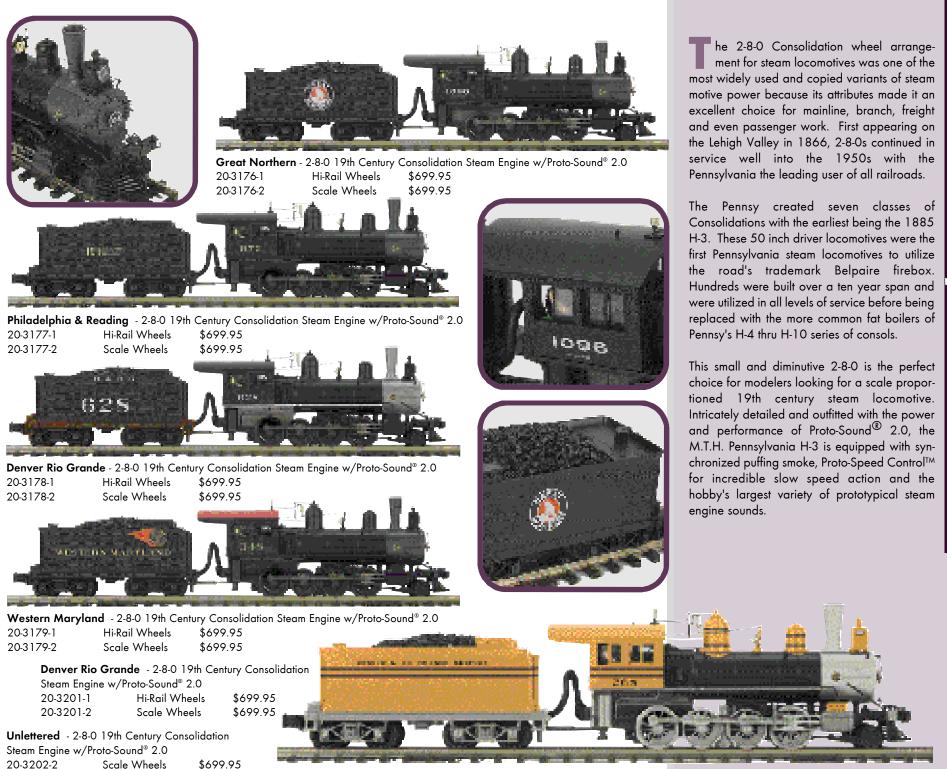
• Remote Controlled Proto-Coupler™

Metal Handrails and Decorative Bell

• Engineer and Fireman Figures

• Decorative Metal Whistle







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#### FEATURES

• Die-Cast Boiler and Tender Body

riger produced in 1966

- 1:48 Scale Proportions
- Die-Cast Metal Chassis
- Authentic Paint Scheme
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Constant Voltage Headlight
- Die-Cast Truck Sides
- Engineer and Fireman Figures
- Operating Firebox Glow
- Metal Handrails and Decorative Bell
- Decorative Metal Whistle

- Operating Tender Back-up Light
- Locomotive Speed Control
- Synchronized Puffing ProtoSmoke<sup>™</sup> System
- Remote Controlled Operationg Proto-Coupler<sup>™</sup>
- Precision Flywheel Equipped Motor
- Proto-Scale 3-2™
- Proto-Scale 3-2<sup>™</sup> 3-Rail/2-Rail Conversion Capable
- Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 With The Digital Command System Featuring:- Passenger Station Proto-Effects<sup>Th</sup>
- Unit Measures: 27 1/4" x 3 7/8" x 2 5/8"
- Hi-Rail Operates On O-42 Curves
- Scale Operates On 36" Radius Curves



#### How do you say it?

An Indian name for West Virginia's largest inland waterway, Kanawha seems to have several "correct" pronunciations. "Kuh-NAW" appears to be the most common, but some say "Kuh-NAW-wa" and many local residents preserve a pronunciation from the colonial era: "Kuh-NAW-wee."

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he Chesapeake & Ohio's mighty 2-8-4's belonged to one of steam's finest family trees. The first 2-8-4, Lima Locomotive Works A-1, inaugurated the superpower steam era in 1925. A four-wheel trailing truck allowed the A-1 to have a larger firebox and boiler, producing a combination of power and speed never seen before in a steam locomotive. Initially tested on the Boston and Albany Railroad, the new wheel arrangement was dubbed the Berkshire after the mountain range it conquered on the B&A.

At about the same time, the Van Sweringen brothers of Cleveland, Ohio assembled a group of railroads under their control, including the Chesapeake & Ohio, the Nickel Plate Road, the Pere Marguette, and the Erie Railroad. Under the leadership of talented designer John Black, an Advisory Mechanical Committee was formed to design engines for the Van Sweringen roads; the group turned out some of the finest locomotives of the super power era.

One of Black's initial designs was a high-powered Berkshire for the Erie that improved on Lima's original ideas. For the C&O, Black designed a superb 2-10-4 that was a direct descendant of the Erie Berk. But perhaps the crowning achievement of the Advisory Mechanical Committee was its "Nickel Plate Berk," a 2-8-4 introduced in 1934 and called by steam historian Eugene Huddleston "the greatest 2-8-4 ever to take to the rails." Interestingly, the AMC achieved this success - in those pre-computer days - by "slide ruling" down its earlier C&O 2-10-4.

The C&O Kanawha was a first cousin to the Nickel Plate Berk. Because it already owned a successful class of Mikados, the Chessie was rather late to the Berkshire party. But by 1943 wartime traffic forced the road to order new power. As the War Production Board required that new engines be built from existing designs, the C&O ordered near-copies of the Nickel Plate Berk, Externally, however, the Chessie's locos had a different look - sandbox in front of the steam dome, lowmounted headlight, and oval number plate in the middle of the boiler front - and their own name: Kanawha, in honor of the river that paralleled Chessie tracks in West Virginia.

Affectionately known as "Big Mikes," the 60 class K-4 Kanawhas easily handled whatever the railroad threw at them: lumbering coal drags, high speed merchandise service, and heavy, fast passenger trains. They lasted to the end of steam and many were preserved, most notably #2716, which served the Southern Railway and later Norfolk Southern in steam excursion service until 1994.

New for 2005, MTH announces the K-4 Kanawha in both her original working appearance and the fancy dress outfit she wore in Southern Railway excursion service. Researched extensively from prototype photos and drawings, our model reproduces everything but the smell of the Kanawha, an engine that typifies the best of modern C&O steam.



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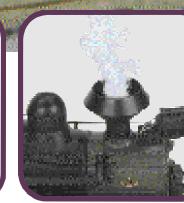
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#### FEATURES

- Die-Cast Boiler and Tender Body
- Die-Cast Metal Chassis
- Authentic Paint Scheme
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Constant Voltage Headlight
- Die-Cast Truck Sides
- Precision Pittman® Flywheel Equipped Motor
- Engineer and Fireman Figures
- Metal Handrails and Decorative Bell
- Decorative Metal Whistle

- Lighted Cab Interior
- Synchronized Puffing ProtoSmoke<sup>™</sup> System
- (2) Remote Controlled Proto-Coupler™
- Locomotive Speed Control
- Proto-Scale 3-2<sup>™</sup> 3-Rail/2-Rail Conversion Capable
- Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 With The Digital Command System Featuring: Freight Yard Proto-Effects™
- Unit Measures: 20 1/2" x 2 7/16" x 4 1/16"
- Hi-Rail Operates On O-72 Curves
- Scale Operates On 44" Radius Curves





\$1099.95 Scale Wheels Unlettered - 3-Truck Shay Steam Engine w/Proto-Sound® 2.0

Scale Wheels \$1099.95

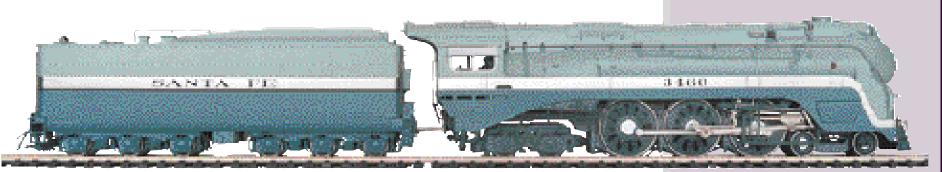
ike many innovations, the Shay locomotive was invented by an entrepreneur trying to get a jump on the competition. When Civil War veteran and exschoolteacher Ephraim Shay opened a sawmill in Michigan in the 1870's, logging was largely a winter operation. Roads made of ice and snow enabled lumberjacks to bring timber to mills with horse-drawn sleds.

Shay reasoned - correctly, as it turned out - that laying rails through the woods would allow him to supply his mill year-round and undercut his competitors' lumber prices. Horses, Shay's original motive power, proved problematic as they tended to get run over by log cars on downgrades. Shay experimented with a small steam engine but the pounding of the side rods was too much for his light temporary track. The lightbulb moment came when he noticed that his flatcars, however, were not tough on the track, and he decided to power a flatcar with a steam engine and a belt drive to one axle. It was several years later in 1880 that machinist John Carnes at the Lima Machine Works, while modifying a locomotive for Ephraim Shay, came up with the idea of powering all trucks with a drive shaft and beveled gears. Within a few decades, the re-named Lima Locomotive Works was one of America's Big Three steam locomotive builders.

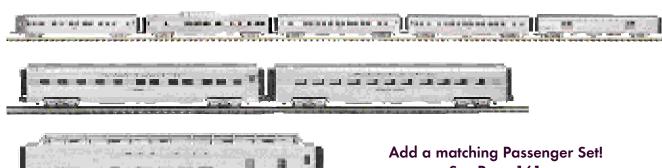
Of the 2.770 Shavs that Lima produced, only six were built after 1930. By 1944, when the Western Maryland ordered a massive 3-truck Shay to serve a Maryland coal mine, few Lima employees remembered how to build one. Shop crews preferred working on more familiar engines for the war effort, and it took a year to construct WM No. 6. What turned out to be the last and nearly the largest Shay ever built worked just four years before the mine closed and she was retired. Fortunately, one of the nation's first railroad museums opened nearby just a few years later, and No. 6 became the WM's contribution to the B&O Transportation Museum in Baltimore. Even more fortunately, No. 6 was later traded to the Cass Scenic Railroad in Cass, West Virginia, where she steams in tourist service today.

The MTH Shay reappears in the 2005 Premier Line fully detailed to replicate Western Maryland No.6. Sounds recorded from the actual engine at Cass [alt wording: from an actual Shay] include the correct six chuffs per drive shaft revolution. Few, if any, previous O aauge models have duplicated the rapid-fire exhaust notes that make a Shay at crawl speed sound like it's going a hundred miles an hour. The combination of DCS and Proto-Sound® 2.0 allows this model to portray the slow speed theatre and tremendous pulling power that marked Ephraim Shav's invention.



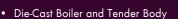


Santa Fe - 4-6-4 Blue Goose Hudson Steam Engine w/Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 20-3194-1 \$1099.95 Hi-Rail Wheels 20-3194-2 \$1099.95 Scale Wheels







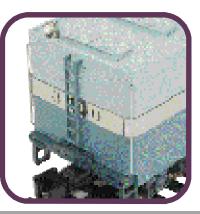


- 1:48 Scale Proportions
- Die-Cast Metal Chassis
- Authentic Paint Scheme
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Constant Voltage Headlight
- Die-Cast Truck Sides
- Precision Pittman® Flywheel Equipped Motor
- Remote Controlled Proto-Coupler<sup>™</sup>
- Engineer and Fireman Figures
- Operating Firebox Glow
- Metal Handrails and Decorative Bell

- FEATURES
- Decorative Metal Whistle
- Operating Marker Lights
- Lighted Cab Interior
- Operating Tender Back-up Light
- Locomotive Speed Control
- Proto-Scale 3-2<sup>™</sup> 3-Rail/2-Rail Conversion Capable
- Synchronized Puffing ProtoSmoke<sup>™</sup> System
- Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 With The Digital Command System Featuring: Passenger Station Proto-Effects™
- Unit Measures: 26" x 2 5/8" x 3 7/8"
- Hi-Rail Operates On O-54 Curves
- Scale Operates On 36" Radius Curves



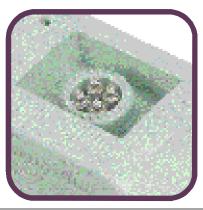




#### Did You Know?

These oil burners had the fuel oil tank built into the water tank in such a way that they could be converted to coal with a minimum of structural change, if necessary.





The Santa Fe's only true streamlined engine, No. 3460, the famed Blue Goose, spent most of its life on the 992-mile run between Chicago and La Junta, CO. The sleek blue and silver shrouding originally draped over some of the cylinders and valve gear, but that was later trimmed away to allow for easier maintenance access. Whatever the shape of the Blue Goose's shrouding, the Santa Fe made sure its appearance was always resplendent. No. 3460 was always released from the roundhouse with a high gloss, including highly polished running gear. Shop workers were forbidden to use chains-only rope-to secure driving or side rods on this beauty when they pulled it into the back shops for work, for fear that chains would mar the metal.

The Blue Goose, sometimes called the Blue Bird, is a proud addition to M.T.H.'s Premier line. This distinctively cowled blue steamliner is sure to catch the attention to everyone who takes a trip on your railroad.





