

The **MICRO-TRAINS[®]** LINE **Micro-News[®]**

October 2017



NEW

Denver & Rio Grande Western[®] Road Number 101



This 3-2 heavyweight observation car is painted in Rio Grande gold, silver and black and runs on 6-wheel passenger trucks. Originally a 900-950 series Pullman coach, this car was rebuilt into a business car in 1929. Included in the rebuild was an upgrade of its four-wheel trucks to smoother riding six-wheel trucks.



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#144 00 160...\$34.90

NEW

South Dakota Soybean Processors Road Number SDPX 97034



This 56' general service tank car is black with white lettering and runs on Barber Roller Bearing trucks. In late 1993, several soybean processors established the South Dakota Soybean Processors Cooperative, building a \$32 million soybean processing plant in Volga, SD. There are currently over 2,000 farmer members invested in SDSP.



#110 00 340...\$33.80

NEW

Norfolk & Western Road Number 755



This 78' heavyweight paired-window coach is maroon with buff lettering and runs on 6-wheel passenger trucks. Built by Bethlehem Steel in the 1910s in order to help replace aging wooden cars, this car served until the mid-to-late 1960s before being retired. N&W used this car in mainline passenger trains.



#145 00 180...\$32.90

NEW

Union Pacific[®] Road Number 500200



This 50' standard box car with 10' single door, no roofwalk, and short ladders is yellow with aluminum roof and a large UP shield and runs on Bettendorf trucks. Built in 1968 in Omaha, this general service box car has a cushioned underframe and DF loader. Union Pacific received 1,250 of these cars in several series blocks, with this car being of series 500200-500399.



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#180 00 040...\$31.80

NEW

Ashtabula Road Number PFE 66370



This 40' steel ice reefer with preco fan is brown with orange sides and runs on Bettendorf trucks. The 1947 Friendship Train collected food donated by Americans in cities all across the U.S. to be shipped to the people of France and Italy who desperately needed help following the end of World War II. Ultimately, over 250 railcars of food and clothing were donated.

FRIENDSHIP TRAIN SERIES CAR #9



#059 00 576...\$26.95

NEW

HEINZ[®] Road Number 472



This 36' wood sheathed ice reefer with truss rods is brown with decorated sides and runs on Arch Bar trucks. The H.J. Heinz Company was founded in 1869 by Henry John Heinz, first manufacturing horseradish. By the early 1900s, Heinz was manufacturing over 60 food products and relied heavily on their fleet of over 700 colorful billboard boxcars to distribute their products across the country.

SERIES CAR #2



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#058 00 270...\$28.95

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Canadian National Road Number CN 415009



This 50' standard box car with 10' single door, no roofwalk and short ladders is brown with white lettering and runs on Barber Roller Bearing trucks. Built in the early 1970s as part of series 41500-415049 for CN for general service, it states "Canadian National" on one side and "Canadian National" on the reverse. Canadian National is a Class I freight railroad headquartered in Montreal, Quebec.



#180 00 020...\$25.90



Burlington Northern Road Number BN 413315



This 50' airslide hopper is green with white lettering and runs on 100-Ton Barber Roller Bearing trucks. Built in 1972 as part of series 413300-413334 with a special epoxy lining, these cars were specifically designed for use with fine-grained commodities, like powdered sugar, that could settle en-route making unloading difficult.



#098 00 080...\$29.95



Pennsylvania Railroad Road Numbers 2140/2148



These 40' steel box cars with single door, murphy roof and side brake wheel are painted iron sesquioxide with white lettering and run on Bettendorf trucks. These cars were part of more than one series used in express and bulk mail service on the head of passenger trains. The X29 was a popular choice due to its low profile that allowed it to move under the wire into Penn Station, New York.



