

Dale Latham's Engine House



The engine house is totally scratch-built and of my own design. It is built of wood, cardboard and paper with assorted Tichy windows. The inside is lit and detailed. The structure is HO scale and is 14" long and 6-1/2" wide with an attached 3" x 6" shed on the rear. The highest point on the building is 3-5/8".

The rolled roofing is black cardstock, cut into strips and then sprayed with gray primer. After it's dry, I sand and scrape each piece to bring some of the underlying black to the surface. It is then further weathered using pastel chalks. I picked up the technique from one of Jason Jensen's videos. [\[https://www.youtube.com/c/JasonJensenTrains\]](https://www.youtube.com/c/JasonJensenTrains) The sides are wood clapboard, stained and then followed with multiple weathering techniques such as dry brushing, sponge painting and the use of chalks.
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