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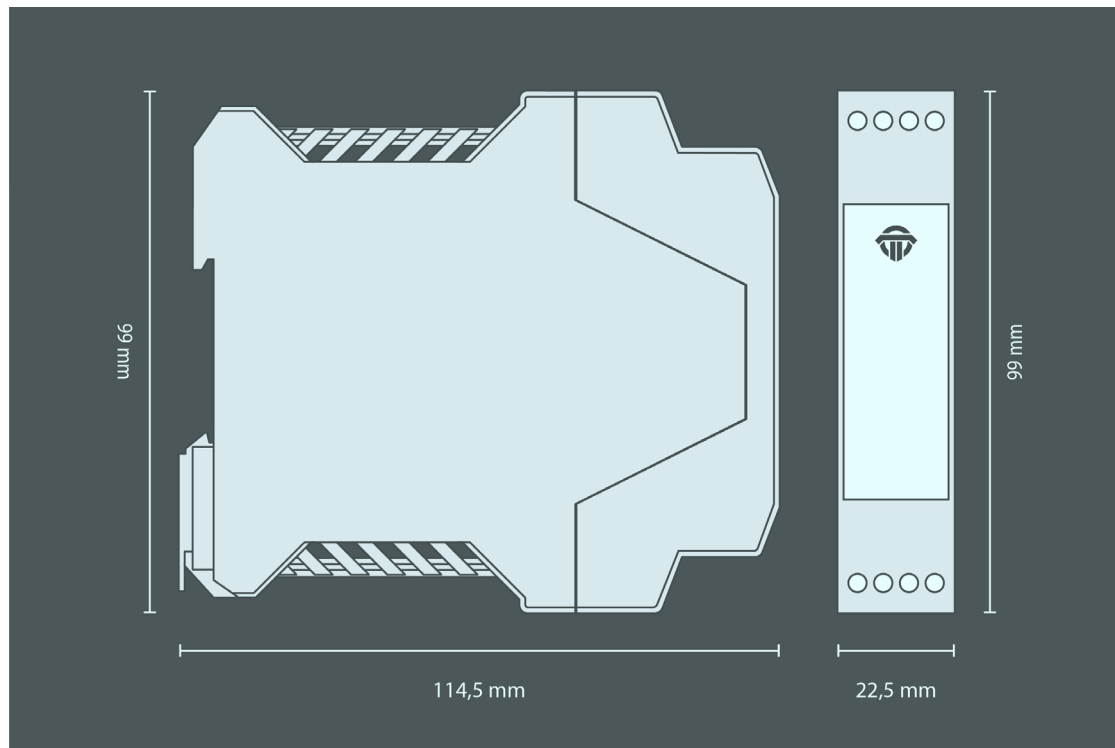
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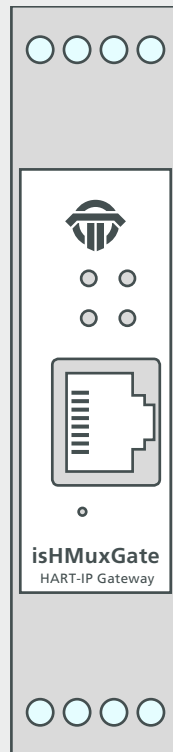
1. Introduction

The isHMuxGate is an Ethernet gateway for the connection of RS485-HART multiplexers to an Ethernet network. The gateway translates from the Ethernet HART-IP protocol into the RS485 protocols of different multiplexer vendors.

