Subject: N scale Buda wheel stop
Posted by GWMT on Fri, 07 Dec 2012 20:48:53 GMT
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These turned out so good I have to post a photo before finishing and paint are done. It's mounted on Peco N Streamline Code 80 flex track (the rail measures 0.080" tall) - time to switch to hand-laid code 40!

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1) N Buda Wheel Stop SM_0108.jpg, downloaded 592 times

Subject: Re: N scale Buda wheel stop
Posted by bartv on Mon, 10 Dec 2012 10:24:20 GMT
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I have a little trouble guessing the scale (not an inch person , but it looks pretty small indeed! Do share a pic after painting!

Bart

Subject: Re: N scale Buda wheel stop
Posted by MitchellJetten on Mon, 10 Dec 2012 18:04:45 GMT
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N scale Bart... 1:160

Subject: Re: N scale Buda wheel stop
Posted by bartv on Tue, 11 Dec 2012 09:41:21 GMT
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Yeah, to me that just means 'very small'

Subject: Re: N scale Buda wheel stop
Posted by GWMT on Tue, 11 Dec 2012 21:14:46 GMT
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Crikey! You call that very small? T gauge (1:450) is very small:

http://www.shapeways.com/forum/index.php?t=msg&th=11665& amp;start=0&

Download the picture attached to the fifth message and be amazed.

Subject: Re: N scale Buda wheel stop
Posted by bartv on Wed, 12 Dec 2012 09:47:51 GMT
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I'd call that 'extremely small'

Subject: Re: N scale Buda wheel stop
Posted by Jettuh on Thu, 13 Dec 2012 19:58:53 GMT
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Lol, yeah 1:450 is really small:

http://www.shapeways.com/shops/spoorobjecten?section=Modeltr ains+-+1%3A450&s=0

Got some pictures at home from people that even painted them

Subject: Re: N scale Buda wheel stop
Posted by GWMT on Thu, 13 Dec 2012 23:00:28 GMT
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Dude!! That stuff makes my eyes water.

Those would be good candidates for custom pad printing. I don't think it's too expensive any more, especially for something hard to accurately paint as 1:450.

Subject: Re: N scale Buda wheel stop
Posted by GWMT on Sun, 16 Dec 2012 01:04:14 GMT
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Here's a pic with a penny for scale. They can be purchased here:

http://www.shapeways.com/model/825438/buda-6-bolt-wheel-stop -n-scale-32pk.html

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1) N Buda Wheel Stop Painted 1Cent_0121.jpg, downloaded 320 times

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Subject: Re: N scale Buda wheel stop
Posted by GWMT on Sat, 29 Dec 2012 05:18:16 GMT
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Here are instructions on how to cut the wheel stops from the 32-piece sprue.
A precision sprue cutter like the Intermountain BB-1015 or Micro-Mark #82393 is the best tool to cut the parts from the support framework.
http://www.micromark.com/tweezer-sprue-cutter-despruing-twee zer,8012.html

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1) N Buda Wheel Stop Sprue Cut Back INSTR A.jpg, downloaded 273 times
2) N Buda Wheel Stop Sprue Cut Centre INSTR B.jpg, downloaded 260 times

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