

### Introduction

These release notes pertain to the addition of the Alpha 420 sign to the suite of signs available from Adaptive.

An upgrade to ALPHA Messaging Software version 1.1 or earlier is available with Adaptive’s FTP site at [ftp.ams-i.com/product\\_updates/AlphaMessaging420Update/AlphaMessagingSoftware420Upgrade.exe](ftp.ams-i.com/product_updates/AlphaMessaging420Update/AlphaMessagingSoftware420Upgrade.exe). This upgrade adds the Alpha 420 Series to the display list in the Messaging Software Configuration Utility. You can run the FTP executable directly by entering the full path of the FTP executable file above in the address window of your Web browser or you can save the executable file to disk for use later.

Included here are updates to “Appendix A – Modes, fonts, and colors available on signs” in the ALPHA Remote Control Programming Manual, PN 9704-0002A. Page references denote pages in that manual.

### Modes available on signs

The table “Modes available on signs”, page 54, is replaced as follows:

Signs	Modes																											
	[AUT] = Automode	[FLS] = Flash	[HLD] = Hold	[SPC]3 = Interlock	[RL ] = Roll: Up, Down, Left, or Right	Roll			Rotate			[SCR] = Scroll	[SPC]5 = Slide	[SPC]5 = Cycle Color Mode	[SPC]2 = Snow	[SPC]1 = Sparkle	[SPC]6 = Spray	[SPC]6 = Cycle Color Mode	[SPC]7 = Starburst	[SPC]4 = Switch	[SPC]4 = Switch (half the display)	[SPC]0 = Twinkle	[WI ] = Wipe: Up, Down, Left, or Right	[WI ><] = Wipe In (horizontal)	[WI <>] = Wipe Out (horizontal)	[WI ><] = Wipe In (vertical)	[WI <>] = Wipe Out (vertical)	
	[RL ><] = Roll In (horizontal)	[RL <>] = Roll Out (horizontal)	[RL ><] = Roll In (vertical)	[RL <>] = Roll Out (vertical)	[ROT] = Rotate Standard	[CRT] = Rotate Condensed	[SPC]5 = Cycle Color Mode	[SPC]2 = Snow	[SPC]1 = Sparkle	[SPC]6 = Spray	[SPC]6 = Cycle Color Mode	[SPC]7 = Starburst	[SPC]4 = Switch	[SPC]4 = Switch (half the display)	[SPC]0 = Twinkle	[WI ] = Wipe: Up, Down, Left, or Right	[WI ><] = Wipe In (horizontal)	[WI <>] = Wipe Out (horizontal)	[WI ><] = Wipe In (vertical)	[WI <>] = Wipe Out (vertical)								
200 Series	●	●	●	●	●	●	●			●	●	●	●		●	●	●		●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●		
Alpha 220C	●	●	●	●	●			●	●	●	●	●		●	●	●	●		●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
300 Series	●	●	●	●	●	●	●			●	●	●	●		●	●	●		●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	
Alpha 420	●	●	●	●	●			●	●	●	●	●		●	●	●	1	1	●		●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
4000 Series	●	●	●	●	●	●	●			●	●	●		●	●	●			●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	
7000 Series	●	●	●	●	●	●	●			●	●	●		●	●	●			●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	
Big Dot	●	●	●	●	●	●	●			●	●	●		●	●	●			●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	
790i	●	●	●	●	●	●	●			●	●	●		●	●	●			●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	
Personal Priority Display	●	●	●	●	●	●	●			●	●	●		●	●	●			●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	
Solar Series	●	●	●	●	●	●	●			●	●	●		●	●	●			●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	

1. The “Spray” mode is not available for the Alpha 420 Series, however it is an option in the ALPHA Messaging Software. If selected for an Alpha 420 sign, the “Cycle Color Mode” will be used.

