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# Chapter 1 IP - Network Address Translation (NAT)

## 1.1 Introduction

The configuration of Network Address Translation (NAT) is described in the chapters below.

Network Address Translation (NAT) is a function on your device for defined conversion of source and destination addresses of IP packets. If NAT is activated, IP connections are still only allowed by default in one direction, outgoing (forward) (= protective function). Exceptions can be configured in the **NAT Configuration** menu.

You have a permanent 2-Mbps connection to the Internet with 8 IP addresses. Your Ethernet interface **ETH** is connected to the access router. This has the IP address *62.10.10.1/29*, whereas the remaining IPs from *62.10.10.2* to *62.10.10.6* are entered on Ethernet interface **ETH**.

You configure NAT enables for accessing your gateway over HTTP. You also want to access your terminal server and the corporate web server over the Internet.

Configuration in this scenario is carried out using the **GUI** (Graphical User Interface).

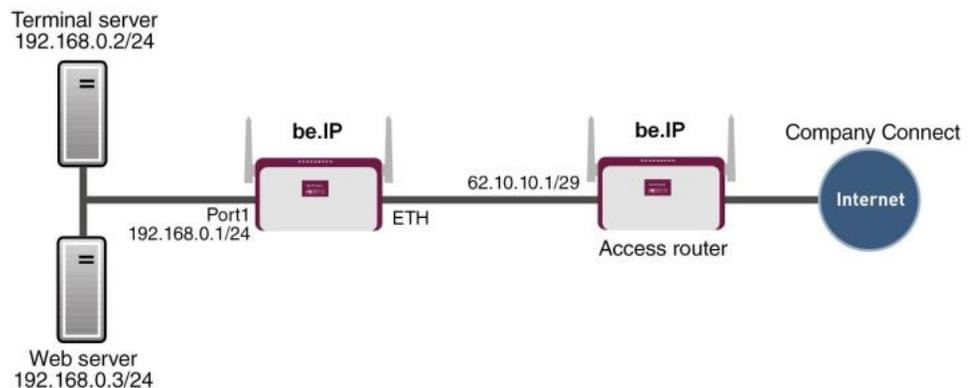


Fig. 1: Example scenario NAT

## Requirements

The following are required for the configuration:

- Basic configuration of the gateway
- A boot image of version 10.1.9
- A working Internet access. For example, **Company Connect** with 8 IP addresses.

## 1.2 Configuration

### 1.2.1 Enable NAT

A list of all NAT interfaces is displayed in the NAT interface menu.

Go to the following menu to enable NAT for your interface:

- (1) Go to **Network -> NAT -> NAT Interfaces**.



Interface	NAT active	Loopback active	Silent Deny	PPTP Passthrough	Portforwardsings
BRIDGE_BR0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	0
efm35-60	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	0
LAN_EN1-4	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	0
WAN_ETH0A35-5	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	0

Fig. 2: **Network -> NAT -> NAT Interfaces**

Proceed as follows:

- (1) Select **NAT active** for the *LAN\_EN1-4* interface. This is how the NAT feature is enabled for the interface.
- (2) Select **Silent Deny** for the *LAN\_EN1-4* interface. If this function is enabled, no ICMP packets are answered.
- (3) Confirm with **OK**.

### 1.2.2 Configuring NAT enables

#### NAT enable for the GUI

It should be possible to administer your gateway using HTTP over the Internet with the permanent IP address *62.10.10.2*. For security reasons use external port *8080*, for example, instead of port *80*.

Go to the following menu to configure NAT entries.

- (1) Go to **Network -> NAT -> NAT Configuration -> New**.

The screenshot shows a web-based configuration interface for NAT. It is divided into three main sections:

- Basic Parameters:**
  - Description: GUI
  - Interface: LAN\_EN1-4
  - Type of traffic: incoming (Destination NAT)
- Specify original traffic:**
  - Service: User-defined
  - Protocol: TCP
  - Source IP Address/Netmask: Host, 62.10.10.2
  - Original Destination IP Address/Netmask: Any
  - Original Destination Port/Range: -All- to
- Replacement Values:**
  - New Destination IP Address/Netmask: Host, 0.0.0.0
  - New Destination Port: Original (disabled), 80

Fig. 3: Network -> NAT -> NAT Configuration -> New

Proceed as follows:

- (1) Enter a **Description** for the NAT configuration, e. g. *GUI*.
- (2) Select the **Interface** for your NAT enable, e. g. *LAN\_EN1-4*.
- (3) For the **Type of traffic**, select *incoming (destination NAT)*.
- (4) Leave the **Service** set to *User Defined*.
- (5) Set **Protocol** to *TCP*.
- (6) Under **Source IP Address/Netmask** select *Host* and enter the gateway's external IP address, e. g. *62.10.10.2*.
- (7) Under **New Destination Port** disable **Original** and enter *80* in the input field.
- (8) Leave the remaining settings unchanged and confirm them with **OK**.

