

GN Rolling Stock Pack

for Train Simulator 2014 by Golden Age of Railroading

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1 Introduction

This is a combined re-release of several previously models, packaged into one single package specially designed to be used in the Great Northern themed scenarios on this website and those created by Trains and Drivers.

This pack is stand-alone and does not require the installation of any other files or packages to run the included cars.

You do not need to install this add-on if you have already installed the included models separately. No updates or changes to the models have been done, this is only a repackaged installer.

Cars Included in this Add-On:

- 40' Flatcars, Great Northern version only
- Ore Hopper, GN, BN, MILW, NP paint schemes
- Ortner 65' Mill Gondola, Great Northern version only
- PS-1 Boxcars, Great Northern versions only

Credits: For the production of this add-on, I have used source materials from:

- Rick Grout, GTraxSims.com (sound files)
- MediaCollege.com (sound files)
- CGTextures.com (image files)

2 Installation and System Requirements

System Requirements: Train Simulator 2014 must be installed, there are no special hard- or software requirements which would exceed those of the game itself. Backwards compatibility to older versions of Railworks/Train Simulator cannot be guaranteed.

Installation:

1. Download the **RWP file** and save it in a secure place on your hard disk – just in case you might have to reinstall the cars at a later time.
2. Now install the RWP file with Train Simulator's Package Manager. To access that tool, **launch utilities.exe** in the main Train Simulator installation folder.
3. Note: You can find utilities.exe by right clicking on the Train Simulator 2014 title in your Steam Library, selecting Properties, and then clicking the "Browse Local Content" button on the "Local Files" tab.
4. Once the Utilities are running, go to the **Package Manager Tab**, click the **Install** button, browse to the file from step one, click **Open**. The package will be installed now, after which you can already run your new cars in the game!

Using the Cars in Custom Scenarios:

1. To be able to place the cars in a scenario, you will first have to enable the **object filter** for these cars in the scenario editor:
2. Open the left-hand middle flyout panel, click the button that shows a blue cube with an orange triangle.
3. Activate the flyout panel on the right side of the screen, and tick the checkboxes for developer "**GreatNortherner**" and products "**GNRy**" and "**Allegheny**"
4. The cars will now show up in the asset browser listed as: "**Gondola 65ft ...**", "**Flatcar 40ft...**", "**Boxcar 40ft-PS1...**", "**Ore Jenny...**"
5. All cars will be empty right after placing them in the scenario editor. To load a car, double click on it. When it is highlighted in dark red, tick the little 'cargo' checkbox in the right flyout window. You can also do this for entire consists in one go, all you need to do is to switch on the 'consist select' radio button in the lower left flyout window.

3 Details about the Cars

Generic 40ft Flatcar



Three versions of this car are included in this pack: a heavy-duty, fishbelly side flatcar, a standard flatcar, and an old truss-rod frame flatcar.

Each model comes with many different cargos, including logs, rails, and timber.

24' Ore Hopper



These little cars are based on a prototype owned by the Great Northern railway to ship ore from their inland ore mines to the docks on Lake Superior. In spite of their short length, each of these cars will weigh as much as a fully loaded coal hopper when filled with iron ore, so handle with care.

Ortner 65' Mill Gondola



Designed to carry heavy and oversize cargos, this long drop-end Mill Gondola is a very versatile freight car. It has a robust construction with reinforced, fishbelly-shaped sides and runs on 36 inch wheels. This Train Sim model comes with two cargos: a load of steel coils and a log stack.

PS-1 40' Boxcar



The standard freight car of the mid 20th century, 40' boxcars were used to carry a wide variety of cargos. Newsprint, food, lumber products, industrial products of all sorts, and during the harvest season even grain.

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