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IE-SR-2GT-LAN
IE-SR-2GT-UMTS/3G

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1. Introduction

Proper and intended usage

The Router is intended for use in industrial (IP20) environments. It is equipped with Ethernet interface ports and is used solely for connecting components within a network.

By connecting network components, the Router enables network nodes to exchange data. The Router also allows an industrial IP network to access the Internet via an external DSL modem (via PPPoE). The Router is responsible for routing IP packets between an industrial network and an external network (such as the Internet). Internet access is automatically activated when needed. The Router can be configured on-site using an IP network on both Ethernet ports (LAN or WAN).

The Router has implemented extensive security standards to enable different networks to work together smoothly

Additionally VPN (virtual private network) connections can be used to connect the Router as a VPN-Client or a VPN-Server with other VPN devices.

2. Package Checklist

Models IE-SR-2GT-LAN and IE-SR-2GT-UMTS/3G

1 x Industrial Security Router (IE-SR-2GT-LAN or IE-SR-2GT-UMTS/3G)

1 x 3-pin connector for power supply

2 x 4-pin connectors for special digital inputs and output signals (Alarm, CUT, VPN)

1 x Ethernet cable (Length 1 m, Color red)

1 x Hardware Installation Guide

Additional for model IE-SR-2GT-UMTS/3G (with an additional 3G modem)

1 x antenna for mobile connection

If any of these items are missing or damaged, please contact your customer service representative for assistance.

3. Safety instructions

	**Warning** - Using the selected device for purposes other than those specified or failure to observe the operating instructions and warning notes can lead to serious malfunctions that may result in personal injury or damage to property. - If this product malfunctions, it is no longer possible to predict the behaviour of neighbouring networked facilities and their connected devices. Personal injury and property damage can occur as a result of malfunctions. Only carry out changes to the settings when you are certain of the consequences such changes will have on all connected networks, facilities and devices. - Personal injury and property damage can occur as a result if this product is used improperly. Adjustments and setting changes to this product should only be carried out by sufficiently qualified personnel.
	**Caution** - This device is designed only for an operating voltage range from 7 to 36 V DC. Do not use a higher voltage; this could destroy the Router and other devices. - The Security Router does not have an on/off switch. The operating voltage must be switched on by the facility in which the device is integrated.

	Caution You should activate and synchronise the time server or set the system time manually if you are using certificates in virtual private networks (VPNs) or simple network management protocol (SNMP). An inaccuracy in the system time can cause the virtual private network (VPN) to malfunction. You should synchronise the system time with a time server after each Router reboot and after you load the default settings. Or you can set the system time manually.
	Caution - The default system access information for the Security Router is included in this document. Unauthorized individuals can use this access data to gain access to the Router's web browser and cause damage. Be sure to change these system default access settings. - Some services may be blocked by a firewall. You may need to deactivate the firewall. By deactivating the firewall, the PC is no longer protected against viruses or other attacks. Only deactivate the firewall when your PC is sufficiently protected by other measures. - A single port can only properly execute one service. If multiple services are assigned to a port, the port can no longer execute any service. Be sure to assign only one service to any port.

	Note
	- The IP protocol reserves certain IP address ranges for special purposes (such as multicasting). Do not assign IP addresses in the range from 127.0.0.0 – 127.255.255.255 or 224.0.0.0 – 255.255.255.255. - This device is intended for use in applications as described in the operating instructions only. Using this device in non-approved applications will lead immediately to the expiration of all guarantee and warranty claims on the part of the operator against the manufacturer.

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4. Mounting the device

	Caution
	- This device is designed only for a operating voltage range from +7 to 36 VDC. Do not use a higher voltage; this could destroy the Router and other devices. - Connecting plugs should never be connected or disconnected from electrical devices if they are carrying a live load. Be sure to first disconnect all poles of the plug. Remember to disconnect all plugs from the Router before it is installed or removed. - Electrical devices should not be installed or removed during operations. Never install or remove the Router while it is running.

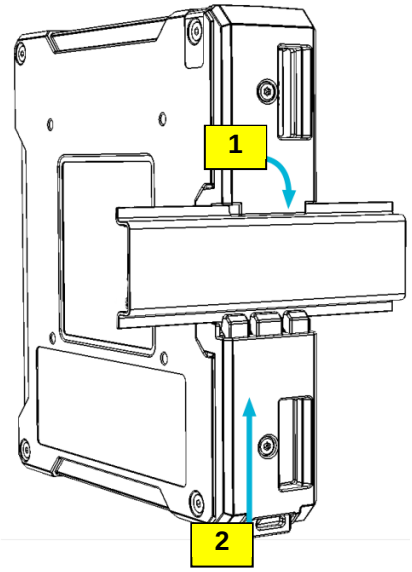
	Caution
	- It is important to provide sufficient clearance between devices which cause strong electromagnetic interference (such as frequency converters, transformers or motor regulators). The clearance gap between such devices and the Router should be as wide as possible. The Router can be further shielded by using a mu-metal partition. - The Router is designed to be mounted on a top-hat rail that is compliant with the EN 50022 standard. This Router will not have a secure mount if any other type of rail is used. Use a top-hat rail that complies with the EN 50022 standard. Be sure to observe the mounting information provided by the manufacturer.

	Note
	- A minimum of 2 inch (5 cm) gap should be kept between the Router and neighbouring devices from the top and bottom. This will ensure that the Router is sufficiently ventilated and prevent induction from developing. - The top-hat rail should be located in a horizontal position along the vertical rear wall of the electrical cabinet. This ensures that the Router can be adequately ventilated from below to above.

DIN-rail mounting:

Insert the top of the DIN-rail clip behind the upper edge of the DIN-rail (1). Then open the latch at bottom of the device by using a flat-bladed screwdriver and fix the device on the DIN-rail by gently pressing on the bottom (2).

To remove the Router from the DIN-Rail, simply reverse the steps as described above.



5. Technical data

Operation mode	
IP-Router	• Static or dynamic routing according to RIPv2 or OSPF protocol
Transparent Bridge	• 2-Port-Switch with additional Layer-2 filter
Network Services	• DHCP Server / DHCP Relay • DNS-Relay • NTP-Client • DynDNS (DHCP-Client nach RFC 2136)
Firewall	• IPv4 Stateful inspection Firewall • NAT-Masquerading, 1:1 NAT, Portforwarding • Layer-2/3-Filter (VLAN ID, VLAN QoS Tag, MAC adddress based, Ethertype Frame) • "Auto-Learning"-function to create new packet filter rules (Analysis of the network traffic) • Layer 2/3 packet priorizitation (Ethernet Frame, IP Header, VLAN Tag)

VPN	
OpenVPN	• Configurable as OpenVPN server or client (Layer 2 and Layer 3) • Authentication with X.509 Certificates • Tunnel support via HTTP-Proxy • A maximum of 10 different server configurations • Unlimited number of client connections in server mode

IPsec	• Can be configured as an IPsec server or client • Authentication with PSK (user ID, password) or X.509 certificates • Hardware encryption for faster data flow rate • A maximum of 64 simultaneous connections (subnet with subnet or as IPsec server) • Encryption algorithms DES-56, 3DES-168, AES 128, AES 192, AES-256

Management	• Configuration with web interface (HHTP/HTTPS) • Web interface selectable in english or german language • Configuration support through detailed help information (tooltip) • Configurable Multi-user access with definable rights • Support for SNMP v1/v3/v3 • Event log / syslog

Other features	
Modbus/TCP	The Modbus/TCP interface enables the control of the Router by a PLC. Following functions are imaged in the registers: • Cut & Alarm, status request & acknowledgment • IPsec, on/off switchable generally • OpenVPN, separate status request and activation / deactivation of the 10 possible OpenVPN connections
Diagnosis	• „Remote Capture“- feature for network diagnostics via a connected PC (Wireshark)
Monitoring	• Client monitoring via ICMP protocol (ping request) with alarm function in case of error

Interfaces	
RJ45-Ports	• 2 * 10/100/1000BaseT(X)
USB-Port	• option for future expansion
SCM card Reader	• Save and restore the configuration using a smart card (SIM card without mobile provider data, only the storage capacity of the chip will be used)
LED display	• Signaling the status for power, device status, Cut, Alarm, active VPN connection and an active 3G connection
Digital Outputs	• "Alarm" -> Indicates a configurable network status or error (24V out)

	• "VPN-active" -> Indicates an active VPN connection (24 V out)
Digital Inputs	• "Cut" -> Disconnects physically (link down) the WAN port (24 V In) • "VPN-initiate" -> Enables a pre-configured VPN connection (24 V In)
Reset-Button	• Restore to the factory settings

Power	
Input Voltage	• 1* 24 VDC (7 bis 36 Volt)
Current consumption	• max. 600mA @ 24 VDC

Technical data (housing)	
Housing	• Metal, protection IP20
Dimensions (width, height, depth)	• 35 * 159 * 134 mm (without antenna) • 35 * 255 * 134 mm (with 3G antenna)
Mounting	• TS35 (DIN rail)

Environmental conditions	
Operating Temperature	• -20°C to +70°C
Storage Temperature	• -20°C to + 85°C
Ambient Humidity	• 6 to 90% noncondensing

DSL and 3G/HSDPA	
DSL	• DSL Internet access by connecting an external DSL modem via LAN or WAN port • Free configuration of the PPPoE login
DynDNS	• Support for automatic registration
UMTS/3G (Only model IE-SR-2GT-UMTS/3G)	• Built-in quad-band 3G / HSPA modem 21.1 Mbps peak downlink • 5.8 Mbps peak uplink • **GSM, GPRS, EDGE:** 850 MHz, 900 MHz, 1800 MHz, 1900 MHz • **UMTS, WCDMA, HSDPA, HSUPA:** 850 MHz, 900 MHz, 1900 MHz, 2100 MHz • FCC, CE, FCC, IC, NCC, PTCRB, Bell, AT&T

Approvals	
Security	• cULus (UL508)
EMC	• FCC Part 15 Class A, EN 55022 Class A EN61000-4-2 (ESD) EN61000-4-3 (RS), EN61000-4-4 (EFT) EN61000-4-5 (Surge) EN61000-4-6 (CS)

Shock	• DIN EN 60068-2-29
Vibration	• DIN EN 60068-2-6

Warranty	
Period of time	• 3 years

Order data	Model name / Order number
LAN/WAN Router	• IE-SR-2GT-LAN / 1345270000
LAN / WAN Router with integrated modem UMTS/3G	• IE-SR-2GT-UMTS/3G / 1345250000

6. Hardware related functional descriptions

Description of LED status indicators

LED	Signal	Meaning
PWR	off	The device is not powered
	Flashing green	Device is turned on, the boot process is running
	green	Device is turned on and ready to run
Status	off	The device is not powered
	red	Error after boot process or recovering an image
Cut	off	CUT Input is not powered
	red	A Cut event is triggered. LED lights up and the WAN port is disabled
Alarm	off	No Alarm
	red	An Alarm event is triggered
VPN active	off	No activated VPN tunnel.
	green	Active VPN tunnel (triggered by external VPN key)
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3G (UMTS)	off	No active GSM / 3G / UMTS connection
	Flashing yellow	Searching wireless network
	yellow	Connected to a network provider but no active data connection (Offline)
	Flashing green	Connected to a network provider. Router activates the connection on data flow (Standby)

Description of device interfaces at top and front side

Only model IE-SR-2GT-UMTS/3G:	Connector for UMTS/3G antenna at top side Connector type: **SMA female**
USB 2.0 connector	
4-pin connector („Cut WAN port“ and „Signalize Alarm“) ► 24 VDC **input** for Cut signal (Disabling WAN interface) and ► 24 VDC **output** for signaling an alarm event Note: Corresponding socket connector is included	
4-pin connector („VPN initiate“ and „VPN active“) ► 24 VDC **input** for initiating a VPN tunnel (Predefined OpenVPN tunnel) ► 24 VDC **output** for signaling an active VPN tunnel Note: Corresponding socket connector is included	
RJ45-Connector WAN (10/100/1000BaseTX)	
RJ45-Connector LAN (10/100/1000BaseTX)	
3-pin connector for 24V DC power supply Note: Corresponding socket connector is included	

Description of device interfaces at rear side

SCM slot / socket
SIM memory card reader for external backup and restore of the Router configuration

3G slot / socket
Slot for mobile SIM card (only 3G/UMTS model)

Connector for UMTS / 3G antenna of type **SMA female**

Any external antenna can be used which is compliant to following parame-ters:

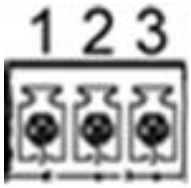
Diversity Support: 900/1900/2100 MHz

Antenna Connec-tor:50 Ohm compatible

Pin assignment of power supply connector

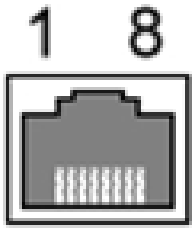
Note: Allowed input voltage range from 7 to 36 VDC (24 VDC typical)

Pin number	SIGNAL NAME
1	24V DC
2	GND
3	PE



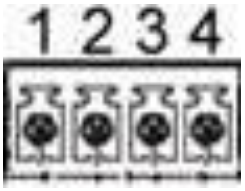
Pin assignment of RJ45 Ethernet ports (LAN and WAN)

Pin number	SIGNAL NAME (MDI)	
	10/100Base T(x)	1000Base T
1	TX +	BI_DA+
2	TX -	BI_DA-
3	RX +	BI_DB+
4	NC	BI_DC+
5	NC	BI_DC-
6	RX -	BI_DB-
7	NC	BI_DD+-
8	NC	BI_DD-



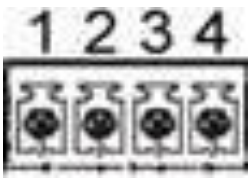
Pin assignment of 4-pin connector for „VPN initiate“ and „VPN active“

Pin number	SIGNAL NAME
1	24V DC (VCC)
2	Initiate VPN (24 V In)
3	VPN active (24 V Out)
4	GND



Pin assignment of 4-pin connector for „Cut WAN port“ and „Signalize Alarm“

Pin number	SIGNAL NAME
1	24V DC (VCC)
2	Cut (Disabling WAN-Port, 24 V In)
3	Signalize Alarm (24 V Out)
4	GND



Pin assignment of USB 2.0 connector

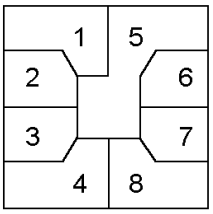
The USB interface is intended for connecting peripheral devices (USB 2.0). The connector is without function in the current firmware version, but is optional for future planned applications.

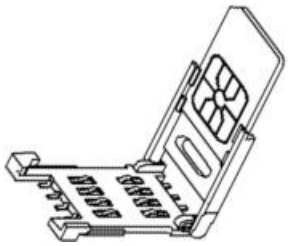
Pin number	SIGNAL NAME
1	VDC
2	D -
3	D+
4	GND

Pin assignment of Smartcard Reader (ISO 7816 Standard)

The integrated SIM card reader is intended for saving and restoring the configuration data.

Pin number	SIGNAL NAME
1	VCC 5 Volt
2	RESET
3	CLOCK
4	n/c
5	GND
6	n/c
7	I/O
8	n/c





7. Initial start-up / Getting Started

Configuration of the Router by using an Internet browser

	Note
	The configuration of the device can be done either via LAN or WAN RJ45 ports.

Connect the unit to a 24V DC (3-pin plug) power source. The corresponding plug is included.

During the initial boot phase, the PWR LED is flashing. The Router is ready when the PWR LED is lit constantly (after about 30 seconds).

Connect the Router to the Ethernet interface of a configuration PC using a RJ45 network cable.

It is possible to use a standard Ethernet patch cable or a crossed network cable. By default both Ethernet ports are configured with autonegotiation.

The configuration and control of the Router is to done via the integrated Web server. Any Internet browser (Microsoft Internet Explorer or Mozilla Firefox) can be used.

When delivered, the Web interface of the Router can be achieved from both LAN and WAN port.

To access the Web interface of the Router the IP address of the connected PC has to be in the same logical network (IP address range) as the Router.

The default IP addresses and net masks of the Router are:

LAN port : 192.168.1.110 / 255.255.255.0

WAN port : 192.168.2.110 / 255.255.255.0

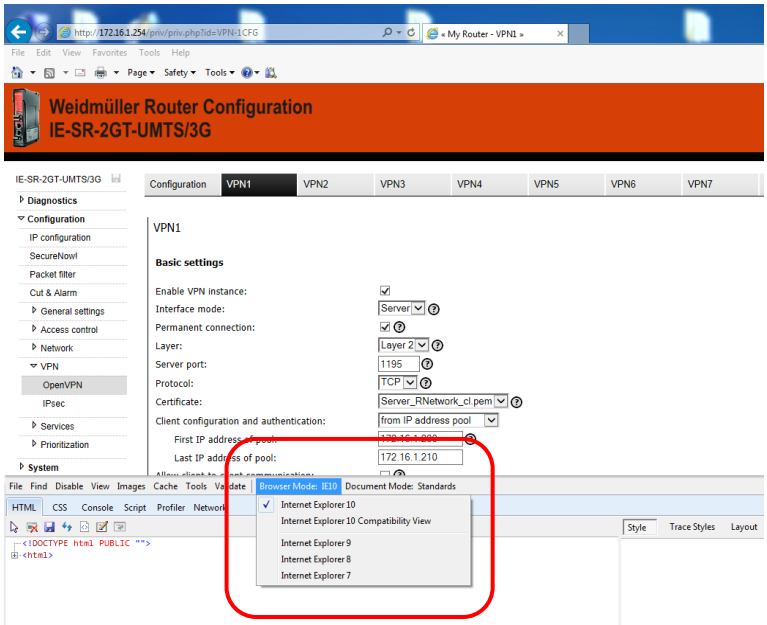
Starting the Web interface

Important note

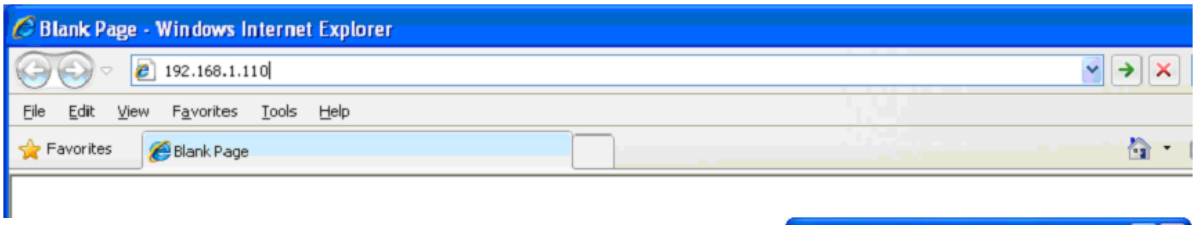
The Router's Web server **partly** is using **Java script** for parameter settings (e.g. if you want to apply or deleting a configured Open VPN session).

Please ensure that the Web browser your a using is allowed to run Java script. For Router configuration you do NOT need to install Java runtime software (for executable Java applets) because only Java script will be used. Standard Web browsers by default are able to run Java script code.

If some "Apply" buttons are not working (seems to be without function) and if you are using Internet Explorer 10 please verify that you are using Bowser Mode IE10 to ensure that Java script is running properly. To validate the browser mode press key F12 and activate – if not set – mode Internet Explorer 10 as shown in the screenshot below.



Start your Web browser and enter the IP address of the connected Router port into the browser's address line.



Now the login prompt of the Router should appear for input „User name“ and „Password“.

Default values (factory settings) for Login:

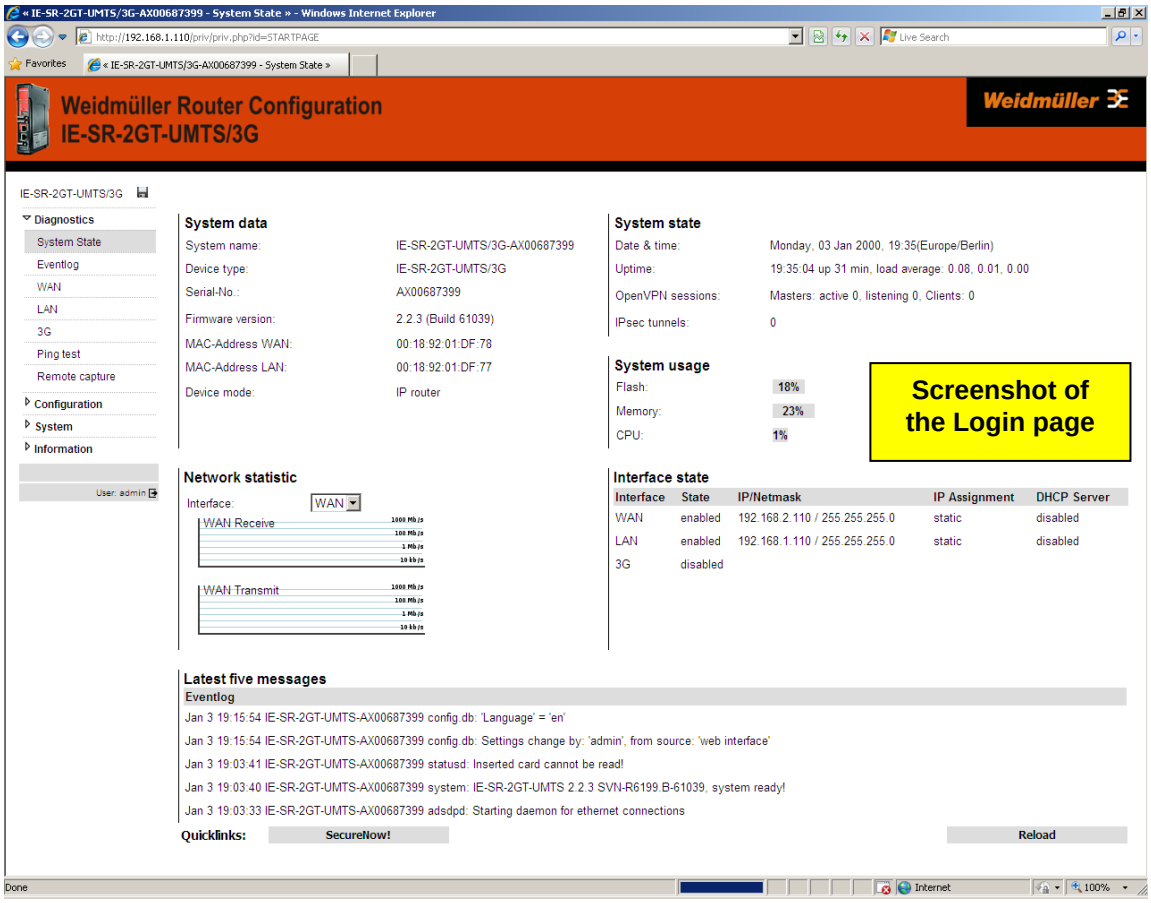
User name : admin
Password : Detmold

Confirm your input by pressing the OK button.

	Note
	If the login prompt does not appear, please check the network LED's, if the devices are connected to the network correctly. If problems still persist, please check the proxy and firewall settings of the local PC

Now the Router homepage is displayed. This page corresponds to the menu item "Diagnostic System → Status." On this page the most important configuration and status informations are summarized.

Note: Some fields are linked with a hyperlink to jump directly into the corresponding menu item.



8. Reset to factory default settings by external push button

By pressing the push button "Factory Default" the security Router can be reset at any time and regardless of the configuration to the default settings (factory settings).

How to set the factory settings:

1. Power off the Router
2. Press the button „Factory Default“ and keep it hold down
3. Power on the Router and keeping button „Factory Default“ pressed while Router is booting
4. Release button „Factory Default“ when Power LED starts flashing fast (around 10 seconds after power on)
5. Wait until Power LED is glowing constantly green

→ Now the Router is ready to run with factory default settings.

Default factory settings of the Router:

Language:	Englisch user interface
Operation mode :	IP Router
IP address LAN port:	192.168.1.110 (static value)
Subnet mask:	255.255.255.0
NAT (Masquerading) on LAN port:	Not activated
IP address WAN port:	192.168.2.110 (static value)
Subnet mask:	255.255.255.0
NAT (Masquerading) on WAN port:	Not activated
Default gateway:	No entry
DNS:	DNS relay not activated
Firewall (Packet filter):	By default, data traffic in both directions between LAN and WAN is allowed on both level Layer 2 and Layer 3. For that the packet filter contains two default rules, called "Allow_L2" and "Allow_L3" (allow traffic at Layer 2 and 3) which allows as "white lists" all network traffic.

IP routing	→ No static routes → Dynamic routing (OSPF, RIP) disabled

SNMP / DHCP / DNS	Disabled
VPN:	Disabled
Data prioritization	Disabled

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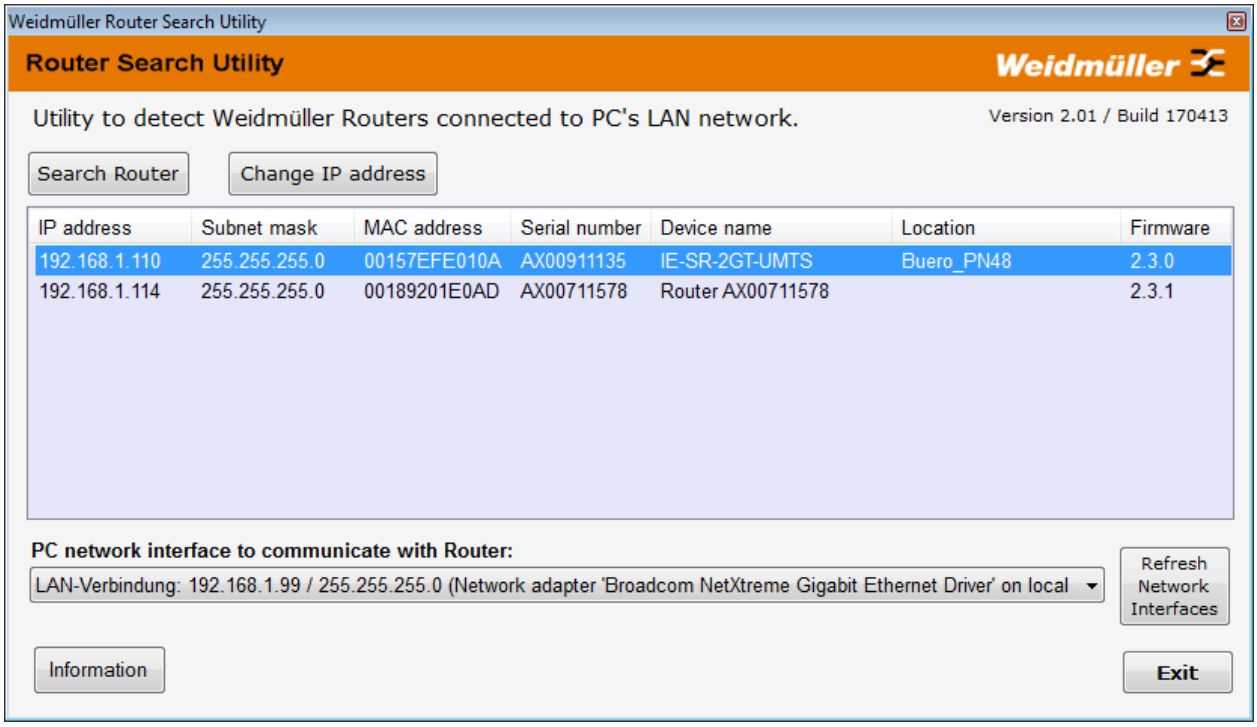
3G Modem	Disabled

9. Using the Weidmüller Router-Search-Utility

The software tool Weidmüller Router- Search-Utility can be used to find Weidmüller Routers and detect theirs IP addresses within a switched network. This software is very helpful if you don't know the current IP address of a Router. This can e.g. happen in cases that you have forgotten the current IP configuration or you have lost the Router access in case of configuring an unintended IP address. The main features of the software are

- → Detecting a Router and displaying parameters like Device name, MAC address and IP address with Subnet mask
- → Change the IP address of a detected Router
- → Open the web interface of a detected Router



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1. Open www.weidmueller.com/IE
2. Select section "Industrial Ethernet" → „Software"
3. Select category "Additional Software (Configuration utilities, Drivers and MIB-files)"
4. Select category "Industrial Security Router (IE-SR-2GT-LAN, …3G/UMTS)"
5. Download " Weidmueller_Router_Search_Utility.zip"

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5. Download from section *Industrial Security Router (Firmware and Software for IE-SR-2GT-LAN/3G/UMTS)*

10. Basic description of the configuration interface (menu items)

The menu structure of the web Interface is divided into 4 main sections:

Section Diagnostics

- Displays system status data
- Display of logging information
- Displays current interface parameters (LAN/WAN/3G)
- Feature for testing the data communication between the Router and other Ethernet devices (Ping test)

Section Configuration

- Setting of operation mode (eg „IP Router“) and basic network parameters (IP addresses, Default gateway)
- Setting of firewall rules (Packet filter and an additional auto learning feature called „SecureNow“ to assist the creation of packet filtering rules)
- Configuration of general system data (name, location, contact person, date / time, language interface, etc.)
- Certificate Management for VPN connections
- User administration (assignment of rights)
- IP-Routing (static, dynamic) and IP address management (Masquerading, 1:1 NAT, Portforwarding)
- Configuration of VPN connections (OpenVPN, IPsec)
- Configuration of general network services (e.g. DHCP, DBS, SNMP)
- Prioritization of network traffic (Layer-2 and Layer-3 level)

Section System

- Backup and restore of device configuration, Update firmware, Reboot)

Section Informations

- Display of technical data and hardware information (eg serial number and MAC address)

11. Explanation of the menu items of web interface in chronological order

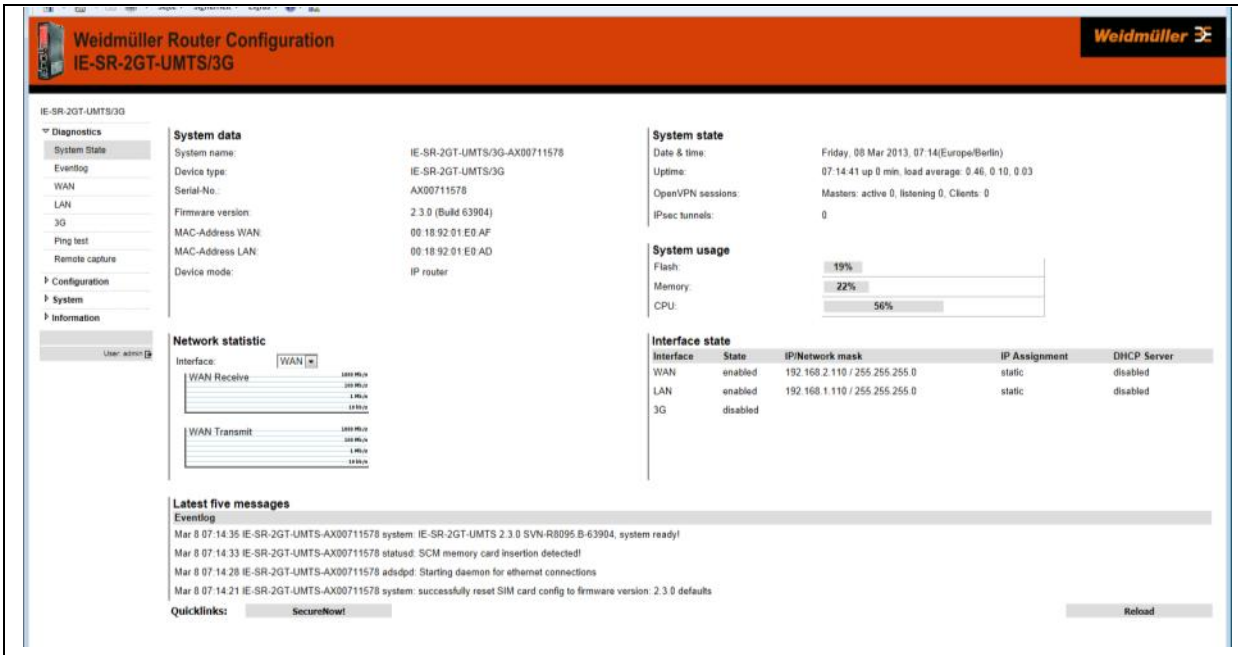


Figure 1: Diagnostics → Systemstatus

Startup screen of the web interface after login. Displays current configuration and status data.

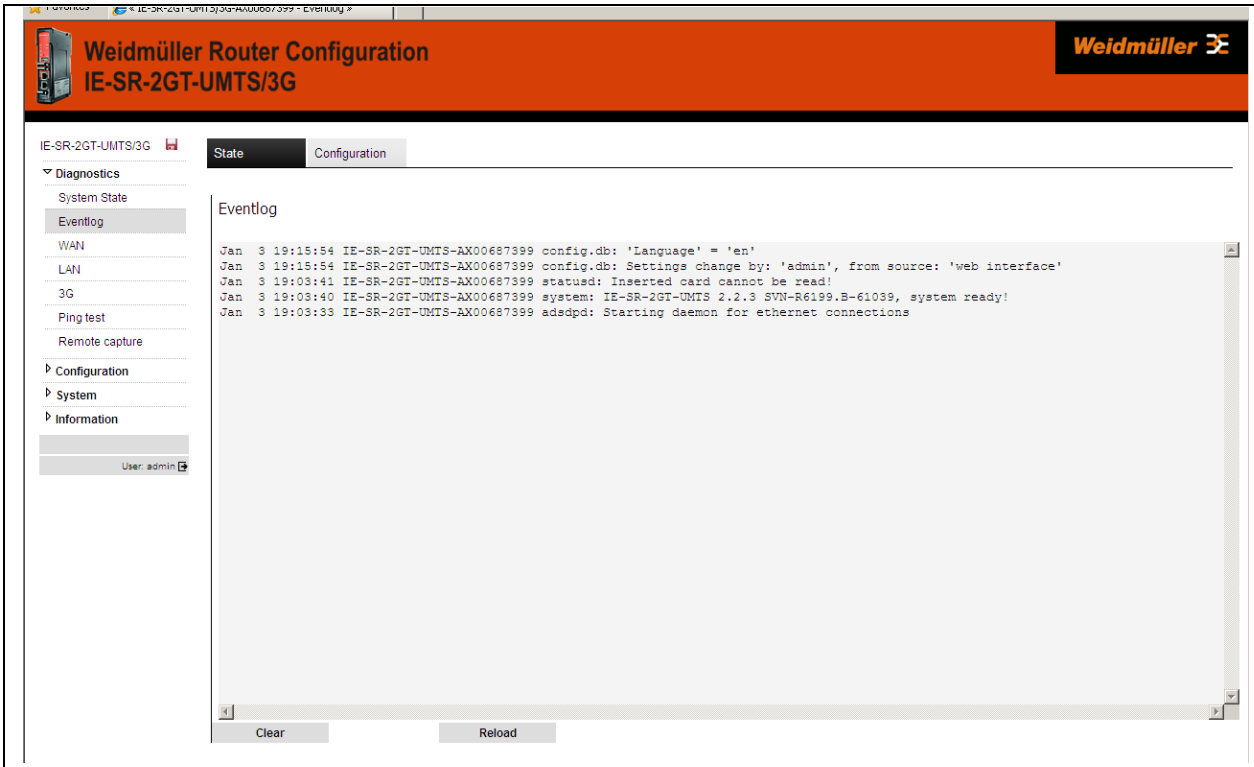


Figure 2: Diagnostics → Eventlog →Tab State

Display events and error messages that have occurred.

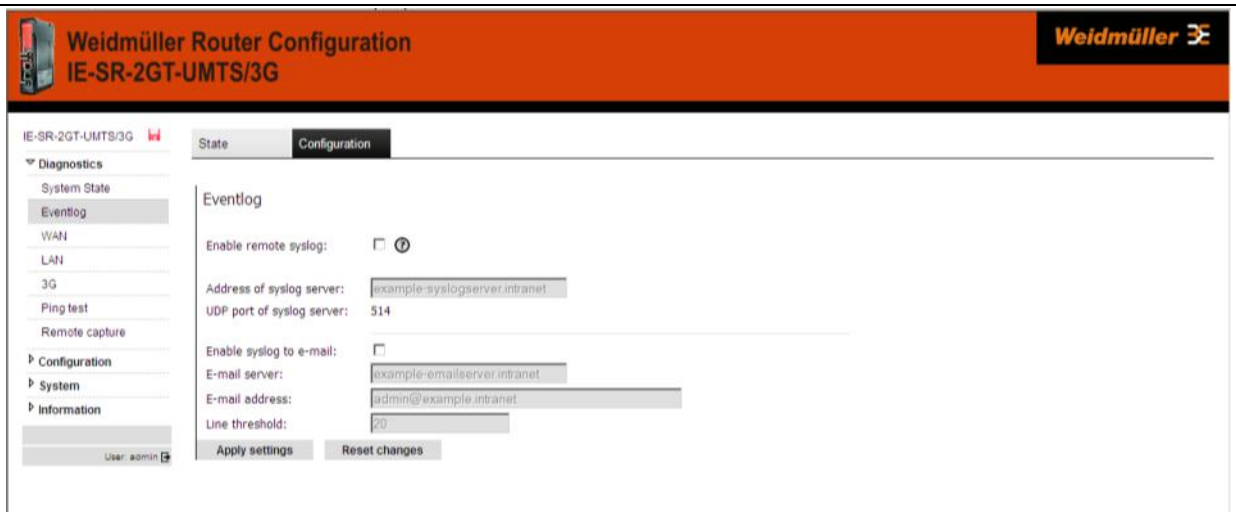


Figure 3: Diagnostics → Eventlog →Tab Configuration
Event and error messages can be sent to a syslog server (PC on the network) and also sent as emails.

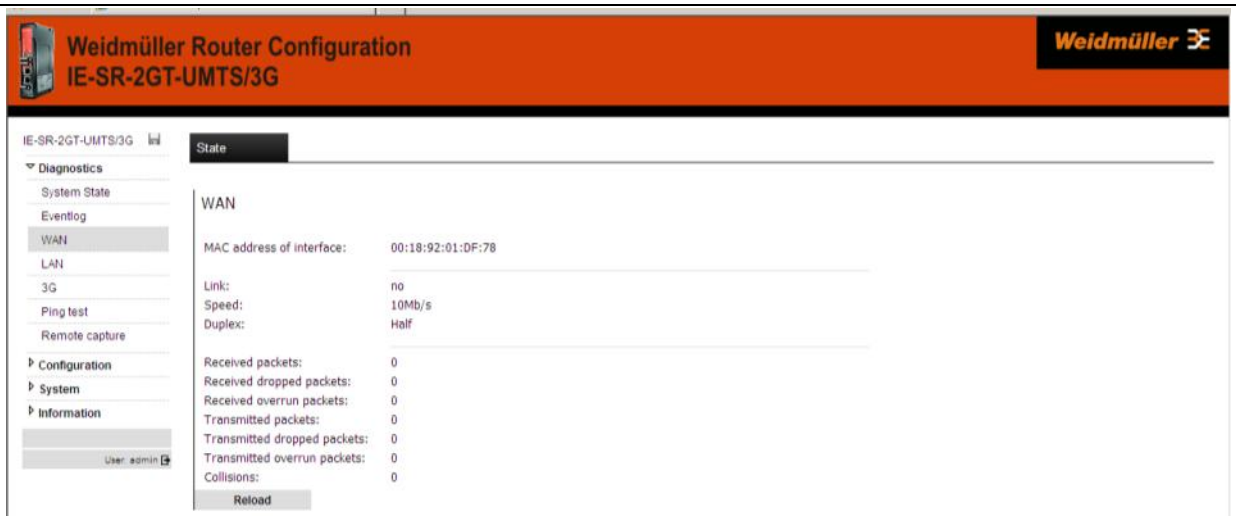
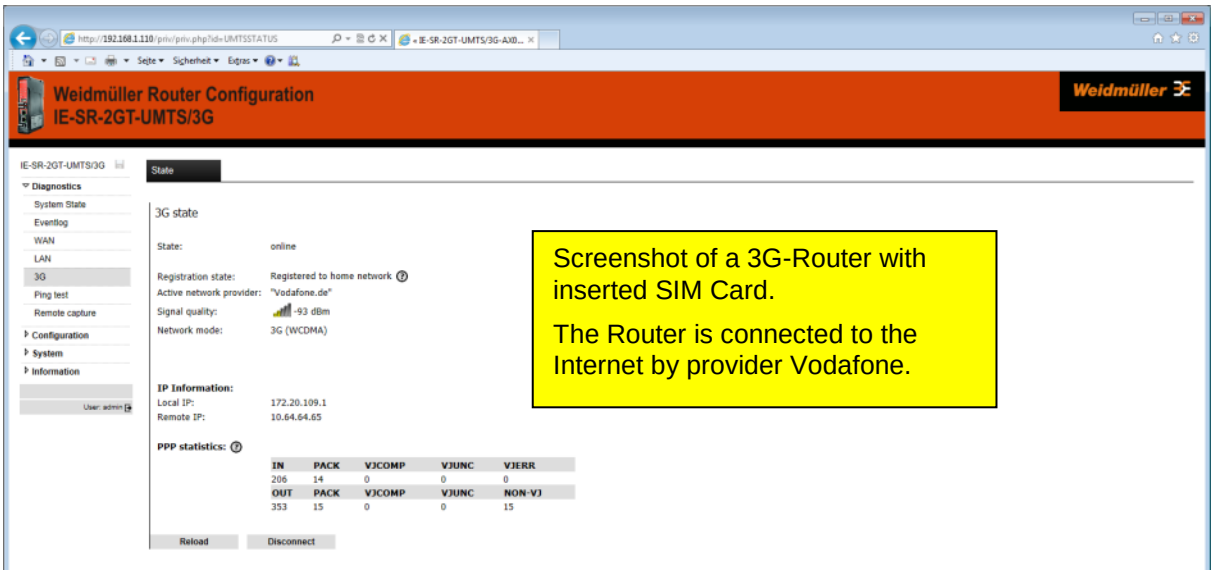


Figure 4: Diagnostics → WAN
Display of the current status of the WAN port.

Figure 5: Diagnostics → LAN
Display of the current status of the LAN port.



Screenshot of a 3G-Router with inserted SIM Card.

The Router is connected to the Internet by provider Vodafone.

Figure 6: Diagnostics → 3G

Displays the current status of the 3G mobile connection.

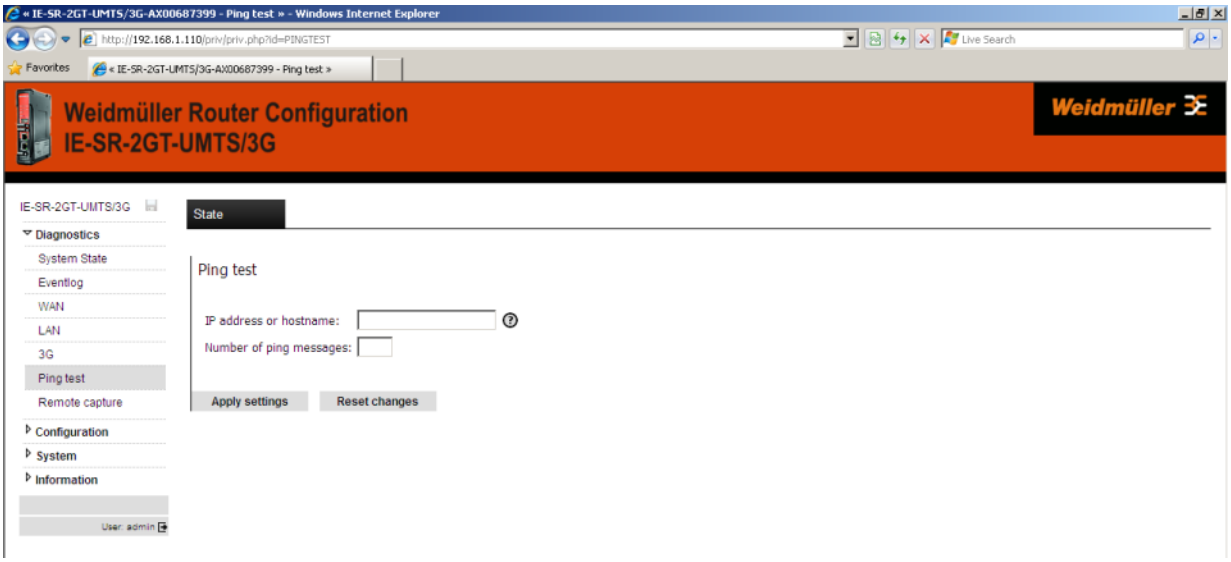


Figure 7: Diagnostics → Ping-Test

Allows sending of ICMP packets (ping) to test network connections between the Router and other Ethernet devices.

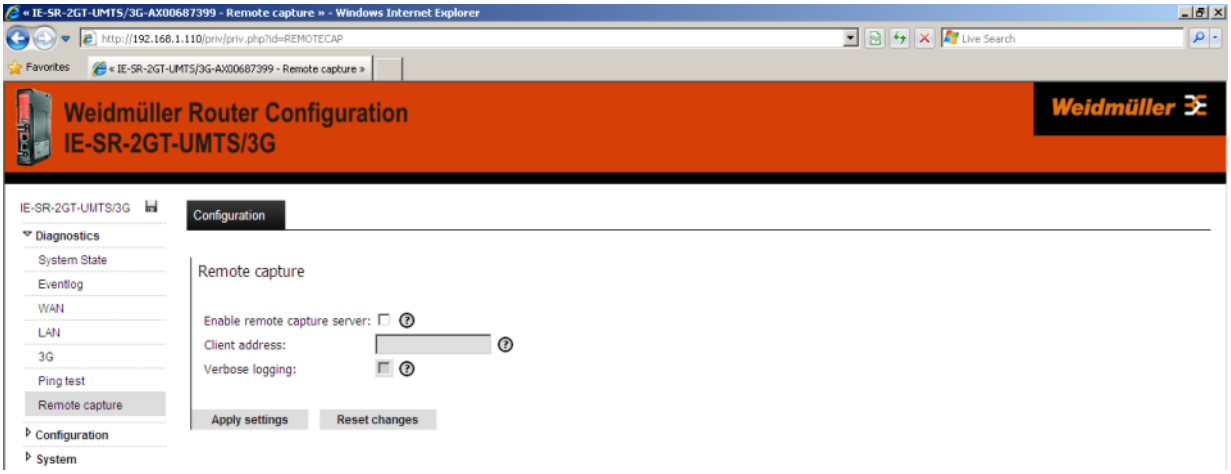


Figure 8: Diagnostics → Remote-Capture

By using the "remote capture" function data packets on both the LAN and the WAN port of the Router can be recorded for diagnostic purposes. The receiver of the diagnostic data is a PC which must have installed the tool "Wireshark".
How to use please refer to application note in Appendix C3.

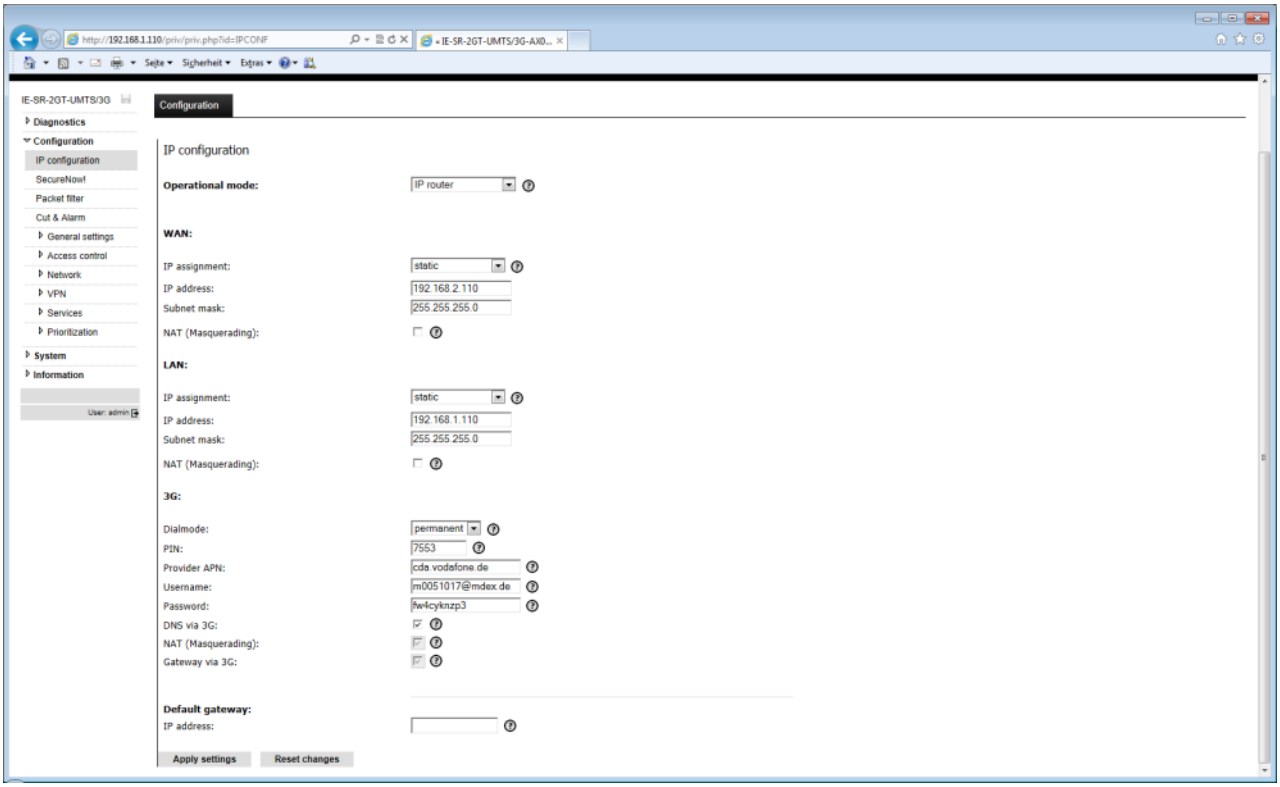


Figure 9: Configuration → IP Configuration

This is the basic configuration window of the Router for assignment of IP addresses on the LAN and WAN port. Each of the two interfaces can be configured with static or dynamic (DHCP) IP addresses. For models of type IE-SR-3GT-UMTS/3G (as shown above) additionally a section „3G“ will be displayed to configure the 3G connection.

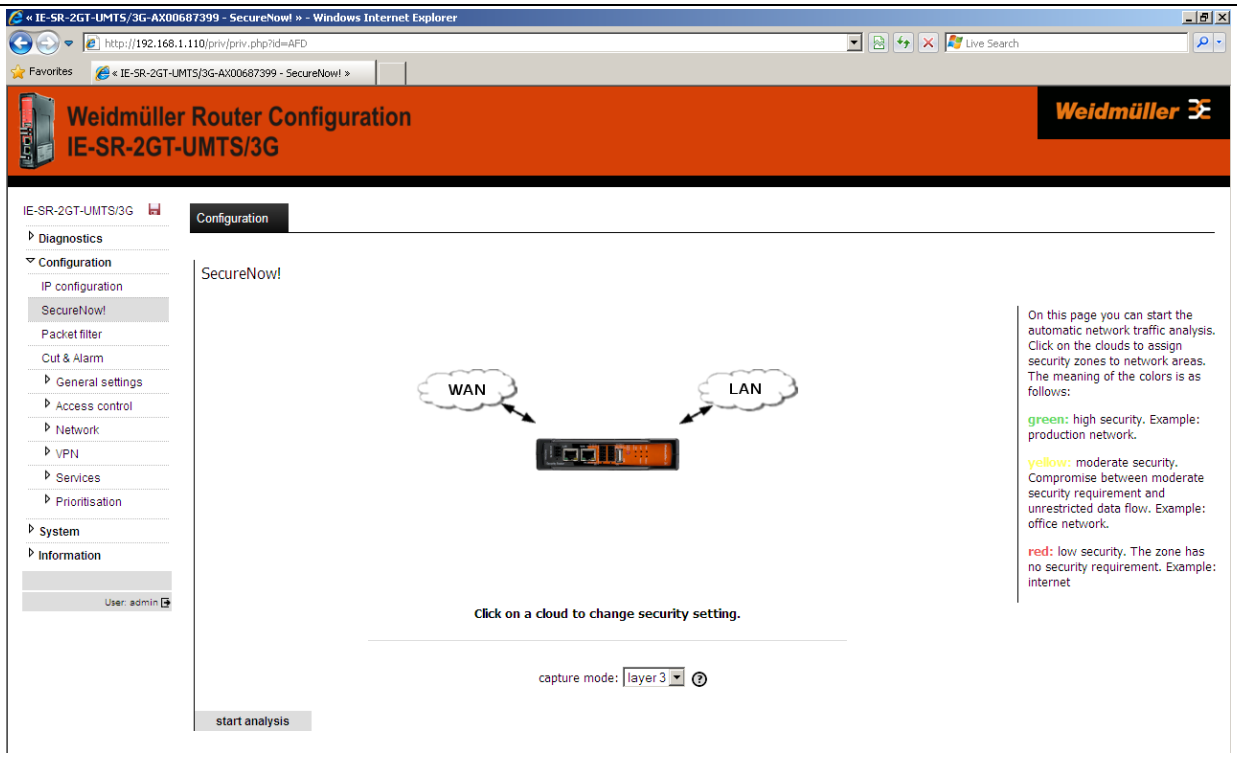


Figure 10: Configuration → SecureNow

This is an auxiliary function for "independent learning" firewall rules based on temporary recording of data traffic. By pressing the button "Start Analysis" button the Router begins to analyze the network traffic (ports LAN, WAN and possibly UMTS/3G). As a result, the Router will provide a table showing the recorded TCP packets and protocols as well as a proposal for the setting of firewall filtering rules.

