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Date	Item	Used On
1905 to ~1926	8-inch "UNION PACIFIC"; 3-inch initials; 8-inch numbers - all White Cars painted C.S.-22, No. 11 Metallic (brownish Freight Car Red)	Most freight cars "
early 1920s	1-inch Horizontal Bars / Periods in Reporting Marks	All freight cars
~1926	9-inch initials; 7-inch numbers - White, C.S. Roman style	Most freight cars
~1927	10-inch "UNION PACIFIC" - White, C.S. Roman style	
March, 1933	Remove "System" from top of "Overland" banner medallion	Reefers (Jan. 1936)
1936	"Road of The Streamliners" slogan in C.S. Roman - right side (ROTS)	House, Flat & Hopper cars
"	"Serves All the West" slogan in C.S. Roman - left side (SAW)	"
1936	White lettering, Yellow slogans - C.S. Roman style	All freight cars
mid-1930s	White Bar on door – has auto loader	Auto cars
1937	"Synthetic Red Freight Car Enamel" paint (more redish)	All freight cars, except Tank
June, 1939	Gothic style lettering and slogans, with circle "O"	All freight cars
"	10-inch "Union Pacific"	All freight cars, except Flat
"	9-inch Reporting Marks, 7-inch car number	"
"	8-inch "Automobile"	Auto cars
July, 1942	Remove "Overland" banner from 42-inch tall medallion	Reefers
June, 1946	Increase size of medallion to 45-inch tall	Reefers
March, 1947	Armour Yellow on Stock Car sides for "Livestock Dispatch" service	some Stock cars
"	Aluminum paint on Stock Car metal ends & roofs	"
"	Red lettering on Yellow sides & Aluminum ends	"
July, 1947	Yellow lettering & slogans on red cars	All freight cars, except Tank
"	White lettering continues on black cars	Tank cars
Early 1949	Harbor Mist Gray painted cars / Black lettering	Covered Hoppers
Nov. 1949	"Road of The Streamliners" slogan - right side (ROTS)	House & Hopper cars
"	"Be Specific – ship 'Union Pacific' " slogan - left side (BSSUP)	"
Jan. 1950	Add "Railroad" to top of medallion	Reefers
"	"	Other freight cars after 1961
Dec. 1950	18-inch spacing on BSSUP slogan	Auto & Boxcars
March, 1952	Anti-skid "Tread Sure" plastic around dome	Tank cars
March, 1952	End: 8-inch "Automobile"	Auto cars
June, 1952	End : 1-inch Horizontal Bars in Reporting Marks	All freight cars
June, 1953	"Be Careful" safety slogan at lower corners	All freight cars
Nov. 1953	"Be Specific – ship 'Union Pacific' " slogan - both sides (BSSUP)	House & Hopper cars
1954	Aluminum painted cars / Red lettering	Covered Hoppers (CH-70-4)
Aug. 1956	20-inch "Union Pacific" in oval "O" Gothic style	All Freight cars, except Flat
"	9-inch Reporting Marks, 7-inch car number	"
Nov. 1957	End: Periods in Reporting Marks	All freight cars
"	add: AAR mech. designation	"
March, 1958	OSL, OWR&N, or LA&SL 4-inch top left - all reporting marks UP	Subsidiary freight cars

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Sept. 1961	"Ship and Travel the Automated Rail Way" slogan (STARW)	Standard underframe Boxcars
Sept. 1961	White lettering & slogans on red cars	All red freight cars
March, 1962	First version of "Campbell Soup" logo	Cushion underframe Box cars
"	First "Automated Rail Way - Cushion Ride" map slogan (ARW-CR1)	"
"	Armour Yellow sides / Aluminum roof, ends & underframe	"
"	Black lettering	"
1962	All Yellow car / Black lettering / Red name & slogan	Cushion underframe Flat cars
Sept. 1962	Second version of "Campbell Soup" logo	Cushion underframe Box cars
"	Second "Automated Rail Way - Cushion Ride" map slogan (ARW-CR2)	"
Dec. 1962	Return to 1950s shield logo - large size	Cushion underframe Box cars
1963	"Automated Rail Way - Cushioned Load" map slogan (ARW-CL)	Cushion underframe Box cars
1966	Large "Red Dot" on yellow door	Specific classes of Boxcars
1967	Red name & slogan on yellow Exterior Post cars	Cushion underframe Box cars
1968	Remove Running Boards - "Keep Off Roof" Warning at lower right	All House cars
1968-69	"Red Dot" program ends	Specific classes of Boxcars
1969	Add ACI labels	All Freight cars
July, 1969	Remove "Railroad" from top of medallion	All medallions
Oct. 1969	14-inch Reporting Marks, 14-inch car number	All Freight cars, except Flat
"	20-inch "Union Pacific" in oval "O" Gothic style	"
1972	"We can handle it." slogan (WCHI)	House & Hopper cars
1976	Light Gray painted cars	Round-side Covered Hoppers

For more UP Freight painting & lettering data, see:

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