#120 00 261...\$23.90
#120 00 262...\$23.90



Micro-Mouse Christmas Car Road Number 2017



This 60' excess height box car with double plug doors and rivet sides runs on 100-Ton Barber Roller Bearing Trucks. Micro-Mouse and family leave the toasty comfort of their home and venture out into a winter wonderland in search of the perfect Christmas tree. This year they were pleasantly surprised to find a tree made of cheese!



SIDE A

SIDE B



#102 00 130...\$27.95



STAX Container Road Number 930107



This 53' corrugated container with vertical ribs on front end is maroon with yellow logo and lettering. STAX was a container pool and logistics organization formed as a joint venture between CSX Intermodal and Union Pacific.



#469 00 070...\$16.95



These items are not
on Standing Order

*All undecorated bodystyles come unassembled.
Undec...#469 00 002...\$8.75



Trailer Train 3-pack



NOW AVAILABLE!



N Trailer Train
70' Husky Stack Well Car
Rd#56811, 56812, 56816
#993 00 133...\$84.95

Pre-orders were taken for this in May 2017

NEW Great Northern
Road Number GN 19038



This 40' standard box car with single door is orange with green lettering and runs on Bettendorf trucks. In an effort to develop a new paint scheme, Great Northern decorated a number of box cars in different experimental paint schemes in 1956 and sent them across the GN network for feedback. Due to the bright and gaudy colors, this group of cars were dubbed the "Circus Cars"

CIRCUS SERIES CAR #9



#500 00 970...\$25.95

NEW HEINZ®
Road Number 472



This 40' wood reefer is brown with decorated sides and runs on Arch Bar trucks. The H.J. Heinz Company was founded in 1869 by Henry John Heinz, first manufacturing horseradish. By the early 1900s, Heinz was manufacturing over 60 food products and relied heavily on their fleet of over 700 colorful billboard boxcars to distribute their products across the country.

SERIES CAR #2



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#518 00 470...\$28.95

NEW Pacific Fruit Express®
Road Numbers PFE 300535/300562



These 51' rivet side mechanical reefers are orange with black lettering and run on Roller Bearing trucks. In 1955, Pacific Fruit Express ordered 200 R-70-10 class cars, with Carrier refrigeration units, and Detroit Diesel engines with a 400 gallon fuel tank. These cars had fiberglass insulation and were repainted in the early 1970s.



#548 00 101...\$31.80
#548 00 102...\$31.80

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NEW Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe
Road Numbers SFRD 14776/14799



These 40' wood reefers are brown with yellow sides and black lettering and run on Bettendorf trucks. In 1920, Santa Fe ordered 1,250 brand new RR-W 40' Double-Sheathed wood reefers built by Haskell & Barker, in order to replace an aging fleet no longer able to meet the high demand of postwar perishable shipments. As the fleet became modernized with these new reefers, standardized loads and icing service requirements streamlined Santa Fe system-wide.



#518 00 451...\$25.95
#518 00 452...\$25.95

NEW Micro-Mouse Christmas Car
Road Number 2017



This 51' rivet side mechanical reefer runs on Roller Bearing Trucks. Micro-Mouse and family leave the toasty comfort of their home and venture out into a winter wonderland in search of the perfect Christmas tree. This year they were pleasantly surprised to find a tree made of cheese!



SIDE A

SIDE B



#548 00 090...\$27.95

**Z Heavyweight Modernized
Business Car**

As heavyweight passenger cars gave way to smooth side lightweight service, many observation cars were modernized with new sheet metal sides, improved windows and upgraded interiors from the 1950s to present day to attract both railroad and business customers giving them renewed life. This model will feature accurate surface detail, new heavyweight 6-wheel trucks and photo etched railing on the observation deck.



COMING DECEMBER 2017!



Southern Pacific® Road Numbers 2621/2632/2658



These SW1500 powered locomotives are grey with white lettering and run on Flexicoil trucks. By the mid-1960s, Southern Pacific® was in need of new switcher locomotives to replace its aging fleet of Alcos, Baldwins, and early EMDs. From 1967 to 1973, SP placed several orders of SW1500s totaling over 240 units. One of the final orders was in 1972, forming series 2613-2679 to which these locomotives belong.

