

Back to the steam age

***Tornado* is the first main line steam locomotive built in the UK since 1960, and it made headlines as it steamed for the first time in 2008.**

In the last decade and more, the engine has continued hauling Royal Trains and appearing on the big screen in *Paddington 2* as well as on numerous television programmes including *Top Gear*.

Tornado is also the fastest steam engine to run since the 1960s, reaching 100mph on a test train in 2017.

[The tours are run by 21st Century Steam.](#)



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