

EASY USER INTERFACE GUIDE

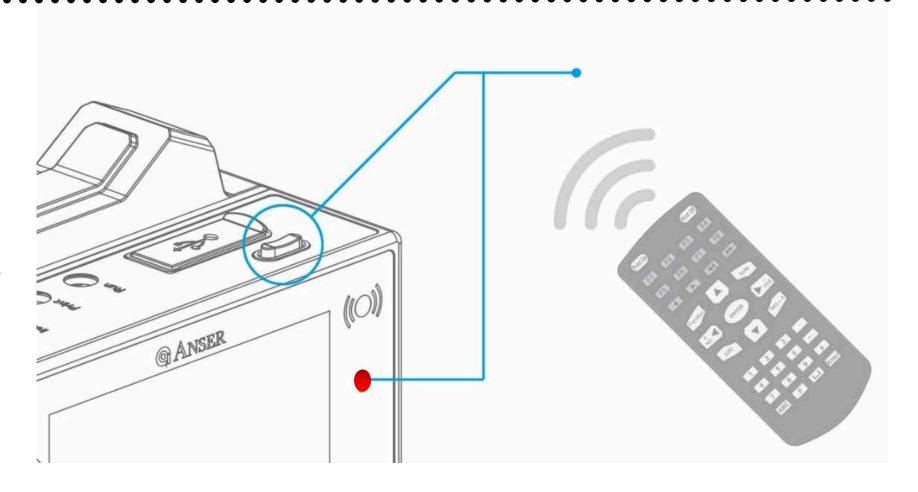
FOR THE ANSER
THERMAL INKJET
U2 PRINTERS



BEFORE YOU START

Before you start the operation of the U2 (Smart, SmartOne or Pro-S) printer, please make sure the infrared receiver is turn on (bright IR LED light).

If it is not on, please press the infrared switch button to turn it on.



U2 PRINTER MAIN PAGE

Smart & SmartOne







The U2 printer's main page is divided into three sections:

1	System Status	Display current hardware device status, print status, external hardware and device memory time, etc.
2	Print Preview	Preview real-time printing message.
3	Real-time Printing Report	Instantly display print related information, such as counters, number of prints, etc.



STATUS BAR

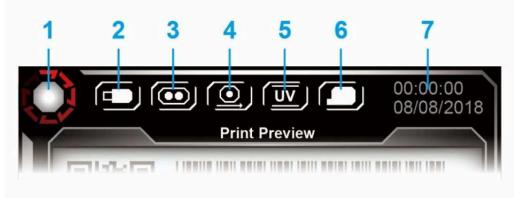
The status bar displays the user's current device status, including print status, USB status, external photocell status, external encoder status, ink status and system time. See the table on the next page for each diagram and description.

Smart & SmartOne



- 1. Printing Status
- 2. USB Status
- 3. External Photocell
- 4. Encoder Status
- 5. (only on Pro-S)
- 6. Cartridge Status
- 7. System Time

Pro-S



- 1. Printing Status
- 2. USB Status
- 3. External Photocell
- 4. Encoder Status
- 5. UV Pro-S only
- 6. Cartridge Status
- 7. System Time



STATUS BAR ICONS AND DESCRIPTIONS

	Status Name	U2 Smart / SmartONE"	U2 ProS	Description	
1	Printing Status			It shows whether the current printer is performing printing task. During printing, the icon rotates otherwise remains still.	
2	USB Status	0		USB port is connected to a storage device in the original format.	
				USB port is connected to USB WIFI dongle.	
				USB port is connected to USB Ethernet dongle.	
		C		USB port is connected to USB keyboard	
		0		No USB connected or detected.	
3	External Photocell	(1)	(<u>•</u>)	External photocell enabled, this function needs manual setup.	
		0	(<u>©</u>)	External photocell not enabled.	
4	Encoder Status	@	<u>(Q</u>)	Encoder enabled, this function needs manual setup.	
		0	(<u>©</u>)	Encoder not enabled.	
6	Cartridge Status	0		Cartridge already inserted.	
				Ink cartridge detection abnormal or does not exist.	
7	7 System Time Display printer current system time.				



PRINT PREVIEW & REAL-TIME PRINTING REPORT

PRINT PREVIEW presents the content that the printer is about to or is printing.



When the message length exceeds the screen display area, use the remote control buttons below to scroll from the main screen.