- Die-Cast Boiler and Tender Body
- Die-Cast Metal Chassis
- Authentic Paint Scheme
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Constant Voltage Headlight
- Die-Cast Truck Sides
- Remote Controlled Proto-Coupler™
- Engineer and Fireman Figures
- Operating Firebox Glow
- Metal Handrails and Decorative Bell

- FEATURES
  - Decorative Metal Whistle
  - Operating Marker Lights
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  - Locomotive Speed Control
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- Precision Pittman® Flywheel Equipped Motor Synchronized Puffing ProtoSmoke™ System
  - Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 With The Digital Command System Featuring: Passenger Station Proto-Effects™
  - Unit Measures: 26" x 2 5/8" x 3 7/8"
  - Hi-Rail Operates On O-42 Curves
  - Scale Operates On 36" Radius Curves



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New Haven - I-5 Steam Engine w/Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 \$1099.95 Hi-Rail Wheels Scale Wheels \$1099.95

#### Add a matching Passenger Set! See Page 161

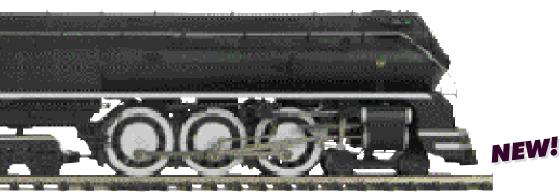






NEW!

**New Haven** - I-5 Steam Engine w/Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 Hi-Rail Wheels \$1099.95 Scale Wheels \$1099.95



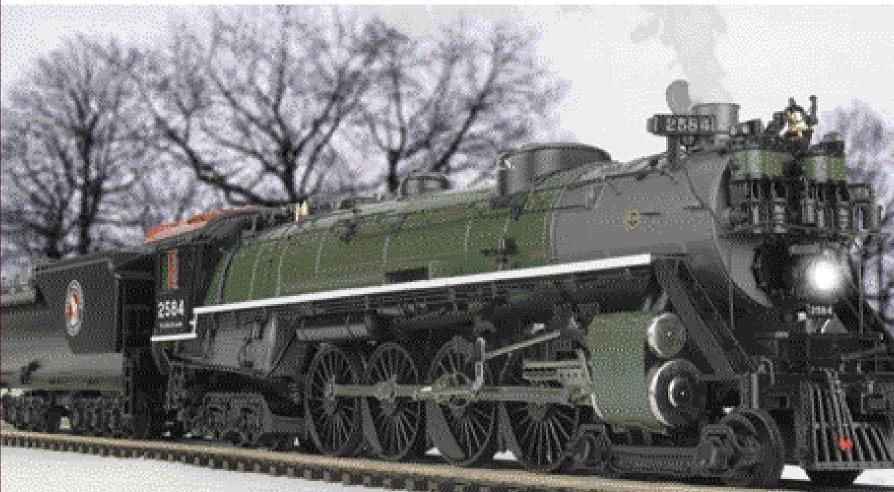
S ix decades before Amtrak's Acela, the New Haven's streamlined I-5 Hudsons ruled what would later be called the Northeast Corridor. Operating under bankruptcy in the depths of the Depression, the New Haven in 1936 solicited bids for a new steam passenger engine to replace its fleet of overworked and tired I-4 Pacifics. Almost all previous steamers and nearly all first-generation diesels on the New Haven were Alco products. But Baldwin got the nod for the I-5 order because it was the sole firm that would meet the railroad's price of \$110,000 per engine.

The only streamlined steam power in New England and the last steamers built for the New Haven, the ten gleaming black and stainless steel I-5's arrived on the property in 1937. Their Assignment: 12 eastbound and 12 westbound trains daily on the 156.8mile Shore Line from Boston's South Station to New Haven, where electric power took over for the final sprint to New York City.

The new I-5s easily met the New Haven's need for a locomotive that could accelerate quickly to 70 mph between the Shore Line's many stops, while pulling a train of 14 or more cars. Within less than five years, however, the arrival of Alco DL-109 diesels challenged the I-5s supremacy on the Colonial and other crack passenger trains. Because it beat the new diesels in medium and high-speed acceleration, the I-5 remained the preferred power on the New Haven's top passenger run, the extra-fare Merchant's Limited. But by 1950 a new fleet of Alco PA passenger diesels had doomed the handsome I-5s to the scrap line.

New for 2005, MTH announces the most accurate and feature-laden I-5 ever built in O scale. Researched extensively from New Haven blueprints and photos, our model will feature prototypically correct bright metal striping on the engine and matching aluminum paint striping on the tender, as well as the steamboat-style whistle that distinguished this New Haven speedster. Two versions will be offered; engine 1401 as built with block tender lettering and full driver striping, and engine 1406 as she appeared in the 1940's with a large script tender herald.

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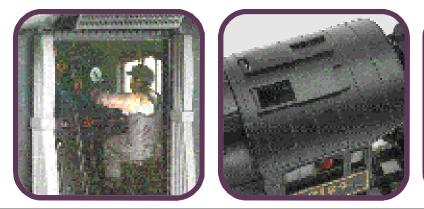


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#### FEATURES

- Die-Cast Boiler and Tender Body
- Die-Cast Metal Chassis • Authentic Paint Scheme
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Constant Voltage Headlight
- Die-Cast Truck Sides
- Precision Pittman® Flywheel Equipped Motor
- Remote Controlled Proto-Coupler<sup>™</sup>
- Engineer and Fireman Figures
- Operating Firebox Glow
- Metal Handrails and Decorative Bell
- Decorative Metal Whistle

- Operating Marker Lights
- Lighted Cab Interior
- Synchronized Puffing ProtoSmoke® System
- Operating Tender Back-up Light
- Locomotive Speed Control
- 1:48 Scale Proportions
- Proto-Scale 3-2<sup>™</sup>
- Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 With The Digital Command System Featuring: Passenger Station Proto-Effects™
- Unit Measures:28" x 3 7/8" x 2 3/4"
- Hi-Rail Operates On O-42 Curves
- Scale Operates On 36" Radius Curves





Great Northern - 4-8-4 Steam Locomotive w/Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 (Cab #2584) Hi-Rail Wheels (Cab #2587) Hi-Rail Wheels

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**Reading** - 4-8-4 T-1 Steam Locomotive w/Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 Hi-Rail Wheels \$1099.95 Scale Wheels \$1099.95



The first 4-8-4 Northerns to appear on the Great Northern did so in 1929 after arriving from the Baldwin Locomotive works. Designated Class S, the locomotives were purchased by the Great Northern in two models, S-1 and S-2.

Designated for fast passenger work, the S-2 locomotives utilized a radial stay firebox rather than the Belpaire variety found on the S-1. In addition, larger 80" drivers, the tallest of any Northern model, gave the S-2 fast speed ratings though she carried a reputation of being slippery when pulling a heavy train.

Heading up an all-welded vanderbilt tender, the S-2 sported the classic cascade green livery of the Great Northern along with chrome plated cvlinder covers and steam chest heads. The striking appearance made the locomotive the perfect choice for the Oriental Limited and Empire Builder passenger trains until the Northerns retirement in the mid 1950s. No. 2584 remains on display, in her cascade green livery, at the Havre, Montanna depot. The Empire Builder train she headed celebrated its 75th Anniversary in 2004 while the engine that made it famous will celebrate hers in 2005.

Outfitted with industry-leading features and performance, the S-2 is available in two cab numbers and is sold in both 2-rail scale and 3-rail hirail versions. Both versions include our lastest feature, found only in M.T.H. Premier Line locomotives, Proto-Scale 3-2<sup>™</sup> which allows the user to configure in minutes either model for use on 2-rail or 3-rail track.

#### Did You Know?

STREET, STREET

The insulated fuel tender used on the Big Blow was equipped with six electrical heating elements on each side. The heaters were needed to heat up the fuel oil prior to use so that the fuel's viscosity was sufficient to flow through the turbine's combustion chambers.



- Metal Chassis

- Spinning Roof Fans
- Featuring: Freight Yard Proto-Effects™

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#### NON-POWERED FEATURES

• Intricately Detailed ABS Bodies • Intricately Detailed Die-Cast Fuel Tender • Metal Wheels, Axles and Gears • Die-Cast Truck Sides, Pilots and Fuel Tank • Metal Handrails and Decorative Horn • Metal Body Side Grilles • (2) Engineer Cab Figures • Unit Measures: 46 1/4" x 2 3/4" x 4 3/8" • Operates On O-72 Curves

#### ADDITIONAL POWERED FEATURES

• (2) Remotely Controlled Proto-Couplers™ • Directionally Controlled Headlights • (2) Precision Flywheel Equipped Motors In Each Powered Unit Locomotive Speed Control • Lighted Cab Interiors Illuminated Number Boards • Liahted Marker Liahts • (2) Operating Smoke Units (One Per Powered Unit) Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 With The Digital Command System

Union Pacific - Gas Turbine Diesel Engine Set 20-2615-1 Proto-Sound® 2.0

\$999.95



**B** y 1958, the Union Pacific Railroad had already incorporated several turbine engines y 1958, the Union Pacific Railroad had on their roster with very satisfactory results. Though these earlier turbines lives were short-lived, the U.P. began taking delivery over the next ten years of 30 Super Turbines that each averaged 12,000 miles per month.

The 178' long three-unit consist was made up of two powered units and a fuel tender. The A unit housed the cab, control units and an 850 horsepower diesel engine while the B unit included the turbine, exhaust blower, compressors and two 3500 horsepower generators. The diesel engine in the control unit allowed the turbines to be shut down during yard maneuvers when the turbine was apt to consume huge quantities of fuel.

The turbine unit's air intake could gulp 320,000 cubic feet of air every minute while generating incredibly hot exhaust gasses of more than 850 degrees fahrenheit. In fact, the gasses were so hot that the U.P. issued strict orders not to idle the turbine under bridges out of concern that the gasses could weaken their structures.

What distinguished the Super Turbines more than even their length was their incredible noise. The huge turbine ommitted exhaust noise not unlike that of a jet engine thus earning the engine the nickname "Big Blow". The U.P. lived with the noise by accepting the incredible power the turbine motors generated. Each unit could muster 8,500 horsepower when first delivered. Subsequent modifications bumped the rating up to 10,000 horsepower.

Unfortunately, the huge engines proved to costly to maintain despite their high horsepower benefits. Retirements began in 1968 and by 1969 the last of the Super Turbines had been traded back to General Electric for newer locomotives like the U50C.

Recapture the power and performance of the Big Blow on your O Scale model railroad with the 2005 Premier Line version of this incredible locomotive. Equipped with four motors (two inside the A and B Units) and a die-cast fuel tender, this massive model will quickly prove its mettle as your freight hauling locomotive of choice. Fully equipped with Proto-Sound 2.0 and loads of enhanced detail, you simply won't find a more exciting locomotive to operate.

#### • Intricately Detailed ABS Body

• Die-Cast Truck Sides, Pilots and Fuel Tank

NON-POWERED FEATURES

- Colorful Paint Scheme
- Metal Chassis
- Metal Handrails and Decorative Horn
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- (2) Operating Metal Couplers
- (2) Engineer Cab Figures
- Metal Fan Grilles
- Unit Measures: 12" x 2 3/4" x 3 3/4"
- Operates On O-31 Curves

#### ADDITIONAL POWERED FEATURES

- Directionally Controlled Headlights
- (2) Remote Controlled Proto-Couplers™
- (2) Precision Flywheel Equipped Motors
- Lighted Cab Interiors
- Operating Smoke Units
- Locomotive Speed Control
- Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 With The Digital Command System Featuring: Freight Yard Proto-Effects™







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**B** uoyed by a moratorium on competing locomotive switcher manufacturing during World War II, the American Locomotive Company was able to cement itself as the premier switcher locomotive manufacturer of its day with the release of their S Model of switcher engines beginning in 1940.

Designed to replace the hi-hood Alco diesel switchers of the previous decade, the low-hood S-1 thru S-6 models were incredibly successful with over 3,200 produced by 1961. Just over 1,500 S-2s were produced, outfitted with a turbo charged 1,000 horsepower 6 cylinder diesel engine that greatly improved upon the nearly 700 horsepower S-1. In fact, the S-2 proved to be the most successful of all the S Model switchers capable of mainline passenger or freight work in addition to the usual shortline tasks handled by most switcher engines.

The Alco S-2 marks the first new switcher engine to appear in M.T.H.'s Premier Line since the H10-44 diesel of 1995. Much has changed with Premier Line diesels since then as seen with the addition of separate metal fan screens, metal grab rails, operating smoke units and the incredible sound and performance of Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0.

