#### Main Features of this Decoder

<u>Back EMF Load Compensation</u> for superior slow speed control even with heavy loads.

- Quiet Drive creates SUPER QUIET engine performance.
- Autodetect for realistic throttle response when using DC power.
- Dimmed Brightness of bulbs or LEDs is adjustable.
- Variable Momentum lets you make custom acceleration curves.
- <u>Ditch Lights:</u> control alternating ditch lights with realistic pulsing.
- Mars, Gyra, and Rotary Beacon are adjustable.
- Decoder Lock for programming same address decoders independently.
- <u>Function Remapping</u>: 13 buttons for most lights, 7 buttons for operations.

Other Features of This Decoder: This decoder has too many features that could be listed on this page. For the complete list of available features, print out the "Additional Programing Guide" that can be found in the literature section of our website ( www.tcsdcc. com). Some of the features include: Function Remapping, 3 Point Acceleration/Deceleration Curves, Button Control of the Motor, Loadable Speed Tables, Various lighting effects, decoder lock and many more.

**WARRANTY PROCEDURE:** All decoders are covered by a one year goof proof, no questions asked warranty. **Please return in a small box.** 1. You MUST register the failed decoder on our website at <a href="https://www.tcsdcc.com">www.tcsdcc.com</a>. If you do not have access to a computer you MUST call to register your warranty at: (267) 733-3408

- 2. Print out a copy of the Warranty Registration and include it in the box with the decoder(s).
- 3. Return decoder(s) directly to us using the address below.

Compatible with NMRA DCC standards.

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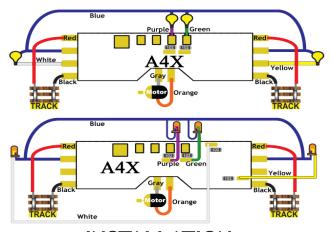


\	Scale	Functions	Function Rating	Continuous/Peak
/	НО	4	100 mA	1.3 /2.0 Amp

Dimensions: 0.682" x 2.85" x 0.138" or 17.32mm x 72.39mm x 3.51mm

This full featured, 4 function, drop-in decoder was originally designed to replace the early Atlas lighting boards. Since then several other manufacturers have adopted the same lighting board style making the A4X an excellent option for many HO Diesel locomotives. Included is our auto-adjusting BEMF for outstanding slow speed performance and hassle free set up. A4X comes with on-board resistors for LED's.

# WIRING DIAGRAM



# **INSTALLATION**

For detailed installation pictures visit our website where we maintain a constantly growing database of a wide range of locomotives and decoders.







#### **BASIC CONFIGURATION**

CV 29 Configuration						
Α	0	1	Reverse the direction the engine runs.			
В	2	2	Use 28/128 speed step mode.			
С	4	4	Enable analog ( DC ) operation.			
D	0	16	Make the Loadable Speed Tables active.			
Е	0	32	Make the decoder address 128 or higher.			
CV 29	6		Program the sum of the values you choose into CV 29			

2 Digit Address		Use if the address is 127 or less.	
CV/ 4	2		 D

CVI	, J	_	Record	youi	choice	nere.

4 Digit Address			Make sure 4-digit Addressing is enabled in CV29
CV 17	0		Record your four digit address here
CV 18	0		Your command station will assign the values of CV 17 and CV18

<b>Consist Address</b>		dress	Add 128 to reverse the loco when in consist.
CV 19	0		Use a 2 digit address when in a consist ( Multiple units ).

### **Decoder Lock**

CV 15	0	All unlocked	l = 0	De	ecoder to unlock	All lo	All locked = 7	
CV 16	1	Mobile = 1	Sour	nd = 2	Light Only = 3	4	5	6

To unlock a decoder, make CV 15 = 0 or CV 15 = CV 16. To lock a decoder, make CV 15 not equal to CV 16. To lock all same address decoders, make CV 15 = 7.

#### **Factory Reset**

CV 8 153 Enter 2 to perform a Factory Reset.

# Back EMF and Rule 17 Dimming Options Even number OR 0= BEMF OFF Odd number = BEMF ON

BEMF disab	oled =0	BEMF enabled = 1	BEMF button cont	rol= 3	Dims when stopped = 16		
Turn on BEMF and button control of it make CV 61 = 3 Opposite light dim = 32							
CV 61	CV 61 1 BEMF and Dimming Control			BEA	BEMF+Stopped + Opposite dim = 49		
CV 136	2	Function button control of BEMF			Bits 0-7 designates buttons 5-12		
CV 64	15	Dimmed Brigh	ntness	(2-6f	or LEDs, 12 - 18 for Bulbs )		
CV 10	0	BEMF Cut Out					

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CV 178	0	CV address pointer
CV 180	0	RailCom® Transmit Options
CV 181	0	RailCom® Transmit Options
CV 28	0	Broadcast enable

For more information on decoder features or programming visit: www.tcsdcc.com and check out the Complete Programming Guide.

#### **MOTOR CONTROL**

Speed Graph							
CV 2	0		Start Volts Set the	e voltage when the throttle is first applied.			
CV 6	0		Mid Volts Set the	voltage when the throttle is at midpoint.			
CV 5	0		Top Volts Set the	voltage when the throttle is at full speed.			
Momei	Momentum						
CV 3	1			er values add time to each speed step.			
CV 4	1		Deceleration Larg	ger values add time to each speed step.			
CV 23	0		*Acceleration Adjus	tment when in Consist			
CV 24	0		*Deceleration Adjus	stment when in Consist			
*Values ab	*Values above 128 increase the adjustment * Values below 128 decrease the adjustment						
Motor Trim							
CV 66	0		Forward Trim	Values above 128 increase speed,			
CV 95	0		Reverse Trim	values below 128 decrease speed.			

#### LIGHTING CONTROL

# **Lighting Features**

	Light	Fund	ction	Wires
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CV 49	0	White Wire	F0F				
CV 50	16	Yellow Wire	F0R				
CV 51	32	Green Wire	F1				
CV 52	32	Violet Wire	F2				

#### **Rule 17 Dimming Control**

Rule 17 Dimming is turned on and off by button 4 as the default, but this value can be remapped via CV 123. See the Function Remapping guide on the literature section of www.tcsdcc.com for more info.

Light Enect	Twu	Tev	DOLLI
Constant Bright Light	0	16	32
Random Flicker (fire box) 1	1	17	33
Mars Light	2	18	34
Flashing Light	3	19	35
Single Pulse Strobe 1	4	20	36
Double Pulse Strobe 1	5	21	37
Rotary Beacon	6	22	38
Gyra Light	7	23	39
Rule 17 (dimmable light)	8	24	40
Ditch Light ( Left or Right )	10	26	42
Ditch Light (Other side)	11	27	43
Constant Dim 1	12	28	44
*Auto-Mars	13	29	45
Brake Light(s)	14	30	46
Single Pulse Strobe 2	15	31	47
Double Pulse Strobe 2	64	80	96
Random Flicker 2	65	81	97
Constant Dim 2	66	82	98
Constant Dim 3	67	83	99
Constant Dim 4	68	84	100

Light Effect

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# **Consist Lighting Control**

CV 21	0	Extra Functions	Green and Purple wire = 3
CV 22	0	Headlight Functions	White and Yellow Wire = 3

## **Lighting Quick Presets**

CV 8	10	Program a value of 10 to make violet and green ditch lights. Button 1 turns them on and Button two makes them blink.
	11	Program a value of 11 for default trolley settings.
	12	Program a value of 12 for standard trolley settings and tail lights.
Note: For more information on Quick Process visit the Comprehensive Programming Cuide at your tender com		