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KNX IP router

Order No. 2167 00



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1 Productdefinition

1.1 Product catalogue

Product name: KNX IP router
Application: gateway, data logger/IP interface
Design: DRA (series installation)
Order No.: 2167 00

1.2 Accessories:

Power supply DC 24 V 300 mA
Order No.: 1296 00
KNX power supply
Order No.: 2120 00, 2122 00, 2130 00, 2138 00

1.3 Application

The KNX IP router connects KNX lines via data networks (Ethernet) using the Internet Protocol (IP). It uses the KNXnet/IP standard so that KNX telegrams can not only be forwarded between lines via an IP network, but bus access is also possible from a PC or other data processing devices.

The KNX IP router can be used as an IP data interface for the ETS 4.2 Version or higher.

The device supports up to 4 KNXnet/IP tunnelling connections and thus enables parallel bus access, e.g. via the ETS and other PC software.

It has an integrated switch with two RJ45 connections. This enables several IP routers or other IP devices in the distribution to be connected without the aid of other active components.

The KNX IP router can be used as an area or line coupler. In this function, it interconnects two KNX lines to a logistical functional area and guarantees electrical isolation between these lines. As a result, each bus line of a KNX installation can be operated electrically independently of the other lines. The exact function of the device is determined by its physical address.

The KNX IP router can be used as a data logger. It incorporates a card reader for micro SDHC cards up to 32 GB. The KNX EIB telegrams in an ETS4-compliant format can be recorded to the card for analysis purposes. The card memory can be used as a ring memory or as a ROM.

As a clock, the KNX IP router can send the time and date to the bus at configurable intervals. Synchronisation with an NTP server is possible. It is possible to trigger the sending of the current time and the current date via a trigger.

The KNX IP router requires a separate power supply 24...30 V DC $\pm 10\%$ to operate. The KNX IP router is supplied with power by this operating power connection. It is thus possible for bus voltage failures to be reported via the data network.

1.4 **KNX Secure**

The KNX IP router is prepared for KNX Secure from index status I14 in combination with Firmware 3.3 (additional firmware update required). The necessary FDSK (Factory Default Setup Key) is located as a label on the side of the KNX IP router and is also included as a Secure Card.

Important notes



- Store the Secure Card carefully.
- We recommend that you remove the label on the device for maximum security.
- Restoration is not possible if the FDSK is lost.

2 Mounting, electrical connection and operation

2.1 Safety notes



Electrical devices may only be installed and connected by a qualified electrician.

Failure to observe the installation instructions can result in damage to the device, fire or other dangers.

Please refer to the operating instructions enclosed with the device for more information.

2.2 Device components

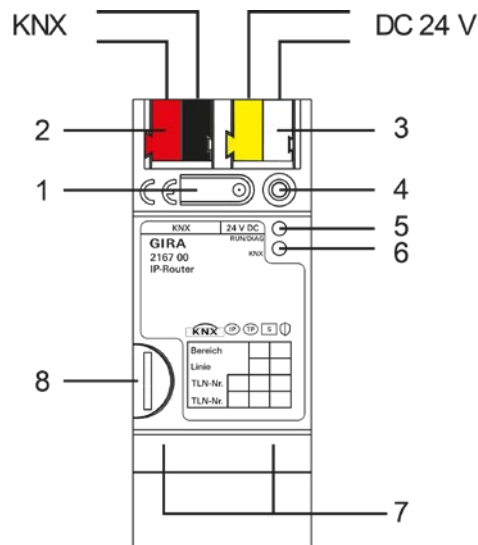


Figure 1: KNX IP router

Dimensions:

Width (W):
36 mm (2 TE)

Height (H):
90 mm

Depth (D):
74 mm

1 Programming button

2 KNX connection

3 External power supply connection* 24...30V DC $\pm 10\%$.

4 Programming LED (red/yellow/orange)
red = router
yellow = router applications
orange = router and router applications

5 LED operation display (green)
on: Ready for operation
flashing: Diagnosis code

6 LED KNX (yellow)
on: KNX is connected
off: KNX is not connected
flashing: Router is receiving data on KNX/TP line or on KNX IP line

7 Ethernet connection

- 10/100 speed (green)
 - on: 100 Mbit/s
 - off: 10 Mbit/s
- Link/ACT (orange)
 - on: link to IP network
 - off: no connection
 - flashing: data reception on IP

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2.3 Mounting and electrical connection



DANGER!

Electric shock if live parts are touched. Electric shock may lead to death. Isolate all appropriate circuit breakers before working on the device or load. Cover up live parts in the vicinity!

Mounting the device

- Snap on the top-hat rail according to DIN EN 60715. Network connection must be located on the bottom.
- ⓘ A KNX data rail is not necessary.
- ⓘ Observe temperature range (0 °C...+45 °C) and ensure sufficient cooling if necessary.

Connecting the device

- Connecting the KNX bus to the KNX connection of the router (2) with a KNX connection terminal.
- Connecting the external power supply* to the power supply connection (3) of the router using a KNX connection terminal (preferably yellow/white).
- Connecting one or two network lines to the network connection of the router (7).

Note: Only one KNX IP router per KNX power supply should be connected to the additional 30 V DC supply. Otherwise, the KNX power supply may become overloaded following a power failure and subsequent return.

*: The non-choked output of a KNX power supply unit can also be used as an external power supply. Ensure that the maximum quantity of KNX devices which can be operated with the KNX power supply unit is reduced accordingly.

Mounting / removing the cover cap

A cover cap can be mounted for secure isolation to protect the bus connection / power supply connection from dangerous voltage, particularly in the connection area.

The cap is mounted with an attached bus and power supply terminal and a connected bus and power supply line to the rear.

- Mounting the cover cap: The cover cap is pushed over the bus terminal (compare with Figure 2.A) until it engages noticeably.
- Removing the cover cap: The cover cap is removed by pressing it in slightly on the side and pulling it off to the front (compare with Figure 2.B).

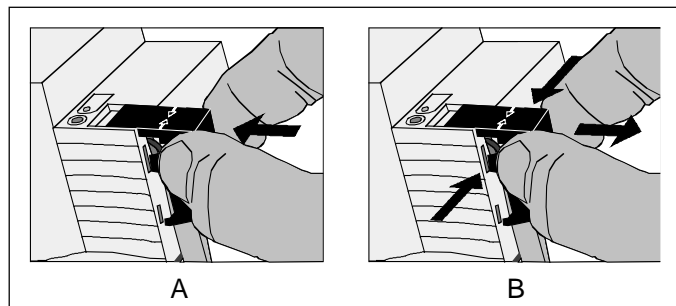


Figure 2: Mounting / removing the cover cap

2.4 Commissioning

After installing the device and connecting the bus line, power supply and Ethernet, the device can be started up.

The following physical addresses are factory preset:

| | |
|---------------------|-----------|
| Router | 15.15.0 |
| Router applications | 15.15.255 |

These addresses have to be reprogrammed in order to be able to use the device. Without the imported application, the router works with default settings. The router and the router applications are secured against importing an incorrect application. The ETS will cancel the download in a case like this. However, as the physical address has already been programmed, the operation indication LED (5) of the device will show a projected status during the next start.

Programming the physical address of the router

Programming is done in the programming environment of the ETS 4.2 or higher. An additional KNX data interface is not required for programming. A connection to the device can be established via IP or KNX.

- Ensure that the device and bus voltage are switched on.
- Ensure that the programming LED (4) is not illuminated. If it lights up yellow, press the programming button (1) until it goes out (>4 s).
- Briefly (<4 s) press the programming button (1). Programming LED (4) lights up red.
- Program the physical address using the ETS. Programming LED (4) goes out after a successful programming process.
- Make note of the physical address on the device.
- If the device was programmed without an additional KNX data interface, the tunnelling connection must be set up again after the programming process.

Programming the physical address of the router applications

Programming is done in the programming environment of the ETS 4.2 or higher. An additional KNX data interface is not required for programming. A connection to the device can be established via IP or KNX.

- Ensure that the device and bus voltage are switched on.
- Ensure that the programming LED (4) is not illuminated. If it lights up red, press the programming button (1) as briefly as necessary to deactivate it (<4 s).
- Press the programming button (1) for a long time (>4 s). Programming LED (4) lights up yellow.
- Program the physical address using the ETS. Programming LED (4) goes out after a successful programming process.
- Make note of the physical address on the device.
- If the device was programmed without an additional KNX data interface, the tunnelling connection must be set up again after the programming process.

