



THE RAPIDO HO SCALE GP40 LOCOMOTIVE



ORDER DEADLINE: SEPTEMBER 15TH, 2026

- ICONIC FOUR-AXLE LOCOMOTIVE POPULAR FROM THE 1960s THROUGH TODAY
- MANY POPULAR PAINT SCHEMES INCLUDING THE LATER PHASE II SERIES
- CANNON AND COMPANY LICENSED RADIATOR AND DYNAMIC BRAKE FAN DESIGNS

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Rapido is excited to announce another run of GP40 locomotives in HO scale!

These GP40 locomotives pay tribute to over 50 years of mainline freight service by this venerable and ubiquitous General Motors product. From the first production order – built in 1965 for the New York Central – to modernized units serving second and third owners, there is sure to be a place on your layout for several of these hard-working Geeps.

As intermodal traffic gained popularity in the 1960s, the New York Central needed a fleet of high-horsepower diesels to move shipments quickly between coastal port cities and inland destinations. Already satisfied with EMD's first-generation offerings, they placed an order for 50 new GP40s in 1965. Powered by a turbocharged 16-cylinder 645 prime mover making 3000 horsepower, these units quickly became commonplace on high-priority Flexi-Van trains.

Numerous other railroads followed suit in acquiring fleets of GP40s, and they racked up millions of miles on Class 1 routes before many were sold off to regional and short lines. Many of these units have been rebuilt and continue to operate reliably to this day.

THE RAPIDO GP40 LOCOMOTIVES FEATURE:

- **NEW! Early-production truck, handrail and Automatic Train Stop details for New York Central units**
- **The first GP40-3 with PTC antennas in plastic! (KCS variants)**
- **NEW! Extended range dynamic brakes (where appropriate)**
- Equipped with licensed Cannon & Company 48" radiator and dynamic brake fans
- Rapido's innovative dead straight metal side handrails with plastic stanchions
- Incredible underframe detail including traction motor cables, air filters and a silly number of separately applied parts
- Separate grab irons and handrails installed at the factory
- Operating ditch lights and beacons (where appropriate)
- Road-specific battery box doors
- Correct fuel tank sizes per road number
- Multiple styles of stepwells
- See-through, etched-metal steps
- Appropriate cab or nose headlights
- Multiple truck sideframes tooled
- Multiple dynamic-brake hatches
- MoPower capacitor system for uninterrupted DCC running
- DC/Silent (21-pin DCC Ready) or Dual-Mode DC/DCC/Sound
- Suggested minimum radius: 18"

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Conrail (Blue/White) — 1976+

Road #	Item # (DC/Silent)	Item # (DC/DCC/Sound)
3196	1078001 <input type="text"/>	1078501 <input type="text"/>
3201	1078002 <input type="text"/>	1078502 <input type="text"/>
3267	1078003 <input type="text"/>	1078503 <input type="text"/>

CSX — WM Patch (Red/White/Black) — 1987+

Road #	Item # (DC/Silent)	Item # (DC/DCC/Sound)
6573	1078004 <input type="text"/>	1078504 <input type="text"/>

Features "The Last Western Maryland Locomotive" stencil.



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CSX — Blue Down w/YN (Gray/Blue/Yellow) — 1995+

With Front and Rear Ditch Lights

Road #	Item # (DC/Silent)	Item # (DC/DCC/Sound)
6595	1078005 <input type="text"/>	1078505 <input type="text"/>
6610	1078006 <input type="text"/>	1078506 <input type="text"/>
6623	1078007 <input type="text"/>	1078507 <input type="text"/>



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Dakota, Minnesota & Eastern (Blue/Yellow) — 1994+

With Front and Rear Ditch Lights

Road #	Item # (DC/Silent)	Item # (DC/DCC/Sound)
4001	1078008 <input type="text"/>	1078508 <input type="text"/>
4004	1078009 <input type="text"/>	1078509 <input type="text"/>
4006	1078010 <input type="text"/>	1078510 <input type="text"/>



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Denver, Rio Grande and Western — Large Logo (KC Orange/Black) / ex-Conrail — 1997+

With Front and Rear Ditch Lights

Road #	Item # (DC/Silent)	Item # (DC/DCC/Sound)
3142	1078011 <input type="text"/>	1078511 <input type="text"/>
3151	1078012 <input type="text"/>	1078512 <input type="text"/>



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Guilford — B&M (Gray/Orange) — 1984+

