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CBHs 010 & 003 run 4K11 empty grain through Woodbridge, 1<sup>st</sup> May.

Photo: Jim Bisdee





ACC6030 hauls a rake of QQWY wagons as 4112 Avon Yard – Forrestfield through Hazelmere, 1<sup>st</sup> May. The entire 4-year-old ex-Aurizon fleet of 60 QQWY pairs are now owned by SCT. Photo: Jim Bisdee



Aurizon rail grinder MMY034 undergoes maintenance after arriving at Parkeston, 1<sup>st</sup> May. Photo: Peter Donaghy



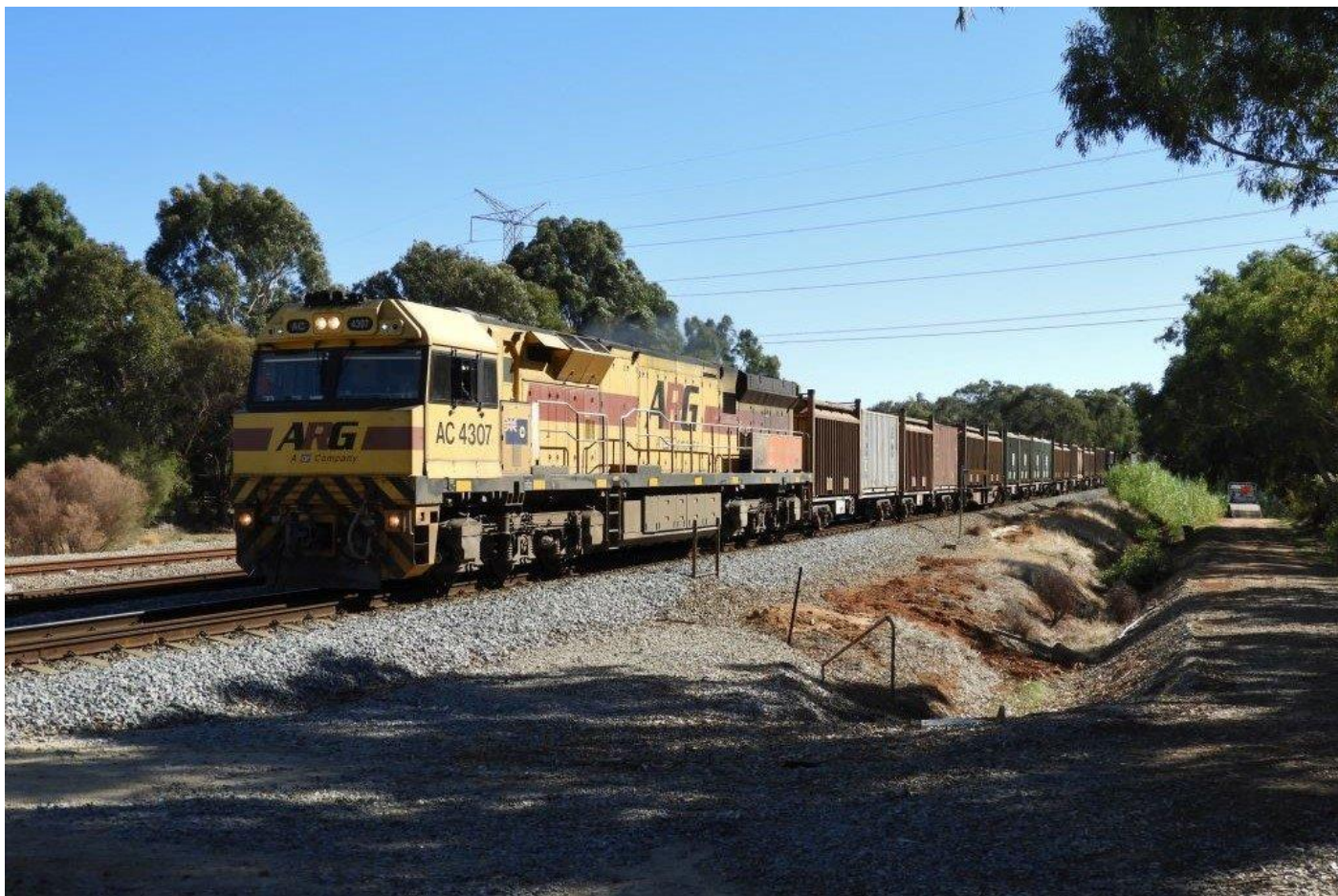


The spark guards on one of the grinding units are raised for maintenance, 2<sup>nd</sup> May. Photo: Peter Donaghy