1.1 Dimensional Drawing



1.2 Factory Reset



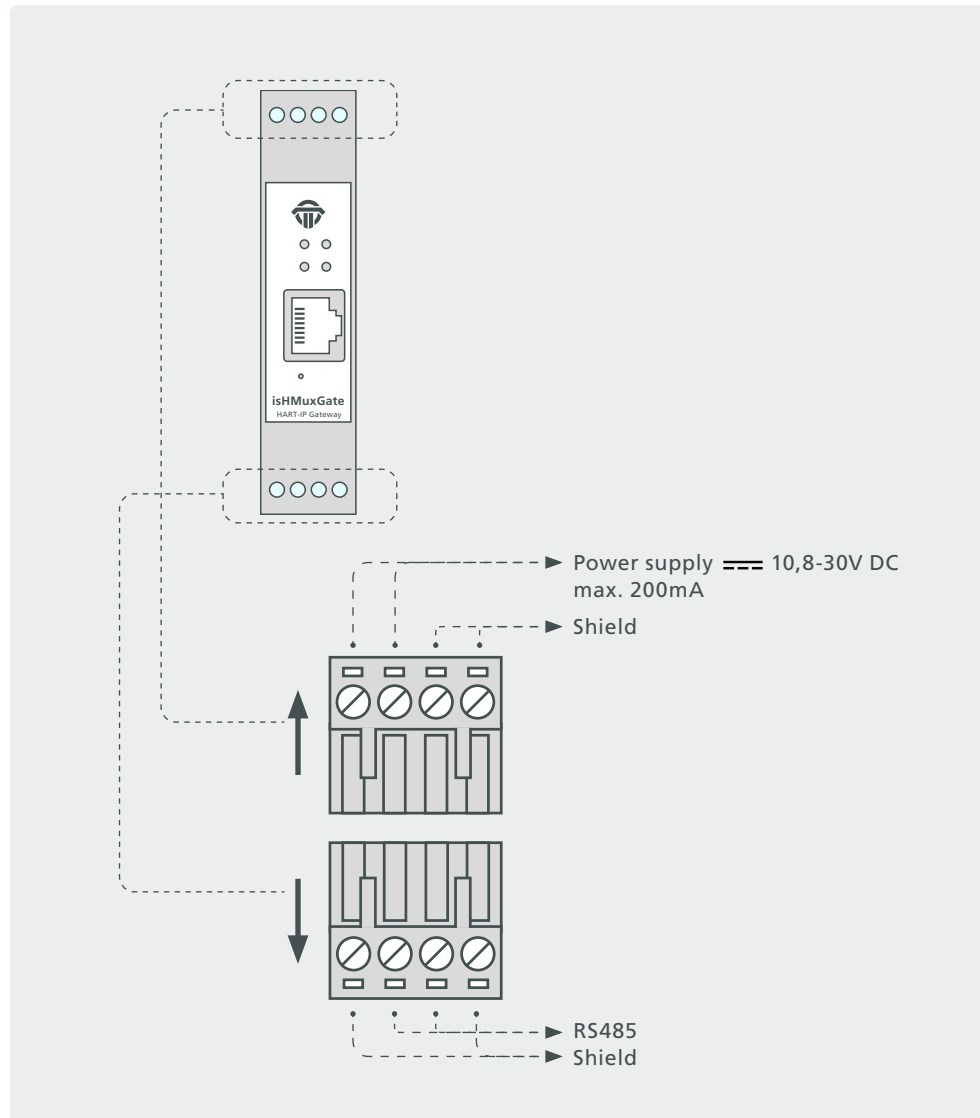
It may happen that a user needs to reset all settings to factory default. For example someone changed the IP address or the password and did not remember. Or the IP address was set to DHCP and there is no DHCP service available. In all these cases the user can reset the hardware back to firmware defaults by using the reset button. This button is located behind a small hole next to the RJ45 connector.

As a result of a firmware reset, the gateway will have its default IP address 192.168.0.10 and all other settings are back to factory default.

1.3 Technical details

isHMuxGate	
Order code	14400-0101
Processor	ATSAMA5D27C
RAM	64 MByte or 128 MByte
Flash	256 MByte
Transmission rate	<u>Ethernet</u> : 10 Mbit/s – 100 Mbit/s <u>RS-485</u> : 9,6 kBit/s, 19,2 kBit/s, 38,4 kBit/s
Power supply	10,8V .. 30V DC
Power consumption	50mA (typ. at 24V DC)
Galvanic isolation	yes
Protection class	IP20
Body material	Polyamide
Dimensions (L x W x H)	114,5mm x 99mm x 22,5mm
Weight	approx. 110g
Operating temperature	- 40 .. 70°C
Storage temperature	- 40 .. 85°C

1.3.1 Channel assignment



2. Hardware installation

2.1 Safety instructions



Installation notes

Installation, operation and maintenance must be made by qualified personnel only and in accordance with your local and national technical regulations and safety directives.

Do not repair the device yourself, but replace it with an equivalent device. Repairs may be performed by the manufacturer only.

The manufacturer is not legally responsible for damage resulting from failure to comply.

2.2 Specific conditions of use



The equipment shall be installed in an enclosure that provides a degree of protection not less than IP 54 in accordance with IEC/EN 60079-15 and that have been considered to be not accessible in normal operation without the use of a tool.

Transient protection shall be provided that is set at a level not exceeding 140 % of the peak rated voltage value at the supply terminals to the equipment.

The gateway must be mounted vertically on a 35 mm DIN rail.