Programming application programmes and configuration data

After programming the physical address, the application programmes for the router and the router applications must be imported into the device. A connection to the device can be established via IP or KNX.

- Ensure that the device and bus voltage are switched on.
- Parameterise the respective device accordingly in the ETS.
- Import the software to the device.
- Wait approximately 10 seconds after the download, during which the device transfers the data.
- Start-up is complete.

- If the device was programmed without an additional KNX data interface, the tunnelling connection must be set up again after the programming process.

2.4.1 Factory reset

The device can be reset to factory settings with the Gira Project Assistant.

- Ensure the device is switched on and has an Ethernet connection to the computer.
- Start the Gira Project Assistant (GPA) on the computer.
- In the GPA, open the main menu and open the Action Center.
- Click on the gear symbol in the KNX IP router column to select the functions.
- Select the "Factory reset" function.
- The device is restarted and the factory reset is carried out.

Alternatively, a factory reset can be carried out directly on the device via a sequence during start-up if, for example, no Ethernet connection is possible.

- Make sure that the device is switched off.
- Press and hold the programming button (1) and switch on the device.
- Press and hold the programming button until the programming LED (4), the operation indication LED (5) and the KNX LED (6) slowly flash simultaneously. This happens after approx. 30 seconds.
- Briefly release the programming button (1), then press and hold it again until the programming LED (4), the operation indication LED (5) and the KNX LED (6) flash quickly simultaneously.
- The factory reset has been carried out.
- Release the programming button.
- The device does not need to be restarted following a factory reset.

The factory reset can be cancelled at any time by interrupting the sequence.

Following the factory reset, the device behaves as in the state of delivery. The device is not configured. This can be seen after the device starts up by the slowly flashing green operation indication LED (5). For the settings of the parameters please refer to the sections "4.2.5 State of delivery (router)" and "4.3.5 State of delivery (router applications)".

2.4.2 Information on start-up

For the router, programming the physical address as well as programming the application programme via KNX/IP routing is already possible when no KNX bus line is connected to the KNX connection (2). When programming via KNX/IP routing is started for the router applications, it will continue to run if the KNX bus connection is interrupted, ensuring that it is concluded successfully.

2.5 Operation

The KNX IP router features 3 status LEDs on the top of the housing and 4 status LEDs on the network connection. In addition, there is a programming button with which the router and / or the router applications can be put into programming mode.

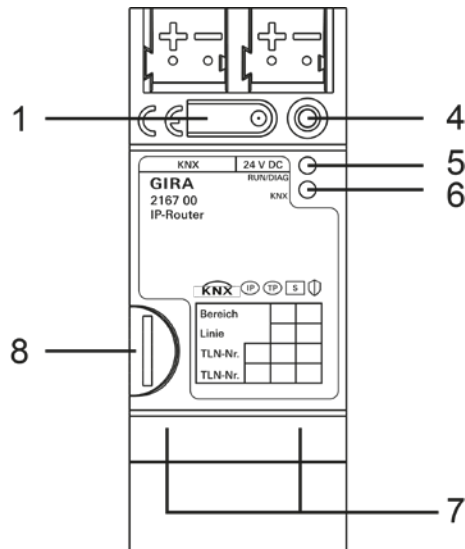


Figure 3: KNX IP router

1 Programming button

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Diagnosis codes

The current device status can be concluded using the operation indication (5):

- LED off: Device is not switched on or not yet fully powered up.
- LED on: Device is ready for operation.
- LED flashing slowly (~1Hz): Device is not configured or was configured with impermissible parameters. The LED stops flashing when the application of the router and/or the router applications have been imported via the ETS. Refer to "2.4 Start-up".
- LED flashing quickly (~4Hz): Internal device error. Please contact support.

LED status when starting up the device

When the device starts up correctly, the yellow LED (6) flashes when the operating voltage is supplied, thereby signalling the start-up process. Shortly afterwards the green LED (5) starts flashing. As soon as the device has completely started up, the green LED (5) lights up continuously if the device is already parameterised, or it flashes according to the diagnosis codes. From this point on the yellow LED (6) indicates the KNX bus status and KNX telegrams.

A self-test is carried out when the device is started up. If an error occurs here, the yellow LED (6) and the green LED (5) flash alternately directly after the operating voltage is applied. In this case, please contact support.

Micro SD card holder (8)

A Micro SD card must be inserted for the data logger to be able to record telegrams. In addition, if a Micro SD card is inserted, a log file with system events is automatically created on the card. Cards up to a maximum of 32 GB are supported. The cards must be formatted with FAT32.

3 Technical data

| | |
|-------------------------|---|
| KNX medium | TP |
| Start-up mode | S mode (ETS) |
| KNX supply | DC 21...30 V SELV |
| KNX connection | Bus connection terminal |
| External supply voltage | DC 24...30 V $\pm 10\%$ |
| Connection | Connection terminal |
| Power consumption | typically 2W (for 24V DC, 2 Ethernet lines connected) |
| IP communication | Ethernet 10 /100 BaseT (10/100 MBit) |
| IP connection | 2 x RJ45 |
| Supported protocols | ARP, ICMP, IGMP, UDP/IP, DHCP, AutoIP KNXnet/IP according to KNX system specification: Core, Routing, Tunnelling, Device Management |
| Micro SD card | max. 32 GByte |
| RTC buffering | ≥ 24 h |
| Ambient temperature | 0°C to +45°C |
| Storage temperature | -25°C to +70°C |
| Installation width | 36 mm (2 MW) |
| Installation height | 90 mm |
| Installation depth | 74 mm |
| Protection class | IP20 (in accordance with EN60529) |
| Protection class | III (in accordance with IEC 61140) |
| Test marks | KNX, CE |

4 Software description

4.1 Software specification

ETS search paths: - System devices / IP router / KNX IP router
 - Communication / router applications / KNX IP router applications

Configuration: S-mode standard

Applications:

| No. | Brief description | Name | Version |
|-----|---------------------|--------------------------|---------|
| 1 | KNX IP router | KNX IP router V3.5 | 3.5 |
| 2 | Router applications | Router applications V3.5 | 3.5 |

Note: In versions V1.0 and V2.0 of the KNX IP router, the router applications were referred to as "data logger / clock".

4.2 Software "KNX IP router V3.5"

4.2.1 Range of functions

- Simple connection to higher-level network systems by using the Internet Protocol (IP)
- Direct access from any point in the IP network to the KNX installation (supports group and bus monitor connections via KNXnet/IP tunnelling)
- Fast communication between KNX lines, areas and systems (KNXnet/IP routing)
- Communication across buildings and properties (networking of properties)
- Filtering and forwarding of telegrams, depending on:
 - physical address
 - group address
- Easy configuration from ETS 4.2
- Failure message of the KNX system to applications via KNXnet/IP
- Using the ETS, 4 additional individual addresses can be configured. These are used among other things for KNX communication of the visualisation.
These individual addresses can be configured in the ETS using the properties of the device and are available after the application program has been downloaded.
When a device is inserted into a line, the addresses are generated automatically. They are given the next available address of the line.
- Simple connection of visualisation systems and facility management systems
- If a Micro SD card is inserted, there is automatic creation of a system log with important events for analysis purposes

4.2.2 Information on the software

- The KNX IP router can be parameterised for ETS 4.2 or higher.
- The KNX IP router is protected against importing an invalid application version.
- Router functionality is maintained without parameterised router applications.

4.2.3 Object table

Number of communication objects: 0

4.2.4 Functional description

Monitoring for bus voltage failure

The KNX IP router monitors the KNX bus for power failure. It can be configured so that a message is sent to the IP network if there is a state change to the bus voltage. This can be configured using the "Monitoring for bus voltage failure" parameter on the "General" parameter page. The default is "blocked".

If the parameter is activated, a TP bus voltage failure on the IP side will trigger a broadcast command (GA=0/0/0) of the type "NetworkParameterWrite".

The data content is "00063301" (hex) for bus voltage failure and "00063300" (hex) for bus voltage return. This command can for example be evaluated by the Gira HomeServer or Gira Facility Server with the reception of a simple IP telegram. (Setting: UDP/Multicast with the port 3671 and the corresponding IP addresses. Initially "any desired data" must first be received for the data blocks, and then the binary data "000633". The values "01" and "00" for failure and return respectively can be assigned to a 1-byte communication object.)

