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PROmesh P10+ **User Manual**



Layer-2-Managed Industrial Ethernet-Switch



















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WARNING

Commissioning and operation of this device must only be performed by qualified personnel. Qualified personnel within the meaning of the safety notices in this manual are persons authorised to commission, ground, and mark devices, systems, and circuits in accordance with safety engineering standards.

Improper use or configuration of the *PROmesh P10*+ in the network may cause severe physical injury as well as property and material damage, also due to uncontrolled machine movements.



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1 General information

Please read this document thoroughly from start to finish before you begin installing the device and putting the device into operation.

1.1 Overview of the PROmesh P10+ - function scope

The *PROmesh P10*+ is an industrial Ethernet switch with management and PROFINET functions that can be configured easily and conveniently via a web application. It supports the effective setup of all network topologies, such as bus, star, and ring structure in your plant, with its comprehensive functions with Store & Forward technology.

Features:

- Web application for configuration
- Anti-reverse supply 12-48V DC, redundant operation possible
- Line diagnostics
- Leakage current monitoring
- MAC and IP based Firewall (Blacklist and Whitelist)
- NAT Routing
- Port statistics (network load in ms, errors, discards)
- Alarm management
- 8 x 10/100/1000 Mbit/s RJ45; 2 x 100/1000/2500 Mbit/s SFP
- Switch technology: Store & Forward
- MAC address table: 16K (16384 addresses)
- PROFINET Conformance Class B
- PROFINET Netload Class III
- Quality of Service (QoS) with eight priority queues
- Prioritisation by class of service (COS), type of service (TOS), or port priority
- Limitation of incoming and outgoing packets
- Port mirroring (Rx/Rx and Tx packets)
- Port-based VLAN with 4096 possible VLAN IDs
- Simple Network Time Protocol (SNTP) client and NTP server
- Simple Mail Transfer Protocol (SMTP)
- Internet Group Management Protocol Snooping (IGMP Snooping)
- Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol (DHCP) client function
- Simple Network Management Protocol (SNMP), v1, v2c, v3
- Update, save, and backup the system configuration via web interface, TFTP, and memory card



1.2 Scope of supply

The scope of supply comprises the following individual parts:

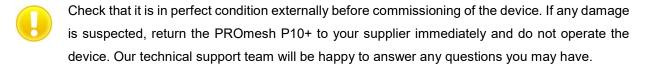
- PROmesh P10+
- 7-pin pluggable terminal block, 2.5 mm² (power supply and alarm contact)
- User quick start guide (hardcopy)
- · SD card, for backup and update

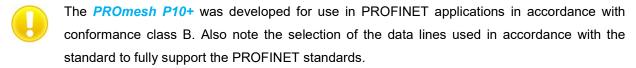
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Insert the external memory card into the corresponding slot on the back of the unit before using the device for the first time (see Figure 1).

1.3 Safety notices





Always observe the technical specification of the device to ensure safe and optimum use. The device is designed for IP30 protected environments. Take appropriate measures in case of deviating operating environment to ensure proper operation of the device.

Do not open the housing under any circumstances. No parts that require servicing have been installed. Unauthorised opening of the housing will void any warranty claims.



2 Connections and status indicators on the device

Device connections

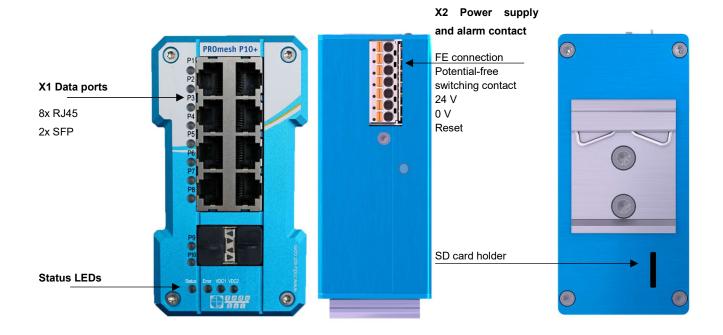


Figure 1: Device connections



2.2 Installation

The PROmesh P10+ is designed for individual use in control cabinets of various types and can be mounted on a standard 35 mm DIN top-hat rail.

Only use the existing top-hat rail fastening for mounting the device or, if necessary, purchase appropriate spare parts to ensure sufficient electrical contact and the mechanical load capacity of the device.

2.3 Mounting

The *PROmesh P10*+ is mounted vertically in the control cabinet on a 35 mm DIN top-hat rail in accordance with DIN EN 60715.

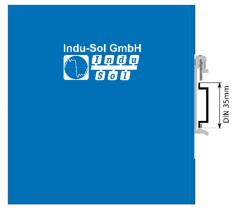


Figure 2: Side view with connection terminal on the right

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The following distances to other assemblies must be observed for correct mounting:

• To the left and right: 20 mm

• Up and down: 50 mm

Assembly and disassembly of the device are displayed in Figure 3.





Figure 3: Mounting and dismounting on the top-hat rail



Do not mount the *PROmesh P10+* switches directly adjacent to any devices that generate strong electromagnetic interference fields, such as transformers, contactors, frequency converters, etc.



Do not mount the *PROmesh P10+* switches directly adjacent to any heat-generating devices and protect the switch from direct sunlight to avoid unwanted heating. Protect the PROmesh P10+ from any additional heat radiation and observe the permitted storage and operating temperature range.

2.4 Connection of power supply and error relay

Operate your *PROmesh P10+* with a nominal voltage of DC 12 V to 48 V. Connect the redundant power supply VDC1 and VDC2 to the correspondingly marked connection terminals of the supplied 7-pin terminal block adapter (VDC1, GND as well as VDC2, GND) to ensure your system availability. The power supply shall comply with UL60950-1/UL62368-1, Class 2 (NEC), limited energy source (UL61010-1).

The 7-pin 2.5 mm² connector terminal block on the top of the device is assigned as follows:

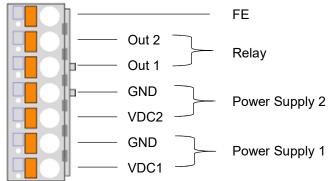


Figure 4:Connector terminal block assignment

Connections and status indicators on the device



The listed labels are also included on the connector terminal block supplied.

There is a potential-free error relay contact (NC contact) at the OUT terminals inside the unit. The relay serves as an alarm receiver. It can be linked to various alarm triggers in the software. The relay contact then opens, for example, in case of a power outage or a change in the status of the port depending on the configuration.



2.5 LED displays

There are four diagnostic LEDs on the front panel of the switch.

Each of the 10 data ports also has a status LED.

The LEDs display the most important diagnostic information about the device and connection status of the PROmesh P10+ in your PROFINET network (see Table 1).

LED	Status	Meaning	
VDC1	Green	Voltage at connection sufficient	
VDC1	Off	Voltage at connection insufficient	
VDC2	Green	Voltage at connection sufficient	
VDC2	Off	Voltage at connection insufficient	
Status	Green	Active PROFINET connection to the controller	
Status	Yellow	No PROFINET connection to the controller	
Error	Red	Configured alarm active	
Error	Off	No configured alarm active	
	Off	No link	
LED ports 1-10 (green)	Flashing	Link + data exchange (flashing speed reflects link speed)	
	On	Link	

Table 1: LED functions

2.6 Reset button

The reset button can be used if the PROmesh P10+ experiences any unexpected abnormalities that render it inaccessible. It can either restart the PROmesh P10+ or reset to its factory settings. This requires the following procedure:

- Restarting the device: Push the reset button for 1 second
- Reset to factory settings: Push the reset button until all LEDs go out (approx. 10s)



2.7 Network integration & commissioning

2.7.1 Data ports

The **PROmesh P10+** is equipped with 10 data ports that allow data transmission at up to 2.5 Gbit/s in compliance with PROFINET standard 2.4. The actual data rate is negotiated by the device using autonegotiation.

2.7.2 Media selection & connection

The PROmesh P10+ has nine data ports for connecting RJ-45 copper cables.