• Metal Chassis

- Authentic Paint Scheme
- Metal Handrails and Decorative Horn
- Spinning Roof Fans
- Metal Body Side Grilles
- Intricately Detailed ABS Body
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- (2) Operating Metal Couplers
- Die-Cast Truck Sides and Fuel Tank
- Unit Measures: 53" x 2 1/2" x 3 1/2"
- Operates On O-31 Curves

#### ADDITIONAL POWERED FEATURES

- (2) Remotely Controlled Proto-Couplers™
- Illuminated Number Boards
- Directionally Controlled Headlights
- Lighted Marker Lights
- (2) Precision Flywheel Equipped Motors In Each A Unit
- Lighted Cab Interiors
- (2) Engineer Cab Figures In Each A Unit
- (2) Operating Smoke Units
- Locomotive Speed Control<sup>™</sup>
- Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 With The Digital Command
- System Featuring: Passenger Station Proto-Effects™

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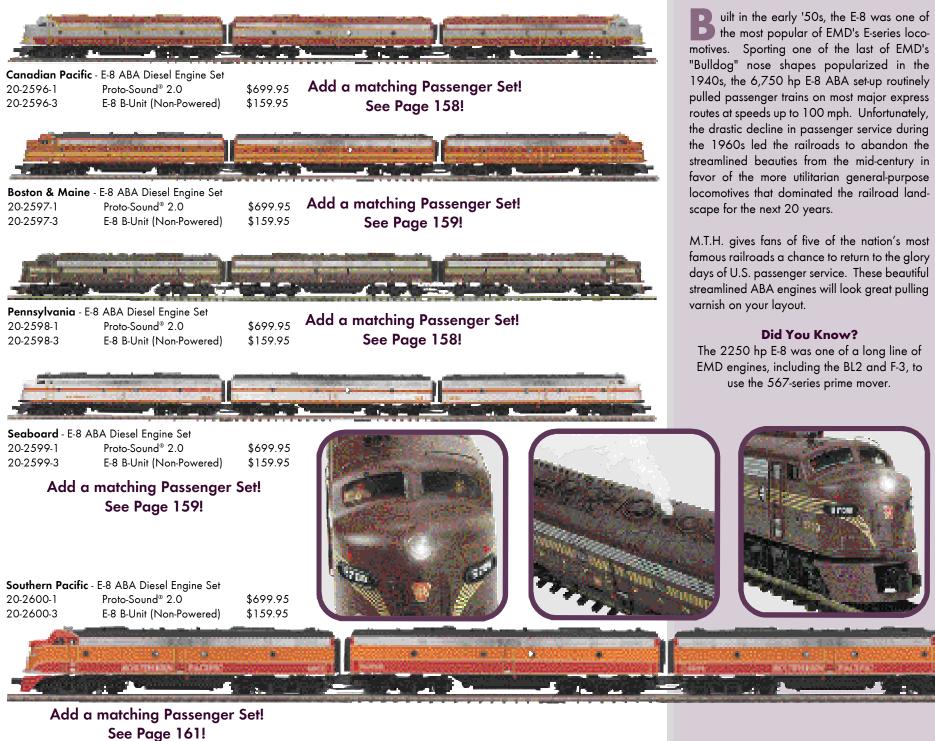
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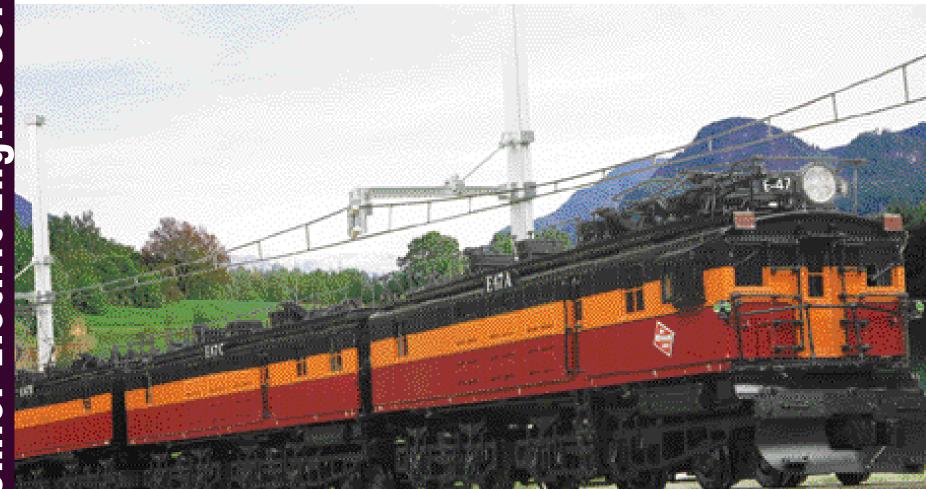




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Did You Know? The 2250 hp E-8 was one of a long line of EMD engines, including the BL2 and F-3, to use the 567-series prime mover.

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- Intricately Detailed Die-Cast Bodies
- Metal Wheels, Axles and Gears
- Die-Cast Truck Sides, Pilots and Fuel Tank
- Metal Chassis
- Metal Handrails and Decorative Horn
- Metal Body Side Grilles
- Operates On O-72 Curves
- Auxiliary B+B Measures: 11 1/4" x 4 1/4" x 2 1/2"

#### ADDITIONAL POWERED FEATURES

- Directionally Controlled Headlights
- Operating Pantographs
- (2) Remotely Controlled Proto-Couplers™
- (2) Precision Flywheel Equipped Motors
- Locomotive Speed Control<sup>™</sup>
- Lighted Cab Interiors
- Illuminated Number Boards
- Lighted Marker Lights
- (2) Engineer Cab Figures
- Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 With The Digital Command System Featuring: Freight Yard Proto-Effects™
- EF Set Measures: 45 1/4" x 4 1/4" x 2 1/2"
- EF A/B Measures: 30 1/2" x 4 1/4" x 2 1/2"







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Virginian - EF Electric Engine Set 20-5573-1 Proto-Sound® 2.0 \$999.95 Electric Auxiliary B+B Unit (Non-Powered) \$249.95 20-5573-3

ike all railroads, the Milwaukee Road faced the impending prospect of replacing its aging and inefficient fleet of steam locomotives with more modern motive power during the early 1900s. The less costly and more efficient value found in electrification of many of its routes would ultimately lead the Milwaukee to center its motive power upgrades around General Electric locomotives.

The GE Motors, or as they were often called, GEs, Freight Motors, Passenger Motors or Box Cabs, were part of a 42 two-unit locomotive fleet that stayed in service an amazing 58 years. Though slow, these reliable units, sometimes nicknamed pelicans, black cows or mules, began first appearing in 1914 as part of a package deal with General Electric. Over the years, the units were reconfigured into three and later four unit trains that, until their very end, outperformed most diesel engines they competed against.

Until 1932, the units were only operated as two-unit AB sets as per Milwaukee's chief Electrical Engineer Rainier Beeuwkes wishes. Stubbornly sticking to his belief that three-unit consists would only serve to compromise the excellence the Milwaukee had demonstrated in efficiency, it wasn't until Beeuwkes assistant Laurence Wylie proved through exhaustive tests how much better the GEs could perform in three and fourunit sets. When so configured, the road assigned different classes to the consist. An EF-1 was an AB set, an EF-2 a three unit set made up of three control cars, an EF-3 substituted the middle control car of a three unit set with a car with no control cab or pilot trucks. EF-5s were the biggest of the GEs with four units made up of two control cars and two middle units (some of which had cabs and some which did not). No EF-4s were classified using GEs since that class had been assigned to Milwaukee's Little Joe.

On the heels of M.T.H.'s 2004 Premier Line Little Joe, comes the Milwaukee Road EF-3 sporting crisp O Scale detail durably produced in all die-cast metal. Fully equipped with the legendary power and performance of Proto-Sound 2.0, the control units in your set will feature fully automatic pantographs that automatically raise and lower as the set's direction is changed. Adding an optional B+B unit gives you the opportunity to create an EF-5 for an incredible sight on any O Scale layout.

Fans of the Virginian, New Haven and Great Northern railroads may find the EF two-unit sets more to their liking. Like the Milwaukee versions, an optional B+B can be added to create a three-unit set.



- Die-Cast Truck Sides and Fuel Tank
- Colorful Paint Scheme
- Metal Chassis
- Metal Body Side Grilles
- Intricately Detailed ABS Body
- Spinning Roof Fans
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- (2) Metal Couplers
- Unit Measures: 13" x 2 5/8" x 3 3/4"
- Operates On O-31 Curves

#### ADDITIONAL POWERED FEATURES

- Directionally Controlled Headlights
- (2) Remotely Controlled Proto-Couplers™
- Illuminated Number Boards
- Lighted Marker Lights
- (2) Precision Flywheel Equipped Motors In Each A Unit
- (2) Cab Figures In Each A Unit
- Lighted Cab Interiors
- (2) Operating Smoke Units
- Locomotive Speed Control<sup>™</sup>
- Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 With The Digital Command System Featuring: Passenger Station or Freight Sound Proto-Effects™







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# Four Motors For Awesome Pulling



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Bangor & Aroostook - F-3 ABA Diesel Engine Set Proto-Sound® 2.0 \$699.95 F-3 B-Unit (Non-Powered) \$159.95

Add a matching Passenger Set! See Page 160!

Erie - F-3 ABA Diesel Engine Set Proto-Sound® 2.0 F-3 B-Unit (Non-Powered)

\$699.95 All New Trucksides \$159.95 and Pilot Detail!



Milwaukee Road - F-3 ABA Diesel Engine Set Proto-Sound® 2.0 \$699.95 F-3 B-Unit (Non-Powered) \$159.95

Did You Know? F-3s assigned for freight duty utilized a "wedge" pilot rather than the smooth pilot found on passenger service assignments.

orld War II had called for locomotive manufacturers to adhere to production guidelines as set by the War Production Board. With the war's end in 1945, EMD, like other major competitors, worked hard to meet industry demand after four years of restricted supply. In the freight cab market, EMD released their F-series. The F-3 headlined the series, debuting in the summer of 1945, a few months before the official end of the war.

The F-3 emerged with a new generator that supplied both direct and alternating current, an important upgrade for EMD's initial F-unit design. Because of the addition of the dual generator, AC-powered fans and blowers could be operated electrically, boosting the locomotives' ability to stay in top form. The 1,500-h.p. rated F-3, with its bulldog nose and dual capabilities set a standard in railroading. In test runs, No. 291, a demonstrator unit, logged over 125,000 miles in sixteen months pulling freight and passenger loads. Railroads were impressed with the tests and hundreds of advanced orders for the F-3s poured in.

EMD and Premier fans will no doubt want to order any of these stellar replicas of the F-3 dressed in four exciting paint schemes. The Premier F-3 represents the bulldog tenacity of the prototype in 1:48 scale complete with the awesome sounds and features of Proto-Sound 2.0.

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Western Pacific - F-3 ABA Diesel Engine Set \$699.95 Proto-Sound® 2.0 F-3 B-Unit (Non-Powered) \$159.95

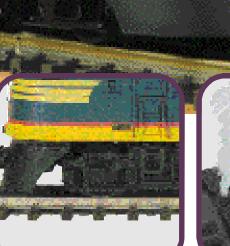
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- Colorful Paint Scheme
- Metal Chassis
- Intricately Detailed ABS Body
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Die-Cast Truck Sides & Fuel Tank
- (2) Operating Metal Couplers
- Unit Measures: 12 5/8" x 2 5/8" x 3 3/4"
- Operates On O-31 Curves

#### ADDITIONAL POWERED FEATURES

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- Directionally Controlled Headlights
- Metal Gears
- (2) Remotely Controlled Proto-Couplers™
- Metal Handrails and Decorative Horn
- (2) Precision Flywheel Equipped Motors In Each A Unit
- Lighted Cab Interiors
- Illuminated Number Boards
- (2) Cab Figures In Each A Unit
- Spinning Roof Fans
- Metal Body Side Grilles
- Lighted Marker Lights
- Locomotive Speed Control
- (2) Operating Smoke Units
- Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 With The Digital Command System Featuring: Freight Yard Proto-Effects™











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#### Did You Know?

The original FT demonstrator was sold to the Southern Railway and soldiered on for 20 more years. The lead unit, Southern #6100, is today a National Historic Mechanical Engineering Landmark, preserved at the National Museum of Transport in St. Louis.

he EMD-built FT freight diesel was born in November 1939 in the La Grange, IL, General Motors plant. Number 103, the four-unit FT demonstrator, didn't take any baby steps. It immediately started an 11-month, 35-state tour, logging 83,764 miles on 20 Class I railroads. Wherever it went, the FT beat the railroads' best steam engines at every task. By the end of the tour, steam was, for all practical purposes, dead. As famed Trains magazine editor David P. Morgan later put, the FT was "the diesel that did it."

The FT demonstrator was made up of four units, each with a 16-cylinder engine that hammered out 1350 horsepower. The demonstrator's combined rating of 5400 hp was similar to that of many "superpower" steam engines, but the FT made far more efficient use of its power. The A units at either end were 48'3" long and the cabless B units were 48'1" in length. Initially, EMD built FTs in semi-permanently coupled A-B pairs, but the A-B-A arrangement was an alternative.

M.T.H. is excited to offer this Premier A-B-A version of "the diesel that did it." Upgraded for 2005, our model features a level of detail and accuracy not previously offered in 3-rail O gauge F-units. Redesigned Blomberg trucks on the FT include separately-applied truck springs, air brake cylinders, air lines, and speed recorder cable. Modular molds enable models to have the correct roof fans, horns, grab irons, and headlight and number board placement for each individual road name. End and pilot details include added-on hoses. Paint colors are accurately researched. We think you'll agree that our upgraded F-units set a new standard of detail and accuracy for 3-rail carbody diesels.

