

# GE DASH 8-40CM

THE "DRAPER TAPER"



Canada & US MSRP	
	\$289.95 DC/DCC/Sound
	\$169.95 DC/Silent
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Pre-Production Hand-painted Sample

DEALER NAME:

Rapido Trains Inc. is pleased to release its fourth locomotive in North American N scale, the iconic General Electric Dash 8-40CM, popularly known by the nickname "Draper Taper" after the cut-out behind the cab.

The Dash 8-40CM (also known as the C40-8M) was introduced in 1990 with a total of 55 units for Canadian National (2400-2454) and 26 units for BC Rail (4601-4626). A further three locomotives (401-403) were built for the QNSL in March 1994.

Amazingly, all 81 CN/BC Rail Dash 8s are still in service. Most are still in their original paint schemes but several have been repainted into the newer CN.CA livery. They can be seen all over Canada and across the USA.

#### Our N Scale Dash 8-40CM model features:

- Accurately scaled from prototype blueprints
- Roadname-specific details including bell position, single or double rear headlights, with or without battery boxes behind cab, horns, tall or short sand fillers, CN or BCOL style ditch lights and more!
- An insane level of underbody detail with air filters, many separate pipes and moulded traction motor cabling and air/control pipe runs.
- Heavy, die-cast chassis with a powerful motor and dual flywheels
- Operational headlights and rear lights with operational factory-installed ditch lights (plus rock lights on BCOL locomotives)
- Separate grab irons and handrails installed at the factory
- DC/Silent (Next18 DCC Ready) or DC/DCC/Sound (ESU LokSound)
- Factory-installed couplers mounted at the correct height

#### Canadian National - Stripes



- CN body with battery boxes behind cab & single rear light Road #	Item #	- Bell on cab front - CN "stalk" ditch lights (working) Item #	- Nathan M3H Horn - Etched metal sunshades Item #
2400	540001	540501	
2406	540002	540502	
2411	540003	540503	
2418	540004	540504	
2422	540005	540505	
2427	540006	540506	

#### Canadian National - North America



- CN body with battery boxes behind cab & single rear light Road #	Item #	- Bell on frame - CN "stalk" ditch lights (working) Item #	- Nathan M3H Horn - Etched metal sunshades Item #
2435	540007	540507	
2437	540008	540508	
2443	540009	540509	
2449	540010	540510	
2452	540011	540511	

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DEALER NAME:

## Canadian National - No Stripes



- CN body with battery boxes behind cab & single rear light  
Road # Item # DC/Silent

2415	540012	<input type="text"/>	540512	<input type="text"/>
2430	540013	<input type="text"/>	540513	<input type="text"/>
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## Canadian National - Website



- CN body with battery boxes behind cab & single rear light  
Road # Item # DC/Silent

2421	540015	<input type="text"/>	540515	<input type="text"/>
2429	540016	<input type="text"/>	540516	<input type="text"/>

## British Columbia Railway - As Delivered



- BCOL body style  
- Bell on cab front  
Road # Item # DC/Silent

4601	540017	<input type="text"/>	540517	<input type="text"/>
4604	540018	<input type="text"/>	540518	<input type="text"/>
4619	540019	<input type="text"/>	540519	<input type="text"/>
4623	540020	<input type="text"/>	540520	<input type="text"/>
4626	540021	<input type="text"/>	540521	<input type="text"/>

## British Columbia Railway - Post 2010



- BCOL body style  
- Bell on cab front  
Road # Item # DC/Silent

4608	540023	<input type="text"/>	540523	<input type="text"/>
4622	540025	<input type="text"/>	540525	<input type="text"/>

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NOW!

## British Columbia Railway - CN Website



- BCOL body with no battery boxes & double rear light  
Road # Item # DC/Silent

4615	540026	<input type="text"/>	540526	<input type="text"/>
4618	540027	<input type="text"/>	540527	<input type="text"/>

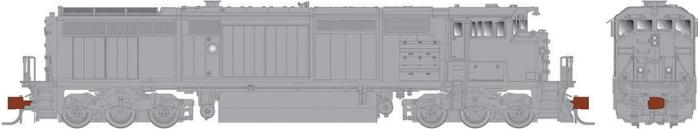
## Quebec North Shore & Labrador



- BCOL body with no battery boxes & single rear light  
Road # Item # DC/Silent

401	540028	<input type="text"/>	540528	<input type="text"/>
402	540029	<input type="text"/>	540529	<input type="text"/>
403	540030	<input type="text"/>	540530	<input type="text"/>

## Undecorated



- Two body styles: CN or BCOL  
- Bell on cab front or frame  
- BCOL "stalk" ditch lights or BCOL rock & ditch lights  
- Tall or short sand filler hatches on nose  
- Etched metal sunshades and wind deflectors

Version	Item #	Item #
CN	540031	540531
BCOL	540032	540532

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