Observe the applicable standards and fixed connections in the connector application when designing, selecting, assigning, and assembling your data cable in order to ensure the longest possible cable length and cascading of network segments in accordance with your media type (copper, optical fibre, etc.).

2.7.3 **Wiring**



Connect your PROmesh P10+ via the existing RJ-45 data ports using twisted pair cables of category 5 (Cat 5) or higher with a maximum cable length of up to 100 m. We recommend the PROFINET RJ45 connectors from Indu-Sol to improve the shielding.



2.8 Network topologies & redundancy

The devices of the *PROmesh* product family can be used in redundant networks, such as meshed networks or rings, via different protocols in addition to being used in star-shaped switched Ethernet networks.

2.8.1 Network topologies

Classical Ethernet star structures (see Figure 5) can be linked to the *PROmesh P10+* switches without additional configuration. The devices are ready for use immediately.

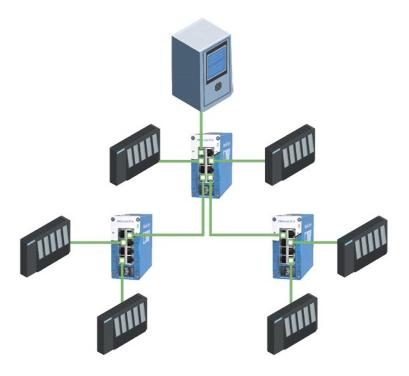


Figure 5: **PROmesh P10+** in a star network

2.8.2 Ring structure

The *PROmesh P10+* supports the IEC 62439 standard, thereby enabling deterministic reconfiguration of information forwarding in simple redundancy (ring topologies, see Figure 6). This enables reconfiguration times of up to 200 ms, depending on the size of your system.



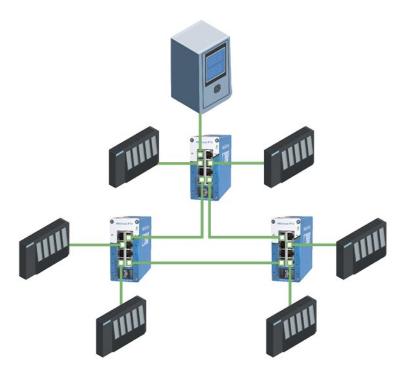


Figure 6: PROmesh P10+ in a ring-shaped network



3 Web application

The *PROmesh P10+* switches are equipped with a modern web interface that may be configured comfortably from any web browser.

3.1 Preparations

Install the *PROmesh P10+* switch on the network before using web management and ensure that the PC designated to configure the switches can access the switch through the web browser. The PROmesh P10+ and the client PC to be connected must be in the same IP address range and IP subnet. You must assign an PROmesh P10+ IP address at first use for this.

The following IP address, subnet mask, administrator username, and administrator password are set when the device is shipped from the factory:

IP address: 0.0.0.0
Subnet mask: 0.0.0.0
Gateway: 0.0.0.0
Username: admin
Password: admin



Make sure to change the factory-set password when logging in for the first time. You are responsible for documenting this password and protecting it from unauthorised access.

You can easily set your intended user addresses with the **Indu-Sol ServiceTool**. This is part of the scope of delivery or can be downloaded for free via the following link:

https://sdx.indu-sol.com/s/CtYtsHNW73Z3KCa

Our software is updated regularly. Please ensure that you have the latest version.

Establish a network connection from your computer to a port of the switch and scan the system with the search setting *PROFINET device* after installing and opening the software. You can then make the appropriate entries in the input mask and save them.

The corresponding address settings are then made automatically this way if you include the switch in a PROFINET system in the hardware configuration of the controller.

A user access with lower authorizations and adapted menu navigation is available as an alternative to the administrator access. The user has no access to the Switching, PROFINET and redundancy functions or their sub-items. The submenus for system configuration are also restricted. The access data for this are:

Username: userPassword: user



3.2 System login

- 1. Launch a web browser on your computer.
- 2. Enter the IP address of the *PROmesh P10+* switch you are using into the address line of the web browser and confirm your entry with the *Enter* Button.
- 3. The login mask of the device now appears on the screen.

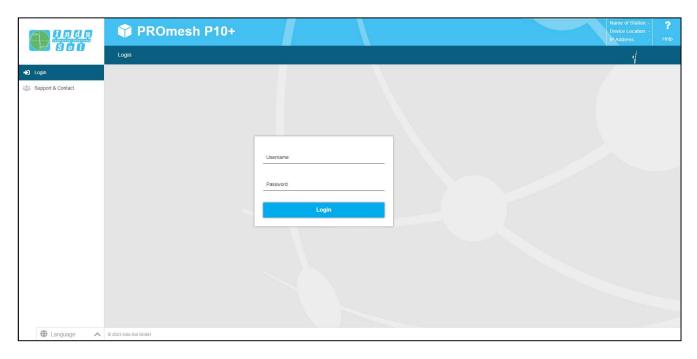


Figure 7: Login mask

- 4. Select the desired menu language (DE / EN). You can change this at any time, in any menu of the web interface.
- 5. Then enter the username and password.
- 6. Pressing the *Enter* key or clicking *Login* will take you to the switch web interface.

3.3 Web interface

The following symbols are used in the web interface for a simple status display of the individual ports:



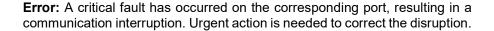
No error: The communication works without any errors.



Warning: At least one communication fault (discards, error) has occurred on the corresponding port, which has not yet led to a failure. The cause of these events should be located and corrected.









There is no communication at the respective port. Either no device is connected (potentially also at line interruption) or no telegram traffic can be detected (serious fault in the network) or the devices no longer communicate.

3.4 Start

Successful login will lead to the main overview with the information bar, where the device name, the installation location, and the IP address are displayed. The current user is displayed under the logout button at the right end of the bar. You can log out by pushing the button. The help button displays notes and explanations for the individual pages.

The port statistics provide an overall view of the state of the existing ports since the switch was started or reset (history) and within the last minute (current). You can choose between two views. In the Overview view:

- Current partners
- Transmission speed
- · Diagnostic messages

are displayed. In the Details view, the parameters of the overview and:

- · Mains load per s
- Discards
- Errors
- Line quality value

are displayed.

The number of messages that have occurred is displayed in the message window. Clicking on the alarm bell will automatically call up the entries in the message list. The messages as well as the counter status of the ports can be deleted with the corresponding buttons.

The leakage current overview shows the current value between the RJ45 ports and the device's top-hat rail. It is possible to switch between the display of the peak value (peak) and the effective value (RMS) or this. This information makes interference currents visible at an early stage, which can lead to direct communication disturbances.



The top-hat rail must have been grounded properly in order to measure the leakage current correctly.

Selection in the menu bar allows you to call up the individual pages and make settings there. The displayed menu items are subdivided into further subitems.





Figure 8: Start



3.5 System information

An overview of the enabled or disabled protocols and functions is displayed under this menu item in addition to the device information. You can switch directly to the corresponding protocols and functions in order to make settings there by selecting the respective Edit button.

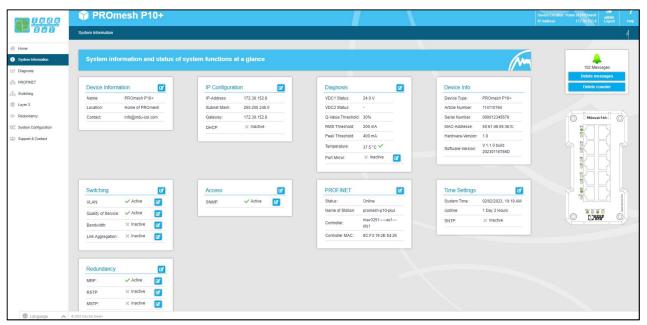


Figure 9: Status and diagnosis

3.6 Diagnosis

The diagnosis page provides an overview of the status of configured alarm triggers (alarm trigger configured or not) for the individual diagnostic data acquired by the PROmesh P10+. The status for topology determination and port mirroring is also displayed.