<b>n</b> - FT ABA Diesel Engine Set	
Proto-Sound <sup>®</sup> 2.0	\$699.95
FT B-Unit (Non-Powered)	\$159.95

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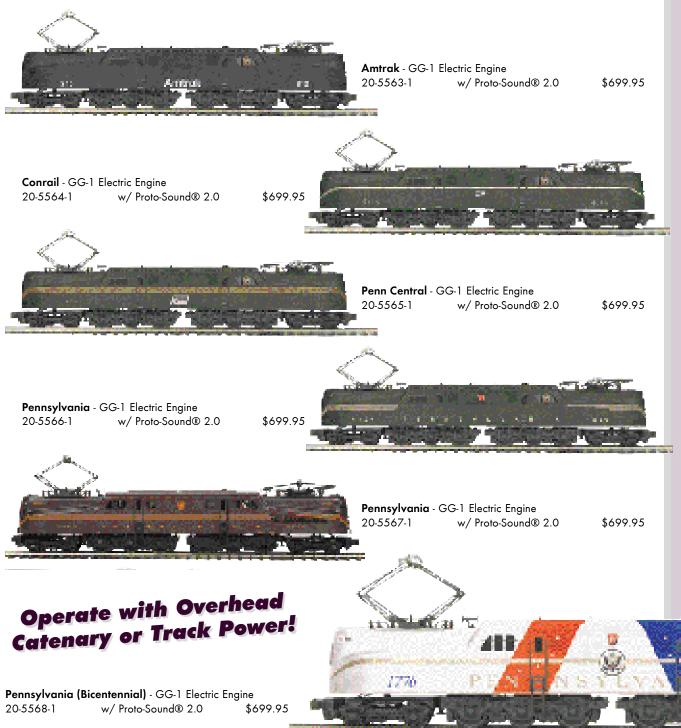
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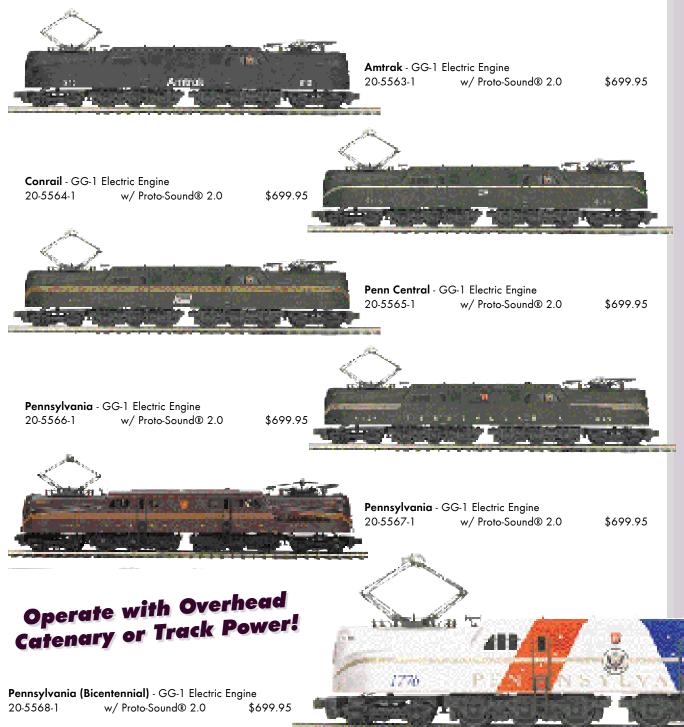
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#### FEATURES

- Directionally Controlled Headlights
- Intricately Detailed Die-Cast Body
- Metal Wheels, Axles and Gears
- Remotely Controlled Operating Pantographs
   Locomotive Speed Control<sup>TM</sup>
- Enhanced Detail Die-Cast Truck Sides & Pilots (2) Engineer Cab Figures
- (2) Remotely Controlled Proto-Couplers™
- Authentic Paint Scheme
- Metal Chassis
- (2) Precision Flywheel Equipped Motors
- Lighted Cab Interior
- See-Through Metal Body Side Grills
- Opening Doors

• Illuminated Number Boards • Lighted Marker Lights

• Opening Hatches

- Operating Smoke Unit
- Proto-Scale 3-2<sup>™</sup> 3-Rail/2-Rail Conversion Capable
- Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 With The Digital Command System Featuring: Freight Yard or Passenger Station Proto-Effects™
- Unit Measures: 20" x 2 5/8" x 4"
- Operates On O-72 Curves





The GG-1 could be called the Gold Standard for electric locomotives, with its unparalleled longevity and road performance. Its incredible performance record is probably due to the fact that it had to compete for its spot on the Pennsy roster. When the PRR was in the market for a new high-speed passenger locomotive, it was given two prototypes to consider. The GG-1, based on the New Haven EP3, defeated the R1 in the contest to determine which engine Pennsy would order, and so began the engine's unparalleled dominance.

The 139-unit GG-1 fleet was built between 1934-44, primarily for passenger work, though during WWII and in the 1950s when passenger train miles were reduced the engines did dual duty, pulling freight trains when needed. The GG-1 survived longer than any other locomotive design, lasting well into the 1980s, and survived both the railroad that created it and that road's successor, Penn Central.

This all die-cast locomotive returns to the M.T.H. lineup completely outfitted with the power and performance of Proto-Sound 2.0. The only scale GG-1 that includes conventional remote controlled Proto-Couplers and Proto-Speed Control that really works, GG-1 fans won't find a better operating model anywhere. During operation, the pantographs will automatically raise and lower themselves depending on locomotive direction. Movement is accompanied by sound and smoke for an incredibly realistic operating experience.

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- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Metal Chassis
- Intricately Detailed ABS Body
- Die-Cast Truck Sides, Pilots and Fuel Tank
- Authentic Paint Scheme
- Metal Handrails and Decorative Horn
- (2) Engineer Cab Figures
- Spinning Roof Fans
- Metal Body Side Grilles
- (2) Operating Metal Couplers
- Unit Measures: 15" x 2 3/4" x 4 1/4"

#### ADDITIONAL POWERED FEATURES

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- (2) Remotely Controlled Proto-Couplers™
- (2) Precision Flywheel Equipped Motors
- Illuminated Number Boards
- Directionally Controlled Headlights
- Lighted Cab Interior
- Lighted Marker Lights
- Operating Smoke Unit
- Metal Gears
- Locomotive Speed Control<sup>™</sup>
- Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 With The Digital Command System Featuring: Freight Yard Proto-Effects™



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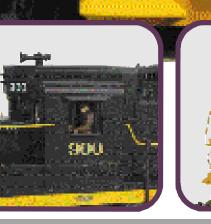






• Operates On O-31 Curves

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alled by Trains magazine "nothing less than a landmark unit in Electro-Motive's all-time production record," the GP-30 represented a major shift in EMD's locomotive design. The GP-30's departures from earlier Geeps (as the GP class was called) include the relocation of all the engine's radiators to the end of the unit and the centralization of the air distribution system used to cool the traction motors. It is also the only EMD locomotive to bear the distinctive cowled cab-top and streamlined features. The 2250 horsepower GP-30 was developed in direct response to General Electric's announcement of the 2500 horsepower U25B, which introduced the more efficient centralized air distribution system. Although the GP-30 had a lower horsepower rating than GE's U25B, EMD's marketers decided to break with their recent engine-naming practice and introduce the new Geep not as GP-22, which represented its horsepower, but as GP-30, to give it a larger, more powerful number than GE's competing diesel.

The GP-30 was introduced in July 1961. Twenty-seven railroads had bought 948 units by the time production stopped in November 1963. GP-30s were initially used for fast freight service, but as the more powerful GP-35s and GP-40s appeared, the -30s were changed to yard and branch line service. Many GP-30s remained in service for more than 30 years after they were built.

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## 20-2623-1 20-2623-3

#### NON-POWERED FEATURES

- Intricately Detailed ABS Body
- Die-Cast Truck Sides, Pilots and Fuel Tank
- Colorful Paint Scheme
- Metal Chassis
- Metal Handrails and Decorative Horn
- (2) Cab Figures
- Spinning Roof Fans
- Metal Body Side Grilles
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- (2) Operating Metal Couplers
- Unit Measures: 18 1/2" x 2 5/8" x 4"

#### • Operates On O-42 Curves

#### ADDITIONAL POWERED FEATURES

- Directionally Controlled Headlights
- Metal Gears
- (2) Remotely Controlled Proto-Couplers™
- (2) Precision Flywheel Equipped Motors
- Locomotive Speed Control<sup>™</sup>
- Lighted Cab Interior
- Illuminated Number Boards
- Lighted Marker Lights
- Operating Ditch Lights
- Operating Smoke Unit
- Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 With The Digital Command System Featuring:- Freight Yard Proto-Effects™



## All New 6-Wheel Truck with Flanged Leading and Trailing Wheels

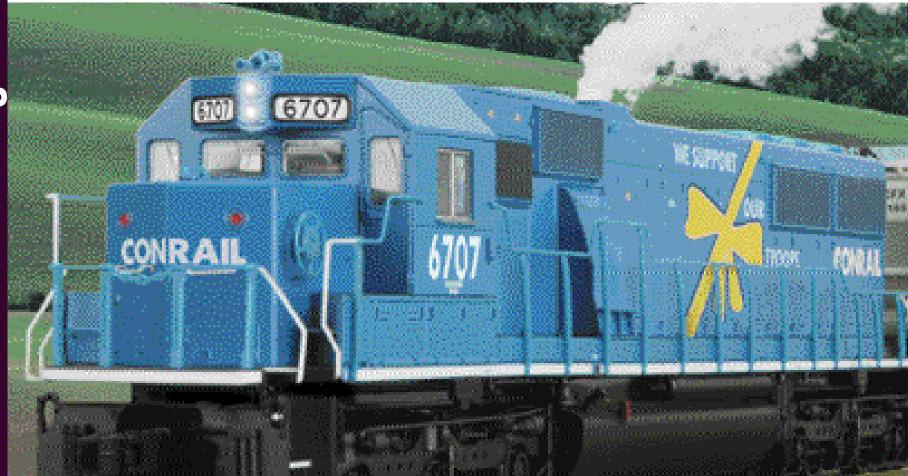
the future. While designed to meet the Environmental Protection Agency's Tier-2 emissions requirements that took effect on January 1, 2005, this replacement for the SD70MAC also seems to have a higher purpose: to recapture the lead in North American locomotive sales that EMD lost to General Electric in 1987. Under the hood beats a third-generation model 710 diesel with 4300 horsepower; only slight modifications

were needed to make the model 710 meet new emission standards. With 5000 such motors in service worldwide and a reputation for dependability, EMD reasoned that shop crews would prefer familiar technology.

Other than the prime mover, however, virtually every element of the SD70ACe has been re-thought to create a 21st century locomotive. Ergonomics were a prime consideration. The engine's angular nose offers the crew far better visibility than most other locomotives, and the cab is comfortable for engineers of almost any size. Digital screens provide a range of information on what is happening both inside the locomotive and out on the road. The cab easily accommodates a crew of three - an important factor in a modern world without cabooses. And there is, of course, a cupholder for the engineer.

The SD70ACe also offers, in EMD's words, "outstanding improvements in maintainability." All electrical wires are on the right side of the locomotive and all piping is on the left, with most pipes and wires routed under the frame so they can be serviced by a man standing outside the engine - rather than crawling around at the bottom of the engine room. The number of electrical components has been drastically reduced while access to the remaining parts has been seriously improved. And the time between service intervals has been doubled, from every three months to every six months.

After a year of testing on the road and at the Association of American Railroads' test track in Pueblo, CO, the first SD70ACe's ('e" stands for "enhanced") were delivered to CSX Transportation in 2004. At the present time, mainline American railroads generally maintain dual fleets of locomotives. AC power is used for heavy coal hauling and hotshot intermodal traffic because AC traction motors offer higher starting tractive effort with the same horsepower. Less expensive, traditional DC power is used for more mundane duties. But with the SD70ACe. Electro-Motive hopes it may have the 21st Century successor to its 1949 Geep - a locomotive that can be nearly all things to all railroads.





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Union Pacific - SD50 Diesel Engine 20-2581-1 20-2581-3

#### NON-POWERED FEATURES

- Intricately Detailed ABS Body
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- (2) Operating Metal Couplers
- Die-Cast Truck Sides, Pilots and Fuel Tank
- Metal Handrails and Decorative Horn
- Spinning Roof Fans
- Metal Body Side Grilles
- (2) Cab Figures
- Unit Measures: 17 <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" x 3 <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" x 2 <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>"
- Operates On O-42 Curves

#### ADDITIONAL POWERED FEATURES

- Directionally Controlled Headlights
- Metal Gears
- (2) Remotely Controlled Proto-Couplers™
- (2) Precision Flywheel Equipped Motors
- Locomotive Speed Control<sup>™</sup>
- Lighted Cab Interior
- Illuminated Number Boards
- Lighted Marker Lights
- Operating Ditch Lights
- Operating Smoke Unit
- Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 With The Digital Command System Featuring: Freight Yard Proto-Effects™

All New 6-Wheel Truck with Flanged Leading and Trailing Wheels



Chessie - SD50 Diesel Engine 20-2576-1 Proto-Sound® 2.0 \$399.95 20-2576-3 Non-Powered \$159.95

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Denver & Rio Grande - SD50 Diesel Engine Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 Non-Powered



MD's "50 Series" diesel locomotives of the mid-1980s were the product of the most extensive testing in the company's 50-year history. Both the four-axle, four-motor GP50 and the six-axle, six-motor SD50 utilized a new control system that substantially increased hauling capacity and reduced engine noise levels.

