

Milk-1

Offline creamery milk transloading platform. - (destination)

Inbound cars (*choice* - each performs same milk transport job) =

- milk can reefers with cool, full milk cans
- milk tank cars with cool milk

Outbound cars =

cars with empty milk cans

Scene elements =

platform for holding milk cans transloading between milk can reefers and trucks
area for milk tanker trucks to pump out milk tank cars

Spur, located near passenger depot, must be long enough to hold TWO true O-scale animated milk can reefers of full milk cans. The cans will unload onto two (optionally only one) Lionel-type uncovered milk can holding platforms, placed in a line on the layout front side of the spur. Activating magnets will be in the track to operate animated milk cars. Once full cans are unloaded, empty cans waiting on the platform will be loaded into the milk can reefers for the return trip. The non-spur side of the holding platform will be paved, so that creamery trucks can transload cans to/from the platform. The opposite side of the spur will also have a paved area where milk tanker trucks can pump out milk tank cars spotted beside the platforms. Optionally pumping can be performed on the platform side of the spur if the spur is long enough (or one platform eliminated) to have the paved pumping area located beyond the end of the platform. For scene-setting purposes, a milk tanker truck can be waiting at the spur, and empty milk cans can be stationed on the transloading platform.