REAL-TIME PRINTING REPORT presents current device related information, such as ink consumption, counter status, printing serial number content, etc.

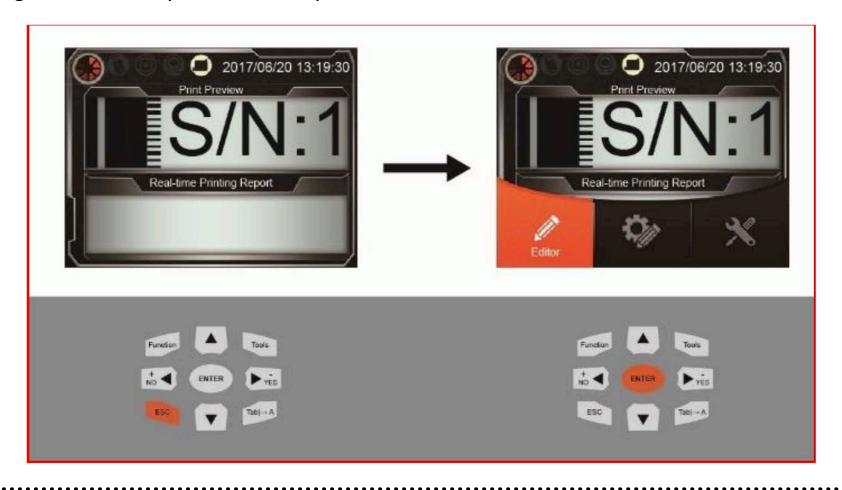


1	Product Counter	Counts the number of prints done since the first print.
2	Counter,	When message content contains counter information, it
	Box, Lot	displays what is being printed.
3	Surplus	Displays ink cartridge residual ink volume and estimated number of prints.
4	Datetime	When message content contains date and time related information, it displays the what is being printed.



MENU SETTINGS PAGE

From the main page or home screen, press the escape button on your remote to call up the menu settings page. Then use the left and right direction keys and enter key to select.





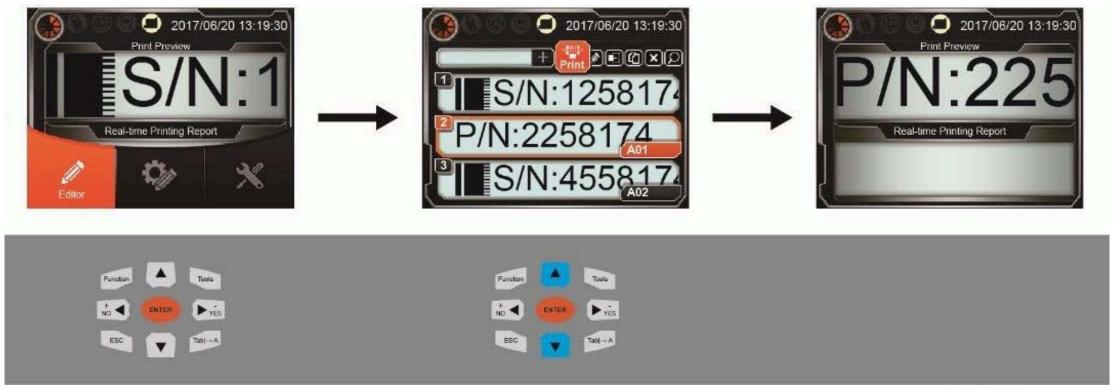
EDITOR

From the main menu select "**Editor**" to enter a message in the list interface. Use the operation bar to add, delete, edit, etc., printer memory information. The detailed functions are as follows:





MESSAGE SELECTION AND PRINTING



In the message list, use the up and down arrows and the enter button on your remote to select and print a message. The system will automatically return to the home screen and begin printing. After selecting the message, you can also use the Print On and Print Off buttons on the remote to perform print/stop operations.





BEFORE ADDING A NEW MESSAGE

Before adding a new message, you first need to set the message mode to free mode or line mode (support 1-4 lines).

The free mode will not limit the height and placement of the message object. The line mode will fix the height of each message object to maximum height and line them up equally, and the position is aligned with the upper edge of each line.





