

ES44AC Norfolk Southern Heritage Locomotive Pack

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1 Background

1.1 Norfolk Southern Heritage

Norfolk Southern has honoured its predecessor railroads during 2012, its 30th anniversary year, by painting 20 new locomotives in commemorative schemes that reflect the heritage of those predecessors.

Since the 1820s, hundreds of railroad companies were built, merged, reorganized, and consolidated into what eventually became Norfolk Southern, itself created from the consolidation of Southern Railway (SR) and Norfolk and Western Railway (NW) in 1982. In 1999, Norfolk Southern expanded the scope of its heritage with its acquisition of a portion of Conrail (CR). The heritage locomotives represent most of the railroads that played significant roles in Norfolk Southern's history.

Each paint scheme was modified to fit contemporary locomotives while staying as true as possible to the original designs.

2 Rolling Stock

The **ES44AC** (**E**volution **S**eries, **44**00 HP, **AC** traction), is manufactured by General Electric Transportation Systems of Erie, Pennsylvania.

In September 2008, Norfolk Southern purchased 24 ES44ACs numbered 8000-8023, and began receiving the first of these units in October 2008. They are the first new AC locomotives ever purchased by NS. An additional 65 units were ordered in 2011, numbered 8025-8090. 24 more units, numbered 8091-8115, were ordered at the beginning of 2012. 8098-8105 & 8114 were painted in heritage paint schemes for the 30th anniversary.

Technical Data

Total Built: 2771 Weight: 188t

Length: 71'4" (21.73m)

Engine Power: 4,400Hp (3,284kW) Max Speed: 74Mph (119Kph) Fuel Capacity: 5,000qal (22,730L)

The following stock is included in this pack

2.1 Conrail

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2.2 Central of Georgia Railway

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2.3 Interstate Railroad

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2.6 Nickel Plate Road

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2.7 Norfolk and Western Railway

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2.8 Norfolk Southern Railway

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2.9 Pennsylvania Railroad

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2.10 Southern Railway

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2.11 Hopper Ballast



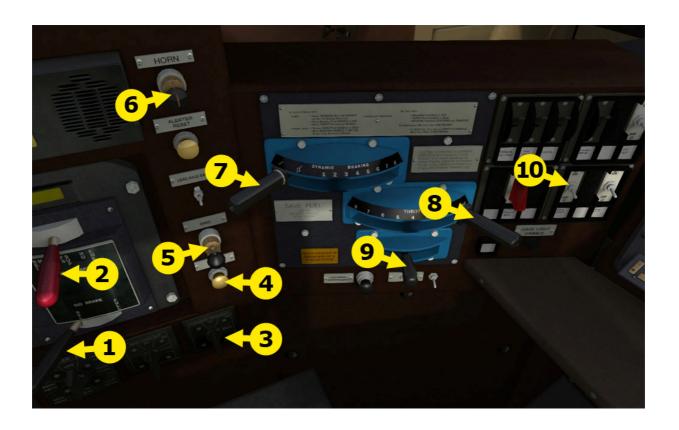
2.12 Van AutoParts Boxcar

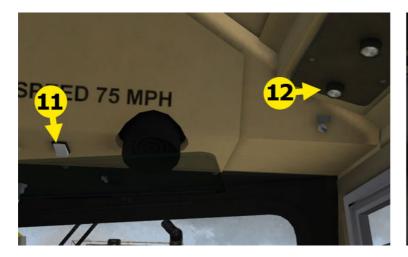


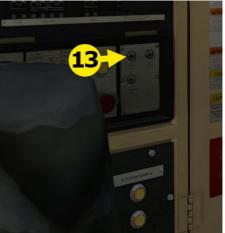
2.13 Hopper Low Sided Gondola



3 Cab Controls







| 1 | Independent / Locomotive Brake | Apply [Release] |
|----|--------------------------------|-------------------|
| 2 | Auto Brake | Apply 'Release ; |
| 3 | Headlights | Toggle H |
| 4 | Bell | В |
| 5 | Sander | X |
| 6 | Horn | Space Bar |
| 7 | Dynamic Brake | Apply . Release , |
| 8 | Throttle | A / D |
| 9 | Reverser | W/S |
| 10 | Flashing Ditch Light | J |
| 11 | Cab Light | L |
| 12 | Wipers | V |
| 13 | Step Lights | K |

4 Quick Drive Scenarios

This includes quick consists. Each locomotive paint scheme comes with 4 quick drive consists. Also included a selection of double header consists.