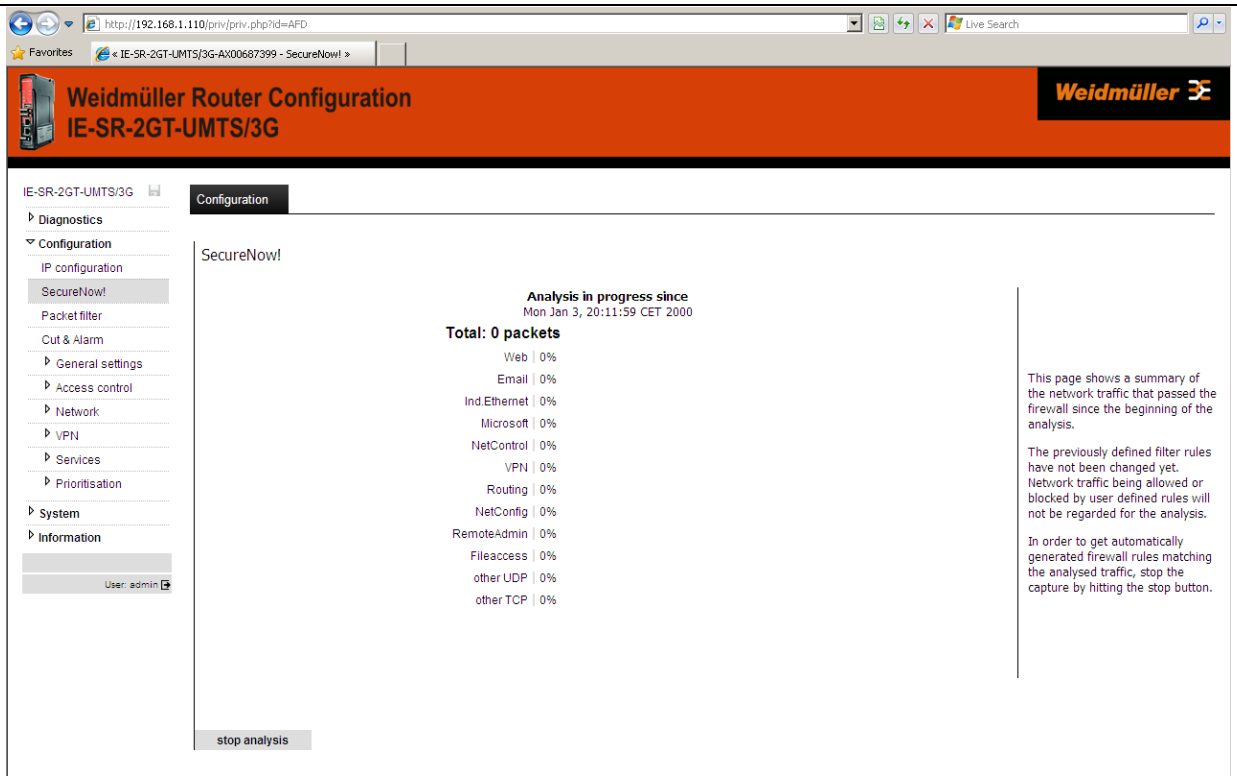


Figure 11: Configuration → SecureNow → „running analysis“

Window screen after starting the network analysis displaying the current network traffic.

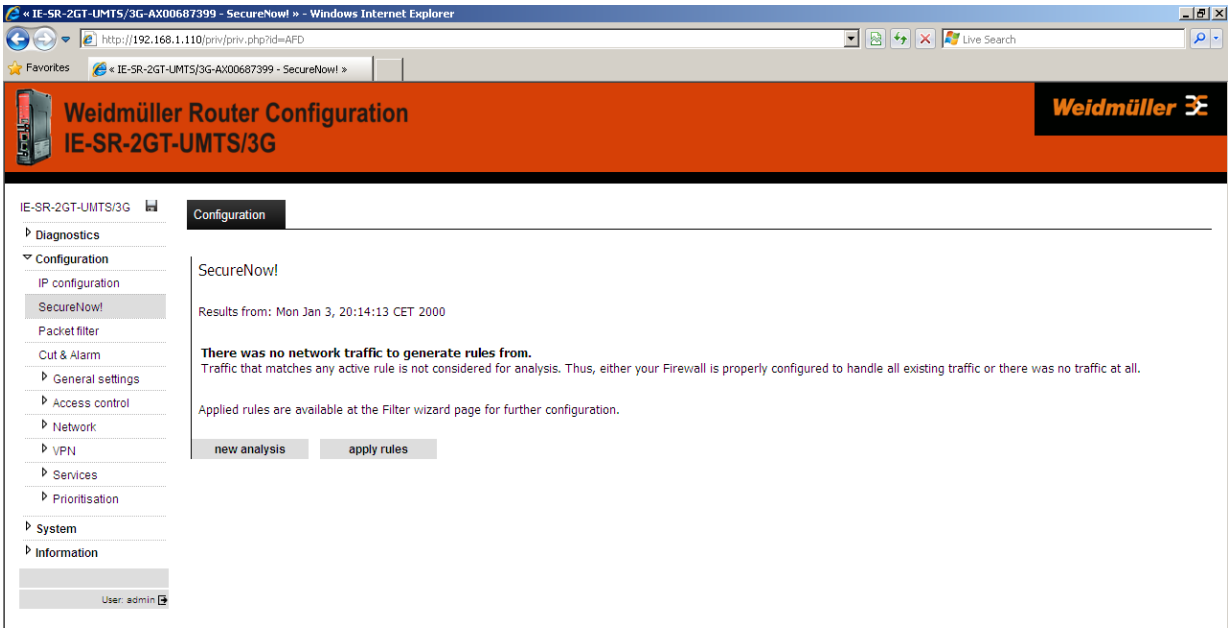


Figure 12: Configuration → SecureNow → „Analysis stopped“

Window after exiting the network analysis with a proposed indication of firewall filtering rules. If you click the button "apply rules", the firewall will be updated with the proposed rules and immediately activated. The changes are not saved automatically, so that e.g. "wrong" filter rules can be removed by a Router restart. Then previous filter rules would be valid again.

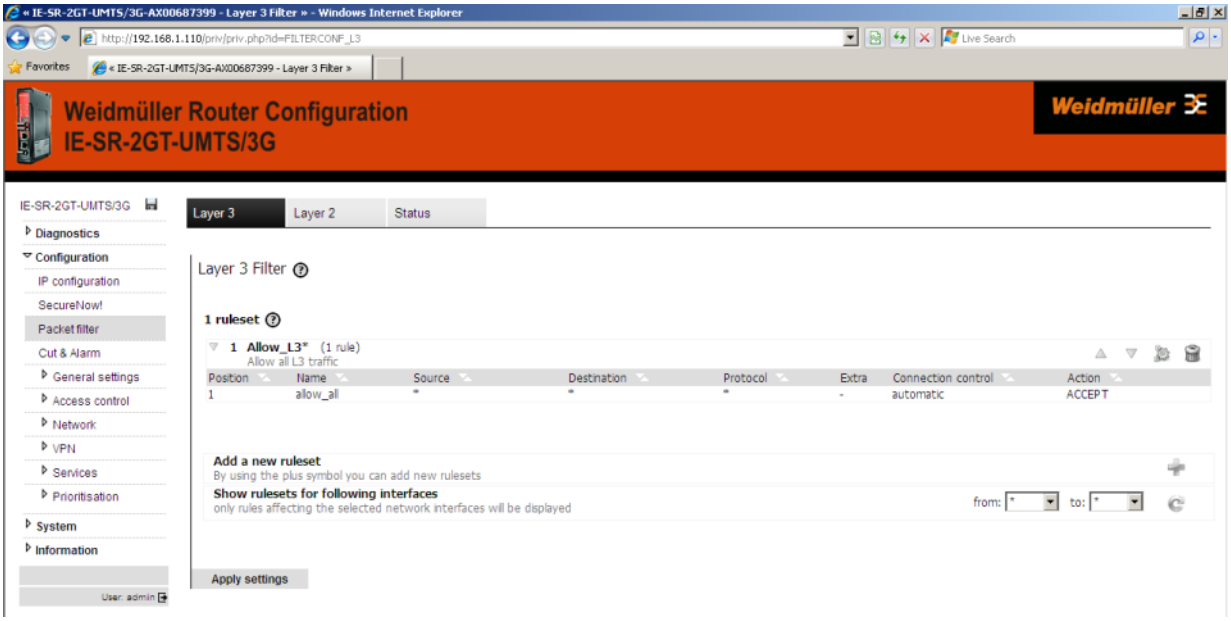


Figure 13: Configuration → Packet filter → Tab „Layer 3“

This is the window for the manual configuration of firewall filter rules based on Layer 3 (IP layer). The screenshot shows the firewall settings as delivered with the default rule "Allow_L3*". This rule says that any IP protocol (*) and any traffic regardless the direction (source and destination=*) is allowed. The result is that - on delivery - the firewall is "open" on layer 3.

Fore more detailed information about using the packet filter please refer to Appendix A3.

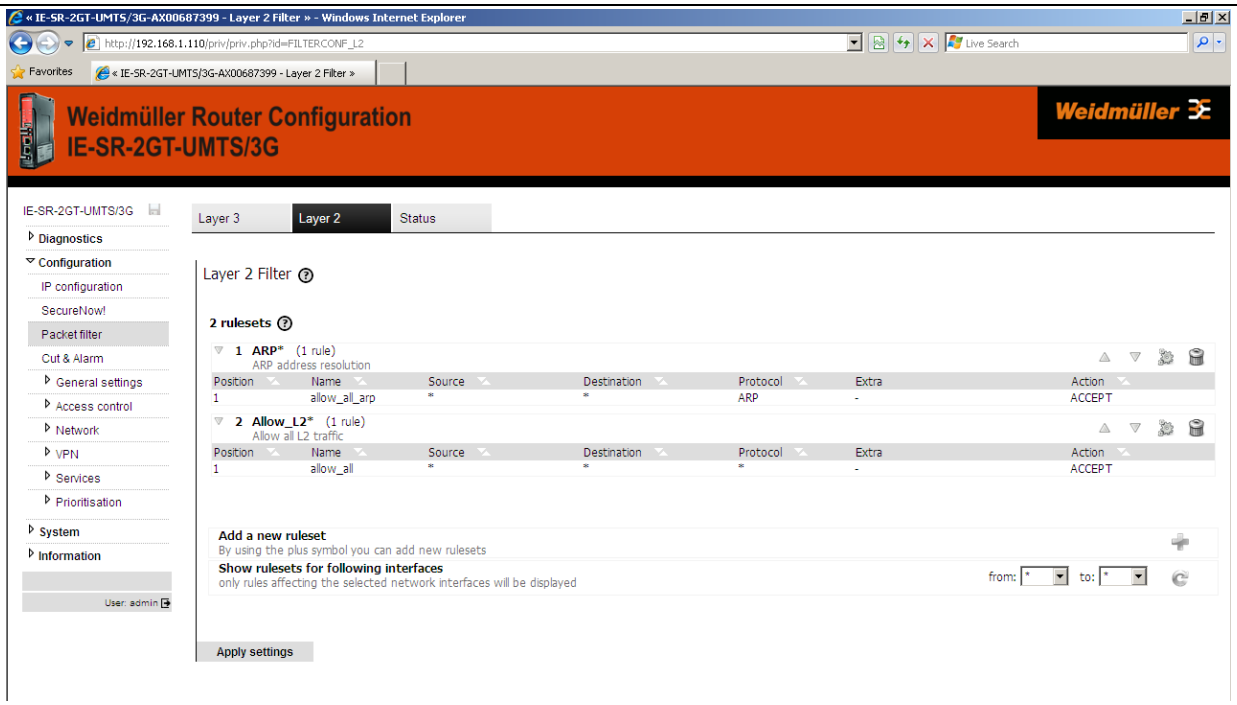


Figure 14: Configuration → Packet filter → Tab „Layer 2“

This is the window for the manual configuration of firewall filter rules based on Layer 2 (MAC layer). The screenshot shows the firewall settings as delivered with the 2 default rules "Allow_L2*" and „ARP*“ (Address resolution protocol). The rule **Allow_L2*** allows transmitting any Ethernet frame type (*) and any traffic regardless the direction (source and destination mac address =*). The result is that - on delivery - the firewall is "open" for layer 2.

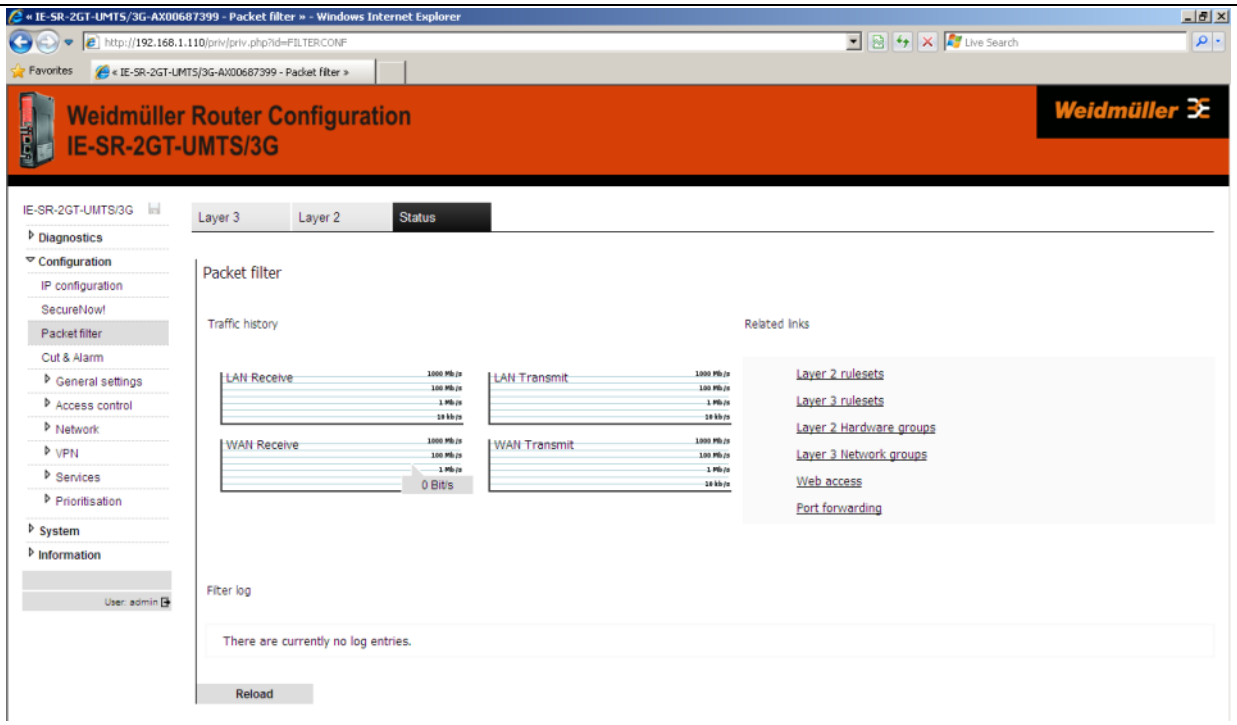


Figure 15: Configuration → Packet filter → Tab „Status“

Overview of transmit and receive activities of the Ethernet interfaces. In addition, firewall-related information is displayed under the heading "Filter Log".

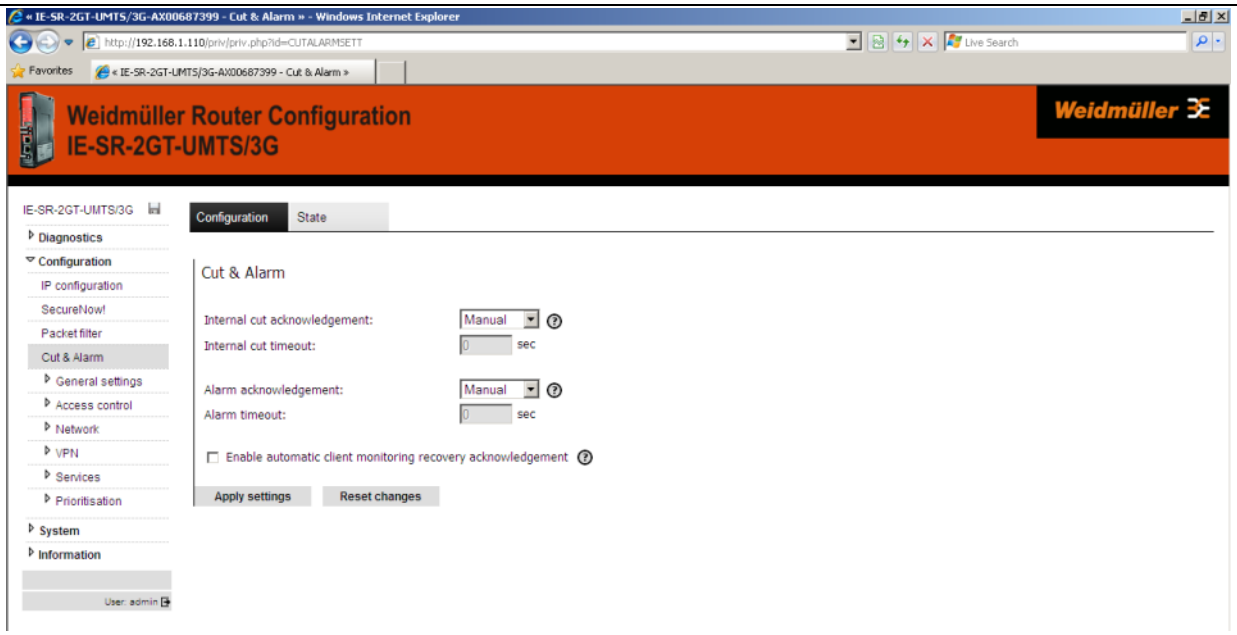


Figure 16: Configuration → Cut & Alarm → Tab „Configuration“

In this menu it can be configured how the events "Cut" and "Alarm" - after they have occurred – will be reset (either manually by clicking on a button on the tab “State” or automatically after an elapsed time).
For more information please refer to Appendix C2 (Method 2).

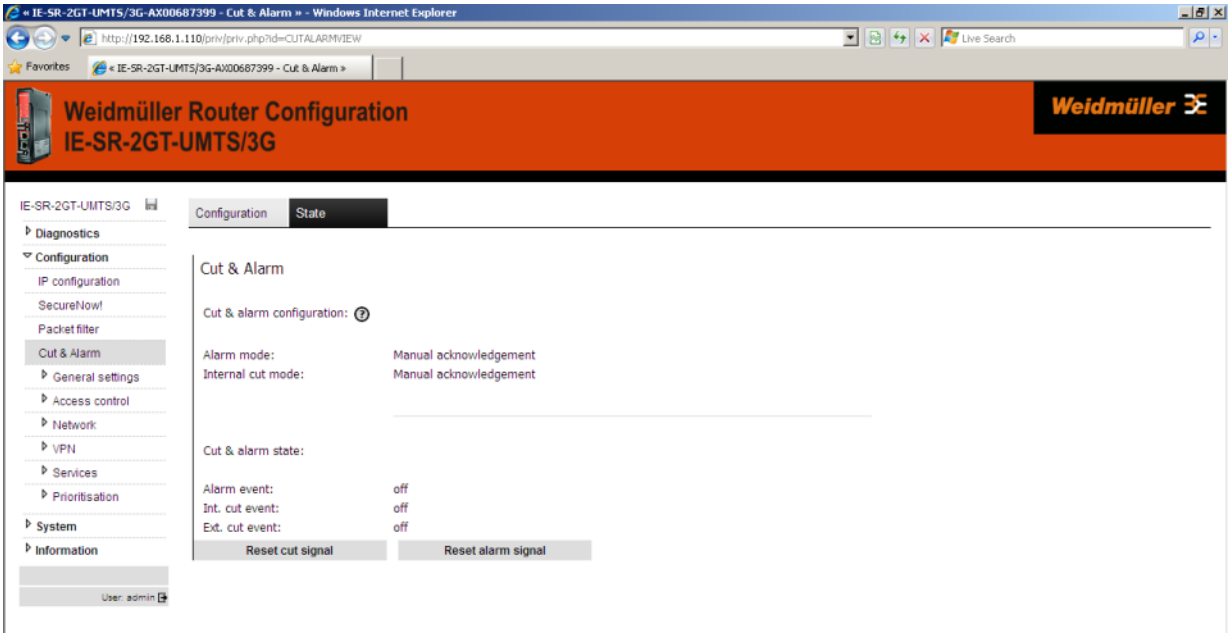


Figure 17: Configuration → Cut & Alarm → Tab „State“

Displays the current status of the events

"Internal Cut" → triggered eg by a special firewall rule
"External Cut" → Input of 24 VDC at 4-pin connector (at front side of the Router)
"Alarm" → → triggered eg by a special firewall rule or by the function „Client monitoring“

By clicking on the buttons „Reset Cut signal“ and „Reset alarm signal“ you can manually reset the events „Internal Cut“ and „Alarm“. The "External Cut" will automatically be reset if the 24 VDC at the 4-pin connector will be removed.

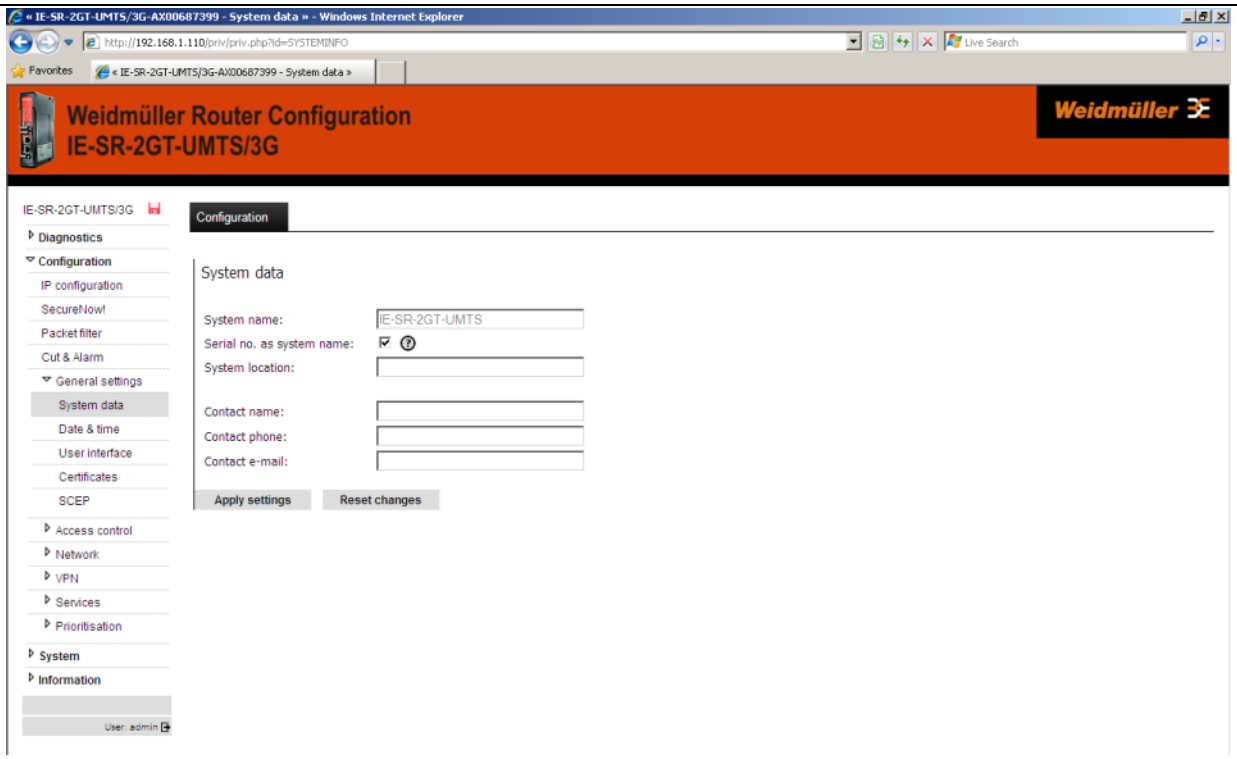
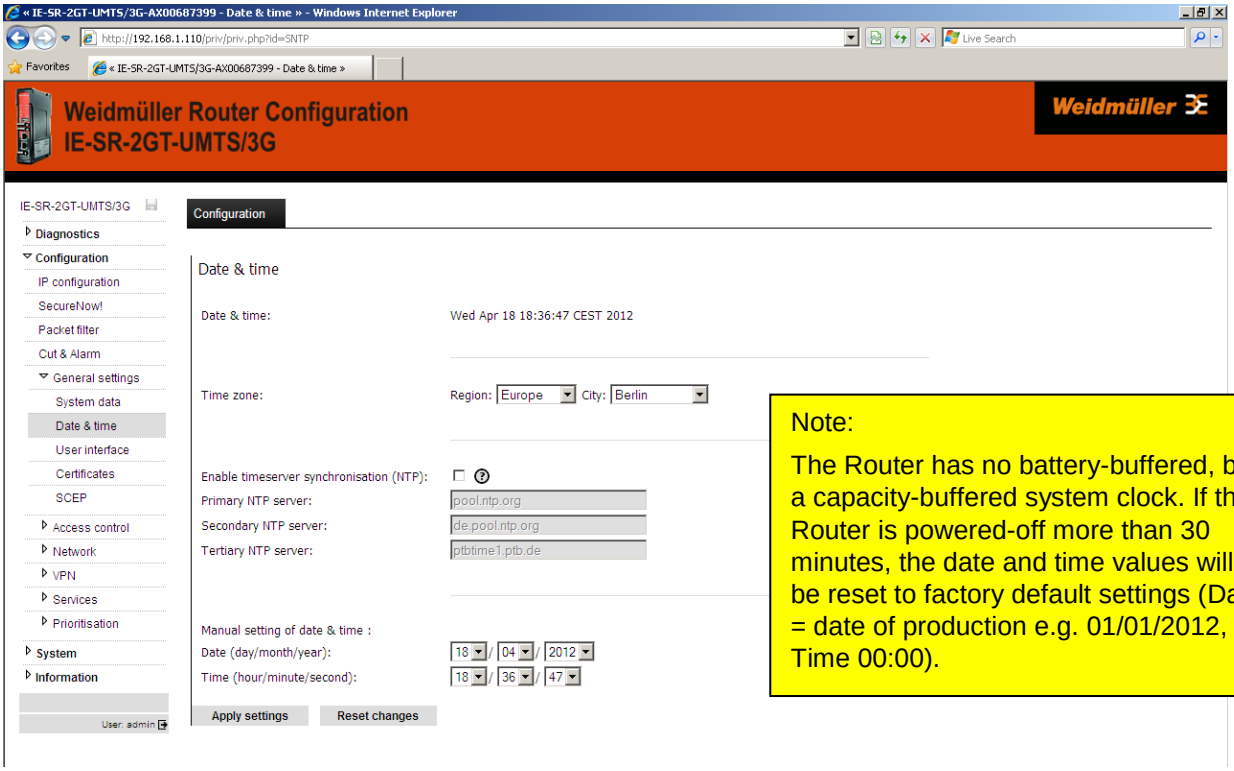


Figure 18: Configuration → General settings → System data → Tab „Configuration“

Configuring application-related data of the Router (free text).



Note:

The Router has no battery-buffered, but a capacity-buffered system clock. If the Router is powered-off more than 30 minutes, the date and time values will be reset to factory default settings (Date = date of production e.g. 01/01/2012, Time 00:00).

Figure 19: Configuration → General settings → Date & time → Tab „Configuration“

Setting of date, time and time zone. Alternatively, the date/time setting can be configured via using the "Network Time Protocol" and accessing an external NTP server.

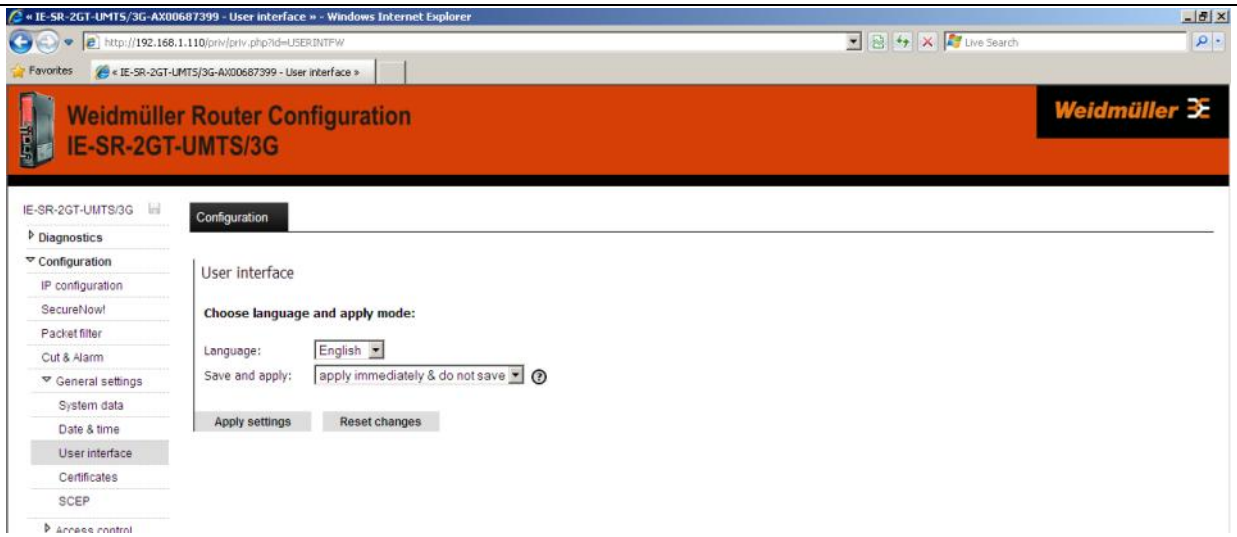


Figure 20: Configuration → General settings → User interface → Tab „Configuration“

Language → Setting the language (German or English) of the Web interface.

Save and apply → Setting the behaviour of the button "Activate" respectively „Save“ in the configuration windows. If you chose the entry „Apply immediately and do not save“ then configuration changes will be immediately activated but not saved. If you chose the entry „Save only and do not apply“ then the button named „Apply“ in the configuration windows will be changed to a button named „Saved“. In this case all done changes will be only saved and not activated. Saved changes come into effect after a restart.

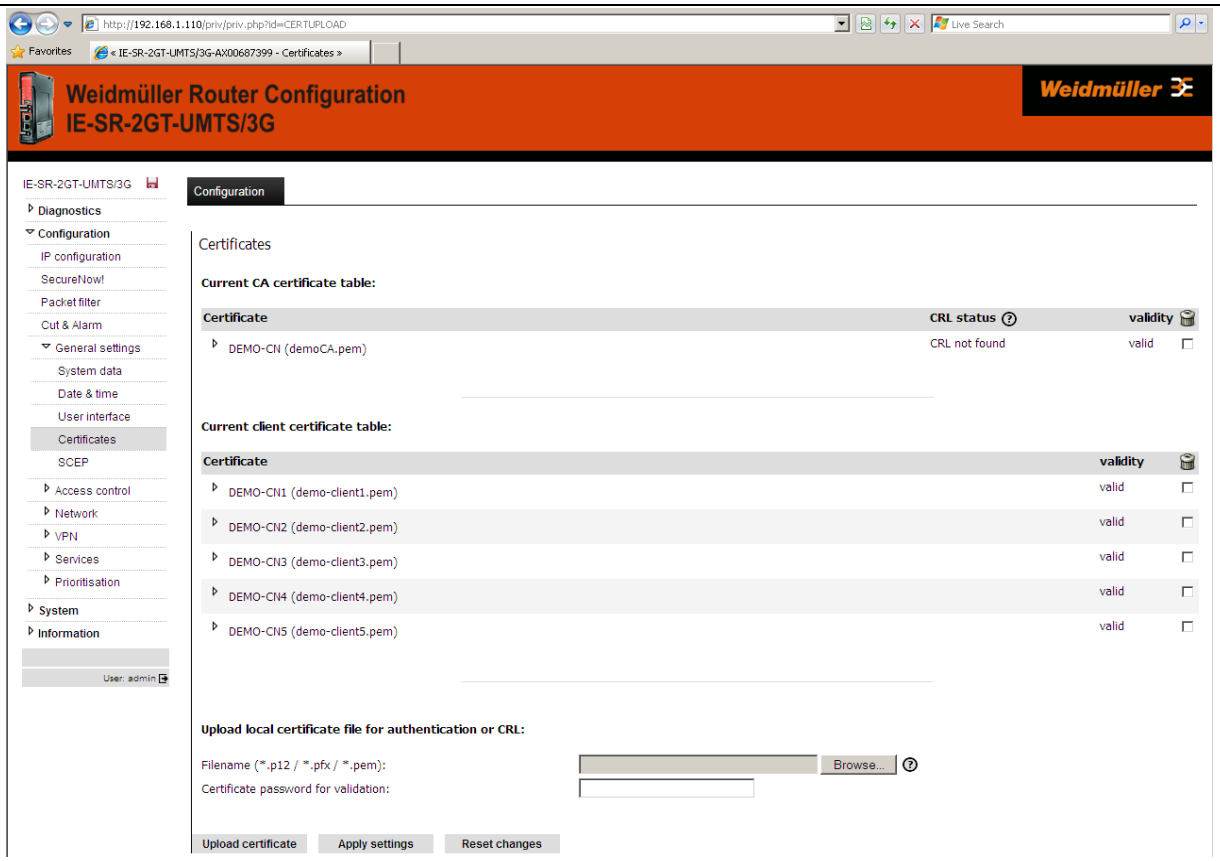


Figure 21: Configuration → General settings → Certificates → Tab „Configuration“

Adding or deleting of certificates for VPN applications (used for both IPsec and OpenVPN).
How to use certificates (CA Root, Server, Client) please refer to Appendix B1 (Link to document TechNote_Router_RemoteAccess_via_MeetingPoint_V1_??.pdf).

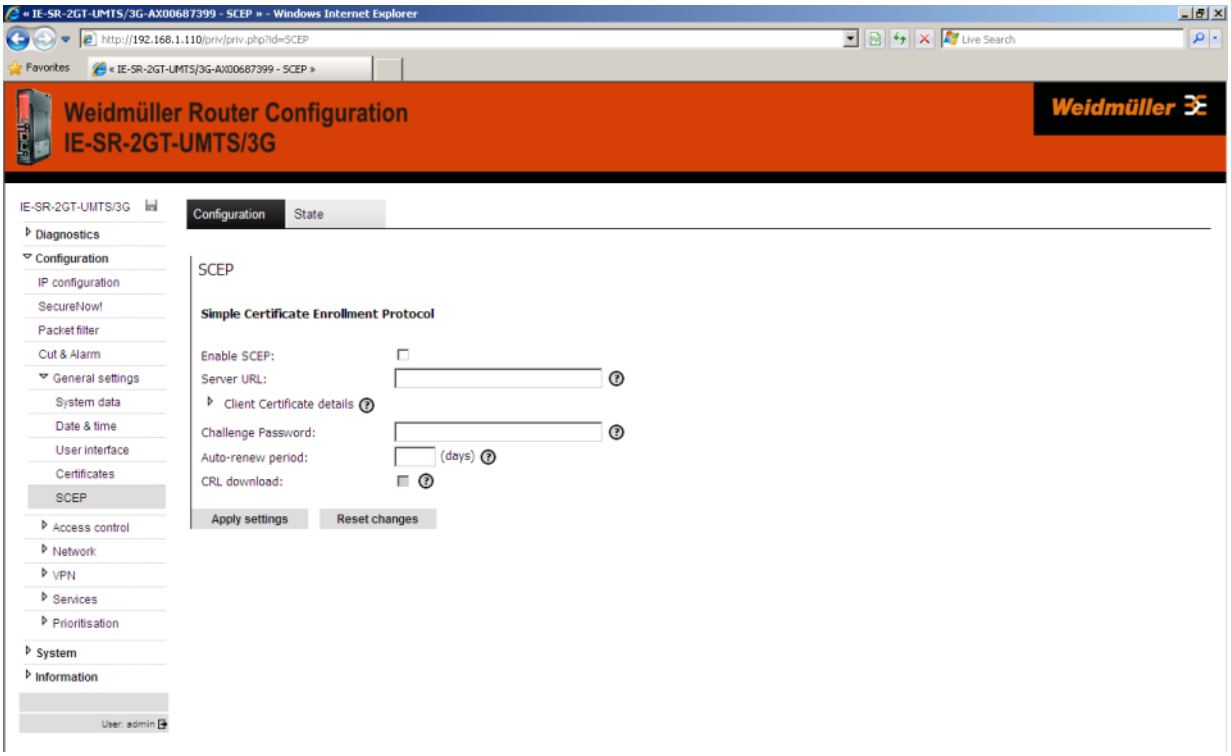


Figure 22: Configuration → General settings → SCEP → Tab „Configuration“

Configuration of the Router for online access to certificates which are stored on a centralized online certificate server (SCEP Simple Certification Enrollment Protocol). When setting up certificate-based VPN connections, the necessary certificates can be obtained directly from a SCEP server.

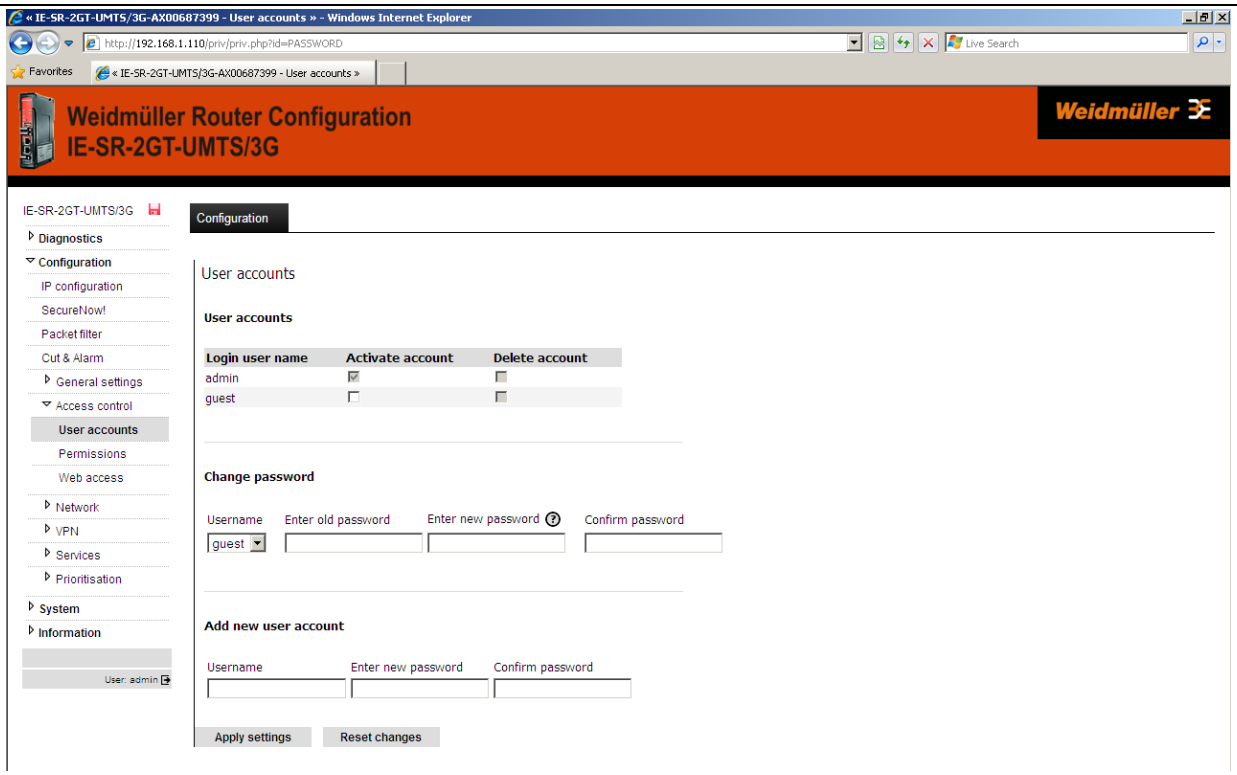


Figure 23: Configuration → Access control → User accounts → Tab „Configuration“

Create and delete other user accounts

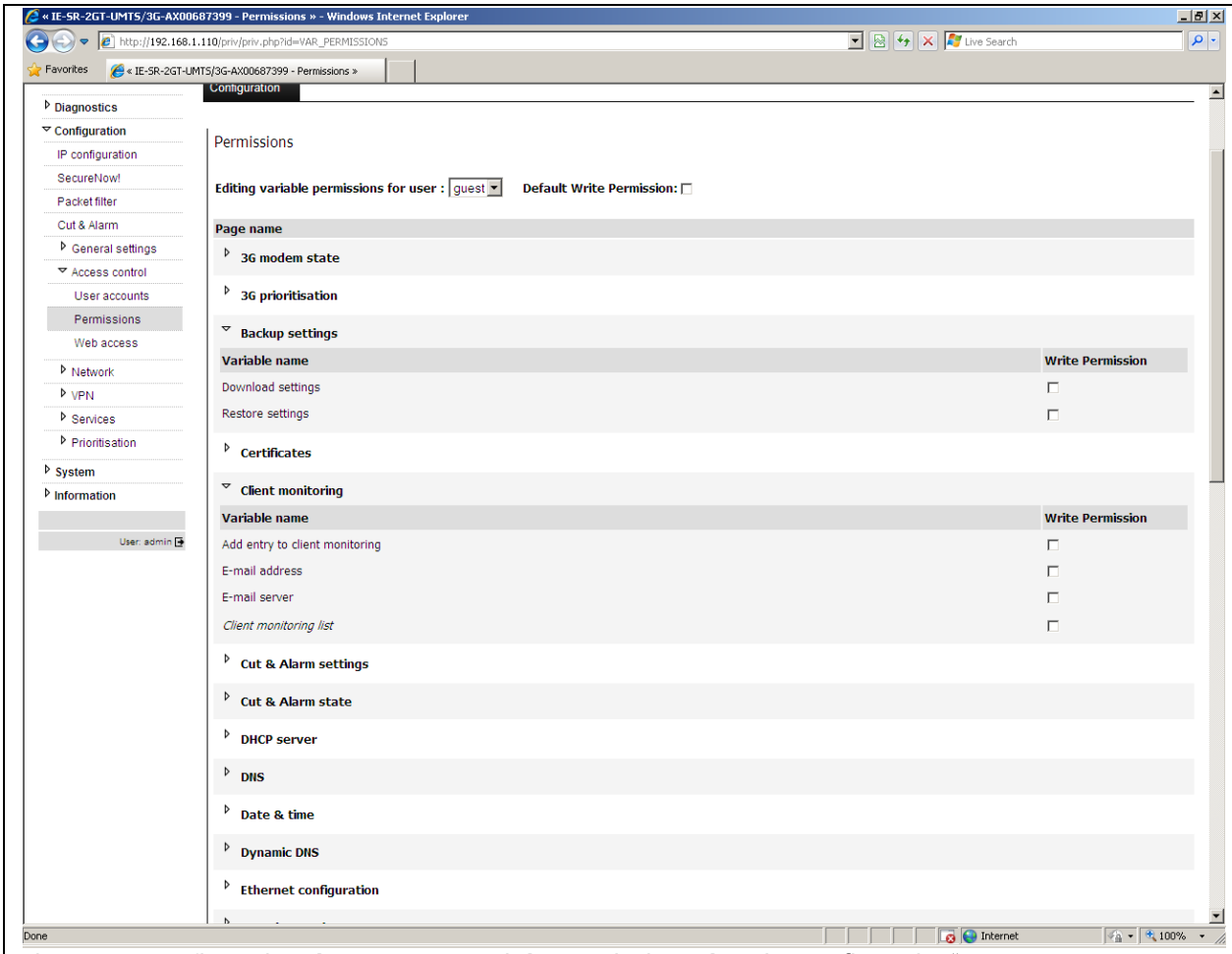


Figure 24: Configuration → Access control → Permissions → Tab „Configuration“

Detailed assignmnet of individual rights for the created user accounts.
Note: The Administrator account always has full access. It cannot be deleted.

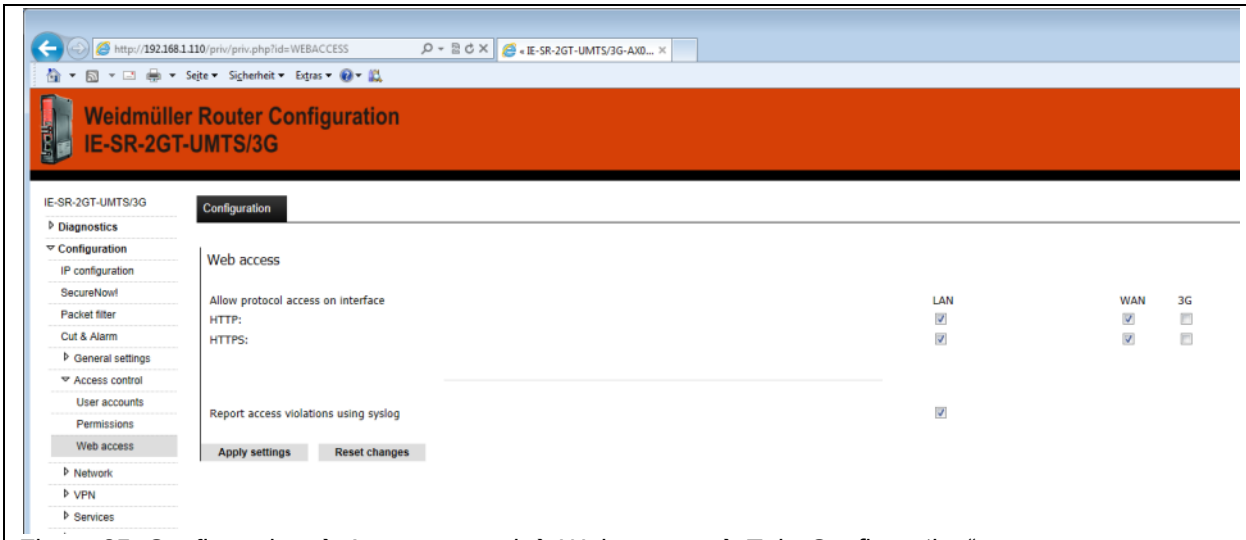


Figure 25: Configuration → Access control → Web access → Tab „Configuration“

Select the possible access modes of the web interface (via http and / or https). For models of type IE-SR-3GT-UMTS/3G additionally section „3G“ (as shown above) will be displayed to allow access to the Webinterface via 3G connection.

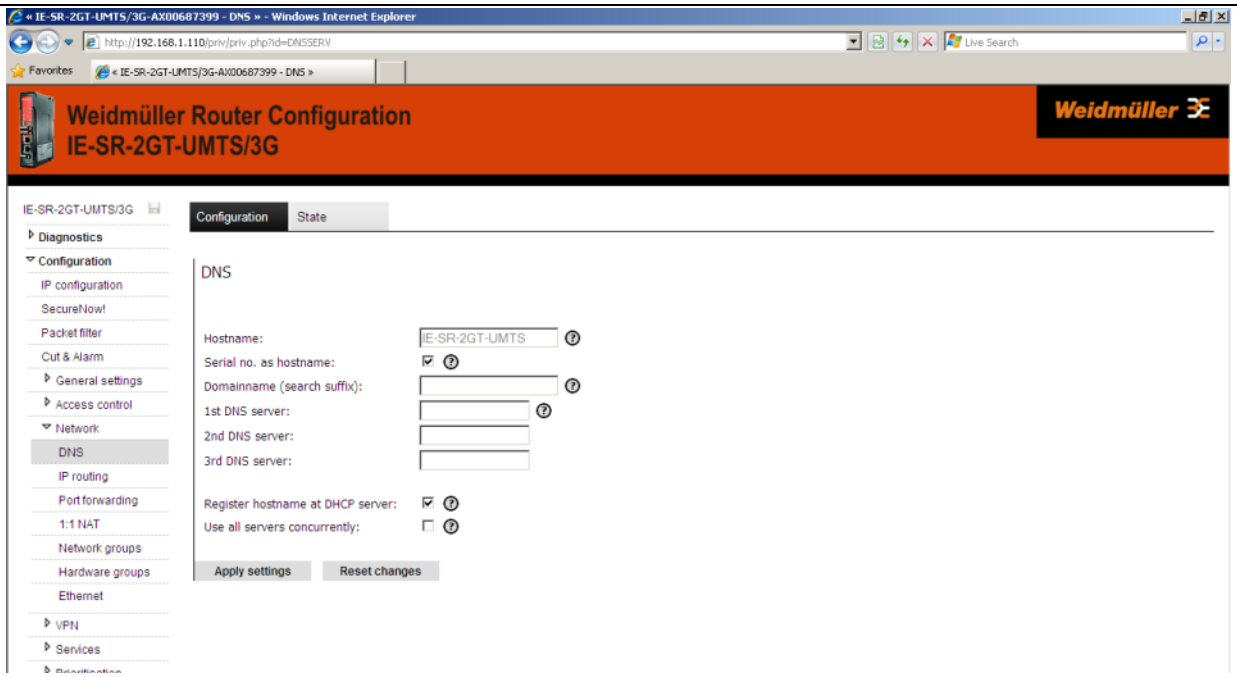


Figure 26: Configuration → Network → DNS → Tab „Configuration“

Registration of up to 3 DNS servers for name resolution. The Router acts as a DNS relay server.

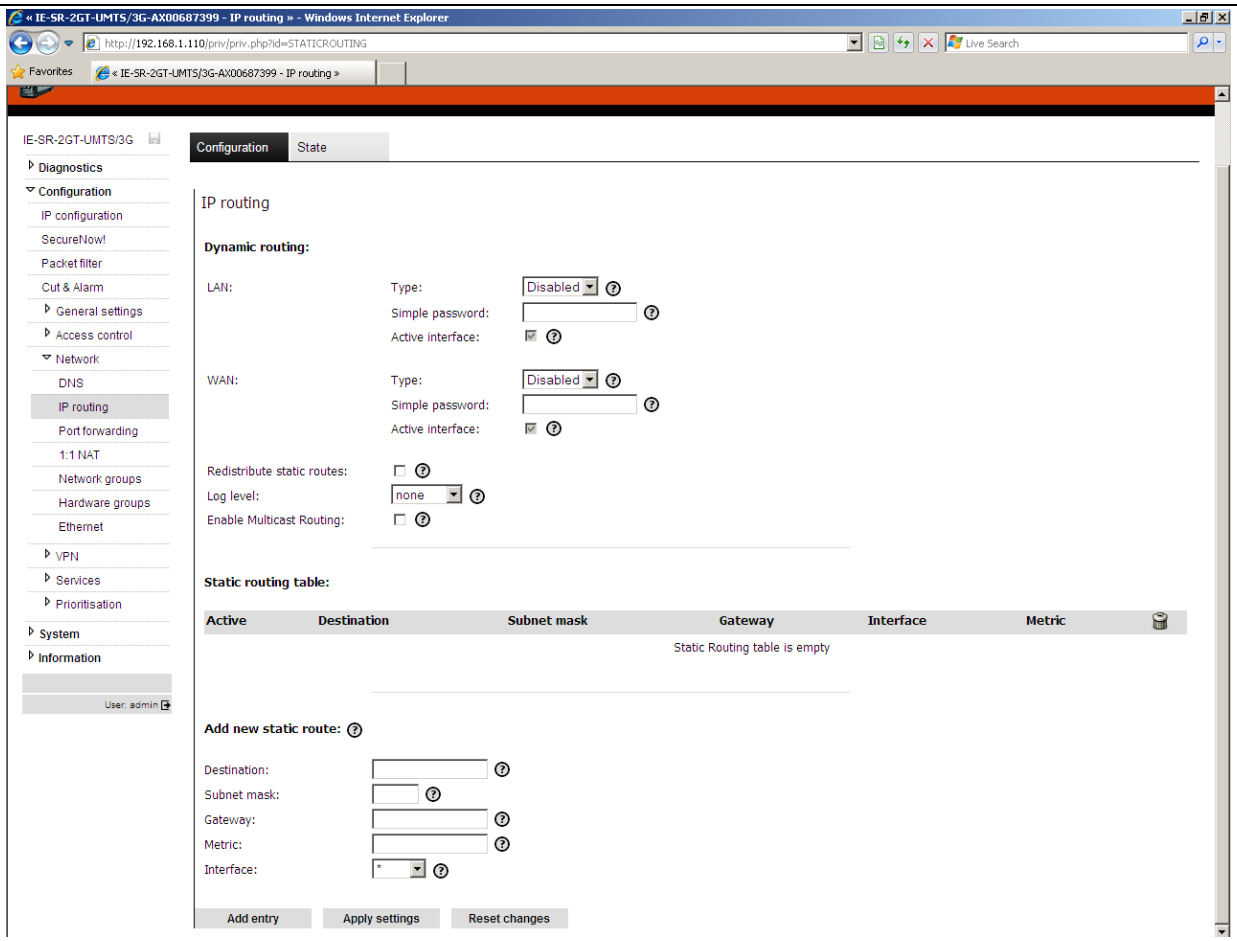


Figure 27: Configuration → Network → IP Routing → Tab „Configuration“
Registration of static IP routes and activating/deactivating of dynamic routing. For dynamic routing both can be selected the RIP and the OSPF protocol. Up to 10 static IP routes can be configured.