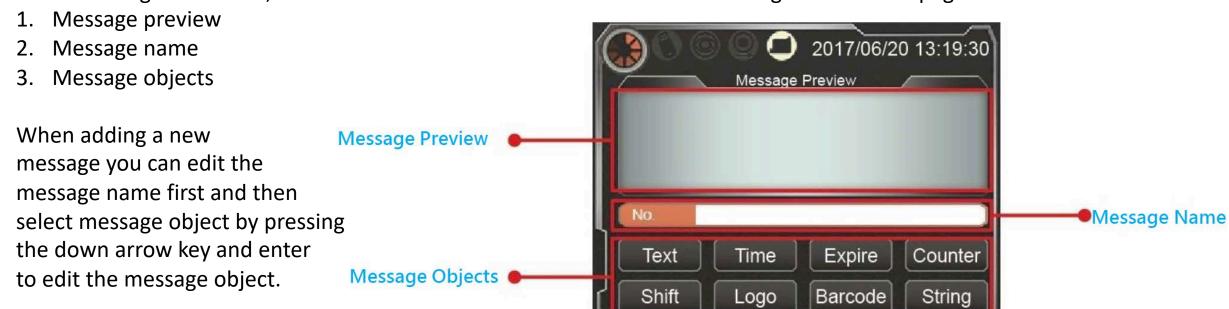


Free Mode

Line Mode

ADDING A NEW MESSAGE

In the message list screen, use the remote to scroll and select the New Message button. The page contains 3 blocks:





EDIT MESSAGE

The printer constructs the message that the you need to print in an object-based manner. The Edit message page has five (5) actions that can be performed: Add, edit, move, delete and edit message name.







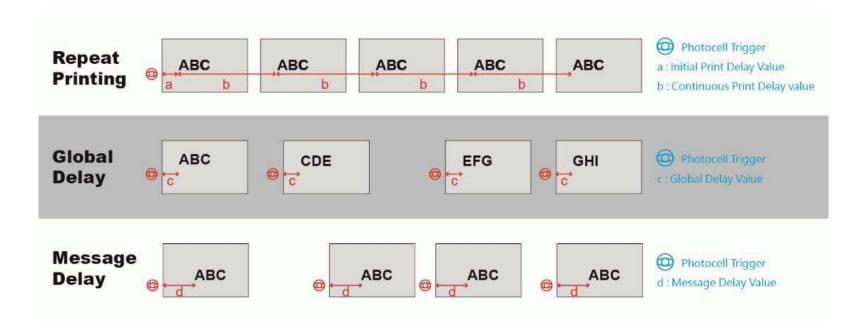






MESSAGE DELAY

The Anser U2 printers have built-in three type of printing delays: Repeat printing delay, global delay and message delay. When the three settings are in conflict with each other, the system determines the priority as "Repeat printing delay">" Global delay">" Message delay". The difference between these three delays is described below:



Repeat printing delay: From "System Settings"→"Printhead" can perform setup. Setting values contain "Initial print delay" and "Continuous print delay".

Global delay: From "System Settings"

→ "General "can perform setup.

Message delay: From "Edit" → "delay "can perform setup.



COPY, DELETE, SEARCH

Copy Message

Makes a copy of system internal message. The message number can be the minimum empty value selected automatically by system or be customized by the user.

Delete Message

Delete system internal message. After deletion, the message code will be left blank and not automatically filled.

Search Message

Reduce the time of message search by searching for user-defined messages in the system by message name.









EDITOR SETTINGS

The "Editor Settings" main menu can be used for "Global shift table", "Global string table", "Pre-zero format" and "Custom year" to improve the efficiency of message editing. Functions are described below:

Global Shift Table

Shift objects within a message can be edit by going through "Main menu" → Global Shift Table" to the editing page.

Global String Table

String objects within a message can be edit by going through "Main menu" \rightarrow "Global String Table" to the editing page.

Pre-Zero Format

When setting system printing dynamic values, the rendering of meaningless characters before numerical values, there are three items can be set: Time, date and counter as show in the following table:

	Time (Actual Time am 01:08:06)	Date (Actual date 2018/01/05)	Counter (0~999 · present value 8)
Fill 0	01:08:06	2018/01/05	008
Align Left	1-:8-:6-	2018/1-/5-	8
Align Right	-1:-8:-6	2018/-1/-5	8
Compact	1:8:6	2018/1/5	8

Custom Year

Custom year have two features, one to set custom year and one to set roll over date time.

Custom Year: If this value is set as 107, the printing year will be change to 0107.

Rollover Hour: User-defined rollover date time setting, for example: Rollover time set as 23:50, current date time as 2018/01/05 23:52, then the system will automatically go forward one day printing 2018/01/06 23:52.



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