IP address assignment

The device's IP address can either be assigned manually or via a DHCP server. This can be configured via the properties tab IP in the ETS for the IP router.

For the "Manual entry" setting, the values which are preset on the "IP address", "IP subnet mask" and "IP standard gateway" parameter pages are valid for the router. In the state of delivery, the router gets its IP address from a DHCP server.

For the "From DHCP service" setting, a DHCP server must assign the KNX IP router a valid IP address. If there is not a DHCP server available for this setting, the router starts up after a certain waiting time with an AutoIP address (address range from 169.254.1.0 to 169.254.254.255). As soon as a DHCP server is available, the device is automatically assigned a new IP address.

IP routing multicast address

The IP routing multicast address determines the target address of the KNX IP router's IP telegrams. The default setting is 224.0.23.12. This is the address determined for KNX IP devices by the KNX Association in conjunction with the IANA. It should only be changed if it becomes necessary due to the existing network. In this connection, it must be ensured that all KNX IP devices which are to communicate with one another via IP must use the same IP routing multicast address. The corresponding setting can be carried out on the "General" parameter page.

If a new IP routing multicast address is loaded to the device via KNX/IP routing, the ETS outputs the error message "Download failed". Re-downloading should then run without issues. This behaviour is due to the system.

Telegram filtering

The KNX IP router can filter telegrams both from KNX to IP as well as in the other direction. For this, there are the parameters "Group telegrams of the main group 0-13" and "Group telegrams of the main group 14-31" on the "Bus > IP" and "IP > Bus" parameter pages. For telegrams of the main groups 0-13, the options "forward", "block" and "filter (normal)" are available. If this parameter is set to "filter (normal)", a filter table is created automatically by the ETS and also loaded to the device during downloading. For telegrams of the main groups 14-31, the options "forward" and "block" are available. Filtering is not possible here as the ETS does not provide a corresponding filter table.

In addition, a filter option for individually (physically) addressed telegrams and broadcast telegrams is available for both communication directions. They can either be forwarded, blocked or filtered. The corresponding parameter is located on the "Bus > IP" and "IP > Bus" parameter pages.

Acknowledgement of group telegrams

From the KNX side, the KNX IP router can either confirm all group-oriented telegrams or only those telegrams which are forwarded from KNX to IP. In this case, only those telegrams which are entered in

the filter table of the device are confirmed. The respective "Acknowledgement of group telegrams" parameter is located on the "Bus IP" parameter page. The default is "for forwarding".

Automatic creation of a system log when a Micro SD card is inserted

If a Micro SD card is inserted in the device, a system log is automatically created on the card. This log is saved in the card's root directory in the file System.txt. Important system events are noted in this log. Specifically, these events are:

- Programming the router applications
- Setting the time via KNX or NTP
- Error during NTP synchronisation
- Change of the IP address
- KNX power failure
- KNX voltage recovery
- Restarting the device
- KNX bus status when starting up the device
- Occupancy level warning when 70%, 80% and 90% of the SD card memory capacity is reached
- SD card full and resulting end of system event logging




The System.txt file can have a maximum size of 1 megabyte. If this size is exceeded, the current System.txt is renamed System.bak and a new System.txt file is created. If this again exceeds the 1 megabyte limit, the old System.bak is overwritten and a new System.txt file is created.

Micro SDHC cards up to a maximum of 32 GB are supported. The cards must be formatted with FAT32.


4.2.5 State of delivery

| | |
|--|--------------------|
| Physical address | 15.15.0 |
| physical address of the tunnelling connections | 15.15.255 |
| Device name | Gira KNX IP router |
| Monitoring for bus voltage failure | blocked |
| TTL | 128 |
| IP address assignment | from DHCP service |
| IP address | DHCP |
| IP routing multicast address | 224.0.23.12 |
| IP subnet mask | DHCP |
| IP standard gateway | DHCP |
| Bus > IP | |
| Group telegrams of the main group 0-13 | filter (normal) |
| Group telegrams of the main group 14-31 | forward |
| Individually addressed telegrams | filter (normal) |
| Broadcast telegrams | forward |
| Acknowledgement of group telegrams | for forwarding |
| IP > Bus | |
| Group telegrams of the main group 0-13 | filter (normal) |
| Group telegrams of the main group 14-31 | forward |
| Individually addressed telegrams | filter (normal) |
| Broadcast telegrams | forward |

4.2.6 Parameter

| Description: | Values: | Comment: |
|--|--------------------------------------|--|
|  General | | |
| Monitoring for bus voltage failure | blocked | Defines if a bus voltage status change is signaled in the IP network. |
| DNS | approved disable enable | Activation or deactivation of a manual address assignment of a DNS server. |
|  DNS | | |
| Primary DNS | | Defines the IP address of the first DNS server to be used if manual address assignment is activated. The address is composed of 4 individual bytes. Default is 0.0.0.0. |
| Byte 1 (0...255) | 0..255, 0 | |
| Byte 2 (0...255) | 0..255, 0 | |
| Byte 3 (0...255) | 0..255, 0 | |
| Byte 4 (0...255) | 0..255, 0 | |
| Secondary DNS | | Defines the IP address of the second DNS server to be used if manual address assignment is activated. It is automatically used if the first DNS server cannot be reached. The address is composed of 4 individual bytes. Default is 0.0.0.0. |
| Byte 1 (0...255) | 0..255, 0 | |
| Byte 2 (0...255) | 0..255, 0 | |
| Byte 3 (0...255) | 0..255, 0 | |
| Byte 4 (0...255) | 0..255, 0 | |
|  Bus > IP | | |
| Group telegrams of the main group 0-13 | | This parameter determines how to proceed with telegrams with group addresses of the main groups 0-13. They can either be forwarded, blocked or filtered. |
| | forward | All telegrams with group addresses of the main groups 0 to 13 are forwarded from the KNX bus to IP. |
| | block | All telegrams with group addresses of the main groups 0 to 13 from the KNX bus to IP are blocked. |
| | filter (normal) | All telegrams with group addresses of the main groups 0 to 13 from the KNX bus to IP are filtered according to the filter table. The filter table is calculated automatically by the ETS. |

| | | |
|---|------------------------|---|
| Group telegrams of the main group 14-31 | | This parameter determines how to proceed with telegrams with group addresses of the main groups 14-31. They can either be forwarded or blocked. Filtering is not an option here as the ETS does not calculate a filter table for these main groups. |
| | forward | All telegrams with group addresses of the main groups 14-31 are forwarded from the KNX bus to IP. |
| | block | All telegrams with group addresses of the main groups 14-31 from the KNX bus to IP are blocked. |
| Individually addressed telegrams | | This parameter determines how to proceed with individually addressed telegrams. They can either be forwarded, blocked or filtered. |
| | forward | All individually addressed telegrams are transferred from the KNX bus to IP. |
| | block | Individually addressed telegrams are blocked by the KNX IP router. With this setting, it is not possible to send individually addressed telegrams from the line in a lower level than the KNX IP router to another line (e.g. during programming). |
| | filter (normal) | Only the individually addressed telegrams which should leave the line of the KNX IP router are transmitted from the KNX bus to IP. |
| Broadcast telegrams | | This parameter determines how to proceed with broadcast telegrams. They can either be forwarded or blocked. |
| | forward | All broadcast telegrams are transferred from the KNX bus to IP. |
| | block | Broadcast telegrams are blocked by the KNX IP router. With this setting, it is not possible to send broadcast telegrams from the line in a lower level than the KNX IP router to another line. |
| Acknowledgement of group telegrams | | This parameter determines when the KNX IP router should confirm group telegrams with a telegram. |

