

SRI LANKA RAILWAYS (SR)

DIESEL LOCOMOTIVES

CLASS HUNSLET

Built: Hunslet 1950
Wheel arrangement: 0-6-0D
530 Preserved

CLASS N1 KRUPP

Built:
Narrow Gauge
566 Preserved

CLASS M1 BRUSH-MIRRLIEES Preserved (u)

Note: Does not have a power unit

CLASS M2 GENERAL MOTORS

Built: M2: 1954-5., M2A: 1956.,
M2B: 1958., M2C: 1961., M2D:
1966.
By General Motors, London,
Ontario, Canada.
Engine: General Motors 12-567C of
1425 h.p. (M2D 12-567E of 1425
h.p.).
Weight: 79 t.
A1A-A1A (Bo-Bo)

Class M2. Standard design.
569 Ontario
570 Alberta
572 British Columbia
573 Quebec

Class M2A.
591 Manitoba
592 Nova Scotia
593 New Brunswick

Class M2B.
594 Prince Edward Island
595 Newfoundland

Class M2C. Bo-Bo wheel
arrangement.
626 Montreal
627 Vancouver

Class M2D.
628 Kankasanturai
629 Galle

Notes: 571 Saskatchewan
destroyed in a terrorist bomb blast.

CLASS W1 / W3

Introduced 1968-69 Henschel as
class W1
1150 hp Bo-Bo Diesel Hydraulic
Class W3 re-engined Caterpillar
V12

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CLASS Y

Introduced 1968 Hunslet Leeds
530 hp 0-6-0 Diesel Hydraulic
Rolls Royce engine

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CLASS Y1

Introduced 1972/73 SLR
1150 hp 0-8-0 Diesel Hydraulic
Paxman engine

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CLASS M4

MLW-BOMBARDIER

Built: 1975, by MLW-Bombardier,
Canada.
Engine: Alco-Bombardier 12-251C3
of 1750 h.p.
Weight: 93 t.
*94 t. Fitted with dynamic brakes
Co-Co

Class M4. Standard design.

743 Madhu
744 Sigiri
745 Ruwaveli
746 Namunukula
747 Kelani
748 Walawe
749 Dunhinda
750 Isurumuni
751 Diyaluma
752 Point Pedro
753* Samanala
754* Menik
755* Mahaweli
756* Laxapana

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Banned from Badulla line beyond
Nawalapitiya due to wheel
damaging track on tight curves.

CLASS M5

HITACHI-MTU

Built: 1979 by Hitachi, Japan
Engine: MTU-Ikegai 12V66TD11
of 1640 h.p.
Weight: 66 t.
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Class M5A. Refurbished
power unit.
Engine: MTU V12 of 1150 h.p.
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Class M5B. Refurbished
New power unit.
Engine: Paxman-Valenta
1150 h.p.
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CLASS M6

HENSCHEL-THYSSEN

Built: 1979, by Henschel-Thyssen,
Germany.
Engine: General Motors 12-654E of
1650 h.p.
Weight: 87 t.
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Notes: 789 & 798 both destroyed in
terrorist bomb blasts.

CLASS M7

BRUSH-GM

Built: 1981 by Brush Traction, at
Loughborough, United Kingdom.
Engine: General Motors 8-645E of
1000 h.p.
Weight: 67 t.
Bo-Bo
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CLASS M8

DLW

Built: 1996 by Diesel Locomotive
Works, Varanasi, India.
Engine: Alco V16 of 24/2600 h.p.
DLW 16-251B

Co-Co
Weight: 113 t.
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CLASS M9

ALSTOM-RUSTON

Built: 2000 by Alstom, France.
Engine: Ruston V12 of 1800 h.p.
Co-Co
Weight: ? t.

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CLASS ML1

SRILANKA WORKS-LEYLAND

Built: 2000 by Sri Lanka Works.
Engine: Leyland (bus engine)

CLASS Y1

SRILANKA WORKS

Built: 2000 by Sri Lanka Works.
Engine: