

Train Simulator Scenario

The GN Marias Pass Route:

GN Train #2: The Empire Builder (Seattle to Chicago Streamliner)

1955 Timetable

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Scenario Description and Important Notes

This scenario lets you run GN Train #2, the famous Empire Builder, across Marias Pass (GN 1950s-70s Version).

You will be running the entire route from **Whitefish to Shelby**, where the Builder has regularly scheduled station stops. Your only on-line stop is at Cut Bank, the Glacier Park stations were only served by the Western Star (Trains 3 and 4) and the Fast Mail (27 and 28) in that year. The scenario uses the 1955 GN Employee Timetable and lists arrival timings for all stations on line, including those that you only pass through. You'll find that the timetable is not too tight on your way up the pass, but fairly strict on your way

down to Shelby.

This scenario has been split in two parts.

Duration: 120 minutes + 100 minutes
Difficulty: timetabled, fast passenger run
Type: express passenger with only one stop along the way
Tasks: mainline passenger run over entire route

Installation and System Requirements

Route Requirements: You must own the **Marias Pass Route, GN 1950s-70s Version from the Steam Workshop** and its prerequisites.

You can get the GN 1950s-70s Marias Pass route [in the Steam Workshop](#).

This scenario also requires the GN Cascadian route as I'm using plenty of its rolling stock in this scenario.

You can get the GN Cascadian route [exclusively at RWA](#).

Installation:

1. Download the **RWP file** and save it in a secure place on your hard disk.
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 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 the scenario in the game!
5. You'll find the scenario listed in the **Standard Scenarios** Tab for the selected route.

REQUIRED DOWNLOADS

The add-ons and DLC packs listed below are needed to play this scenario.

Read this if you do not want to download or buy quite so many files: With the help of Mike Simpson's RW_Tools suite of utilities you can quite easily substitute any piece of equipment used in this or any other scenario. Please read on here for more information about RW_Tools: www.agenetools.com

From DovetailGames / Steam DLC:

- [US Loco & Assets Pack DLC](#) (required for locomotive audio!)

- GN 1950s-70s Marias Pass route [in the Steam Workshop](#)

From Golden Age of Railroading:

- [EMD SD7 Great Northern \(freeware\)](#)
- [EMD GP9 Great Northern \(freeware\)](#)
- [DTM F7 Physics Fix and GN Passenger Units](#) (required update for DTM repaints)
- [ATSF Freight Pack 1](#)
- [BN and Predecessors Freight Car Packs \(only the boxcars pack\)](#)
- [TOFC Western Roads \(freeware\)](#)
- [GN Ore Hoppers \(freeware\)](#)
- [GN 65' Mill Gondola \(freeware\)](#)

From the RailworksAmerica File Library:

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- GN Cascadian route [exclusively at RWA](#)
- [G-TraX 4-Pack Lightweight Passenger Cars](#) by Rick Grout (ricksan) (freeware)
- [GN F7 Re-Paints](#)
- [G-TraX GN RS-1 Diesel Locomotive](#) by Rick Grout (ricksan) (freeware)
- [Additional Liveries for the ALCo S2](#) by Michael Calvin (freeware, includes GN loco)
- [ALCo S2](#) by Richard Chargin (Dogmouse) (freeware)

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