The 3500 hp SD50 measured just 30" longer than the SD40-2 it replaced but differed substantially in appearance. Gone were the front and rear "porches" of the SD40-2 and the dynamic brake blisters on the sides of its hood. Under the SD50's longer hood, the dynamic brakes, which generate a lot of heat, were relocated from a position over the hot engine to a cleaner, cooler area just behind the cab.

The SD50 also introduced EMD's new "Super Series" control system, which included a radar unit for measuring true ground speed and electronic monitoring of the electrical equipment. A primary benefit of the new control system was its ability to maximize rail adhesion by automatically applying short bursts of sand as needed to maintain traction. The system allowed three SD50s to do the work of four older locomotives.

The SD50 joins M.T.H.'s Premier Line diesel roster in 2005, fully outfitted with the power and performance of Proto-Sound® 2.0. Intricate detailing that includes see-thru body screens, wire grab irons, spinning roof fans, and opening doors ensures that the SD50 will look as fine as it performs.



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#### NON-POWERED FEATURES

- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Metal Chassis
- Die-Cast Truck Sides. Pilots and Fuel Tank
- Metal Handrails and Decorative Horn
- (2) Engineer Cab Figures
- Spinning Roof Fans
- Metal Body Side Grilles
- Intricately Detailed ABS Body
- (2) Operating Metal Couplers
- Colorful Paint Scheme
- Unit Measures:18 1/2" x 2 5/8" x 4"

#### • Operates On O-42 Curves

#### ADDITIONAL POWERED FEATURES

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- Directionally Controlled Headlights
- Metal Gears
- (2) Remotely Controlled Proto-Couplers™
- (2) Precision Flywheel Equipped Motors
- Locomotive Speed Control<sup>™</sup>
- Lighted Cab Interior
- Illuminated Number Boards
- Lighted Marker Lights
- Operating Ditch Lights
- Operating Smoke Unit
- Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 With The Digital Command System Featuring: Freight Yard Proto-Effects™



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roducing 3,000 horsepower and achieving a top speed of 103 mph, F40PHs have regularly traversed this country - perhaps more than any other locomotive. When it was created by EMD in 1976, it was intended for short-haul and commuter trains heated by head-end electricity, but the unit was chosen over the SDP40F, another EMD cowl unit, to head Superliner trains. Once that decision was made, the 500-kw alternator and 1200-gallon fuel tank wasn't adequate. The unit was modified with an 800-kw alternator and an 1800aallon fuel tank.

The F40PH evolved from the SD-45 and SDO-45 designs. The B-B cowl type locomotive proved remarkably versatile and dependable. Whether heading Amtrak's San Francisco Zephyr and Empire Builder or servicing commuter lines across the nation, the F40PH became an instant railfan favorite.

Pairing these all-new F40s with Bombadier and Bi-Level commuter cars will add dimension and variety to your modern-era roster. Each engine is outfitted with Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 and contains unique passenger station Proto-Effects<sup>TM</sup> only available from M.T.H. Gliding into a station with slow speed precision is possible thanks to the industry-leading Proto-Speed Control™ system and the unique passenger station sounds make each station stop a truly interactive experience.

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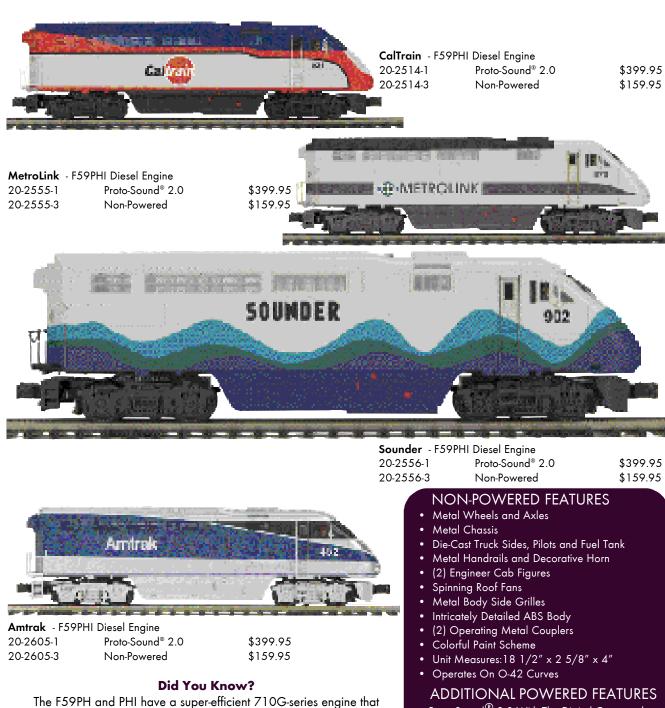
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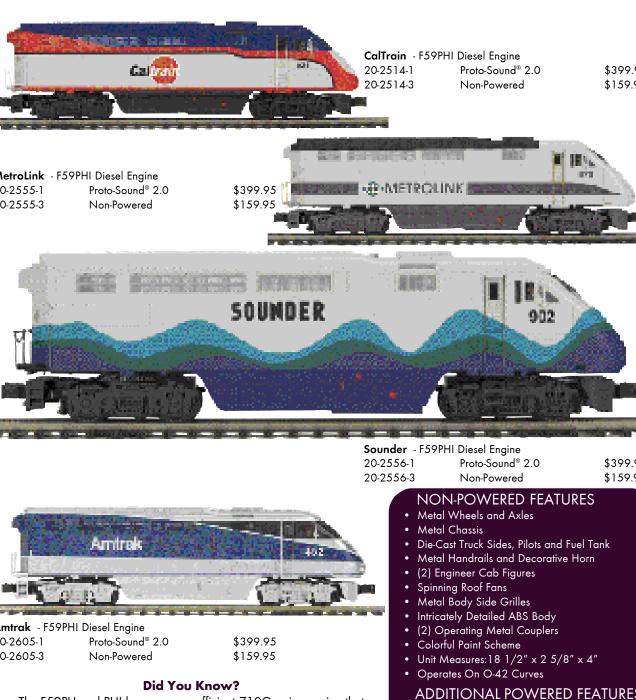
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• Unit Measures: 15 1/4" x 2 1/2" x 3 7/8"

#### • Operates On O-31 Curves







allows a 12-cylinder power plant to replace the 16-cylinder version.

Proto-Sound<sup>®</sup> 2.0 With The Digital Command System Featuring: Freight Yard Proto-Effects™

n 1988 Toronto-area commuter operator GO transit commissioned EMD to design a new commuter locomotive to replace the aging F40PH - which had been North America's standard passenger engine for more than a decade. The new F59PH design incorporated a 3000 horsepower prime mover and a separate head end power (HEP) motor/generator set for car lighting, heat, and air conditioning. The new engine used 12 cylinders instead of 16 to produce the same horsepower as the seventies-era F40PH, and with lower emissions. On the exterior, however, the F59new locomotive [didn't look like a new passenger engine; it ] had the boxy, muscular look of a freight hauler

The Canadian-born design really came into its own on the West Coast of the United States. In 1994 the California Department of Transportation placed an order for nine F59's for "Amtrak California" service and specified a new look that, while officially designated the F59PHI, became known as the California F59: rounded nose, side skirts covering the fuel tank. and a streamlined carbody to blend with high, bilevel passenger cars. Other railroads apparently liked the new look and the engine's performance, and the F59PHI became a common sight on the West Coast. Commuter operators include Metrolink in Los Angeles, Translink in Vancouver, B.C., and Seattle's Sound Transit "Sounder" service. On the other side of the continent, E59PHI's can be found on Montreal commuter runs and Amtrak service out of Raleiah, North Carolina.

Replicate the services that are reviving commuter rail travel in many parts of the United States with MTH's fully-detailed F59PHI and matching passenger consists. The F59PHI returns to the Premier line in 2005 decorated for a number of West Coast operators and complete with accurate station announcements for each commuter line.

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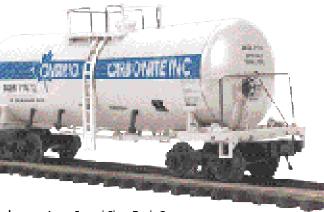
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- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Die-Cast 4-Wheel Trucks
- Operating Die-Cast Metal Couplers
- Colorful, Attractive Paint Schemes
- Fast-Angle Wheel Sets
- Needle-Point Axles
- 1:48 Scale Dimensions
- Separate Metal Handrails
- Decorative Brake Wheels
- Unit Measures: 11″ x 2 5/8″ x 4″
- Operates On O-31 Curves

# Tank Cars



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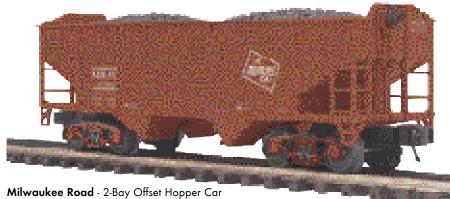


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- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Die-Cast 4-Wheel Trucks
- Operating Die-Cast Metal Couplers Colorful, Attractive Paint Schemes
- Fast-Angle Wheel Sets
- Needle-Point Axles
- 1:48 Scale Dimensions
- Separate Metal Handrails
- Unit Measures: 12" x 2 3/4" x 4 3/16"
- Operates On O-27 Curves

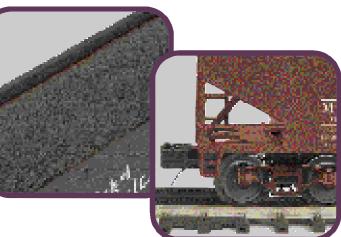


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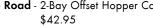


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- Intricately Detailed Durable ABS Body
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Operating Interior Lighting
  Die-Cast 4-Wheel Trucks
- Colorful, Attractive Paint Schemes
- Operating Die-Cast Metal Couplers
- Fast-Angle Wheel Sets
- Needle-Point Axles
- 1:48 Scale Dimensions
- Unit Measures: 9 1/2" x 2 1/2" x 3"
- Operates On O-31 Curves

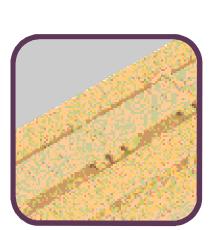
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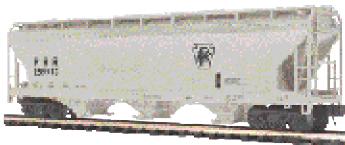
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- Die-Cast 4-Wheel Trucks
- Operating Die-Cast Metal Couplers
- Colorful, Attractive Paint Schemes
- Fast-Angle Wheel Sets
- Needle-Point Axles
- 1:48 Scale Dimensions
- Operates On O-31 Curves
- 3-BAY CENTERFLOW HOPPER CAR • Unit Measures: 13 7/8" x 2 11/16" x 3 7/8"

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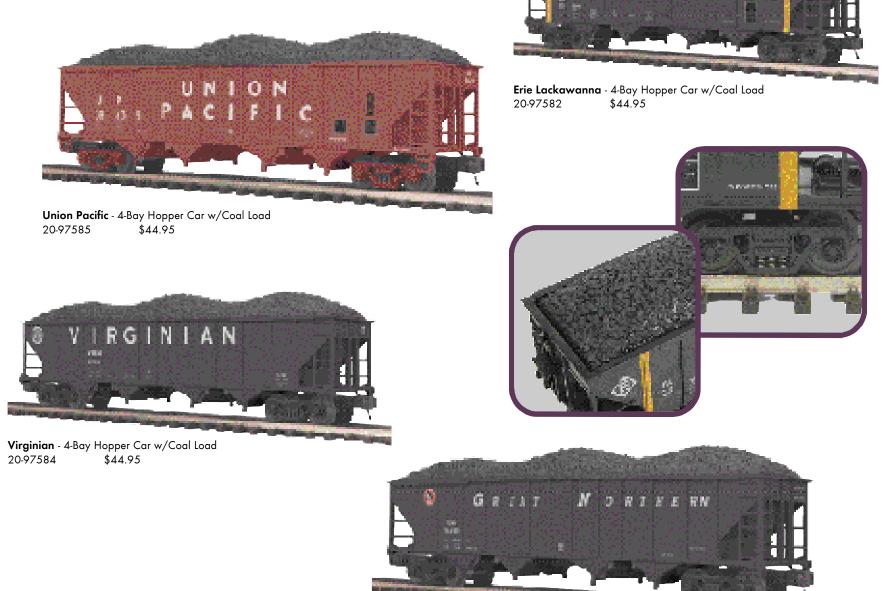




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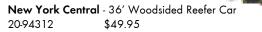


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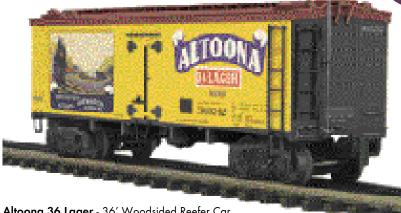