3.6.1 Line diagnostics

Line diagnosis is available for ports 1 - 10. The quality of the connected connections is checked cyclically (every second). The line quality can lie between the values 100 and 0%. In this context, 0% corresponds to a defective cable, i.e., no data exchange is possible.



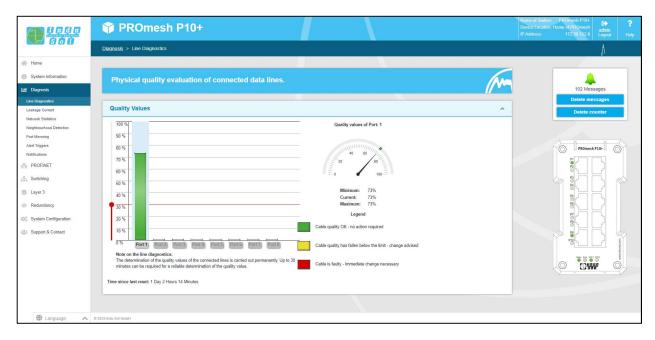


Figure 10: Quality value

Information bar chart

3 values are displayed per bar.

The grey part of each bar shows its maximum value. The lesser coloured part, bordered by a black line, shows the current quality value. The colour-saturated part, which is bordered by a line with 2 arrows, shows the worst quality value of the connection so far. Colouring of the bars is based on this, which is done in accordance with the traffic light colour principle with green-yellow-red:

- Green: The line quality is in order; no measures required.
- Yellow. The defined threshold value of 30% was not reached. The line quality is not sufficient.
 The connection should be checked at the next maintenance interval.
- Red: No more data exchange can take place. Check the plug contacts and the data line.

A cable designation can be stored for each port in the port configuration menu. This can be displayed with a "mouse-over" (moving the mouse pointer over the port).

Miscellaneous

The threshold value that turns the bar yellow and recommends checking the connection, can be adjusted by the user. It is not recommended to set the threshold value below 30%. The alarms menu can be used to define alarms for the line quality value, which send messages via relay, SNMP, PROFINET, or email when a threshold value is undershot.



3.6.2 Leakage current

Leakage current monitoring (Figure 11) permits permanent recording and evaluation of the sum of all shield currents of the PROFINET lines that are discharged via the device into the equipotential bonding system. The associated spectrum with the respective frequency components is specified for this purpose, in addition to the current value. The PROmesh series offers mechanisms for detecting EMC interference or coupling with this function.

Other functions:

- Download of the frequency spectrum after a threshold value has been exceeded
- Switching the axes between decimal and logarithmic scaling



Figure 11: Leakage current

3.6.3 **Network statistics**

The port statistics page provides information about the traffic on each port. This information is useful for diagnostic purposes or in case of network problems.

In the main overview of the port statistics, the following information is provided for each port:

- Received data packets
- Data packets sent
- Maximum mains load
- CRC error (destroyed telegrams)
- Discards (telegrams discarded due to too much data)



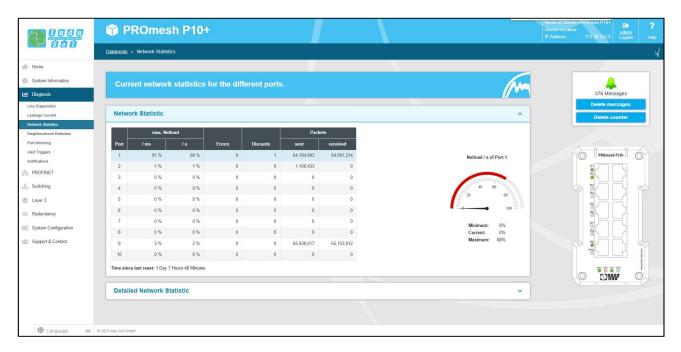


Figure 12: Port statistics

Resetting the values

The upper right part of the web interface contains the "Delete counter" button. The values of the table can be reset with this button.

Detailed port statistics

The size of the individual packets is recorded statistically up to various threshold values in the statistics details (up to 64, 127, 255, 511, 1023, or 1518 bytes).

The packets sent are distinguished as follows:

- Number of unicast packets (packets to one receiver)
- Number of non-unicast packets

The received packets are distinguished between:

- Number of all packets
- Total bytes received
- Number of received fragments

The line *Packets up to bytes* gives information about the number of packets in different sizes. This records the number of packets received up to 63, 127, 255, 511, 1023, or 1518 bytes in size.

In addition, packet collisions are detected and distinguished by:

• Late (a collision that occurs after more than 512 bits)



- Total
- . Such collisions and the associated data loss always occur when several subscribers want to send simultaneously on one medium.

3.6.4 Neighbourhood detection (LLDP)

The Link Layer Discovery Protocol (LLDP) is a vendor-independent layer-2 protocol that provides the ability to exchange information (addresses, names, and descriptions) between neighbouring devices. An LLDP agent operates on every device that supports LLDP. This sends information about its own state at periodic intervals and receives information from neighbouring devices.

Since this is done independently, LLDP is also referred to as a one-way protocol.

The following information is compiled and sent by LLDP:

- Port name
- Device name
- IP address
- Device description

MAC table

The forwarding database provides information about which MAC address is connected to which port of the switch.

Settings

The LLDP interval parameter can be used to define the time intervals (in seconds) where the device-specific LLDP telegram is sent to the neighbouring devices. The default setting is 5 seconds.

3.6.5 **Port mirroring**

Port mirroring is a method of simultaneously directing traffic from one port (source) to a second port (destination) in networks for inspection. This means that the received and sent packets of the source port are duplicated to the monitoring port.

Monitoring of the source ports takes place without affecting the traffic of this port. The resulting mirror port can be connected to a LAN analyser or used for diagnosis and debugging.



- Port and port name: All ports are displayed here in order to select a destination port and one or more source ports.
- Destination port: If port mirroring is enabled, select a port on which to mirror the data. The
 mirrored packets can be forwarded to exactly one destination port.
- Source port: You can select which ports to monitor and forward their packets to the destination
 port here. It is possible to route only sent packets (TX for transmit) to the destination port or to
 monitor both directions, i.e., sent (TX for transmit) and received (RX for receive) packets. You
 can select a maximum of eight source ports on the switch. Check the respective checkbox to
 select a port.

After you have set the respective parameters, click the Apply button to save and apply the settings.

3.6.6 Alarm trigger

The menu item Alarms is used to configure alarm triggers and alarm receivers. Alarms can be created for the following events:

- Changing the status of a port
- Temperature too high or too low
- Failure of a power supply voltage
- MRP protocol event
- · Exceeding of a leakage current
- Exceeding the network load on a port
- Incorrect connected neighbour (can only be configured via the configuration software)
- Undercutting of the line quality value
- Voltage value of the 24 V power supply too high or too low

The alarms created can be linked to one or more alarm receivers, these include:

- Error relay
- SNMP traps
- Email addresses
- PROFINET (only configurable via configuration software)

If one of the alarms set up is detected and triggered, the software will forward the event to the corresponding alarm receiver and document the event as a syslog message.



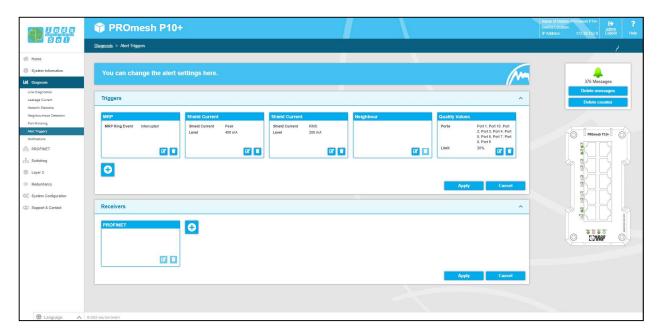


Figure 13: Alarm trigger

The configured alarm assignments are displayed in lists with consecutive ID.