| | | |
|--|------------------------|---|
| | for forwarding | Only those group telegrams which are also forwarded to IP are confirmed with a telegram. This means that only telegrams which are also entered in the filter table are confirmed. |
| | always | All group telegrams on the KNX bus are confirmed by the KNX IP router with a telegram. |
|  IP > Bus | | |
| Group telegrams of the main group 0-13 | | This parameter determines how to proceed with telegrams with group addresses of the main groups 0 to 13. They can either be forwarded, blocked or filtered. |
| | forward | All telegrams with group addresses of the main groups 0 to 13 are forwarded from the IP to the KNX bus. |
| | block | All telegrams with group addresses of the main groups 0 to 13 from the IP to the KNX bus are blocked. |
| | filter (normal) | All telegrams with group addresses of the main groups 0 to 13 from IP to the KNX bus are filtered according to the filter table. The filter table is calculated automatically by the ETS. |
| Group telegrams of the main group 14-31 | | This parameter determines how to proceed with telegrams with group addresses of the main groups 14-31. They can either be forwarded or blocked. Filtering is not an option here as the ETS does not calculate a filter table for these main groups. |
| | forward | All telegrams with group addresses of the main groups 14-31 are forwarded from the IP to the KNX bus. |
| | block | All telegrams with group addresses of the main groups 14 to 31 from the IP to the KNX bus are blocked. |
| Individually addressed telegrams | | This parameter determines how to proceed with individually addressed telegrams. They can either be forwarded, blocked or filtered. |
| | forward | All individually addressed telegrams are transferred from the IP to the KNX bus. |

| | | |
|----------------------------|------------------------|--|
| | block | Individually addressed telegrams from the IP to the KNX bus are blocked. |
| | filter (normal) | Only the individually addressed telegrams which are addressed in the line of the KNX IP router are transmitted from the IP to the KNX bus. |
| Broadcast telegrams | | This parameter determines how to proceed with broadcast telegrams. They can either be forwarded or blocked. |
| | forward | All broadcast telegrams are transferred from the IP to the KNX bus. |
| | block | Broadcast telegrams from the IP to the KNX bus are blocked. |
| Use reliable communication | | This function enables reliable KNX communication within the system (recommended for communication via WLAN). To use this function, your system must contain suitable components (e.g. the Gira G1 or other Gira KNX IP router) with the corresponding setting activated. To activate or deactivate this function, the product database "Router application" must be added to the ETS project which contains corresponding configuration options. |

4.3 Software "Router applications V3.5"

4.3.1 Range of functions

- Clock
 - The current time and current date are sent to the bus periodically.
 - Triggering of the sending of the current time and date by means of a group telegram (trigger).
- Timekeeper
 - Receives the current time and / or the current date from the bus.
- Data logger
 - Records all KNX telegrams of the higher-level and lower-level lines to a Micro SD card.
- NTP
 - Requesting current time and date from NTP server
- Reliable communication
 - Expansion of the KNXnet/IP protocol for minimizing data loss in communication between KNX devices


4.3.2 Information on the software

- Router applications can be parameterized from ETS 4.2.
- Router applications are protected against importing an invalid application version.
- If the parameters for the time zone or for using reliable communication are changed, the device automatically restarts after successful programming of the application.


4.3.3 Object table

Number of communication objects: 13
 Number of addresses (max.): 60
 Number of assignments (max.): 60
 Dynamic table management: No
 Maximum table length: 255


Function: Clock

| Object | Function | Name | Type | DP type | Flag* |
|---|----------|------|---------|---------|-------|
|  1 | Send | Time | 3 bytes | 10.001 | C, T |
| Description: 3 byte object for sending the current time. The interval can be parameterised. | | | | | |


Function: Clock

| Object | Function | Name | Type | DP type | Flag* |
|---|----------|------|---------|---------|-------|
|  2 | Send | Date | 3 bytes | 11.001 | C, T |
| Description: 3 byte object for sending the current date. The interval can be parameterised. | | | | | |


Function: Clock

| Object | Function | Name | Type | DP type | Flag* |
|--|----------|------------------------|-------|---------|-------|
|  3 | Receive | Trigger send date/time | 1 bit | 1.017 | C, W |
| Description: 1 bit object for triggering the sending of the current time/date if the object has been assigned any desired value. | | | | | |


Function: Timekeeper

| Object | Function | Name | Type | DP type | Flag* |
|---|----------|------|---------|---------|-------|
|  4 | Receive | Time | 3 bytes | 10.001 | C, W |
| Description: 3 byte object for receiving the current time. | | | | | |


Function: Timekeeper

| Object | Function | Name | Type | DP type | Flag* |
|---|----------|------|---------|---------|-------|
|  5 | Receive | Date | 3 bytes | 11.001 | C, W |
| Description: 3 byte object for receiving the current date. | | | | | |

Function: Data logger

| Object | Function | Name | Type | DP type | Flag* |
|--|----------|----------------------|-------|---------|---------|
|  6 | Receive | Activate data logger | 1 bit | 1.001 | C, R, W |
| Description: 1 bit object to activate the data logger. When a "1" is assigned to the object, the data logger is active. If a "0" is assigned to it, it is deactivated. | | | | | |


Function: Data logger

| Object | Function | Name | Type | DP type | Flag* |
|---|----------|--------------------|-------|---------|---------|
|  7 | Send | Data logger status | 1 bit | 1.002 | C, R, T |

Description: 1-bit object which reflects the state of the data logger. If the object has a value of "1", the data logger is active. A "0" means that the data logger is inactive.

Function: Data logger


Parameter: Memory type = ROM
Memory status type = binary

| Object | Function | Name | Type | DP type | Flag* |
|---|----------|----------------------|-------|---------|-------|
|  8 | Send | SD card memory state | 1 bit | 1.002 | C, R |

Description: 1-bit object for display of the occupancy level of the SD card. When a "1" is assigned to the object, the SD card is full. If it is assigned a "0", then there is still space for logging on the SD card.


Function: Data logger

Parameter: Memory type = ROM
Memory status type = value (0-255)

| Object | Function | Name | Type | DP type | Flag* |
|---|----------|--------------------------|--------|---------|-------|
|  9 | Send | SD card memory occupancy | 1 byte | 5.001 | C, R |


Description: 1-bit object for displaying the memory occupancy of the SD card. The value range is 0-255 (equivalent to 0-100%).

Function: NTP

| Object | Function | Name | Type | DP type | Flag* |
|--|----------|------------|-------|---------|---------|
|  10 | Send | NTP status | 1 bit | 1.002 | C, R, T |


Description: 1-bit object for display of the status of the last NTP query. If the NTP query was successful and the system time has been reset as a result or if there was an error during the previous query, the object is assigned a "1". If the last NTP query was not successful, the object is assigned a "0".

Function: Data logger

| Object | Function | Name | Type | DP type | Flag* |
|--|----------|---------------------|-------|---------|-------|
|  11 | Send | Bus voltage failure | 1 bit | 1.002 | C, T |


Description: 1-bit object which signals the status of the bus voltage. A "1" is sent in case of bus voltage failure. A "0" is sent in case power is restored.

Function: Always

| Object | Function | Name | Type | DP type | Flag* |
|--|----------|---------------|-------|---------|---------|
|  13 | Send | SD card error | 1 bit | 1.002 | C, R, T |

Description: 1-bit object for signalling an SD card error. When a "1" is assigned to the object, an SD card error has occurred.

Function: Always

| Object | Function | Name | Type | DP type | Flag* |
|--|----------|---------------|--------|---------|-------|
|  14 | Send | SD error code | 1 byte | | C, R |

Description: 1-bit object for signalling an SD card error.
0 = SD card OK
1 = SD card full
2 = SD card not inserted
4 = Fault has occurred in SD card (e.g. incorrectly formatted)

*The default values are specified.

4.3.4 Functional description

Clock

As a clock, the device can send the current time to the bus at configurable intervals. For this, first the "Time function" parameter must be set to "Clock" in the "General" parameter view so that the further configuration parameters become visible. The respective desired interval can be configured with the "Send time" and "Send date" parameters. The time sent is obtained from the system time. This can be synchronised with a configurable NTP server. For this, the "Use NTP server" parameter must be set to "Yes" in the "General" parameter view. The NTP server can then be configured in the newly available "NTP configuration" parameter view.

The device can be configured for various UTC time zones. The "Time zone" parameter used for this is located in the "General" parameter view.

Time changeover is taken into account either automatically depending on the time zone set or not at all. A "Generic Time Zone w/o DST" must be parameterised so that no automatic time changeovers are carried out.

If an NTP server is used, the clock will only send the date and time if at least one successful NTP synchronisation has been executed after device start-up. This is to prevent the sending of a wrong system time even if the the NTP function is activated.

With the clock function, a communication object is provided with which the sending of the time/date can be triggered (trigger). For more details, see "4.3.3 Object table".

The time function is deactivated at delivery.