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- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Die-Cast 4-Wheel Trucks
- Operating Die-Cast Metal Couplers Colorful, Attractive Paint Schemes
- Decorative Brake Wheels
- Separate Metal Handrails
- Fast-Angle Wheel Sets
- Needle-Point Axles
- 1:48 Scale Dimensions
- Unit Measures: 10 3/4" x 2 3/8" x 3 1/4"
- Operates On O-31 Curves



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- Die-Cast 4-Wheel Trucks
- Operating Die-Cast Metal Couplers
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- Separate Metal Handrails
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- Unit Measures: 13 5/8" x 2 5/8" x 4"
- Operates On O-31 Curves



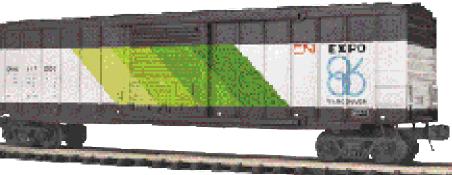
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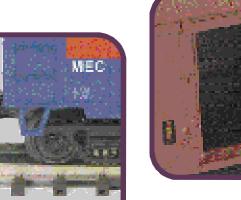
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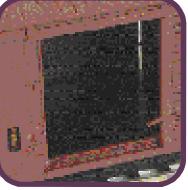


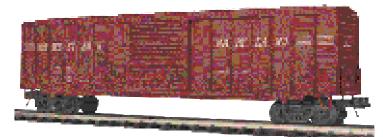




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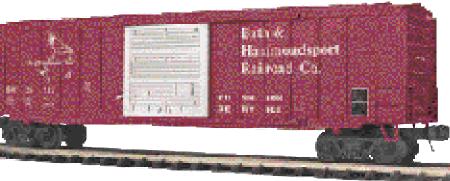




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- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Die-Cast 4-Wheel Trucks
- Operating Die-Cast Metal Couplers
- Colorful, Attractive Paint Schemes
- Decorative Brake Wheels
- Separate Metal Handrails
- Fast-Angle Wheel Sets
- Needle-Point Axles
- Sliding Car Doors
- 1:48 Scale Dimensions
- Unit Measures: 14 1/8" x 2 3/4" x 3 7/8"
- Operates On O-31 Curves



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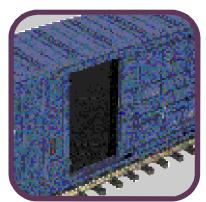
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- Die-Cast 4-Wheel Trucks
- Operating Die-Cast Metal Couplers Colorful, Attractive Paint Schemes
- Decorative Brake Wheels
- Separate Metal Handrails
- Fast-Angle Wheel Sets
- Needle-Point Axles
- Sliding Car Doors
- 1:48 Scale Dimensions
- Unit Measures: 14 1/2" x 2 5/8" x 4 3/16"
- Operates On O-31 Curves







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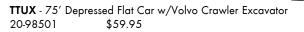


TTUX - 47' Heavy Duty Flat Car w/Volvo A25C Articulated Hauler 20-98499 \$59.95





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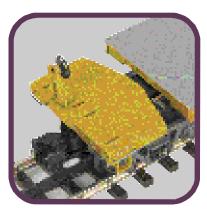




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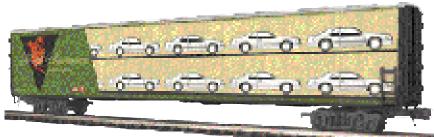
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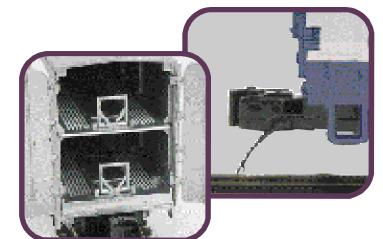


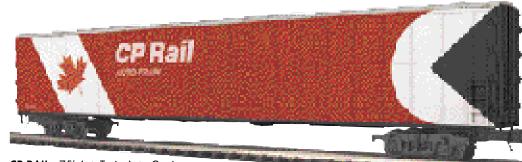


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- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Die-Cast 4-Wheel Trucks
- Operating Die-Cast Metal Couplers
- Colorful, Attractive Paint Schemes
- Fast-Angle Wheel Sets
- Needle-Point Axles
- 1:48 Scale Dimensions
- Unit Measures: 19 7/8" x 2 3/4" x 4 3/16"
- Operates On O-54 Curves





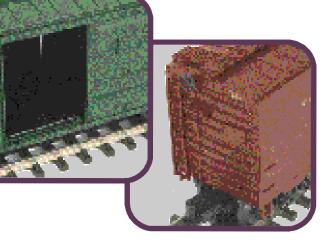
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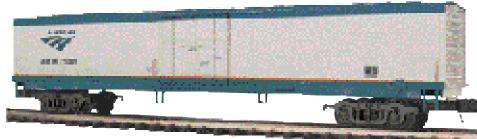
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- Die-Cast 4-Wheel Trucks
- Operating Die-Cast Metal Couplers
- Colorful, Attractive Paint Schemes
- Decorative Brake Wheels
- Separate Metal Handrails
- Fast-Angle Wheel Sets
- Needle-Point Axles
- Sliding Car Doors
- 1:48 Scale Dimensions
- Unit Measures: 11 5/8" x 2 5/8" x 3 3/4"
- Operates On O-31 Curves

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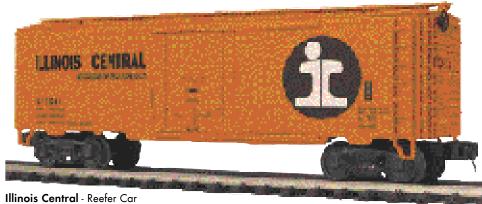
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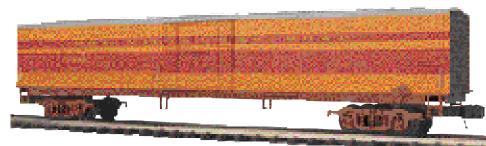


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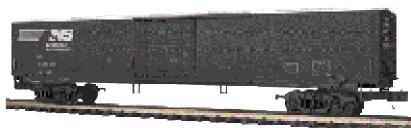


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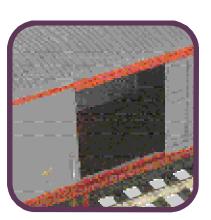


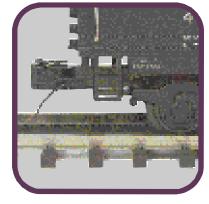


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Santa Fe - Reefer Car 20-94101 \$44.95



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- Intricately Detailed Durable ABS Body
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Die-Cast 4-Wheel Trucks
- Operating Die-Cast Metal Couplers
- Colorful, Attractive Paint Schemes
- Decorative Brake Wheels
- Separate Metal Handrails
- Fast-Angle Wheel Sets
- Needle-Point Axles
- 1:48 Scale Dimensions
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- Operates On O-31 Curves

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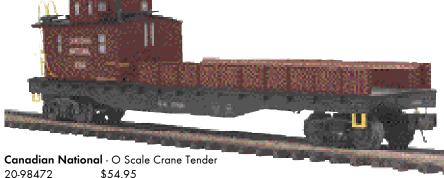


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- Intricately Detailed Durable ABS Body
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Operating Interior LightingDie-Cast 4-Wheel Trucks
- Colorful, Attractive Paint Schemes
- Operating Die-Cast Metal Couplers
- Fast-Angle Wheel Sets
- Needle-Point Axles
- 1:48 Scale Dimensions
- Separate Metal Handrails
- Unit Measures: 14 1/2" x 2 5/8" x 3 15/16"
- Operates On O-31 Curves

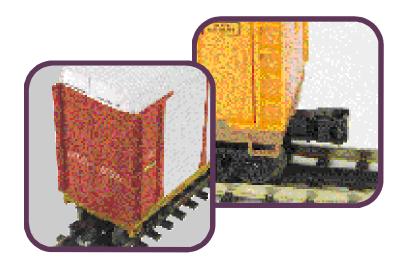
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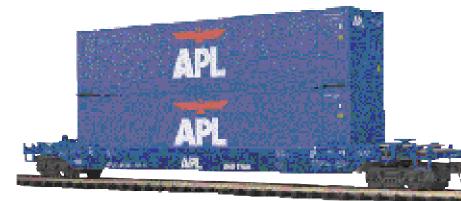
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- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Die-Cast 4-Wheel Trucks
- Operating Die-Cast Metal Couplers
- Colorful, Attractive Paint Schemes
- Fast-Angle Wheel Sets
- Needle-Point Axles
- 1:48 Scale Dimensions
- Unit Measures: 20 1/8" x 2 5/8" x 5 1/16"
- Operates On O-54 Curves



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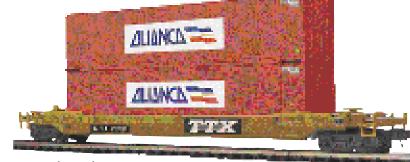




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- Intricately Detailed Durable ABS Body
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Die-Cast 4-Wheel Trucks
- Operating Die-Cast Metal Couplers
- Colorful, Attractive Paint Schemes
- Fast-Angle Wheel Sets
- Needle-Point Axles
- 1:48 Scale Dimensions
- Unit Measures: 18 3/4" x 2 9/16" x 5 9/16"
- Operates On O-54 Curves

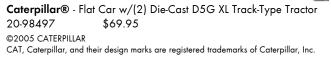
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- Intricately Detailed Durable ABS Body
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Die-Cast 4-Wheel Trucks
- Operating Die-Cast Metal Couplers
- Colorful, Attractive Paint Schemes
- Fast-Angle Wheel Sets
- Needle-Point Axles
- 1:48 Scale Dimensions
- Operates On O-31 Curves

### FLAT CARS W/CAR LOADS

- Decorative Brake Wheels
- (2) Die-Cast Police Cars or Construction Loads
- Unit Measures: 14 5/8" x 2 3/4" x 1 11/16"

### FLAT CARS W/TRAILER LOADS

- (1) 48' Trailer
- Unit Measures: 14 1/2" x 2 1/2" x 4 1/2"



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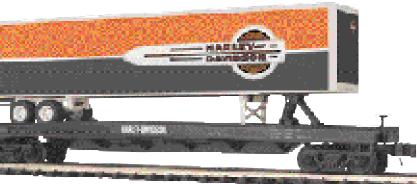
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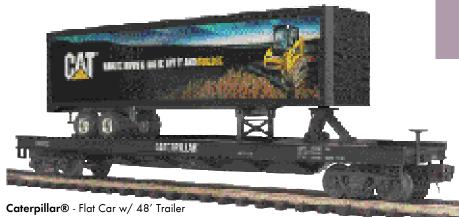


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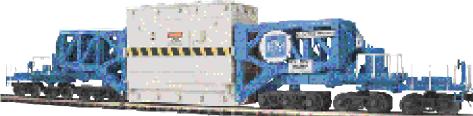
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Harley-Davidson® - Schnabel Flatcar 20-98492 \$119.95

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Electro Motive Division - Schnabel Flatcar \$119.95 20-98493



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### FEATURES

- Intricately Detailed Durable ABS Body
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Die-Cast 4 or 6-Wheel Trucks
- Operating Die-Cast Metal Couplers
- Colorful, Attractive Paint Schemes
- Decorative Brake Wheels
- Separate Metal Handrails
- Fast-Angle Wheel Sets
- Needle-Point Axles
- 1:48 Scale Dimensions
- Removable 1:43 Transformer Load
- Unit Measures: 26 1/2" x 3 3/16" x 4 7/8"
- Operates On O-72 Curves



General Electric - Schnabel Flatcar 20-98494 \$119.95





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20-98479 \$44.95



**Lehigh Valley** - Slag Car 20-98476 \$44.95

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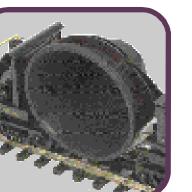
- Intricately Detailed Durable ABS Body
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Die-Cast 4-Wheel Trucks
- Colorful, Attractive Paint Schemes
- Operating Die-Cast Metal Couplers
- Fast-Angle Wheel Sets
- Needle-Point Axles
- 1:48 Scale Dimensions
- Unit Measures: 8 1/4" x 3" x 3"
- Operates On O-31 Curves

Western Maryland - Slag Car \$44.95



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 Pittsburgh & Lake Erie - Slag Car

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MLB - Baltimore Orioles™ - Double Door 50' Box Car 20-93255 \$59.95



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MLB - Pittsburgh Pirates™ - Double Door 50' Box Car

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MLB - Chicago Cubs™ - Double Door 50' Box Car \$59.95 20-93257

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### FEATURES

- Intricately Detailed Durable ABS Body
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Die-Cast 4-Wheel Trucks
- Operating Die-Cast Metal Couplers
- Colorful, Attractive Paint Schemes
- Decorative Brake Wheels
- Separate Metal Handrails
- Fast-Angle Wheel Sets
- Needle-Point Axles
- Sliding Car Doors
- 1:48 Scale Dimensions
- Unit Measures: 14 1/8" x 2 3/4" x 3 7/8"

