SYSTEM

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1 System Menu

The fields of the SYSTEM menu are described below.

```
VPN Access 25 Setup Tool
                                    Bintec Access Networks GmbH
[SYSTEM]: Change System Parameters
                                                   MyGateway
System Name
                            vpn25
Local PPP ID (default)
                            vpn25
Location
                            European Union
Contact
                            BINTEC
Syslog Output on Serial Sonsole
                                       no
Message Level for the Syslog Table
                                      info
Maximum Number of Syslog Entries
                                       50
External Activity Monitor >
External System Logging >
Schedule & Monitor >
Password Settings >
Time and Date >
        SAVE
                              CANCEL
```

The **System** menu is used for e.g. entering the basic system data of your gateway.

The **System** menu consists of the following fields:

Field	Description
System Name	Defines the system name of your gateway; is also used as PPP host name. Appears as input prompt when logging in to the device. The device type is entered as default value.
Local PPP ID (default)	This entry is necessary to identify your gateway if the remote gateway requests the PPP ID before the gateway has identified itself to the remote terminal. The device type is entered as default value.

Field	Description	
Location	Indicates where your gateway is located. Default value: European Union	
	Is shown, for example, on the HTML system information page or in the login message.	
Contact	Indicates the responsible contact person. Here you can enter the e-mail address of the system administrator, for example.	
	Default value: BINTEC.	
	Is shown, for example, on the HTML system information page.	
Syslog Output on Serial Console	Enables the display of syslog messages on the PC connected to the serial interface of the VPN Access gateway. Use this setting only if you make a fault analysis, as a very large output over the serial console adversely affects the throughput of the other interfaces.	
	You should normally use EXTERNAL SYSTEM LOGGING . Possible values:	
	■ yes	
	no (default value)	

Field	Description	
Message Level for the Syslog Table	Specifies the priority of the syslog messages to be recorded internally. Possible values:	
	emerg: emergency messages (highest pri- ority)	
	alert: alert messages	
	crit: critical messages	
	err: error messages	
	warning: warning messages	
	notice: notice messages	
	■ info: info messages (default value)	
	■ debug: debug messages (lowest priority)	
	Syslog messages are only recorded internally if they have a higher or identical priority to that indicated, i.e. all messages generated are recorded at syslog level <i>debug</i> .	
Maximum Number of Syslog Entries	Maximum number of syslog messages saved internally in the VPN Access gateway (possible values: 0 1000).	
	Default value: 50.	
	You can show the saved messages in the Setup Tool under <i>Monitoring and Debugging</i> → <i>Messages</i> .	

Table 1-1: **System** menu fields

2 Submenu External Activity Monitor

The fields of the EXTERNAL ACTIVITY MONITOR submenu are described below.

VPN Access 25 Setup Tool [SYSTEM]: [ACTIVMON]: External Activity	Bintec Access Networks GmbH Monitor MyGateway
Client UDP Port Type	255.255.255.255 2107 off 5
SAVE	CANCEL

The **System > EXTERNAL ACTIVITY MONITOR** menu contains the settings necessary for monitoring your **VPN Access** gateway with the Windows Activity Monitor tool (part of **BRICKware for Windows**).

Purpose

The **Activity Monitor** enables Windows users to monitor the activities of the gateway. Important information about the status of physical interfaces (e.g. ISDN line) and virtual interfaces (e.g. WAN partner) is easily obtained with one tool. A permanent overview of the utilization of the gateway is possible.

Method of operation

A Status Daemon collects information about the gateway and transfers it in the form of UDP packets to the broadcast address of the first LAN interface (default setting) or to an explicitly entered IP address. One packet is sent per time interval, which can be adjusted individually to values from 1 - 60 seconds. Up to 100 physical and virtual interfaces can be monitored, provided the packet size of 4,096 bytes is not exceeded. The Activity Monitor on your PC receives the packets and can display the information contained in them in various ways according to configuration.

Activate the **Activity Monitor** as follows:

- Configure the relevant gateway(s) to be monitored.
- Start and configure the Windows application on your PC (see BRICKware for Windows).