Timekeeper

As a timekeeper, the device synchronises the system time with time information from KNX time telegrams which for example can be sent from clocks or the ETS. For this, the "Time function" parameter must be set to "Timekeeper" in the "General" parameter view.

The time function is deactivated at delivery.

Bus voltage monitoring

The device monitors the bus voltage and provides a communication object for this purpose. If the group address of the communication object is entered in the filter table of the router, the notification of the bus voltage state will not only be sent via TP, but also via IP.

For more details, see "4.3.3 Object table".

Data logger

The device can be used as a data logger. The data logger functionality is controlled via the "Data logger" parameter in the "General" parameter view. If it is set to "Yes", the data logger functionality is always activated. If a Micro SD card is inserted into the device or if there is already a card in the device, logging begins automatically if it is not deactivated via the "Activate data logger" communication object.

The data logger state is sent via the "Data logger status" communication object, however it can also be queried directly. The communication object has the value 1 for as long as the data logger is active. If the SD card is removed, then no memory capacity is available, or if the data logger is deactivated via the "Activate data logger" communication object, the "Data logger status" communication object assumes the value "0" and sends it.

The data logger supports two types of memory management. The SD card memory can be used as ROM or as a ring memory. When used as a ring memory, the remaining memory is monitored. When the remaining memory capacity drops below 2.5 Mbyte, the oldest log file is deleted to create space for new data.

When used as ROM, logging is automatically ended as soon as the Micro SD card is full until a new card with sufficient capacity is inserted.

Via the "Data logging format" parameter in the same parameter view, it can be configured whether an ETS 3 (.trx) or an ETS 4 (.xml) compliant data format should be used. The data logger can be activated or deactivated via the "Activate data logger" communication object.

Naming and saving the log files on the Micro SD card is in accordance with the following scheme:

```
Year  
----Month  
-----Day  
-----2010_01_06_LAN.trx  
-----2010_01_06_TP1.trx
```

If there is a loss of voltage and a resulting loss of time/date, a file name can be repeated. In this case, a tilde (~) is attached to the end of the file name, for further repetitions, consecutive numbers (~1) are added to the tilde.

Before the Micro SD card is removed, logging should be deactivated to prevent damage to the card.

The KNX IP router supports SDHC cards up to a maximum of 32 GB. The cards must be formatted with FAT32.

Various communication objects are available for monitoring the memory status. The current card status and the occupancy level are queried via these communication objects. For more details, see "4.3.3 Object table".

Reliable communication

Reliable communication can be activated for the device. This is an extension of the KNXnet/IP protocol that serves to minimise data loss in communication over potentially unreliable connections. This is recommended for communication via WLAN, for example.

To use reliable communication, suitable components (e.g. the Gira G1 or other KNX IP router) for which reliable communication has also been activated must be used in the system.

Via the "Use Reliable communication?" parameter in the "Reliable communication" parameter view of the ETS, this function can be activated.

If this parameter is changed, the router restarts directly after downloading the application.


The router should always be programmed separately.


Reliable communication is deactivated in the state of delivery.

4.3.5 State of delivery

| | |
|-----------------------------|---------------------------|
| Physical address | 15.15.255 |
| Time function | None |
| Data logger | No |
| Time zone | (UTC+01:00) Europe/Berlin |
| Use NTP server | No |
| Use reliable communication? | No |

4.3.6 Parameter

| Description: | Values: | Comment: |
|---|--|---|
|  General | | |
| Time function | <p>None</p> <p>Clock</p> <p>Timekeeper</p> | <p>This parameter determines which time function the device executes.</p> <p>No time function is executed.</p> <p>The device works as a clock and sends the current time and date to the bus at configurable intervals.</p> <p>If an NTP server is used in addition, the date/time will only be sent if the system time was synchronised at least once since the device started up.</p> <p>The device works as a timekeeper and receives the time telegrams sent from a clock and evaluates them.</p> |
| Send time | <p>Each minute</p> <p>Each hour</p> <p>Each day</p> | <p>Only visible when the device works as a clock. The interval for sending the time to the bus is configured with this parameter.</p> |
| Send date | <p>Each minute</p> <p>Each hour</p> <p>Each day</p> | <p>Only visible when the device works as a clock. The interval for sending the date to the bus is configured with this parameter.</p> |
| Data logger | <p>No</p> <p>Yes</p> | <p>This parameter determines whether the data logger function is activated. The corresponding communication objects are only available when it is activated.</p> <p>The data logger function is deactivated.</p> <p>The data logger function is activated.</p> |
| Data logging format | <p>ETS4</p> <p>ETS3</p> | <p>Only visible when "Data logger" is set to "Yes". This parameter determines which format the data should be logged in on the Micro SD card.</p> <p>The data is stored in an ETS4-compliant format (.xml) which is also readable by the ETS5.</p> <p>The data is stored in an ETS3-compliant format (.trx).</p> |


| | | |
|---|--|--|
| Data logger memory type | | Only visible when "Data logger" is set to "Yes". This parameter specifies how the SD card memory is to be used. |
| | Ring memory | The SD card memory is used as a ring memory. |
| | ROM | The SD card memory is used as ROM. |
| Data logger memory status type | | Only visible when "Data logger" is set to "Yes" and the "Data logger memory type" is set to "ROM". This parameter specifies what type the status object of the card occupancy level should be. |
| | Binary | A 1-bit object is used. The value "1" means that the card is full, "0" means that there is still space on the card for logging. |
| | Value (0-255) | A 1-byte object is used. The value range is between 0 – 255. The value "255" corresponds to a card occupancy level of 100%. |
| Time zone | | The time zone the device works with is configured with this parameter. |
| | (UTC+01:00) Europe/Berlin Other UTC time zones | The time zone to be used is selected here. There are several time zones with identical UTC deviations. In some of these time zones, summer/winter time switchover is at a different time. One of the "Generic Time Zone w/o DST" time zones must be selected so that no automatic time changeovers are carried out. If this setting is changed, the router will restart directly after the application has been programmed! |
| Use NTP server | | This parameter determines whether an NTP server should be used. It is only taken into account in operation as a clock. |
| | No | No NTP server is used. The system time serves as a reference. |
| | Yes | An NTP server is used. |
|  NTP configuration | | Only available when an NTP server is used. |

NTP server address

This parameter defines the host name or the IP address of the NTP server to be used. When using a manual IP address for the router, a DNS server must be parameterised so that defining a host name is possible.

NTP interval (min) **60**
1..65535

This parameter determines at which interval the time should be synchronised to the NTP server. The information is in minutes.

 Reliable communication

Use reliable communication?

This parameter determines if reliable communication is to be used.

Activating this function enables reliable KNX communication within the system (recommended for communication via WLAN). To use this function, the system must contain suitable components (e.g. the Gira G1 or other KNX IP router) with the corresponding settings activated.

If this setting is changed, the router will restart directly after the application has been programmed!

The router should always be programmed separately.

No

Reliable communication is not used.

Yes

Reliable communication is used.

5 Appendix

5.1 Operation as an area or line coupler

Topology

As an area / line coupler, the KNX IP router transmits telegrams between a lower-level line and the IP network. The function of the device is defined as follows with the physical address:

- Area coupler (AC) B.0.0 ($1 \leq B \leq 15$)
- Line coupler (LC) B.L.0 ($1 \leq B \leq 15, 1 \leq L \leq 15$)

Fundamentally, the KNX IP router can be used as a line coupler or an area coupler (cf. Figure 4).