**The gateway is HMuxGate is an open system and in accordance with UL/CSA approval an “open type.”
The gateway have to be installed in a control cabinet, appropriate housing or a closed electrical operation room accessible only to authorized maintenance staff.**

2.3 Electrical installation



Before installation of the modules and wiring make sure that the system is off power.



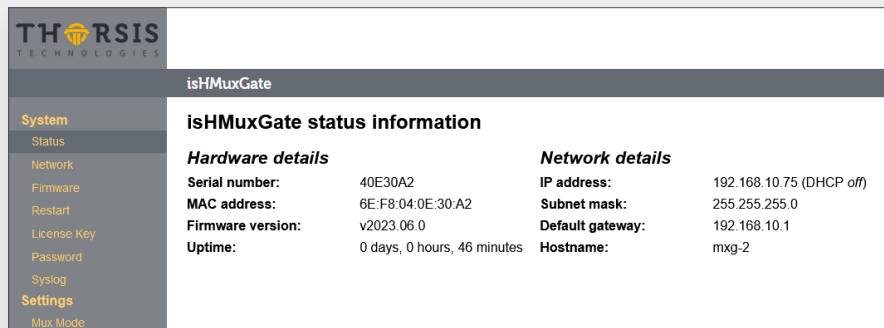
To supply the modules only power supplies with a secure electrically isolated extra-low voltage (SELV) may be used.



Cable entries and field wiring must be suitable for an operating temperature of at least +20° C above ambient.

3. Web interface

3.1 Configuration of the IP address

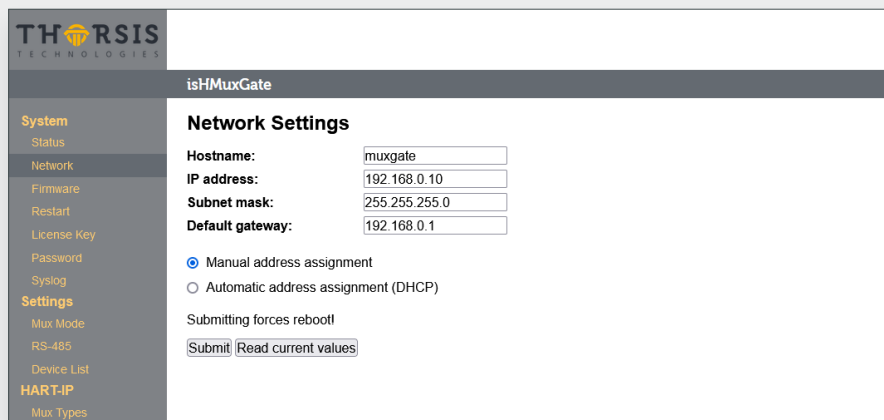


The screenshot shows the THORSIS isHMuxGate web interface. The left sidebar contains a menu with items: System, Status, Network, Firmware, Restart, License Key, Password, Syslog, Settings, and Mux Mode. The 'Settings' item is highlighted. The main content area is titled 'isHMuxGate status information' and is divided into two columns: 'Hardware details' and 'Network details'.

Hardware details		Network details	
Serial number:	40E30A2	IP address:	192.168.10.75 (DHCP off)
MAC address:	6E:F8:04:0E:30:A2	Subnet mask:	255.255.255.0
Firmware version:	v2023.06.0	Default gateway:	192.168.10.1
Uptime:	0 days, 0 hours, 46 minutes	Hostname:	mxg-2

The default address of the gateway is: 192.168.0.10 subnet mask 255.255.255.0 Use your favorite browser to go the IP Address of your isHMuxGate. You should see this website. This is a overview over the current status.

Click on „Network Settings“ and you will get to the configuration mask.