AVAILABLE MID-MONTH!



Pre-orders were taken for these in Jan/Feb 2017

#986 00 513...Rd#2621...\$184.95

#986 00 514...Rd#2632...\$184.95

#986 00 515...Rd#2658...\$184.95

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NASA Road Number 3



This SW1500 powered locomotive is blue with white band and NASA logo and runs on Flexicoil trucks. Built in 1970 for TP&W Railway as #306. NASA bought the locomotive in 1984 along with two sister units to replace their aging Alco S2 switchers. Originally painted red, grey and white, it was repainted in 2008 in blue, white and red as part of a 15-month corrosion repair project.

AVAILABLE MID-MONTH!



Pre-orders were taken for these in Jan/Feb 2017

#986 00 080...\$194.95



Civil War Era Central Pacific Logging Train Set



AVAILABLE MID-MONTH!



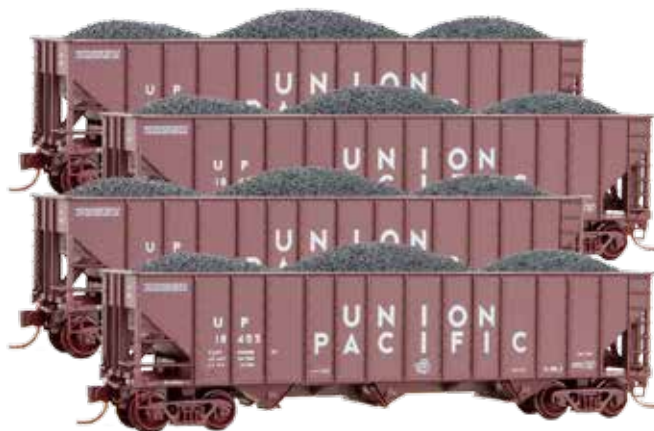
*Locomotive is Atlas 4-4-0 decorated by Micro-Trains
Pre-orders were taken for this in June 2017

*Renderings shown for representation only.

#993 01 510...\$224.95



Union Pacific® 8-Pack



UP® is a registered trademark of the Union Pacific Railroad.

Pre-orders were taken for this item in June 2017

NOW AVAILABLE!

#993 00 814...\$184.95

N Friendship Train 3-pack



Accepting Pre-Orders thru October 31st

This add-on 3-Pack to the Friendship Train Series will consist of a NYC 40' Box Car decorated in the formal 'Friendship Train' colors and herald, a Pennsylvania 50' box car with banner from the employees of PRR, and a DL&W 40' box car with banner from the people of Hoboken, New Jersey. The 1947 Friendship Train had over 250 cars that travelled from Los Angeles to New York City. Contact your dealers to order this 3-pack so you can expand your Friendship Train consist!



This 3-pack is not part of the Friendship Train Series Standing Order. You must pre-order this pack separately.

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**COMING
FEBRUARY 2018**
#993 01 670...\$89.95

Ringling Bros.® Ad Car #4



Accepting Pre-Orders thru October 31st

Throughout the years Ringling Bros. used a variety of advertising, or 'ad' cars, that traveled with the train or in advance of the train to promote the coming show. This single car is based on a real Ringling Bros. ad car and is the fourth release. More ad cars will be offered in the months ahead.



COMING MARCH 2018

*Renderings shown for representation only.