6K64 grain passes through Woodbridge behind CBH009, 3<sup>rd</sup> May. Photo: Jim Bisdee





AC4307 leads 5430 empty sulphur through Woodbridge, 3<sup>rd</sup> May.



VL357 & CBH120 lead the NGXH rake on 6S61 empty grain, Woodbridge, 3<sup>rd</sup> May.

Both photos: Jim Bisdee





ACN4175 hauls Ps 2506 & 2504 from Forrestfield to Narngulu, Woodbridge, 3<sup>rd</sup> May.

Photo: Jim Bisdee



CBHs 011 & 023 leads 42 XT hoppers as 6G31 ex Mingenew, approaching Narngulu, 3<sup>rd</sup> May.

Photo: Phil Melling





6430 empty sulphur is led through Swan View by ACC6032, 4<sup>th</sup> May.



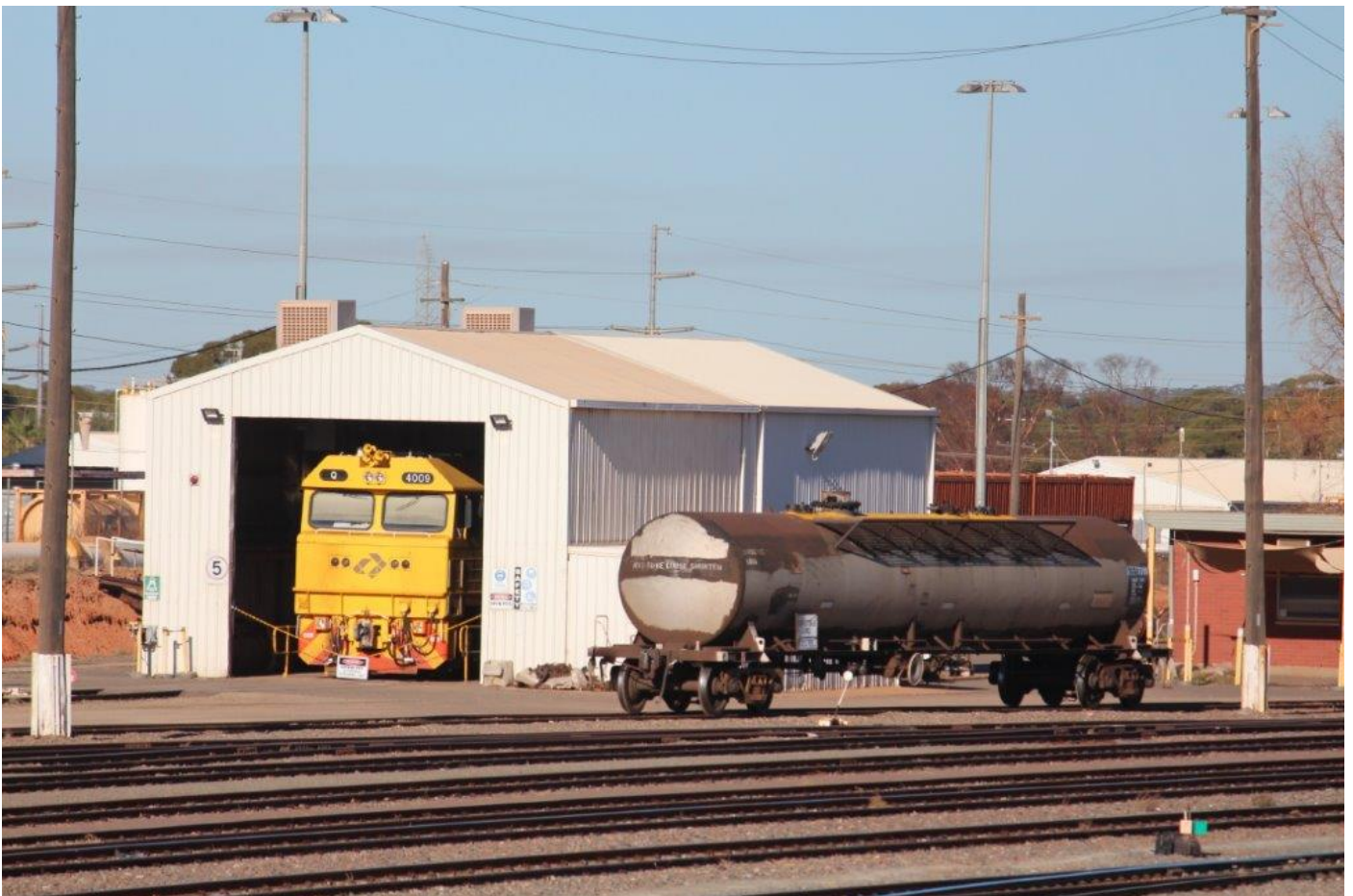
NR90 drops downgrade at Bells Rapids with 5AP8 Indian Pacific, 4<sup>th</sup> May.