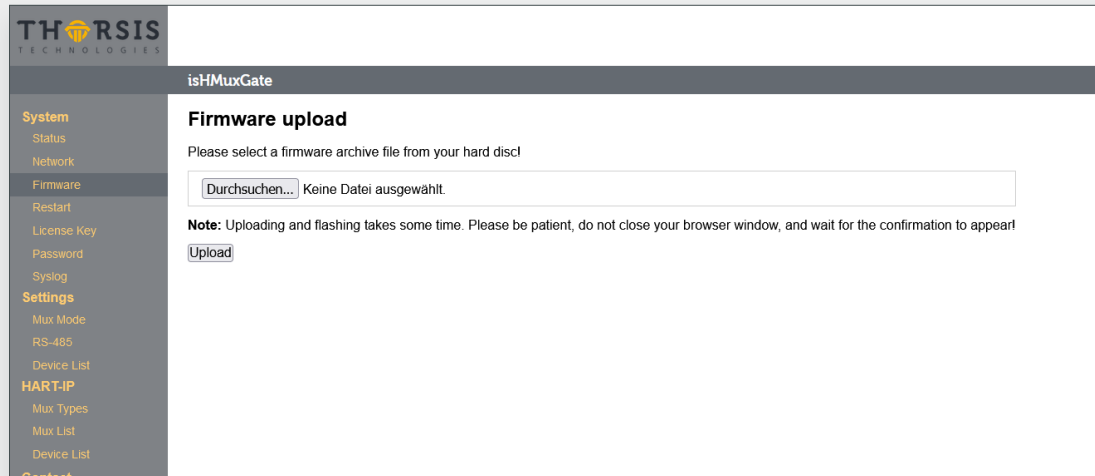


The screenshot shows the THORSIS isHMuxGate web interface, specifically the 'Network Settings' page. The left sidebar is the same as in the previous screenshot, but the 'Network' item is highlighted. The main content area is titled 'Network Settings' and contains the following fields and options:

- Hostname:
- IP address:
- Subnet mask:
- Default gateway:
- ☒ Manual address assignment
- ☐ Automatic address assignment (DHCP)
- Submitting forces reboot!
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Here you can change the Hostname, the IP Address, the subnet mask and the default Gateway. You can also choose to set the IP Address manually or with your DHCP Server. Pressing the Submit button applies the changes and restarts the gateway.

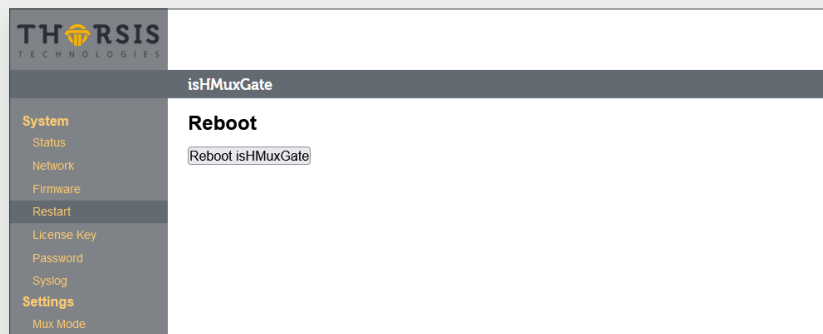
3.2 Update of the Firmware



If a new firmware is available for your device you can flash it using the web interface. Go to the Menu Firmware and select the file you want to flash. Click the Upload button and wait until a confirmation appears that the upload was successful.

After the succesful update, the isHMuxGate must be restarted by using the Restart-function in the Web interface.

3.3 Soft-Restart



To restart the gateway, go to the Restart menu and press the button Reboot.

3.4 Password protection

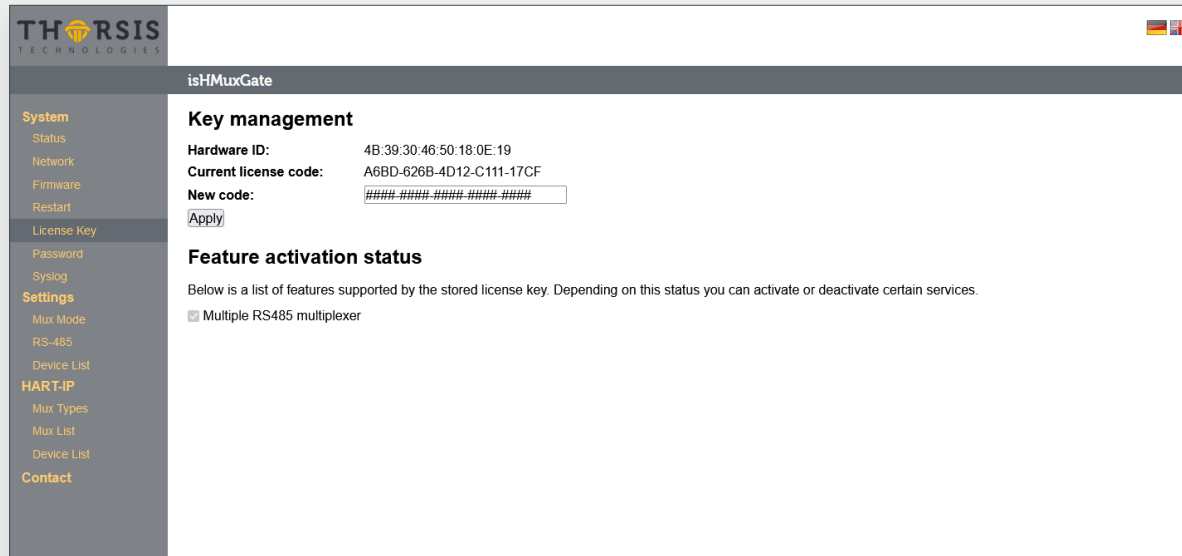
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To enable a global password protection for the isHMuxGate web interface, click on the Password menu on the left. Activate the Password protection by clicking in the checkbox. Enter your password and repeat it in the field below.