Avoid configuring a WAN partner that can be reached over an ISDN dialup connection as *CLIENT IP ADDRESS*. This can cause high costs through frequently setting up ISDN connections.

The **EXTERNAL ACTIVITY MONITOR** menu consists of the following fields:

Field	Description	
Client IP Address	IP address to which the gateway sends the UDP packets.	
	The default value 255.255.255.255 means that the broadcast address of the first LAN interface is used.	
Client UDP Port	Port number for the Bintec Activity Monitor (default value: 2107, registered by IANA - Internet Assigned Numbers Authority).	
Туре	Type of information sent in the UDP packets to the Windows application. Possible values:	
	off: Deactivates the Activity Monitor (default value)	
	physical: Only information about physical interfaces	
	physical_virt: Information about physical and virtual interfaces	
Update Interval (sec)	Update interval in seconds. Possible values: 0 to 60 (default value: 5).	
	The value 0 deactivates the function.	

Table 2-1: EXTERNAL ACTIVITY MONITOR menu fields

3 Submenu External System Logging

The fields of the EXTERNAL SYSTEM LOGGING submenu are described below.

The **System** → **External System Logging** menu shows the log host settings.

VPN Access 25 Setup Tool [SYSTEM] [LOGGING] [ADD]		Bintec Access Networks GmbH MyGateway
Log Host Level Facility Type Timestamp	info local0 all none	
SAVE		CANCEL

Events in the various subsystems of the gateway (e.g. >> ISDN, >> PPP, etc.) are logged in the form of syslog messages (system logging messages), see "System Menu" on page 3.

The number of messages visible depends on the level set (eight steps from *emerg* and *info* to *debug*).

In addition to the data logged internally on the gateway, all information can and should also be passed to one or more external PCs for storage and processing, e.g. to the system administrator's PC. The syslog messages saved internally on the gateway are lost on a restart.



Avoid forwarding syslog messages to log hosts reached over a dialup connection. This can cause considerable costs.

Make sure you only pass syslog messages to a safe computer. Check the data regularly and ensure that there is always enough spare capacity available on the hard disk of your PC.

Syslog Daemon

All Unix operating systems support the recording of syslog messages. For Windows PCs, the Syslog Daemon included in the **DIME Tools** can record the data and distribute to various files depending on the contents (see **BRICKware for Windows**).

The settings for saving syslog messages externally are made in SYSTEM → EXTERNAL SYSTEM LOGGING → ADD/EDIT.

The **EXTERNAL SYSTEM LOGGING** → **ADD/EDIT** menu consists of the following fields:

Field	Description	
Log Host	➤➤IP address of the host to which syslog messages are passed.	
Level	Priority of the syslog messages to be sent to Log Host. The possible values correspond to those in "Message Level for the Syslog Table" on page 5	
	Only syslog messages with the same or higher priority than indicated are passed to the Log Host , i.e. all the messages created are passed to the Log Host in syslog Level Debug.	
Facility	Syslog facility at Log Host . Only required if the Log Host is a Unix computer.	
	Possible values: <i>local0 - 7</i> (default value <i>local0</i>).	
Туре	Message type. Possible values:	
	all: All messages (default value)	
	system: Syslog messages exceptaccounting messages.	
	accounting: Accounting messages	

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Field	Description
Timestamp	Format of the system time of the VPN Access gateway in the syslog. Possible values:
	all: System time with date
	■ time: System time without date
	none: No system time shown (default value)

Table 3-1: EXTERNAL SYSTEM LOGGING menu fields

4 Submenu Schedule & Monitor

The fields of the SCHEDULE & MONITOR submenu are described below.

The **SCHEDULE & MONITOR** menu offers access to other submenus:

- KEEPALIVE MONITORING (HOSTS & IFC)
- EVENT SCHEDULER (TIME & SNMP)

4.1 Submenu Keepalive Monitoring (Hosts & Ifc)

The **System** → **Schedule & Monitor** → **Keepalive Monitoring** menu contains settings for the "Keepalive Monitoring" feature.