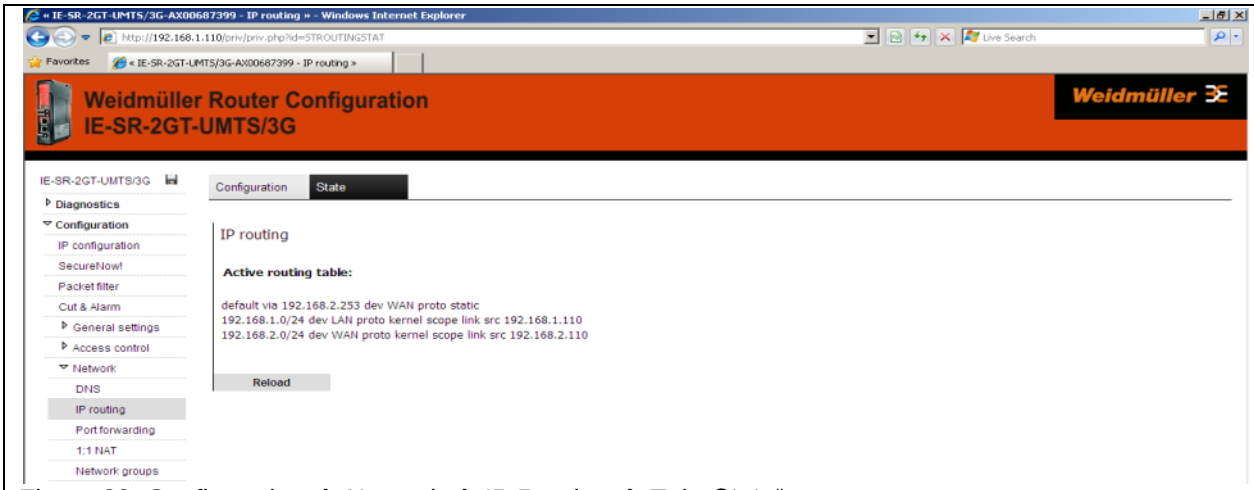


Figure 28: Configuration → Network → IP Routing → Tab „State“

Display of currently valid routing table.

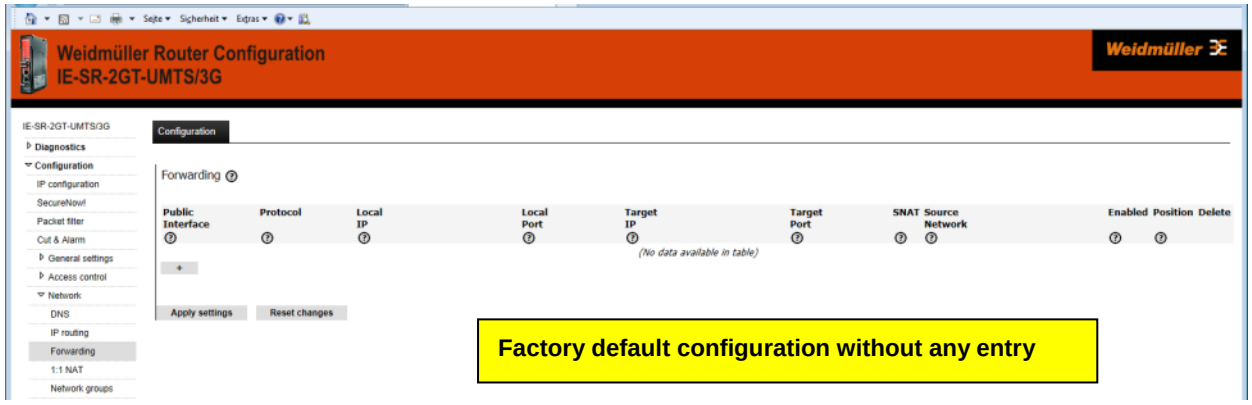


Figure 29: Configuration → Network → Forwarding → Tab „Configuration“

Configuring standard port forwardings (IP address with port) and pure IP address forwardings. Additonally for each forwarding the feature SNAT (Source network address translation) can be activated to hide the original source.
„IP address forwarding“ can be configured using an IP address and a wildcard port number (*) instead of a fixed port number. With this features it is possible to get access to an Ethernet device behind a masqueraded interface only by IP address. From the behavior this fea-ture is similar to a virtual mapping giving an Ethernet device a second public IP address.

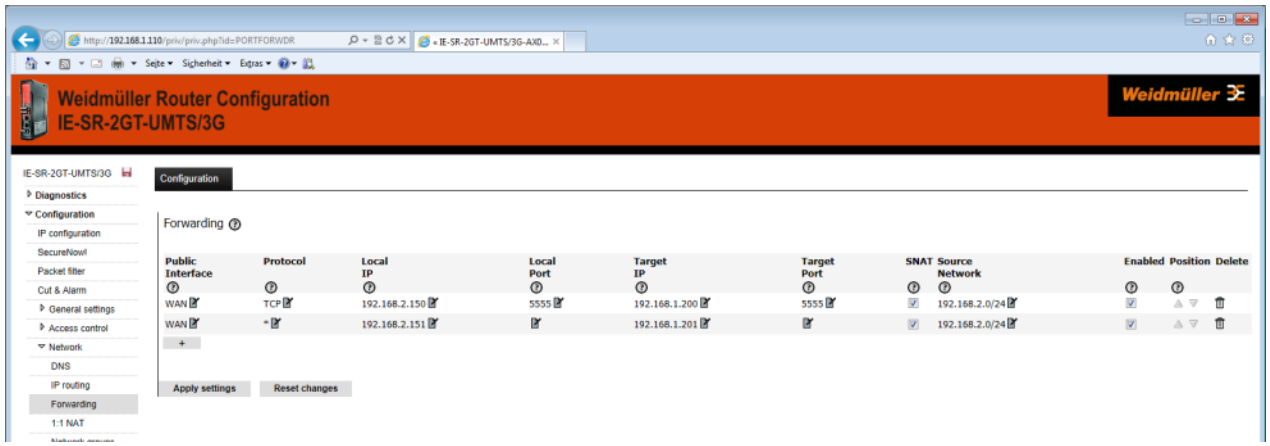


Figure 30: Configuration → Network → Forwarding → Tab „Configuration“ (2 Forwardings configured)

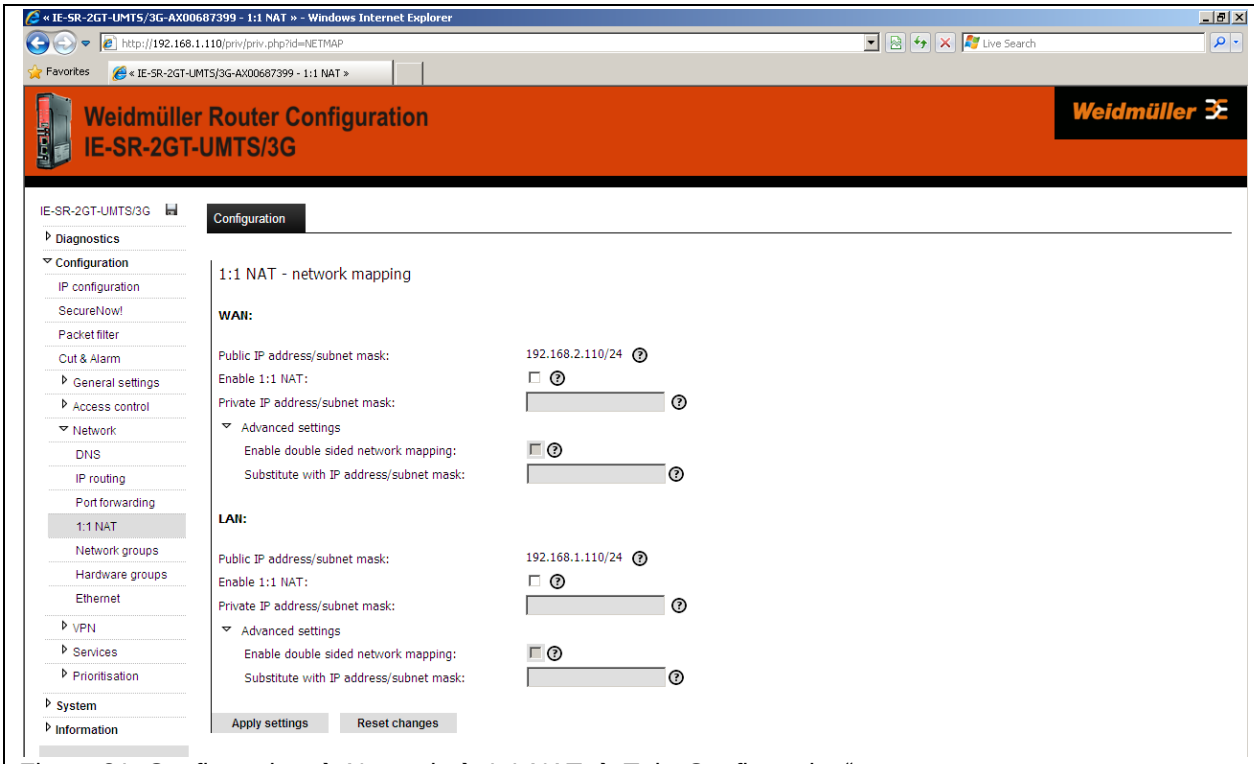


Figure 31: Configuration → Network → 1:1 NAT → Tab „Configuration“

Configuration of the mapping (assignment) of IP address ranges between LAN and WAN port, and vice-versa.
For more detailed information please refer to Appendix A2.

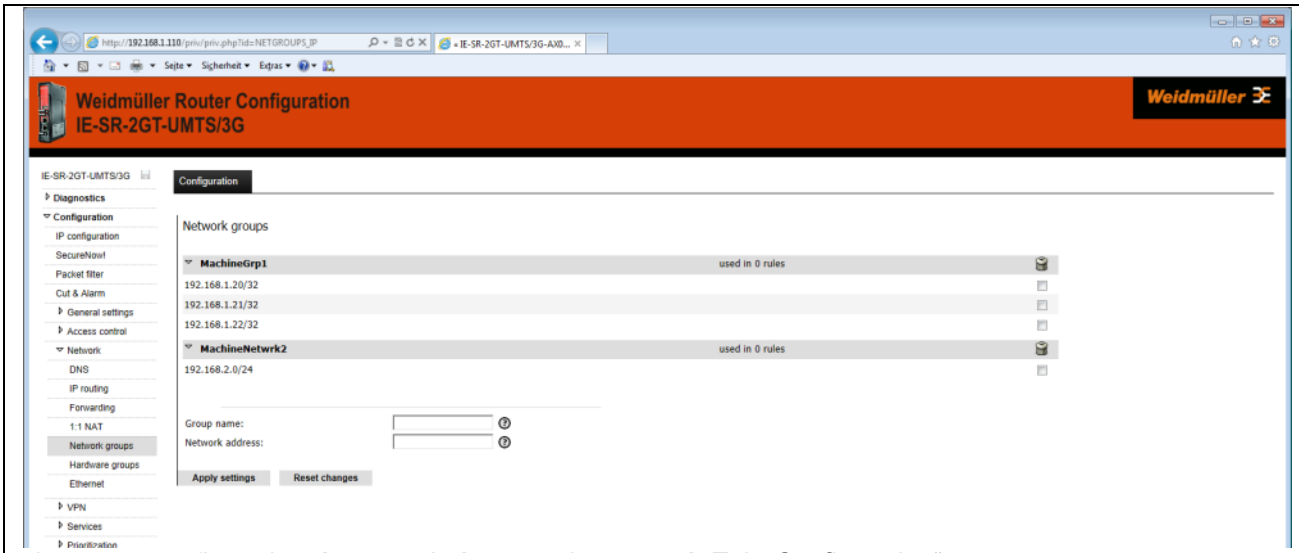


Figure 32: Configuration → Network → Network groups → Tab „Configuration“

Creating groups with "speaking" names for ranges of IP addresses (Layer 3). A network group always contains a range of IP addresses with specified subnet (eg 192.168.1.0/24). A network group can contain a set of single IP addresses and complete IP address ranges. Network groups can be used instead of IP address ranges if you will create firewall filtering rules (See menu Configuration → Packet filters → Layer 3).

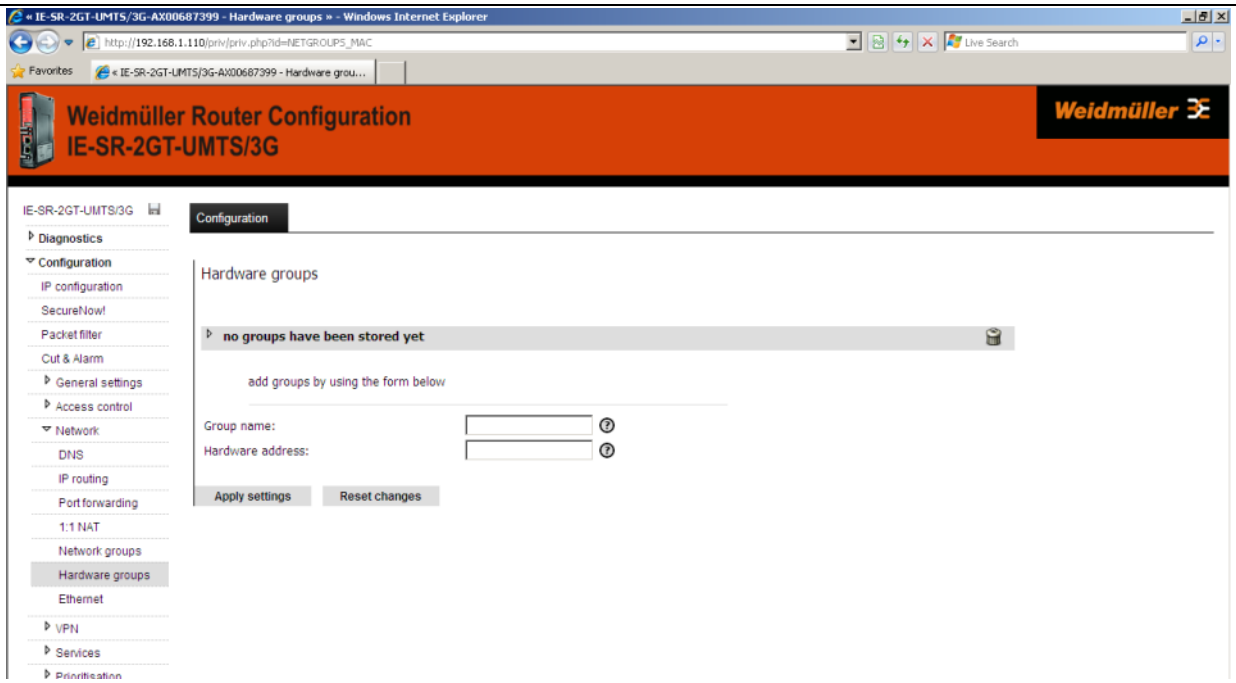


Figure 33: Configuration → Network → Hardware groups → Tab „Configuration“

Creating groups with "speaking" names based on MAC addresses (layer 2). A hardware group can contain any number of MAC addresses (for example, 00:15:7E:D9:09:00). Hardware groups can be used for better readability than individual MAC addresses if you will create firewall filtering rules (See menu Configuration → Packet filters → Layer 2).

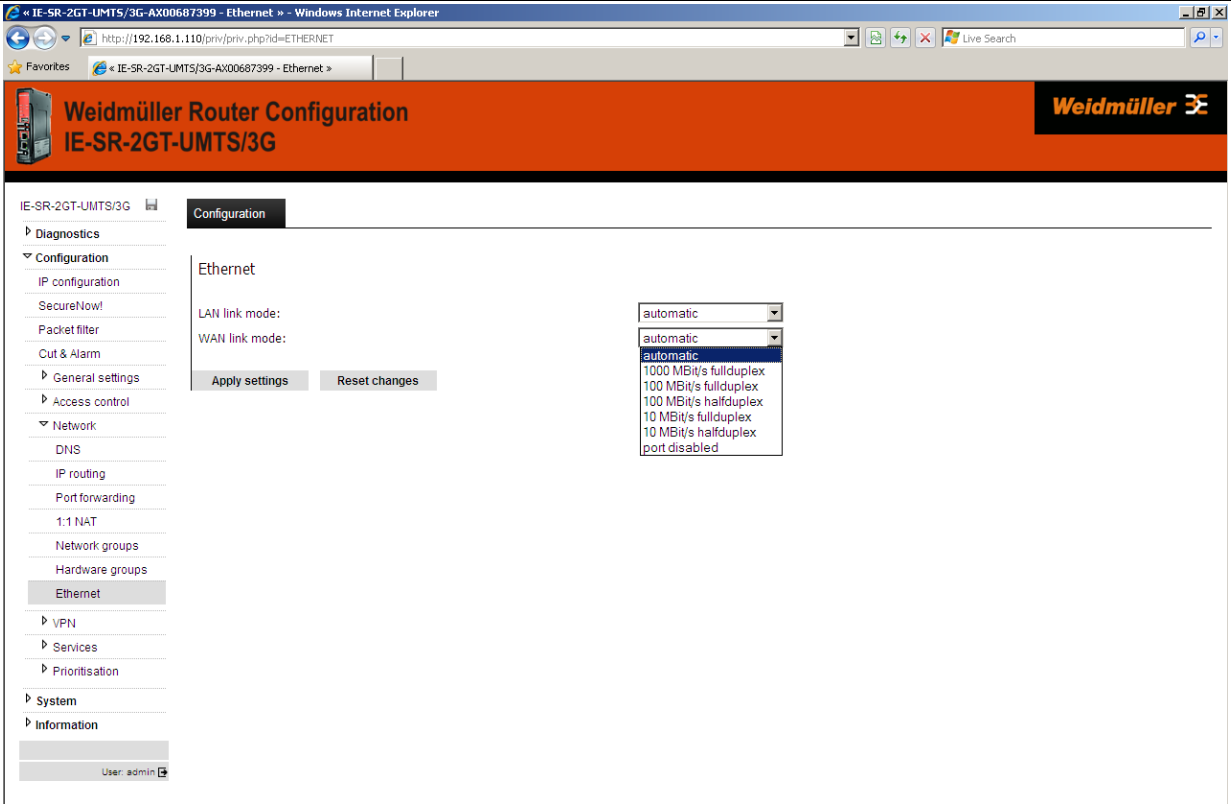


Figure 34: Configuration → Network → Ethernet → Tab „Configuration“

Setting the transmission parameters of the LAN / WAN hardware interfaces.

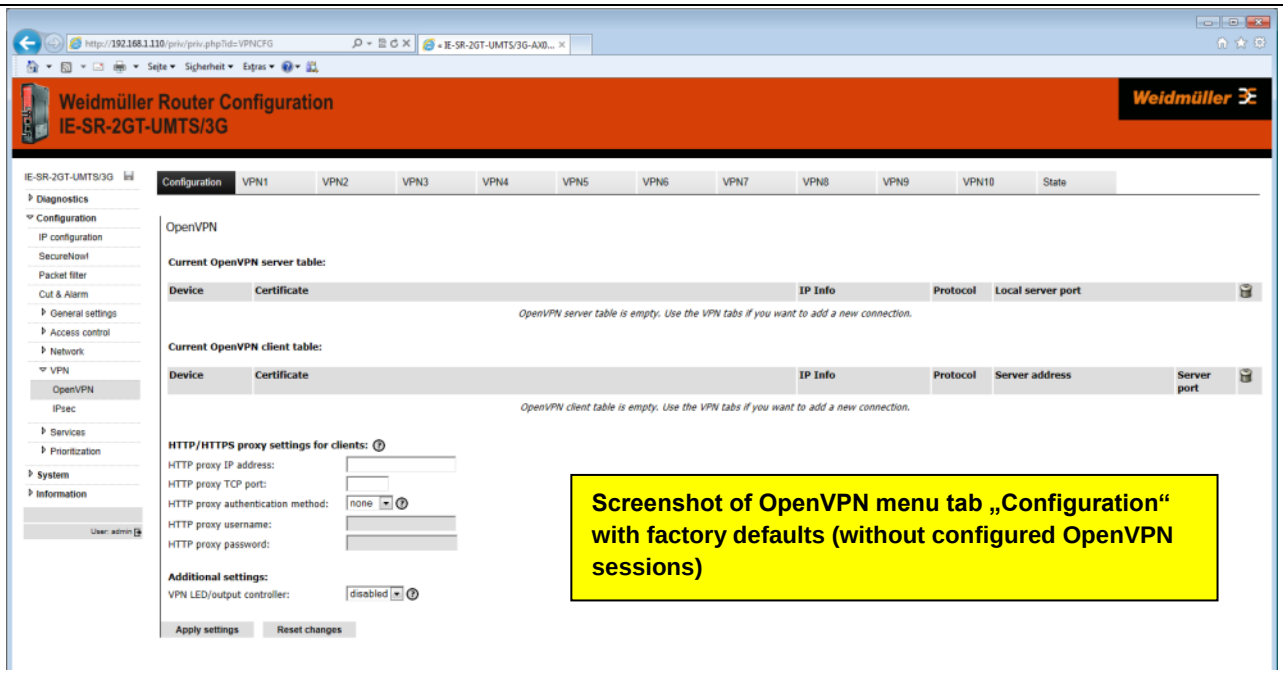


Figure 35: Configuration → VPN → OpenVPN → Tab „Configuration“

The OpenVPN menu allows to create and establish virtual private network connections based on the OpenVPN implementation. The Router can be configured both as OpenVPN client and OpenVPN server either based on Layer 2 (Bridging) or on Layer 3 (Routing). A maximum of 10 OpenVPN connections (either as client or as server) can be configured and started at the same time. Each VPN connection can be configured individually at Tab's VPN1…VPN10.

Note: OpenVPN connections can only be used with encryption based on certificates.

On each configured OpenVPN server connection theoretically any number of remote OpenVPN clients can be connected (only limited by the hardware performance of the Router).

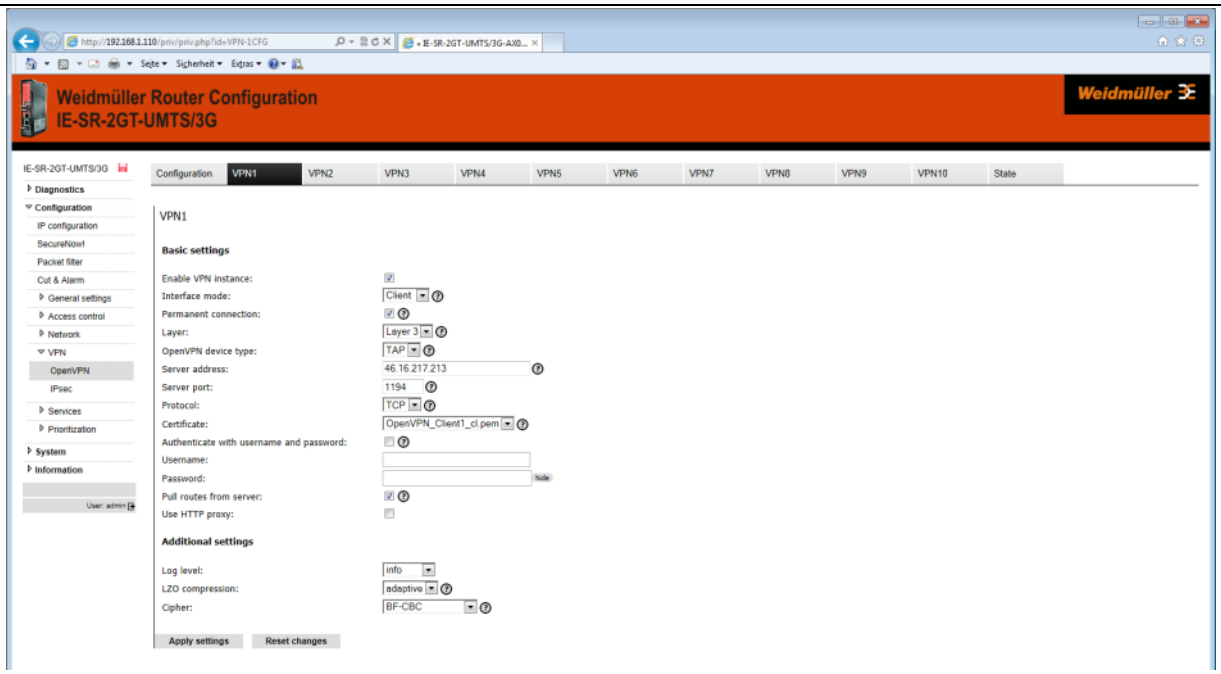


Figure 36: Configuration → VPN → OpenVPN → Tab „VPN1“
Screenshot of a configured OpenVPN-Client at tab VPN1

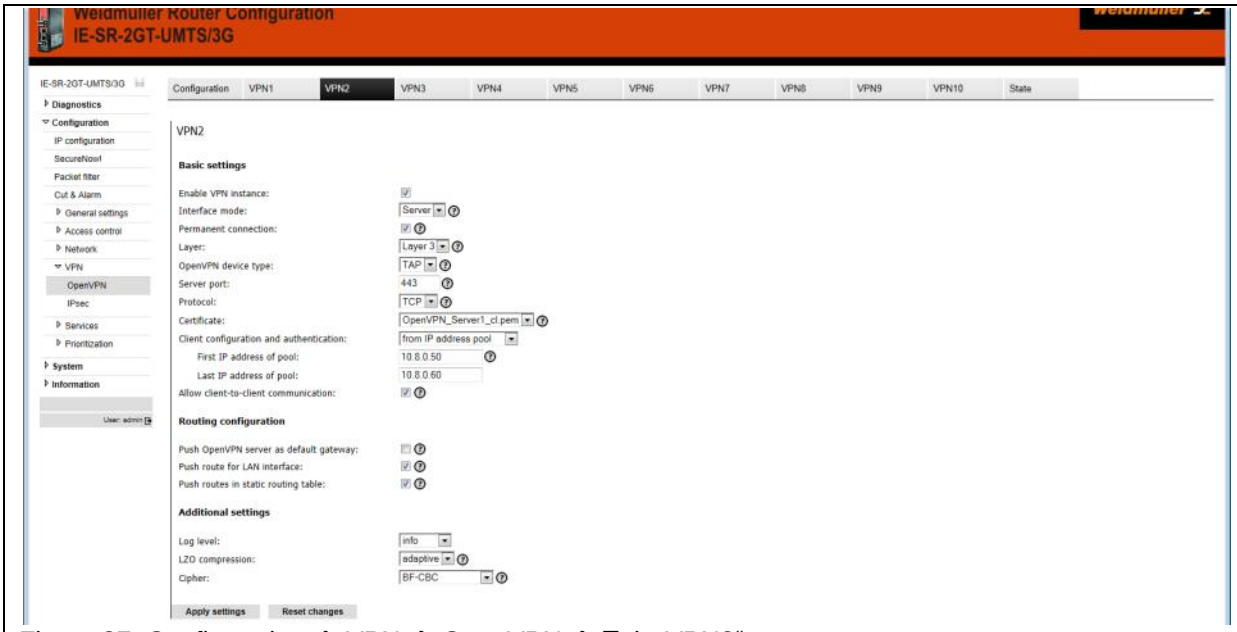
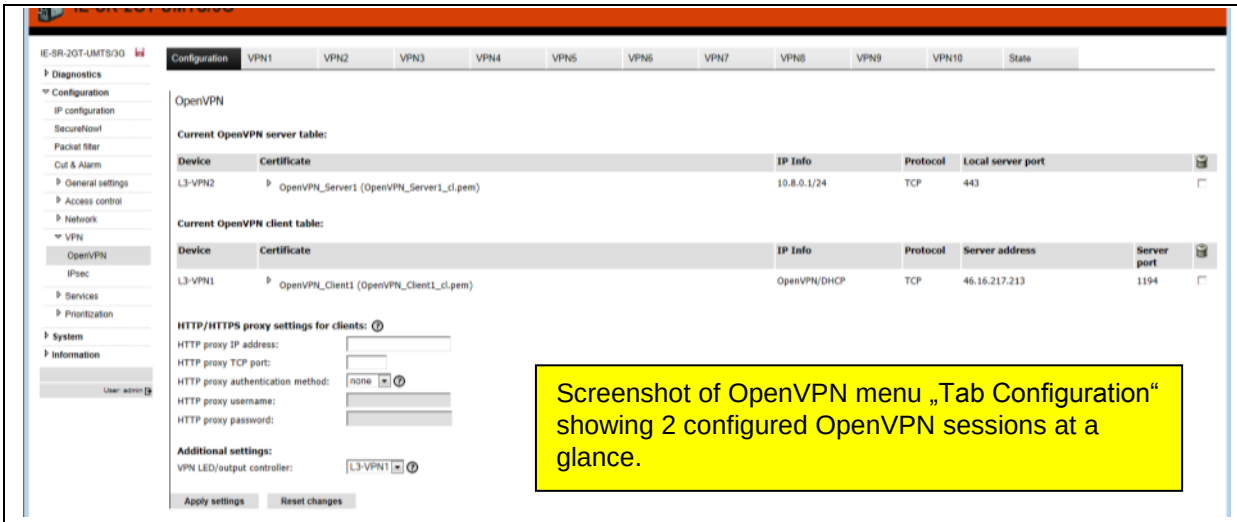


Figure 37: Configuration → VPN → OpenVPN → Tab „VPN2“
Screenshot of a configured OpenVPN-Server at tab VPN2.

Figure 38: Configuration → VPN → OpenVPN→ Tab “State”

This screenshot is displaying the status of a configured OpenVPN-Client session (L3, VPN1, currently disconnected) and an OpenVPN-Server session (L3, VPN2, currently no connected remote clients).



Screenshot of OpenVPN menu „Tab Configuration“ showing 2 configured OpenVPN sessions at a glance.

Figure 39: Configuration → VPN → OpenVPN→ Tab “Configuration”

After configuration of OpenVPN sessions the configured connected will be displayed at a glance in this menu.

How to configure OpenVPN connections please refer to Appendix B (Link to technical documents about OpenVPN based remote access scenarios).

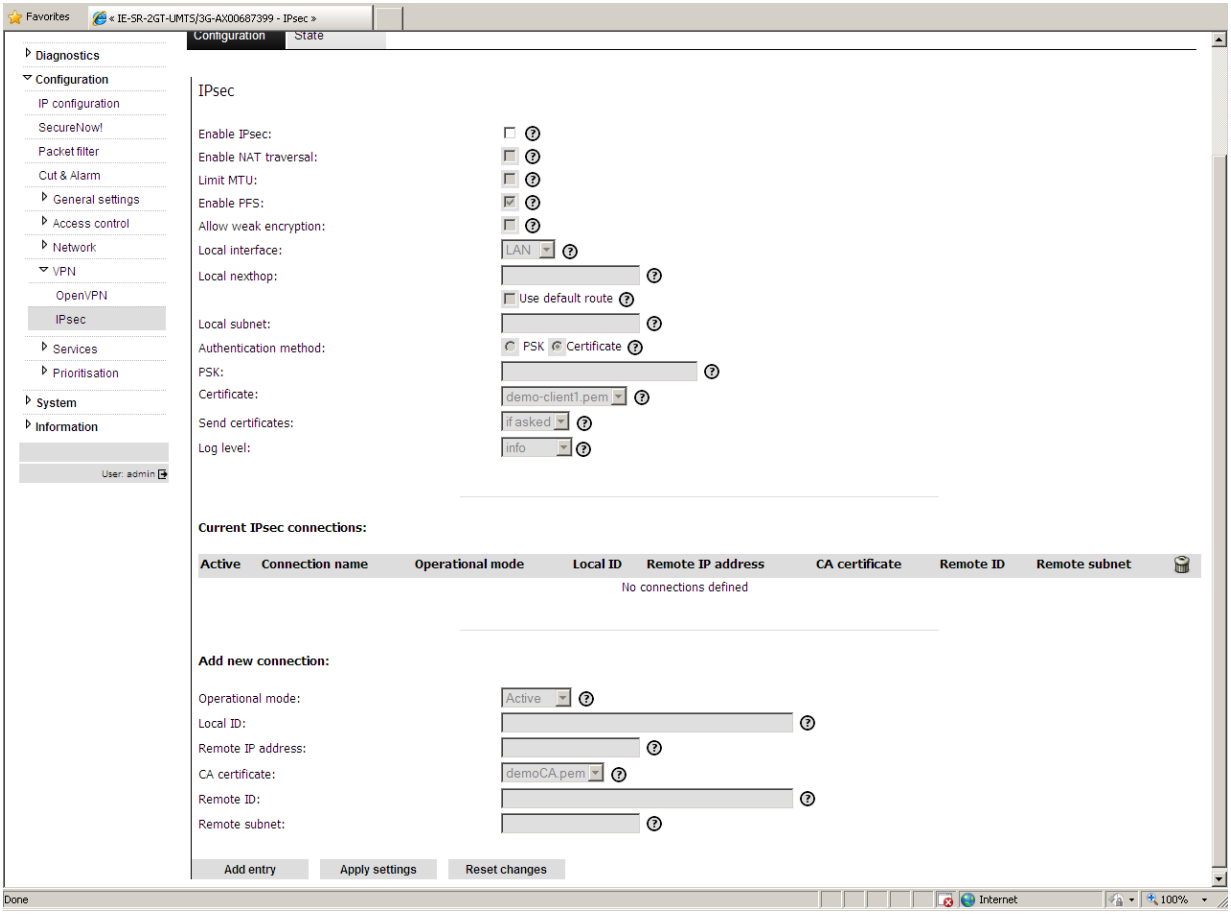


Figure 40: Configuration → VPN → IPsec → Tab „Configuration“

The IPsec menu allows to create and establish virtual private network connections based on the standard IPsec implementation. The Router can be configured both as IPsec client and IPsec server.

IPsec allows the encryption of the complete communication flow between the Router and a remote site on IP level. IPsec provides encryption of subnets, which are located behind the respective VPN peers.

IPsec connections can be used with both PSK encryption (pre-shared key using user name and password) as well as certificate based encryption.
Implemented IPsec features:

Key exchange: IKE (Internet Key Exchange) basedon ISAKMP (Internet Security Association and Key Management Protocol)
IKE-Phases: Main-Mode (Phase 1) and Quick-Mode (Phase 2)
Authentication: X.509-certificates or Pre-shared-key
DH groups: DH group 1 MODP 768, DH group 2 MODP 1024, DH group 5 MODP 1536
Data integrity: MD5 (128bit), SHA1 (160bit)
Encoding: DES (64bit), 3DES (192bit), AES (128bit), AES (192bit), AES (256bit)
Integrated hardware-based encoding
Ipsec mode: ESP tunnel
Maximum number of Ipsec connections: 64
NAT-Traversal: Yes
Dead-Peer-Detection: Yes

Note: By default the Router uses the parameters AES128, MD5, DH group 2 for Main-Mode and AES128, SHA1 for Quick-Mode.
Authentication by „Aggressive-Mode is due to security reasons not supported!

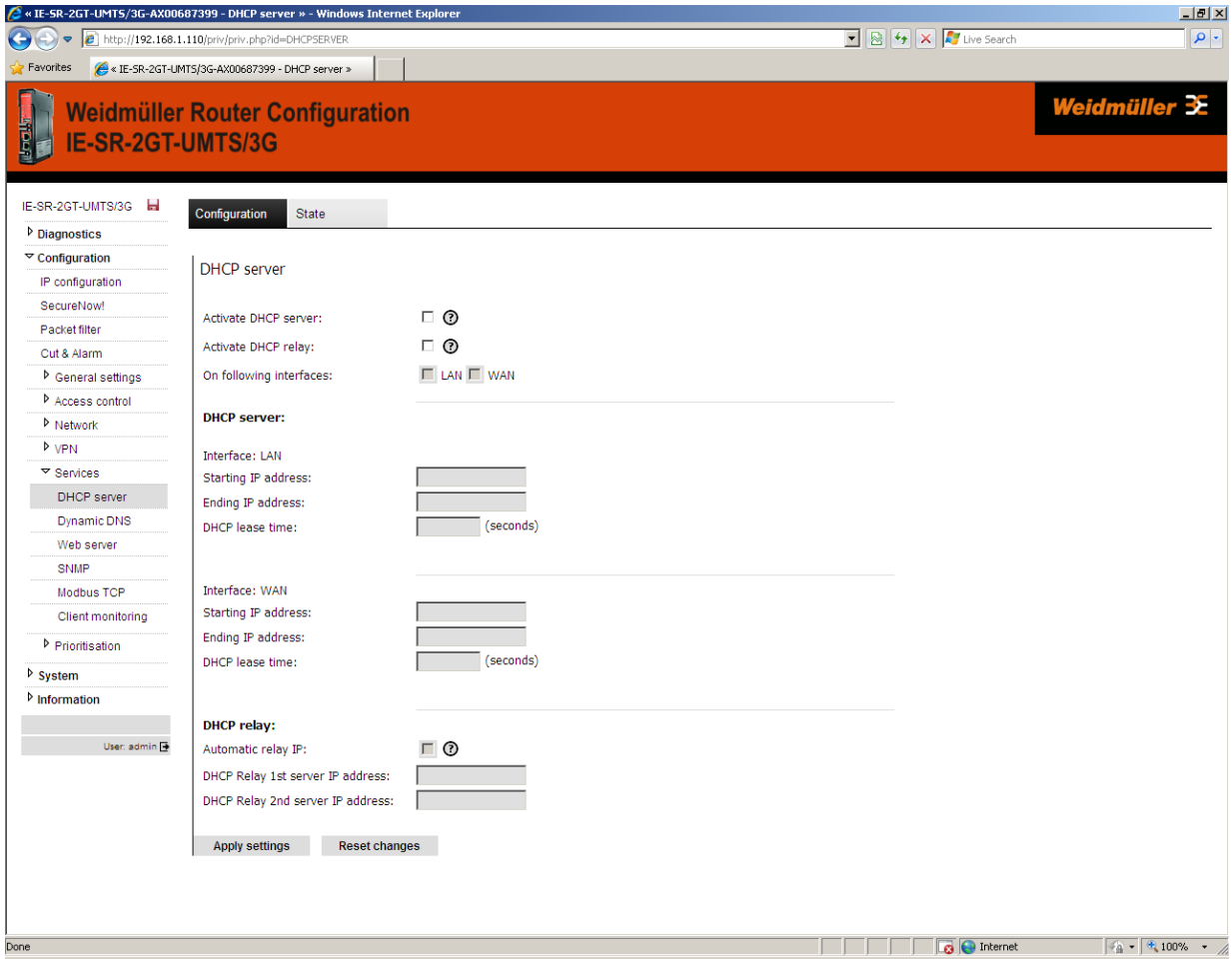


Figure 41: Configuration → Services → DHCP Server → Tab „Configuration“

In operating mode "IP Router", the built-in DHCP server can be used for allocating IP addresses on both LAN-side and WAN side. By default (factory settings) the DHCP server is switched off.

Note:
The range of the IP addresses – which will be allocated to connecting DHCP clients - must be in the same range as the IP address of the Router interface (LAN or WAN).

Alternatively, the Router can be configured as a DHCP relay. DHCP requests from clients which require an IP address are then forwarded to the "real" DHCP server.

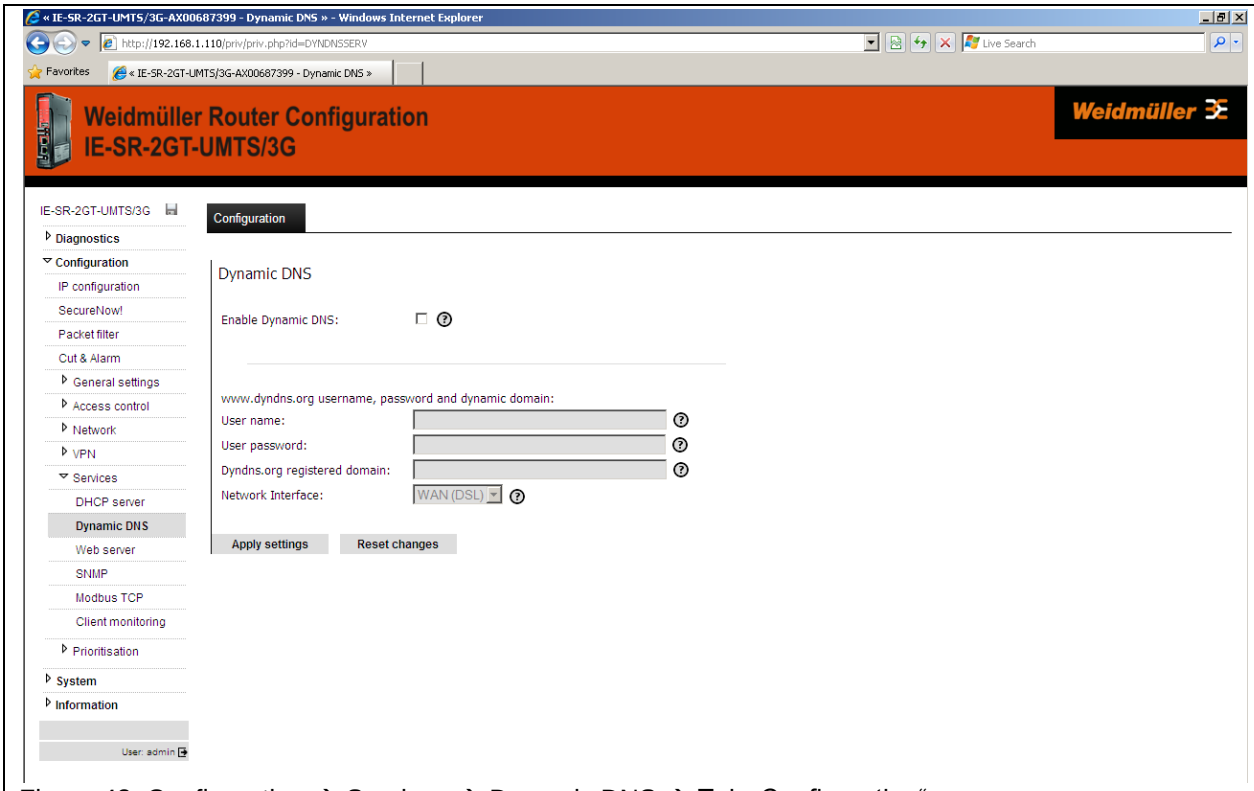


Figure 42: Configuration → Services → Dynamic DNS → Tab „Configuration“

This feature allows the Router - if connected to the Internet using dynamic IP address allocation - to be accessed by a „speaking“ name via the public Dynamic DNS service of provider „DynDNS.org“.

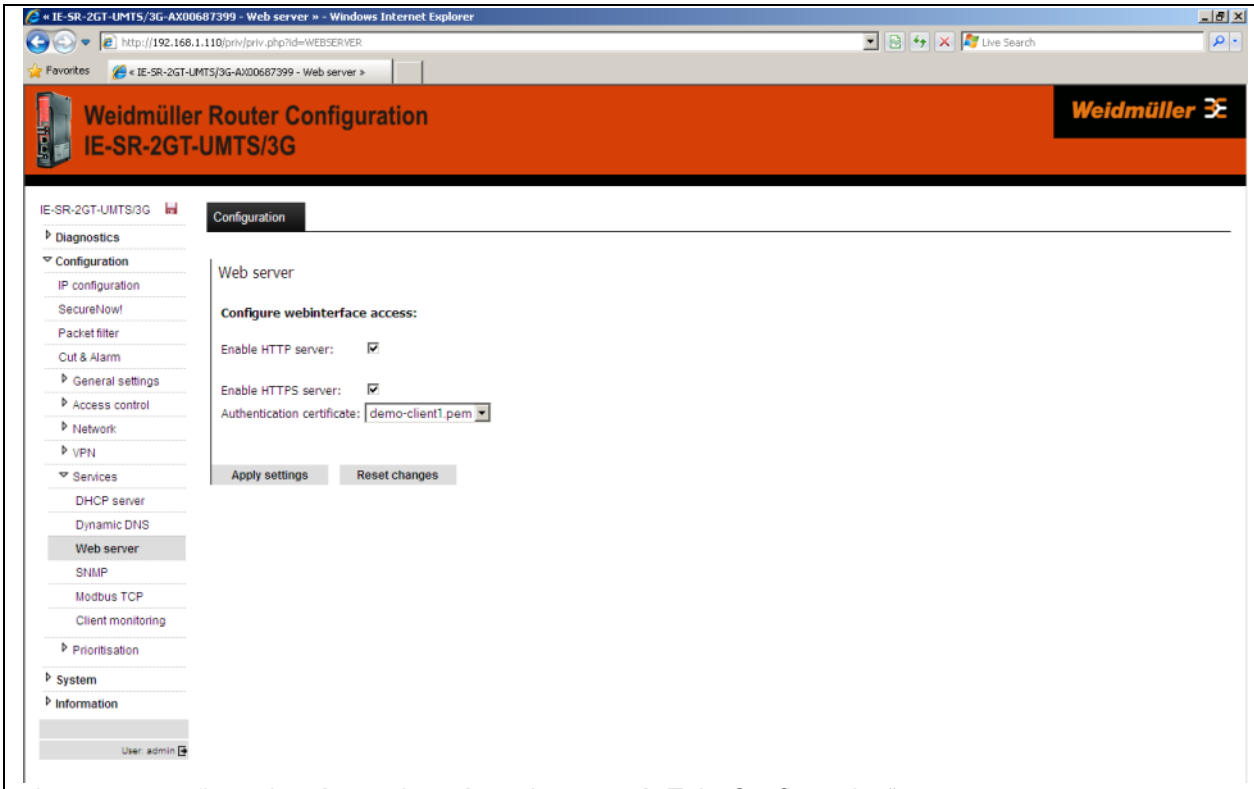


Figure 43: Configuration → Services → Web server → Tab „Configuration“

Via this menu item the access protocol to the Web interface (http or https) can be configured.

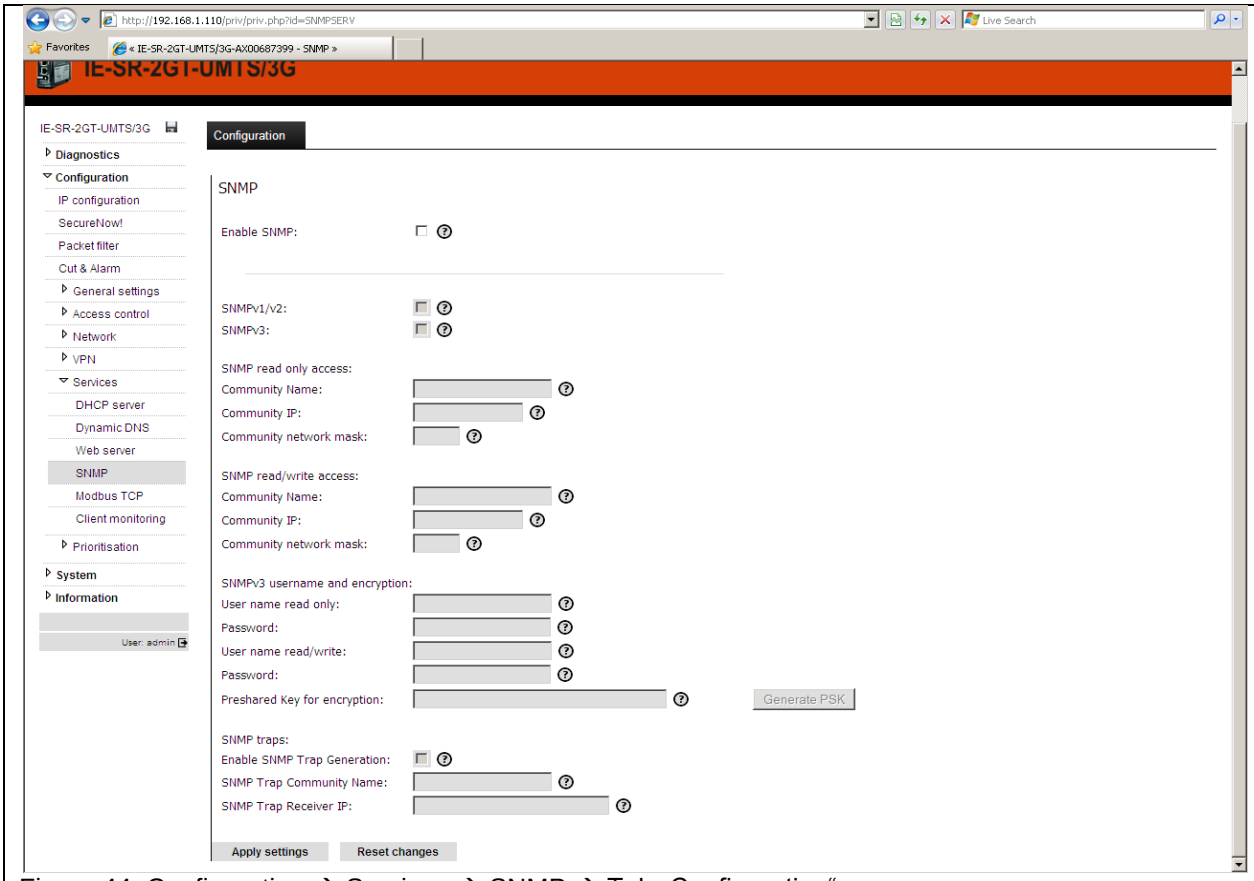


Figure 44: Configuration → Services → SNMP → Tab „Configuration“

Activation / deactivation of the SNMP protocol (Simple Network Management Protocol). Versions v1/v2/v3 are supported. Router data can be requested using Standard MIB-II.
Note: Currently no SNMP-traps are implemented.

