

SOO LINE

1950s Fond du Lac-built 40' Steel Boxcars with 1970s Repaints PRODUCED BY THE SOO LINE HISTORICAL AND TECHNICAL SOCIETY

NEW: These cars can also be ordered from the SLHTS Online Store with credit card payment.
Visit our website at sooline.org and click the "MODELS" tab.

As the new "7-post" 50' boxcars were being assembled at the Soo's North Fond du Lac shops in the 1960s and 70s, most of the earlier 40' boxcars constructed there in the 1950s were ready for upgrading and repainting. These later repaints also received the new Venus Bold Extended billboard lettering which had been adopted for the "New Soo" image after the 1961 merger. All other lettering on these cars was done in a more modern Gothic style.

The sliding door model represents a car built at NFduL in 1953 and upgraded and repainted there in 1971. Its reporting marks and car numbers are 7" high. All lettering is white on a dark oxide car body.

The plug/sliding door model represents a car built at NFduL in 1959 and upgraded and repainted there in 1973. This car's reporting marks and car numbers are 9" high in a later style. Again, all lettering is white on a dark oxide car body.

Anyone modeling the Soo or other mid-Western railroads from 1970 forward needs some of these commonly seen upgraded 1950s Soo Line boxcars to roll along with newer equipment.

As an incentive and **bonus** this year, we are offering one free SLHTS limited-run car from a previous year with the purchase of a four-pack of these new cars. (Include 5-car shipping cost.)

Four-pack purchasers may choose one car from the list below and enter its letter in the bonus car line of the mail-in order form. The bonus car will then be included with your order. If you already have one car number for your chosen car, you may add the car number for the other car and we will try to fulfill your request.

- (A) 2007 Soo Line Twin Hopper
- (B) 2007 LS&I Twin Hopper
- (C) 2008 Soo Gondola (1965 repaint)
- (D) 2008 Soo Gondola (1973 repaint)
- (E) 2009 Soo (ex-BRC) Triple Hopper
- (F) 2010 Soo "7-post" Boxcar (brown)
- (G) 2010 Soo "7-post" Boxcar (white)



North Fond du Lac, WI, July 1979, Ken Soroos



Waukesha, WI, April 1981, Guy N. Kieckhefer

ORDER FORM AND MAILING LABEL

(Please print clearly.)

Mail completed order form and payment to the return address below:

Cars	Quantity	Amount
Soo Line sliding door boxcar (#137178 or #45152)* @ \$15.00		
"2-pack" (one each of the above 2 Soo car nos.) @ \$29.00		
Soo Line plug/sldg door boxcar (#48408 or #48320)* @ \$15.00		
"2-pack" (one each of the above 2 Soo car nos.) @ \$29.00		
"4-pack" (one each of the brown and white car nos.) @ \$58.00		
Bonus Car (with "4-pack" order only) Letter: ()		
Shipping		
Total Amount Enclosed		

from:
SOO 40' FduL Boxcars 2011
2124 N. Locust St.
Appleton, WI 54914
to:
Name: _____
Address: _____
City: _____
State: _____ Zip: _____

* Our choice of car number, but if this is your second order, you may cross out the number of a car you already have and we will try to provide the other number.

SHIPPING: U.S.: 1-2 cars, \$6.00; 3-4 cars, \$7.00; 5-6 cars, \$8.00; etc. **Canada:** 1-2 cars, \$8.00, 3-4 cars, \$11.00; 5-6 cars, \$15.00; more than 6 cars, \$23.00. For **orders to other countries**, please remit U. S. funds + \$10.00 and any remainder of actual postage upon receipt of your order. For international orders, you may also e-mail cars@sooline.org for postage costs to your country or for any other inquiries about our limited-run cars.

Please make checks payable to **Soo Line Historical and Technical Society** or **SLHTS**.