Example scenario

If you have connected two (or more) LANs over a dialup connection, e.g. between the LAN of the head office and the LAN of a branch office, a central server is frequently located in the LAN at the head office. If this central server is configured such that it regularly sets up WAN connections to the gateway in the LAN of the branch office, e.g. for updating data, these connections are superfluous (but not free) if none of the hosts in the branch office can be reached, e.g. because all PCs are switched off. As it is not possible to determine whether the hosts can be reached until the connection is set up, costs are incurred by the calling party, i.e. the head office.

The Keepalive Monitoring function enables you to configure the gateway in the branch office to avoid unnecessary WAN connections from the head office to the branch office. The gateway of the branch office checks at regular, adjustable intervals to see whether the hosts to be monitored in its LAN can be reached. If none of the hosts to be checked answers a corresponding request after three consecutive attempts, the gateway deactivates the interface to the WAN partner at the "head office". Calls from the head office to unreachable hosts are not accepted in the first place and no costs are incurred.



In some countries (e.g. Switzerland), costs may still occur for these useless dialin attempts in spite of using Keepalive Monitoring.

If all PCs in the LAN at the branch office were inactive, a connection to the head office is not set up automatically as soon as one of the PCs to be monitored is switched on. The interface to the "head office" WAN partner is not activated and a connection cannot be set up to the head office until the gateway in the branch office has registered that a PC can be reached. The amount of time that expires before the gateway indicates that a PC can be reached again depends on the monitoring interval set (INTERVAL).



The corresponding remote terminal, e.g. the head office, must be identifiable in the gateway of the branch office using CLID (Calling Line Identification). If this is not the case, the described benefit of Keepalive Monitoring is not available.

Keepalive Monitoring cannot be configured in the gateway for WAN partners that are authenticated via a RADIUS server!

SYSTEM → SCHEDULE & MONITOR → KEEPALIVE MONITORING lists the hosts and interfaces monitored by Keepalive Monitoring. The reachability of the hosts is listed under STATE: alive if the host was reachable on the last check, down if the host was not reachable.

The **What to Monitor:** menu is used to set whether the configuration is made for *hosts* or *interfaces*.

WHAT TO MONITOR: hosts

VPN Access 25 Setup Tool [SYSTEM] [KEEPALIVE MONITORING] [ADD]: Host		Bintec Access Networks GmbH Monitoring MyGateway
Group	0	
IPAddress		
Interval	300	
Source IP		
DownAction	down	
FirstIfIndex	10001	
Range	4999	
SAVE		CANCEL

If *hosts* has been selected, the *Keepalive Monitoring* \rightarrow *ADD/EDIT* menu consists of the following fields:

Field	Description
Group	Defines a group of hosts, whose reachability is to be monitored by the VPN Access gateway. Each host to be monitored is assigned to a group. A total of 256 groups can be created. Possible values: 0 (default value) 255.
IP Address	Defines a host that is to be monitored by the VPN Access gateway.
Interval	Defines the time interval in seconds to be used for checking the reachability of hosts. Possible values: 1 65536 (default value: 300 s). The smallest INTERVAL of the group members is used within a group.
Source IP	The IP address that the gateway uses as source address of the packet sent to the host to be monitored.

Field	Description	
DownAction	Defines how the status of the VPN Access gateway interfaces selected in <i>FirstIrINDEX</i> and <i>RANGE</i> is set if all hosts in a group are not reachable. Possible values:	
	down: Interfaces are deactivated, i.e. admin status is set to down. (Default value)	
	none: No action, i.e. admin status is set to up.	
	■ up: Interfaces are activated.	
	The status of the interfaces is set to the original value again when at least one host in a group can be reached again.	
	Note: DownAction must be configured identically within a group!	
FirstlfIndex	Defines the first interface of an interface range in the VPN Access gateway, for which the action (<i>down</i> or <i>up</i>) defined under DOWNACTION is to be executed.	
	Possible values: 100 65536	
	Default value: 10001	
	Interfaces with indices from 10001 to 14999 are provided for dialup connections to WAN partners. You can find the indices of the interfaces with, for example, the command ifstat.	

Field	Description
Range	Defines the range of interfaces in the VPN Access gateway, for which the action defined under DownAction is to be executed.
	Default value: 4999
	If you set FIRSTIFINDEX = 10001 and RANGE = 0, only the interface with the index 10001 is affected.
	If you set FIRSTIFINDEX = 10001 and RANGE = 19, the interfaces with the indices 10001 to 10020 are affected.