- Alarm triggers with assigned receivers
- Alarm receivers with associated triggers

Add and edit alarm triggers

New alarms and messages can be added by clicking on the button with the "+" symbol. If alarms are already present, the user has the option of editing or deleting them using a button. In the upper part of the "Alarm trigger" pop-up, the user can select the different alarms. The associated recipients can be selected in the lower part of the pop-up and linked to the alarm trigger in this way when the alarms are set up and edited, provided that the alarm recipients have already been defined.

Adding and editing alarm recipients

New alarm recipients can be added by clicking on the button with the "+" symbol. The relay is already present as an alarm receiver and cannot be deleted, only linked to alarm triggers. The recipient email, SNMP, and PROFINET can be selected as well. The associated alarm triggers can be linked to the current recipient in the lower part of the pop-up.

 Error notifications are generated by the device and sent to a management station without being requested with Simple Network Management Protocol (SNMP). The device cannot determine whether the manager received the information since the packets are not acknowledged.



- The user can specify an email address and an SMTP (Simple Mail Transfer Protocol) server
 when using the email function. The device sends an email to the user if there is an alarm.
 Authentication can be enabled as an option. The required access data must be entered for this
 purpose.
- Once the switch has been integrated and parametrised in a Profinet network, the "PROFINET"
 alarm receiver is permanently set in the system and cannot be changed in the device. The alarm
 triggers for the individual events are enabled in the hardware configuration of the controller. If a
 trigger occurs, the switch sends an alarm message to the controller. This information can then be
 processed programme-technically within the PLC.

3.6.7 Messages

The messages help the user view status and error messages of the various functions. The messages are displayed in the overview with date and time, as well as a code, type, description, and reference. Since the log entries are not stored in the device, they are no longer available after a device restart or a power interruption. It is possible to use an external syslog server or the SD card to archive the messages permanently.

Statistics

This tab provides a summary of the individual error codes that have occurred and their frequency.

Settings

- Syslog server: Enable this function to save the messages on a syslog server. Enter the syslog server IP address in decimal point notation, select "File" from media type, and save the settings using the Apply button. Check if the server is reachable and saves the messages in a file.
- Media type SD card: Ensure that an SD card is inserted to save the messages on the SD card.
 Then select "SD card" under Media type and save the settings using the Apply button. Please
 check whether there is enough free memory on the SD card and whether the messages are
 saved in a file.

Resetting the entries

• The button "Delete entries" removes all entries from the table. The time of deletion of the entries can then be viewed as the first entry with the description "Logfile reset by User!" and reference "logFileReset()".



3.7 PROFINET

The abbreviation Profinet means Process Field Network. It refers to the open Industrial Ethernet standard for automation.

The device is developed as a Profinet IO device for connection of decentralised peripherals to a Profinet controller. The device supports conformance Class B. This page offers the option of making port settings for DCP and downloading the configuration file.

DCP settings:

You can specify for each port whether it supports the discovery and configuration protocol (DCP).
 DCP is used to distribute addresses and names to the individual subscribers in a Profinet IO system.

Additional information

The configuration file stored on this page is used to describe Profinet field devices. The file is written in General Station Description Markup Language (GSDML). The file serves as a basis for planning the configuration of a Profinet IO system.

Furthermore, the current state of the device in PROFINET, the PROFINET name assigned as well as its controller (if available) is displayed.

3.8 Switching

This page provides an overview of the enabled and disabled functions in the Switching area. You can see which functions are currently enabled right away. Clicking the Edit button takes you directly to the various pages to make further settings there.

Port configuration

The table provides an overview of the current configuration of the individual ports. The columns Enabled, Autonegotiation, Flow Control, and Designation can also be edited. The page is regularly refreshed and reloaded.



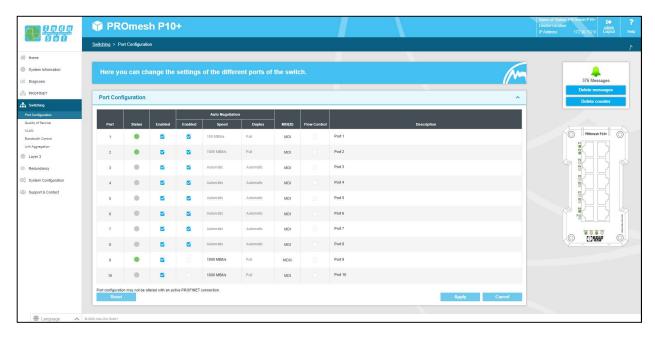


Figure 14: Port configuration

Details on the columns:

- Port: Specifies the port number, also marked on the housing.
- Enabled: The individual ports can be enabled or disabled. This specifies whether a port can be used or not.
- Status: Status signals the current state of the ports:
 - o green: The port is enabled and there is a connection.
 - grey: The port is inactive or disabled.
- Autonegotiation: If this function is enabled, the transmission speed and duplex mode are
 configured automatically. The device and the connected remote party negotiate the settings
 automatically. If autonegotiation is disabled, the settings can be firmly set manually:
 - Speed: The data rate of the ports can be firmly set. A data rate of 10 Mbps or 100 Mbps can be set.
 - Duplex: Duplex mode can be switched between half and full duplex. This setting is thus set firmly for a connection.
- MDI(X): The device can perform autocrossover detection by default. This means that the switch automatically detects whether the subscriber is connected via a crossed or non-crossed cable.
- Flow control: Flow control ensures that if a port is overloaded, the received data packets are ignored, and the connected device is signalled to stop sending.
- Designation: You can give the ports names in this column. The names are displayed throughout
 the configuration and facilitate the selection of the correct settings as well as diagnosis in the
 event of a fault. Click the port name to edit the name in the line.



3.8.2 Quality of service

Quality of service (QoS) includes all procedures that influence the data flow in the device. With the assignment to queues with different priorities, certain user data can be treated preferentially. For example, real-time data, control data, audio or video data may be preferred over file transfers.

The switch supports eight different queues that are processed with different priorities. It is possible to use only one of the classification methods listed below or to combine several.

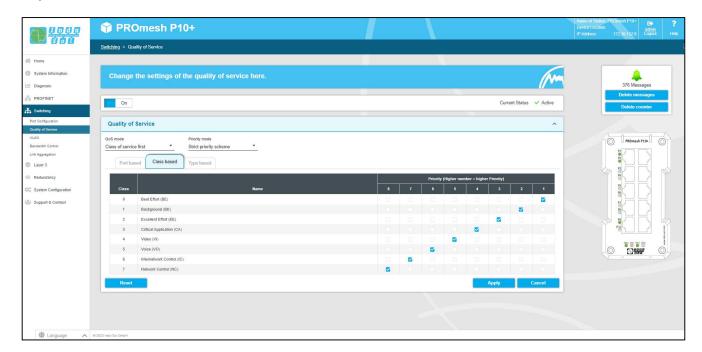


Figure 15: Quality of service

QoS mode and priority scheme

The QoS mode distinguishes between the following settings:

- Port based: You can set a priority for data transmission for each port and the switch will forward the data packets of that port in accordance with your priority.
- Classes based (COS): COS uses a data field present in the VLAN tag with priority information.
 Eight different priority values from best effort (BE,0-low) to network Control (NC,7-high) are specified. Assign the COS priorities to the switch's four queues as needed in your application.
- Type based (TOS): TOS uses a differentiated services code point (DSCP) data field in the IP
 header of packets that can have up to 64 different priorities. As with COS, you can use these
 priorities to prioritize real-time control data, Voice over IP (VoIP), or audio data over normal data
 transfer, for example. Adjust the settings to your requirements.
- QoS mode:
 - o Port-based only: Priorities are based only on the priority of the ports.



- Class of service only: Priorities are based solely on the class of service data field of the packets.
- Type of service only: Priorities are based solely on the type of service data field of the packets.
- Class of service first: In this variant, priorities are determined first by COS, then (if necessary) by TOS, and finally by port.
- Type of service first: Here, priorities are determined first by TOS, then (if necessary) by COS, and finally by port.