With Front and Rear Ditch Lights

Road #	Item # (DC/Silent)	Item # (DC/DCC/Sound)
328	1078013 <input type="text"/>	1078513 <input type="text"/>
335	1078014 <input type="text"/>	1078514 <input type="text"/>

Guilford — MEC (Gray/Orange) — 1995+

With Front and Rear Ditch Lights

Road #	Item # (DC/Silent)	Item # (DC/DCC/Sound)
316	1078015 <input type="text"/>	1078515 <input type="text"/>
321	1078016 <input type="text"/>	1078516 <input type="text"/>



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Milwaukee Road — Billboard (Orange/Black) — 1973+

Cab Roof Beacon

Road #	Item # (DC/Silent)	Item # (DC/DCC/Sound)
2004*	1078020 <input type="text"/>	1078520 <input type="text"/>
2029*	1078021 <input type="text"/>	1078521 <input type="text"/>
2067	1078022 <input type="text"/>	1078522 <input type="text"/>

*Dynamic brake fan removed with plated section.



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Kansas City Southern — Belle / GP40-3 (Brunswick Green/Red/Yellow) — 2013+

With Front and Rear Ditch Lights

Road #	Item # (DC/Silent)	Item # (DC/DCC/Sound)
2827	1078017 <input type="text"/>	1078517 <input type="text"/>
2838	1078018 <input type="text"/>	1078518 <input type="text"/>
2850*	1078019 <input type="text"/>	1078519 <input type="text"/>

All KCS roadnumbers feature PTC antennas.

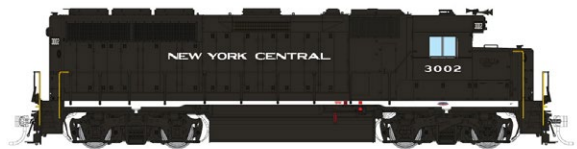
*Plated nose light.



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Missouri-Kansas-Texas — Patchout (Blue/Green/White) / ex-Conrail — 1984+

Road #	Item # (DC/Silent)	Item # (DC/DCC/Sound)
232	1078023 <input type="text"/>	1078523 <input type="text"/>
237	1078024 <input type="text"/>	1078524 <input type="text"/>
243	1078025 <input type="text"/>	1078525 <input type="text"/>



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New York Central (Black/White) — 1965+

Road #	Item # (DC/Silent)	Item # (DC/DCC/Sound)
3002	1078026 <input type="text"/>	1078526 <input type="text"/>
3024	1078027 <input type="text"/>	1078527 <input type="text"/>
3031	1078028 <input type="text"/>	1078528 <input type="text"/>
3043	1078029 <input type="text"/>	1078529 <input type="text"/>



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Rock Island (Blue/White) — 1979+

Road #	Item # (DC/Silent)	Item # (DC/DCC/Sound)
3001	1078030 <input type="text"/>	1078530 <input type="text"/>
3003	1078031 <input type="text"/>	1078531 <input type="text"/>
3004	1078032 <input type="text"/>	1078532 <input type="text"/>

Rock Island — Wreck Rebuild Scheme (Red/Yellow/Blue/White) — 1979+

Road #	Item # (DC/Silent)	Item # (DC/DCC/Sound)
4710	1078033 <input type="text"/>	1078533 <input type="text"/>



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Wheeling & Lake Erie — ex-DRGW Scheme (Black/Orange) — 2001+

With Front and Rear Ditch Lights

Road #	Item # (DC/Silent)	Item # (DC/DCC/Sound)
301	1078038 <input type="text"/>	1078538 <input type="text"/>
302	1078039 <input type="text"/>	1078539 <input type="text"/>



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Western Maryland (Red/White/Black) — 1971+

Road #	Item # (DC/Silent)	Item # (DC/DCC/Sound)
3795*	1078040 <input type="text"/>	1078540 <input type="text"/>
3796	1078041 <input type="text"/>	1078541 <input type="text"/>
3797*	1078042 <input type="text"/>	1078542 <input type="text"/>
3799	1078043 <input type="text"/>	1078543 <input type="text"/>

*Features cab roof strobe lights.



SOO Line — Bandit Scheme (Red/White/Black) / ex-Milwaukee — 1995+

Road #	Item # (DC/Silent)	Item # (DC/DCC/Sound)
2010*	1078034 <input type="text"/>	1078534 <input type="text"/>
2041*	1078035 <input type="text"/>	1078535 <input type="text"/>
2057	1078036 <input type="text"/>	1078536 <input type="text"/>
2064	1078037 <input type="text"/>	1078537 <input type="text"/>

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