Table 4-1: Fields in **KEEPALIVE MONITORING** hosts menu

WHAT TO MONITOR: Interfaces

VVPN Access 2 [SYSTEM] [KEEP	5 Setup Tool PALIVE MONITORING][ADD]:	Bintec Access Networks GmbH Interface Monitoring MyGateway
Interface Trigger Action	0 down none	
s	SAVE	CANCEL

If What to monitor: interfaces has been selected, the KEEPALIVE MONITORING
→ ADD/EDIT menu consists of the following fields:

Field	Description	
Interface	Defines the interface to be monitored in the VPN Access gateway.	
	Enter the interface <i>INDEX</i> here. The <i>INDEX</i> can be determined, for example, with the command ifstat.	
	Default value: 0	
Trigger	Defines the status of <i>Interface</i> , which initiates a certain <i>Action</i> . Possible values:	
	down: Interface is deactivated (default value)	
	■ up: Interface is activated	

Field	Description	
Action	Defines the action that is to follow the status defined in <i>TRIGGER</i> . The action is executed on the interface range from <i>FIRSTIFINDEX</i> and <i>FIRSTIFINDEX</i> + <i>RANGE</i> .	
	Possible values:	
	none: No action (default value)down: Deactivation of interface(s)	
	■ up: Activation of interface(s)	
FirstlfIndex	Defines the first interface of an interface range in the VPN Access gateway, for which the action (down or up) defined under DOWNACTION is to be executed. Possible values: 100 65536 Default value: 10001	
	Interfaces with indices from 10001 to 14999 are provided for dialup connections to WAN partners. You can find the indices of the interfaces with, for example, the command ifstat.	
Range	Defines the range of interfaces in the VPN Access gateway, for which the action defined under Action is to be executed.	
	If you set FIRSTIFINDEX = 10001 and RANGE = 0, only the interface with the index 10001 is affected.	
	If you set FIRSTIFINDEX = 10001 and RANGE = 4999 (default value), the interfaces with the indices 10001 to 14999 are affected.	

Table 4-2: Fields in **KEEPALIVE MONITORING** interfaces menu

4.2 Submenu Event Scheduler (Time & SNMP)

From System Software 7.1.4 onwards, your gateway is equipped with an event scheduler, which makes it possible to make any entries in the MIB as soon as a certain event (also freely configurable) occurs.

Apart from default and easily configured standard applications like time- or volume-controlled activation or deactivation of interfaces, the event scheduler permits access to any MIB parameter. This means that any event in the MIB can be defined as the trigger of any desired action.



The configuration of actions that are not available as defaults requires extensive knowledge of the method of operation of Bintec gateways. An incorrect configuration can cause considerable disturbances in operation. If applicable, save the original configuration e.g. on your PC.

The event scheduler is configured in the SYSTEM → SCHEDULE & MONITOR → EVENT SCHEDULER (TIME & SNMP) menu:

VPN Access 25 Setup Tool [SYSTEM][SCHEDULED]: Event Schedule		Bintec Access	Networks GmbH MyGateway
Event Sc Schedule	heduler Events >	disabled	
	Commands >		
SAVE		CANCEL	

Activate (enabled) or deactivate (disabled) the scheduler in the **EVENT SCHEDULER** field; the default setting is deactivated. When the **EVENT SCHEDULER** is activated, the schedule interval is set to 300s as default. Configure the events that are to initiate a certain action at the gateway in the **SCHEDULE EVENTS** menu and the actions to be executed in the **SCHEDULE COMMANDS** menu. The triggers

(events) can be linked to event chains, so that complex conditions for initiating an action can also be created.

4.2.1 Configuration of triggers (Events)

The events that initiate a relevant action are created and edited in the SYSTEM → SCHEDULE & MONITOR → EVENT SCHEDULER (TIME & SNMP) → SCHEDULE EVENTS → ADD/EDIT menu.

