New Model Information - Pre-Order for December 2021 -

10-1693 Chizu Express HOT 7000 "Super HAKUTO" 6-Car Set





Lighting set and Passenger's figure are not included

Chizu Express HOT7000 series
"Super Hakuto", the pendulum
type express train that connects
Kansai and San'in region, will be
released as a scale model by
KATO.The HOT7000 "Super
Hakuto" is the third sector Chizu
Express' through operation
limited express train that started
service in December 1994.Based
on JR Shikoku's Series 2000, this is
a controlled, natural pendulum
type diesel locomotive with a
stainless steel body.

Operating at a maximum speed of 130 km/h, it connects Kyoto to Tottori and Kurayoshi in about 3 hours and 30 minutes, dramatically improving the convenience of the previous route between the Kinki region and Tottori.

The name "HOT" comes from the initials of Hyogo, Okayama, and Tottori, as well as hot springs and the "warmth" of the people of the San'in region. It also won the Good Design Award in 2008.

◆The side windows, which reflect like a mirror, are realistically reproduced with half-silvered mirror glass. KATO will release in 6-car set of additional cars that can be seen when there are many passengers.

- ①After the interior renewal, the prototype is the current form with LED head/tail lights(The head and tail lights turn on) and full color LED side indicators.
- ②The characteristic half-silvered mirror image of the side windows reflecting like a mirror is reproduced just like the actual train.
- ③Equipped with KATO's original pendulum mechanism that reproduces the inward inclination of the train body when passing through a curve, just like the real train.
- 4)The snow plow on the front bogie is reproduced.
- ⑤Body-mounted couplers without hooks are used for the intermediate connection.
- 6 Flywheel is adopted to realize stable operation.