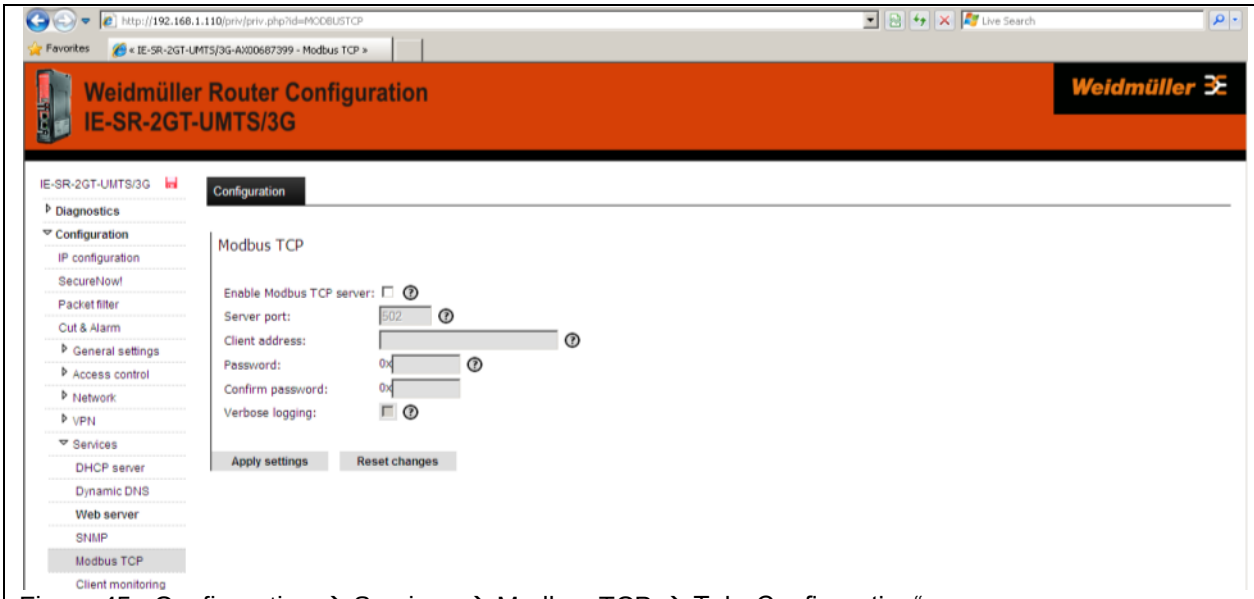


Figure 45: Configuration → Services → Modbus TCP → Tab „Configuration“

Activation / deactivation of the integrated ModbusTCP-Server. Allows external Ethernet controllers that understand the ModbusTCP protocol to query Router states and control information. Using the ModbusTCP protocol e.g. VPN connections (IPsec and OpenVPN) can be activated and deactivated. Additionally events like „Cut“ or „Alarm“ can be monitored and reset (acknowledged).

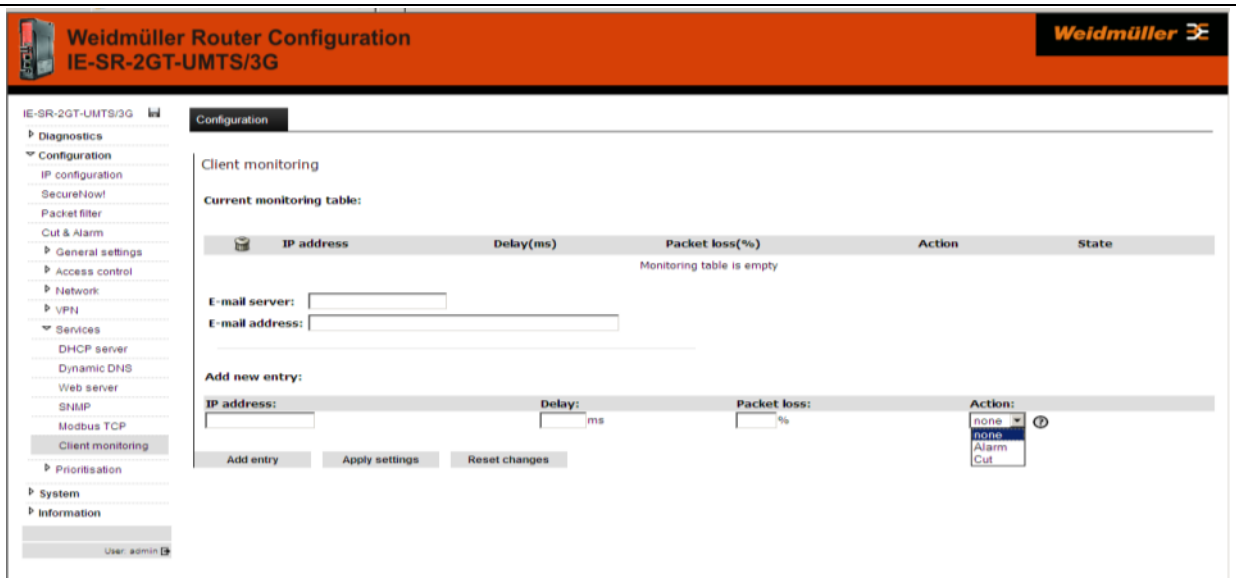


Figure 46: Configuration → Services → Client Monitoring → Tab „Configuration“

Allows the monitoring (still alive?) of network devices via a cyclic query using the ICMP protocol (ping request). As an action if a monitored Ethernet device is no longer available an „Alarm“ or a „Cut“ event can be triggered. Additionally the connection to a mail server and a target mail address can be configured to send the information about a lost connection of a monitored device by mail.
Fore more detailed information please refer to Appendix C2 (Method 3).

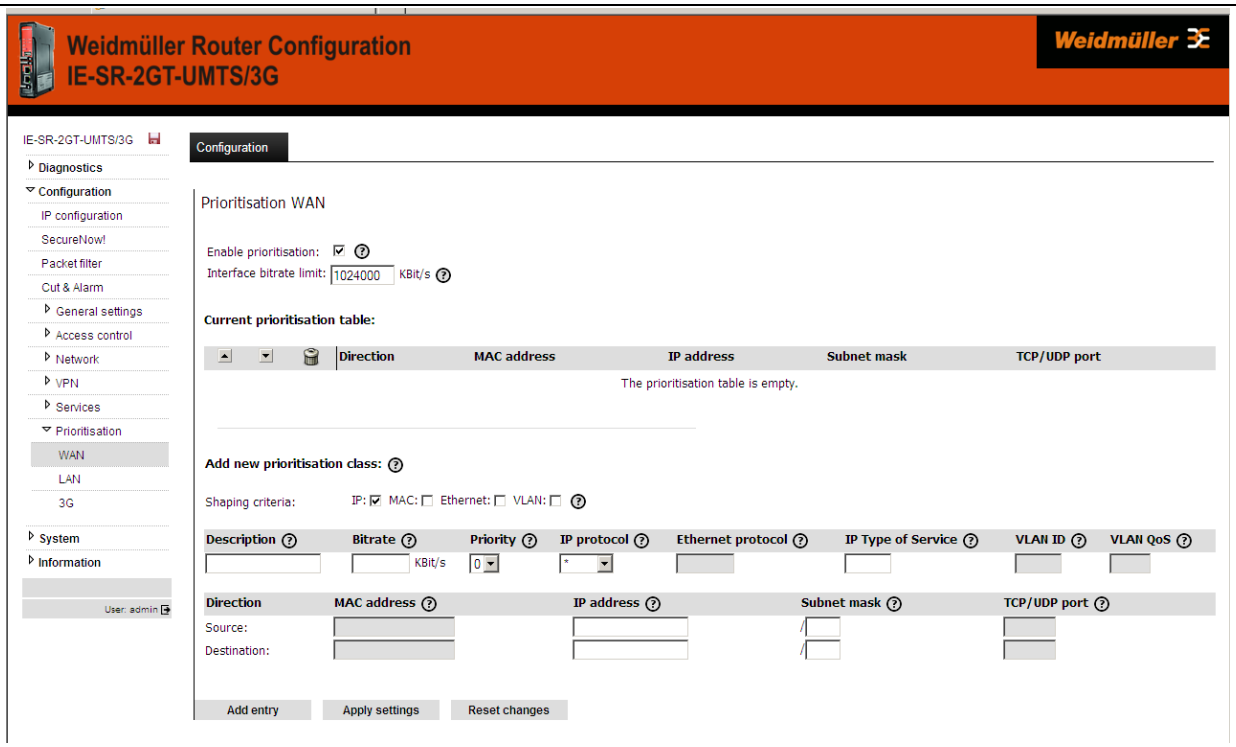


Figure 47: Configuration → Prioritization → WAN → Tab „Configuration“

With this feature **outgoing** traffic on the **WAN** interface can be classified and prioritized. The prioritization ("traffic shaping") can be configured on both Layer 2 (based on MAC addresses) and at Layer 3 (IP addresses and protocols).

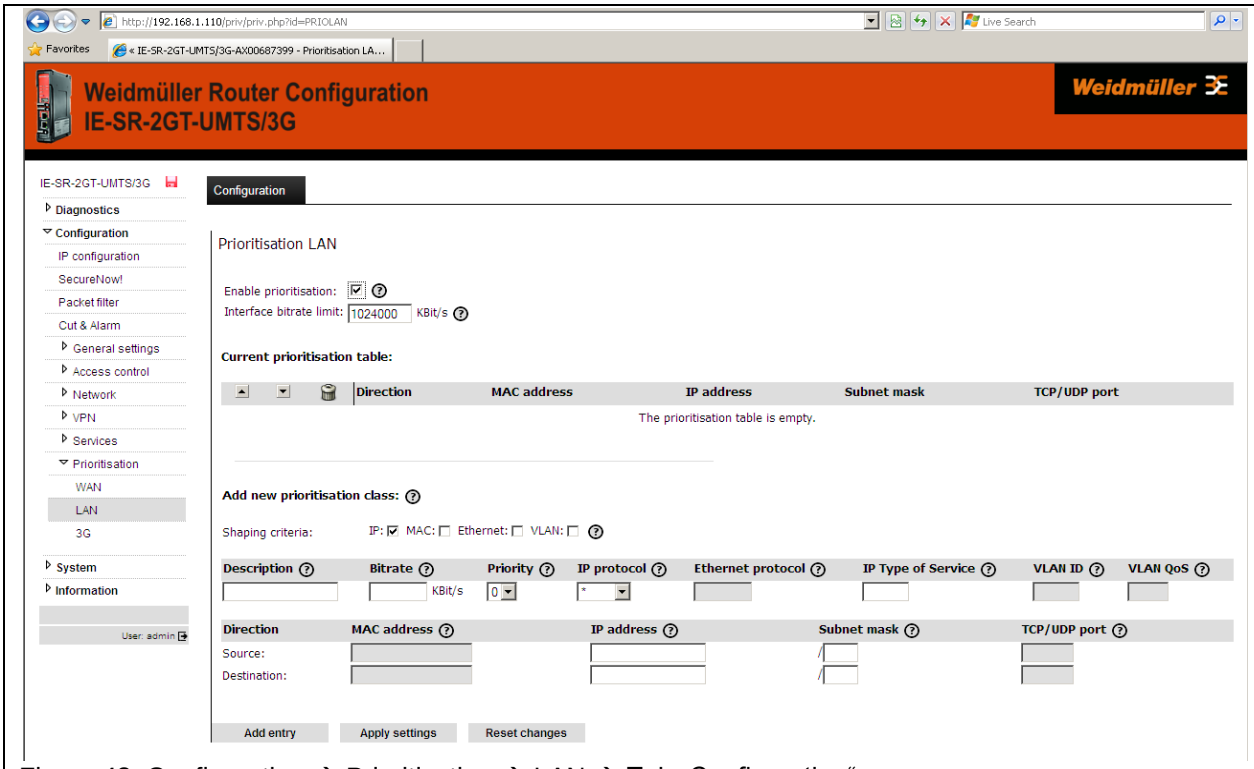


Figure 48: Configuration → Prioritization → LAN → Tab „Configuration“

With this feature **outgoing** traffic on the **LAN** interface can be classified and prioritized. The prioritization ("traffic shaping") can be configured on both Layer 2 (based on MAC addresses) and at Layer 3 (IP addresses and protocols).

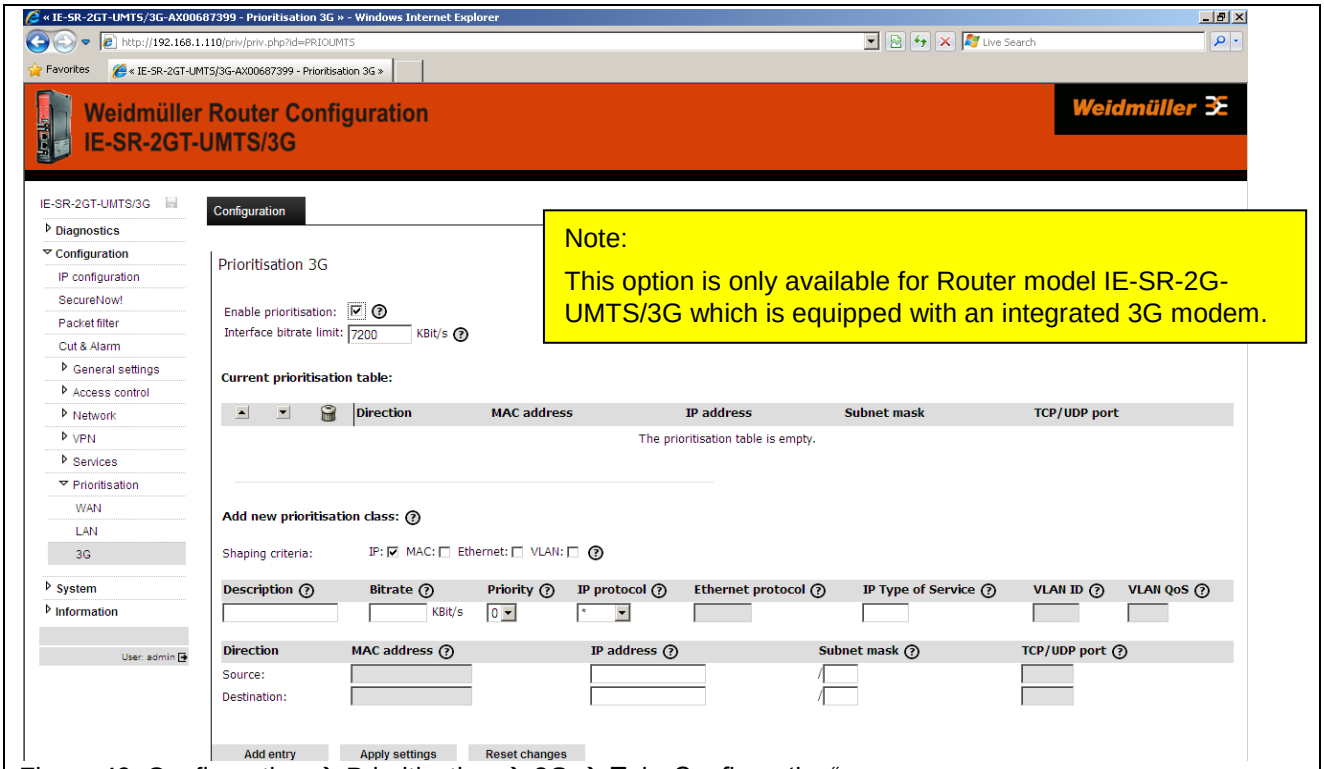


Figure 49: Configuration → Prioritization → 3G → Tab „Configuration“

With this feature **outgoing** traffic on the **3G wireless interface** can be classified and prioritized. The prioritization ("traffic shaping") can be configured on both Layer 2 (based on MAC addresses) and at Layer 3 (IP addresses and protocols).

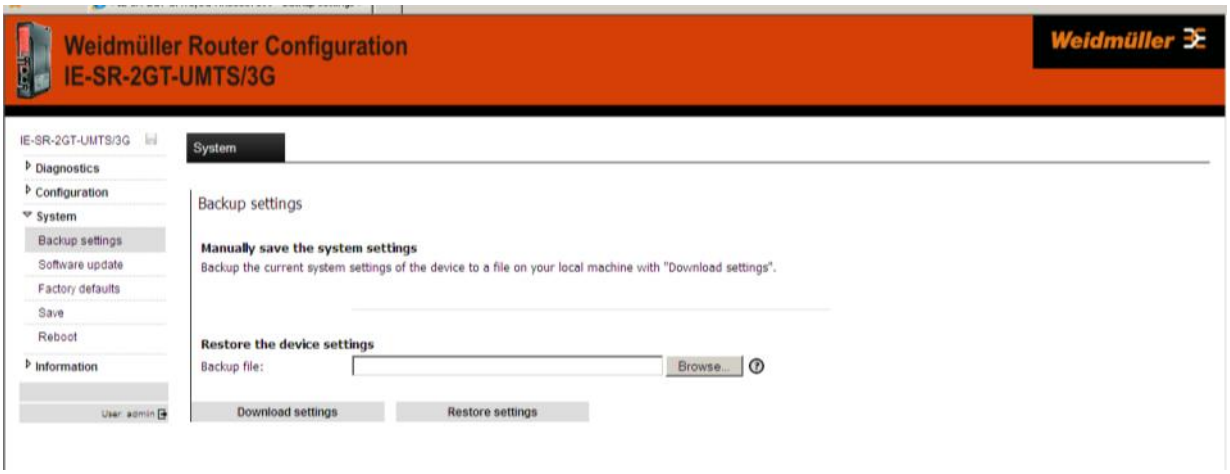


Figure 50: System → Backup settings → Tab „System“

With this menu item, the Router configuration can be stored or restored to/from the file system of the connected computer. The exported configuration file is of extension type <name>.cf2 and encrypted.
Note: For creating a configuration backup file (.cf2) always the configuration currently stored in the Flash memory will be used. Please save the configuration to Flash memory before creating a backup file.

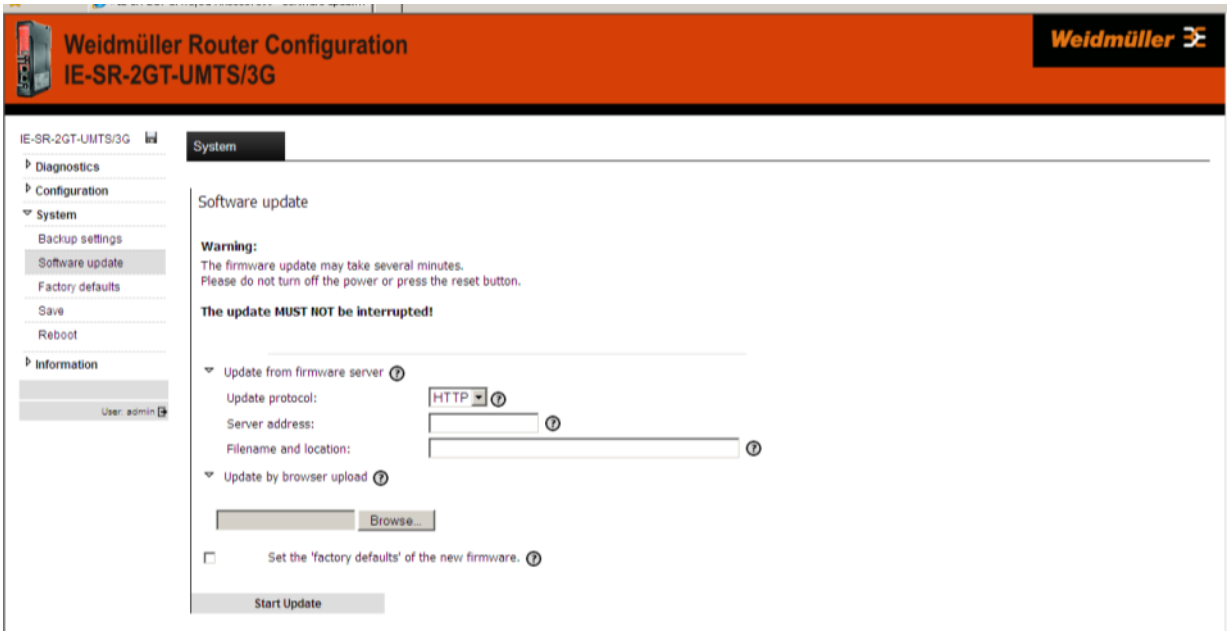


Figure 51: System → Software update → Tab „System“

With this menu item a firmware update can be carried out.

The firmware update can be done via a FTP, TFTP or HTTP server or by a browser upload getting the firmware file directly from the connected configuration PC.
The easiest way to update the Router with a new firmware is to use the function „Update by browser upload“.

Additionally it can be determined whether the Router should be reset to factory default settings after the firmware update. If not set then the Router will use current configuration after firmware update.

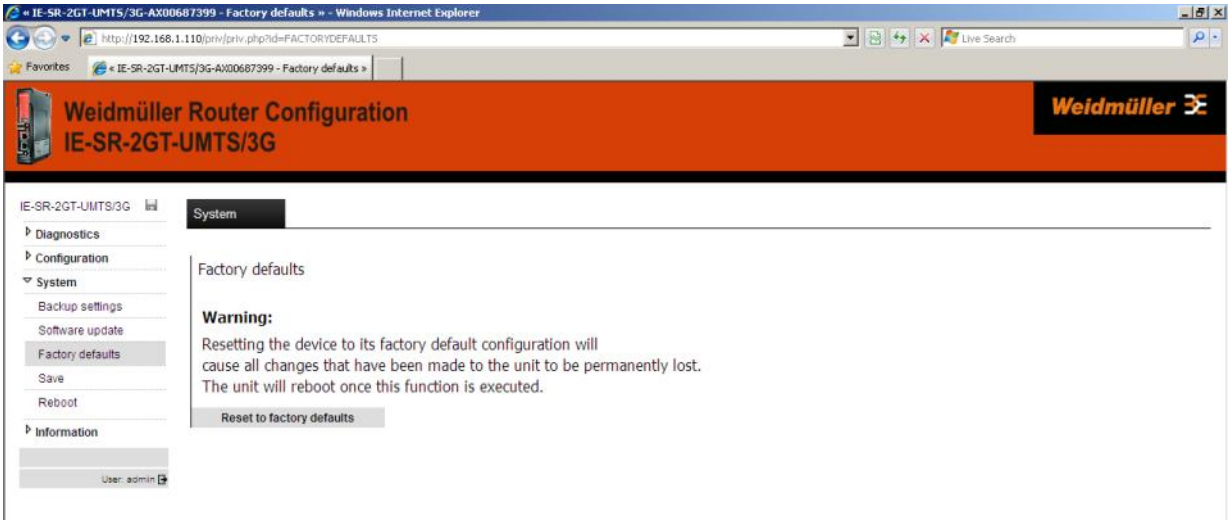


Figure 52: System → Factory defaults → Tab „System“

With this menu item the Router can be set to factory default settings.

Please note that doing a reset to factory values the IP addresses will be changed and the connection between the Router and the configuration PC can be lost.

Basic factory settings:

IP address LAN port :	192.168.1.110
IP address WAN port :	192.168.2.110
User name :	admin
Password :	Detmold

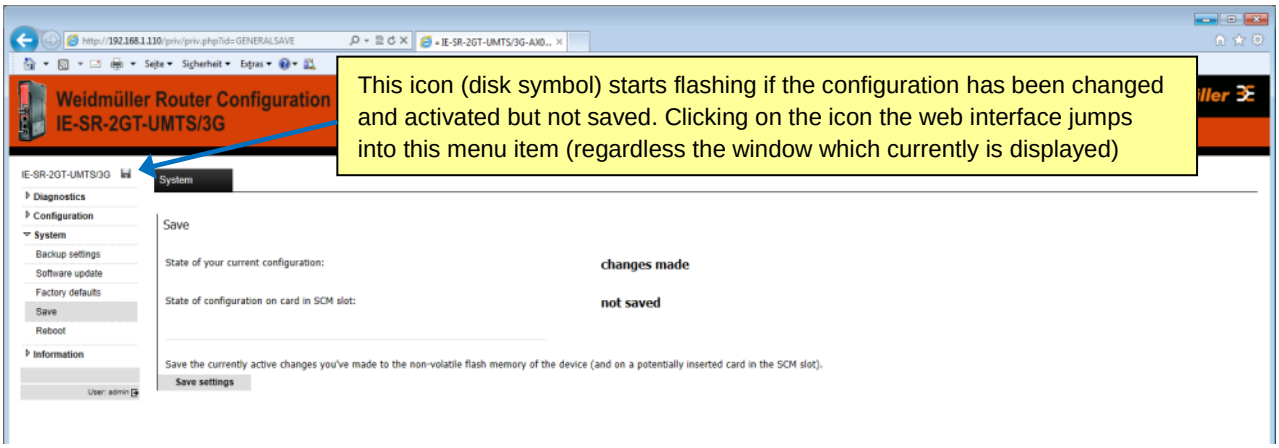


Figure 53: System → Save → Tab „System“ (Screenshot of Router **with** inserted SIM memory card)

Save the configuration into flash memory of the device. If a SIM memory card is inserted in the memory card slot (SCM) at the rear side of the Router then additionally the device configuration will be stored on the SIM memory card.

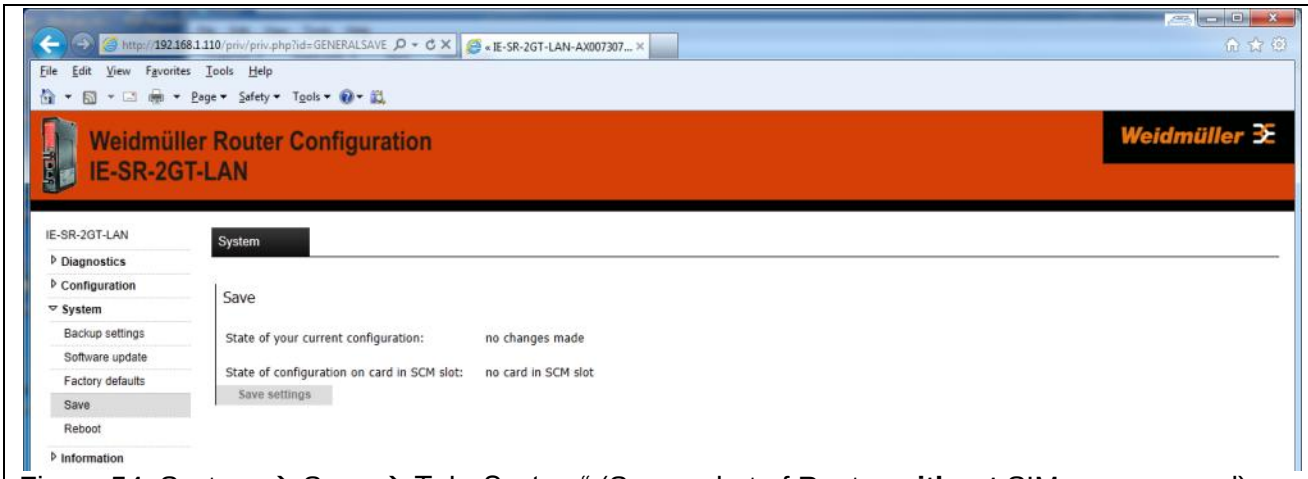


Figure 54: System → Save → Tab „System“ (Screenshot of Router **without** SIM memory card)

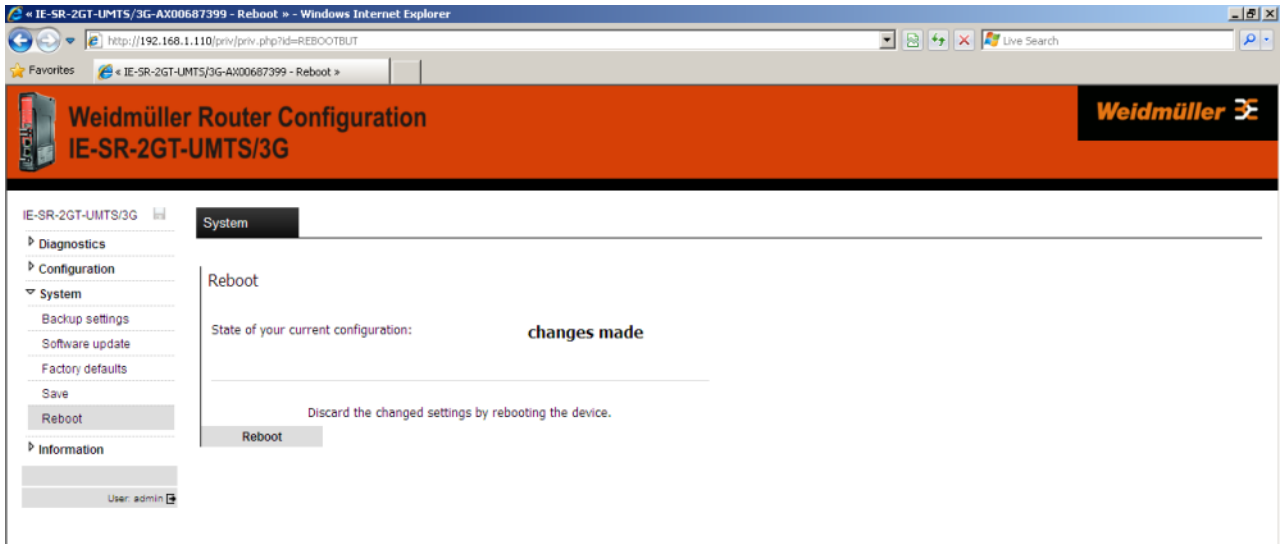


Figure 55: System → Reboot → Tab „System“

Forcing a reboot of the Router.

The status message indicates whether the current configuration is saved or not.

A. Application scenarios (Uses cases) for Routing, NAT and Firewalling

A1 - Configuring the Router to connect 2 networks with different IP address ranges

This Technical Note applies to the Weidmüller Industrial Router IE-SR-2GT-LAN and IE-SR-2GT-UMTS/3G

Application requirements:

There are 2 industrial Ethernet networks which shall be connected by the Router. Each network has its own IP address range. Every Ethernet node in both networks shall have the possibility to communicate with each other.
No special firewall filter rules shall be configured.

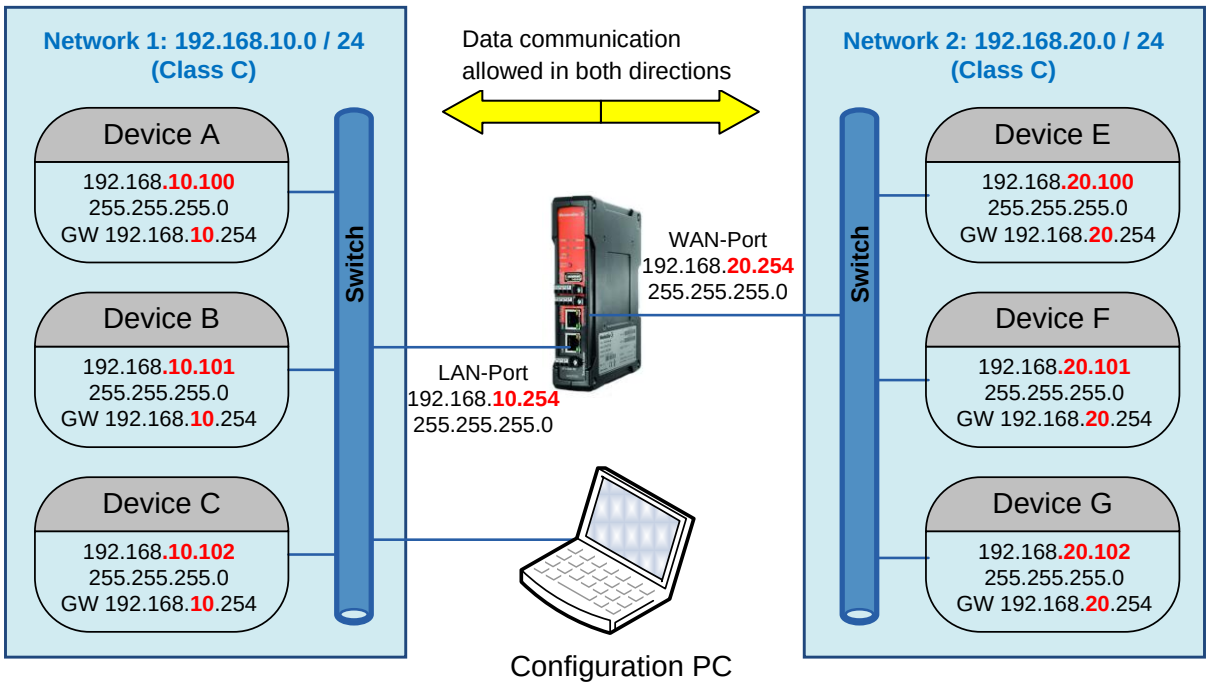
In this example the IP address ranges are set to

192.168.**10**.0 / 255.255.255.0 for Network 1 and
192.168.**20**.0 / 255.255.255.0 for Network 2

The Router interfaces will be set to

192.168.**10**.254 / 255.255.255.0 for LAN interface and
192.168.**20**.254 / 255.255.255.0 for WAN interface

Network diagram of below described application scenario



How to configure the Router

Starting situation

The Router is set with factory default values and can be accessed either using the LAN port by IP address 192.168.1.110 or using the WAN port by IP address 192.168.2.110.

1. Connect the configuration PC to the Router using the LAN Port (this port will be used in the example).

Note: Use autonegotiation on the Ethernet Interface of the PC

2. Change the IP address of the PC to one of the range 192.168.1.0 / 24

→ e.g. IP address 192.168.1.99
Subnet mask 255.255.255.0
Standardgateway can be left blank due to direct cable connection

3. Start a web browser and login into the web Interface of Router (http://192.168.1.110)

User: admin
Password: Detmold

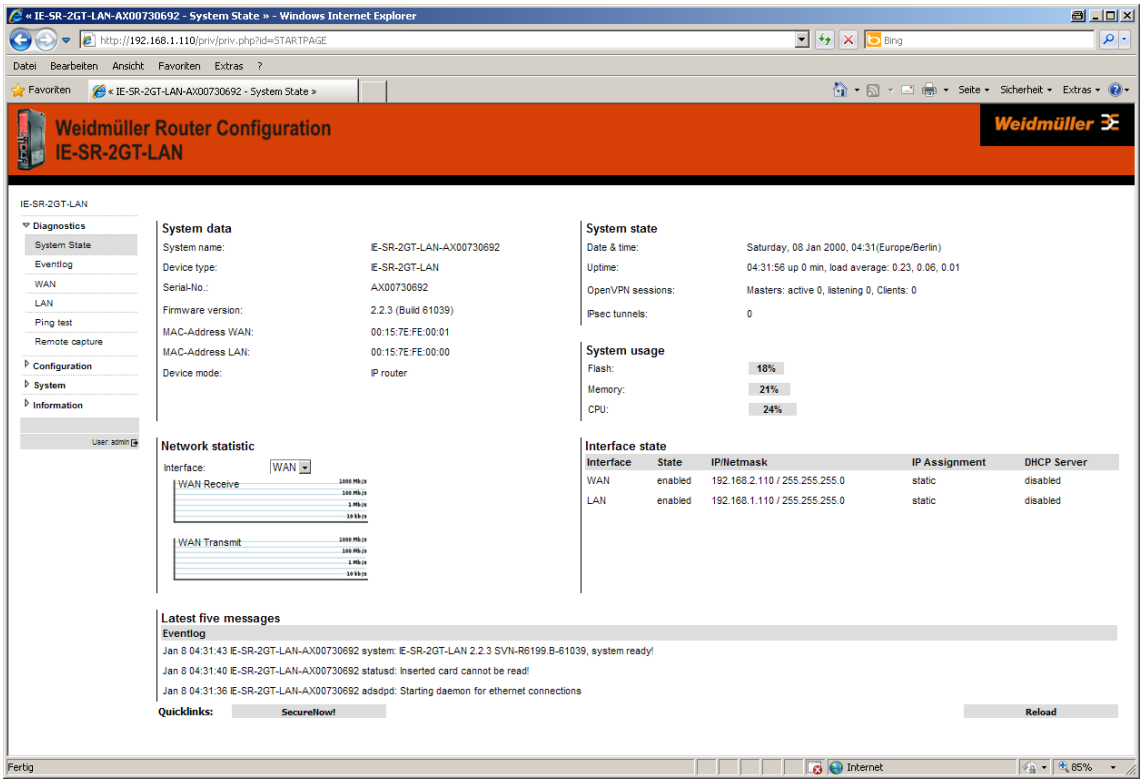


Figure A1-1: Login page of the Router (equivalent with menu Diagnostics → System State)

4. Set the basic IP configuration

► Select menu **Configuration → IP configuration**

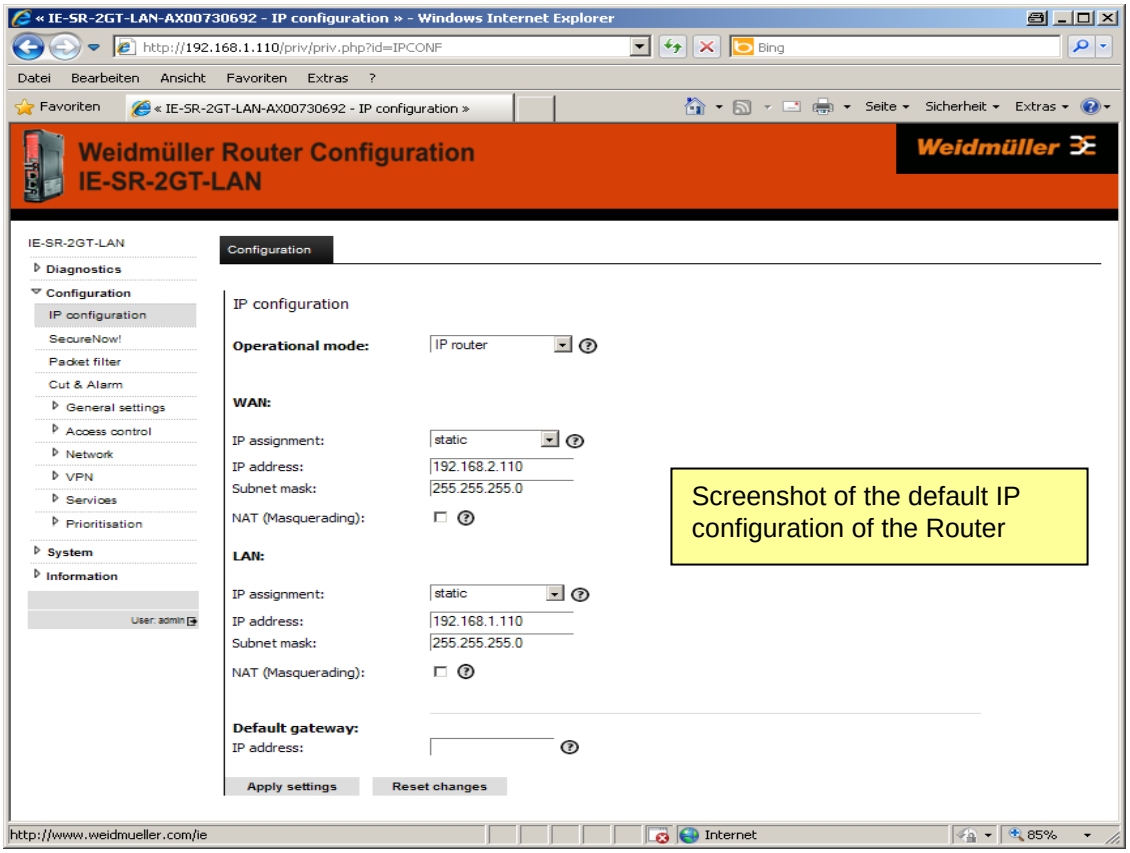


Figure A1-2: Default values of menu **IP configuration**

► Configure the menu entries as following shown

Operational mode:	IP Router
IP address parameters **WAN** Port:	static 192.168.**20**.254 255.255.255.0 (Class C) NAT (masquerading) not set (leave checkbox empty)
IP address parameters **LAN** Port:	static 192.168.**10**.254 255.255.255.0 (Class C) NAT (masquerading) not set (leave checkbox empty)
Default gateway	Can be left blank because there exists no further target network

► Click button “Apply settings” to activate the new settings.

Now the configured parameters will be **activated (but not saved)**. After a few seconds the web interface displays the new IP addresses as shown in Figure 3. Please keep in mind that you now have lost the Router connection due to changing the IP address range of your connected LAN port.

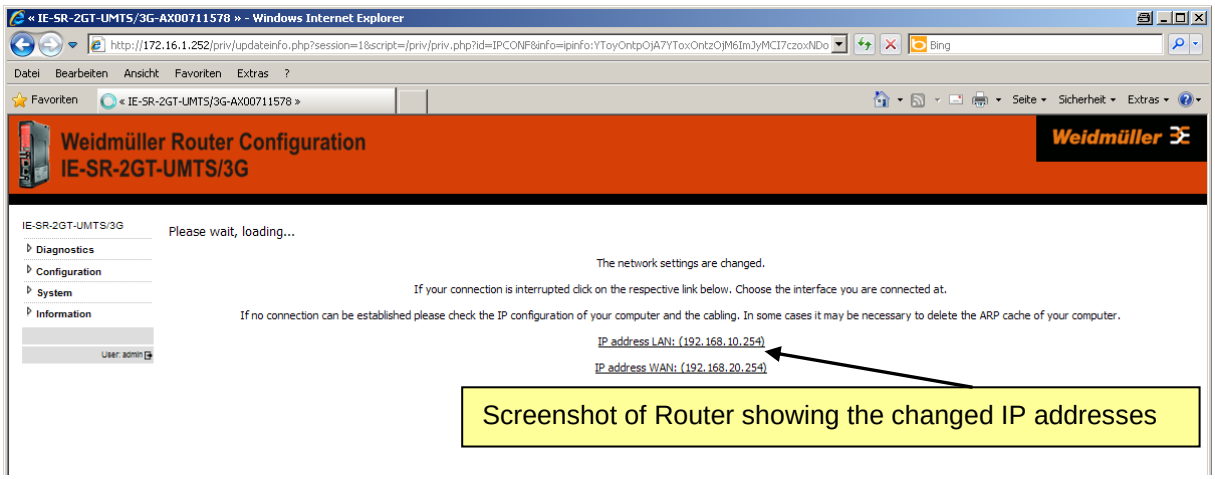


Figure A1-3: Display of activated new IP addresses of LAN and WAN port

4. Change the IP address of the configuration PC according to the connected network 192.168.10.0 / 24

► To reconnect to the Router now set the IP address of the PC to the new values

IP address:	192.168.10.99
Subnet mask:	255.255.255.0
Standard-Gateway:	192.168.10.254

► Again login into the Web interface of the Router using a Web browser

Use IP address 192.168.10.254 (http://192.10.1.254) on LAN port

User: admin

Password: Detmold

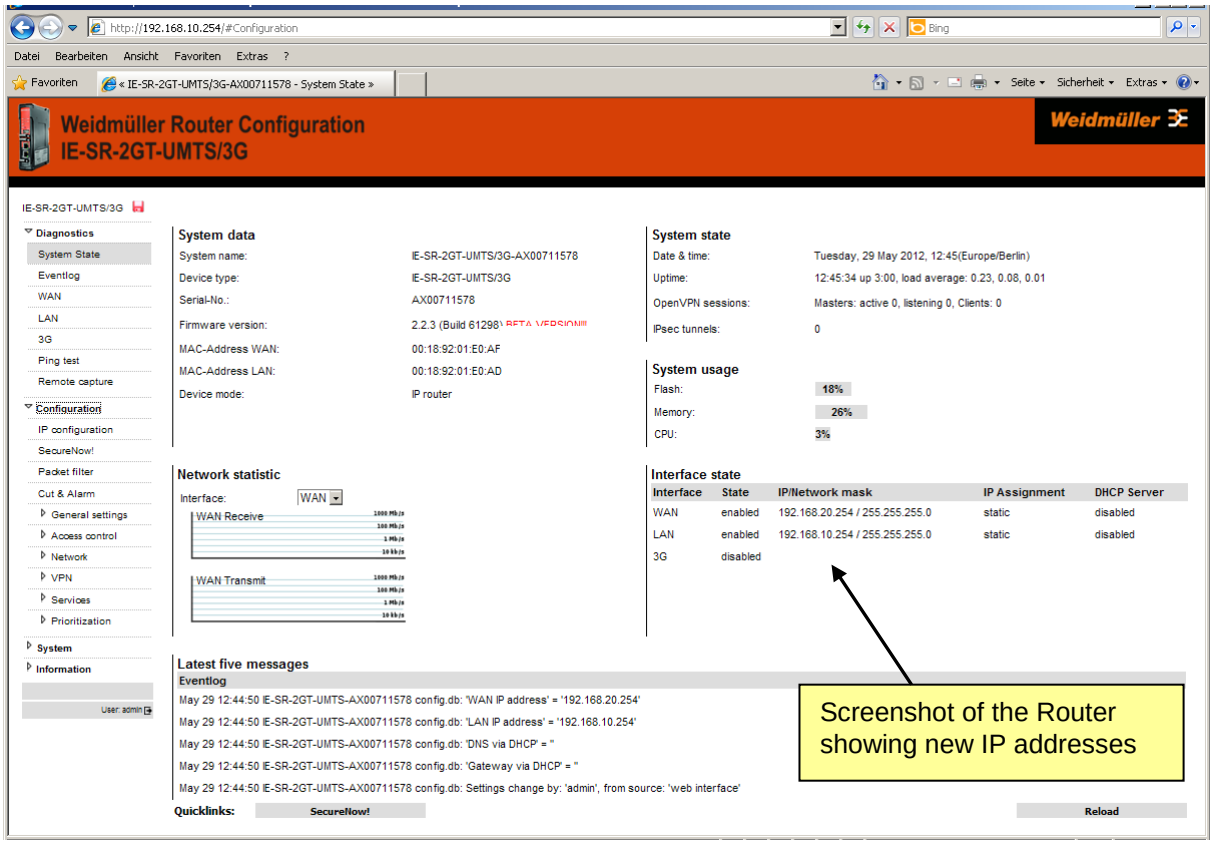


Figure A1-4: Web interface after Login with change IP addresses

5. Monitoring the currently active "routes"

► Select menu Configuration → Network → IP routing → Tab "State"

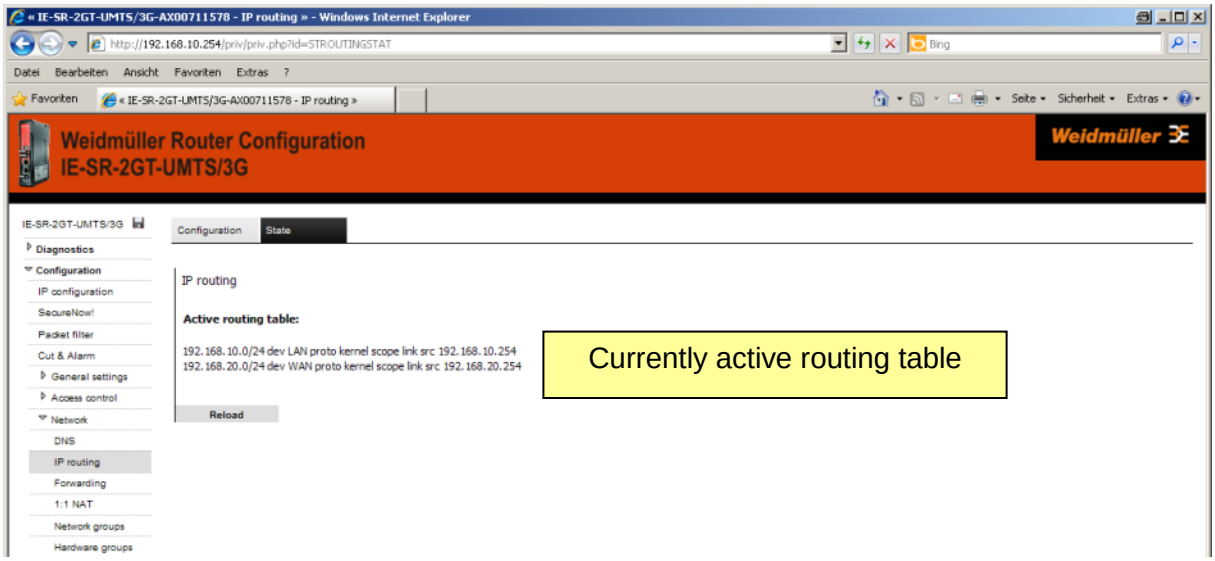


Figure A1-5: Menu **IP routing (Tab State)** showing the new active routing table

6. Saving the new configuration

► Select menu System → Save or Click on the Disk icon in the upper left corner of the web interface

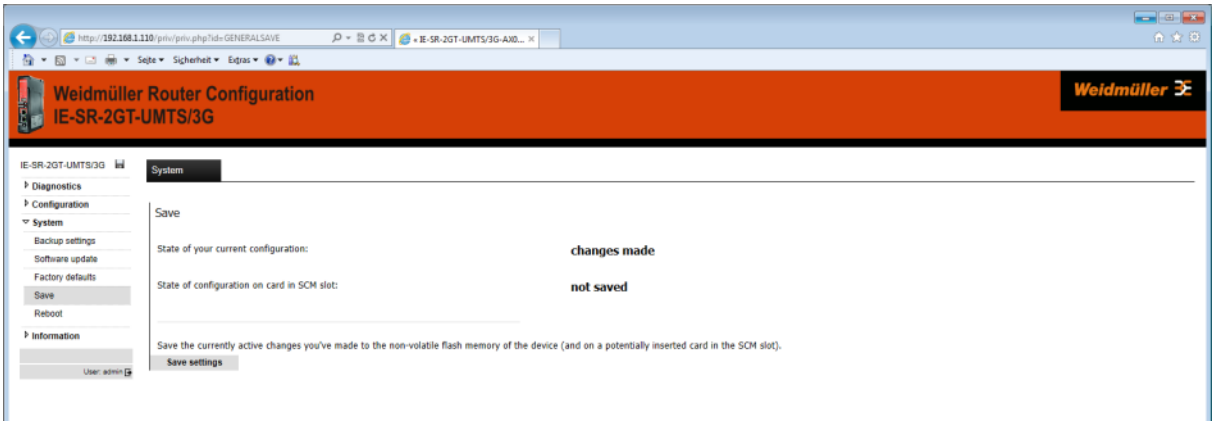


Figure A1-6: Menu **System → Save** before saving the configuration

► Click on button "Save settings" to save the current configuration to the non-volatile flash memory of the Router. If a SIM memory card is installed the configuration automatically willbe stored on the SIM memory card.

Additionally the configuration can be stored on the file system of the PC.

► Select menu **System → Backup settings**

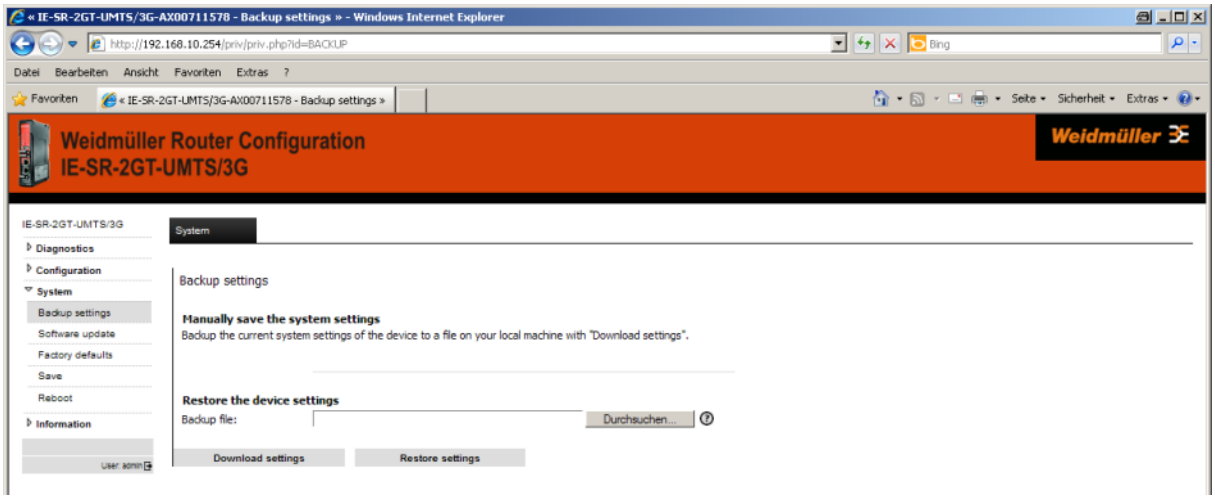


Figure A1-7: Menu **System → Backup settings** after saving the configuration

► Click on button “Download settings” to write the configuration file to the PC hard disk (Backup file has the default extension *.cf2”)

Now the configuration of the Router is finished!

Testing the accessibility between Ethernet Devices of both networks

1. Run 3 Ping commands from a device of Ethernet network **1** (192.168.10.0/24) using below described addresses (members of network 2)
   → ping 192.168.20.100
   → ping 192.168.20.101
   → ping 192.168.20.102

   Result: All sent “pings” should be answered by the requested IP addresses correctly.

2. Run 3 Ping commands from a device of Ethernet network **2** (192.168.20.0/24) using below described addresses (members of network 1)
   → ping 192.168.10.100
   → ping 192.168.10.101
   → ping 192.168.10.102

   Result: All sent “pings” should be answered by the requested IP addresses correctly.