The default menu opens with the mask for configuring an event of the *time* type:

```
VPN Access 25 Setup Tool
                                        Bintec Access Networks GmbH
[SYSTEM] [SCHEDULED] [SCHED_EVT] [ADD]: Scheduler Events
                                                         MyGateway
    Index 1
                         Description
    NextIndex none
              time
    Type
    Condition
                         daily
      Start time (hh:mm)
      End time (hh:mm)
                        notavail
    Status
                  SAVE
                                               CANCEL
```



If you select **TYPE** = *value*, the menu changes as follows:

VPN Access 25 Se [SYSTEM] [SCHEDUL	_	_EVT] [ADD] : Schedu	Bintec Access N ler Events	etworks GmbH MyGateway
Index NextIndex Type	1 none value	Description		
Monitored e Table Variable Index var Index val	iable	user defined		
Condition Compare v End value	alue	range		
Status		notavail		
	SAVE		CANCEL	

The menu contains the following fields depending on the setting:

Field	Description
Index	The gateway assigns an index number for the entry automatically. This value can also be edited. Possible settings are all values from 1 to
	65535.
Description	Here you enter the desired description for the event. The maximum length of the entry is 30 characters.

Field	Description
NextIndex	Here you select from the existing entries the entry that is to follow the current entry in an event chain. The entries in an event chain form a complex condition for an action to be executed. How the event chain leads to an action is configured in the System SCHEDULE & MONITOR EVENT SCHEDULER (TIME & SNMP) SCHEDULE COMMANDS menu.
Type	Here you select which type of event is to initiate an action: Possible settings:
	time - The action is initiated at certain times (default value). Please make sure the gateway system time is set correctly!
	value - The action is initiated as soon as a MIB variable becomes a certain value.

Field	Description	
Monitored event	Only for <i>TYPE</i> = <i>value</i> . Here you can choose between different events. Possible settings:	
	user defined - You can choose which of the values and MIB variables the scheduler is to respond to with an action (default value).	
	■ WAN interface total charge - A trigger becomes active if a certain total charge limit is reached for all connections at a WAN interface (the interface is selected on configuring the action). The gateway must receive charging information from the provider for this purpose.	
	■ WAN interface total duration - A trigger becomes active if the total duration of all connections of a WAN interface (in seconds) has reached a certain value.	
	■ WAN interface total RX traffic - A trigger becomes active if a WAN interface has received a certain total amount of data (in bytes) for all connections.	
	■ WAN interface total TX traffic - A trigger becomes active if a WAN interface has sent a certain total amount of data (in bytes) for all connections.	
Table	Only for MONITORED EVENT = user defined. Here you enter the name of the MIB table containing the MIB variable that is to be used for the trigger, e.g. BIBOPPPSTATTABLE .	

Field	Description
Variable	Only for <i>MONITORED EVENT</i> = user defined. Here you enter the name of the MIB variable that is to be used for the trigger, e.g. <i>TOTAL DURATION</i> .
Index variable	Only for MONITORED EVENT = user defined. Here you enter the name of the index variable of the previously defined MIB table. This is the variable marked with an asterisk (*) in the table view of the desired MIB table, e.g. CONNIFINDEX .
Index value	Only for MONITORED EVENT = user defined. Here you enter the value of the INDEX VARIABLE for the table entry that is to be used for the trigger, e.g. 10001.

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Field	Description
Condition	For TYPE = time:
	daily - The trigger becomes active daily (default value).
	<day of="" week=""> - The trigger becomes re- peatedly active on a certain day of the week.</day>
	mon_fri - The trigger becomes active daily from Monday to Friday.
	sat_sun - The trigger becomes repeatedly active on Saturdays and Sundays only.
	day <1 31> - The trigger becomes repeatedly active on a certain day of the month.
	For TYPE = value:
	■ range - The trigger becomes active if the value of the variable is in a certain range (default value).
	greater - The trigger becomes active if the value of the variable exceeds a certain val- ue.
	equal - The trigger becomes active if the value of the variable is a certain value.
	less - The trigger becomes active if the value of the variable is below a certain value.
	notequal - The trigger becomes active if the value of the variable is not a certain value.
Compare value	Value with which the value of VARIABLE is compared under the condition defined in CONDITION . If CONDITION = range, this is the start value of the range of values.

