

~~ENTERPRISE!~~ No, not *THAT* one!

ENTERPRISE COVERED HOPPER

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“We’re building a model of the Enterprise!
Beauty, goal, eh????!!!!”

No, not *THAT* one Jason...

Rapido Trains is excited to announce the “Enterprise” 2-bay covered hopper in HO scale.

Covered hoppers started to become a major car style just prior to WWII and are one of the dominant car types on the railroads today. Early development of covered hoppers tended to center around two-bay cars, with few mass-produced cars until the 1950s.

During the early development of covered hoppers, the New York Central built several different groups of “Enterprise” covered hoppers both for its own use and for its subsidiaries. The first groups were built immediately before World War II in 1939 and 1940. These cars proved quite successful, and in 1948 the NYC built another group of cars under Lot (the NYC’s classification system) number 747-H. The post-war cars were slightly larger than their predecessors with a 2000 cubic foot capacity. They utilized Standard Railway Equipment’s steel roof panels which had four offset roof hatches on each side versus the five hatches per side on the pre-war cars. An unknown number of these cars were fitted with smaller, circular hatches for flour and sugar loading.

A total of 750 cars were built in Lot 747-H. They proved so successful that additional cars followed in Lots 783, 784 and 785. The later series differed in using diagonal panel roofs but were otherwise identical to the Lot 747 cars.

At the same time as the New York Central was building their Lot 747-H cars, the Canadian National also built 150 cars to largely the same design. These were also delivered in 1948. Although at first glance nearly identical, the CN cars differed from the NYC’s in the design of roof panels, side panels, hatch spacing and construction details. The CN’s cars remained in service for many years, with some being later converted to ballast cars for maintenance of way use.

Rapido is offering correct versions of both the New York Central Lot 747H cars and the CN’s home-built versions.

All Rapido Enterprise covered hoppers feature:

- Designed from original blueprints and field measurements
- Both NYC and CN versions available
- Fully detailed body and underframe
- Rapido semi-scale metal couplers
- Free-rolling trucks with turned metal wheels
- Accurate paint and decoration
- Multiple road numbers per scheme

US MSRP

\$54.95 (SINGLE)

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CANADIAN MSRP

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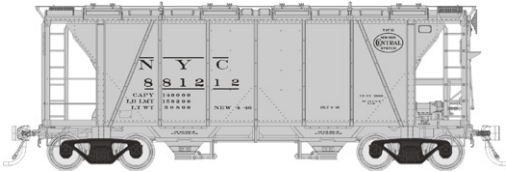
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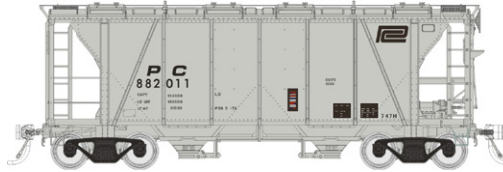
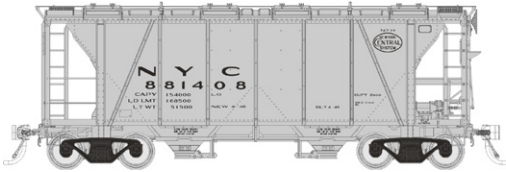
ENTERPRISE COVERED HOPPER NEW YORK CENTRAL VARIATIONS

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New York Central (Roman)

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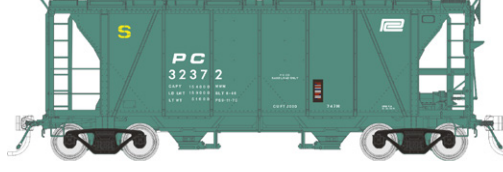
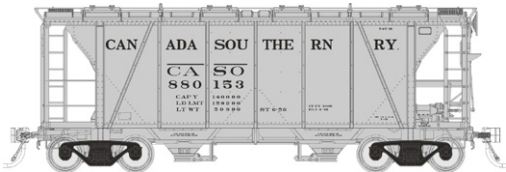


New York Central (Gothic)

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Penn Central

Item	Description
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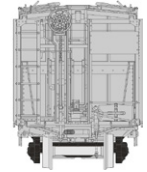
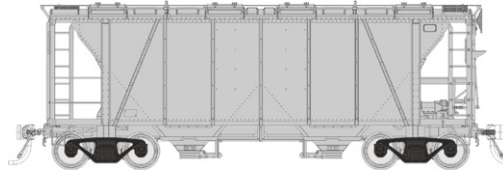
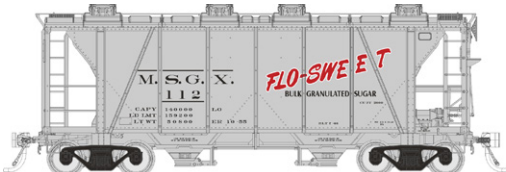


Canada Southern (Gothic)

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Penn Central (MOW)

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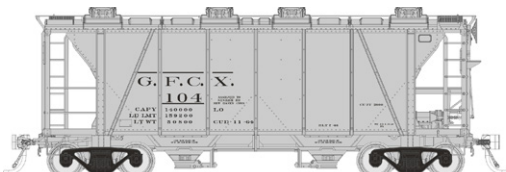


MSGX (FloSweet)

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Undecorated

Item	Description
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GFCX

Item	Description
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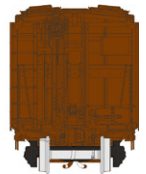
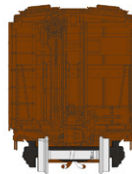
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Canadian National (Delivery)

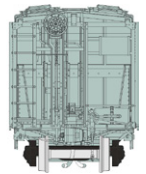
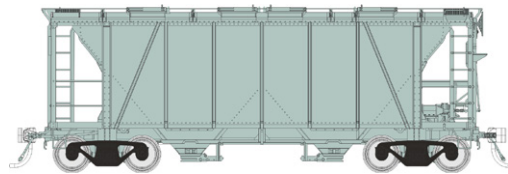
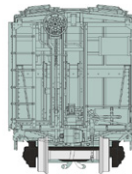
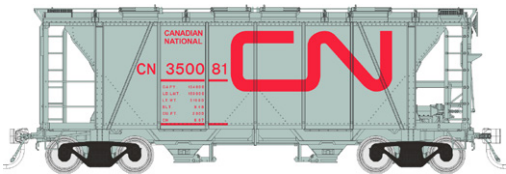
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113025, 113043, 113086, 113094, 113155, 113161

CN OCS Sand Service (Red)

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53314, 53315, 53317



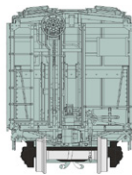
CN (Noodle)

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350005, 350018, 350032, 350081, 350101, 350117

Undecorated

Item	Description
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CN MOW (Gray)

Item	Description
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53307, 53308, 53351



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