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NEW

Southern Pacific[®] Road Numbers SP 160192 / 160200



These 50' gondolas with fishbelly sides, drop ends and loads are painted brown with white SP logo and white lettering. They were built class G-70-12 gondolas in October 1953 by American Car & Foundry and run on Bettendorf trucks. They were delivered to SP with the "Southern Pacific Lines" logo in railroad roman lettering.

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#046 00 282...\$19.30

NEW

Fruit Growers Express Road Number RBNX 82204



This 40' standard box car with plug door is painted brown with yellow sides and aluminum roof. The herald, stripes and lettering are all in black. This car was built in April 1962 and runs on Roller Bearing trucks. Fruit Growers Express (FGE) was a railroad refrigerator car leasing company that began as a produce-hauling subsidiary of Armour and the Company's private refrigerator car line. March 18, 1920 after separation from Armour, the firm took possession of 4,280 pieces of rolling stock and repair shops.



#021 00 060...\$22.85

NEW

Baltimore & Ohio[®] Road Number B&O 727044



This 33' twin bay hopper with offset sides and coal load is painted black with white logo and lettering. It was built between 1956 and 1957 by B&O and runs on Bettendorf trucks. Part of Class N-44, this series of hoppers was among thousands of builds and rebuilds included in the new B&O assembly line at Du Bois in 1957. "Twenty-four cars every eight hours" was their production rate. The new B&O assembly program was the beginning of a new era in railroad freight car building. By 1970 there were 3100 on the revenue roster and by 1980, 25 remained.

WITH COAL LOAD



#055 00 380...\$22.25

NEW

Denver & Rio Grande Western[®] Road Number D&RGW 21079



This 50' flat car with fishbelly sides and side mount brakewheel, carrying a covered freight load, is painted black with white lettering. It was built in August 1959 by Bethlehem Steel, serviced in March 1979, and runs on Bettendorf trucks. This flat car was built as part of an 80-car order and placed in series 21000-21079. Originally, these all-welded flats with wooden decking were decorated with the speed lettered "Rio Grande." The Rio Grande herald was covered in the 1970s when the stencil boxes were added.

WITH COVERED FREIGHT LOAD



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NEW

Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey[™] Traveling Big Top Extravaganza Tiger Car



This 40' outside braced box car is painted red with single vented doors and carries exotic tigers which are part of the "Big Animal Show". These large majestic cats demand attention and are sure to draw big crowds at the Traveling Big Top Extravaganza's next stop.



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NEW

Pacific Great Eastern Road Number PGE 8002



This 40' standard box car with plug doors and marked with tall ladders and no roofwalk, is painted brown with the black and white PGE map herald, white lettering and "Insulated Box" label. It was built in November 1961 by Dominion Steel & Coal, rebuilt in March 1971, and runs on Roller Bearing trucks. This car is one of 12 in this series insulated and heated by underslung alcohol fueled heaters, protecting sensitive loads from excessive heat or cold.



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Andrew Johnson Presidential Car Road Number 1865-1869



This 40' standard box car with plug door and no roofwalk is car #34 of a 44-car series representing each of the presidents of the United States. It bears the portrait of our 17th president, Andrew Johnson. The car comes with a commemorative pin replicated from this era. Andrew Johnson had no formal education and as a young man was tutored in arithmetic, literacy and writing skills by his wife Eliza.



Oath of Office Trivia Contest Question: Which President as a child suffered from Scarlet Fever and Colitis, later was diagnosed as having Addison's disease, is the only president to win a Pulitzer Prize and is one of only two presidents buried at Arlington National Cemetery?



*All answers must be submitted by email to mtl@micro-trains.com by the 15th to be eligible.

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Chicago Great Western Road Number CGW 381



This 40' standard box car with plug door is painted maroon with black, white and orange 'Lucky Strike' logo, and orange lettering. It was built in August 1960 by Pullman Standard and runs the Northwestern District on Roller Bearing trucks. This car was listed with the mechanical designation of XMLL, an insulated box car with load restraining devices. The Evans Products Company installed the Damage Free equipment in August of 1960. Fresh "Thresher hot spray" red-brown paint has been applied with the 36" "Lucky Strike" herald and "DF" letters. It was to be returned to the Pennsylvania Railroad for loading by the Campbell Soup Company.