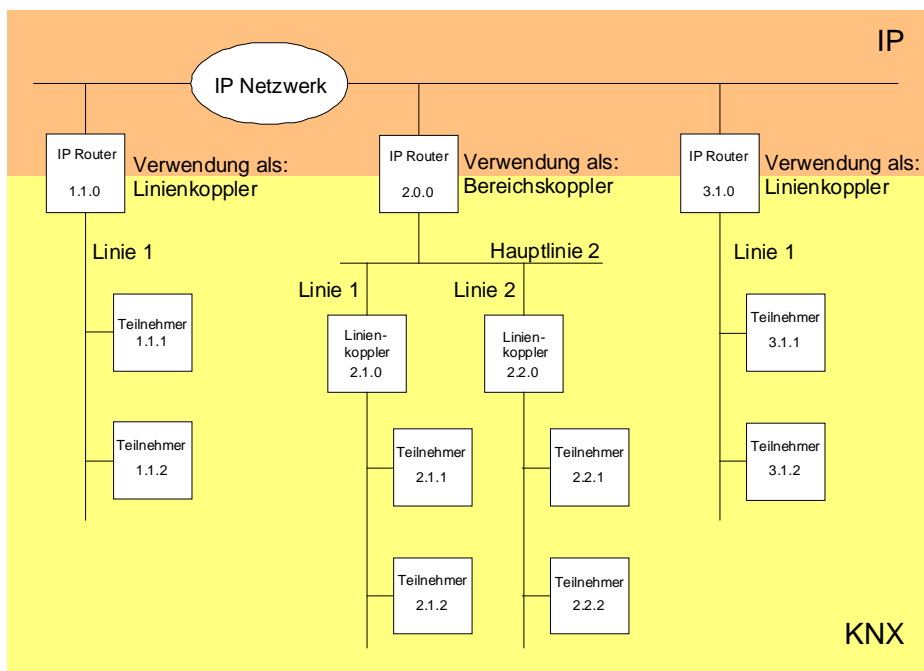


Figure 4: KNX IP router as an area or line coupler

If the KNX IP router is used as an area coupler with the physical address $x.0.0$ ($x = 1 \dots 15$), no additional IP routers may be used topologically 'lower than' this IP router as a line coupler $x.y.0$ ($y = 1 \dots 15$ – same area address) (cf. Figure 5).

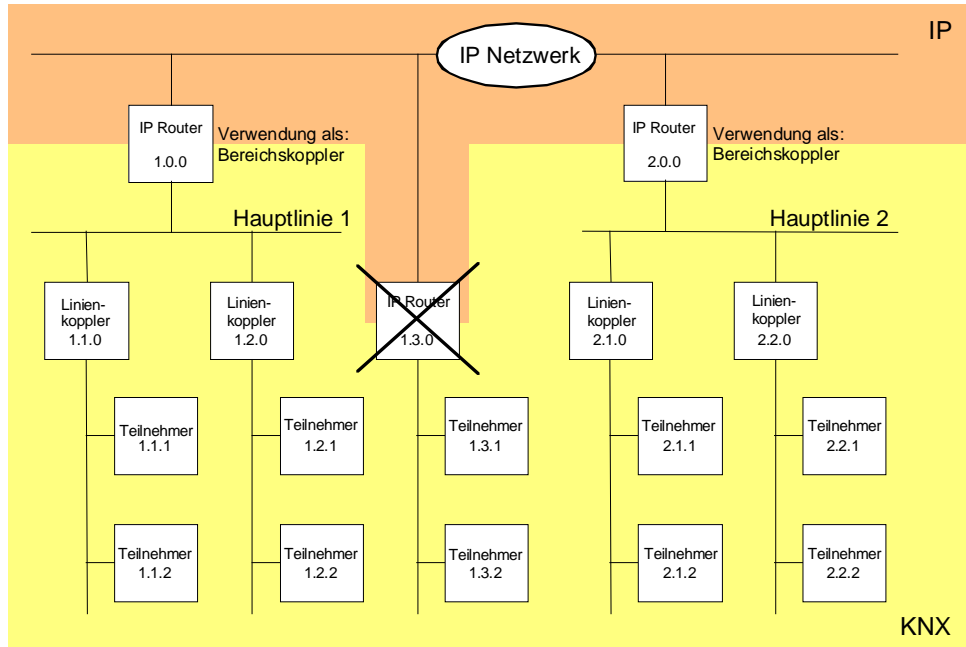


Figure 5: KNX IP router as an area coupler

If the KNX IP router is used as a line coupler with the physical address $x.y.0$ ($x = 1 \dots 15$, $y = 1 \dots 15$), no additional IP routers with the same area address $x.0.0$ may be used 'higher' in the system (cf. Figure 6).

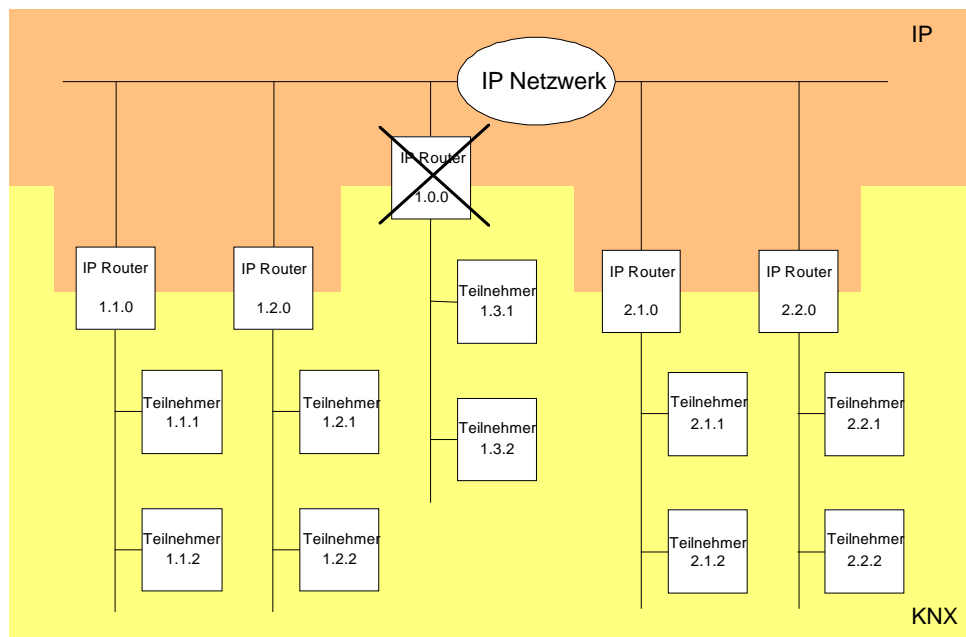


Figure 6: KNX IP router as a line coupler

Note:

Error-free functioning of the KNX IP router as an area or line coupler (KNXnet/IP routing) requires network components which support IP multicasting. In particular, network / LAN routers must be able to be set or already be set to forward IP multicasting datagrams. For KNXnet/IP routing, the IP multicast address 224.0.23.12 is reserved internationally for this purpose.

5.2 Operation as an IP data interface in the ETS 4

Via an IP data network and a KNX IP router, a direct connection can be established from a PC or other data processing devices in the networks (e.g. visualisations) to the KNX. Thus, access to the bus is possible from every point in the IP data network.

The ETS 3 and ETS 4 enable the configuration of KNX/EIB installations via the existing IP data network and use the KNX IP router such as a conventional serial RS232 or USB data interface to communicate with the bus. This also includes downloading from bus devices or the function of the bus or group monitor.

For stable communication via KNXnet/IP tunnelling, a second physical address (similar to the local physical address for an RS232 or USB connection) must be set via the ETS 3 or ETS 4.

The following steps must be carried out to configure the communication interfaces:

1. First the ETS 4 must be started and the settings for communication must be opened (Settings->Communication – cf. Figure 14)