Both photos: Mitch Radford





12 CHEY pairs have arrived on 5MP2 from Port Augusta for Kooly – Esperance ore use, West Kalgoorlie, 5<sup>th</sup> May.



Q4009 awaits running gear repairs, West Kalgoorlie, 5<sup>th</sup> May.

Both photos: Peter Donaghy





Colourful FMG hoppers 7687 & 8688 at Chapman Siding, 5<sup>th</sup> May.

Photo: Mark Bennett



ACNs 4172 & 4175 lead 1764 empty Karrara ore past stubble smoke, Narngulu East, 5<sup>th</sup> May.

Photo: Phil Melling





P2501 shunts Narngulu yard in preparation for the resumption of Mt Gibson trains, 7<sup>th</sup> May. Photo: Phil Melling



PA2819 leads a rake of MHAF hoppers as 4121 from Forrestfield to Avon Yard, Woodbridge, 8/5. Photo: Jim Bisdee





Downer's NBR009 (narrow gauge ballast regulator), Woodbridge, 8<sup>th</sup> May.



Narrow gauge tamper NTA009 passes through Woodbridge on 8<sup>th</sup> May.

Both photos: Jim Bisdee





PA2819 leads 4121, MHAF hopper rake through Bellevue to Avon Yard for storage, 8<sup>th</sup> May. Photo: Simon Barber



NRs 45, 38 & 119 on 4MP5, NRs 108, 106 & MRL002 on 6445 fuel, West Kalgoorlie, 10<sup>th</sup> May. Photo: Peter Donaghy





NR45 is one of three recent PN repaints.

Photo: Peter Donaghy



NR94 leads a rake of CHEYs ex Avon Yard storage to Kewdale as 6P12 on 10<sup>th</sup> May, for Kooly ore. Photo: Jim Bisdee





DRs 1565 & 1564 crest the grade at Spring Hill with 7K03 grain, 11<sup>th</sup> May.



AB1535 preserved in working order by Wheatbelt Heritage Rail, Minnivale, 11<sup>th</sup> May. Both photos: Simon Barber





ACN4150 leads ACN4145 on 7763 loaded Karara ore, Narngulu West, 11<sup>th</sup> May.

Photo: Phil Melling



Fortescue's 707 & 005 haul a load of iron ore past Kanyiri Yard, 11<sup>th</sup> May.