### • Operates On O-31 Curves



MLB - Seattle Mariners™ - Double Door 50' Box Car \$59.95 20-93260



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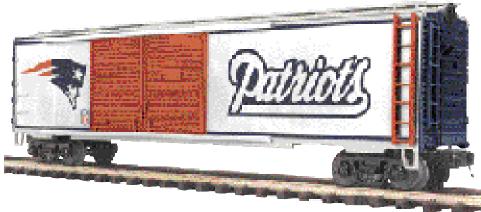


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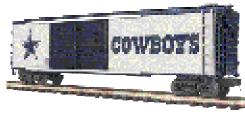
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Weyerhauser - Bobber Caboose 20-91185 \$44.95

### FEATURES

- Intricately Detailed Durable ABS Body
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Die-Cast 2-Wheel Trucks
- Operating Die-Cast Metal Couplers
- Colorful, Attractive Paint Schemes
- Fast-Angle Wheel Sets
- Needle-Point Axles
- Near-Scale Proportions
- Brakeman Figure
- Detailed Interior
- Operating Interior Lighting
  Unit Measures: 6 5/8" x 2 5/8" x 3 1/2"

### • Operates On O-27 Curves



Western Maryland - Bobber Caboose \$44.95 20-91186





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Canadian National - Extended Vision Caboose 20-91189 \$54.95



Norfolk Southern - Extended Vision Caboose \$54.95



20-91188 \$54.95

### FEATURES

- Intricately Detailed Durable ABS Body
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Die-Cast 4-Wheel Trucks
- Operating Die-Cast Metal Couplers
- Colorful, Attractive Paint Schemes
- Fast-Angle Wheel Sets
- Needle-Point Axles
- 1:48 Scale Dimensions
- Caboose Interiors With Overhead Lighting
- Brakeman Figure
- Separate Metal Handrails
- Decorative Brake Wheels
- 1:48 Scale Dimensions
- Unit Measures: 10 3/4" x 2 3/4" x 4"
- Operates On O-31 Curves



Erie Lackawanna - Extended Vision Caboose 20-91190 \$54.95







New York Central - Steel Caboose \$54.95 20-91192

### FEATURES

- Intricately Detailed Durable ABS Body
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Die-Cast 4-Wheel Trucks
- Operating Die-Cast Metal Couplers
- Colorful, Attractive Paint Schemes
- Fast-Angle Wheel Sets
- Needle-Point Axles
- Caboose Interiors With Overhead Lighting
- Brakeman Figure
- Separate Metal Handrails
- Decorative Brake Wheels
- 1:48 Scale Dimensions
- Operates On O-31 Curves

### STEEL CABOOSE

• Unit Measures: 10 1/4" x 2 1/2" x 4 1/4"

BAY WINDOW CABOOSE

• Unit Measures: 10 7/8" x 2 15/16" x 3 13/16"

### N-8 CABOOSE

• Unit Measures: 9 5/8" x 2 1/2" x 3 15/16"



Milwaukee Road - Steel Caboose \$54.95 20-91193



Santa Fe - Steel Caboose 20-91194 \$54.95



Great Northern - Steel Caboose 20-91195 \$54.95



Long Island - N-8 Caboose 20-91178



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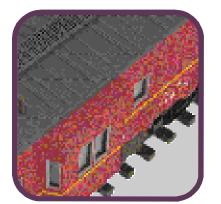
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Pennsylvania - N-8 Caboose \$54.95 20-91179

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Each car in these sets is individually numbered for authentic realism. And, each set is available in two item numbers. The second item number features an entirely different set of 6 cars, each also individually numbered, allowing you to obtain a total of 12 different numbered cars if desired. When you prefer the convenience of a ready-to-run unit train, M.T.H. Premier Line 6-car sets are a great choice.

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Great Northern - 4-Bay Hopper 6 Car Set 20-90230 \$239.95 Car Numbers 70458, 70440, 70446, 70454, 70457, 70441 20-90231 \$239.95 Car Numbers 70452, 70448, 70455, 70453, 70459, 70447





Virginian - 4-Bay Hopper 6 Car Set 20-90232 \$239.95 Car Numbers 5765, 5732, 5767, 5759, 5727, 5729 20-90233 \$239.95 Car Numbers 5764, 5753, 5738, 5762, 5755, 5723

Union Pacific - 4-Bay Hopper 6 Car Set 20-90239 \$239.95 Car Numbers 38424, 38438, 38433, 38423, 38437, 38425 20-90240 \$239.95 Car Numbers 37202, 37219, 37214, 37225, 37205, 37218

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### 4-BAY HOPPER

- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Die-Cast 4-Wheel Trucks
- Operating Die-Cast Metal Couplers
- Colorful, Attractive Paint Schemes
- Fast-Angle Wheel Sets
- Needle-Point Axles
- Separate Metal Handrails
- Decorative Brake Wheels
- Intricately Detailed Durable ABS Bodies
- 1:48 Scale Dimensions
- Each Car Measures: 13 1/4" x 2 5/8" x 3"

### 2-BAY OFFSET HOPPER

• Each Car Measures: 9 1/2" x 2 1/2" x 3"

Erie-Lackawanna - 4-Bay Hopper 6 Car Set 20-90259 \$239.95 20-90260

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Car Numbers 33996, 33992, 33990, 33993, 33998, 33997 \$239.95 <sup>=</sup>Car Numbers 33890, 33892, 33891, 33895, 33898, 33896



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20-90256

Milwaukee Road - 6-Car 2-Bay Offset Hopper Car Set

Car Numbers 96433, 96428, 96439, 96420, 96419, 96436

Car Numbers 96435, 96424, 96442, 96430, 96433, 96441

Car Numbers 58910, 58908, 58920, 58903, 58906, 58912

Car Numbers 58911, 58902, 58905, 58919, 58914, 58904

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Missouri Pacific - 6-Car 2-Bay Offset Hopper Car Set

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Clinchfield - 6-Car 2-Bay Offset Hopper Car Set 20-90251 \$239.95

Car Numbers 47160, 47165, 47172, 47178, 47169, 47173 20-90252 \$239.95 Car Numbers 47161, 47163, 47170, 47177, 47167, 47179





Norfolk Southern - 6-Car 2-Bay Offset Hopper Car Set \$239.95 20-90257 Car Numbers 9142, 9145, 9148, 9152, 9155, 9163 20-90258 \$239.95 Car Numbers 9144, 9158, 9146, 9153, 9165, 9161



















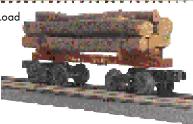
Western Maryland - 6-Car Skeleton Flat Car Set w/Log Load 20-90247 \$199.95 Car Numbers 40, 39, 37, 36, 41, 47

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### FEATURES

- Durable ABS Intricately Detailed Bodies
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Die-Cast 4-Wheel Trucks
- Operating Die-Cast Metal Couplers
- Colorful, Attractive Paint Schemes
- Fast-Angle Wheel Sets
- Needle-Point Axles
- 1:48 Scale Dimensions
- Each Car Measures: 7 3/4" x 2 1/4" x 3"

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Western Maryland - 4-Car19th Century Freight Set , \$159.95 20-90234



Long Island - 4-Car19th Century Freight Set 20-90235 \$159.95

### FEATURES

- Intricately Detailed Durable ABS Bodies
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Operating Die-Cast Metal Couplers
- Colorful, Attractive Paint Schemes
- Die-Cast 4-Wheel Trucks
- Operating Interior Lighting
- Decorative Brake Wheels
- Fast-Angle Wheel Sets
- Needle-Point Axles
- 1:48 Scale Dimensions

Set Features: (1) 19th Century Box Car, (1) 19th Century Reefer Car, (1) 19th Century Tank Car, (1) 19th Century Caboose



Denver Rio Grande - 4-Car19th Century Freight Set 20-90236 \$159.95



Pennsylvania - 4-Car19th Century Freight Set 20-90237 \$159.95

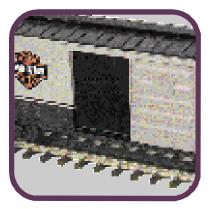














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<b>Milwaukee Road</b> - 20-90241	6-Car 40' Steel Sided Reefer Set \$249.95
20-90242	\$249.95



### FEATURES

- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Die-Cast 4-Wheel Trucks
- Operating Die-Cast Metal Couplers
- Colorful, Attractive Paint Schemes
- Fast-Angle Wheel Sets
- Needle-Point Axles
- Separate Metal Handrails
- Decorative Brake Wheels
- Intricately Detailed Durable ABS Bodies
- 1:48 Scale Dimensions

### TANK CAR SET

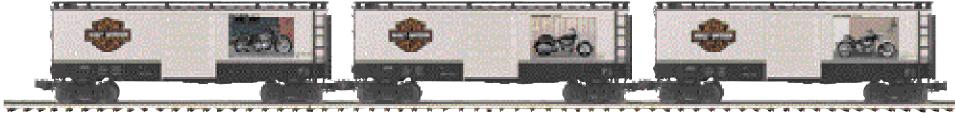
• Unit Measures: 12" x 2 3/4" x 4"

### REEFER SET

• Unit Measures: 11 3/4" x 2 9/16" x 3 1/2"

### HARLEY-DAVIDSON® BOX CAR SET

- Unit Measures: 11 5/8" x 2 5/8" x 3 3/4"
- Operates On O-31 Curves



Harley-Davidson® - 3-Car Box Car Set \$149.95

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Pennsylvania - 70' Madison RPO Passenger Car 20-4273 \$69.95

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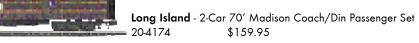


Pennsylvania - 2-Car 70' Madison Coach/Din Passenger Set 20-4173 \$159.95



Pennsylvania - 70' Madison Baggage Car 20-4373 \$69.95





Long Island - 5-Car 70' Madison Passenger Set 20-4074 \$399.95

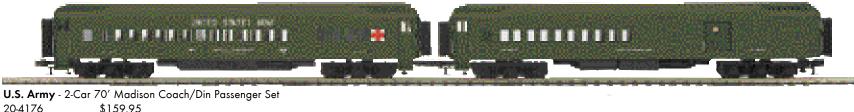


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Long Island - 70' Madison RPO Passenger Car 20-4274 \$69.95





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U.S. Army - 70' Madison Baggage Car 20-4376 \$69.95



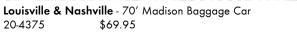
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Louisville & Nashville - 70' Madison RPO Passenger Car 20-4275 \$69.95



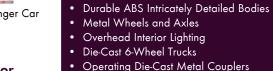


Louisville & Nashville - 2-Car 70' Madison Coach/Din Passenger Set \$159.95

Perfect Complement For Louisville And Nashville **USRA Steamer** See Page 87



Southern - 5-Car 70' Madison Passenger Set \$399.95



Operating Die-Cast Metal Couplers

- Colorful, Attractive Paint Schemes
- End-of-Car Diaphragms
- Separate Metal Handrails
- Fast-Angle Wheel Sets
- 10 Passenger Figures in Each Passenger Car
- Needle-Point Axles
- Detailed Car Interiors
- 1:48 Scale Dimensions
- Sliding Baggage Car Doors
- Detailed Car Undercarriage
- Operates On O-42 Curves

5-Car Sets Feature: (1)Baggage, (3) Coaches, 1) Observation

• Unit Measures: 90 5/8" x 2 1/2" x 3 5/8"

2-Car Sets Feature: (1) Combine, (1) Diner

Unit Measures: 36 1/4" x 2 1/2" x 3 5/8"

ndividual Cars Measure: 19" x 2 7/16" x 3 1/2"

### FEATURES

- Durable ABS Intricately Detailed Bodies
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Overhead Interior Lighting
- Die-Cast 4-Wheel Trucks
- Operating Die-Cast Metal Couplers
- Colorful, Attractive Paint Schemes
- End-of-Car Diaphraams
- Separate Metal Handrails
- Fast-Anale Wheel Sets
- 10 Passenger Figures in Each Passenger Car
- Needle-Point Axles
- Detailed Car Interiors
- 1:48 Scale Dimensions
- Detailed Car Undercarriage
- Sliding Baggage Car Doors
- Operates On O-42 Curves

5-Car Sets Feature: (1) Baggage, (2) Coaches, (1) Vista Dome, (1) Observation • Unit Measures: 95" x 27/16" x 3 1/2"

2-Car Sets Feature: (1) Sleeper, (1) Diner • Unit Measures: 38" x 27/16" x 3 1/2"

Vista Dome Unit Measures: 19" x 27/16" x 3 1/2"



Canadian Pacific - 70' ABS Full Length Vista Dome Passenger Car - Ribbed 20-67070 \$79.95



Canadian Pacific - 2-Car 70' ABS Slpr/Diner Passenger Set - Ribbed 20-66070 \$159.95



Canadian Pacific - 5-Car 70' ABS Passenger Set - Ribbed

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Canadian Pacific E-8 Diesel Set