Note:
1. If you perform the ping test using PC’s please check your firewall configuration to ensure that ping requests and echoes are allowed.
2. Keep in mind that every device which will be used for ping testing needs an entry for the standard gateway (IP address is pointing to the Router of the PC’s network)

A2 - Connecting 2 Ethernet networks with activated NAT masquerading and using IP address forwarding

This Technical Note applies to the Weidmüller Industrial Router IE-SR-2GT-LAN and IE-SR-2GT-UMTS/3G

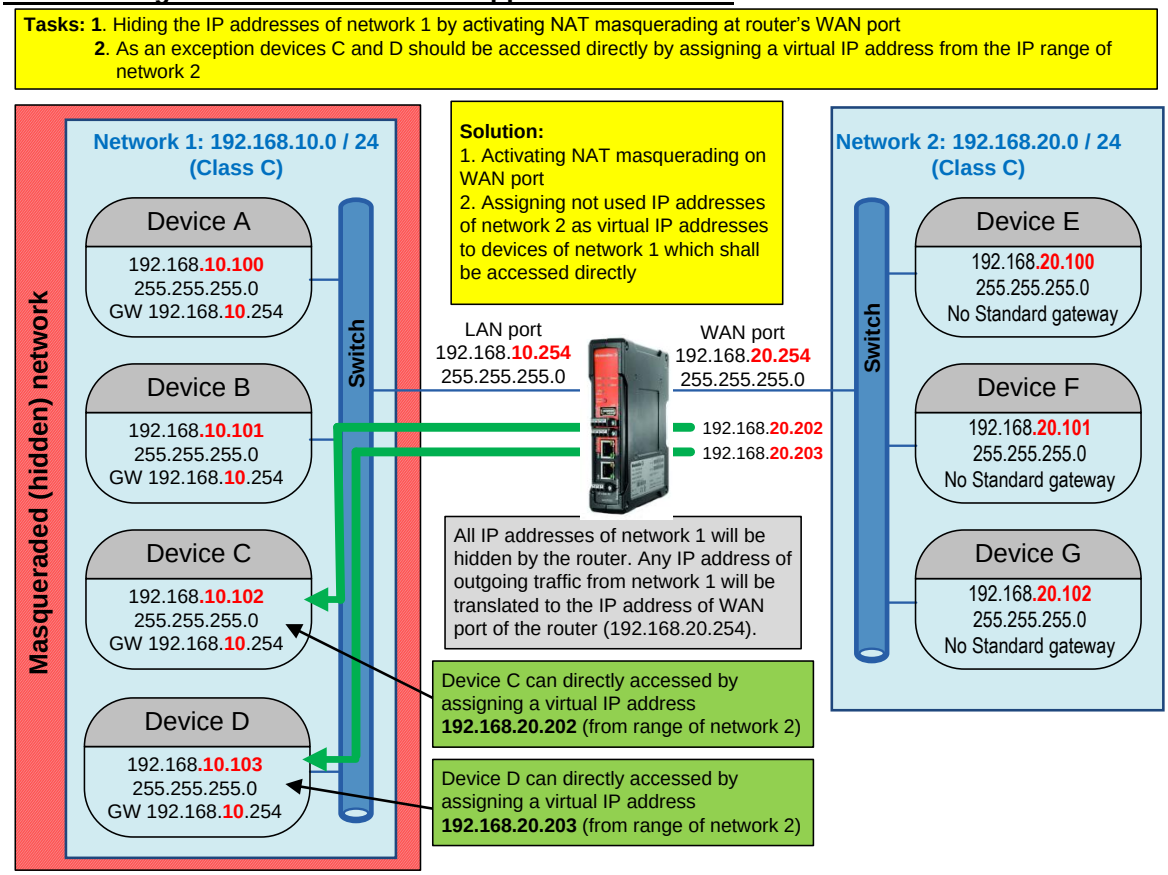
Application requirements:
There are 2 industrial Ethernet networks which are connected by the Router. Each network has its own IP address range. For security reasons the IP addresses of network 1 shall be hidden against devices of network 2. As an exception 2 devices (C and D) of network 1 should be accessible directly from devices of network 2.
No special firewall filter rules shall be configured.

Solution:
1. Activating "NAT masquerading" at **WAN** port of the Router which is connected to network 2. As result the sender IP addresses of any outgoing traffic at WAN port – initiated by devices of network 1 connect to LAN port – will be translated to the IP address of the Router's WAN port. From the perspective of the receivers the sender is always the Router WAN port. The IP addresses of devices connected to the LAN port will be hidden and are not visible.
2. To get access to the devices C and D of the hidden network 1 the Router's "IP address forwarding" feature can be used, which assigns devices C and D an additional and unused IP address from the range of network 2. Effectively the Router will have 3 IP addresses at WAN port (Physical WAN IP address and 2 virtual IP addresses). This feature acts as a special kind of "port forwarding" using only IP addresses and omitting the ports.

Note: Generally "masquerading" only hides a sender IP address (e.g. outgoing from LAN to WAN) but does NOT block the access to this LAN IP address from WAN network. This explicitly has to be done by a firewall rule.

In this example the IP address ranges are set to
192.168.**10**.0 / 255.255.255.0 for network 1 and
192.168.**20**.0 / 255.255.255.0 for network 2
The Router interfaces will be set to
192.168.**10**.254 / 255.255.255.0 for LAN interface and
192.168.**20**.254 / 255.255.255.0 for WAN interface

Network diagram of below described application scenario



How to configure the Router

Starting situation

The Router is set with factory default values and can be accessed either using the LAN port by IP address 192.168.1.110 or using the WAN port by IP address 192.168.2.110.

1. Connect the configuration PC to the Router using the LAN Port (this port will be used in the example).

Note: Use autonegotiation on the Ethernet Interface of the PC

2. Change the IP address of the PC to one of the range 192.168.1.0 / 24

→ e.g. IP address 192.168.1.99
Subnet mask 255.255.255.0
Standardgateway can be left blank due to direct cable connection

3. Start a Web browser and login into the Web Interface of Router (http://192.168.1.110)

User: admin
Password: Detmold

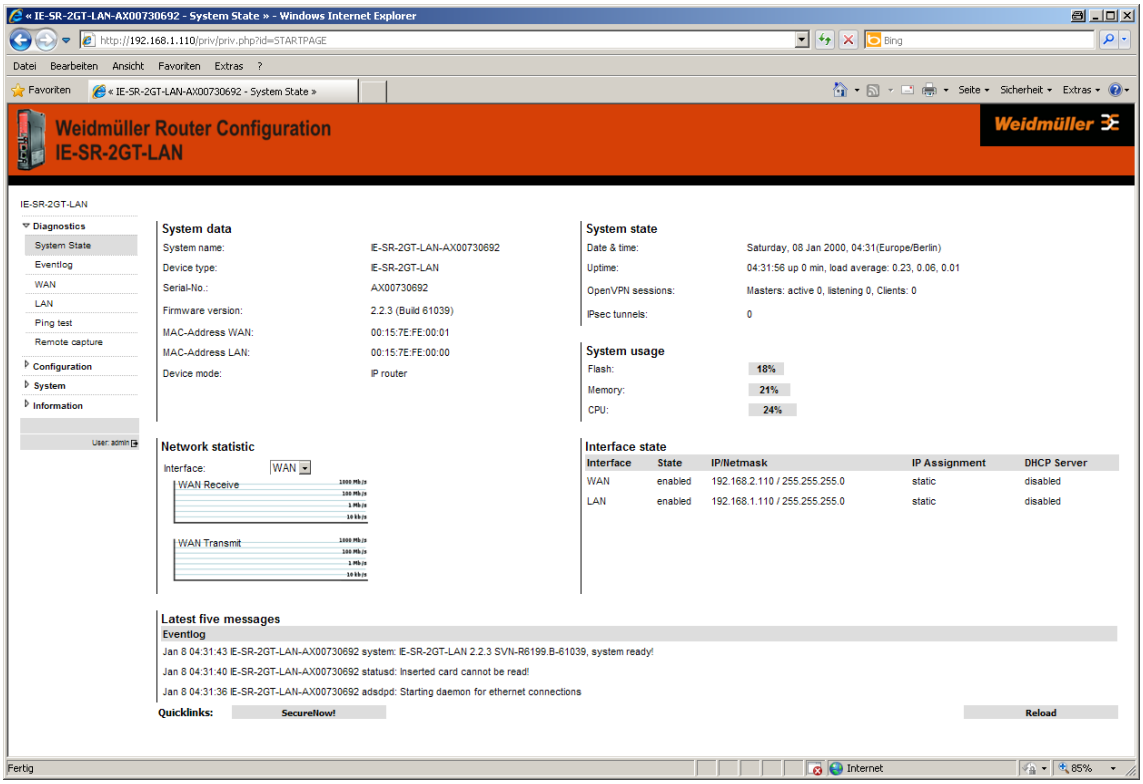


Figure A2-1: Login page of the Router (equivalent with menu Diagnostics → System State)

4. Set the basic IP configuration and activate NAT masquerading

► Select menu **Configuration → IP configuration**

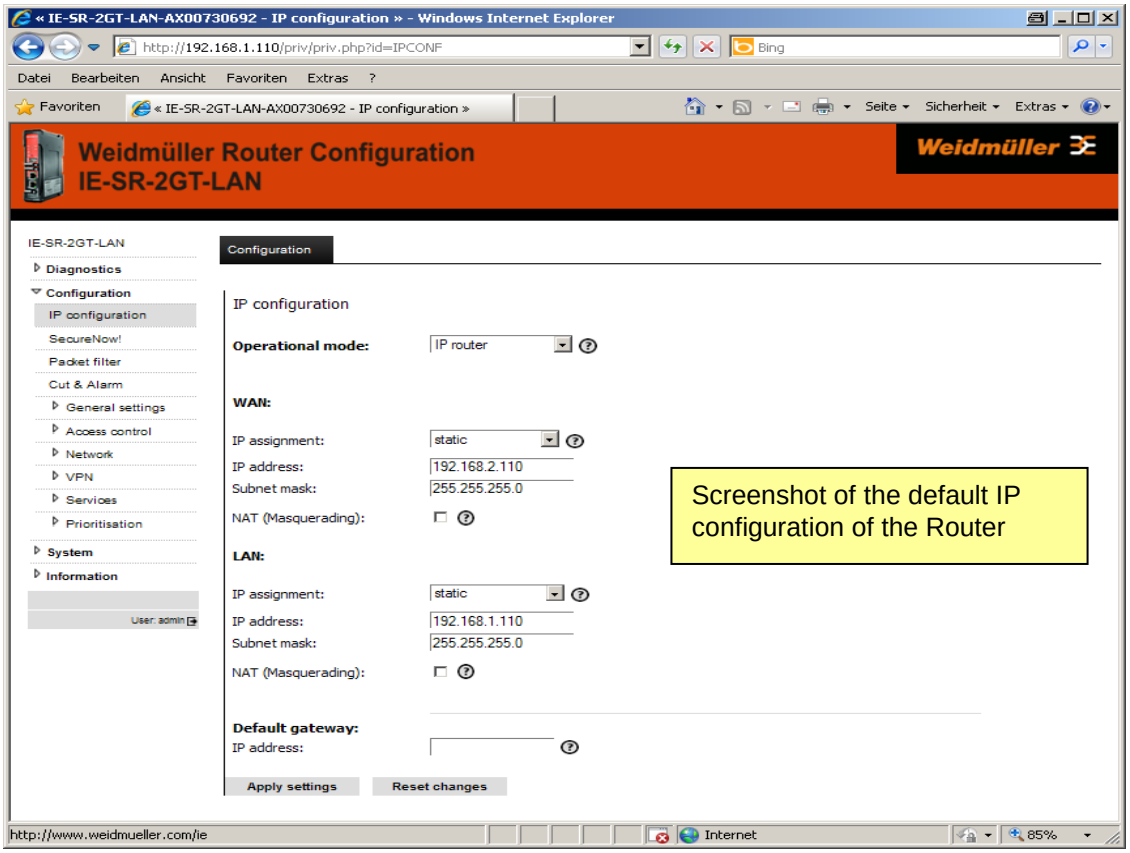


Figure A2-2: Default factory settings of menu **IP configuration**

► Configure the menu entries as below described

Operational mode:	IP Router
IP address parameters **WAN** Port:	static 192.168.**20**.254 255.255.255.0 (Class C) **Click and Set the checkbox NAT (masquerading)**
IP address parameters **LAN** Port:	static 192.168.**10**.254 255.255.255.0 (Class C) NAT (masquerading) not set (leave checkbox empty)
Default gateway	Can be left blank because there exists no further target network

► Click button “Apply settings” to activate the new settings.

Now the configured parameters will be **activated (but not saved)**. After a few seconds the web interface displays the new IP addresses as shown in Figure A2-3.

Please keep in mind that you now have lost the Router connection due to changing the IP address range of your connected LAN port.

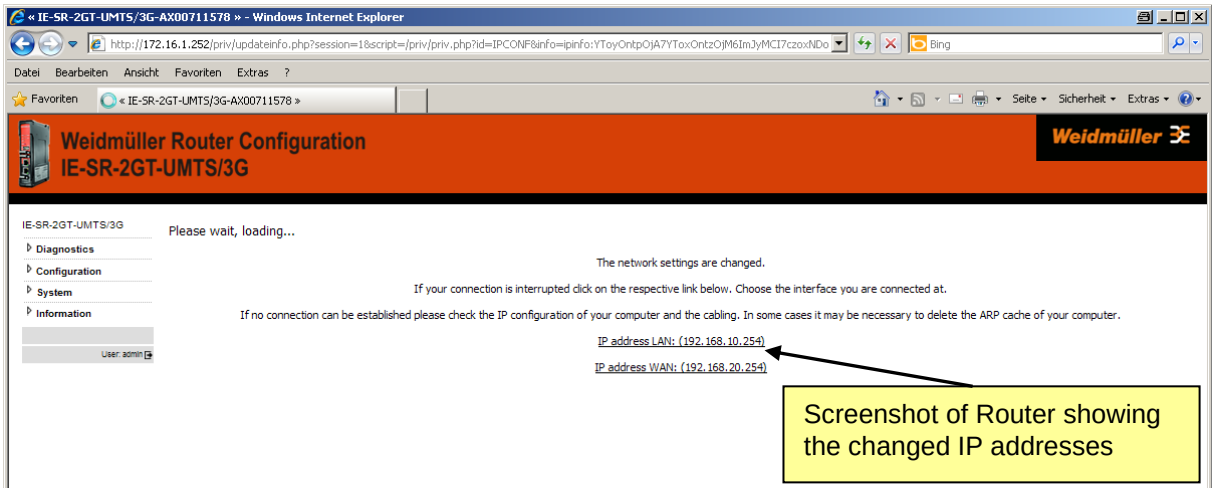


Figure A2-3: Display of activated new IP addresses of LAN and WAN port

5. Change the IP address of the configuration PC according to the connected network 192.168.10.0 / 24

► To reconnect to the Router now set the IP address of the PC to the new values

IP address:	192.168.10.99
Subnet mask:	255.255.255.0
Standard-Gateway:	192.168.10.254

6. Again login into the Web interface of the Router using a Web browser

Use IP address 192.168.10.254 (http://192.10.1.254) on LAN port

User:	admin
Password:	Detmold

7. Verify that configured parameters are valid

► Select menu **Configuration → IP configuration**

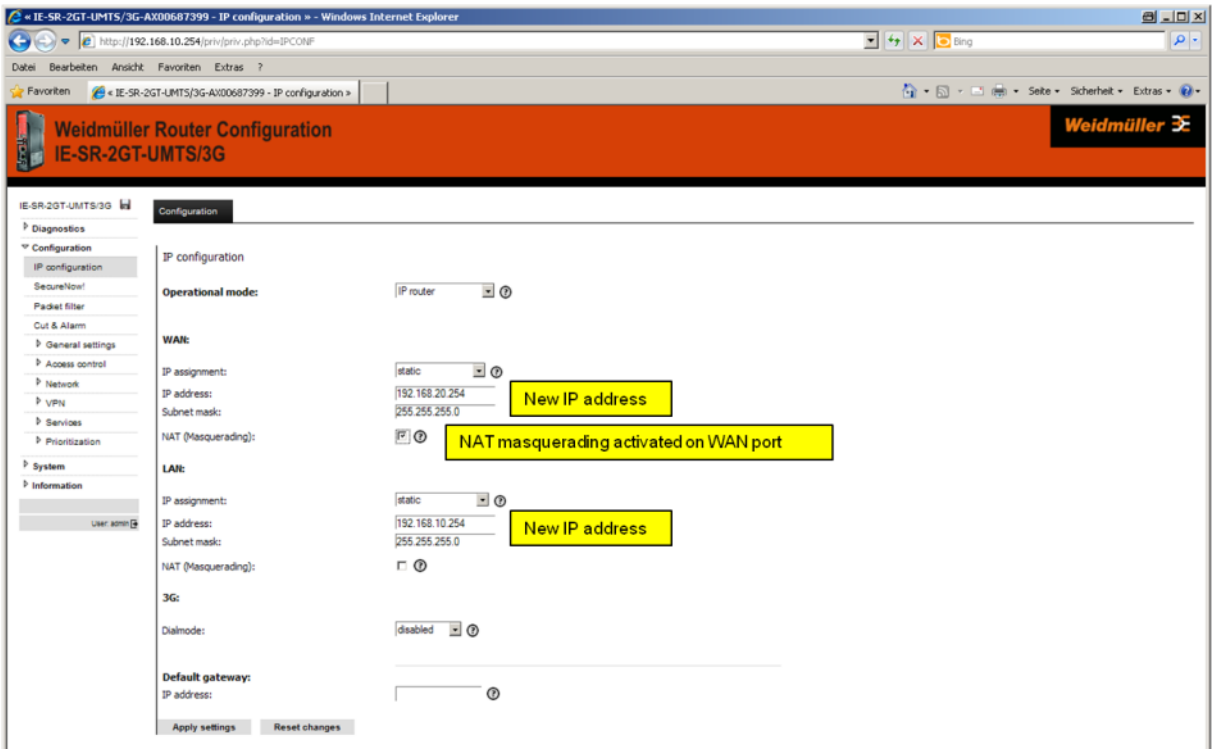


Figure A2-4: Changed settings of menu **IP configuration**

8. Configuring the accessibility of devices C and D of hidden network 1

► Select menu **Configuration → Forwarding**

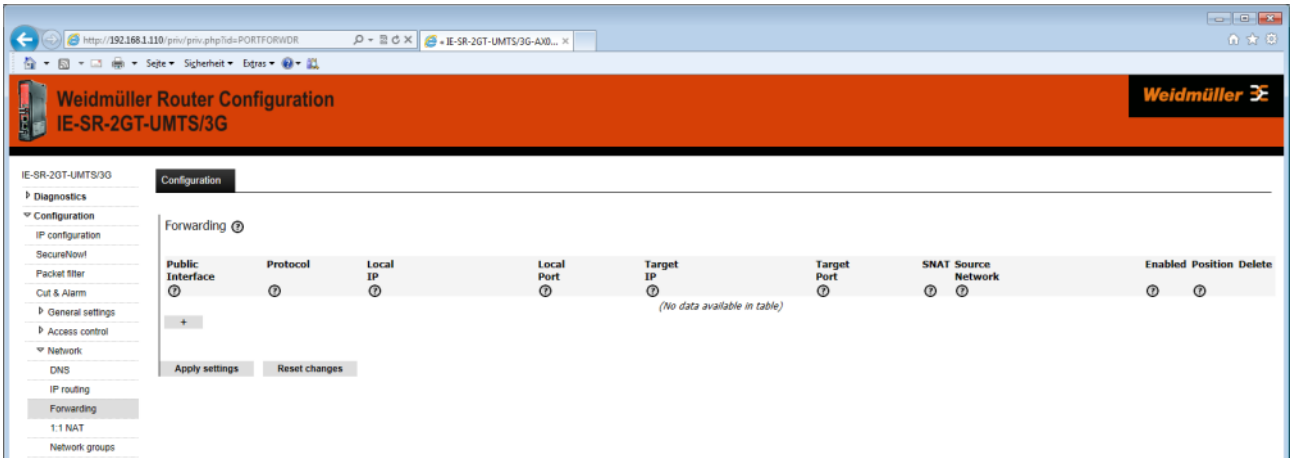


Figure A2-5: Empty Forwarding table of menu **Forwarding**

► Click icon **+** to add a new line to enter IP forwarding values

► Select or fill the values as shown in the upper entry of figure 6.

→ Ensure that each input will be completed by clicking the icon ☑.

► Click again icon **+** to add a second line to enter the next IP forwarding values.

► Select or fill the values as shown in the lower entry of figure 6.

→ Ensure that each input will be completed by clicking the icon ☑.

► Now click button “Apply settings” to activate the “IP address forwarding table”

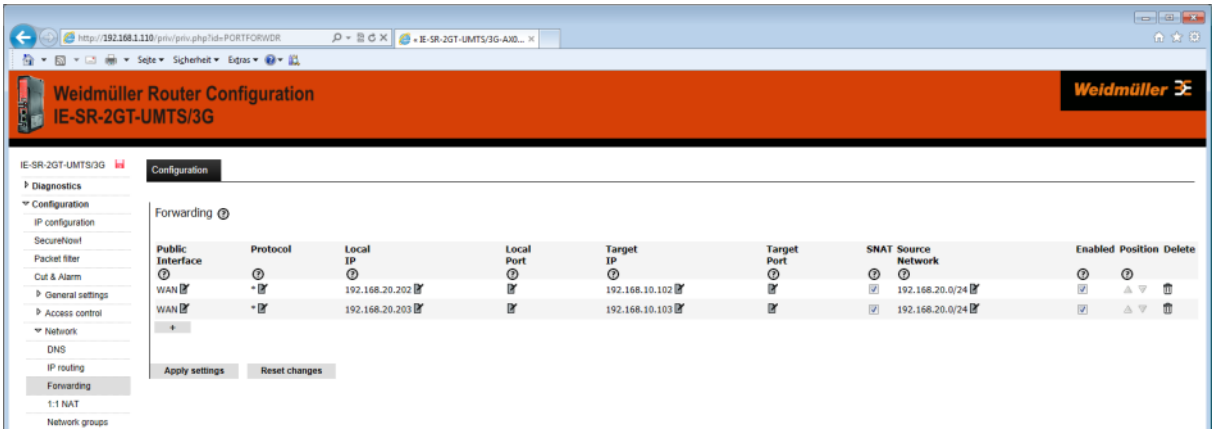


Figure A2-6:: Forwarding table with activated IP address forwardings

Now the configuration of the Router is finished!

Note: Don't forget to save the configuration after testing.

Testing the NAT masquerading feature

To test the NAT masquerading function you must use the tool Wireshark on the PC which receives the ping request.

1. Run Wireshark on PC (connected to WAN port) with e.g. IP address 192.168.20.100
2. Start an new live capture session to display sent and received Ethernet packets
3. Run a "ping" request from a device of Ethernet network **1** (e.g. 192.168.10.100) with destination address 192.168.20.100
4. Stop the Wireshark live capture session when the packets have been received and displayed.

Results showing in the Wireshark window:
The original sender of the ping request with IP address 192.168.10.100 is displayed as IP address 192.168.20.254 which is translated (masqueraded) by the Router.

If you disable NAT masquerading at WAN port and repeat the test then the original sender address 192.168.10.100 will be shown.

Testing the configured IP address forwardings

1. Run a "ping" request from a device of Ethernet network **2** (e.g. 192.168.20.100) with destination address 192.168.20.202 (Note: Real IP address is 192.168.**10**.102)
Result: The sent "ping" request should be answered correctly (displayed return address: 192.168.20.202)

2. Run a "ping" request from a device of Ethernet network **2** (e.g. 192.168.20.100) with destination address 192.168.20.203 (Note: Real IP address is 192.168.**10**.103)
Result: The sent "ping" request should be answered correctly (displayed return address: 192.168.20.203)

Note:
1. If you perform the ping test using PC's please check your firewall configuration to ensure that ping requests and echoes are allowed.

A3 - Configuring the Router to connect 2 networks with different IP address ranges and additional firewall rules

This Technical Note applies to the Weidmüller Industrial Router IE-SR-2GT-LAN and IE-SR-2GT-UMTS/3G

Application requirements:
There are 2 industrial Ethernet networks which are connected by a Router. Each network has its own IP address range. All Ethernet nodes in both networks shall have the possibility to communicate with each other except that devices B and C of network 1 cannot be accessed by a ping request (ICMP protocol).

Solution:
Configure firewall rules to prohibit ping requests from devices of network 2 to devices B and C of network 1.

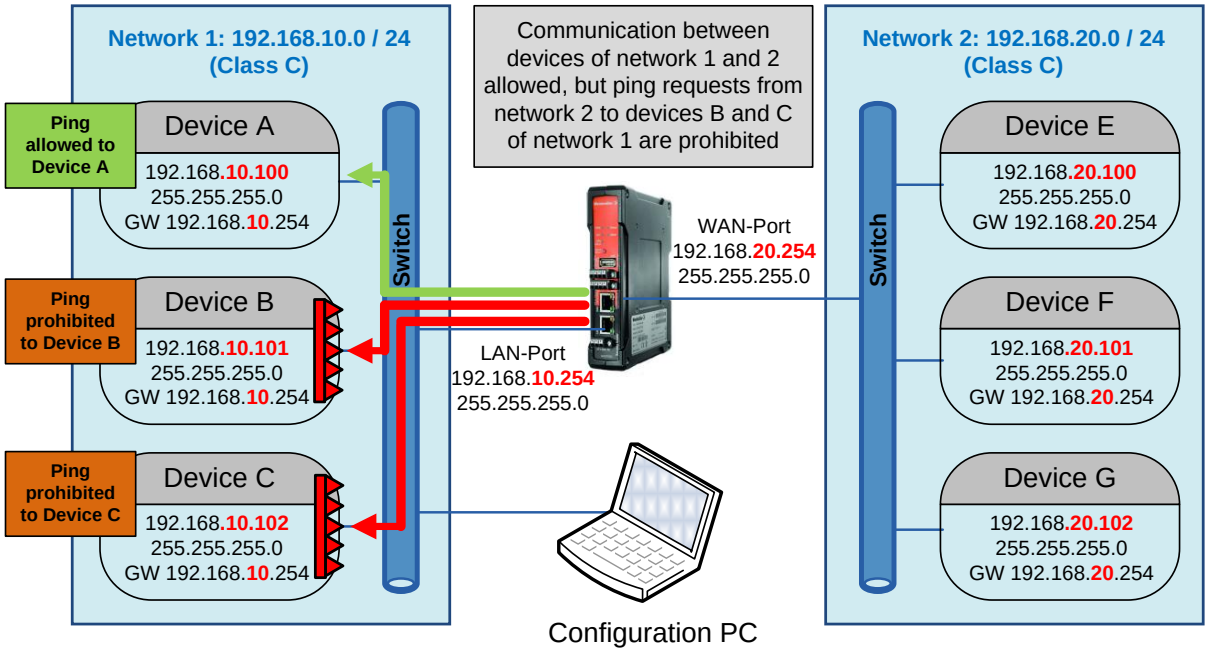
In this example the IP address ranges are set to

192.168.**10**.0 / 255.255.255.0 for Network 1 and
192.168.**20**.0 / 255.255.255.0 for Network 2

The Router interfaces will be set to

192.168.**10**.254 / 255.255.255.0 for LAN interface and
192.168.**20**.254 / 255.255.255.0 for WAN interface

Network diagram of below described application scenario



How to configure the Router

Starting situation

The Router is set to factory default values and can be accessed either using the LAN port by IP address 192.168.1.110 or using the WAN port by IP address 192.168.2.110.

1. Connect the configuration PC to the Router using the LAN Port (this port will be used in the example).

Note: Use autonegotiation on the Ethernet Interface of the PC

2. Change the IP address of the PC to one of the range 192.168.1.0 / 24

→ e.g. IP address 192.168.1.99
Subnet mask 255.255.255.0
Standardgateway can be left blank due to direct cable connection

3. Start a Web browser and login into the Web interface of Router (http://192.168.1.110)

User: admin
Password: Detmold

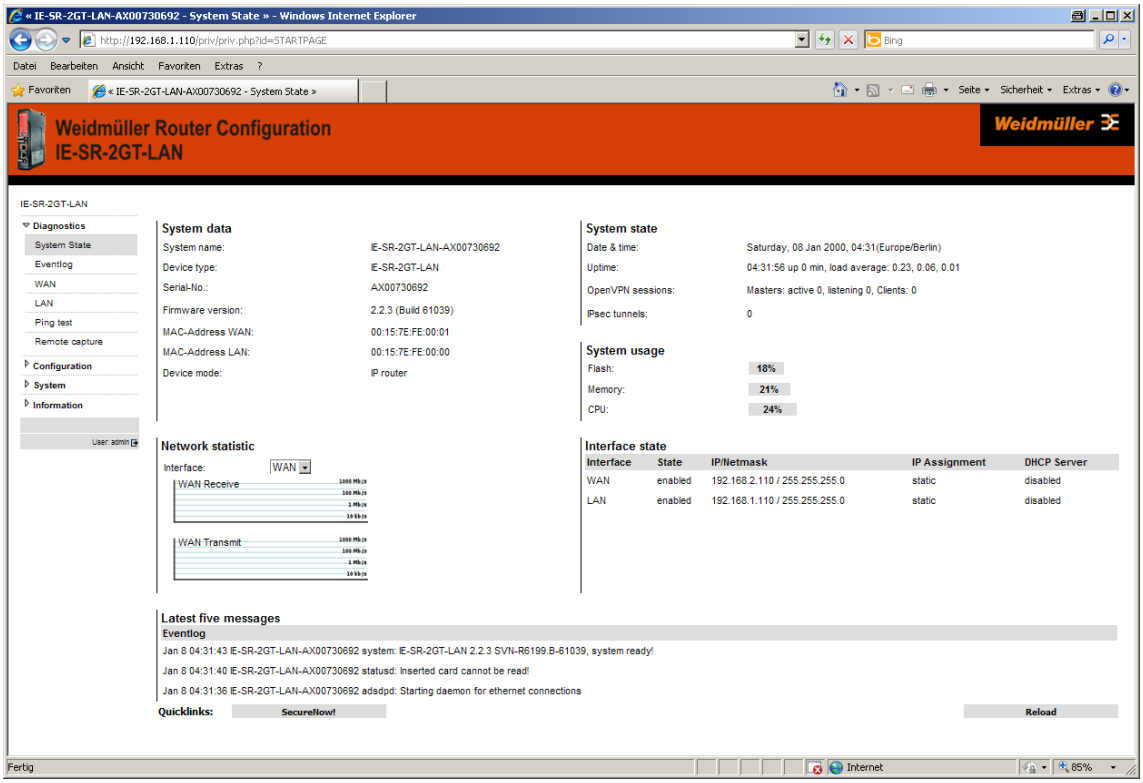


Figure A3-1: Login page of the Router (equivalent with menu Diagnostics → System State)

4. Set the basic IP configuration (Preparing the Router)

► Select menu **Configuration → IP configuration**

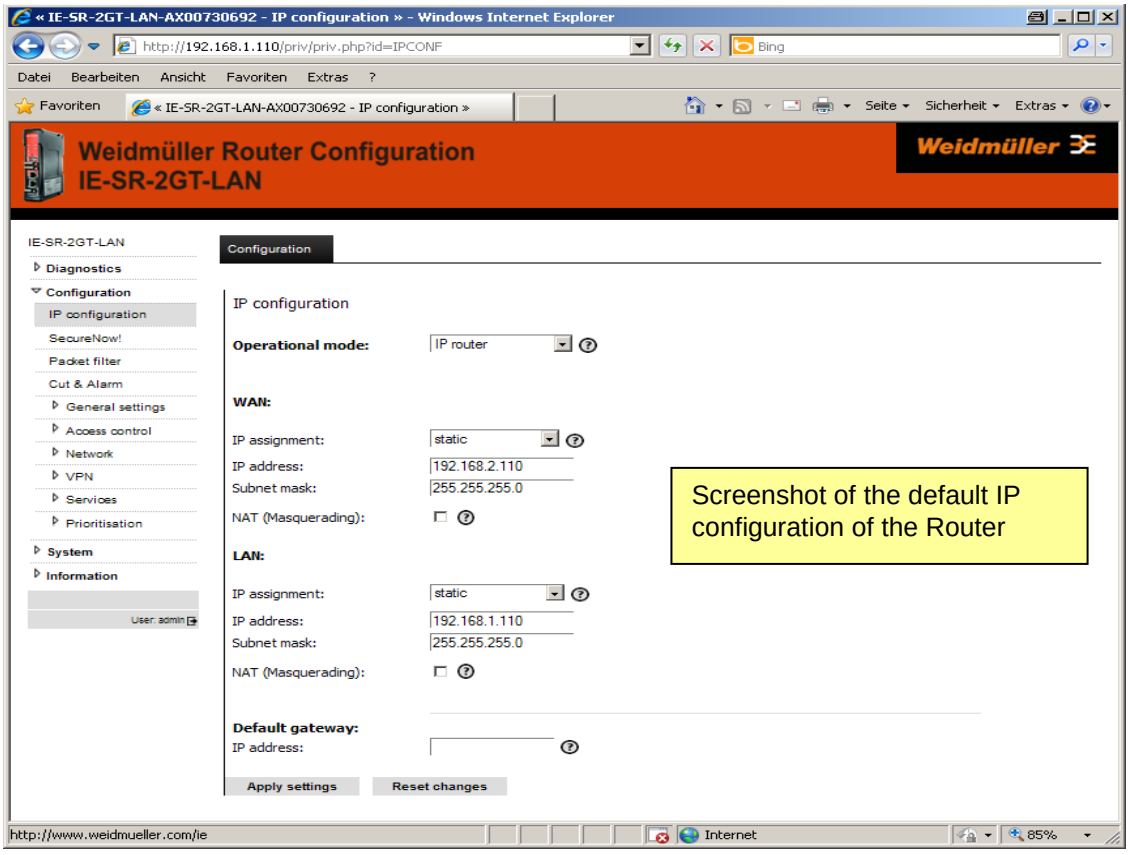


Figure A3-2: Default values of menu **IP configuration**

► Configure the menu entries as following shown

Operational mode:	IP Router
IP address parameters **WAN** Port:	static 192.168.**20**.254 255.255.255.0 (Class C) NAT (masquerading) not set (leave checkbox empty)
IP address parameters **LAN** Port:	static 192.168.**10**.254 255.255.255.0 (Class C) NAT (masquerading) not set (leave checkbox empty)
Default gateway	Can be left blank because there exists no further target network

► Click button “Apply settings” to activate the new settings.

Now the configured parameters will be **activated (but not saved)**. After a few seconds the web interface displays the new IP addresses as shown in Figure 3.

Please keep in mind that you now have lost the Router connection due to changing the IP address range of your connected LAN port.

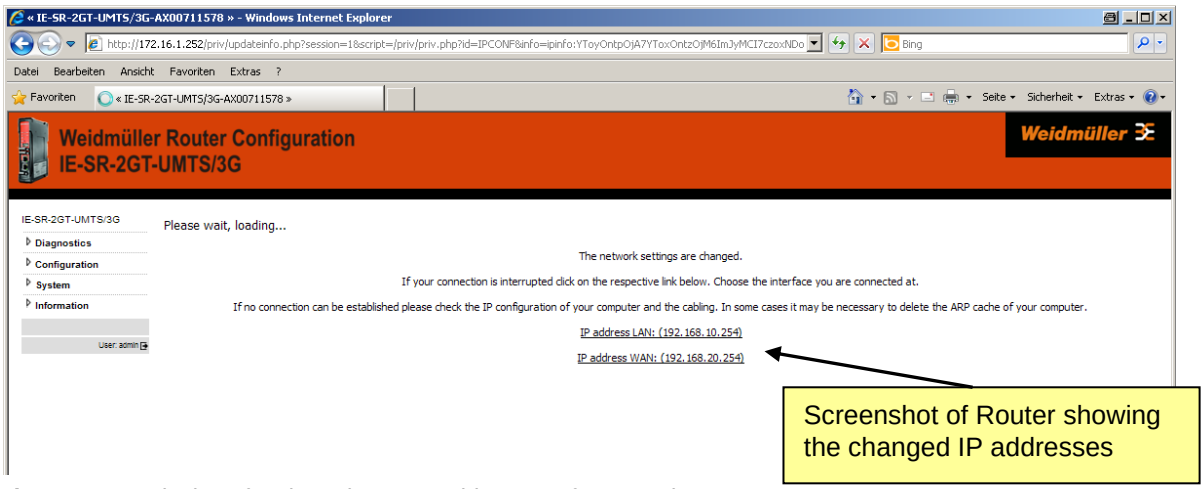


Figure A3-3: Display of activated new IP addresses of LAN and WAN port

4. Change the IP address of the configuration PC according to the connected network 192.168.10.0 / 24

► To reconnect to the Router now set the IP address of the PC to the new values

IP address:	192.168.10.99
Subnet mask:	255.255.255.0
Standard-Gateway:	192.168.10.254

► Again login into the Web interface of the Router using a Web browser

Use IP address 192.168.10.254 (http://192.10.1.254) on LAN port

User: admin

Password: Detmold

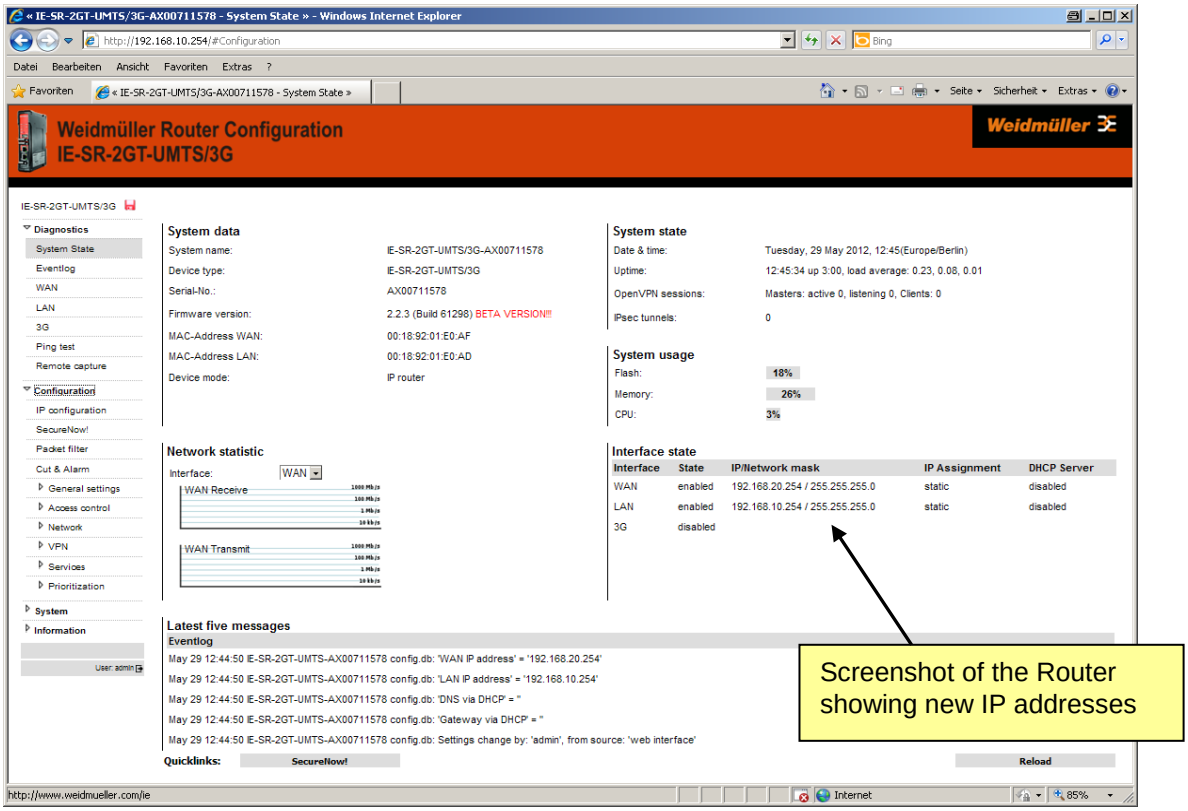


Figure A3-4: Web interface after login with changed IP addresses

5. Step-by-step description of creating a new packet filter (firewall rules) to prohibit ping requests from devices of network 2 to devices B and C of network 1

General description of the Packet filter

The feature „Packet filter“ can be used to create firewall rules for IP address (Layer 3) and MAC address level (Layer 2).
The packet filter is organized hierachical by using **rule-sets** which contains several single **rules**.
To define new firewall rules you first have to create a rule-set or you have to add the rule to an existing rule-set. A rule-set can contain up to 10 firewall rules.
The manner how to configure rule-sets or rules is the same for Layer 2 and Layer 3 packet filters. All created rule-sets are displayed in menu windows „Packet filter“. By clicking on the triangle icon (►) on the left side of a displayed rule-set the belonging rules additionally will be displayed.
By default the Router contains 1 **rule-set** called **Allow_L3*** which is acting as a general permission to allow inbound and outbound traffic without any limitation.

Application method of defined rule-sets

Several configured rule-sets will be applicated top-down. That means every data traffic will first be checked by the top-most displayed rule-set with its containing rules.
If a defined rule match the inspected data the filter rule will be applicated. After that the packet filter function immediately will be left and no further defined rules and rule-sets will be applied.
If a defined rule do **not** match the inspected data the current filter rule will be skipped and the data will be checked by the next filter rule (from top to down). This method will be conducted step-by-step with each defined rule-set (and belonging rules) until a valid rule will be found and applied or no further rule exists.

6. Setup the firewall rules

► Select menu Configuration → Packet filter →Tab “Layer 3”

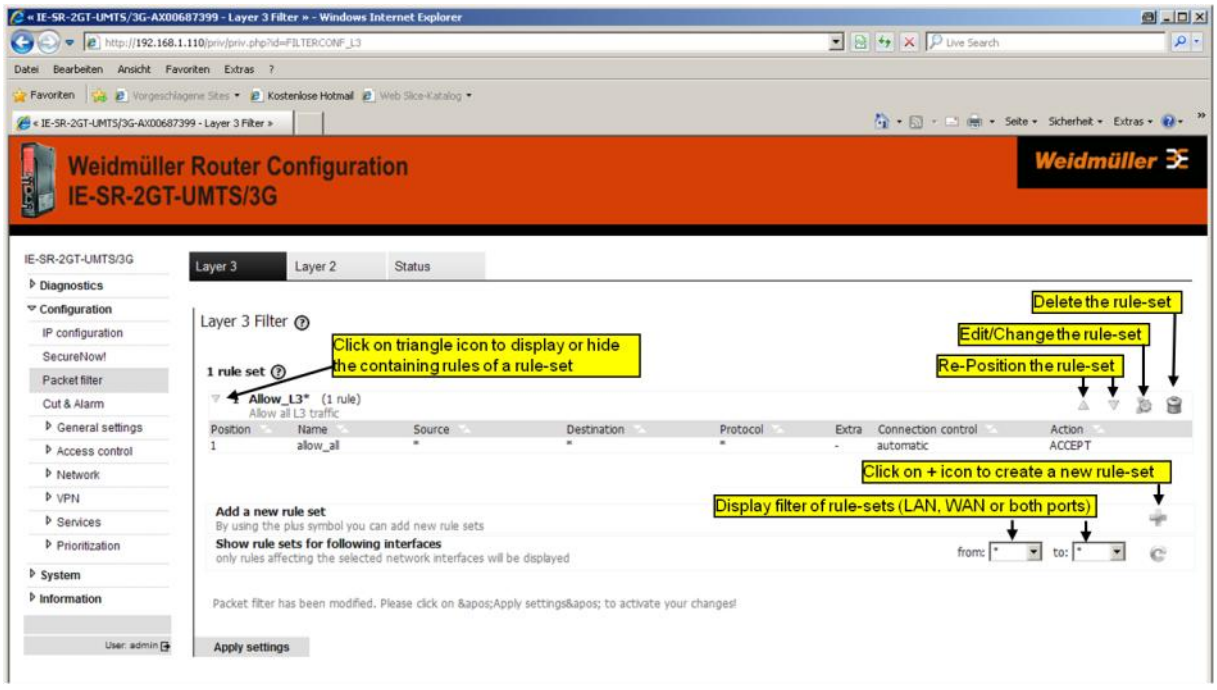


Figure A3-5: Menu **Packet filter (Tab Layer 3)** showing the factory default settings

► Click on the icon **+** (right side of line “Add a new rule set”) to create a new rule-set and follow the below described steps (Figure 5)

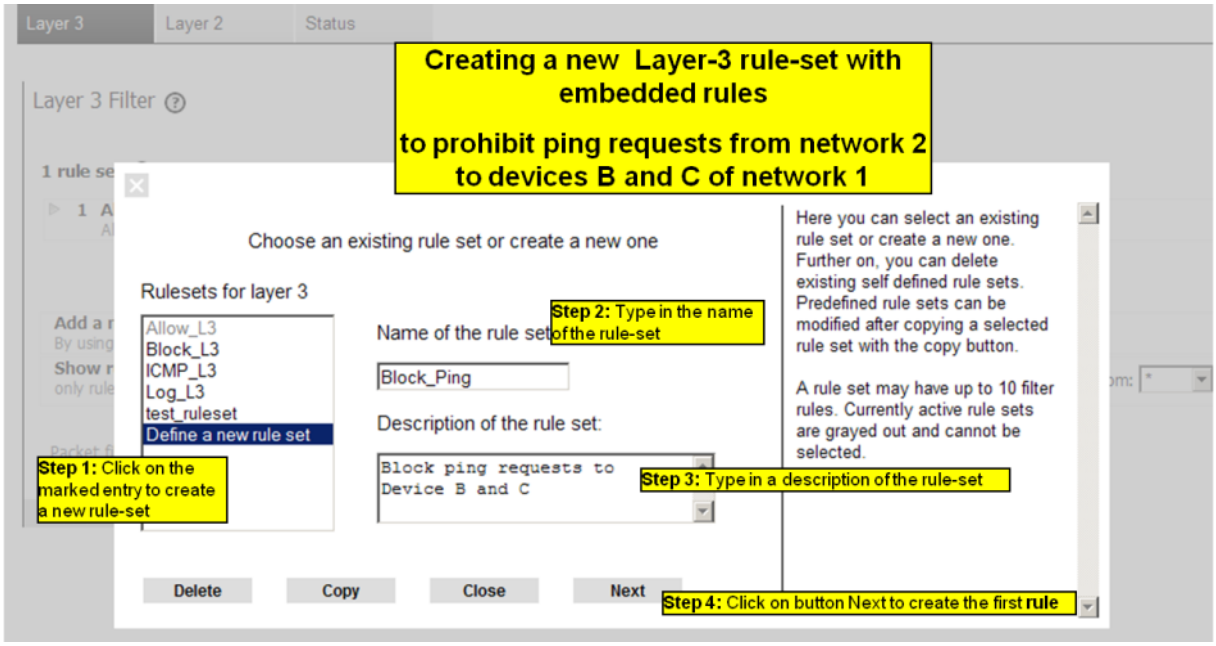


Figure A3-6: Define a new rule-set according described steps 1 to 4

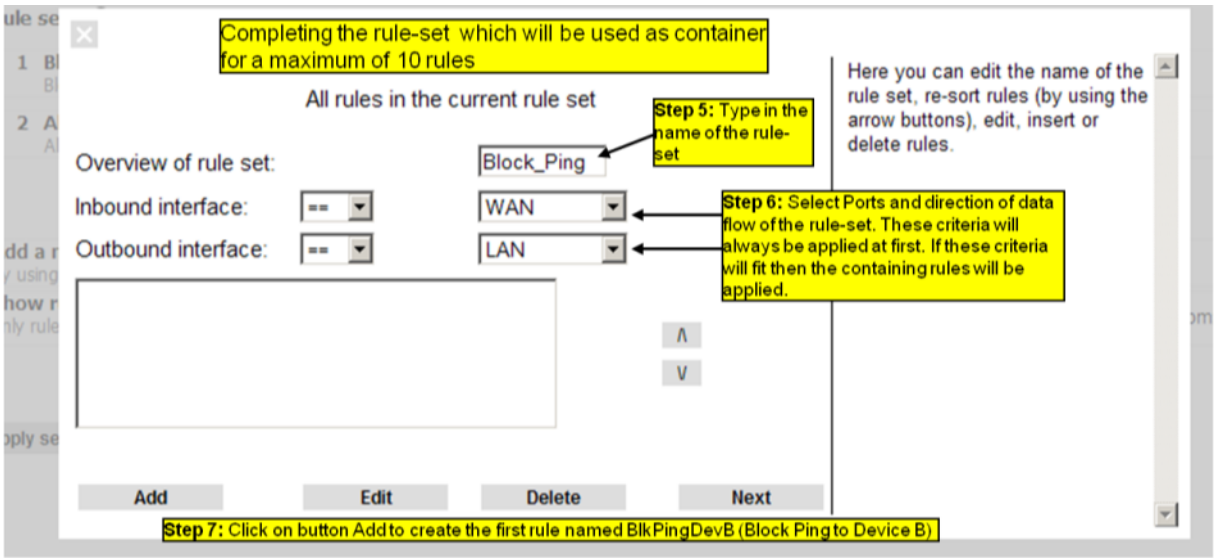


Figure A3-7: Define additional parameters of the new rule-set according described steps 5 to 7

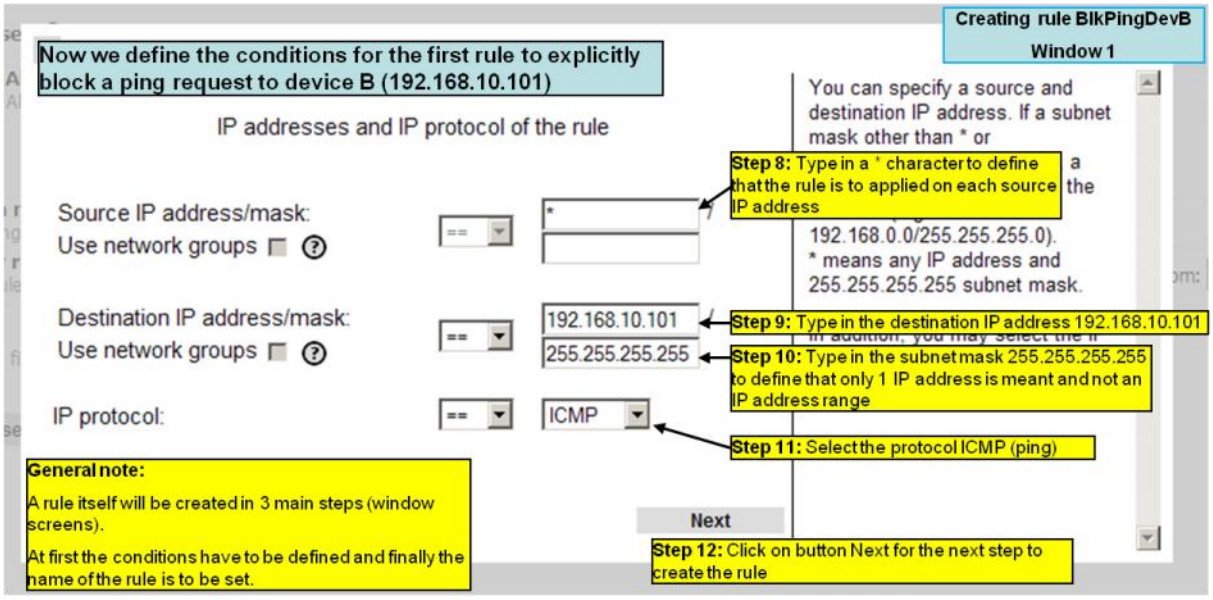


Figure A3-8: Define the first rule according described steps 8 to 12

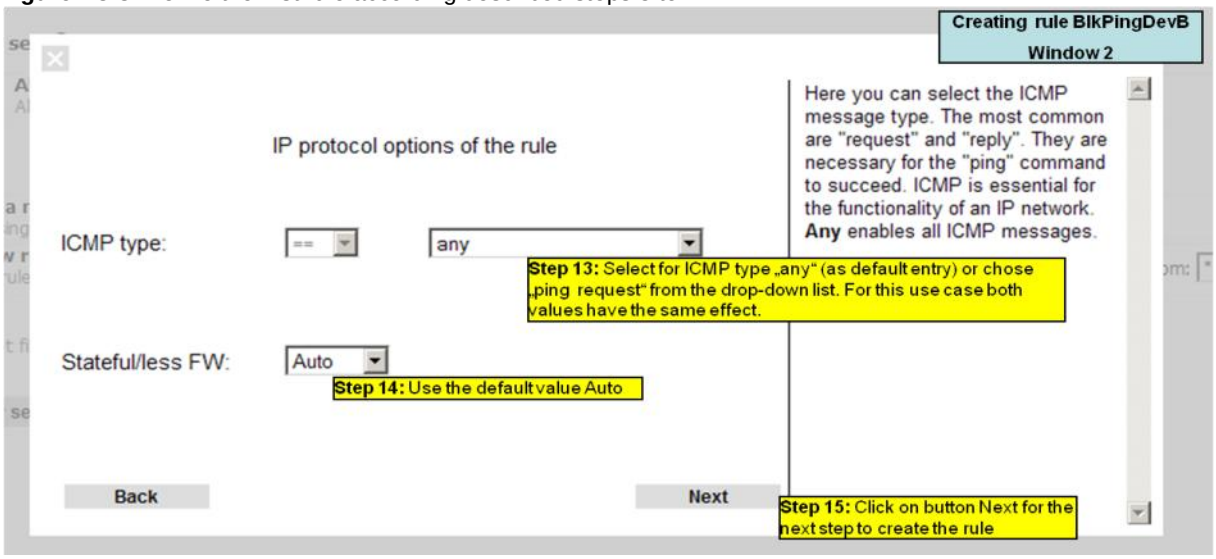


Figure A3-9: Define additional parameters of the first rule according described steps 13 to 15