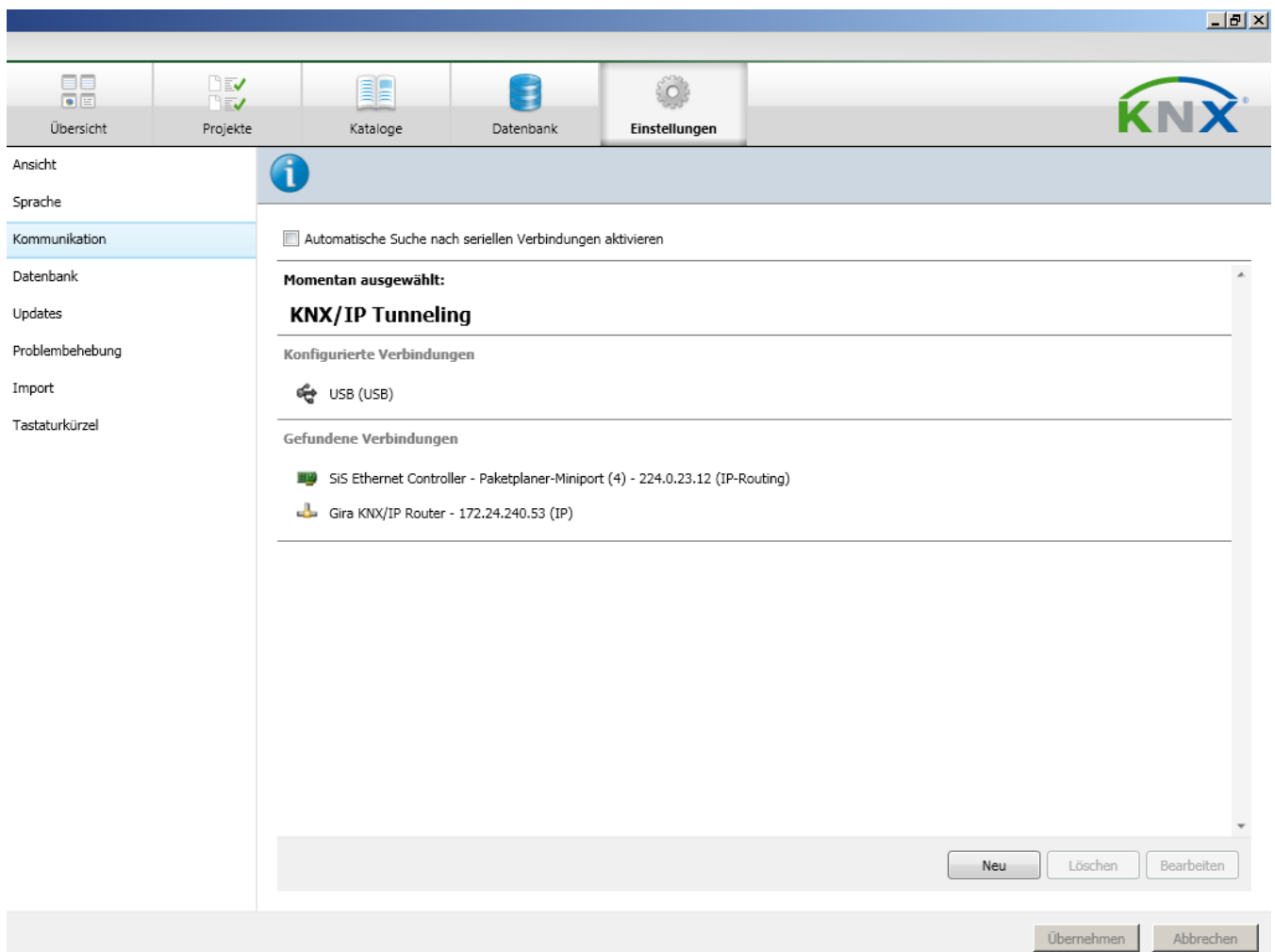


Figure 7: Communication settings in the ETS 4

2. Then select the KNX IP router in the device list under "Connections found" and click on "Select".

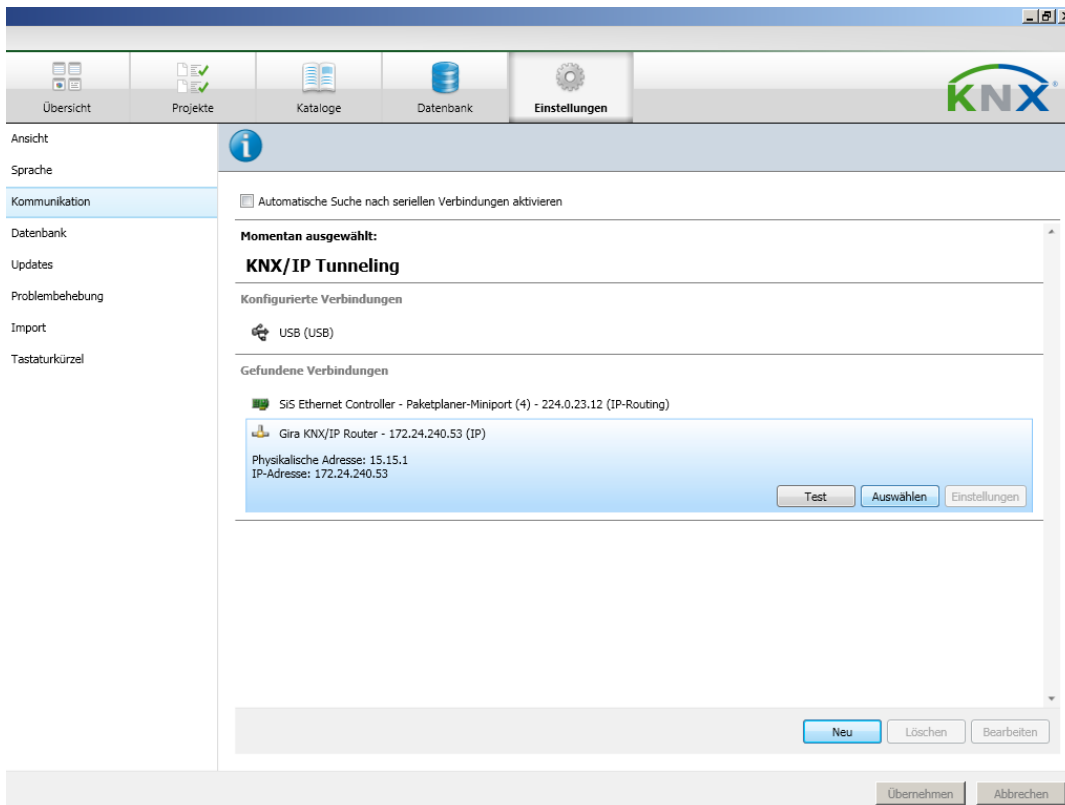


Figure 8: Select device for tunnelling connection in the ETS 4

3. The router now appears under "Configured connections".

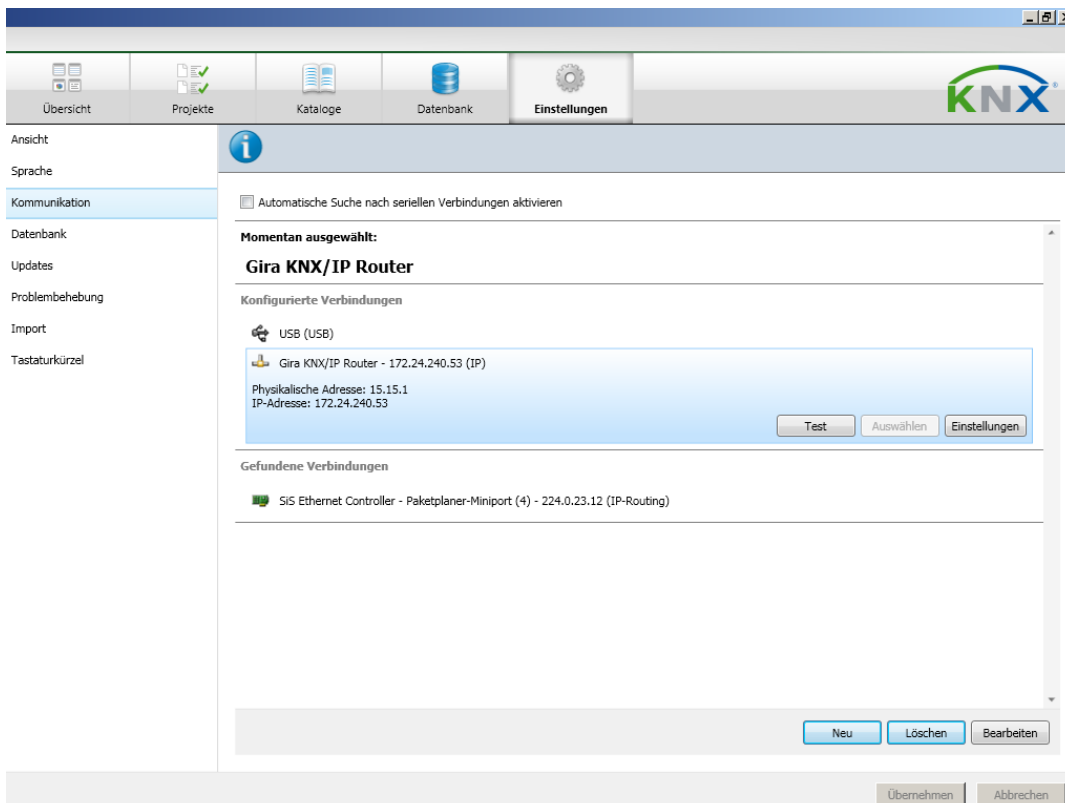


Figure 9: Device was selected in the ETS 4

4. For stable communication via KNXnet/IP tunnelling, a second physical address (similar to the local physical address for an RS232 or USB connection) must be set via the ETS. For this, select the device under "Configured connections" and click "Settings".

