**ViewMarq 4-Line Message Displays**

**Description**

ViewMarq models MD4-0412T and MD4-0424T are 4-line, tri-color, 9.5-inch maximum character size LED message displays. Model MD4-0412T is a 4-line x 12 character display. Model MD4-0424T is a 4-line x 24 character display. Each supports red, amber and green characters, embedded string and numeric variables and scrolling (right, left, up and down). There are (1) RS-232 port, (1) RS-485 port and (1) 10/100 BaseT Ethernet port for configuration and external message control. They support serial ASCII, Modbus RTU, and Modbus TCP protocols. The extruded aluminum housing is NEMA 4 / NEMA 12 (indoor only) rated. They are UL 508 listed and CE marked. Included are wall mount and chain mount bracket assemblies, 1/2 and 3/4 inch cable glands for input wiring and one seven foot Ethernet patch cable. The required configuration software (MD-PGMSW) can be downloaded for free or purchased on CD.

**Features**

- Low power consumption, high-efficiency switch mode power supply
- Wall mount / cabinet top mount and chain mount - brackets included.
- Free, easy-to-use configuration software package
- The display is fully configurable through the ViewMarq software for ease of use.
- Messages can be sent by an ASCII serial string or through Modbus RTU or Modbus TCP.
- Serial RS-232/485 and Ethernet Modbus TCP communications can be used at the same time.
- Store and trigger up to 200 messages

**Dimensions**

Units: inches [mm]

**ViewMarq Industrial Marquees**

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# ViewMarq Message Displays Specifications

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## Display

- **Type**: LED matrix: Tri-color (Green, Red, Amber)
- **LED Life**: 100,000 hours
- **LED Pitch**: 0.19 in [5 mm]
- **Center to Center Spacing of each LED**: 0.27 in [7 mm]
- **Number of Lines**: 4 (Based on 5 x 7 pixel sized characters)
- **Text Height**: 1.25 in, 2 in, 4 in, 6 in, 8 in (Depends on character set selected)
- **Character Set**: Printable ASCII
- **Approximate Viewing Distance**: 400 ft

## AC Electrical

- **Input Voltage**: 100-240 VAC (+10% / -15%), 50 / 60 Hz
- **Maximum Current**: 2A
- **Power Consumption (MAX)**: 74W
- **Maximum Inrush Current (Cold and Hot)**: 24A
- **Input Fuse Protection (Internal)**: Yes (not user replaceable)
- **Output Protection for Overcurrent, Over Voltage and Over Temperature**: Yes – Self Resetting
- **Insulation Resistance**: > 10 MOhms @ 500 VAC

## DC Electrical

- **Input Voltage**: 24 VDC (+10% / -15%)
- **Maximum Current**: 3.5A
- **Maximum Inrush Current (Cold and Hot)**: 10.5A
- **Input Fuse Protection (Internal)**: Yes (not user replaceable)
- **Reverse Polarity Protection**: Yes

## Communication

- **Serial Communications**: Serial RS-232, RS-485 both ASCII and Modbus, 2400 – 38.4KB - Slave only
- **Ethernet Communications**: Modbus TCP, 10/100BaseT - Server only

## Dimensions / Weight

- **Enclosure Approximate Weight**: 12.1 lbs [5.5 kg] 22.5 lbs [10.2 kg]

## Environmental

- **Storage Temperature**: -30 to +85 °C (~-22 to +185 °F)
- **Operating Temperature**: 0 to 60 °C (32 to +140 °F)
- **Humidity**: 5 – 95% non-condensing
- **Enclosure Ratings**: NEMA 12 indoor only, NEMA 4 indoor only
- **Vibration**: IEC 60068-2-6 (Test Fc)
- **Shock**: IEC 60068-2-27 (Test Ea)
- **Noise Immunity**: EN61131-2:2007
- **Agency Approvals**: UL508 (E157382), NEMA 4, NEMA 12, RoHS, REACH
  CE (EN61131-2-2007) - Pollution Degree 2, Overvoltage Category II
Overview

ViewMarq is an LED Message Display utilizing the latest LED and communications technologies for industry. It utilizes both serial and Ethernet communications. The display can be connected to a PLC or any device capable of sending serial ASCII, Modbus RTU, or Modbus TCP communications. It can accept commands over Modbus and Modbus TCP, or serial ASCII.