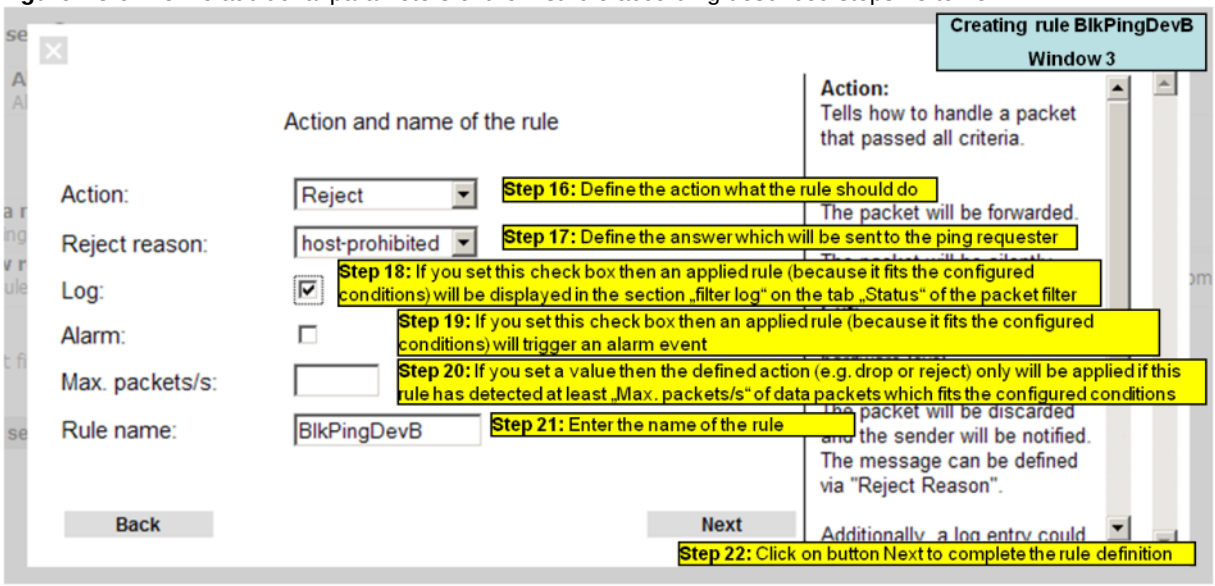


Figure A3-10: Define additional parameters of the first rule according described steps 16 to 22

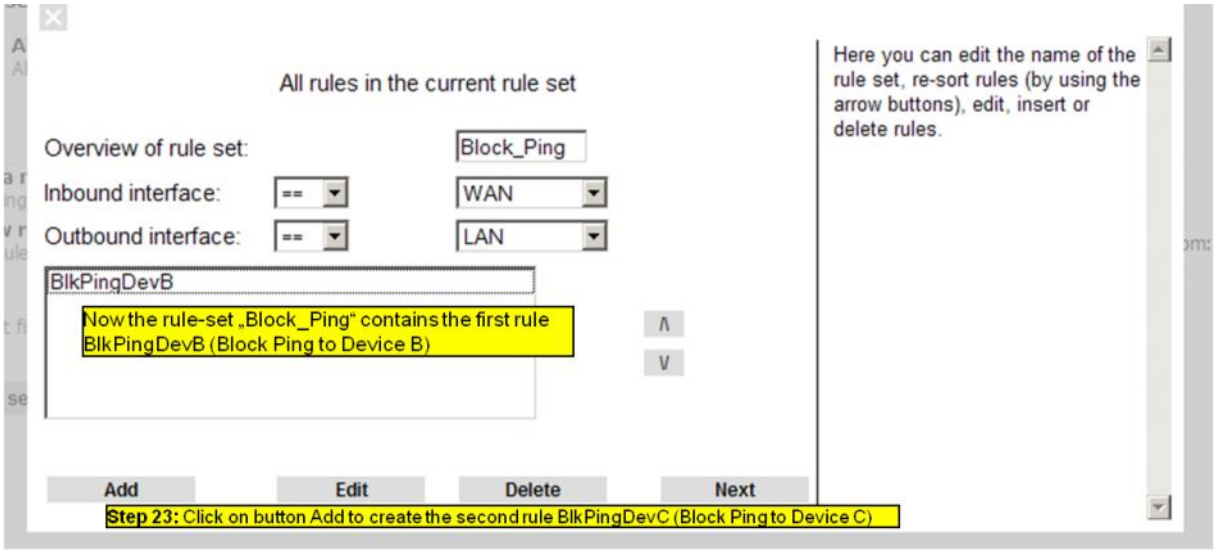


Figure A3-11: Creation of first rule completed

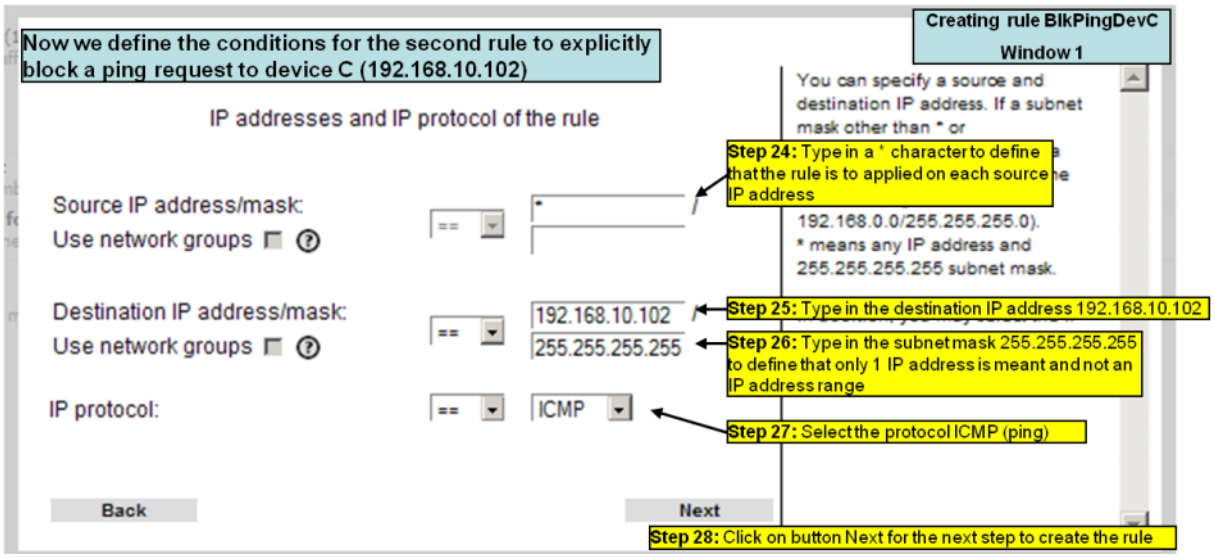


Figure A3-12: Define of second rule according described steps 24 to 28

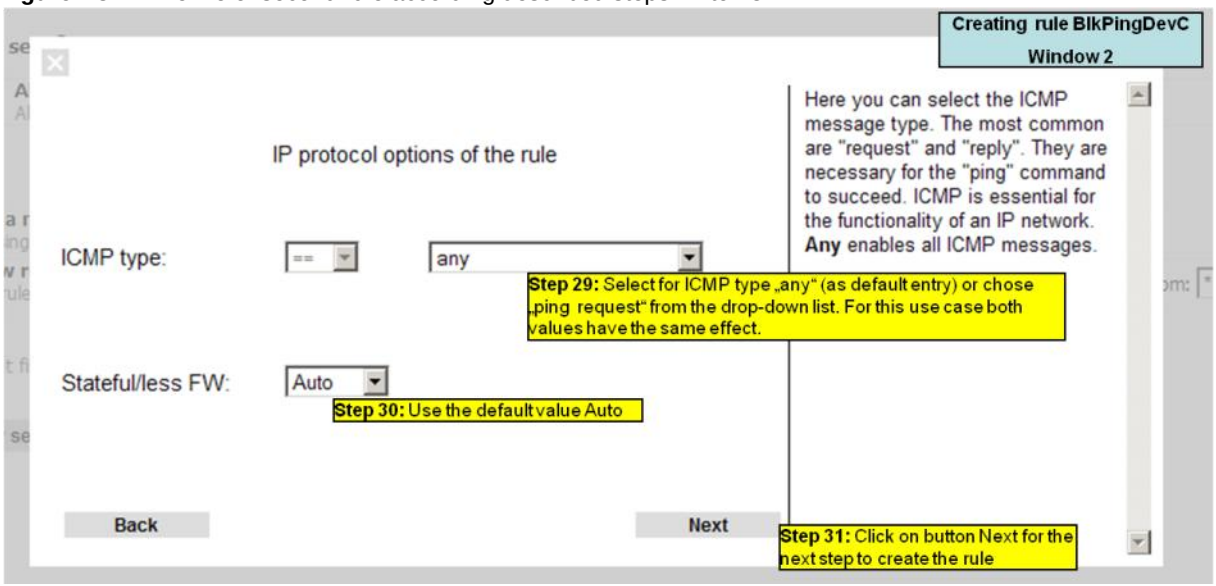


Figure A3-13: Define additional parameters of the second rule according described steps 29 to 31

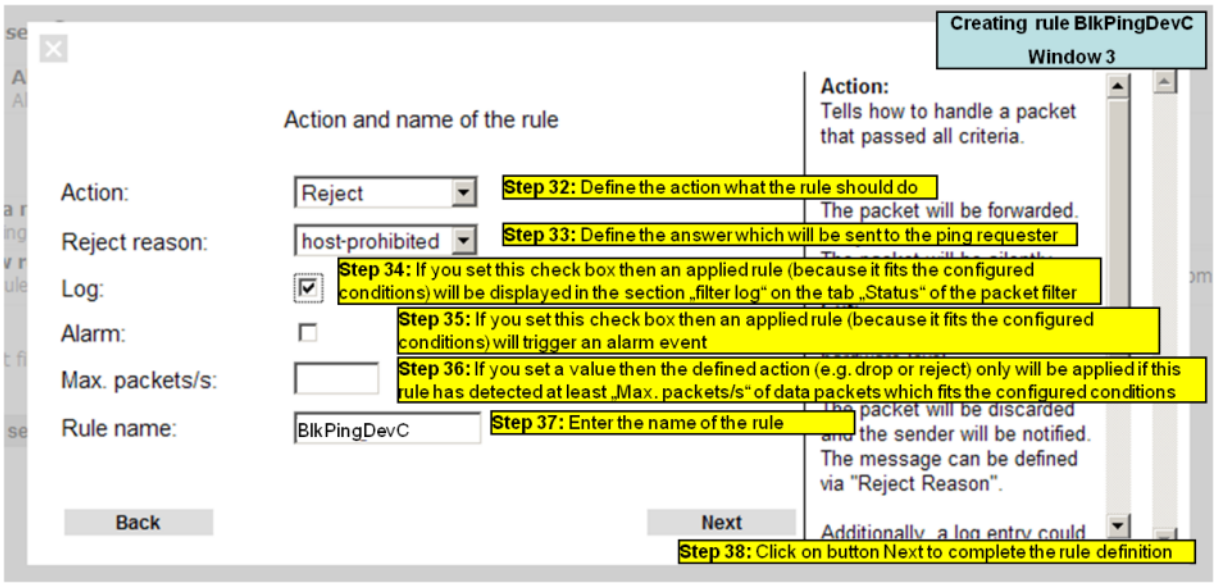


Figure A3-14: Define additional parameters of the second rule according described steps 32 to 38

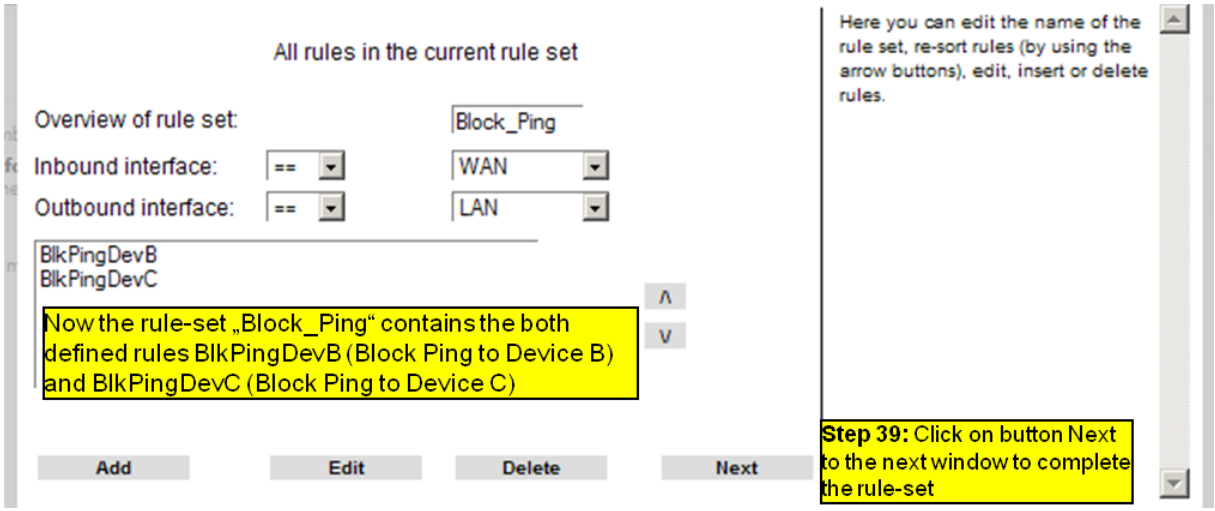


Figure A3-15: Creation of second rule completed

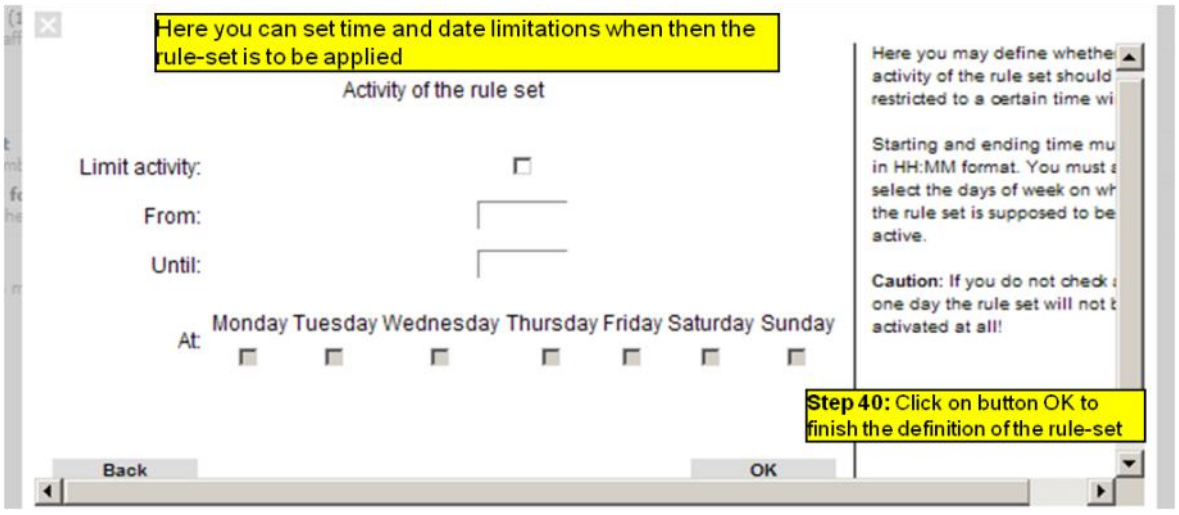


Figure A3-16: Setting optional date and time limitations of the rule-set

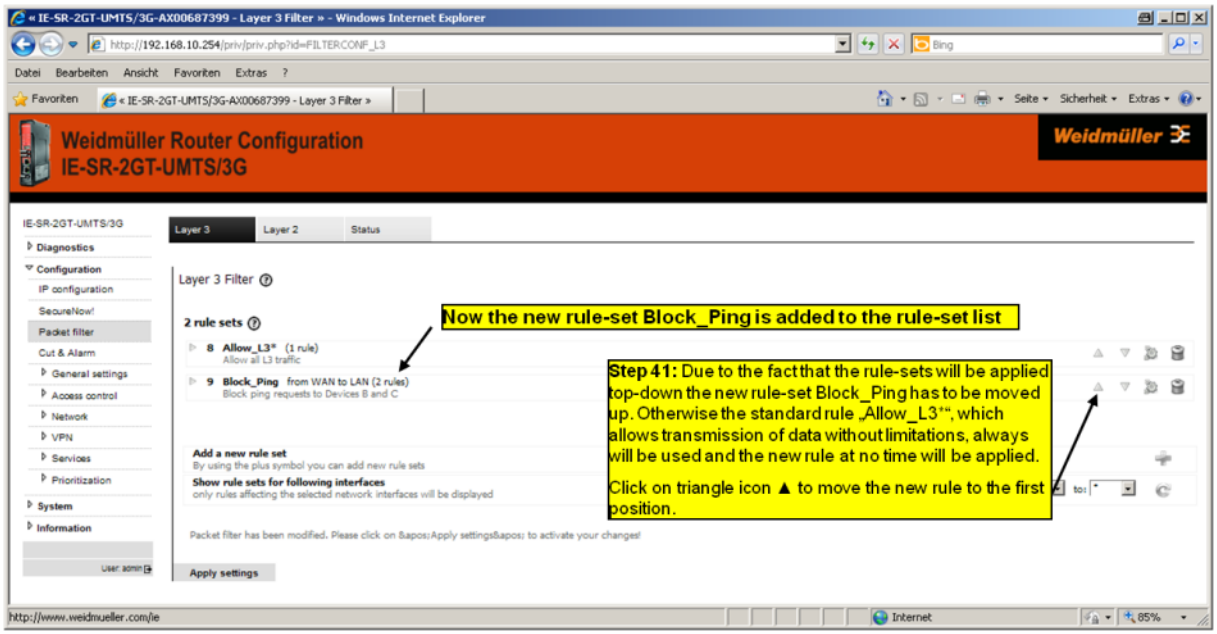


Figure A3-17: Creation of new rule-set is completed and added to the rule-set list. Move the new rule-set to top position

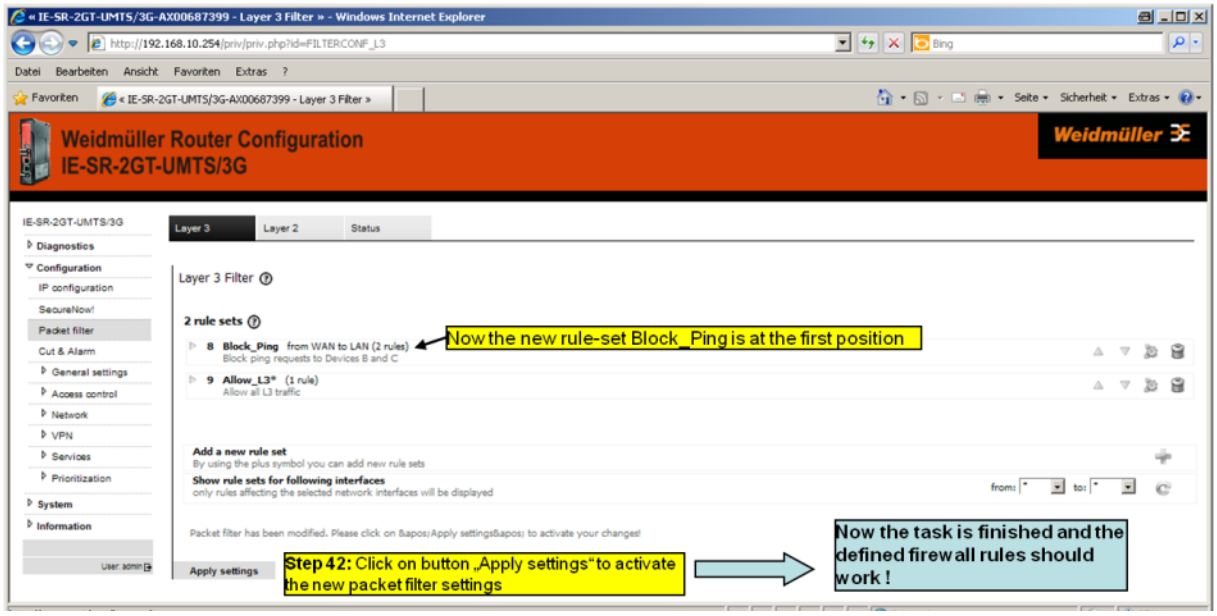


Figure A3-18: Activate the changes

Now the firewall configuration (packet filter) is finished!

Testing the result that Ethernet Devices B (192.168.10.101) and C (192.168.10.102) of network 1 cannot be “pinged” by devices of network 2

Run 3 Ping commands from a device of Ethernet network 2 (192.168.20.0/24) using below described addresses (members of network 1)

→ ping 192.168.10.100 (Device A)
→ ping 192.168.10.101 (Device B)
→ ping 192.168.10.102 (Device C)

Results:

1. **Sent “Ping” to IP address 192.168.10.100 should be answered by the requested IP addresses correctly.**
2. **Sent “Ping” to IP addresses 192.168.10.101 and 192.168.10.102 should be answered by the requested IP addresses as “Destination host unreachable”.**

Note:
1. If you perform the ping test using a PC please check the PC’s firewall configuration to ensure that ping requests and echoes are allowed.
2. Keep in mind that every device which will be used for ping testing needs an entry for the standard gateway (IP address is pointing to the Router of the PC’s network)

A4 - Connecting 2 Ethernet networks with the same IP address range to another network using 1:1 NAT address translation

This Technical Note applies to the Weidmüller Industrial Router IE-SR-2GT-LAN and IE-SR-2GT-UMTS/3G

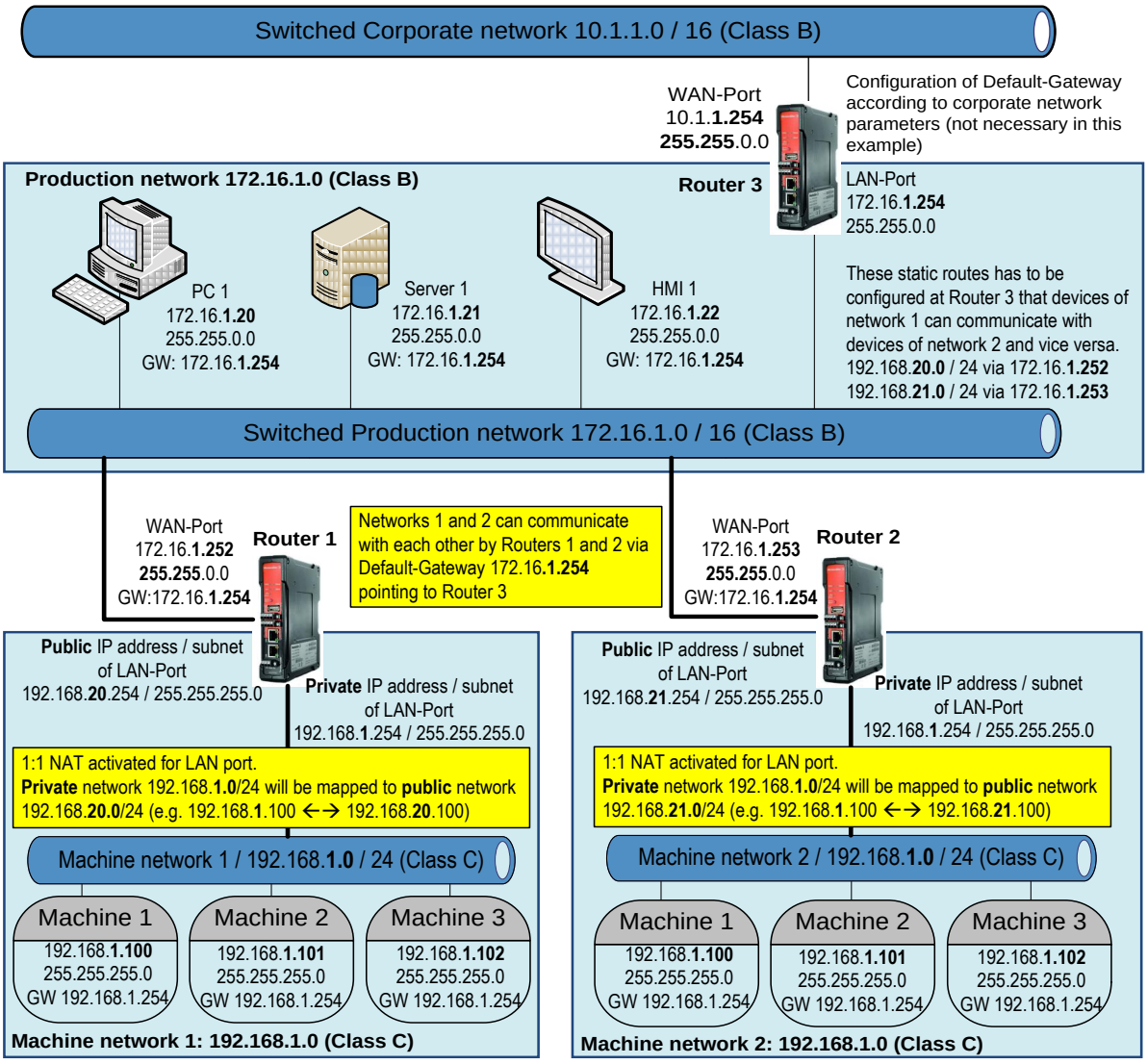
Application scenario:

There are 2 machine networks and one upper-level production network. Each machine network is connected to the production network by a security Router. The production network itself is connected to the corporate network via its own Router. Both machine networks have the same IP address range 192.168.1.0 of type class C: The production network uses the IP address range 172.16.1.0 of type class B.

Task and solution:

Each Ethernet device of all 3 networks shall have the possibility to communicate with each other. For this reason it is necessary that each of the machine networks – both configured with the same IP address range - must be translated to unique IP addresses. This can be done by using the network IP address translation feature “1:1 NAT” of the Router.

1:1 NAT means that IP addresses (**private**) of devices connected to the LAN port, internally will be translated to a new IP address (**public**) if they communicate with IP addresses connected to the WAN network. From the perspective of the WAN network each device of the LAN network is only known and addressable by its **public** IP address. In the case of incoming data from WAN network (outgoing to LAN) the destination IP addresses (public) of LAN network automatically will be translated from their **public** into their **private** IP address.



Machine networks 1 and 2 uses the same IP address range

This document describes an application scenario using 3 Routers. But for a simple test of the feature "1:1 NAT" you only need 1 Router (configured as Router 1 of machine network 1). In this case use 2 devices (PC's or whatever) to simulate one member of "machine network" and one member of the "production network".

Short description how to solve the task by using 1:1 NAT:

Both Routers of machine network 1 and 2 have to be connected by WAN port to the production network 172.16.1.0. The IP addresses of the WAN ports will be set to

172.16.1.252 / 255.255.0.0 for Router 1 and

172.16.1.253 / 255.255.0.0 for Router 2

The LAN port of each Router is to be connected to their corresponding machine network. Due to the fact that each machine network uses the same IP address range each LAN port of the Routers is to be configured with 2 IP addresses, one as a **public** and one as **private** address.

In this example – using the feature 1:1 NAT at **LAN port** –

the **public** IP addresses will be set to

192.168.**20**.254 / 255.255.255.0 for Router 1 and

192.168.**21**.254 / 255.255.255.0 for Router 2

and the **private** IP addresses (both the same) will be set to

192.168.**1**.254 / 255.255.255.0 for Router 1 and

192.168.**1**.254 / 255.255.255.0 for Router 2

By assigning the **private** IP address (192.168.1.254) at the Router's LAN port automatically the complete IP address range 192.168.1.0 / 255.255.255.0 is defined as local network IP range for devices connected to the LAN port.

"1:1 NAT" means that for each communication between devices of LAN and WAN network the **public** IP addresses of LAN devices have to be used.

<table>
<tr><th colspan="4">Examples of IP address mapping (private / public) using 1:1 NAT at LAN port</th></tr>
<tr><th>IP address and subnet of a device connected to LAN port (used as private IP address)</th><th>Configured Private IP address and subnet of Router's LAN port</th><th>Configured Public IP address and subnet of Router's LAN port</th><th>Resulting Public IP address and subnet of device connected to LAN port (1:1 NAT)</th></tr>
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How to configure Router 1 (Machine network 1), Router 2 (Machine network 2) and Router 3 (Production network)

General note:

The configuration of all Routers is very similar and will be described below together for the Routers of both machine networks and the production network. Different configuration parameters between the Routers are marked individually.

In this example Router 3 of the production network is to be configured with 2 static IP routes pointing to networks 1 and 2 that Ethernet devices behind Router 1 and Router 2 (connected at LAN port) can find each other. As an alternative all Routers can be configured to use dynamic IP routing (either RIP or OSPF or both) to announce their connected networks to the other Routers automatically without configuring static routes at Router 3 manually. Using dynamic routing is more convenient if it is planned to extend the Ethernet network with additional machine networks. Then you don't have to add a new static route to Router 3 in the case of connecting a further machine network to the production network. This would be automatically done by RIP- or OSPF-based dynamic IP routing.

→ The alternative method using dynamic routing is described at the end of this document in chapter A5.

Starting situation

All Routers have the factory default configuration and can be accessed either using the LAN port by IP address 192.168.1.110 or using the WAN port by IP address 192.168.2.110.

Due to the fact that the machine network Routers 1 and 2 have to be configured on the LAN port with 1:1 NAT (with a private and a public IP address), which means setting two times new IP addresses (private and a public) on this port during the configuration process, it is more comfortable to connect the Configuration PC to the WAN port of the Routers. Then the IP address of the PC has only one time to be changed after setting the new WAN port IP address.

1. Connect the configuration PC to the Router using the WAN Port

→ Use autonegotiation on the Ethernet Interface of the PC

2. Change the IP address of the PC to one of the range 192.168.2.0

→ e.g. IP address 192.168.2.100
Subnet mask 255.255.255.0
Standardgateway can be left blank due to direct cable connection

3. Start a Web browser and login into the Web server of Router (http://192.168.2.110)

User: admin
Password: Detmold

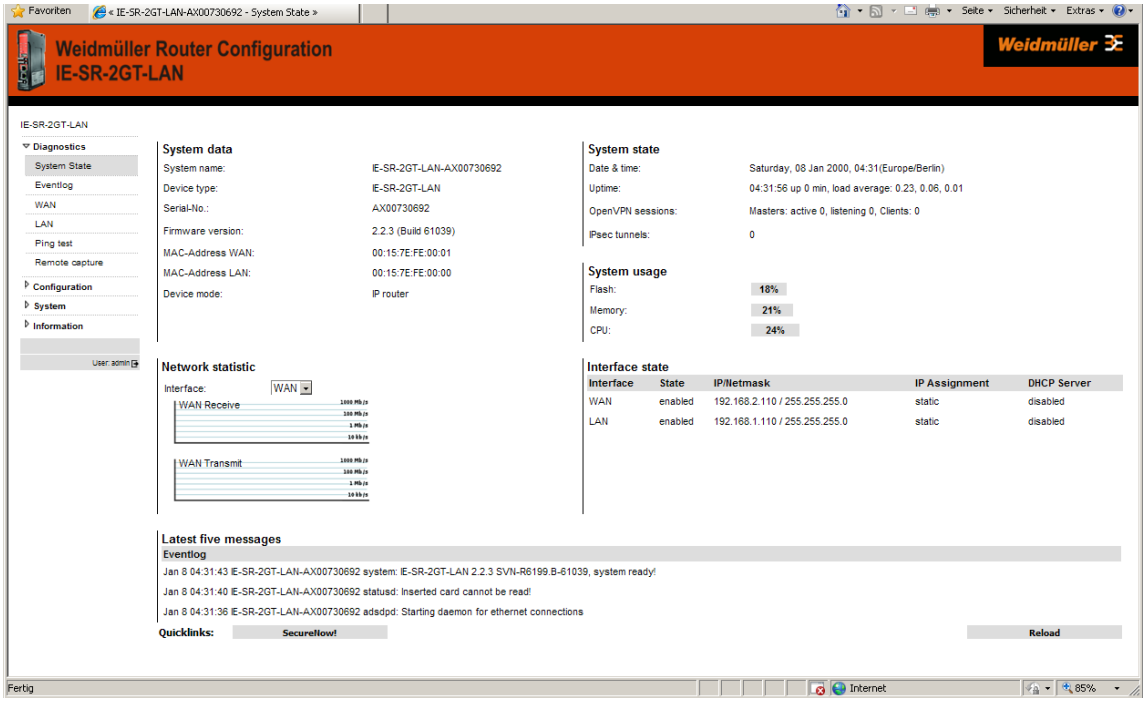

Figure A4-1: Login page of the Router (equivalent with menu Diagnostics → System State)

4. Set the basic IP configuration

► Select menu **Configuration → IP configuration**

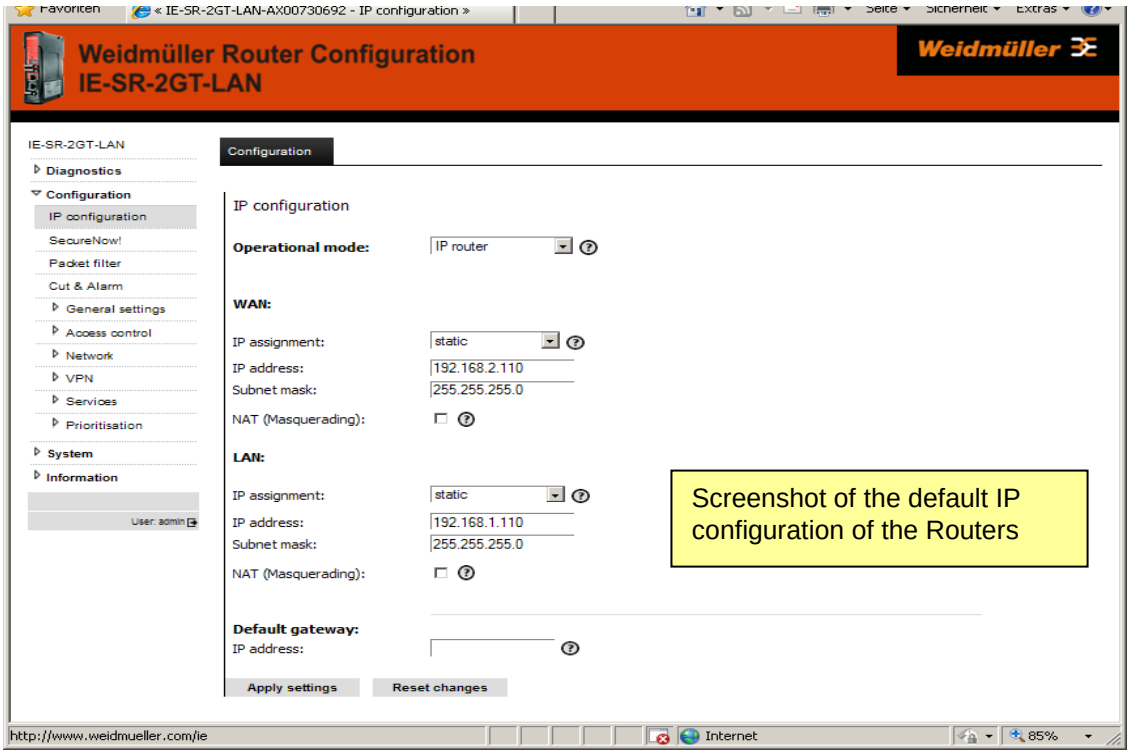

Figure A4-2: Default values of menu **IP configuration**

► Configure the menu entries as following shown

<u>Only for Router 1</u>

Operational mode:	IP Router
IP address parameters WAN Port:	static 172.16.1.252 255.255.0.0 (Class B) NAT (masquerading) not set (leave checkbox empty)
IP address parameters LAN Port:	static 192.168.20.254 255.255.255.0 (Class C) NAT (masquerading) not set (leave checkbox empty)
Default gateway	172.16.1.254 (Router of the production network)

Leave „Default gateway“ empty if you test the „simple scenario“ with only 1 Router

<u>Only for Router 2</u>

Operational mode:	IP Router
IP address parameters WAN Port:	static 172.16.1.253 255.255.0.0 (Class B) NAT (masquerading) not set (leave checkbox empty)
IP address parameters LAN Port:	static

	192.168.21.254 255.255.255.0 (Class C) NAT (masquerading) not set (leave checkbox empty)
Default gateway	172.16.1.254 (Router of the production network)

Only for Router 3

Operational mode:	IP Router
IP address parameters WAN Port:	static 10.1.1.254 255.255.0.0 (Class B) NAT (masquerading) not set (leave checkbox empty)
IP address parameters LAN Port:	static 172.16.1.254 255.255.0.0 (Class B) NAT (masquerading) not set (leave checkbox empty)
Default gateway	leave field empty (not necessary in this example)

► Click button “Apply settings” to activate the new settings.

Now the configured parameters will be **activated (but not saved)**. After a few seconds the web interface displays the new IP addresses as shown in Figure 3. Please keep in mind that now the Router connection is lost due to changing the IP address range of your connected WAN port.

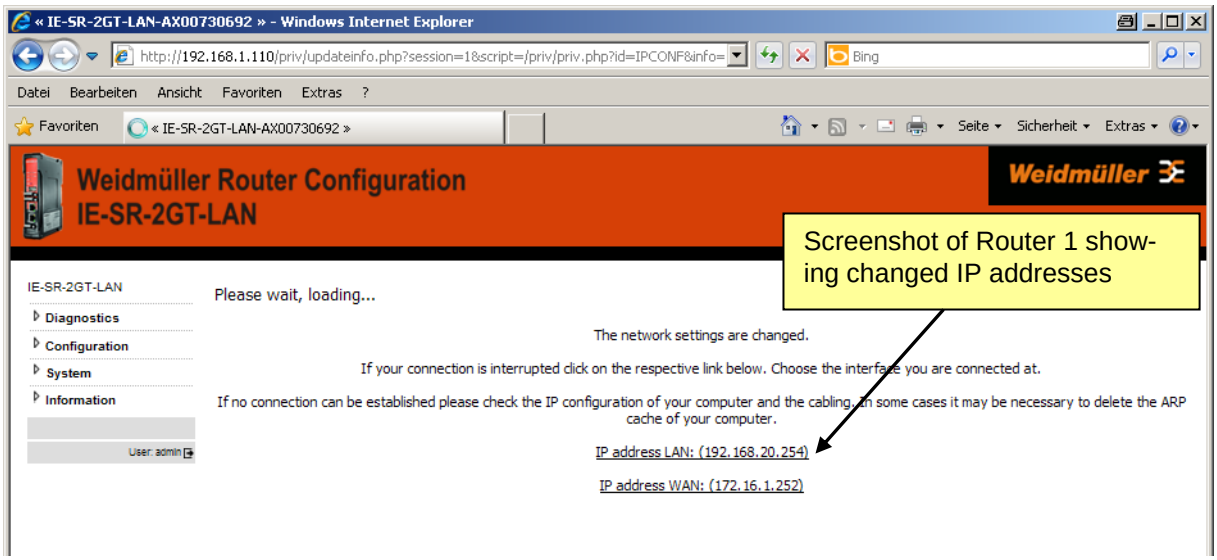

Figure A4-3: Display of activated new IP addresses of LAN and WAN port

5. Change the IP address of configuration PC

► To reconnect to the Router now change the IP address of the PC to an IP address of the new IP address range 172.16.1.0/16

For re-connecting to Routers 1 and 2 chose e.g. IP address 172.16.1.100 and subnet mask 255.255.0.0. The input field “Standard-Gateway” can be left empty.

For reconnecting Router 3 you also can chose e.g. IP address 172.16.1.100 (subnet mask 255.255.0.0) but you have to change the cable connection from WAN to LAN port due to the fact that Router 3 is connected to the production network by LAN port (see network diagram). Otherwise you have to use an IP address of the WAN port range 10.1.0.0.

► Again login into the web interface of the Router using a web browser

Only for Router 1 : Use IP address 172.16.1.252 (http://172.16.1.252) on WAN port

Only for Router 2 : Use IP address 172.16.1.253 (http://172.16.1.253) on WAN port

Only for Router 3 : Use IP address 172.16.1.254 (http://172.16.1.254) on **LAN** port

User: admin
Password: Detmold

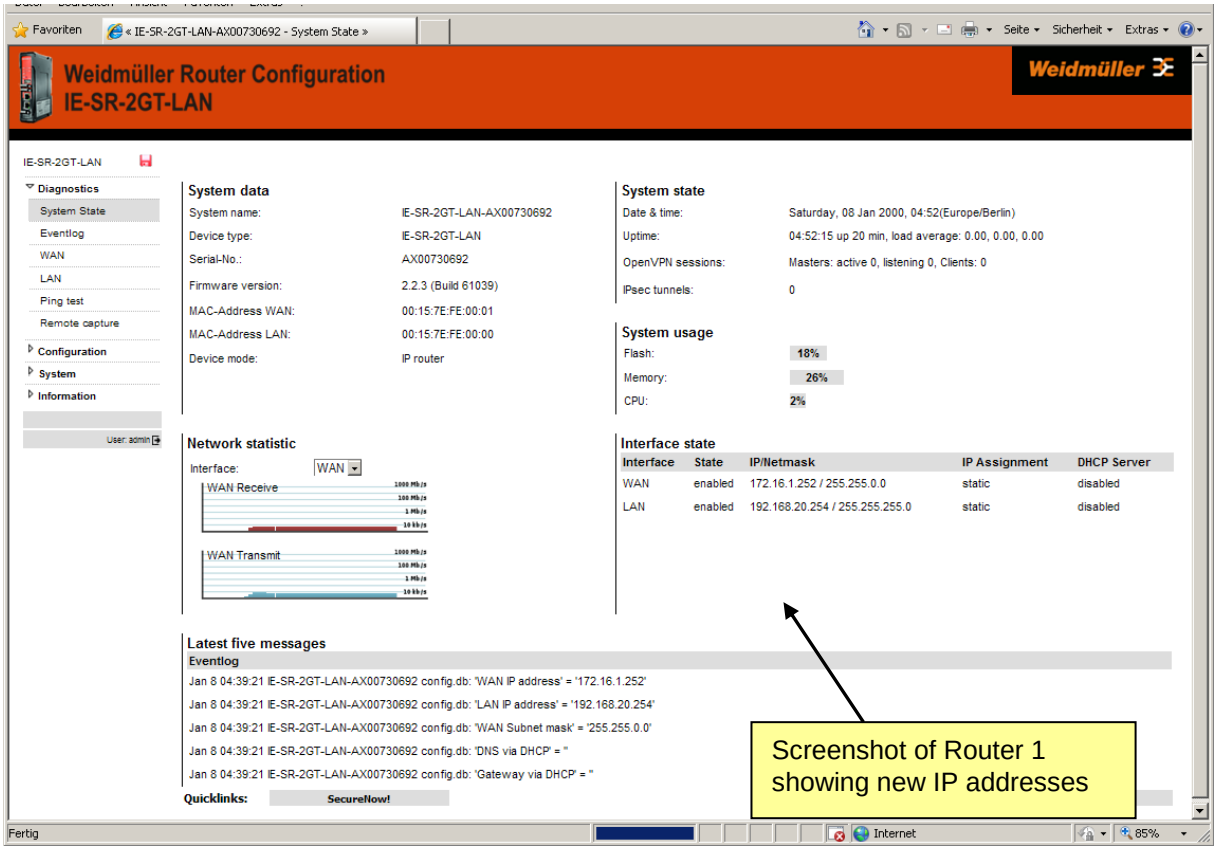

Figure A4-4: Web interface after login with changed IP addresses

► Select menu **Configuration → IP configuration** to verify that IP parameters are configured correctly

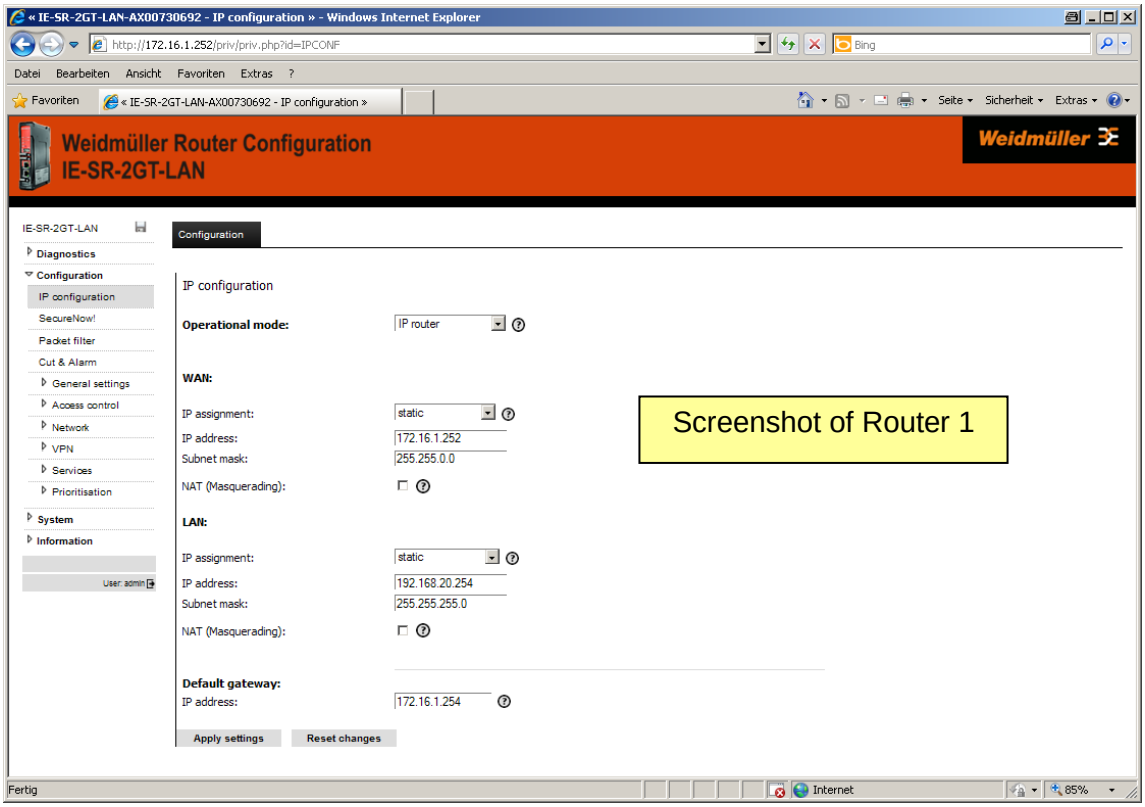

Figure A4-5: New values of menu **IP configuration**

6. Configuring 1:1 NAT address translation (Do this only for Routers 1 and 2)

► Select menu Configuration → Network → 1:1 NAT

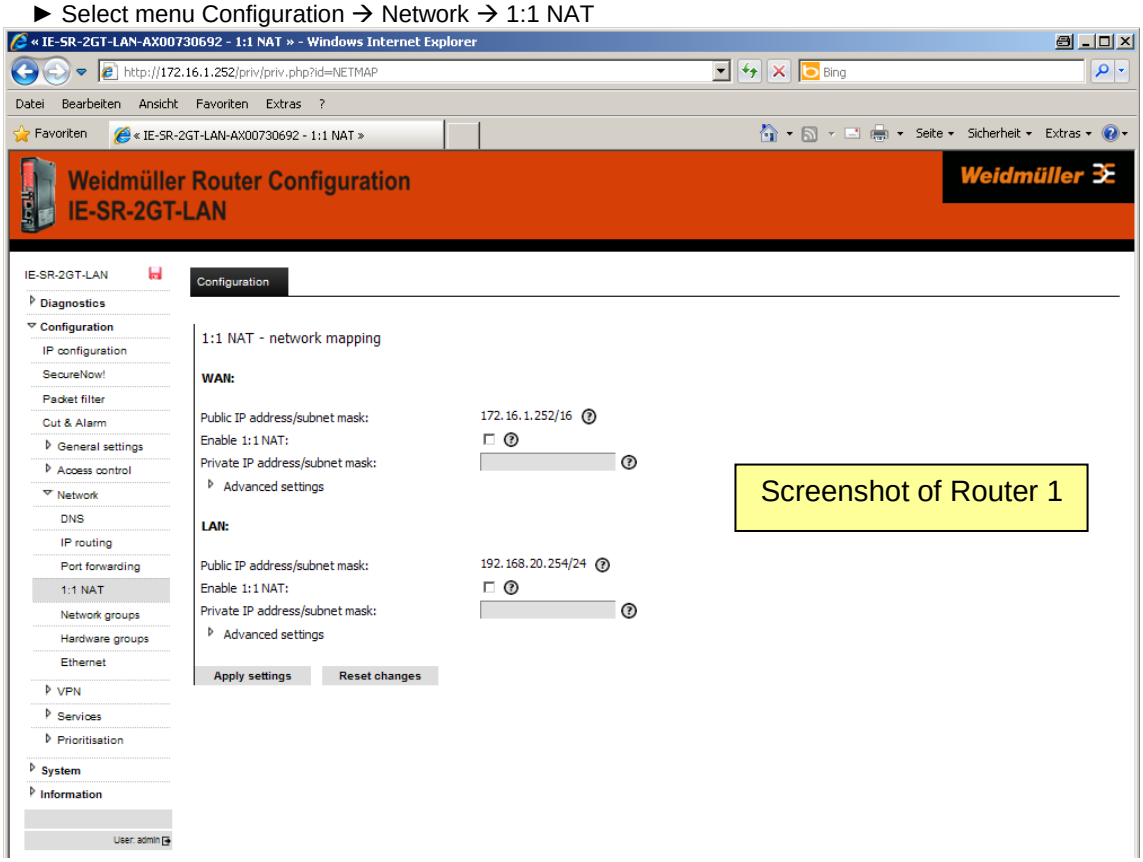

Figure A4-6: Default values of menu **1:1 NAT configuration**

Configure below described entries on **both Routers 1 and 2** in the section **LAN:** of the "1:1 NAT configuration menu".

► Activate parameter "Enable 1:1 NAT" → Click on checkbox

► Private IP address/subnet mask: 192.168.1.254/24

Note: No further settings have to be done (Do not activate checkbox "Advanced settings")

► Click button "Apply settings" to activate the new settings.