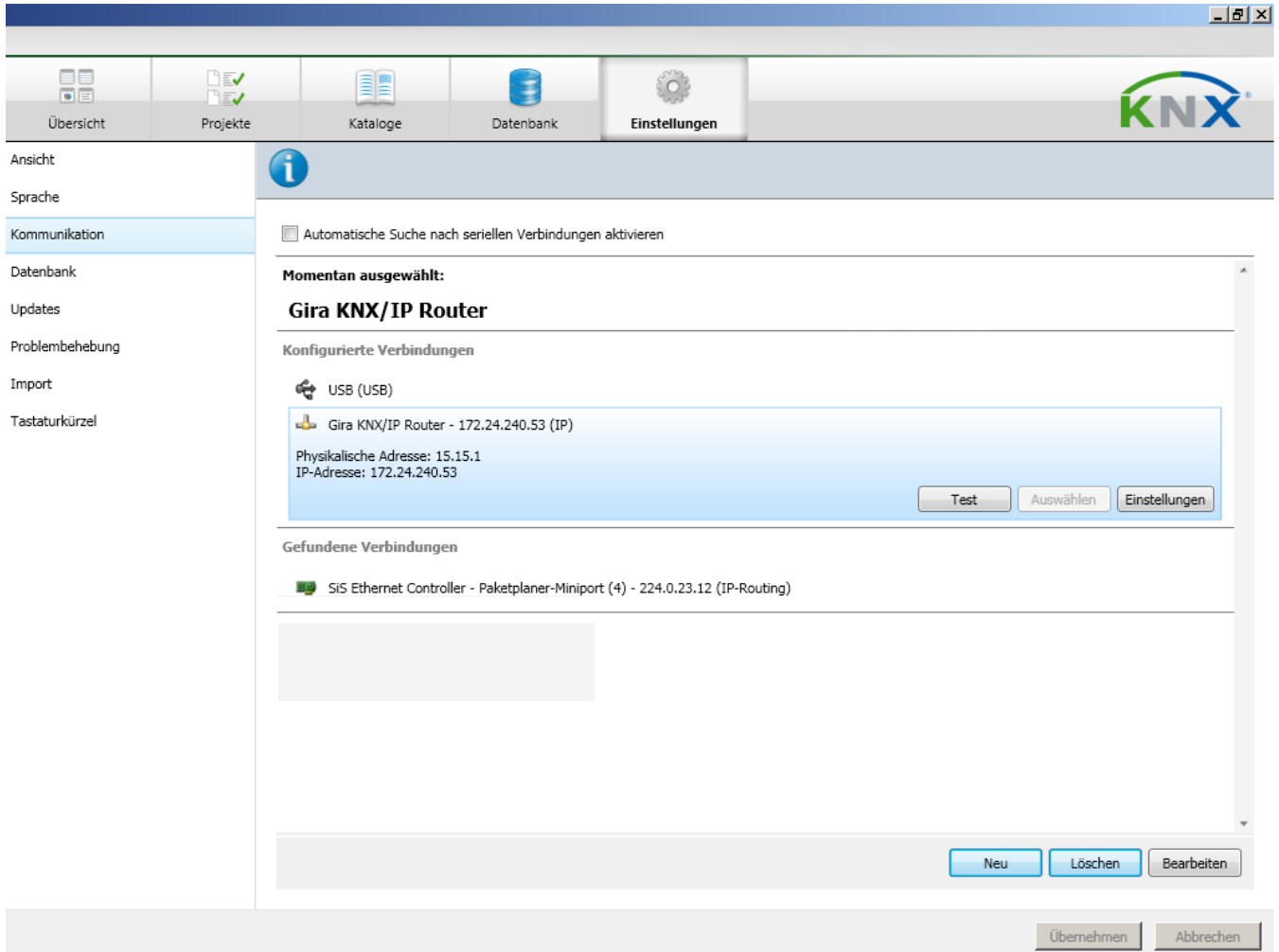


Figure 10: Select device in the ETS4 under "Configured connections"

- The configuration dialogue opens. The desired address must now be entered in the field of the physical address of the device. It must be ensured that an address from another device in the ETS project is not used (if necessary, check using the ETS "Address free?").

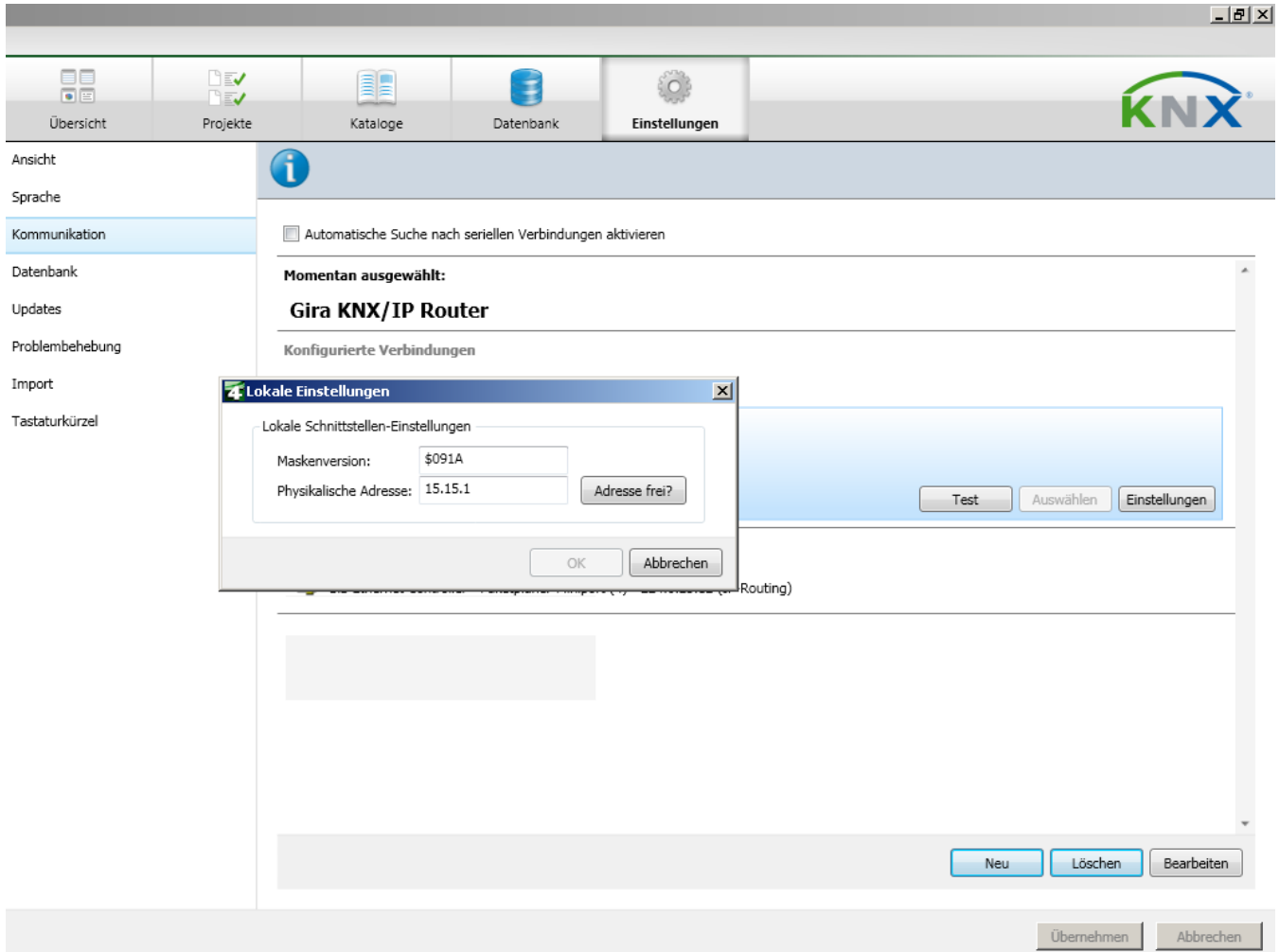


Figure 11: Setting the local physical address

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