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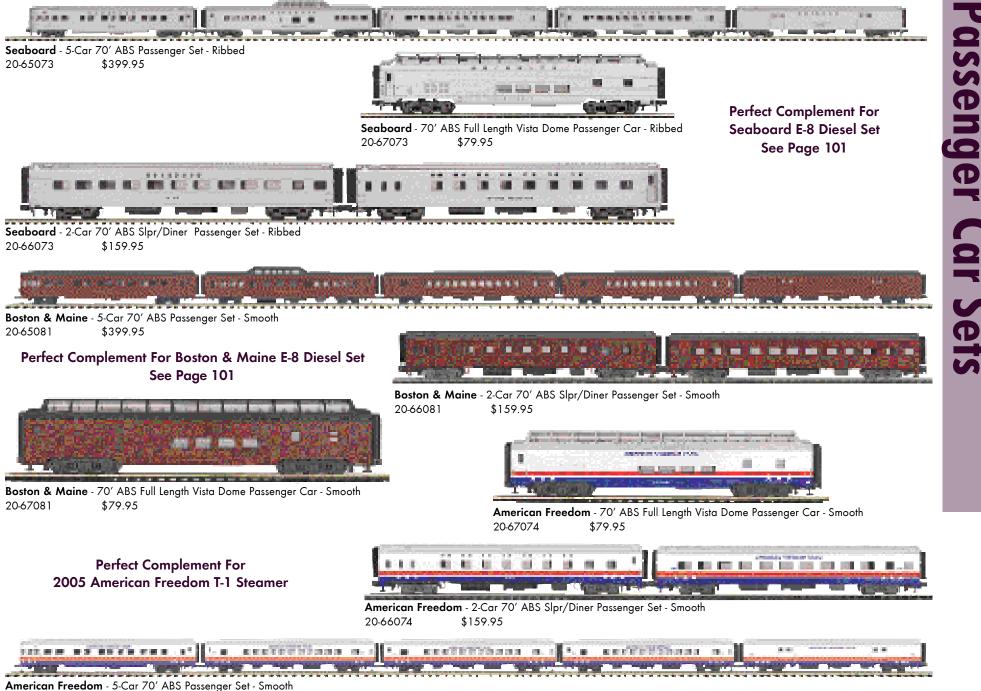
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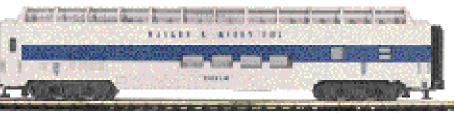


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20-65075 \$399.95

Perfect Complement For Bangor & Aroostook F-3 Diesel Set See Page 105



Bangor & Aroostook - 70' ABS Full Length Vista Dome Passenger Car - Smooth 20-67075 \$79.95



### FEATURES

- Durable ABS Intricately Detailed Bodies
- Metal Wheels and Axles
- Overhead Interior Lighting
- Die-Cast 4-Wheel Trucks
- Operating Die-Cast Metal Couplers
- Colorful, Attractive Paint Schemes
- End-of-Car Diaphragms
- Separate Metal Handrails
- Fast-Anale Wheel Sets
- 10 Passenger Figures in Each Passenger Car
- Needle-Point Axles
- Detailed Car Interiors
- 1:48 Scale Dimensions
- Detailed Car Undercarriage
- Sliding Baggage Car Doors
- Operates On O-42 Curves

5-Car Sets Feature: (1) Baggage, (2) Coaches, (1) Vista Dome, (1) Observation • Unit Measures: 95" x 27/16" x 3 1/2"

2-Car Sets Feature: (1) Sleeper, (1) Diner • Unit Measures: 38" x 27/16" x 3 1/2"

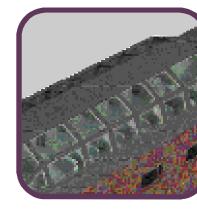
Vista Dome Unit Measures: 19" x 27/16" x 3 1/2″



Bangor & Aroostook - 2-Car 70' ABS Slpr/Diner Passenger Set - Smooth 20-66075 \$159.95









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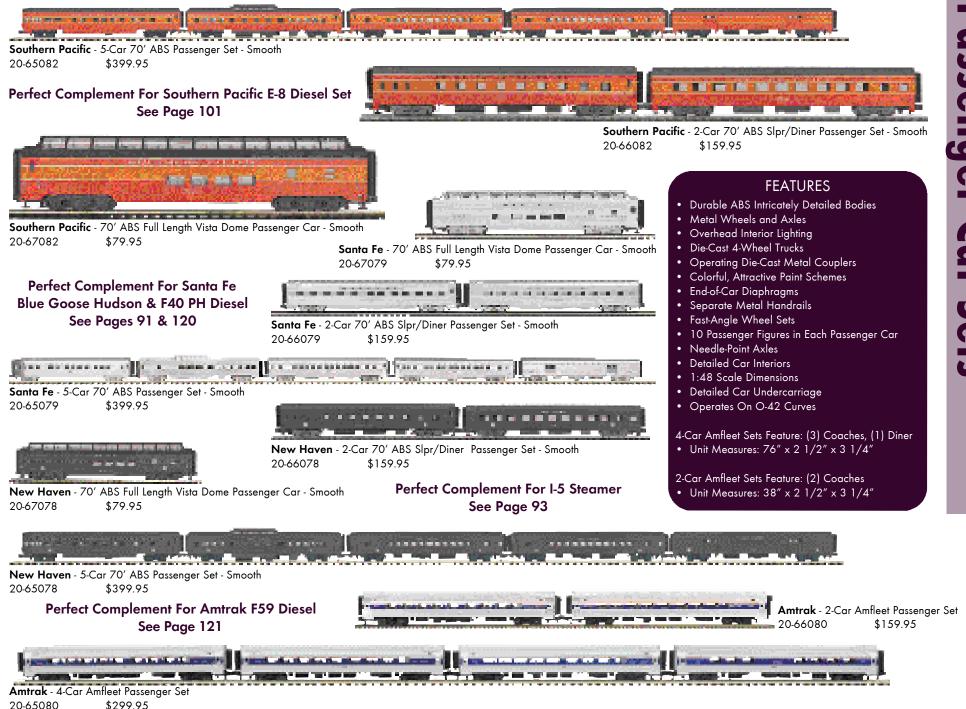
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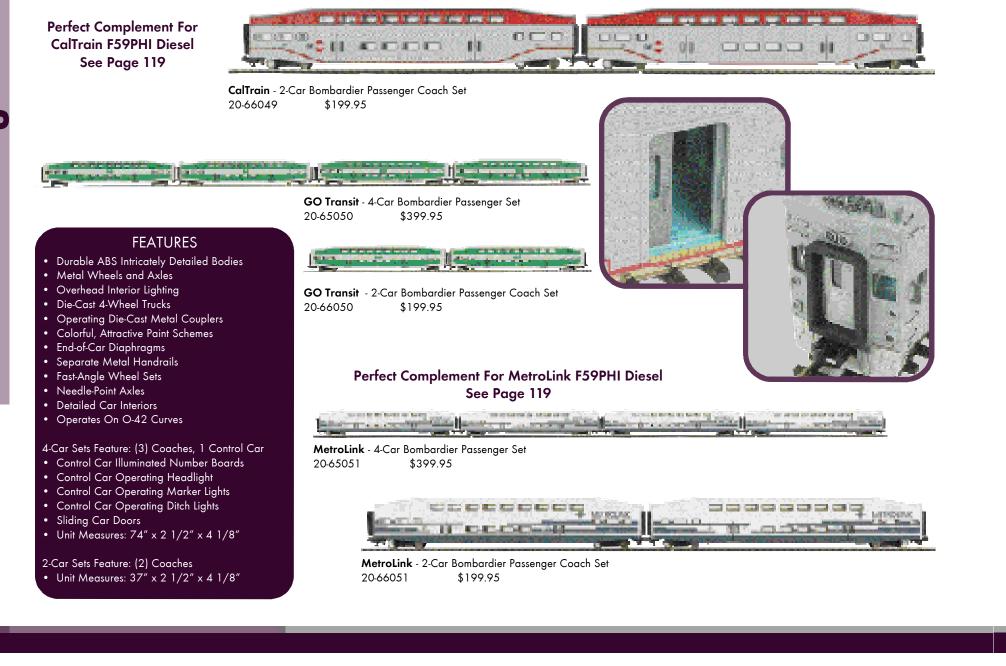
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here is a new way of controlling model railroads today that you've got to see to believe. It's called DCS™ (for Digital Command System) & it's the most revolutionary product to hit model railroading since locomotives first became equipped with sound!

Unlike traditional or conventional means of operating a model railroad, command systems allow the user to independently control each engine even if other engines are on the same track at the same time. The concept has been around since the early 1990s, but only DCS™ makes it simple & easy to use thanks to its stateof-the art technology & intuitive interface.

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A single DCS<sup>™</sup> Remote handheld will allow you to control Proto-Sound® 2.0 locomotives in command mode, TMCC equipped engines in command mode (when you connect a Lionel Command Base to the TIU) & all conventional 3-rail O Gauge engines at the same time.

Once wired up you are ready to run! Thanks to the simplicity of the DCS<sup>TM</sup> remote control's intuitive interface. You'll need to "add" your engines into the remote. There are no names, numbers or complicated commands, the DCS<sup>™</sup> remote does most of the work for you!



### INSTALLATION

DCS features two components, the DCS Remote Control & the Track Interface Unit (TIU). An additional component, the Accessory Interface Unit (AIU), can be added to give you control over accessories & switches. In addition, you will need an AC transformer.

DCS works by transmitting an electric "digital" signal along with the power from the transformer into your railroad's track. In order to get that signal to the track, you must plug your transformer into the TIU & then attach the TIU to the track. Special banana jacks make the wiring a snap.

The DCS remote control "talks" to the TIU via a radio signal so there's nothing to hook up here except the installation of four AAA batteries.





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If you want to power up gradually, you can purchase the RailKing 50-watt Z-500®, 75 watt Z-750® or 100 watt Z-1000™ transformers as your power needs change Featuring a U.L. approved design, each model utilizes a separate controller which contains bell, horn & direction buttons that can control any manufacturer's locomotives & sound systems including Proto-Sound® equipped steam, diesel & electric locomotives.

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### Remote Control

Today's model railroaders can immerse themselves in their model railroading experience with walk-around remote control options that put you right where the action is. As you compile more trains, more track, & begin more advanced operations, you might find yourself looking for a way to move around the room while you run your train The sophisticated, but easy to use remote control systems from M.T.H. are some of your best solutions.

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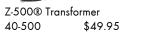


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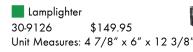
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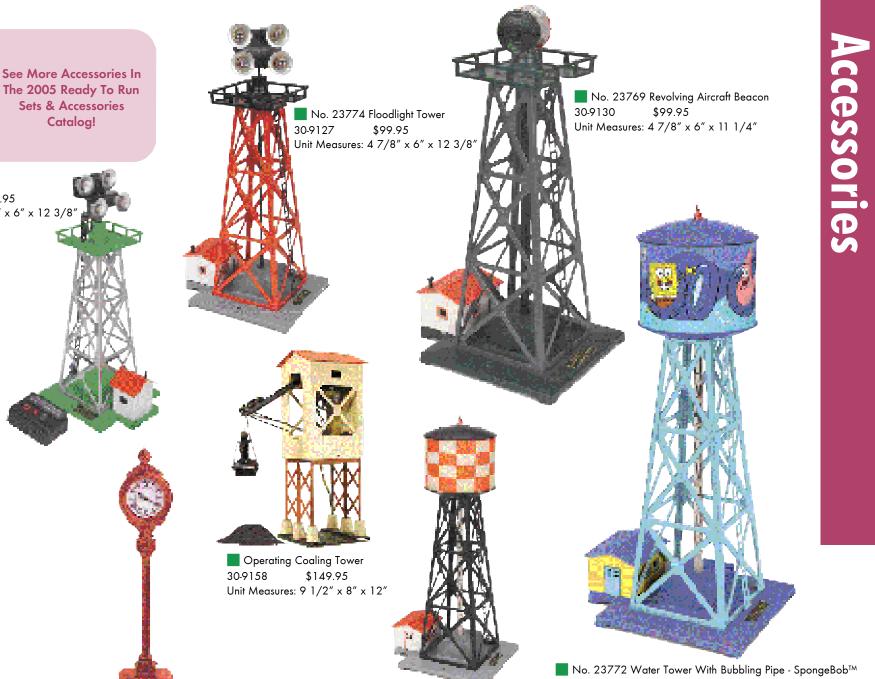
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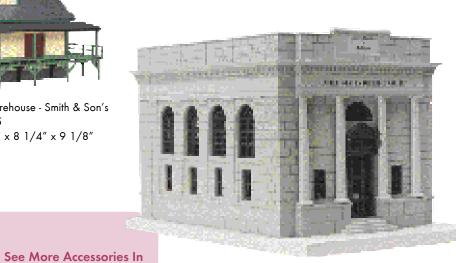
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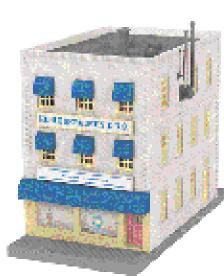
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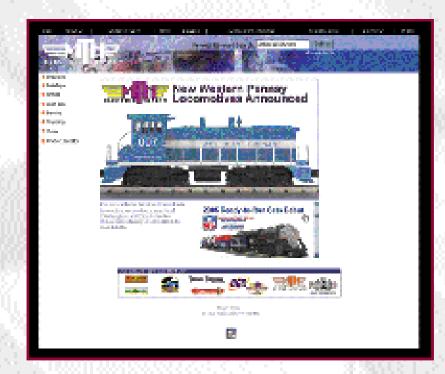
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