Click Apply to confirm your settings.

Please note, that the username is always *admin* and can not be changed.

3.5 License key



In the standard version the isHMuxGate is capable of connecting one single HART multiplexer to an HART-IP network.

In order to connect more than one HART multiplexer to an HART-IP network, an additional license is required. It is possible to order the gateway together with the license, then this functionality is already enabled.

But it is also possible to purchase the gateway in the standard version and - when needed - to purchase the license key at a later time. The user can then enter the license key into the web page and enable additional features, i.e. enable support of more than one multiplexer connected to the gateway.

3.6 Mux-Mode

The screenshot shows the THOR SIS isHMuxGate web interface. On the left is a sidebar menu with categories: System (Status, Network, Firmware, Restart, License Key, Password, Syslog), Settings (Mux Mode, RS-485, Device List), and HART-IP (Mux Types). The 'Mux Mode' option is selected. The main content area is titled 'Mux-Mode Settings' and contains a 'Mode' section with two radio buttons: 'HART-IP' (which is selected) and 'transparent'. Below the radio buttons is an 'Apply' button.

Usually the isHMuxGate translates all the protocols of different HART multiplexers into HART-IP.

But it is also possible to disable the HART-IP protocol. In the transparent mode all the gateway does is to forward all incoming characters received on TCP side to RS485 and vice versa.

3.7 RS485 Settings

The screenshot shows the THOR SIS isHMuxGate web interface. The sidebar menu is the same as in the previous screenshot, but the 'RS-485' option under the 'Settings' category is selected. The main content area is titled 'RS-485 Settings' and contains an 'rs485 Configuration' section. This section has a 'baudrate' dropdown menu currently set to 'B9600', and a 'Multiplexer search range' section with 'from' and 'to' input fields, both containing the value '0'. Below these fields is an 'Apply' button.

On this page the user can set the baud rate on the RS485 connection to the HART multiplexers.

Furthermore the user can select the address range of the HART multiplexers.

3.8 Device List Settings

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Device List Settings

Search Mode

☒ Search for devices

☐ single drop

☒ multi drop

max. poll address 15

Apply

System

Status

Network

Firmware

Restart

License Key

Password

Syslog

Settings

Mux Mode

RS-485

Device List

HART-IP

Mux Types

The isHMuxGate keeps track of all HART instruments wired to the connected HART multiplexers.

The user can select between single drop and multidrop but he can also disable searching for HART devices at all.

Note: if disabled, then no HART devices can be shown in the device list (see chapter „Device List“ on page 18).

3.9 Mux Types

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Mux Types

Type

ID	Device	Company	Protocol	
3c01	n.a.	n.a.	Arcom	✗
4015	MTL4841 Multiplexer	Measurement Technology	MTL	✗
40ef	n.a.	n.a.	Arcom	✗
49ed	Mux 2700-F	Elcon Instruments	Arcom	✗
5de6	MUX2700-G	PEPPERL+FUCHS	Arcom	✗
5def	KFD2-HMM-16	PEPPERL+FUCHS	Arcom	✗
9e06	IS pac 9192 16 ch	R. Stahl	Stahl	✗
e3a4	n.a.	n.a.	GMI	✗
	new device		-- select protocol --	

