

Introduction

American Innovations (AI) is committed to continuously improving our Allegro MX software through feature enhancements and upgrades. The upgrades and feature additions in the Allegro MX version 5.3 are described below. For questions or additional information, contact AI Technical Services at allegrotechservices@aiworldwide.com.

Periodic Survey

The following features were added to the Periodic Survey application to aid in navigating between survey files:

- **Recently Opened Files** — The Periodic Survey application now remembers the last three files that have been opened and lists them in the *File* menu for easy access. To reopen a file, tap **File** and tap the name of the file you wish to open.
- **Last Sort Selected** — The Periodic Survey application will remember what sort options you had selected when you closed the survey file. The next time you open the survey file, those same sort options will remain selected.
- **Last Viewed Record** — The Periodic Survey application also remembers which record you were looking at when you closed the survey file and will open the survey file to the record you last viewed.

The following features were added to the Periodic Survey application to aid in navigating between survey records:

- **Selectable Sorting Themes** — If multiple sort themes were included in prompt theme sent to the Allegro, you can now change the sort order of the sites while using the field computer. If, for example, *Address (Odd/Even)* sorts were included in the collection of the sort themes sent to the Allegro, you can now complete surveys without having to cross the road after each site.
- **Find a Survey Record** — The Periodic Survey application now allows you to search for a record that contains specific text and specify exactly where within a survey record you want that text to be found. The fields that are searchable on the Allegro are defined in the prompt sent to the Allegro.

IMPORTANT: To use these new navigation features, the prompt definitions sent to the Allegro must include *Selectable Sorting Themes*, *Searchable Fields*, and an *Address (Odd/Even)* sort. These prompt definitions are available in PCS versions 1.11.1 and 7.7.1 or newer.

Refer to the *PCS User Guide* (see the *Working with Themes and Filter Groups* section in the *Field Computer* chapter) for more information about creating prompt themes for the field computer.

Product Support and Training

AI Technical Services is available to provide assistance with the Allegro, accept feedback about Allegro, or discuss your organization's training needs. Use the following information to contact AI Technical Services:

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