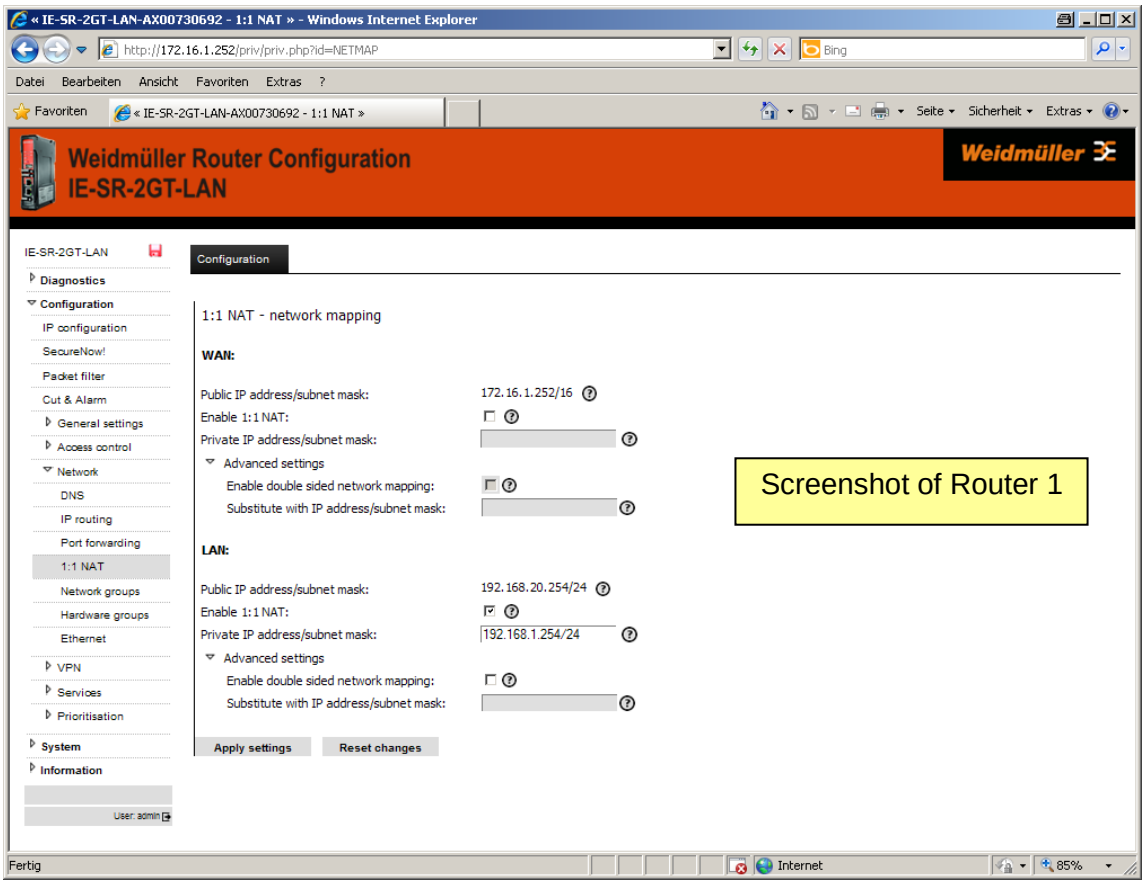

Figure A4-7: Changed values of menu **1:1 NAT configuration**

Note:

The **private** IP address 192.168.1.254 now is the new IP address of the Router from the perspective of connected devices at the LAN port. All devices connected to the LAN port have to be configured in the private IP range 192.168.1.0 with subnet mask 255.255.255.0.

The 1:1 NAT (address translation) is working in that way that every address of the private Class C network will be changed to the corresponding public address.

Exemplary result of IP address mapping of configured 1:1 NAT of **Router 1**:

Machine 1 of network 1 (**IP 192.168.1.1**) can be accessed by **public IP 192.168.20.1** from production network

Machine 2 of network 1 (**192.168.1.2**) can be accessed by **public IP 192.168.20.2** from production network

Machine N of network 1 (**192.168.1.n**) can be accessed by **public IP 192.168.20.n** from production network

Exemplary result IP address mapping of configured 1:1 NAT of **Router 2**:

Machine 1 of network 1 (**IP 192.168.1.1**) can be accessed by **public IP 192.168.21.1** from production network

Machine 2 of network 1 (**192.168.1.2**) can be accessed by **public IP 192.168.21.2** from production network

Machine N of network 1 (**192.168.1.n)** can be accessed by **public IP 192.168.21.n** from production network

From the perspective of an addressed receiver in the production network the sender has always the **public** IP address.

7. Configuring static routes (Only for Router 3, skip if you test the"Ssimple scenario" with only 1 Router)

Next 2 static routes have to be configured on Router 3 that all Ethernet devices of machine networks networks 1 and 2 (behind LAN port of Routers 1 and 2) can get access to each other.

► Select menu **Configuration → Network → IP routing→ Tab "Configuration"**

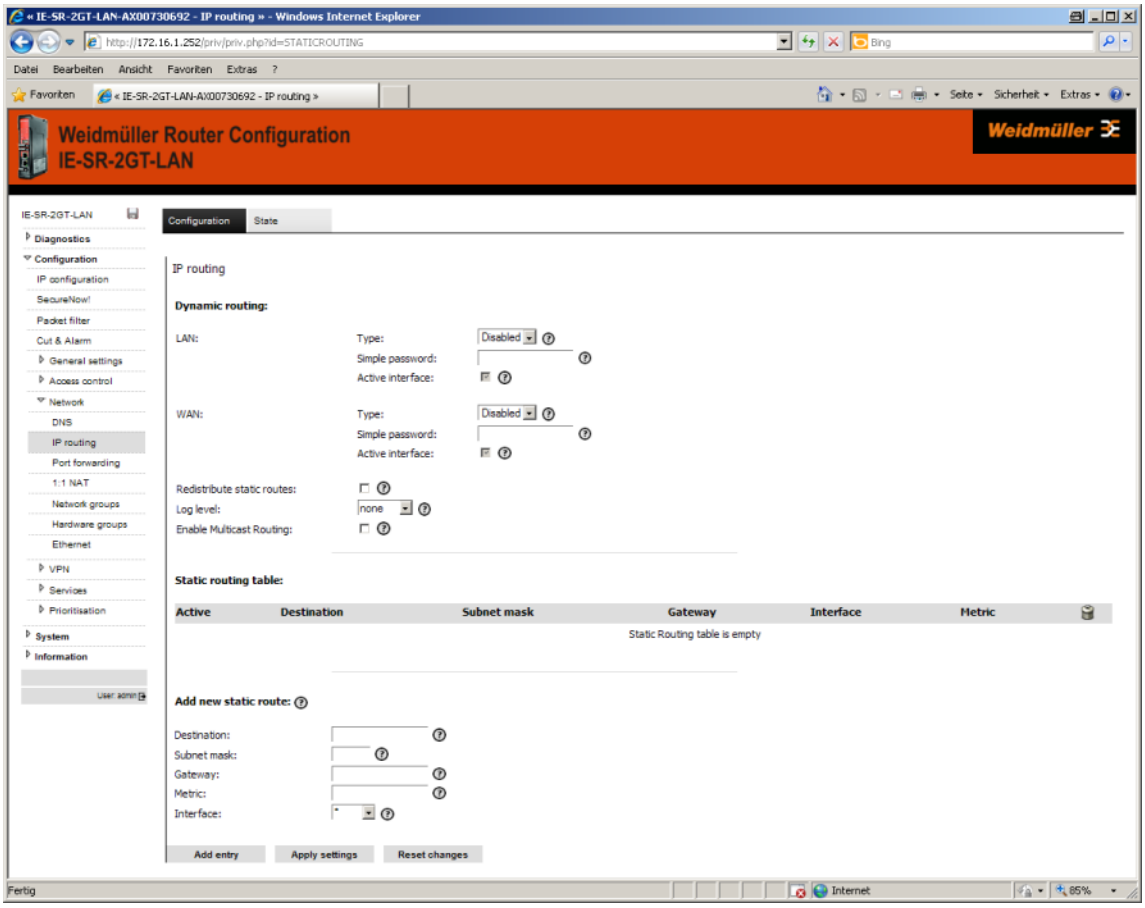

Figure A4-8: Default values of menu **IP routing (Tab Configuration)**

Configure below described entries in the area **Add new static route** of the menu:

Only for Router 3 (This Router has 2 static routes)

Values for the first route:

- Destination network: 192.168.20.0 (Public address range of machine network 1 at LAN port of Router 1)
- Subnet mask : 24 (Class C)
- Gateway: 172.16.1.252 (Public address of WAN port of Router 1)
- Metric: Can be left blank (only one route, therefore no need for prioritization)
- Interface: **LAN** (Router 1 can be reached by LAN port)

►Click button “Add entry” to add the new static route to the routing table.

Values for the second route:

- Destination network: 192.168.21.0 (Public address range of machine network 2 at LAN port of Router 2)
- Subnet mask: 24 (Class C)
- Gateway: 172.16.1.253 (Public address of WAN port of Router 2)
- Metric: Can be left blank (only one route, therefore no need for prioritization)
- Interface: **LAN** (Router 2 can be reached by LAN port)

►Click button “Add entry” to add the new static route to the routing table.

►Then click button “Apply settings” to activate the new settings.

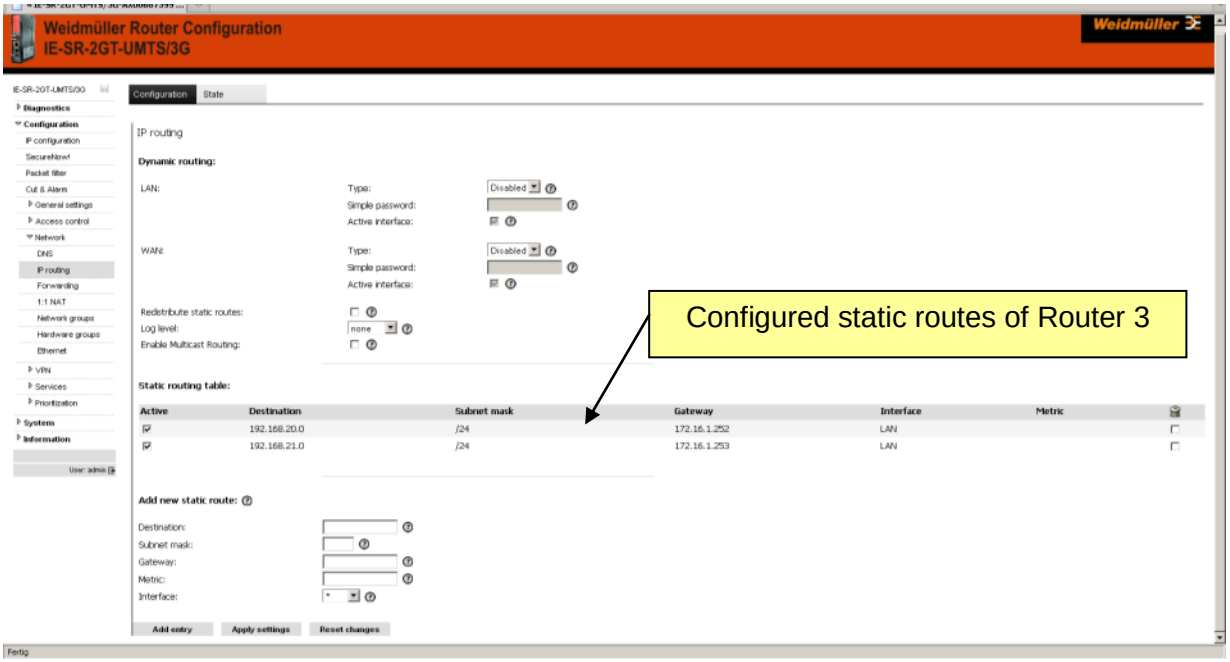

Figure A4-9: Changed values of menu **IP routing (Tab Configuration)** displaying 2 new static routes

8. Monitoring the new activated “routes” at Router 3

► Select menu Configuration → Network → IP routing → Tab “State”

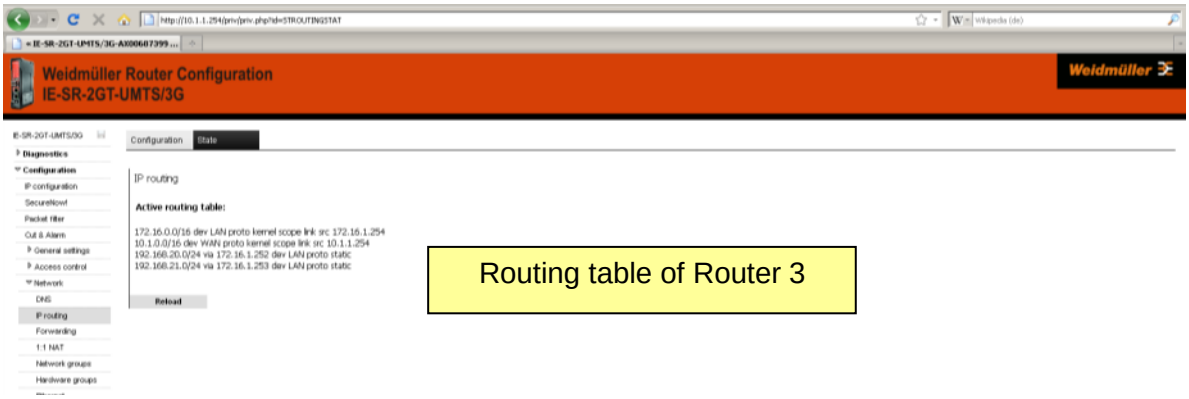

Figure A4-10: Menu **IP routing (Tab State)** showing the new active routing table

9. Saving the new configuration

► Select menu System → Save

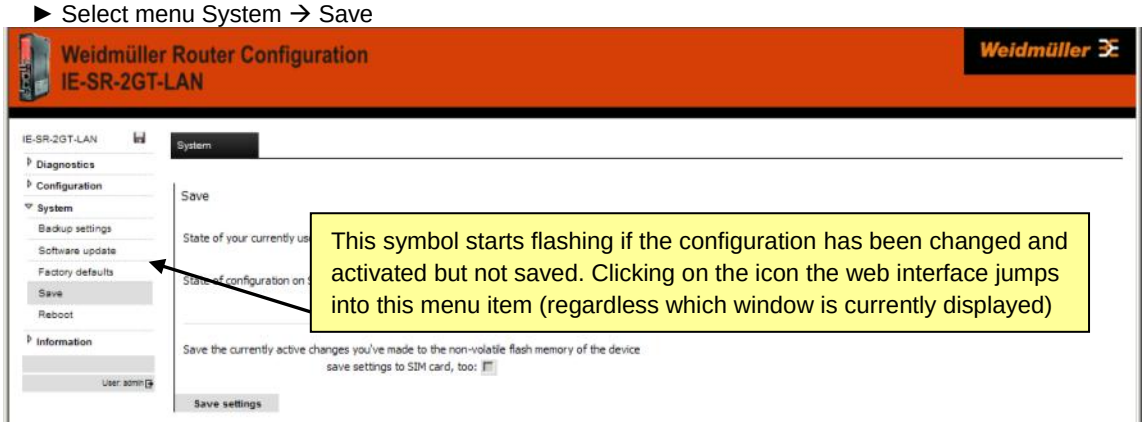

Figure A4-11: Menu **System → Save** before saving the configuration

► Click on button "Save settings" to save the current configuration to the non-volatile flash memory of the Router. If a SIM memory card is installed the configuration additionally will be stored on the SIM memory card.

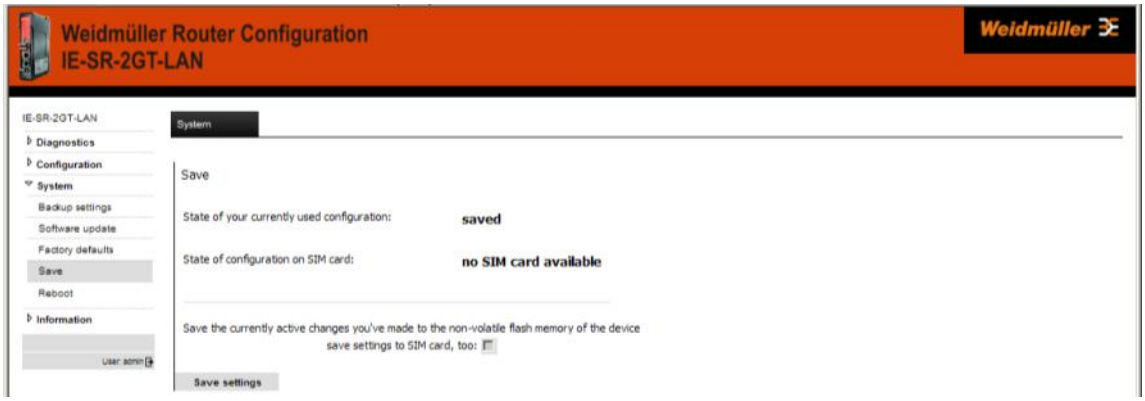

Figure A4-12: Menu **System → Save** after saving the configuration

Additionally the configuration can be stored on the file system of the PC.

► Select menu **System → Backup settings**

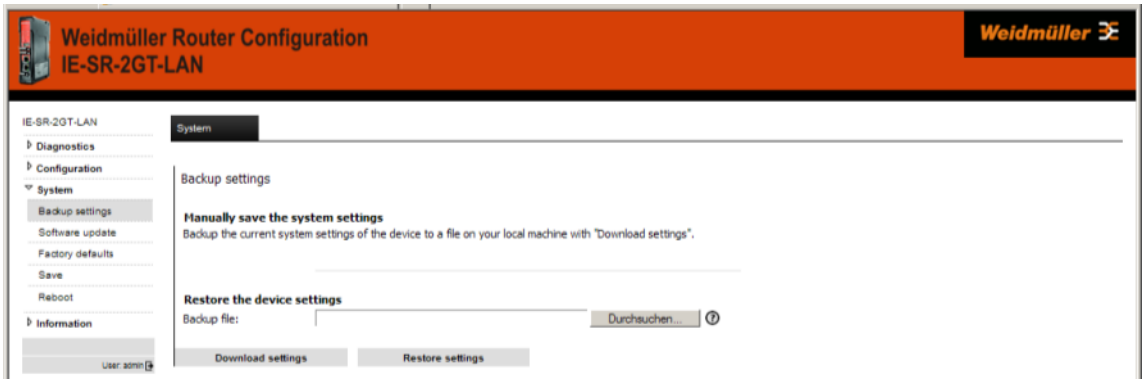

Figure A4-13: Menu **System → Backup settings** after saving the configuration

► Click on button "Download settings" to write the configuration file to the PC hard disk (Backup file has the default extension *.cf2")

Now Router configuration is finished!

Testing the configured feature 1:1 NAT

1. Testing the accessibility between an Ethernet device of machine network 1 and an Ethernet device of production network ("Simple scenario" if you have only 1 Router for testing)

Note: You can use a PC for simulating an Ethernet device (machine) of networks 1. Use a second PC to be a member of the production network.

Ensure that the PC simulating machine 1 of network 1 is configured using following parameters:

→ IP: 192.168.1.100, net mask: 255.255.255.0, Standard Gateway: 192.168.1.254

Ensure that the PC of production network is configured using following parameters:

→ IP: 172.16.1.20, net mask: 255.255.255.0, Standard Gateway: 172.16.1.252 (pointing to WAN port of your Router)

1.1 Try to to send a ping request from machine **1** (192.168.1.100) of network **1** to PC of production network (172.16.1.20).

Result: PC of production network should reply the "ping request" with original reply IP address 172.16.1.20.

1.2 Try to to send a ping request from PC of production network (172.16.1.20) to machine **1** (192.168.1.100) of network **1** by using the public IP address 192.168.**20**.100.

Result: Machine 1 of network 2 should reply the "ping request" with reply IP address 192.168.**20**.100 (due to configured 1:1 NAT).

2. Testing the accessibility between Ethernet devices of machine networks 1 and 2 according to the described application scenario (using 3 Routers)

Note: You can use PC's for simulating the Ethernet devices (machines) of networks 1 and 2.
Ensure that the Ethernet devices of both machine networks are configured using following parameters:
IP: 192.168.1.100, net mask: 255.255.255.0, Standard Gateway: 192.168.1.254

2.1 Try to send a ping request from machine **1** (192.168.1.100) of network **1** to machine **1** (same IP 192.168.1.100) of network **2** by using the public IP address 192.168.**21**.100.

Result: Machine **1** of network **2** should reply the "ping request" with reply IP address 192.168.**21**.100 (due to configured 1:1 NAT).

2.2 Try to send a ping request from machine **1** (192.168.1.100) of network **2** to machine **1** (same IP 192.168.1.100) of network **1** by using the public IP address 192.168.**20**.100.

Result: Machine **1** of network **2** should reply the "ping request" with reply IP address 192.168.**20**.100 (due to configured 1:1 NAT).

Note: If you perform the "ping" test please ensure that the firewall configuration of the PC is not blocking the test.

A5 - Using dynamic IP routing as an alternative for manually configuring static routes

Instead of configuring static routes on Router 3 it is more comfortable to use the “dynamic IP routing” feature to announce the routes of all Router network interfaces to each Router. For announcing the routing information the protocols RIP or OSPF can be used.

Note:
If dynamic routing is activated but e.g. only the industrial Routers of the machine networks and the production network should participate, this can be done by assigning additionally a password to the used Router information protocol (RIP or OSPF). The result is that only the Routers with the same password exchange their routing tables. With this method you can avoid that routing tables of the industrial networks will be announced also in an upper-level corporate network.

Configuring dynamic IP routing

In this example the protocol RIP (Router information protocol) is set for dynamic IP routing. You can chose alternatively the “newer” protocol OSPF (Open shortest path first). Both are working properly.

► Select menu **Configuration → Network → IP routing→ Tab “Configuration”**

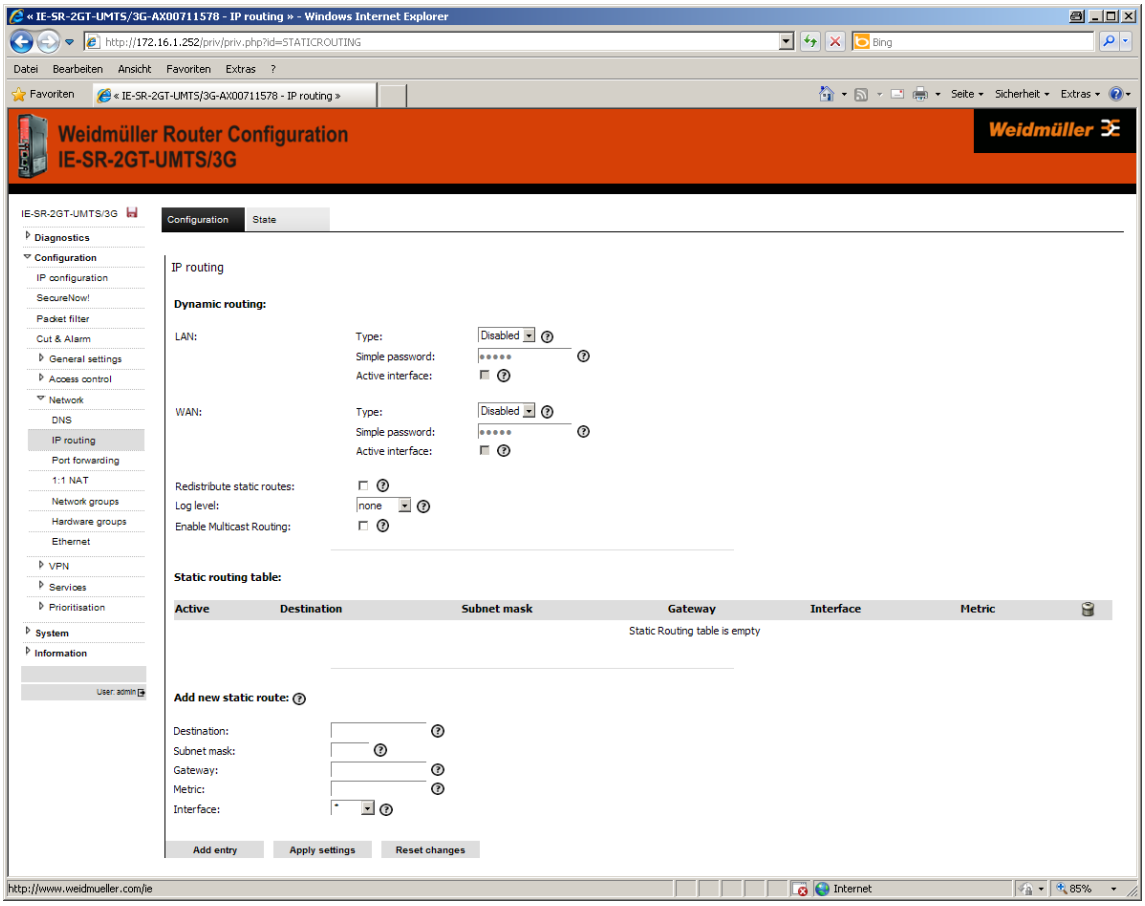

Figure A5-1: Default values of menu **IP routing (Tab Configuration)** → Dynamic routing is disabled

Configure below described entries in the section Dynamic routing of the menu:

→ Configure the below described parameters for all Routers 1, 2 and 3

LAN:	● Type:	Select “RIP”
	● Simple password:	Free text **Note:** If there are several Routers with activated RIP but only the Routers 1, 2 and 3 should exchange their routing tables, then you have to use the same password for each Router.
	● Active interface:	Activate the checkbox if the Router shall send the routing table to the **LAN** port (to other Routers)

WAN:	● Type:	Select “RIP”
	● Simple password:	→ see explanation above
	● Active interface:	Activate the checkbox if the Router shall send the routing table to the **WAN** port (to other Routers)

Note:

You should always use the same value for “Type” on both ports (LAN and WAN). For example if you leave Type=disabled on LAN port and you activate only the parameters Type=RIP and Active interface=set on WAN port, then the Router will **not** announce (outgoing WAN port) the configured network connected to its LAN port.

The checkbox “Redistribute static routes” can be left blank because we don’t use static routes. As log level you can chose how detailed information about RIP will be shown in the menu Eventlog.

►Click button “Apply settings” to activate the new settings.

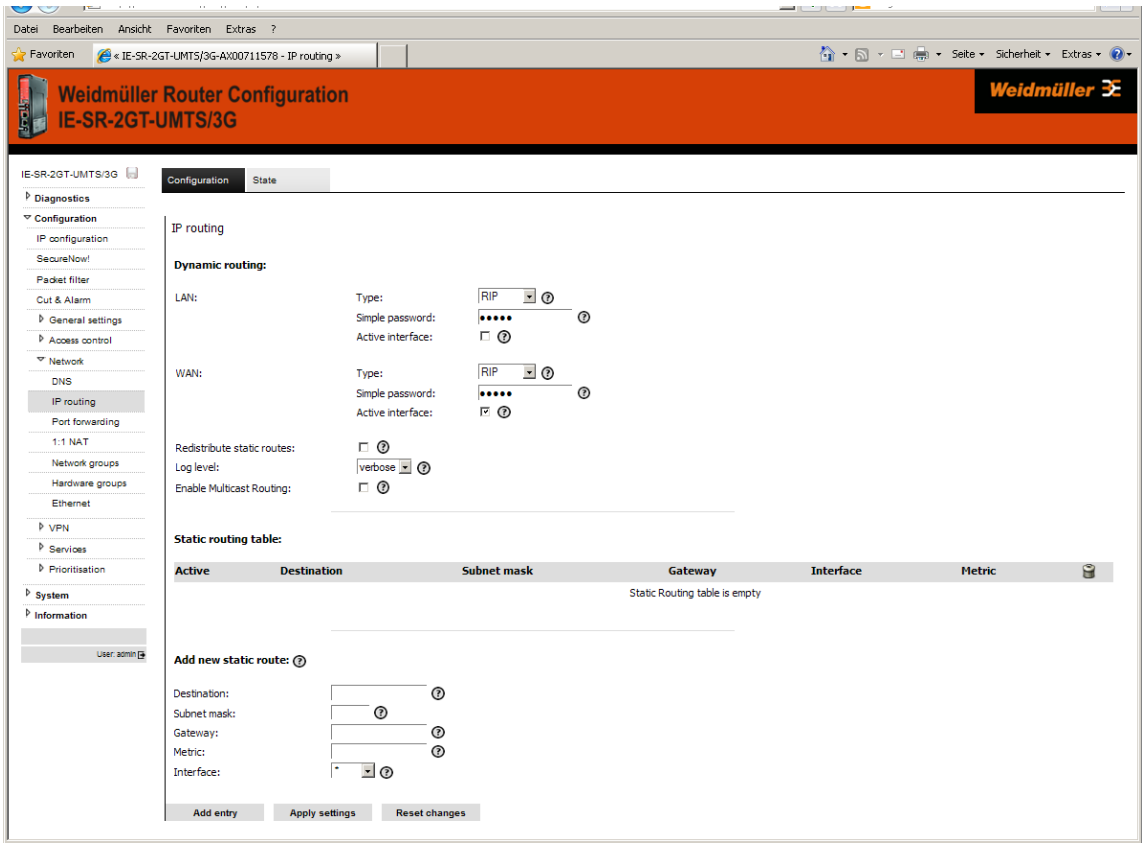

Figure A5-2: Configured dynamic IP routing

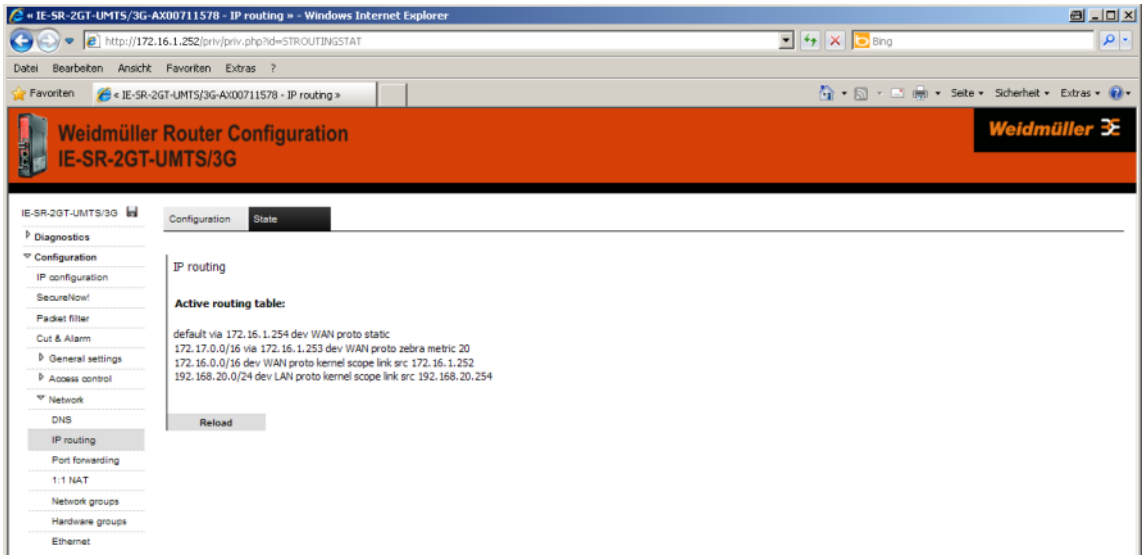

Figure A5-3: Menu **IP routing (Tab State)** showing the new active routing table

Testing the accessibility between Ethernet Devices of network 1 and 2

1. Send a ping request from Machine 1 of Network 1 to Machine 1 of Network 2
   Send “ping 192.168.21.100” (this ist the public IP address of Machine 1 of Network 2, translated by 1:1 NAT from 192.168.1.100 to from 192.168.21.100)

1. Send a ping request from Machine 1 of Network 2 to Machine 1 of Network 1
   Send “ping 192.168.20.100” (this ist the public IP address of Machine 1 of Network 1, translated by 1:1 NAT from 192.168.1.100 to from 192.168.20.100)

   Result: All sent “pings” should be answered by the requested IP addresses correctly.

Note:
1. If you perform the ping test using PC’s please check your firewall configuration to ensure that ping requests and echoes are allowed.
2. Keep in mind that every device which will be used for ping testing needs an entry for the standard gateway (IP address is pointing to the Router of the PC’s network).

B. Application scenarios (Uses cases) for VPN (Virtual private networks)

B1 - OpenVPN based remote access application via “Meeting Point”

Description of a remote access application to allow a communication between protected, not directly accessible machine networks and remote Service-PC’s by using a public OpenVPN-Server as „Meeting-Point“

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1. Open http://www.weidmueller.com/IE
2. Select section „Industrial Ethernet“ → „Documents”
3. Scroll down to section „Technical Notes“
4. Download the file „TechNote-RemoteAccess_via_Router_and_MeetingPoint_V1_??.pdf“

B2 - Configuring an OpenVPN remote access scenario using a Weidmüller Router as OpenVPN-Server

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B3 - Configuring an IPsec scenario between 2 Routers (Client and Server)

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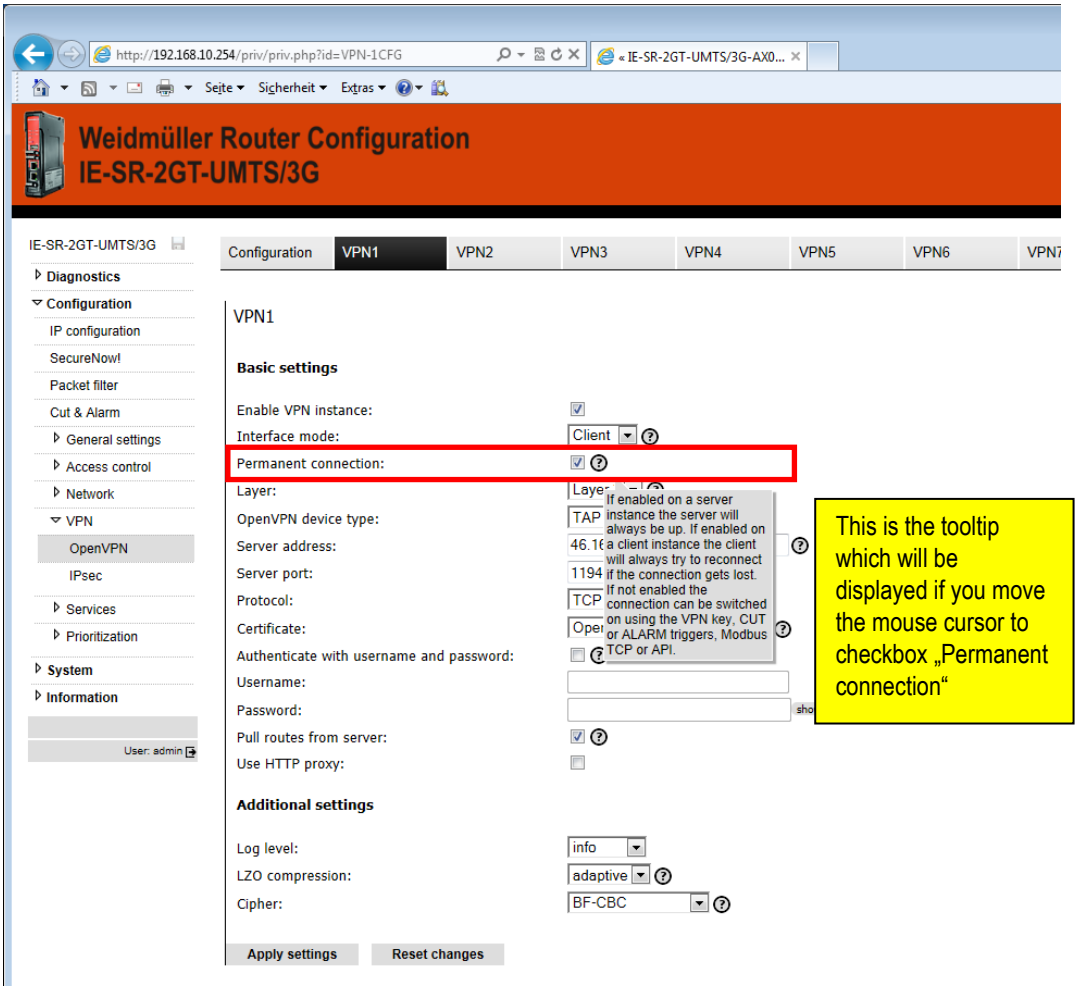
C. Additional application notes

C1- How to start and stop a pre-defined OpenVPN connection by external 24 VDC input

In this example a pre-defined OpenVPN client connection (at tab VPN1) will be configured to be started and stopped by external 24 VDC input.

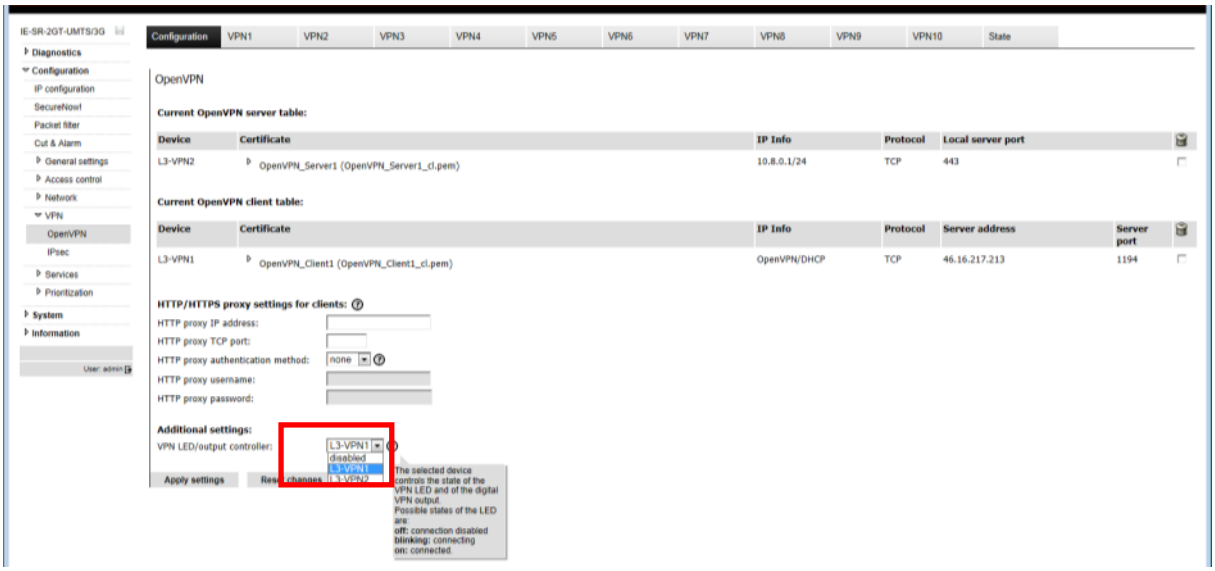
C1.1 Go into the Web-Interface and select OpenVPN menu.
C1.2 Select the configured VPN session (here tab VPN1 as shown below).



C1.3 Disable (Clear) checkbox “Permanent connection”.
→ Now the OpenVPN-Client configuration will not automatically try to connect an OpenVPN-Server but it will start a connection by external 24 VDC input (connector “VPN initiate”). A connected OpenVPN tunnel will be stopped by removing the external 24 VDC input.

C1.4 Click “Apply settings”.

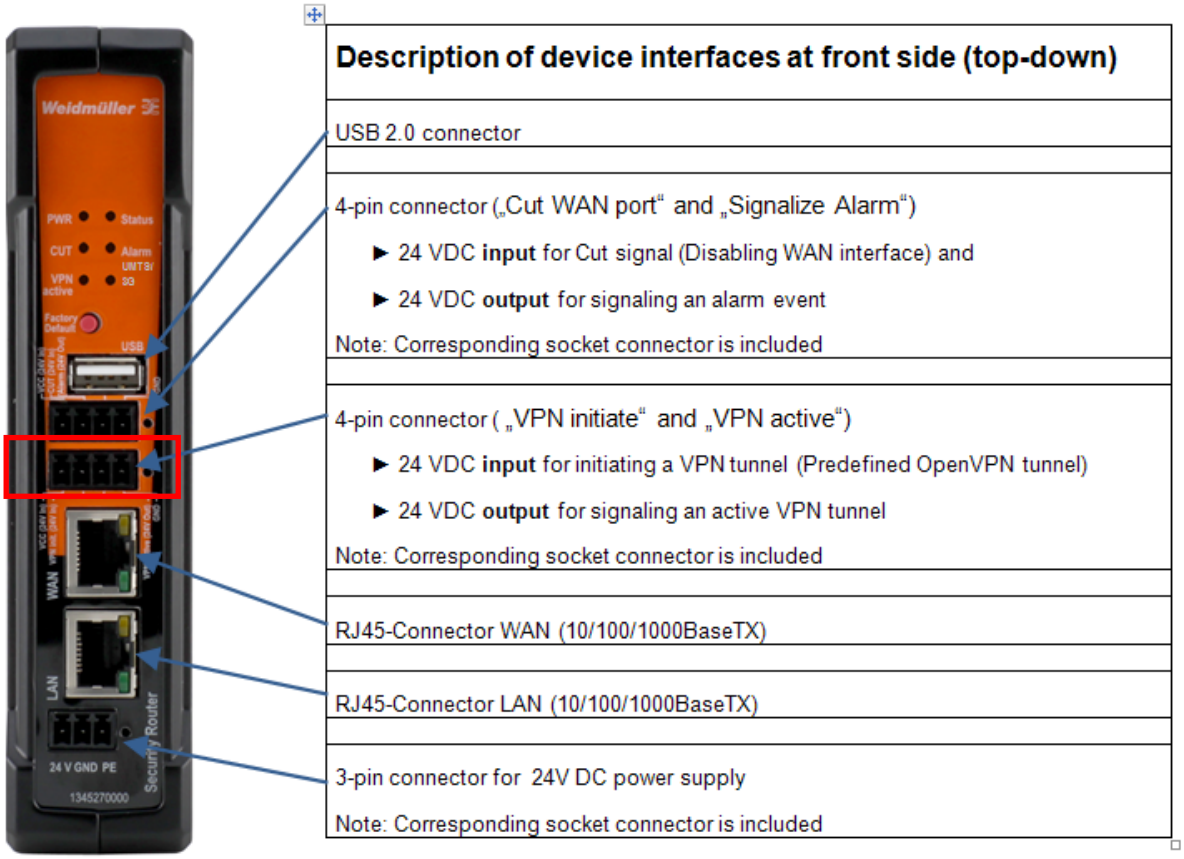
C1.5 If a connected OpenVPN tunnel shall be signalized by LED “VPN” and digital output connector “VPN active”, select tab “Configuration” of OpenVPN menu, goto field “VPN LED / Output Controller” and select the desired VPN tunnel (below screenshot shows selected L3-VPN1 session).



C1.6 Click “Apply settings”

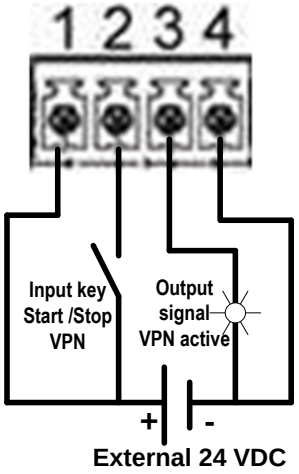
C1.7 To activate the “not permanent” configured OpenVPN connection provide 2 pins of the 4-pin con nector named “VPN initiate / VPN active” with 24 VDC. If you disconnect the power then the VPN tunnel will be closed.

See below described pin assigment.



Pin assignment of 4-pin connector for „VPN initiate“ and „VPN active“

Pin number	SIGNAL NAME
1	24V DC (VCC)
2	Initiate VPN (24 V In)
3	VPN active (24 V Out)
4	GND



C2- Description how to disable the Ethernet connection at WAN port

The Ethernet WAN port can physically disabled using several methods:

Method 1: Hardware-based disconnection (Cut) by external digital input

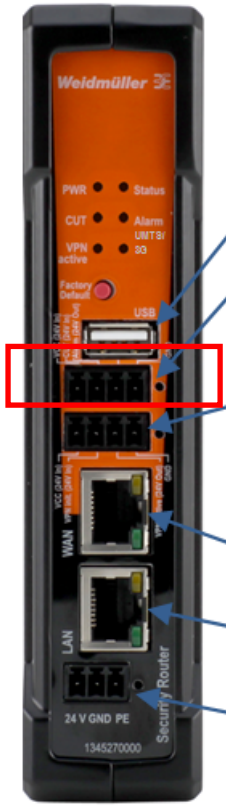
Method 2: Software-based disconnection by a Firewall-rule

Method 3: Software-based disconnection by feature “Client monitoring”

Method 1: Hardware-based disconnection of WAN port by external digital input

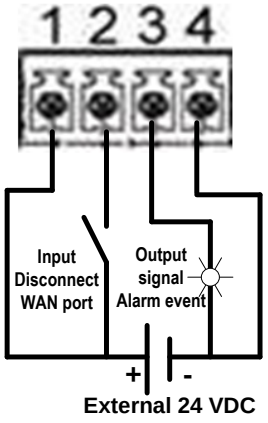
To disconnect the WAN port provide 2 pins of the 4-pin connector named “CUT Wan port / Signalize Alarm” with 24 VDC. If you disconnect the power then the WAN port will be activated again. See below described pin assigment.

Note: Disconnecting the WAN port by digital input overrules the software-based CUT events.



Description of device interfaces at front side (top-down)
USB 2.0 connector
4-pin connector („Cut WAN port“ and „Signalize Alarm“) ► 24 VDC **input** for Cut signal (Disabling WAN interface) and ► 24 VDC **output** for signaling an alarm event Note: Corresponding socket connector is included
4-pin connector („VPN initiate“ and „VPN active“) ► 24 VDC **input** for initiating a VPN tunnel (Predefined OpenVPN tunnel) ► 24 VDC **output** for signaling an active VPN tunnel Note: Corresponding socket connector is included
RJ45-Connector WAN (10/100/1000BaseTX)
RJ45-Connector LAN (10/100/1000BaseTX)
3-pin connector for 24V DC power supply Note: Corresponding socket connector is included

Pin number	SIGNAL NAME
1	24V DC (VCC)
2	Cut (Disabling WAN-Port, 24 V In)
3	Signalize Alarm (24 V Out)
4	GND

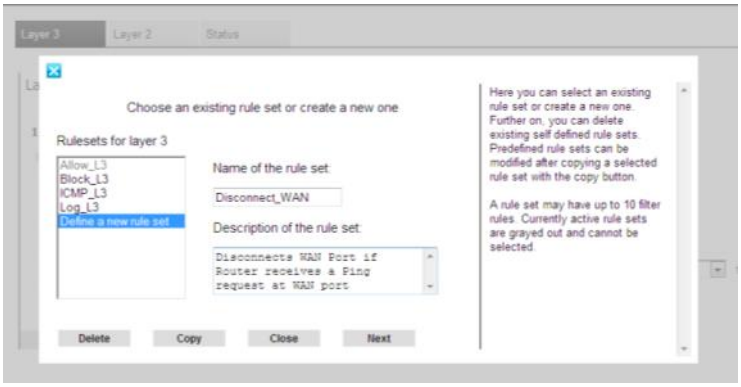


Method 2: Software-based disconnection of WAN port by Firewall-rule

Inside of a Firewall-rule it can be configured that the WAN port will be disconnected if this Firewall-rule matches.

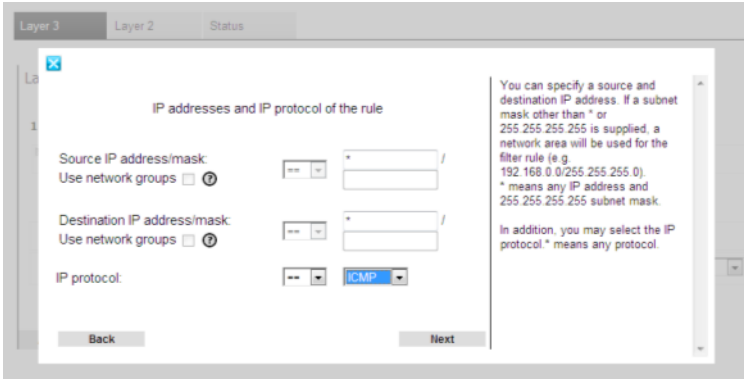
As an example below we create a Firewall-rule which will deactivate the WAN port if a device is sending a ping request incoming into the WAN port and outgoing to a device connected at the LAN port.

C2.1 Goto menu Configuration → Packet filter
C2.2 Click the “+” icon (Add a new rule-set)
C2.3 Mark Define a new rule-set and enter the name and the description of the rule-set as shown below

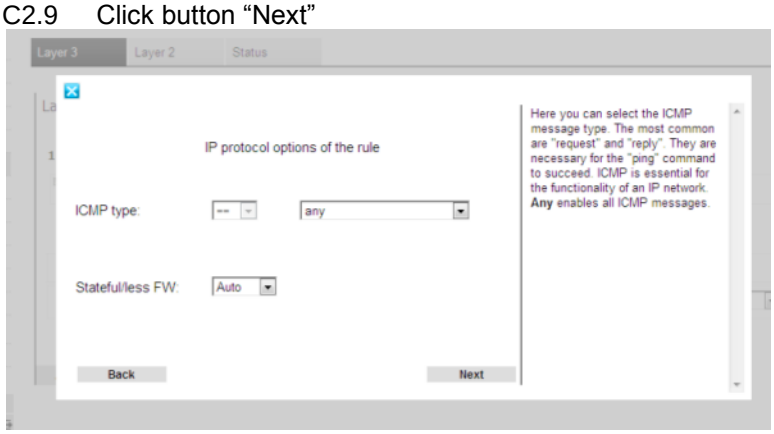


C2.4 Click button “Next”

C2.5 Select Inbound Interface = WAN
C2.6 Click button “Add” to create the first rule of the rule-set “Disconnect_WAN”

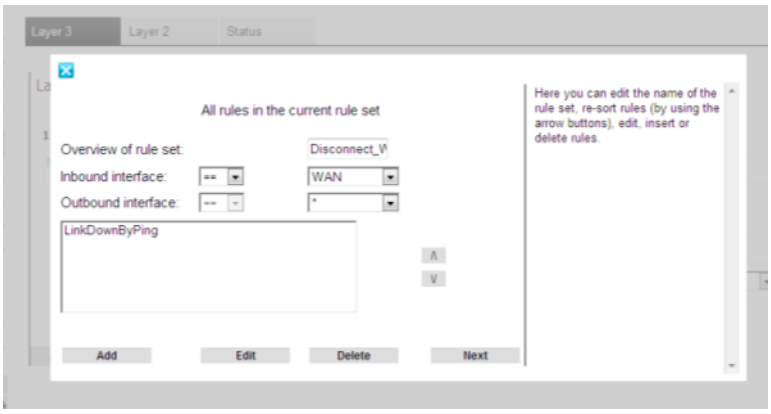


C2.7 Enter * in both fields “Source IP address” and “Destination IP address”
C2.8 Select IP protocol = ICMP
C2.9 Click button “Next”



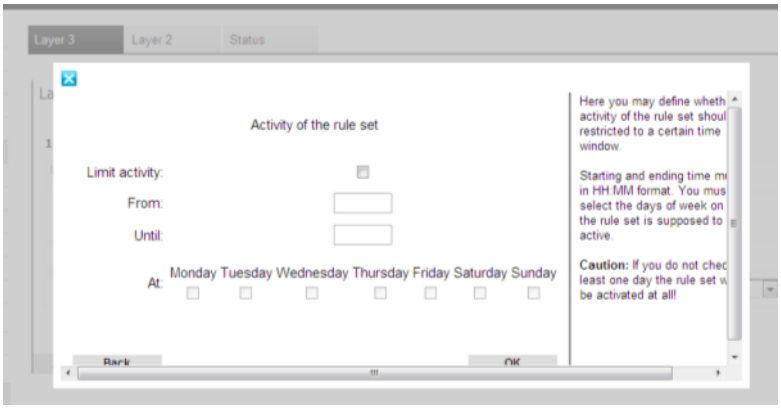
C2.10 Leave “ICMP type” as default (any)
C2.11 Click button “Next”

C2.12 Select “Action” = Cut + Drop
C2.13 Enable checkboxes Log and Alarm to signalize a CUT in the Event-Log and to switch-on the Alarm-LED at frontside of the Router
C2.14 Enter the name of the rule (max. 15 characters)
C2.15 Click button “Next”

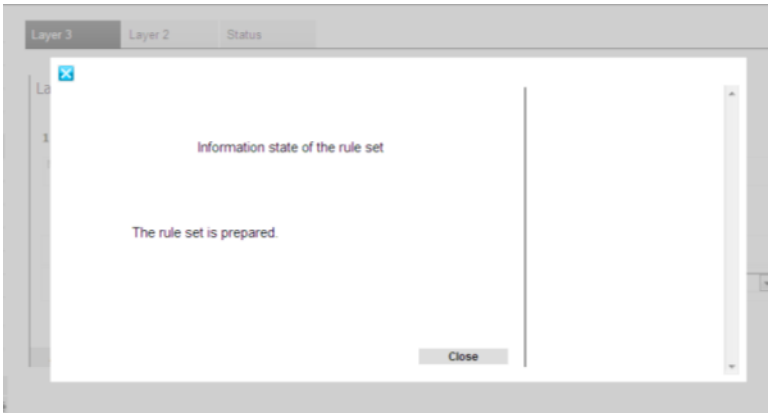


Now the rule “LinkDownByPing” is created. We do not need any further rules.