Apply

System

Status

Network

Firmware

Restart

License Key

Password

Syslog

Settings

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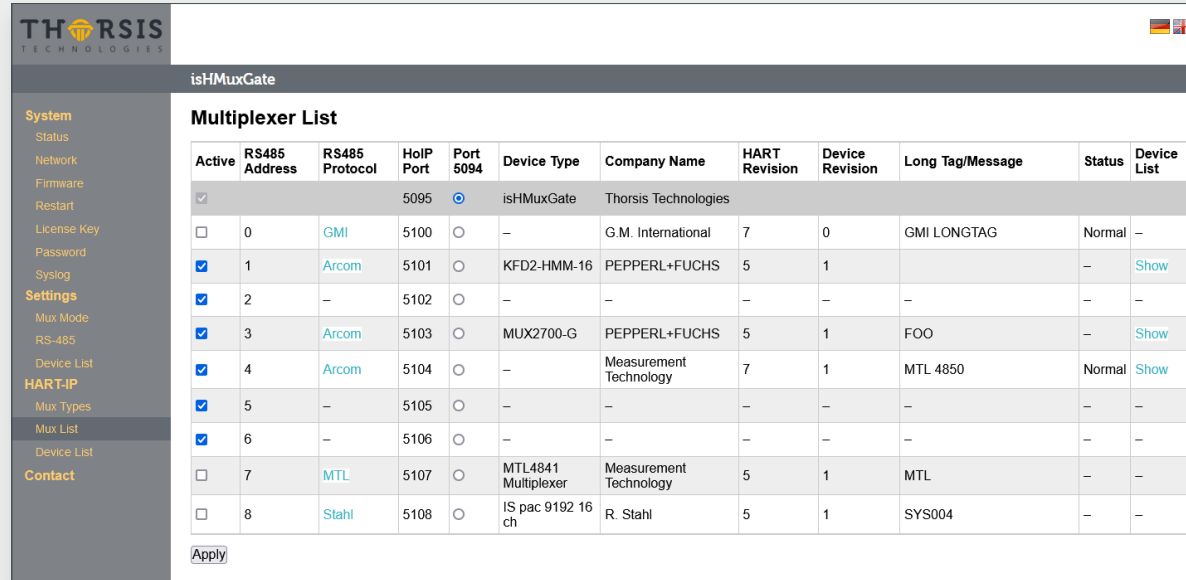
Mux List

Device List

Contact

The isHMuxGate contains a list with known HART multiplexers. If necessary additional HART multiplexers can be added to this list. In order to do so, the user needs to enter the Expanded Device Type ID and select the protocol which the multiplexer is using on RS485 for communication.

3.10 Multiplexer List



Active	RS485 Address	RS485 Protocol	HoIP Port	Port 5094	Device Type	Company Name	HART Revision	Device Revision	Long Tag/Message	Status	Device List
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			5095	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	isHMuxGate	Thorsis Technologies					
<input type="checkbox"/>	0	GMI	5100	<input type="radio"/>	–	G.M. International	7	0	GMI LONGTAG	Normal	–
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	1	Arcom	5101	<input type="radio"/>	KFD2-HMM-16	PEPPERL+FUCHS	5	1		–	Show
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	2	–	5102	<input type="radio"/>	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	3	Arcom	5103	<input type="radio"/>	MUX2700-G	PEPPERL+FUCHS	5	1	FOO	–	Show
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	4	Arcom	5104	<input type="radio"/>	–	Measurement Technology	7	1	MTL 4850	Normal	Show
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	5	–	5105	<input type="radio"/>	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	6	–	5106	<input type="radio"/>	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
<input type="checkbox"/>	7	MTL	5107	<input type="radio"/>	MTL4841 Multiplexer	Measurement Technology	5	1	MTL	–	–
<input type="checkbox"/>	8	Stahl	5108	<input type="radio"/>	IS pac 9192 16 ch	R. Stahl	5	1	SYS004	–	–

Apply

On this page the isHMuxGate shows all HART multiplexers connected to this gateway. The number of multiplexers shown here depends on the „Multiplexer search range“ in the RS485 settings (see chapter 3.7 „RS485 Settings“ on page 15).

In this multiplexer list the user can select, which of these multiplexers to use for HART-IP communication by ticking the boxes in the „Active“ column. In the standard version the user can select only one RS485 multiplexer. If using the license key, then the user can select multiple multiplexers.

Every multiplexer has its own HART-IP port assigned. HART-IP clients can connect to the multiplexers by using these port numbers as shown in the „HoIP port“ column. Additionally the user can select the multiplexer that the HART-IP standard port 5094 is related to.

3.11 Device List

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Channel	Poll Address	HART Revision	Device Type	Device Revision	Company Name	Long Tag/Message	Status
1	0	7	SMARTPAT PH	1	Krohne	—	Normal

On this page the isHMuxGate shows the HART devices currently connected to the HART multiplexers.

4. Document History

Version	Date	Description
1.0	06.22.2023	initial version

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