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Milwaukee Road Road Number MILW 94570



This 33' twin bay hopper with offset sides is painted brown with white 'Chicago, Milwaukee, St. Paul and Pacific' logo and white lettering. It was built in July 1937 and runs on Betterndorf trucks. MILW 94570 was built as part of a 500-car series of open hoppers. Primarily used for hauling coal, they also carried many other types of loads. The Chicago, Milwaukee, St. Paul and Pacific Railroad, commonly called the Milwaukee Road, was a Class I railroad that operated in the Midwest and Northwest of the United States from 1847 until its merger into the Soo Line Railroad on January 1, 1986.

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Road Numbers: 100909, 100926, 100930, 100942



**Rhode Island State Car
Road Number RI 1790**



This 40' Standard Box Car with plug door is car #36 of a 50-car series representing each of the 50 states in the union. It bears the Violet and Rhode Island Red, Rhode Island's official state flower and bird. The flag of the state of Rhode Island is in the background. The road number 1790 represents the year the 'Ocean State' was admitted into the union.



*N Scale version used for representation

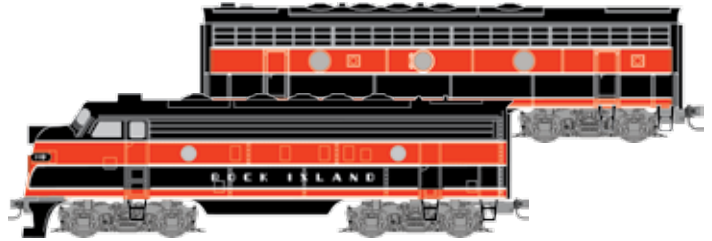
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**Rock Island®
Road Numbers 118 / NA**



These F7 A and B unit locomotives are painted black with red bands and white stripes. The Rock Island lettering is white with the white and red 'beaver pelt' shields on the A units' noses. They were built for Rock Island in May 1959 from EMD order number E972-A. These F7s likely started their work on the rails paired with similarly numbered A and B unit pairs.



*Renderings for representational purposes

**F7-A (Powered)#980 01 210...\$119.95
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**Pennsylvania Railroad
Road Number PRR 21019**



This 50' standard box car with plug door is painted brown with white logo, yellow 'Insulated' and 'DF' on the door, and white lettering. The Keystone logo is white and black. It was built in December 1959 and runs on Barber Roller Bearing trucks. This car was part of a 300-car series generally used for handling food products. The insulation, provision for application of heaters and the use of Evans DF loaders were used to protect product from damage during shipment due to load shift and temperature change.



#507 00 490...\$23.80



**CP Rail
Road Number CP 80060**



This 50' standard box car with plug door is painted green with logo, 'Newsprint Service Only' shield, and lettering all in white. It was built in January 1965 by Hawker Siddeley Canada Ltd., Trenton, Nova Scotia, serviced in May 1988, and runs on Roller Bearing trucks. Cars of this series were built and delivered to the CP in brown with the Canadian Pacific 'script' logo. In July of 1968 the Multimark symbol with the Action Green became the designated color for the box cars of the newsprint fleet. Twenty years later, the Multimark was dropped and the color scheme remained.



#507 00 480...\$26.90



**Northern Pacific
Road Numbers NP 97729 / 97732**



These 50' standard box cars with plug doors are painted dark green with yellow stripes, white 'Northern Pacific', black red and white herald, and white slogans and dimensional data. They were built in October 1965 and run on Barber Roller Bearing trucks. They boast the 'Damage Free' logo on the doors to protect loads and limit load-shifting, as well as advertising its cushion underframe. This paint scheme weathered well as some have been seen through the 1980s with chopped ladders and roofwalks removed and this very paint scheme, after having been shopped. The only exception being the galvanized roof.



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