Applications

The ViewMarq is used to display real time factory floor data or to display PLC triggered messages. The message display is controlled by any of the following:

- ASCII input strings through the RS-232 or RS-485 port
- Modbus RTU messages through the RS-232 or RS-485 port
- Modbus TCP messages through the Ethernet port

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Compliances

- UL508, file number E157382
- CE
- NEMA 12 - Indoor use
- NEMA 4 - Indoor use
- RoHS
ViewMarq Message Display Mounting Options

**Mounting Options**

Two sets of mounting brackets are included with each ViewMarq Message display.

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<td>MD4-0112T</td>
<td>4.9 lbs (2.2 kg)</td>
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<td>MD4-0124T</td>
<td>9.0 lbs (4.1 kg)</td>
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<td>MD4-0212T</td>
<td>7.3 lbs (3.3 kg)</td>
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<td>MD4-0224T</td>
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<td>MD4-0424T</td>
<td>22.5 lbs (10.2 kg)</td>
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**Viewing Angle**

The ViewMarq display should be mounted for the optimum viewing angle.

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**ViewMarq Message Display Replacement Parts**

The optional replacement parts can be used to replace damaged, worn or lost ViewMarq message display components.

**Replacement parts at a glance:**

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<td>Replacement wall mounting bracket assemblies for ViewMarq message display units, 2 per pack</td>
<td>$36.50</td>
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<tr>
<td>MD-BRK-2</td>
<td>Replacement chain mount brackets for ViewMarq message display units, 2 per pack</td>
<td>$18.50</td>
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<td>MD-TERM-SET</td>
<td>Replacement terminal block set for ViewMarq message display units. Includes (1) 2-terminal DC power connector, (1) 3-terminal AC power connector, (1) 10-terminal connector (future), and (1) 6-terminal serial communications connector.</td>
<td>$16.50</td>
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<td>MD-PWR-COV</td>
<td>Replacement power connection cover for ViewMarq message display units. Includes (1) cover and (1) 1/2 inch NPT cable gland.</td>
<td>$38.50</td>
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<td>MD-COM-COV</td>
<td>Replacement communications cover for ViewMarq message display units. Includes (1) cover and (3) 1/2 inch NPT cable glands and (1) 3/4 inch NPT cable gland and 6mm and 10mm hole plugs.</td>
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ViewMarq Message Display Configuration Software

Free Software!

Part Number: MD-PGMSW

ViewMarq LED message display Windows-based configuration software. Requires Windows XP (Service Pack 3), Vista, Windows 7 (32 and 64-bit) or Windows 8 (32 and 64-bit). Requires serial or Ethernet connection to the ViewMarq display. Available for purchase on CD or can be downloaded for free from AutomationDirect Web site. Ethernet cable ships with display.

Built-in Message Simulator
- Runs the message on your PC as you type.
- Test all of your messages before downloading
- Time savings saves you money!

Simple Message Creation
- Message creation and editing is made simple and fast with intuitive software. Easy-to-find tools help change the character color, add blinking, and insert embedded variables.

Text Editor
- Simple and intuitive text message creation, editing and formatting.

Command String Viewer
- Allows you to copy and paste the command string needed for your PLC ladder code.

Message Lists
- Create message lists that can be downloaded to the LED Display and triggered by a PLC or by discrete inputs.

PC Requirements
- Personal Computer with a 333 MHz or higher processor (CPU) clock speed recommended; Intel® Pentium/Celeron family, or AMD® K6/Athlon/Duron family, or compatible processor recommended
- Keyboard and Mouse or compatible pointing device
- XVGA color video adapter and monitor with at least 1024 x 768 pixels required, 64K color minimum
- 50 MB free hard-disk space
- 512 MB free RAM
- CD-ROM or DVD drive if installing software from the CD
- Serial Port or Ethernet 10/100 Mbps port for configuring LED Display
- Operating System - Windows XP SP3, Windows Vista, Windows 7, Windows 8

Download the Software!
The ViewMarq Configuration Software can be downloaded at no charge from the AutomationDirect Web site, or a CD version may be purchased for $10 by ordering p/n MD-PGMSW. Help files are included in the software.