Photo: Mark Bennett





P2504 smokes 2755 hopper transfer away from Narngulu to Kwinana for bauxite traffic, 13<sup>th</sup> May. Photo: Phil Melling

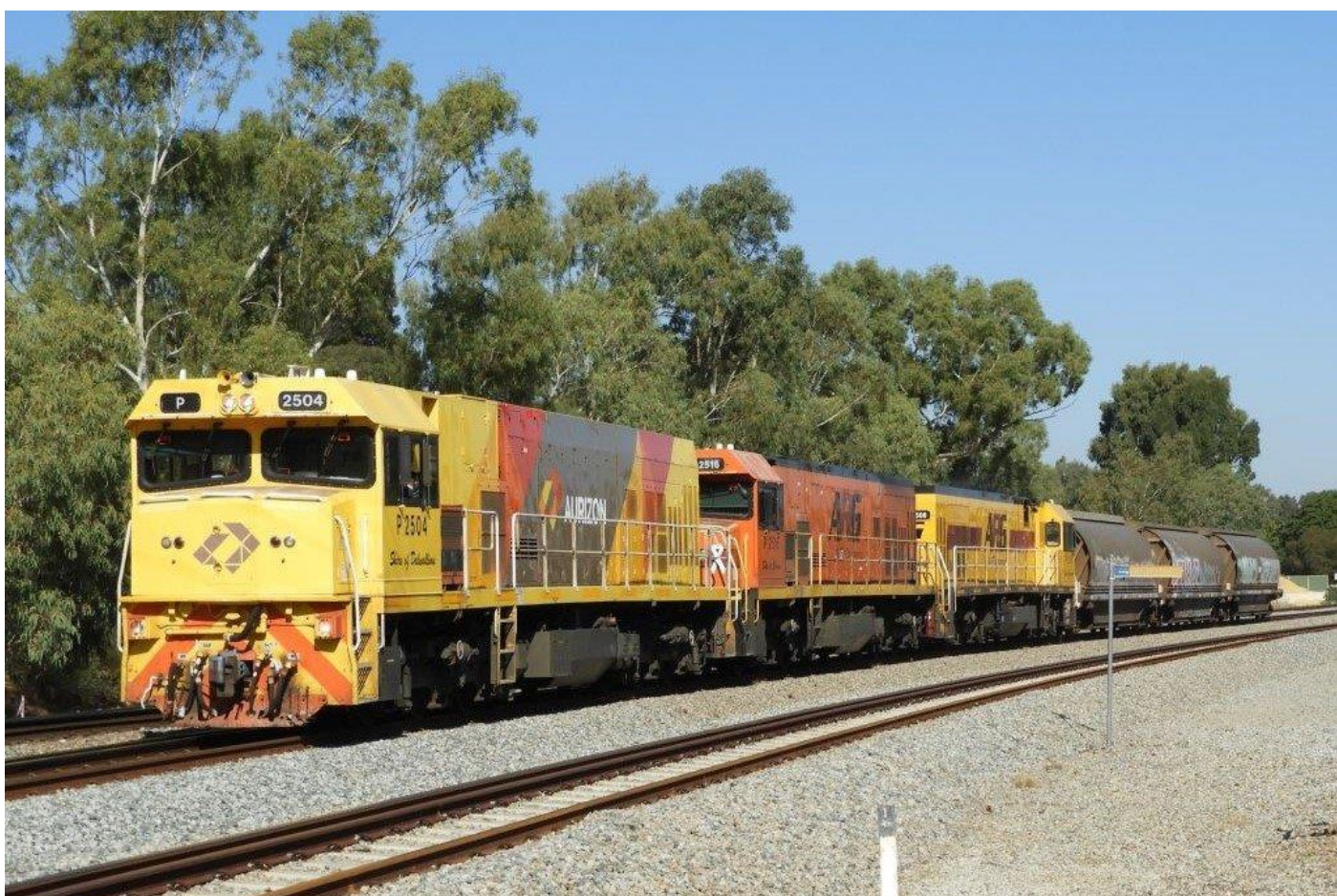


NRs 66 & 50 on 7SP5; NRs 108, 106 & 105 for 445; ACC6032 & Q4002 on 426, West Kal, 13/5. Photo: Peter Donaghy  
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Triple NRs run around the fuel rake for Esperance as 7SP5 and 2426 look on, West Kal, 13/5. Photo: Peter Donaghy



Ps 2504, 2516 & 2508 haul 3 XT grain hoppers, 3755 Forrestfield to Narngulu. Woodbridge, 14/5. Photo: Jim Bisdee





3755 passes Middle Swan behind Ps 2504, 2516 & 2508, 14<sup>th</sup> May.