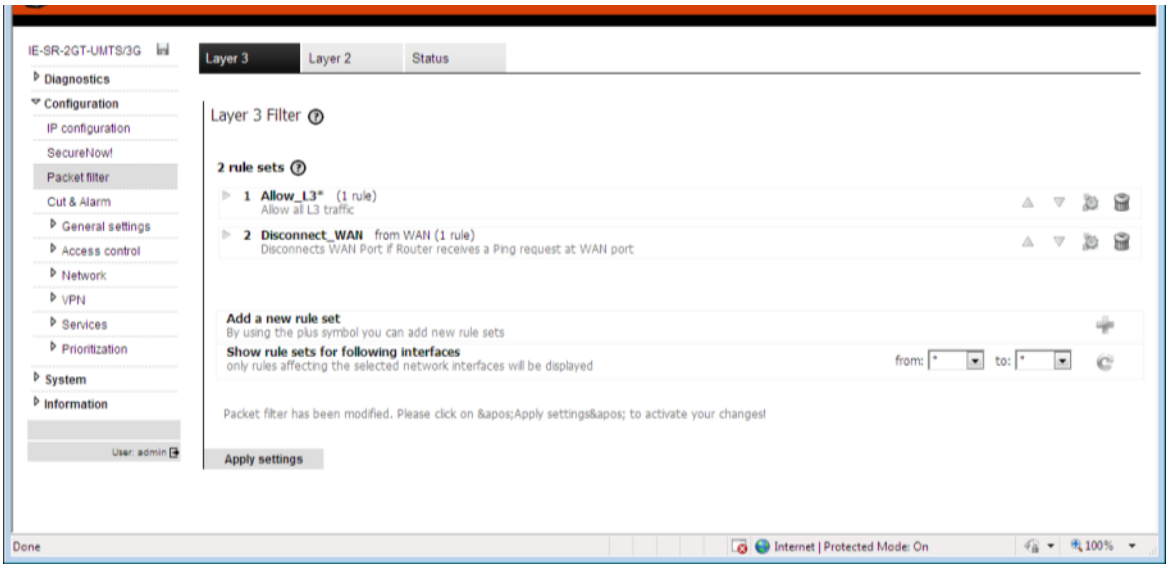
C2.16 Click button Next to finish creating the rule-set



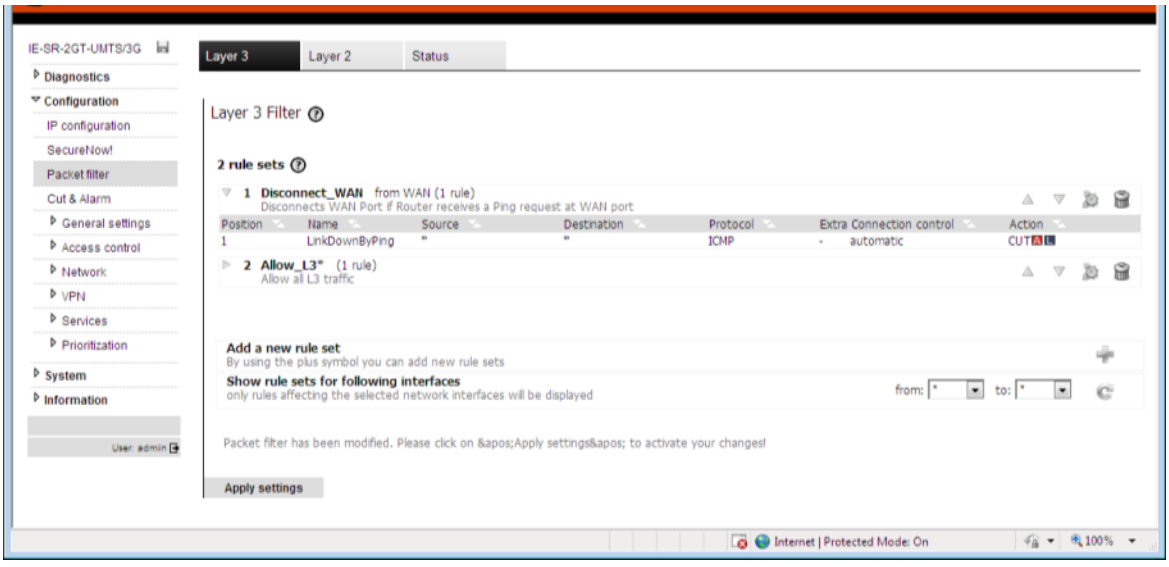
C2.17 Click button “OK” cause we do not set any time limits



C2.18 Click button “Close” to finish the rule-set creation



Now the new rule-set Disconnect_WAN will be displayed in the Layer3-Filter-table. We need to change the position of the new rule-set to top-most cause the Packet filter (Firewall) checks the rules from top to bottom. Due to the fact that the default filter rule “Allow_L3” is always matching for each traffic the new rule-set never would be used.



C2.19 Change the position of rule-set “Disconnect_WAN” to be the topmost by clicking the arrow-icon

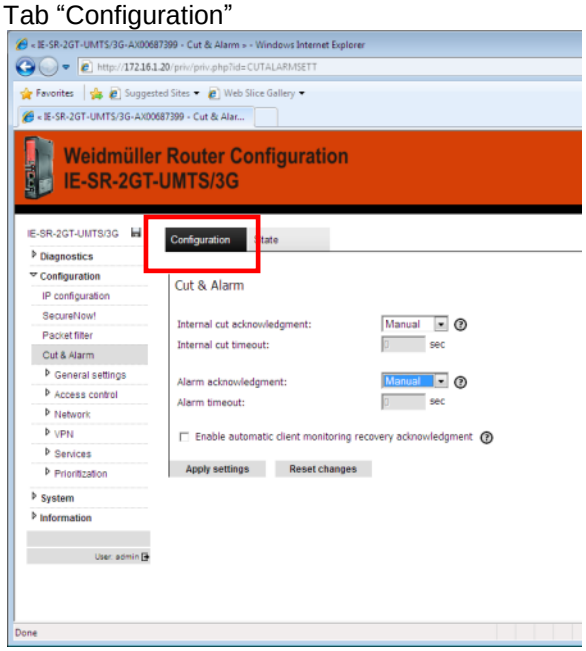
C2.20 Click button “Apply settings” to activate the new firewall-filter

Important:
Before testing the CUT function we have to determine how to re-activate a disconnected WAN port. This has to be done in the menu Cut & Alarm.

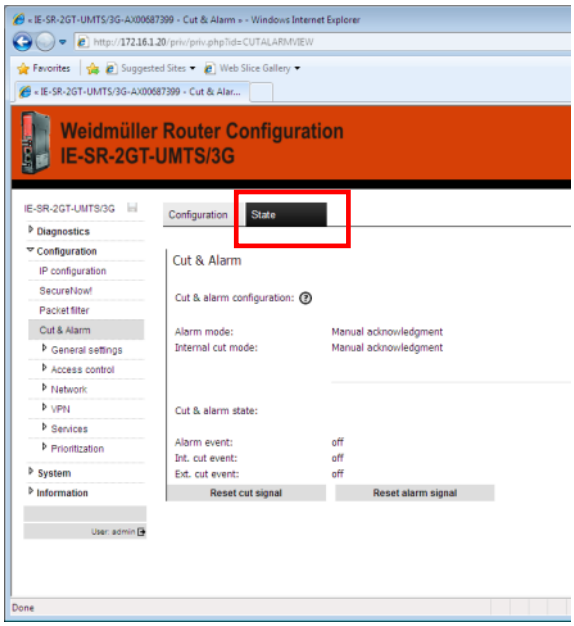
C2.21 Select menu Configuration → Cut & Alarm

By default a triggered CUT or Alarm event has to be **re-set** manually as shown below left. To re-set manually triggered events change to tab State and click buttons “Reset cut signal” and/or “Reset alarm signal”

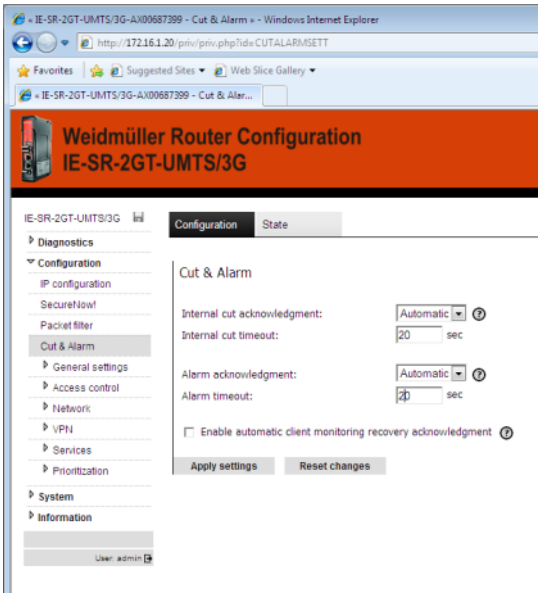
Tab “Configuration”

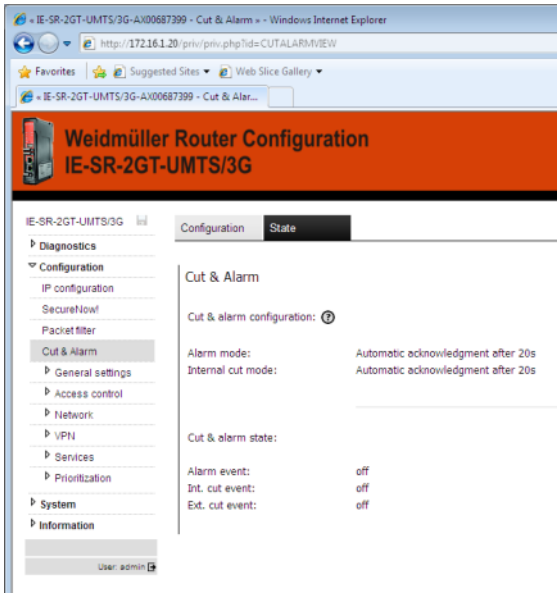


Tab “State”



Alternatively the **re-set** of events can be configured automatically with a selectable time-delay.
The 2 screenshots below show a configured “automatic mode”





C2.22 Set the modes for CUT and Alarm acknowledgement to Automatic

After finishing configuration and applying (don't forget) of the behaviour how to re-set the event, a test of the configured CUT-Firewall-rule can be started.

C2.23 Connect a PC at WAN-Port of the Router.

C2.24 Connect a second PC at LAN-Port of the Router to check what happens when the CUT-event is triggered.

C2.25 Send a Ping request from PC-WAN to PC-LAN.

As result the WAN port should be disabled immediately. In automatic mode you have to wait the delay time until the WAN port is re-activating. In manual mode goto to Routers Web-Interface with PC-LAN, select menu Cut & Alarm, change to tab "State" and click buttons "Reset cut signal" and/or "Reset alarm signal".

Note: Please keep in mind that "pinging" the **IP address of Router's LAN-Port from WAN-network** will **not** trigger the configured Firewall-rule. The Layer-3-Firewall is only working for data packets which have to be transmitted from Router's inbound to outbound interfaces to an external device.

Method 3: Software-based WAN port disconnection by feature "Client monitoring"

The Router has a builtin feature named "Client monitoring" which can be used to test if a connected device is still alive. This will be done by periodically sending a block of 5 ping requests every 50 seconds. If a monitored device is no longer answering then either an internal CUT (disconnect WAN port) or an Alarm (24 VDC digital output) can be triggered.

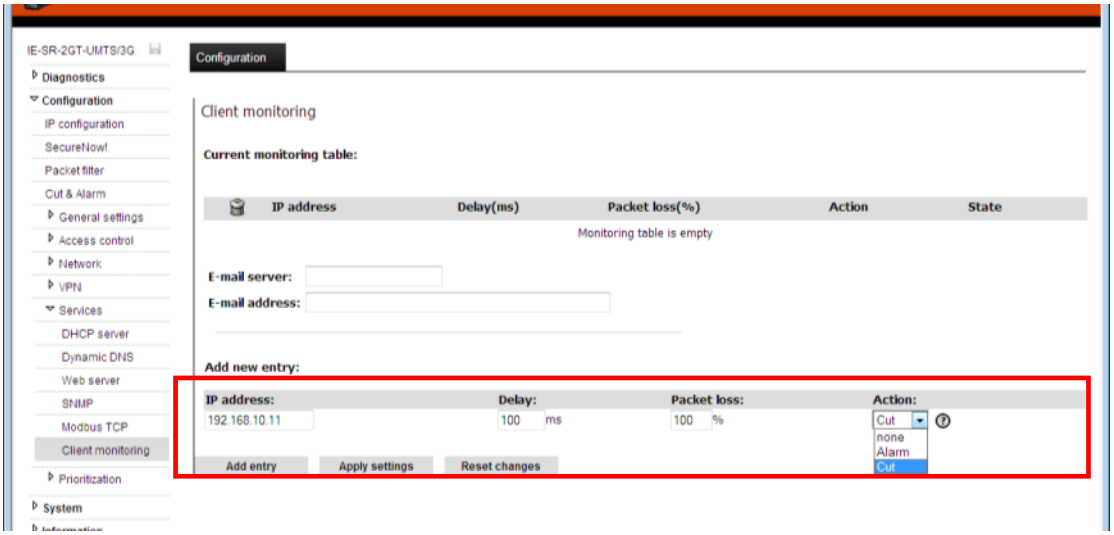
As an example (as shown in the screenshot below) we create an entry to monitor a device with the IP address 192.168.10.11.

C3.1 Goto menu Configuration → Services → Client monitoring

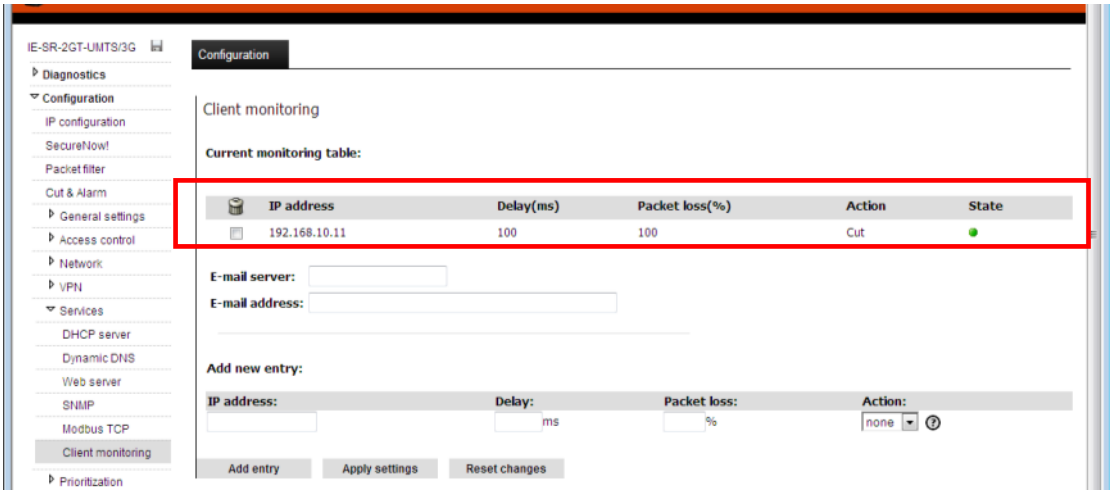
C3.2 Enter into the line of section "Add a new entry" the parameters to monitor a device

- IP address → Device which will be monitored
- Delay (ms) → The Router sends every 50 seconds a block of 5 ping requests to the monitored device. If the average response time (based on 5 ping requests) is longer than the configured Delay-time then this trigger condition will match.
- Packet loss(%) → If the lost share (no response) of 5 ping requests is greater than this configured value then this trigger condition will match.
- Action → As an action "CUT"-WAN-Port or an "Alarm" can be defined. An action will be triggered if one of the parameters *Delay (ms)* or *Packet loss(%)* exceeds the configured values.

Note: If you select the action "CUT" it makes only sense to monitor devices at LAN port due to the fact that the WAN port will be disabled in case of a lost connection.



C3.3 Click button “Add entry”
C3.4 Click button “Apply settings” to activate the new entry



Note: The behaviour of re-setting a triggered (CUT or Alarm) depends on the configuration of the menu Configuration → Cut & Alarm.

Additionally, if the parameter “Enable automatic client monitoring recovery acknowledgment” is activated then the Router will automatically re-activate the WAN port if the monitored device (at LAN port) is accessible again (cause the Router is still checking every 50 seconds by ping request).

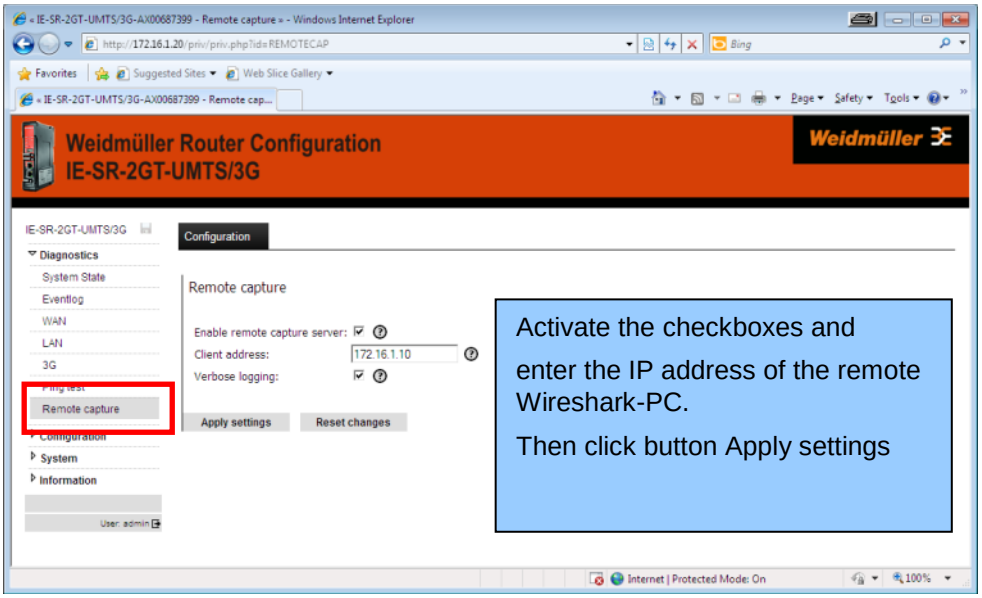
C3- Description how to use the feature “Remote Capture” with Wireshark to analyze the LAN/WAN traffic of the Router

The function “Remote Capture” can be used to record the traffic at Router’s LAN- or WAN port using a remote connected PC running Wireshark. The PC is located somewhere in the network and must be able to access one of the IP addresses of the Router.

Step-by-step guidance

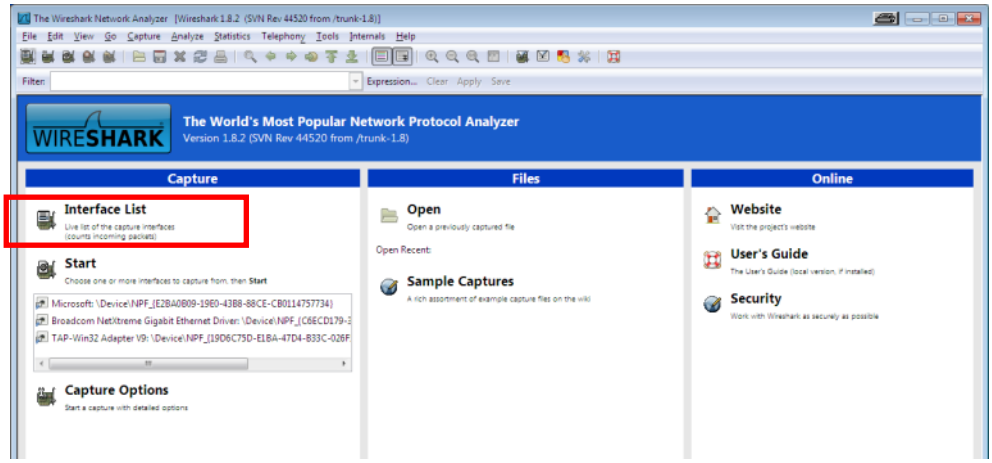
C3.1 Activate the “Remote capture” feature of the Router as shown below (Menu Diagnostics → Remote Capture)

Note: Only one Wireshark-Client-PC (here 172.16.1.10) can be used at the same time record the traffic by Wireshark. Please deactive this feature if you no longer need to analyze the traffic because it has an impact on the performance of the Router.

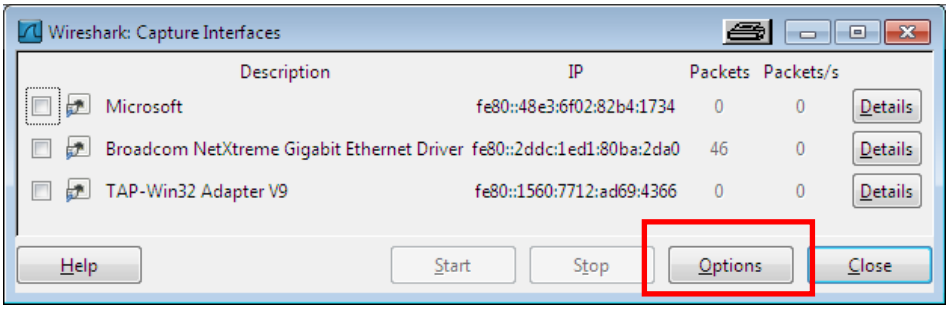


C3.2 Start Wireshark at your PC

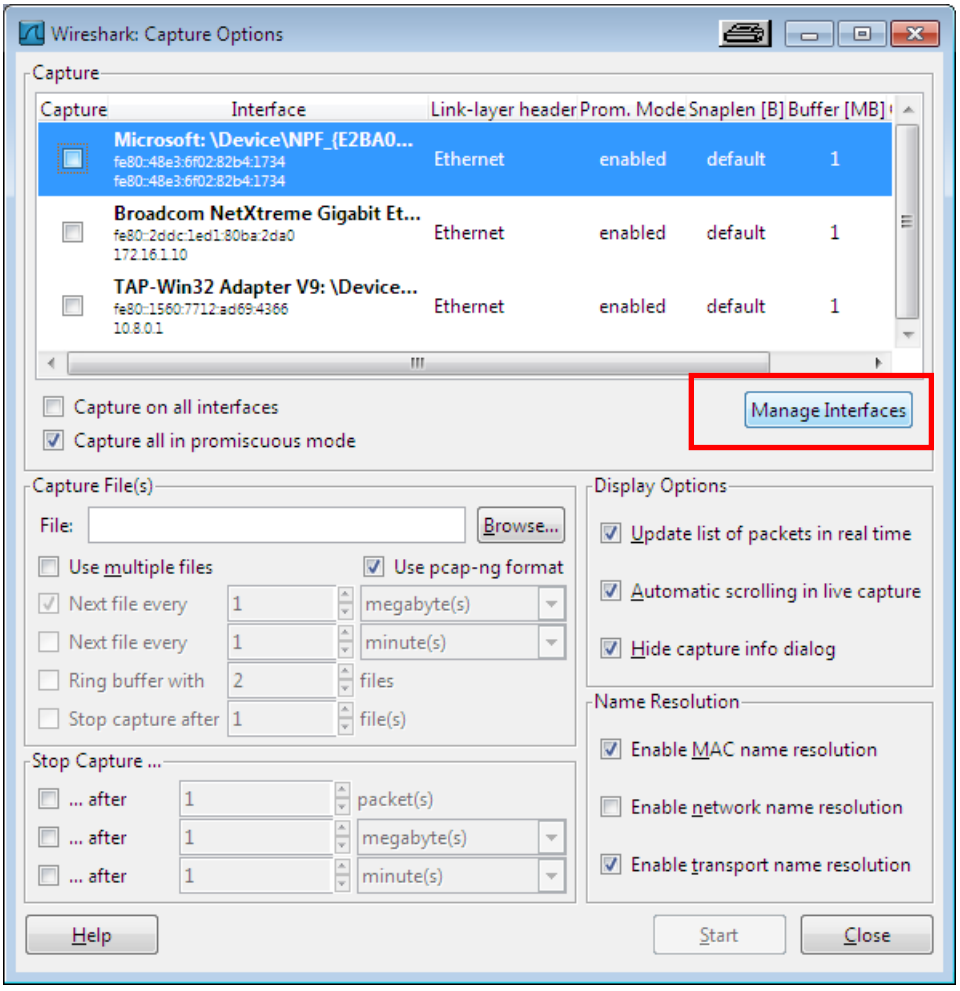
C3.3 Click “Interface list” or alternatively select in the menu “Capture” → “Interfaces”



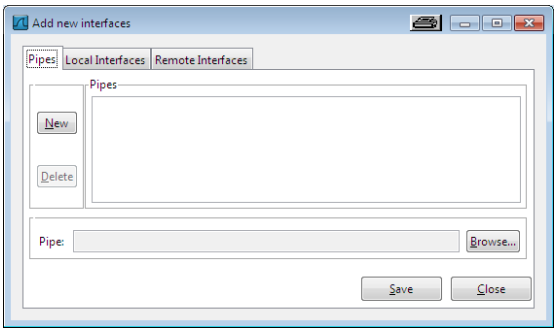
The local Ethernet Interfaces of the computer will be displayed.

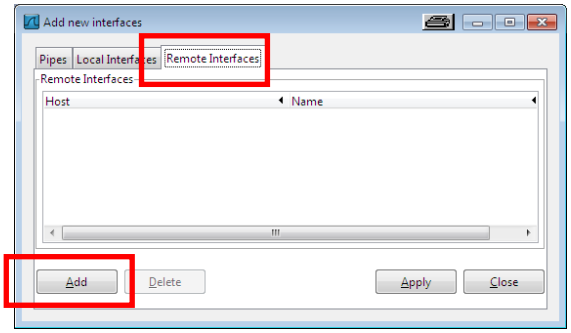


C3.4 Click button “Options”

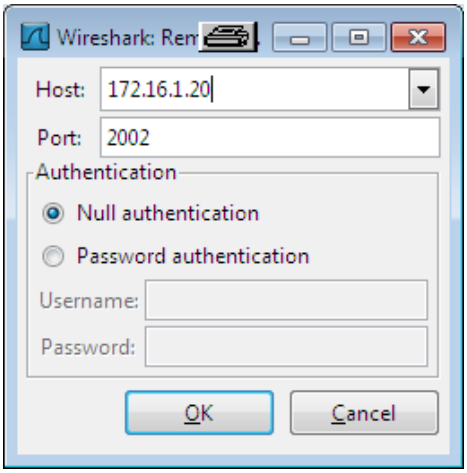


C3.5 Click button “Manage Interfaces” and change to tab “Remote Interfaces”





C3.6 Click button “Add”



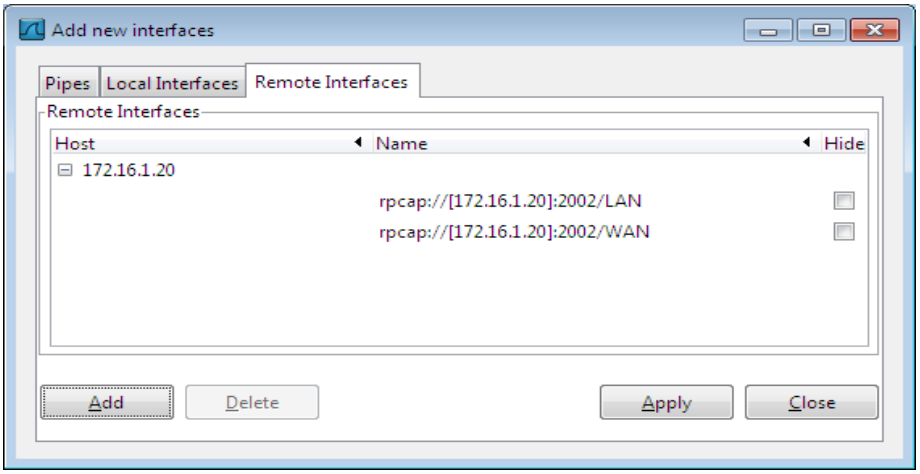
C3.7 Enter into field “Host” the IP address of the Router

Note: You can enter either the IP address of LAN or WAN port. The import fact is that the Routers IP address is accessible by the Wireshark-PC.

C3.8 Enter into field “Port” the value 2002 (will be filled automatically if you enter an IP address)

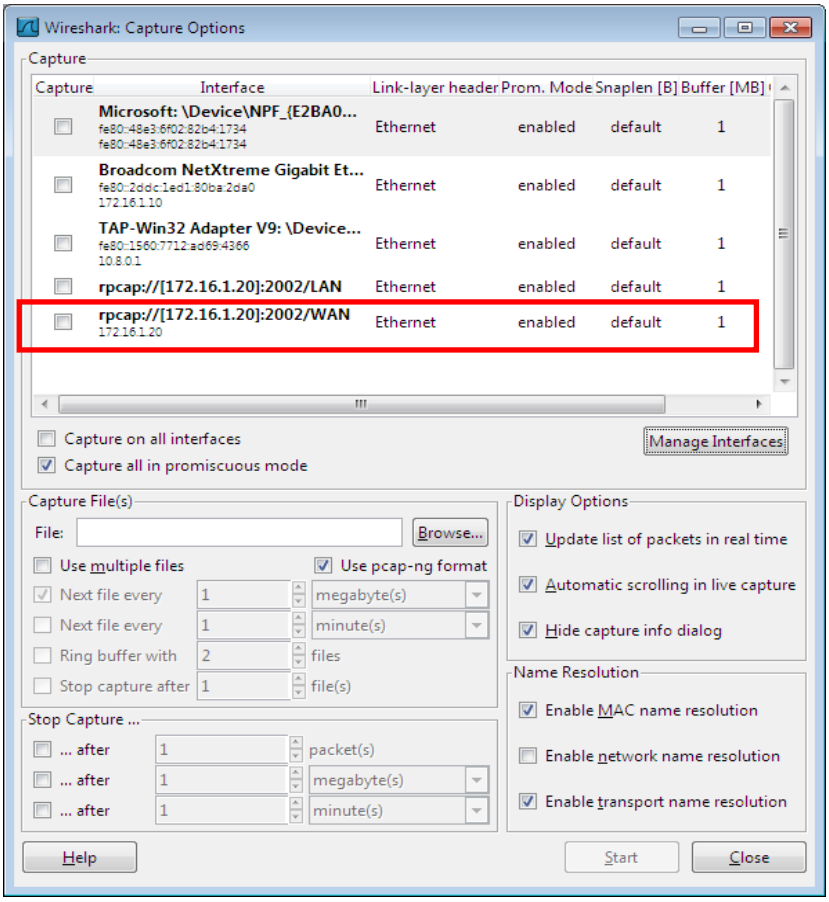
C3.9 Click button OK

Now both Interfaces of the Router (= Host 172.16.1.20) should be displayed.



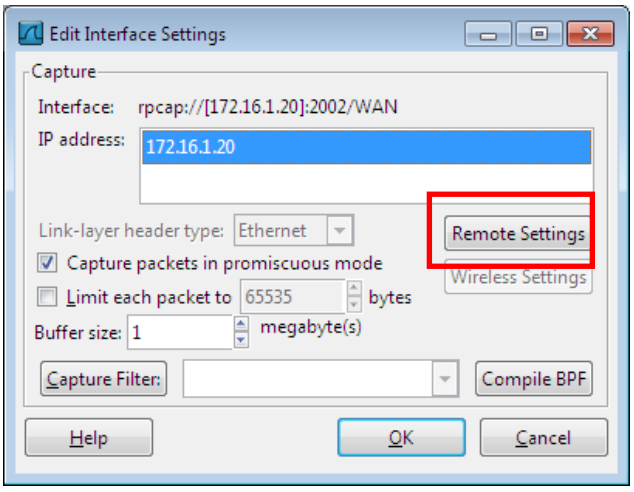
C3.10 Click button Close

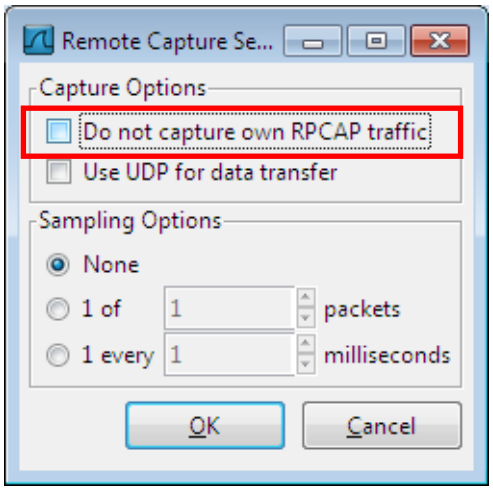
The “remote capture interfaces” will be displayed in the list of selectable interfaces.



In this example we want to capture the traffic at WAN port.

C3.11 Double-Click the line **rpcap//[172.16.1.20]:2002/WAN**



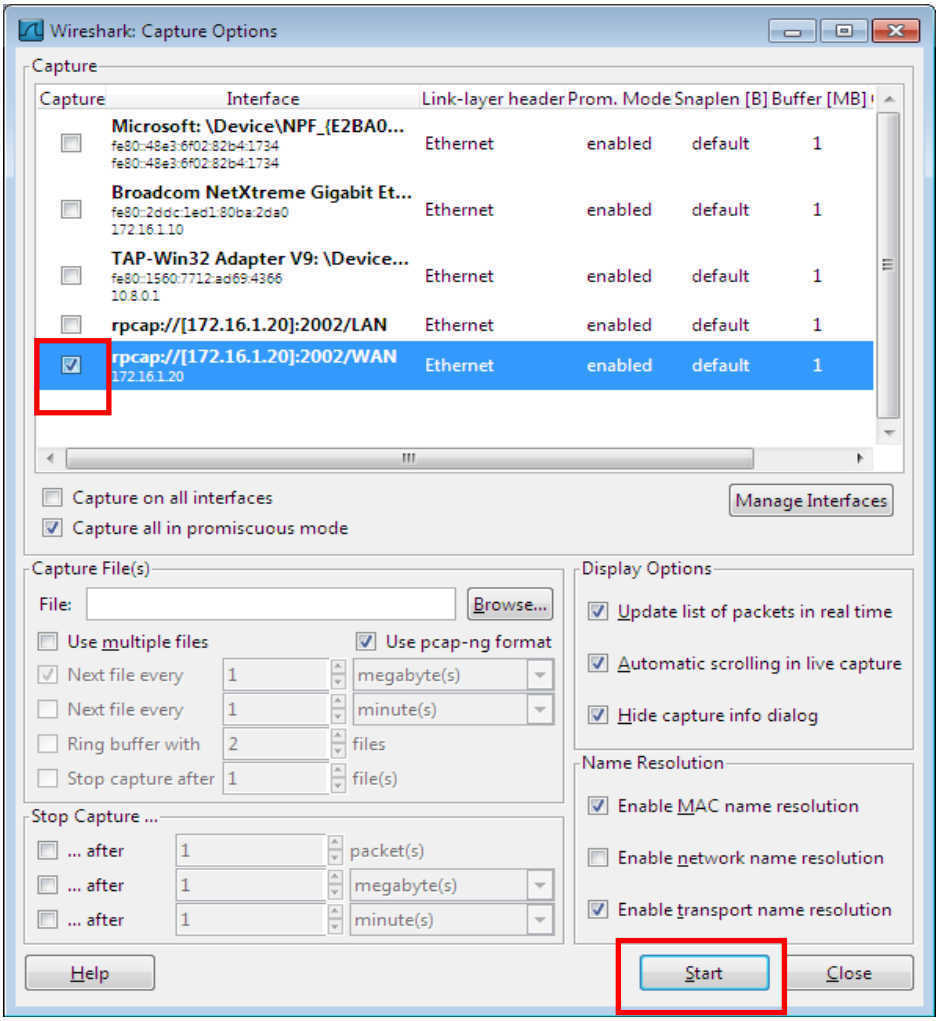


C3.12 Click button “Remote Settings”

C3.13 **Clear** the checkbox “Do not capture own RPCAP traffic”

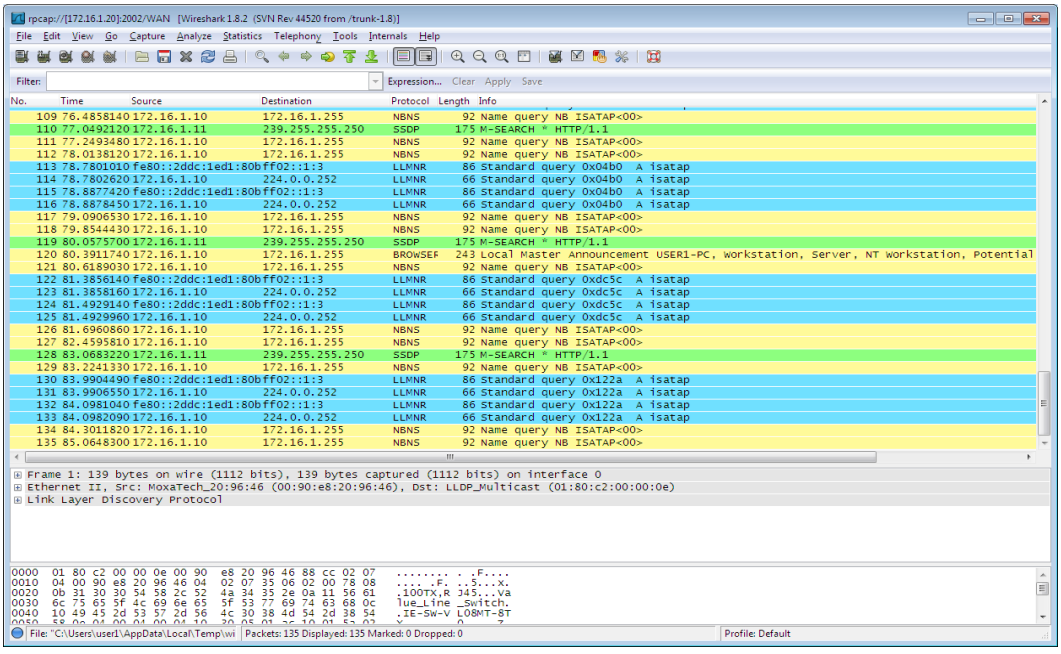
C3.14 Click button “OK”

C3.15 Again click button “OK” to close the window “Edit Interface Settings”



C3.16 Activate the checkbox in line **rpcap//[172.16.1.20]:2002/WAN**

C3.17 Click button “Start” to record the traffic at Routers WAN port

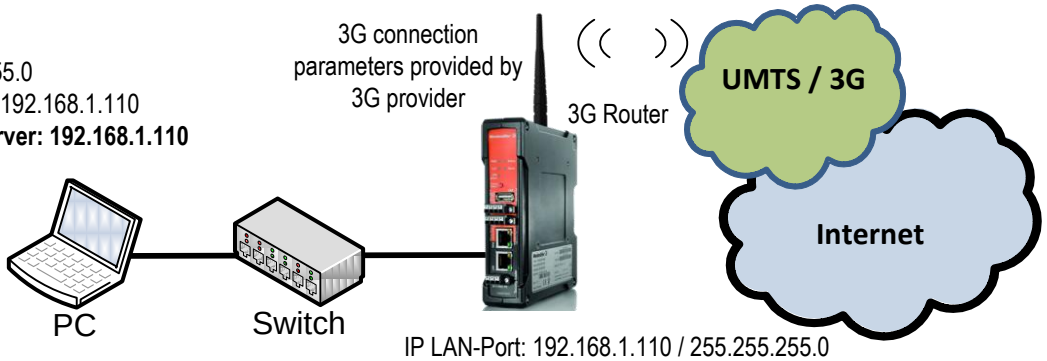


C4- Description how to configure the Internet access of a PC via a 3G Router

This description applies to the Weidmüller Industrial Router IE-SR-2GT-UMTS/3G

Illustration of the application scenario

IP: 192.168.1.99
Subnet: 255.255.255.0
Standard gateway: 192.168.1.110
Preferred DNS-Server: 192.168.1.110



IP LAN-Port: 192.168.1.110 / 255.255.255.0
Default gateway: can be left blank for 3G Internet access

Note: If the 3G connection is online then the default gateway automatically is set to 3G provider. As long as the Router is connected to the Internet a manually configured default gateway will be not used.

Starting situation

- The Router has inserted a SIM card of your local Internet provider (slot labeled 3G at rear side of the Router).
- The Router is set to factory default configuration and connected to the PC via Router's LAN port (IP address 192.168.1.110).

C4.1 Connect the Configuration-PC to Router's LAN port

→ Use autonegotiation on the Ethernet Interface of the PC

C4.2 Change the IP address of the PC to one out of the range 192.168.1.0

→ e.g. IP address 192.168.1.88
Subnet mask 255.255.255.0
Standardgateway 192.168.1.110
Preferred DNS-Server 192.168.1.110

(Do not forget to enter the Router IP address as preferred DNS-Server, otherwise you cannot access Web pages by DNS name, Router is acting as DNS forwarder)

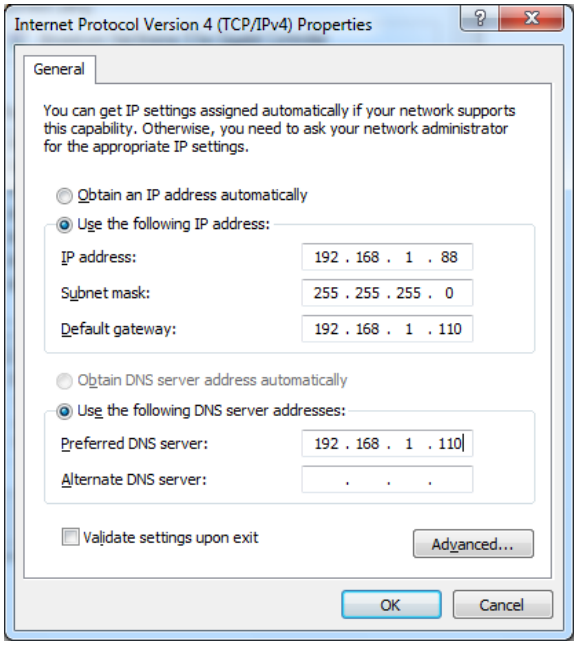


Figure C1: IP settings of PC's LAN interface

C4.3 Start a Web browser and login into the Router Web interface (http://192.168.1.110)

User: admin

Password: Detmold

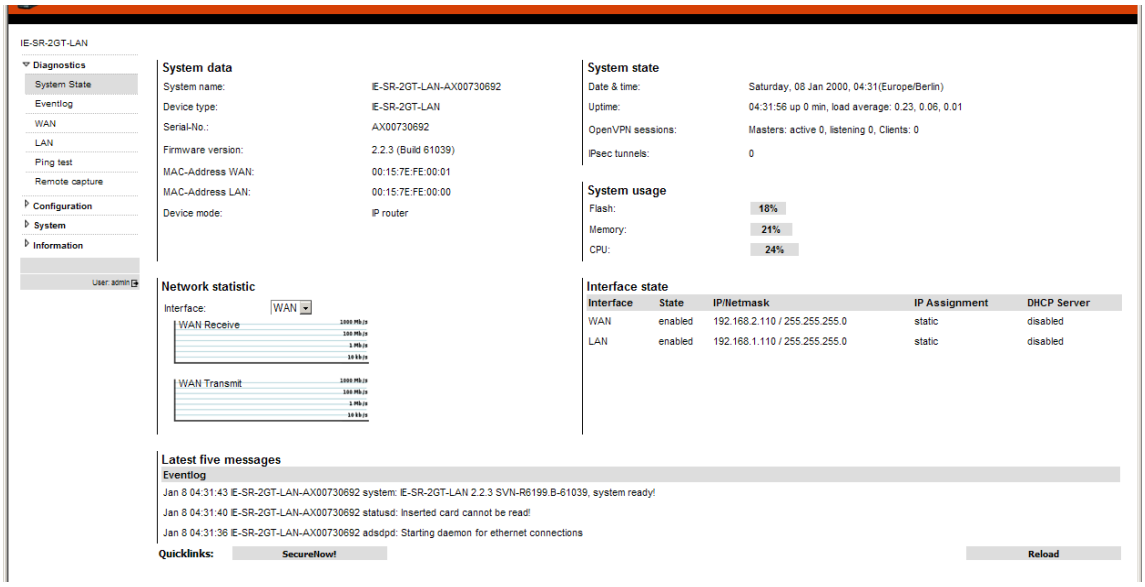


Figure C2: Login page of the Router (equivalent with menu Diagnostics → System State)

C4.4 Configure the 3G connection

► Select menu **Configuration → IP configuration**

► Configure the 3G connection according to the data provided by Internet provider (normally PIN and APN)

Note: In many cases you don't need to fill values into fields „username" and „password". If your provider does not use „username" and „password" please leave them blank.

You don't have to configure a Default gateway because the default gateway automatically is set to 3G provider if the 3G connection is online. As long as the Router is connected to the Internet (Status = online) a manually configured default gateway will be not used.

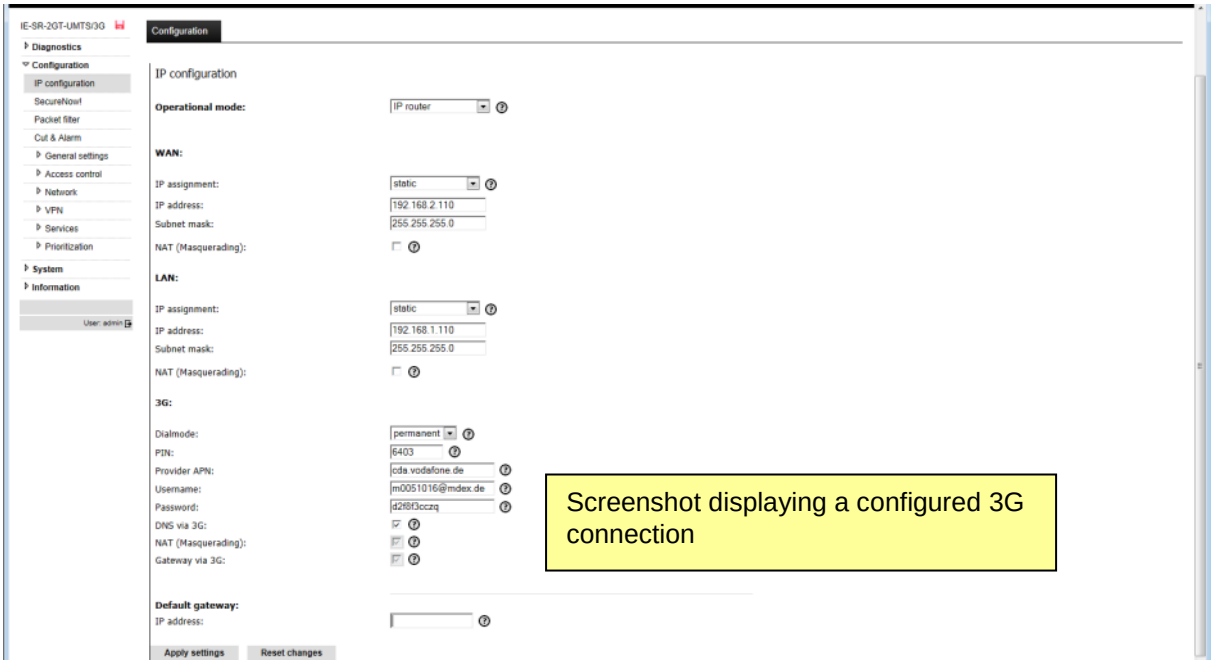


Figure C3: Screenshot of menu **IP configuration**

► Click button “Apply settings” to activate the new settings.

Now the Router tries to connect to the Internet. Please wait some seconds.

C4.5 Evaluating a successful Internet connection

► Select menu **Diagnostics → Event**

The event log displays the result of initiating the 3G Internet connection.

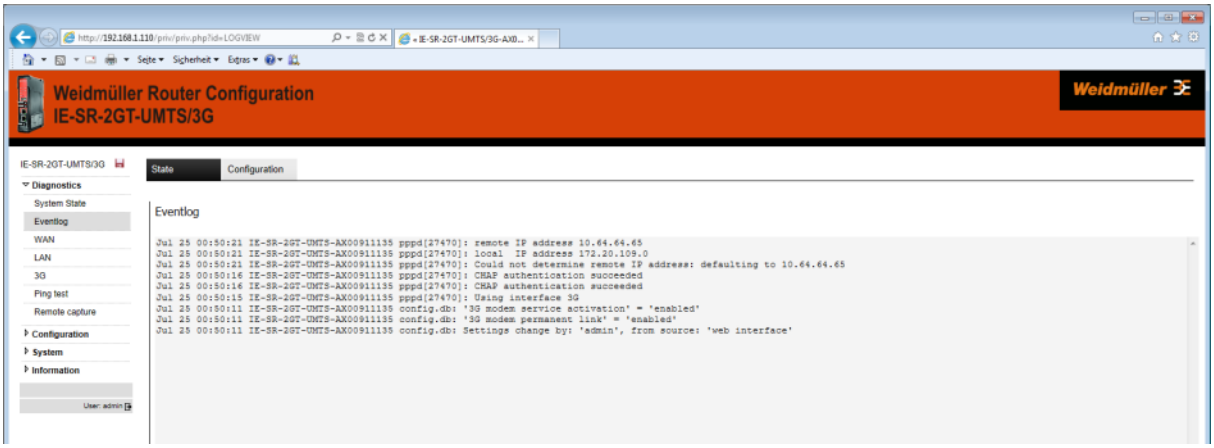


Figure C4: Screenshot of event log

► Select menu **Diagnostics → 3G**

This menu shows the current status of the 3G connection.

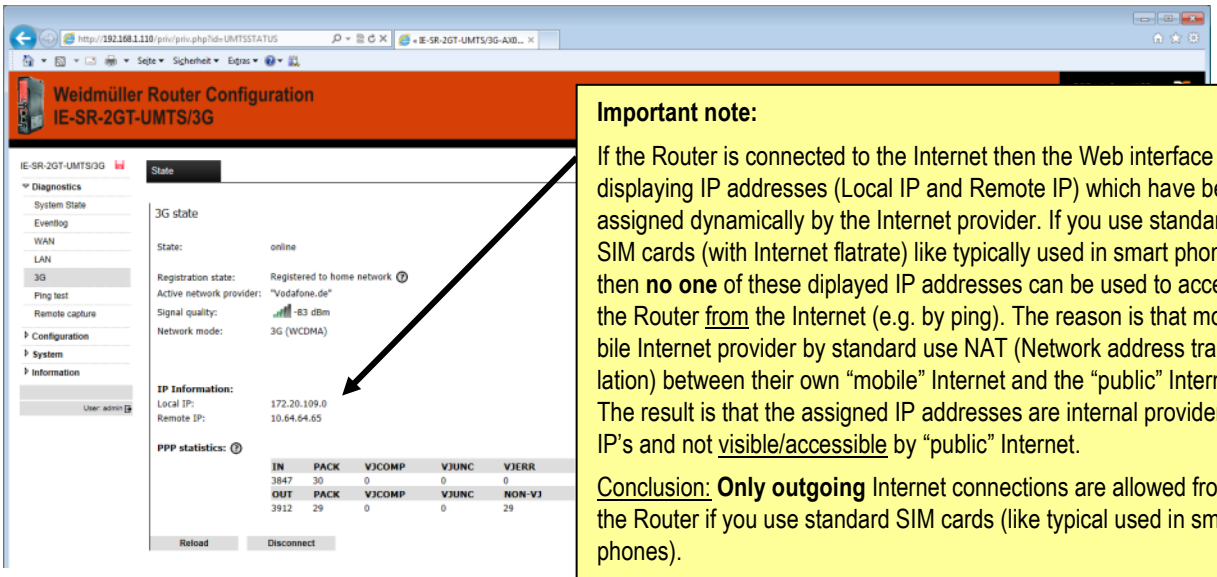


Figure C5: Screenshot of status of 3G connection

Important note:

If the Router is connected to the Internet then the Web interface is displaying IP addresses (Local IP and Remote IP) which have been assigned dynamically by the Internet provider. If you use standard SIM cards (with Internet flatrate) like typically used in smart phones then **no one** of these diplayed IP addresses can be used to access the Router from the Internet (e.g. by ping). The reason is that mobile Internet provider by standard use NAT (Network address translation) between their own “mobile” Internet and the “public” Internet. The result is that the assigned IP addresses are internal provider IP’s and not visible/accessible by “public” Internet.

Conclusion: **Only outgoing** Internet connections are allowed from the Router if you use standard SIM cards (like typical used in smart phones).

If the 3G-Router needs to be accessed **from** the Internet (eg. beeing a VPN server) then you have to use a SIM Card which explicitly is assigned with a static and public accessible IP address by the provider (eg. m2m SIM cards for machine-to-machine communication). Please clarify with your local mobile providers what they are offering regarding data SIM cards with a static and public accessible IP address.

If the Router successfully is connected to the Internet (online) you now can try to open any Internet Web page by the connected PC.