#140 00 210...\$33.95

New N & Z Scale Runner Packs

Accepting Pre-Orders thru October 31st

COMING MARCH 2018



N Southern Pacific®
Ortner Hopper
Road # 481364, 481381, 481393, 481398
#993 00 138...\$109.95

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Z Southern Pacific®
83' Lightweight Smoothside Sleeper Car
Road # 9151, 9156, 9160, 9162
#994 00 105...\$119.95

Micro-Trains 2018 Product Guide Cover Photo Contest

Micro-Trains is opening up the cover shot of the annual Product Guide catalog to you! Want to have a shot of your home layout or club layout on the cover of Micro-Trains annual Product Guide catalog for a year? If so, you can enter our '2018 Product Guide Cover Photo Contest' by submitting your photo to mtl@micro-trains.com by Friday, December 1.

Winner gets:

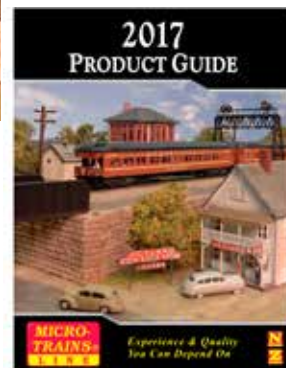
- Their photo used on the cover of the Micro-Trains 2018 Product Guide
- \$100 gift certificate to Micro-Trains online store
- Custom framed copy of the 2018 Product Guide cover.

Micro-Trains will recognize up to two people in relation to the winner photo.

Photos need to be hi-resolution jpegs at 300dpi and at least 2,400 pixels wide by 2,400 pixels tall, with good lighting and in focus. Portrait shots are preferred although some landscape shots may also work. Only photos with exclusively MTL rolling stock or locomotive products shown will be accepted. N scale model shots only, no Z scale. If the photo contains any material or elements not owned by the entrant, the entrant is responsible for receiving permission from the owner(s) to use the photo in this contest prior to submitting the photo. Do not show brands on model trains or surrounding scenery that require licenses except for Ringling Bros™, HEINZ®. Photos may be subject to modifications to fit cover and header needs. Micro-Trains reserves the right to refuse any photo for any reason. All photos submitted become property of Micro-Trains Line Co. and may be used by Micro-Trains in other promotional materials or on Micro-Trains website or Facebook page.



**Congratulations to
Doug Nelson 2017
Product Guide Photo
Contest Winner**



**Don't Delay!
Entry Deadline
December 1st!**

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NEW September Weathered Cars



N CRLE 'Halloween' graffiti
#135 44 040...\$33.90



N BNSF 'Halloween' graffiti
#111 44 260...\$49.95



Z CRLE 'Halloween' graffiti
#540 44 170...\$33.90



N Soo Line Weathered Train Set
Includes Walthers GP 38-2 locomotive
#993 01 660...\$229.95



Z BNSF 'Halloween' graffiti
#511 44 192...\$29.90

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PWRS Special Run - Santa Fe (ATSF) 3-Bay ACF Covered Hopper 4-pack



Pacific Western Rail Systems is pleased to announce our PWRS Exclusive Micro-Trains N Scale Santa Fe (ATSF) 3-Bay ACF Center Flow® Covered Hopper, w/Elongated Hatches 4-pack.

Despite its name, the Santa Fe main line never served Santa Fe, New Mexico, as the terrain was too difficult; the town ultimately was reached by a branch line from Lamy. These 4600 cu.ft. 3 Bay ACF Covered Hoppers will be painted brown with white lettering, and will be heavily weathered and rusted to simulate a real world appearance.

ATSF 3-Bay ACF Covered Hopper 4-pack... \$189.98

To order go to: <http://www.pwrs.ca/announcements/view.php?ID=13998>

PWRS Special Run - Procor (PROX) Tank Car 4-pack



Pacific Western Rail Systems is pleased to announce the next in our PWRS Exclusive Micro-Trains N Scale North American Petroleum Tank Car Series – Procor (PROX) 54 ft General Service Tank Car 4-Pack.

Procor is a Canadian company producing railway shipping cars. It is Canada's largest private rail car rental fleet, with more than 21,000 conventional and special-purpose tank and freight cars. These Procor tank cars are painted white with a red band, black PROX reporting marks, and a black Procor logo. They will be lightly weathered.