Priority scheme:

- Strict priority scheme: In the strict priority scheme, all packets leave a port until the associated priority queue is empty. Only then are packets sent from the lower priority queues. If packets arrive permanently in the highest priority queue, packets in the lowest priority queue may never be sent. This mode is recommended when there are very high real-time requirements.
- Weighted order: This approach prevents low-priority packets from never being sent when there are permanent high-priority packets to be sent. There is only a slightly higher latency for the high priority packets. The switch primarily sends high priority packets and also processes all low priority queues in one send cycle.

VLAN

A virtual LAN (VLAN) is a logical group of network subscribers. It allows the isolation of a network part. Any traffic from network subscribers of a VLAN group is transferred only within the VLAN group.

In the VLAN menu, VLAN settings can be made for each individual port. You can define port-specific in which VLAN a port should have its PVID and for which VLANs the port should be untagged or tagged.

- Tagged: Ports that are configured as tagged in a VLAN provide packets with a VLAN tag.
 Usually switch switch connections are configured as tagged. A port can be configured as a tagged port in multiple VLANs. This means that VLANs are not restricted to individual switches, but can also be operated across multiple switches.
- Untagged: Ports that are stored as untagged in a VLAN can receive and forward packets of this VLAN ID. A port can be stored as an untagged port in multiple VLANs if the devices connected to this port shall communicate with multiple VLANs.
- PVID: Only one PVID can be assigned to each port. The PVID determines to which switch-internal VLAN group the incoming packet is assigned. The VLAN tag of the packet header is not yet changed by this. Only when the packet leaves the switch via a tagged port is the VLAN tag entered according to the PVID of the incoming port.

Global you can define:



- The management VLAN: The switch itself can be reached via the management VLAN. If the switch is
 parameterized in a PROFINET controller, an EtherNet/IP scanner or another management software,
 then it must be ensured that the management VLAN is located in the same VLAN as the
 scanner/controller/software.
- VLAN can be deactivated/activated: By default, VLAN is disabled. This causes the switch to operate in the Transparent mode. If VLAN is activated then the switch works in the Bridge mode.

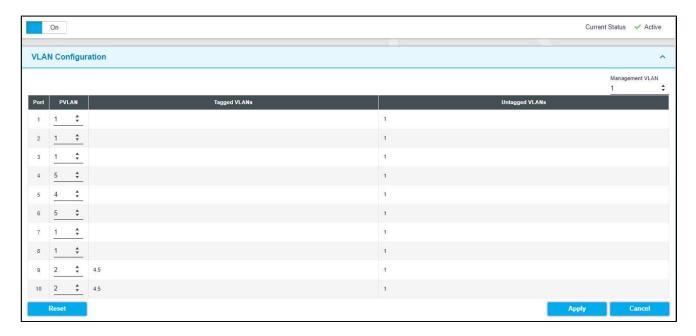


Figure 16: VLAN Configuration

3.8.4 Bandwidth control

Bandwidth control makes it possible to enforce bandwidth limits on a port. You can set different send and receive rates for each port (incoming/outgoing packets) and apply them to specific packet types.

The tabular overview offers the following settings:

- ID: Specifies the port number, also marked on the housing.
- Packet type: Select a packet type to filter by.
 - o All: The specified limits are observed for all packets transported via the port.
 - o Broadcasts: The set limits apply to all broadcast packets (to all devices in the network).
 - Broadcast & multicasts: The set limits apply to all broadcast and multicast packets (to all or multiple devices on the network).
 - Broadcast, multicast & unknown unicasts: The limits apply to all broadcast, multicast, and unknown unicast packets (to one subscriber).



- Limit of incoming packets: Select the effective ingress rate of the port. Possible are 128 kbit/s, 256 kbit/s, 512 kbit/s, 1 Mbit/s, 2 bBit/s, 4 Mbit/s, and 8 Mbit/s. "No limit" is defined as the default value.
- Outgoing packet limit: The data rates for outgoing packets refer to all packet types. Select the
 effective egress rate of the port. Possible are 128 kbit/s, 256 kbit/s, 512 kbit/s, 1 Mbit/s, 2 Mbit/s,
 4 Mbit/s and 8 Mbit/s. "No limit" is defined as the default value.

After you have made the desired settings, click "Apply" to save them.

3.8.5 Link aggregation

Using the link aggregation function, several physical connections can be combined into one logical connection. This way, you can transfer greater amounts of data between 2 devices. (If you combine 2 physical connections between 2 PROmesh P10+ by means of link aggregation, then instead of 1 x 1Gbit/s up to 2x 1Gbit/s can be transmitted)

Link aggregation can be static or dynamic.

Static

You can add a new link aggregation group via the "+" button. Then you can:

- Group ID: Each link aggregation group has an ID (1-14)
- Type: Specifies whether static or dynamic link aggregation is used
- Ports: Here you can select the physical ports that should belong to a link aggregation group (a logical connection).

With the "Apply" button, the settings can be accepted and applied.

Dynamic (LACP)

This menu lets you decide whether LACP is executed dynamically, statically, or not at all.

The following settings are required for this:

- Type: Select whether LACP is to be executed dynamically, statically, or not at all.
- Group ID: This setting is relevant if you want to apply static link aggregation. Combine ports into
 one group for this by entering the same group ID. This setting will not be required for dynamic
 link aggregation.
- Mode: This setting is relevant for dynamic LACP. The LACP protocol is active for the port in active mode. The LACP protocol is only active for the port in passive mode if the remote station of the port connection is also in passive mode. The protocol is sent to bridge a link failure



- without packet loss. At least one side of the link must be configured as the active part with dynamic link aggregation.
- Port priority: This setting is relevant for dynamic LACP. If another port is required for a logical
 connection, the free dynamic port with the highest port priority is selected. The lower the
 number, the higher the priority.

3.9 Layer 3

This page gives you an overview of the activated and deactivated functions in the Layer 3 area. You can see directly which functions are currently activated. By clicking on the edit button, you can go directly to the various pages and make further settings there.

3.9.1 **NAT Configuration**

Network Address Translation (NAT) is a method for changing IP addresses in IPv4 packets. This allows you, for example, to enable two networks whose devices cannot normally interact with each other to communicate. This also includes the possibility of separating an existing network. The parent network must be connected to the layer 3 port of the switch for this. Port 10 is set as this by default. Devices of the internal network can be connected to the remaining 9 ports. The NAT functionality allows you to specifically define which devices of your internal network are allowed to communicate with the devices of the external (superordinate) network.

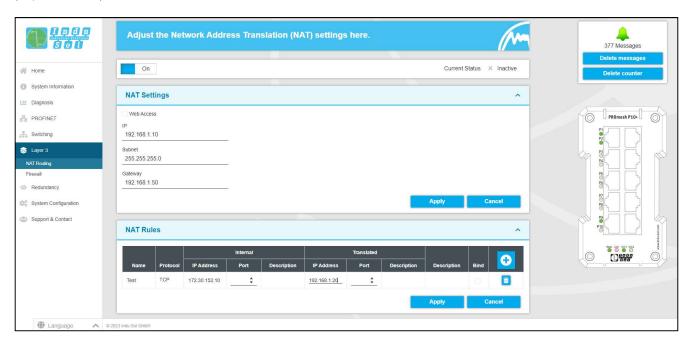


Figure 17: NAT Configuration



NAT Settings

In this tab you can make settings for the Layer 3 port of the PROmesh P10+:

- Enable NAT: After you enable the NAT function, port 10 becomes the NAT port of the unit. Otherwise, port 10 acts as a conventional layer 2 port.
- Web Access: By checking this box, the web interface of the PROmesh P10+ can be accessed from the external network (normally only possible via internal network).
- IP Address: This defines the IP address of the layer 3 port. The IP address must be in the address
 range of the external network. The web interface of the PROmesh P20 can be accessed via this IP
 address if web access is activated.
- Subnet mask: This defines the subnet mask of the layer 3 port.
- External standard gateway: If it is necessary that devices of the internal network do not have to communicate in the external network, but in another network connected to it, then the standard gateway of the external network can be stored here.