Field	Description	
End value	If CONDITION = range, this is the end value of the range of values.	
Start time (hh:mm)	Only for TYPE = time.	
	Here you enter the time at which the trigger is to be activated.	
End time (hh:mm)	Only for TYPE = time.	
	Here you enter the time at which the trigger is to be deactivated.	
Status	This field cannot be edited and shows the status of the trigger.	
	Possible values:	
	active - The trigger is currently active.	
	■ inactive - The trigger is inactive.	
	notavail - The status cannot be determined,e.g. if the scheduler is not activated.	
	error - An error has occurred; the configuration of the trigger is not consistent.	

Table 4-3: System → Schedule & Monitor → Event Scheduler (Time & SNMP) → Schedule Events → ADD/EDIT

4.2.2 Configuration of the Action (Command)

The action executed as soon as one of the events configured as trigger occurs is created or edited in the System \rightarrow Schedule & Monitor \rightarrow Event Scheduler (Time & SNMP) \rightarrow Schedule Commands \rightarrow ADD/EDIT menu.

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The default menu opens for configuring the actions as follows:

VPN Access 25 Setup Tool [SYSTEM] [SCHEDULED] [SCHED_	Bintec Access Networks GmbH CMD][ADD]: Scheduler Commands MyGateway
Index 1 Mode 1. Event Index Eventlist Condition	enable none
Execute command Interface	disable interface en1-0
Notify	all
Status notavail	Last Change 01/01/1970 0:00:00
SAVE	CANCEL

If you select the value *user defined* for the **EXECUTE COMMAND** field, the menu changes as follows:

```
VPN Access 25 Setup Tool
                                       Bintec Access Networks GmbH
[SYSTEM] [SCHEDULED] [SCHED CMD] [ADD]: Scheduler Commands
                                                        MyGateway
    Index
                        Description
    Mode
                         enable
    1. Event Index
                     none
    Eventlist Condition all
    Execute command user defined
      Table
     Variable
      Index variable
      Index value
      Set value active
         value inactive
                       all
    Notify
    Status notavail
                           Last Change
                                         01/01/1970 0:00:00
                  SAVE
                                              CANCEL
```

The menu contains the following fields depending on the setting selected:

Field	Description	
Index	The gateway assigns an index number for the entry automatically. This value can also be edited.	
	Possible settings are all values from 1 to 65535.	
Description	Here you enter the desired description for the action. The maximum length of the entry is 30 characters.	

Field	Description	
Mode	Here you select if the configured action is to be active or inactive. Possible settings: • enable (default value) • disable	
1st Event Index	Here you define the first event of an event chain. The event chain is activated only by this entry, preceding entries are ignored. The default value is <i>none</i> .	
Eventlist Condition	Here you define whether all the entries of an event chain must occur before an action is executed. Possible settings:	
	 all - All events of an event chain must occur if the action is to be executed (default value). 	
	one - At least one of the events of an event chain must occur if the action is to be exe- cuted.	
	none - None of the events of an event chain may occur if the action is to be executed.	
	one_not - At least one of the events of an event chain must not occur if the action is to be executed.	

Field	Description	
Execute command	Here you define the action that is executed by a trigger. Possible settings:	
	■ disable interface - The interface set in the INTERFACE field is deactivated (its ADMINSTATUS is set to down, default value).	
	enable interface - The interface set in the INTERFACE field is activated (its ADMINSTATUS is set to up).	
	user defined - The action is configured as desired in the following fields.	
Interface	Here you select which interface is to be activated or deactivated if <i>disable interface</i> or <i>enable interface</i> is selected for <i>EXECUTE</i> COMMAND.	
Table	Only for EXECUTE COMMAND = user defined. Here you enter the MIB table containing the variable to be set, e.g. <i>ifTable</i> .	
Variable	Only for EXECUTE COMMAND = user defined.	
	Here you enter the MIB variable to be set, e.g. AdminStatus.	
Index variable	Only for EXECUTE COMMAND = user defined.	
	Here you enter the index variable of the previously selected MIB table. This is the variable marked with an asterisk (*) in the table view of the desired MIB table, e.g. <i>Index</i> .	
Index value	Only for EXECUTE COMMAND = user defined. Here you enter the value of the index variable for the table entry that is to be changed by the action, e.g. 10001.	

