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A BRACE OF Burlington Northern-Santa Fe SD40-2 road units hauls the 237 Extra through a curve in Illinois farm country. The EMD SD40-2 is the most popular six wheel truck locomotive ever and, in overall numbers, second in popularity only to EMD's GP9. FINESCALE RAILROADER's Chief Optical Officer, Steve Crise, photographed Mac McCalla's modified 1:29 scale USA Trains diesels for our cover. A photo feature on the models begins on page 40.

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