NAT Rules

In this tab you can define Network Access Translation rules. In order to activate these rules, the Layer 3 Port must be activated in the Layer 3 Port menu. To create a NAT rule, the following entries are required:

- Name: Assign a name for the NAT rule.
- Protocol: Here you can determine whether the rule exists only for UDP, only for TCP or for all
 protocols.
- Internal IP address: Enter the IP address of the device that is to be allowed to communicate in the superordinate (external) network.
- Internal network port: This entry is only necessary if you have selected TCP or UDP mode. The
 devices of the external network are only allowed access to one port of the internal device here. All
 other ports cannot be accessed.
- Description: A description of the device / IP address is optionally possible here.
- External IP address: The IP address to be entered here is freely selectable. It only has to come
 from the address range of the superordinate network and must not yet be assigned. The unit can
 be reached from the superordinate network via this IP address.
- External network port: This entry is only required if you have selected TCP or UDP mode. The external device can only access the internal device via the port specified here.
- Bind: By setting a check mark in the Bind field of the respective NAT rule and then pressing Apply,
 the rule is activated.



3.9.2 Firewall

In this menu you can activate the firewall function of the PROmesh P10+. The firewall can be activated specifically for one or more ports. The firewall can work on a MAC and/or IP basis. Firewall rules can be created as a blacklist or whitelist. Please note that the firewall is an inbound firewall. This means that the defined rules only apply to incoming data traffic.

This must be taken into account when setting up the rules and selecting ports. The following settings can be made in the menu:

General

- Firewall Mode: Select whether the firewall should work on IP basis, MAC basis or combined. It is no longer possible to change the mode after the firewall has been activated.
- Activation Period: Set the period of time for which the firewall is valid.
- Firewall Ports: Select for which ports the created firewall rules are applied.

Rules

- Firewall Rules: Enter the relevant communication relationship here. On IP basis, the source and destination IP is mandatory. Optionally, specific ports (e.g. port 80 http) can be selected.
- For the MAC-based firewall, the source and destination MAC must be specified. Furthermore, a
 dedicated limitation of the data traffic can be carried out according to Ethertype.
- Blacklist/ Whitelist: Specify whether the communication relationship is to be considered as a
 whitelist or blacklist. Via "Add to Whitelist" or "Add to Blacklist" a rule is created with the entered
 parameters.

Rules that have already been created can be removed with the "Trash can" button or adjusted in the respective line.



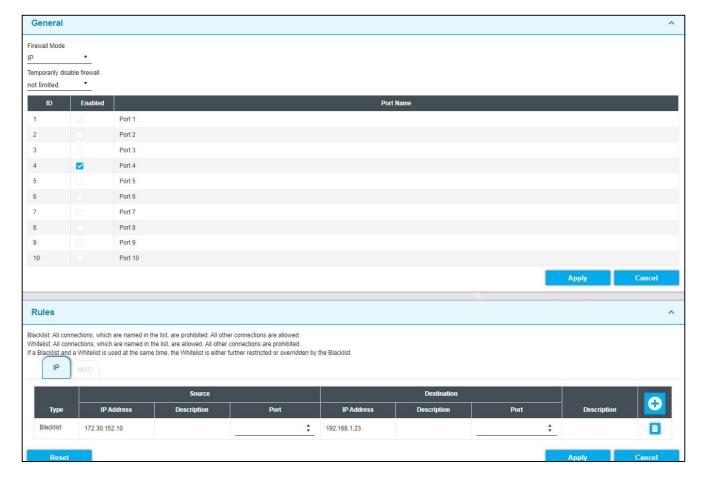


Figure 18: Firewall

3.10 Redundancy

This page provides an overview of the available redundancy protocols and their status. It is not possible to have multiple redundancy protocols running at the same time, so only one can be enabled. With the help of the edit buttons, you can access the protocols and carry out the configuration there.

The following protocols are available:

- MRP: The media redundancy protocol is a ring protocol for highly available networks, which is achieved by inserting redundant paths.
- RSTP: The rapid spanning tree protocol is a standardised method to manage mixed structures in the network and contains a mechanism for automatic reconfiguration.
- MSTP: MSTP generally can create a separate spanning tree for each VLAN.

The use of redundancy protocols guarantees your network increased reliability and availability in the event of a fault. The failure of a component is absorbed, and the subscribers not affected by the failure can continue to communicate.



3.10.1 **MRP**

The media redundancy protocol is a ring protocol for highly available networks. The high availability is made possible by redundant communication paths, which are set to shutdown state during normal operation. The subscribers connected in the network operate in a line topology, although it is physically a ring. In the event of a fault, communication can take place via the previously disabled path after a very short recovery time.

MRP uses a redundancy manager that tests the continuity of the ring by means of special test packets and reconfigures the network in the event of a fault and informs the subscribers accordingly. The guaranteed reconfiguration time, with up to 50 devices in the ring, is 200 ms. The reconfiguration time usually is less than 50 ms in a typical application.

Ring configuration

Please note that the ring must not be physically closed until MRP is fully configured. One device per ring must be configured as manager. The other devices must be configured as clients. The following settings are required for MRP:

- First ring port: Please select a port to work as primary ring port.
- Second ring port: Specify a second port to operate as a secondary ring port. Please note that the secondary ring port and the primary ring port must be different.
- This device operates as: Please specify whether the device should act as a manager or as a client. Please note that only one manager may be used per ring.

3.10.2 **RSTP**

The rapid spanning tree protocol (RSTP) is a standardised method for managing mixed structures, including a ring, on the network. It prevents network loops that can result from redundant transmission paths and includes a mechanism for automatic reconfiguration after a device or link failure.

Enable the RSTP function globally before configuring the corresponding parameters.

Root bridge information

The following parameters are displayed in this field:

- Root port: Indicates which port is working as the root port. This port is the shortest path to the root bridge
- Root bridge ID: Identification number of the current root bridge negotiated between the devices.



- Designated cost: Path cost calculated for the connection to the root bridge.
- Root bridge MAC address: Displays the MAC address of the root bridge.

Device settings

Configure the protocol for your application:

- Forward delay: The time a port waits before switching from the RSTP learning and listening state to the forwarding state. Enter a value between 4 and 30 seconds.
- Maximum age: The amount of time a bridge waits before attempting to reconfigure without receiving spanning tree configuration protocol messages. Enter a value between 6 and 40 seconds.
- Bridge priority: This value is used for negotiating the root bridge. The bridge with the lowest value
 has the highest priority and is chosen as the root bridge. The value must be between 0 and
 61440 and a multiple of 4096.
- Hello Time: The time interval at which the switch sends BPDU (Bridge Protocol Data Unit)
 packets to check the current status of the RSTP. Enter a value between 1 and 10 seconds.
- TX hold count: Specifies the maximum number of Hello packets transmitted within an interval. A
 minimum of 1 and a maximum of 10 packets are allowed.

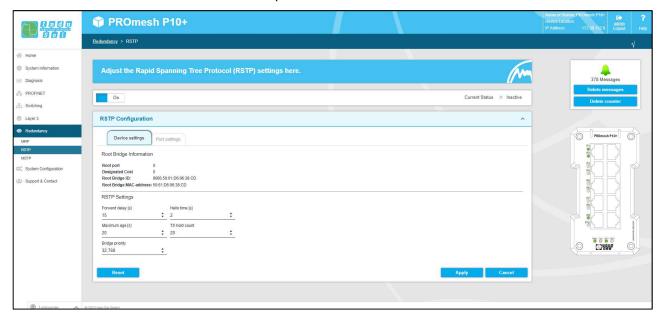


Figure 16: Device settings RSTP

Notice: Follow the rule to configure Forward Delay, Maximum Age and Hello Time:

2 * (Forward Delay Time – 1) >= MaxAge >= 2 * (Hello Time + 1).