Photo: Simon Barber



8121 waits outside the gate at Sadleirs Kewdale, 17<sup>th</sup> May.

Photo: Evan Jasper





CBHs 023 & 011 conquer the crest at Wicherina with 7G30 empty grain to Perenjori, 18<sup>th</sup> May. Photo: Phil Melling



CF4410 & SCT004 arrive at Parkeston with 5MP9, 18<sup>th</sup> May. SCT have also hired CF4403. Photo: Peter Donaghy





CF4410 & SCT004 on 5MP9 at Parkeston, 18<sup>th</sup> May.

Both photos: Peter Donaghy



A crew member from 5MP5 inspects 6PM6 (NRs 48, 56 & 93) as it crosses his train at Parkeston, 18<sup>th</sup> May.





CF4410 & SCT002 depart Parkeston with 5MP9, passing under the out-of-gauge detector (above) and approaching Yarri Road crossing (below), 18<sup>th</sup> May.  
Both photos: Peter Donaghy







CBHs 005 & 024 bring 7G51 loaded grain from Carnamah into Geraldton Port, 18<sup>th</sup> May. Both photos: Phil Melling



Ps 2516 & 2508 work 1721, the first restarted Mt Gibson ore load near Wilroy, 19<sup>th</sup> May.





1G31 loaded grain passes through Monger South behind CBHs 011 & 023, 19<sup>th</sup> May. Both photos: Phil Melling



Ps 2504, 2506 & 2514 haul 1720, the second empty rake for the restarted Mt Gibson haulage, west of Rudivini, 19/5.  
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DBZ2311 works 2602 woodchip service through Marbellup, 20<sup>th</sup> May.

Photo: Evan Jasper



CBH120 and VL357 team up on 6S51 at Swan View, 24<sup>th</sup> May.

Photo: Simon Barber





MRL002 heads NRs 95 & 54 on 6445 empty fuel for Esperance, 24<sup>th</sup> May.

Photo: Peter Donaghy



Ps 2514, 2504 & 2506 with 7720 empty Mt Gibson ore depart Narngulu for Perenjori, 25<sup>th</sup> May. Photo: Phil Melling





P2509 on 1854 caustic crosses ACN4168 on 1843 alumina at Worsley, 26<sup>th</sup> May. Photo: Simon Barber



NRs 86 & 42 on 5MP2, including 6 MHPY hoppers ex West Kalgoorlie, Hazelmere, 26<sup>th</sup> May. Photo: Jim Bisdee





Q4017 runs 2158 shunter with empty fuel tanks ex Kalgoorlie, Thornlie, 27<sup>th</sup> May.

Photo: Jim Bisdee



ACN4170 assists Ps 2506, 2504 & 2514 on 3723 loaded Mt Gibson ore, Narngulu East, 28<sup>th</sup> May. Photo: Phil Melling





901 & 705 bring another load of Fortescue ore through Kanyiri, 29<sup>th</sup> May. Cyclone Veronica water still lies around.



4338 & 4334 on the East Main, 4344 & 4442 on the West Main, two 134-car single rakes split at Mooka Staging facility on the outskirts of town. Both trains take advantage of the bi-directional signalling to approach Hedland Yard together, 29<sup>th</sup> May.

Both photos: Mark Bennett





DBZs 2301, 2305 & 2302 run 5K09 light engine trial to Avon following reactivation for CBH, Woodbridge (above) and departing Midland loop (below) after attention to 2305, 30<sup>th</sup> May. Both photos: Jim Bisdee







S3303 hauls 6972 loaded bauxite through Mundijong, 31<sup>st</sup> May.



6974 loaded bauxite runs through Pinjarra East behind S3306, 31<sup>st</sup> May.

Both photos: Phil Melling





P2505 leads 6876 empty alumina through Pinjarra East, 31<sup>st</sup> May.

Photo: Phil Melling