PROX tank cars 4-pack... \$199.98

To order go to: <http://www.pwrs.ca/announcements/view.php?ID=13999>

Previously Released Rolling Stock

SOON TO BE OUT

N Scale

025 44 006	EEC graffiti
027 00 410	Per Diem Series#11: East Camden
027 44 191	Kansas City Southern graffiti
034 00 412	Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe
058 00 576	April Fools: Olde Froshingslosh
069 30 211	Canadian Pacific True-Scale Conversion Car
071 00 830	NASA Series #12: weathered flat car
092 00 361	Southern Pacific®
098 00 042	Burlington Northern Santa Fe
101 00 815	Vintage Postcard Series #5 'All Aboard'
106 00 130	NASA Series #7: weathered gondola
111 00 200	Kansas City Southern
111 00 230	Chicago & North Western®
135 00 041	Coe Rail
135 00 042	Coe Rail
135 00 051	Northwestern Oklahoma
135 00 052	Northwestern Oklahoma
147 00 130	New York Central
148 00 075	Southern Pacific®
148 00 200	Ringling Bros.® Ad Car #1
461 00 050	US Army container
993 05 370	HS Graffiti 3-pack
993 05 380	Lucky Graffiti 2-pack
995 02 101	Western 3-pack grab bag

SOON TO BE OUT

Z Scale

500 00 912	New York, Susquehanna & Western
500 00 991	Southern Pacific®

505 00 371	Kansas City Southern
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510 00 340	Per Diem Series#5: Sabine River & Northern
512 00 031	BC Rail
515 00 192	Chicago & North Western
511 44 261	Ontario 'Monster' graffiti
512 44 030	BCR 'Monster' graffiti
518 00 440	Cudahy Refrigerator Car
518 44 330	Northern Pacific
522 00 221	Western Pacific®
548 00 070	2015 Micro-Mouse
761 00 260	ACL container 2-pack
761 00 270	Matson container 2-pack

OUT OF STOCK

N Scale

021 44 590	Cotton Belt® weathered
024 44 390	Erie Lackawanna weathered
025 00 970	Per Diem Series#12: Port Huron & Detroit
027 00 430	Burlington Northern
035 00 252	Southern Pacific®
038 00 550	Solar Eclipse Car
051 00 300	Pennsylvania Railroad
054 00 220	NASA Series #9: weathered bulkhead
054 00 230	Norfolk Southern
056 44 341	Southern Pacific® weathered 2 pack
059 00 566	Canada-150 Years
079 00 010	Pennsylvania Railroad
094 00 481	Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe
094 00 482	Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe
094 44 490	Conrail/ex EL weathered
105 44 131	GWS 'Turkey' graffiti

105 44 750	CIGX graffiti
108 30 322	Conrail True-Scale Conversion Car
110 44 250	Union Pacific®
130 00 210	CSX® Operation Lifesaver Caboose 2-pack
135 00 022	Burlington Northern Santa Fe
141 00 160	Denver & Rio Grande Western®
143 00 200	Ringling Bros.® Ad Car #2
145 00 160	Denver & Rio Grande Western®
147 00 090	Baltimore & Ohio®
180 00 010	Gulf Mobile & Ohio
181 00 010	Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe
182 00 010	Denver & Rio Grande Western®
460 00 030	NASA container 2-pack
461 00 090	NASA 40' Container
468 00 082	Santa Fe
469 00 510	J.B. Hunt
469 00 520	J.B. Hunt
993 01 660	Weathered Soo Line Set

OUT OF STOCK

Z Scale

501 00 230	Great Northern Circus Series #1
510 00 061/062	St.Louis-San Francisco
511 00 230	Per Diem Series#11: East Camden & Highland
511 44 072	Kansas City Southern graffiti
518 00 430	Cudahy Refrigerator Car
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