Recommended procedure: Select a value for "Hello Time" and calculate with the formula 2 * (Hello Time + 1) in accordance with the rule given above to get the lower limit of the Maximum Age. Select a value for "Forward Delay Time" and use the formula 2 * (Forward Delay Time – 1) of the above rule to calculate the upper limit of the Maximum Age. Then select a Maximum Age between 6 and 40 seconds, which lies between the previously calculated limits.

When you have set the parameters, click "Apply" to apply the changes. The root bridge information is now displayed at the top of the page.

Port settings

Set the following port-related settings per port:

- Port: You can configure each ports individually.
- RSTP on: For each port, select whether or not to enable the Rapid Spanning Tree Protocol on that port.
- Status: Displays the current status of each port. The following are distinguished:
 - o Blocking: Discards packets; does not learn addresses; receives and processes BPDUs
 - Listening: Discards packets; does not learn addresses; receives, processes, and transmits BPDUs
 - Learning: Discards packets; learns addresses; receives, processes, and transmits
 BPDUs
 - Forwarding: Forwards packets; learns addresses; receives, processes, and transmits
 BPDUs
 - Disabled: Discards packets; does not learn addresses; does not receive and process
 BPDUs
- Role: Each port can run in one of the following modes:
 - Root port: A port in the forwarding state. Shortest way to the root bridge.
 - Designated port: A port in the forwarding state that allows communication to other bridges in the spanning tree.
 - Alternate port: An alternate path to the root bridge, in addition to the current root port.
 - Backup port: A backup path provided through a designated port towards the branches of the tree structure. Backup ports can only exist where two ports are connected as a loopback by a point-to-point connection or a bridge with two or more connections to a common LAN segment.
 - Disabled port: A port without any operational function in the tree structure.
- Priority: This allows the assignment of higher priorities to certain ports to influence the tree structure. Enter a number from 0 to 240. The value must be a multiple of 16.



- Costs: The cost from the sending bridge on the respective port of another bridge. Enter a number from 1 to 200,000,000. You can use this parameter to influence the structure of the tree.
 - o defined: The cost of a connection to the root bridge can be specified.
 - o designated: The designated costs are calculated by the RSTP and displayed here.
- Edge port: Specifies a port directly connected to an end device and not to another bridge (a switch). These ports cannot cause loops and therefore immediately switch to Forwarding mode.
 Changing the status of an edge port does not change the topology in any case. They speed up the reconfiguration time of the redundancy protocol by setting edge ports fixed.
 - Force: The port is configured as an edge port by default.
 - Auto: Edge ports are detected is automatically.

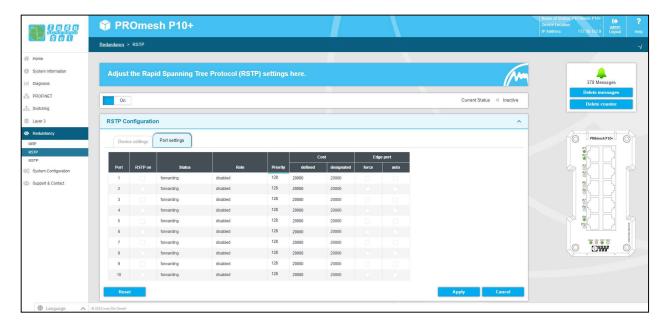


Figure 20: Port settings

Click Apply to apply the settings after you have set the respective parameters.

3.10.3 **MSTP**

Instance configuration

You can create Multiple Spanning Tree instances in this menu. This permits creation of a separate spanning tree for each VLAN. The following settings are required for this:

- Instances ID: Select the Multiple Spanning Tree Instance ID here. This ID must be identical for all switches that are to belong to the same spanning tree.
- Priority: Each subscriber of an MST instance can be assigned a priority. The values can be assigned in steps of 4096 (starting with 4096). The lower the value, the higher the priority. The subscriber with the lowest priority is declared the spanning tree master.
- VLANs: You can specify a VLAN or a VLAN group for which the spanning tree is created here.



Port setting

This menu lets you make the following settings:

- MTSP on: Enable the settings made in this menu
- BPDU Guard: The BPDU Guard is a security mechanism of the STP and should be enabled on all access ports. If these ports receive a BPDU, they are disabled. This can prevent disruption of the network by manipulated BPDUs.
- Edge port: Specifies a port directly connected to an end device and not to another bridge (a switch). These ports cannot cause loops and therefore immediately switch to Forwarding mode. Changing the status of an edge port does not change the topology in any case. They speed up the reconfiguration time of the redundancy protocol by setting edge ports fixed.
- Enforcing: When enabled, the port is configured as an edge port by default.
- · Auto: The port is not configured as an edge port by default.

3.11 System configuration

The system configuration page displays IP address settings, time settings, access options to the device, and general device information.

This page is to provide a concise view of the system configuration menu to help you understand how the device works and where action is needed.

You can switch directly to the corresponding protocols and functions in order to make the other settings there with the respective Edit button.

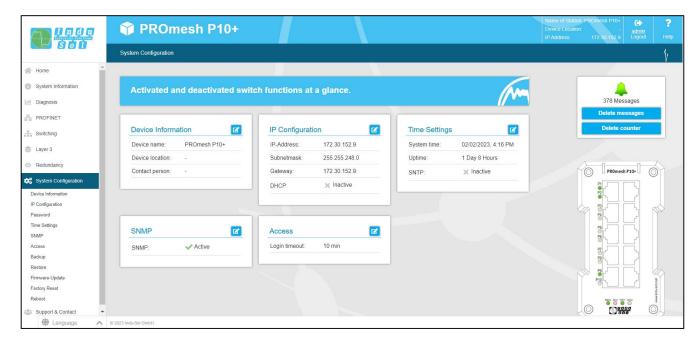


Figure 21: System configuration



3.11.1 **Device information**

The device information page allows you to assign a unique device name, installation location, and contact person to the device.

- Device name: This name corresponds to the PROFINET name and is assigned by means of DCP.
- Installation site: Specify the installation location of the device to facilitate localisation.
- Contact: Enter a contact person for the device.

The input fields are configured so that you may use up to 50 characters. Special characters may be used. The device name and installation location are displayed in the information bar at the top right and help you to keep track of the device.

3.11.2 **IP configuration**

The IP configuration can be performed either by the PROFINET controller, automatically using the Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol (DHCP) or manually. When the address is assigned automatically, the IP may change after a device restart, depending on the settings of the DHCP server.

PROFINET

If the device is configured in a PROFINET network, the device receives its IP configuration from the PROFINET controller. The IP configuration cannot be performed automatically or manually with an existing PROFINET connection.

Automatic

Select the checkbox "automatic (DHCP)" to get a configuration of the IP address, the subnet mask, and the default gateway from a server working in the network with corresponding function.

The device sends a request to the server and adopts the configuration received from the DHCP server after you have saved the settings by clicking on the Apply button. The device can no longer be reached via the default IP because now has a new IP address. Please contact your network administrator or use an appropriate tool (Indu-Sol ServiceTool) to obtain the new IP address.

Manual

If your network does not have a DHCP server or you want to make the settings manually, disable the "automatic (DHCP)" button and enter the following data:



- IP address: Please note that the IP address you set must be accessible from your PC so that you can connect to the device again to make the other settings.
- Subnet mask: Enter the subnet mask of the IP address, this separates the IP address into a
 network part and a device part. This defines which IP addresses can be reached directly by the
 device and which addresses must be addressed via a gateway.
- Gateway: Enter a default gateway. The gateway is used to communicate with devices outside your subnet.

Please check the settings carefully to avoid problems with duplicate IP addresses. The format of the IP address, the subnet mask and the gateway must be entered in decimal notation.

3.11.3 **Password**

On this page the default password for the users Admin and User can be changed. The usernames and rights of the administrator and the user are fixed and cannot be changed.

Form fields

- New password: Enter the password set for the previously selected user in this field. Please also note the information on assigning passwords in the section below.
- Confirm password: Repeat the password in this field to make sure that you have entered your password correctly.
- Current password: Please enter your current password here to ensure that you are authorised to change the password.