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Field	Description		
Set value active	Only for Execute Command = user defined.		
	Here you enter the value the VARIABLE is to be assigned by the action. The value is set as soon as an appropriate trigger becomes active and is retained until the trigger becomes inactive again.		
value inactive	Only for EXECUTE COMMAND = user defined.		
	Here you enter the value the VARIABLE is to become as soon as the trigger becomes inactive. This value is also assigned to the variable after a gateway restart or if the system time is not set correctly.		
Notify	Here you select the mechanisms to be used to notify actions. Possible settings:		
	all - Both SNMP traps and syslog messages are generated. (Default value)		
	snmptrap - Only SNMP traps are generated.		
	syslog - Only syslog messages are generated.		
	none - No messages are generated.		
Status	This field cannot be edited and shows the status of the action.		
	Possible values:		
	active - The action is currently active.		
	■ inactive - The action is inactive.		
	notavail - The status cannot be determined,e.g. if the scheduler is not activated.		
	error - An error has occurred; the configuration of the action is not consistent.		

Field	Description
Last Change	Shows the time of the last status change. This field cannot be edited.

Table 4-4: System → Schedule & Monitor → Event Scheduler (Time & SNMP) → Schedule Commands → ADD/EDIT

5 Submenu Password Settings

The fields of the PASSWORD SETTINGS submenu are described below.

```
VPN Access 25 Setup Tool Bintec Access Networks GmbH
[SYSTEM] [PASSWORDS]: Change System Passwords MyGateway

admin Login Password/SNMP Community ******
read Login Password/SNMP Community ******
write Login Password/SNMP Community ******
HTTP Server Password ******
Activity Monitor Password ******

SAVE CANCEL
```

Setting the passwords is one of the basic system settings. (Detailed information about the user rights of the various users can be found in **Access and Configuration**.)

The **PASSWORD SETTINGS** menu consists of the following fields:

Field	Description
admin Login Pass- word/SNMP Community	Password for user name admin.
read Login Pass- word/SNMP Community	Password for user name read.
write Login Pass- word/SNMP Community	Password for user name write.
HTTP Server Password	Password for the HTTP status page of your gateway.

Field	Description
Activity Monitor Password	Password for the ACTIVITY MONITOR .

Table 5-1: **PASSWORD SETTINGS** menu fields



All Bintec gateways are shipped with the same user name and password. As long as the password remains unchanged, they are not protected against unauthorized use.

Change the password to prevent unauthorized access to the gateway.

As long as the password remains unchanged, the following warning appears on logging in: "Password not changed".

6 Submenu Time and Date

The fields of the TIME AND DATE submenu are described below.

```
VPN Access 25 Setup Tool
[SYSTEM] [TIME]: Set System Time and Date MyGateway

Time is currently controlled by: ISDN

Current Time:
Tue Jan 13 6:24:52 1970

New Time: 06:23

New Date: 01/13/1970

Bintec Access Networks GmbH
MyGateway
```

System time

You need the system time for tasks such as correct timestamps for system messages, accounting or IPSec certificates.

You can derive the system time:

- automatically, e.g. via ISDN or a time server. The relevant configuration is made in the *IP* → *STATIC SETTINGS* menu.
- manually in the gateway.



If a method for deriving the time automatically is set in the gateway, the values obtained in this way have higher priority. Any system time entered manually is overwritten.

The **System → Time and Date** menu contains the settings for manually entering the time and date in your gateway.

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The *TIME AND DATE* menu consists of the following fields:

Field	Description
Time is currently controlled by:	Shows the settings defined under <i>IP</i> → <i>STATIC SETTINGS</i> for deriving the time automatically.
Current Time:	Shows the system time (date and time) currently set in the VPN Access gateway.
New Time:	Here you enter the new time to be used by the VPN Access gateway (hh:mm).
New Date:	Here you enter the new date to be used by the VPN Access gateway (mm/dd/yyyy).

Table 6-1: TIME AND DATE menu fields

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