



# THE RETURN OF THE RAPIDO E-UNITS



LOK SOUND  
EST. 1999

MoPower  
BY RAPIDO  
UNINTERRUPTED LOCOMOTIVE POWER

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- **NEW SCHEMES AND VARIATIONS**
- **A STAPLE OF THE PASSENGER ERA OF RAILROADING**
- **MANY LIGHTING FEATURES INCLUDING FLASHING BEACONS, MARS AND GYRALITES**

EMD's E8 and E9 were the quintessential North American passenger locomotive of the 1950s through the 1970s. 450 E8A and 46 E8B plus 100 E9A and 44 E9B units were produced. The E8 series were built from August 1949 through January 1954 with the successor E9 built from April 1954 through January 1964. These units pulled passenger trains from coast to coast, and later became the backbone of Amtrak's fleet in its early days. Many were later used in commuter and freight services before being retired. Today several units live on in museums and tourist railroads throughout North America.

## THE COMPLETE RAPIDO E-UNIT FEATURES:

- 3D laser-scanned body shell
- Accurate nose and roof contours
- Seven different noses
- Three different back ends
- Two different sides – with and without lifting lug covers
- Three different steam generator options
- 36" fan, 48" fan or non-dynamic brake options
- Single- or dual-headlight configurations
- Freight or passenger pilots
- Three styles of side grills
- Original porthole sides or rebuilt blanked sides (including unique variations)
- Skirted or non-skirted fuel tanks
- Original square and slope or Hyatt roller bearing journal boxes
- Heavy die-cast chassis
- Smooth running drive system with all wheels powered
- MoPower capacitor system for flawless pick up
- Complete lighting effects – headlights, class lights, backup lights, ground lights, cab lights and more
- Numerous road-specific detail parts in both plastic and metal

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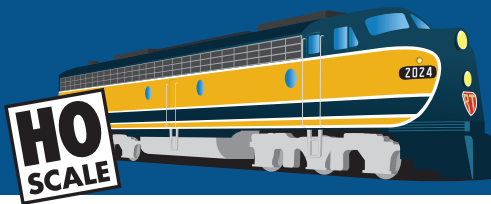
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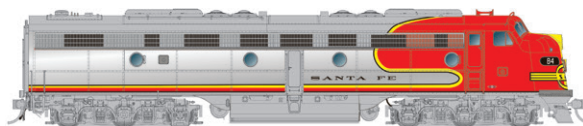


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## Amtrak (E8A / AMTK / Seaboard Coast Line Patch) Era: 1970s+

Road #	Item # (DC/Silent)	Item # (DC/DCC/Sound)
249	28071 <input type="text"/>	28571 <input type="text"/>



## Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe (E8mA + E8mB Set / ATSF / Warbonnet) Era: 1952+

Road #	Item # (DC/Silent)	Item # (DC/DCC/Sound)
81L+81A	28074 <input type="text"/>	28574 <input type="text"/>
83L+83A	28075 <input type="text"/>	28575 <input type="text"/>



## Delaware, Lackawanna & Western (E8A / DL&W / GMY Scheme) Era: Late 1954+

Road #	Item # (DC/Silent)	Item # (DC/DCC/Sound)
812	28077 <input type="text"/>	28577 <input type="text"/>
813	28078 <input type="text"/>	28578 <input type="text"/>
818	28079 <input type="text"/>	28579 <input type="text"/>
819	28080 <input type="text"/>	28580 <input type="text"/>

## Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe (E8mA / ATSF / Warbonnet) Era: 1952+

Road #	Item # (DC/Silent)	Item # (DC/DCC/Sound)
80L	28072 <input type="text"/>	28572 <input type="text"/>
84L	28073 <input type="text"/>	28573 <input type="text"/>



## Boston & Maine (E8A / B&M / Maroon Scheme) Era: 1950s+

Road #	Item # (DC/Silent)	Item # (DC/DCC/Sound)
3821	28076 <input type="text"/>	28576 <input type="text"/>



## Louisville & Nashville (E8A / L&N / Delivery Scheme) Era: 1950s+

Road #	Item # (DC/Silent)	Item # (DC/DCC/Sound)
794	28081 <input type="text"/>	28581 <input type="text"/>
795	28082 <input type="text"/>	28582 <input type="text"/>
796	28083 <input type="text"/>	28583 <input type="text"/>



## Missouri Pacific (E8A / MP/ Eagle Scheme) Era: 1950s+

Road #	Item # (DC/Silent)	Item # (DC/DCC/Sound)
7019	28084 <input type="text"/>	28584 <input type="text"/>
7020	28085 <input type="text"/>	28585 <input type="text"/>
7021	28086 <input type="text"/>	28586 <input type="text"/>

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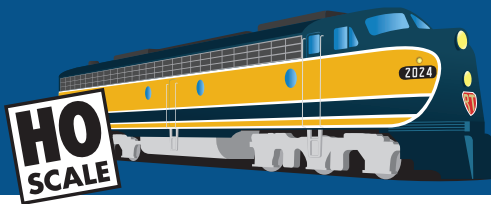
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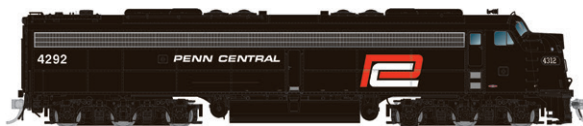
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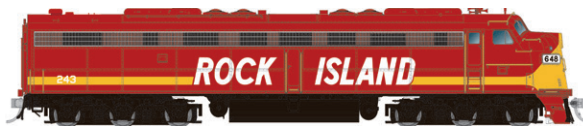
Era: 1968+

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## Penn Central (E8A / PC / Red "P")

Era: 1968+

Road #	Item # (DC/Silent)	Item # (DC/DCC/Sound)
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## Rock Island (E8A / CRIP / Bicentennial)

Era: 1976+

Road #	Item # (DC/Silent)	Item # (DC/DCC/Sound)
652	28090 <input type="text"/>	28590 <input type="text"/>

## Rock Island (E8A / CRIP / Red/Yellow Scheme)

Era: 1969+

Road #	Item # (DC/Silent)	Item # (DC/DCC/Sound)
648	28091 <input type="text"/>	28591 <input type="text"/>
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## Seaboard Coast Line (E8A / SCL)

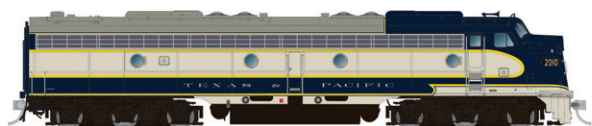
Era: 1967+

Road #	Item # (DC/Silent)	Item # (DC/DCC/Sound)
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## Southern Pacific (E9A / SP / Scarlet and Gray Scheme)

Era: 1958+

Road #	Item # (DC/Silent)	Item # (DC/DCC/Sound)
6046	28097 <input type="text"/>	28597 <input type="text"/>
6050	28098 <input type="text"/>	28598 <input type="text"/>
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## Texas & Pacific (E8A / T&P / Eagle Scheme)

Era: 1950s+

Road #	Item # (DC/Silent)	Item # (DC/DCC/Sound)
2010	28101 <input type="text"/>	28601 <input type="text"/>
2012	28102 <input type="text"/>	28602 <input type="text"/>

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