Notes on passwords

The security of your system is essentially related to the security of your passwords. Therefore, passwords generally should:

- not to use dictionary entries
- be as complex as possible
- use combinations of letters, numbers, and special characters
- use lower- and upper-case letters
- · have at least eight characters
- never be written down



3.11.4 Time setting

In this menu you can store the device time of the switch. For this you can store the time:

- Automatically (SNTP)
- Manually
- . Furthermore, the PROmesh P10+ can be used as a time server to provide other devices with the current system time.

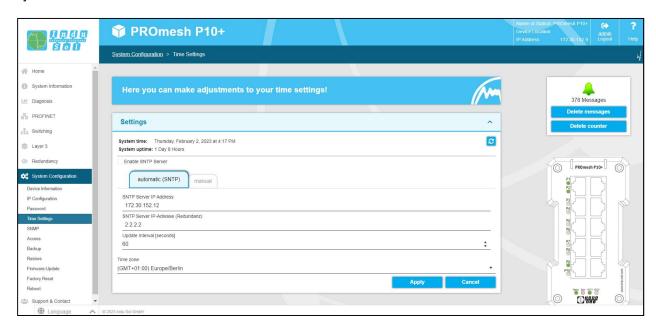


Figure 22: Time server

Automatically (SNTP)

- SNTP Server: Store the IP address of the time server. It is possible to store a second time server
 as redundancy.
- Update interval: You can determine the cycle in which the device time is synchronised with the time server here.
- Time zone: Then select your valid time zone

Manual

This setting lets you manually enter the current date and time by clicking the calendar icon. Furthermore, you can select your valid time zone under "Time zone".



3.11.5 **SNMP**

The Simple Network Management Protocol (SNMP) controls communication between the monitored devices and the monitoring station. It enables the reading and writing of system variables.

Current SNMP accesses

The overview table shows you the currently defined community strings and access permissions.

- Active: Indicates which community strings are currently enable and which are not.
- Community string: The accesses are defined by unique names that you can change.
- Read only: The community string allows read-only access.
- Read and write: The community string allows read and write access.
- Delete: You can mark the community strings to be deleted and then remove them with the "Delete" button.

Creating SNMP access

Click the "Add" button to create a new community string. The following parameters are required:

- Community string: Enter a unique name for the new SNMP access. A maximum of 32 characters is allowed.
- Access: Specify whether read-only or read and write access is allowed.

Save the settings by clicking on the "Create" button.

The device supports SNMP versions V1, V2C, and V3. Select the desired version.

The following additional settings are required for SNMP V3:

- Username: Assign a username here.
- Examination: Enter the authentication type here. You can choose between MD5 and SHA. Enter the corresponding password.
- Encryption: Select the encryption mechanism. You can choose between AES, DES, or no encryption.
- Access: Select whether only read, or read and write, permissions are granted by the configured access.

3.11.6 Access time

Settings



The time to automatic logout defines how long a session in web management remains without activity before an automatic logout occurs. You can set a time between 3 and 30 minutes. The default setting is 10 minutes.

Save your settings with the "Apply" button.

Furthermore, you can:

- Enable SSH and Telnet
- Enable web access via HTTP, HTTPS, or HTTP and HTTPS here

3.11.7 **Backup**

This menu item allows you to back the current configuration of the device up in a file. The backup can be saved as a download, to the SD card, or via TFTP.

The device creates and saves a backup file with all settings, which can be loaded at a later time using the Restore function.

- Download: The backup file will be stored in the browser's download directory, or the user can specify a path where the file is then saved.
- SD card: An SD card can be inserted into the SD card slot on the back of the device. This option then saves the backup file to this SD card.

3.11.8 Recovery

This menu item is used to import a previously saved backup file. The menu item Backup is used to create the backup file. The backup can be loaded via TFTP, as an upload or via SD card.

- Upload: The backup file is located on the computer currently in use and is transferred from there
 to the device.
- SD card: The backup file is stored on an SD card and is restored from there.

3.11.9 Firmware update

Here you can update the firmware of the device. Please only use firmware versions that you have received from Indu-Sol and that have been developed for the PROmesh switches.



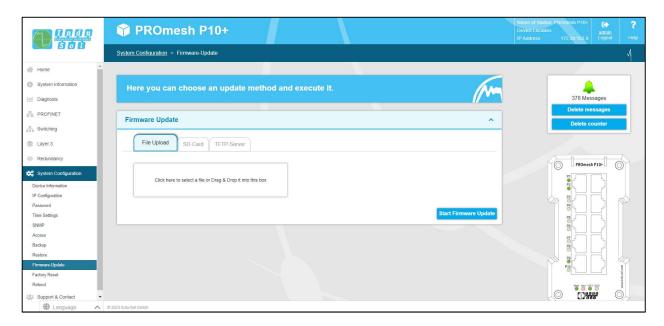


Figure 173: Firmware update

The firmware file is either provided by a TFTP server, uploaded to the device, or placed on an SD card. Before updating, check that you have selected the correct firmware image.

- Upload: The firmware update is located on the computer currently in use and is transferred from there to the device.
- SD card: The firmware update is stored on the SD card and installed from there.
- TFTP server: The firmware update is downloaded from a TFTP server on the network.

Preparation:

It is not recommended to perform the update if the MRP protocol is enabled. Please open the MRP ring first by pulling out one of the cables and then disable the media redundancy protocol. Now perform the firmware update.

Settings

- TFTP server IP address: Specify the IP address of the TFTP server available on the network in decimal dot notation.
- File name: Enter the name of the new firmware file to be installed here. Please specify the name relative to the root directory of the server.

Use the button "Start firmware update" to execute the action and confirm it in the window that opens. Please make sure that the firmware update can be executed completely.



Important:

Do not perform the following actions while the firmware update is in progress.

- Do not disconnect the device from the power supply voltage under any circumstances.
- Do not pull or change any network connectors.

A message will tell you when the update is complete. The device will restart automatically at that point.

3.11.10 Factory settings

This menu item is used to reset the device to its factory settings.

Click the "Reset to default" button for this and confirm it in the window that opens. The device must then be rebooted.

3.11.11 **Reboot**

You can restart the switch to perform a software reset here. Pressing the reboot button will exit the switch software and reboot the device.

You can also turn both power supply voltages of the switch off and on again to perform a hardware reset.

3.12 Support

The support section contains all relevant contact information for Indu-Sol

License information

The linked license.txt file contains information regarding the "Open Source Software" used.

3.13 Troubleshooting advice

- Check that the power supply is correct. At least one of the VDC LEDs must light up green.
- Check the link/act LEDs of the wired RJ45 sockets. The link LEDs must light up when a connection is established and flash when data is being transmitted.
- If in doubt, disconnect redundant network structures and reset the PROmesh P10+ switch to factory settings. Make your settings again bit by bit and observe where the error occurs if the communication works afterwards.



4 Technical specifications

Network connections	8 x up to 1 Gbit/s RJ45; 2 x up to 2,5 Gbit/s SFP
Power supply	12 V 48 V DC redundant power supply
Power consumption	Maximum 8 W
Dimensions (HxWxD)	110 mm x 60 mm x 132 mm
Weight	0.9 kg
Housing	Aluminium, anodised
Storage temperature	-40 °C 75 °C
Operating temperature	-40 °C 75 °C
Humidity	Humidity 5% 95% RHD non-condensing
Protection class	IP20 (not evaluated by UL)
Assembly	35 mm DIN top-hat rail
EMC	2014/30/EU EN 61000-6-2 / EN 55032
LED display	Status LEDs / port LEDs / power supply
Management	SNMP management
	Web interface management
Switching technology	Store & Forward
MAC address table	16 K MAC address table
Ring	MRP
	Spanning Tree
VLAN	Port based VLAN
	Tagged VLAN IEEE 802.1Q
Class of service	IEEE802.1p Class of service with eight priority queues per
	port
Port mirror	RX packets only or TX and RX packets
Firmware update	SD card, TFTP server, from local PC
Bandwidth contr.	Incoming and outgoing
DHCP client	DHCP client function to obtain an IP address from the DHCP
	server

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