### NAT enable for Web Server

The internal Web server should be reached under the IP address *62.10.10.3*. External default port *80* is used as the Web server serves as a Web host for public websites.

- (1) Go to **Network -> NAT -> NAT Configuration -> New**.

The screenshot shows a configuration window for NAT. It is divided into three main sections:

- Basic Parameters:**
  - Description: Web server
  - Interface: LAN\_EN1-4
  - Type of traffic: incoming (Destination NAT)
- Replacement Values:**
  - New Destination IP Address/Netmask: Host, 192.168.0.3
  - New Destination Port: Original (radio button selected)
- Specify original traffic:**
  - Service: http
  - Source IP Address/Netmask: Host, 62.10.10.3
  - Original Destination IP Address/Netmask: Any

Fig. 4: Network -> NAT -> NAT Configuration -> New

Proceed as follows to configure the enable:

- (1) Enter a **Description** for the NAT configuration, e. g. *Web server*.
- (2) Set the **Interface** to *LAN\_EN1-4*.
- (3) For the **Type of traffic**, select *incoming (destination NAT)*.
- (4) Configure the **Service** to *http*.
- (5) Under **Source IP Address/Netmask** select *Host* and enter the internal web server's IP address, e. g. *62.10.10.3*.
- (6) Under **New Destination IP Address/Netmask** select *Host* and enter the internal IP address, for example *192.168.0.3*.
- (7) Leave the remaining settings unchanged and confirm them with **OK**.

### NAT Enable for Terminal Server

The internal terminal server should be reached under the IP address *62.10.10.4*. When port *3389* is open attackers can easily identify that you are using a terminal server. As a result, use a different port for external access using a remote desktop, for example port *5000*.

- (1) Go to **Network -> NAT -> NAT Configuration -> New**.

The screenshot shows the 'NAT Configuration - New' dialog box with three main sections:

- Basic Parameters:**
  - Description: Terminal server
  - Interface: LAN\_EN1-4
  - Type of traffic: Incoming (Destination NAT)
- Specify original traffic:**
  - Service: User-defined
  - Protocol: TCP
  - Source IP Address/Netmask: Host, 62.10.10.4
  - Original Destination IP Address/Netmask: Any
  - Original Destination Port/Range: -All- to
- Replacement Values:**
  - New Destination IP Address/Netmask: Host, 192.168.0.2
  - New Destination Port: Original (disabled), 3389

Fig. 5: Network -> NAT -> NAT Configuration -> New

Proceed as follows to configure the enable:

- (1) Enter a **Description** for the NAT configuration, e. g. *Terminal server*.
- (2) Set the **Interface** to *LAN\_EN1-4*.
- (3) For the **Type of traffic**, select *incoming (destination NAT)*.
- (4) Leave the **Service** set to *User-defined*.
- (5) Set **Protocol** to *TCP*.
- (6) Under **Source IP Address/Netmask** select *Host* and enter the internal terminal server's IP address, e. g. *62.10.10.4*.
- (7) Under **New Destination IP Address/Netmask** select *Host* and enter the internal IP address, for example *192.168.0.2*.
- (8) For **New Destination Port** disable **Original** and enter *3389* in the input field.
- (9) Leave the remaining settings unchanged and confirm them with **OK**.

## 1.3 Result

You have configured a NAT enable so that you can access the gateway with HTTP over the Internet. You also allow access to your internal Web server and the terminal server over the Internet.

## 1.4 Checking the connection

To check the settings, activate debug mode in the shell with the command `debug all&`. Call up the browser on an external computer on the Internet and enter the IP address of the gateway, e. g. `http://62.10.10.2:8080`.

The following message must appear if you are from the IP address `80.65.48.135`:

```
12:14:20 DEBUG/INET: NAT: new incoming session on ifc 5000
prot 6 127.0.0.1:80/ 62.10.10.2:8080 &lt;- 80.65.48.135:1024
```

## 1.5 Overview of Configuration Steps

### Enable NAT

Field	Menu	Value
NAT active	Network -> NAT -> NAT Interfaces	Enabled for LAN_EN1-4
Silent Deny	Network -> NAT -> NAT Interfaces	Enabled for LAN_EN1-4

### Configuring NAT enables

Field	Menu	Value
Description	Network -> NAT -> NAT Configuration -> New	e. g. <i>GUI</i>
Interface	Network -> NAT -> NAT Configuration -> New	<i>LAN_EN1-4</i>
Type of traffic	Network -> NAT -> NAT Configuration -> New	<i>incoming</i> ( <i>Destination NAT</i> )
Service	Network -> NAT -> NAT Configuration -> New	<i>User-defined</i>
Protocol	Network -> NAT -> NAT Configuration -> New	<i>TCP</i>
Source IP Address/ Netmask	Network -> NAT -> NAT Configuration -> New	e. g. <i>62.10.10.2</i>
New Destination Port	Network -> NAT -> NAT Configuration -> New	<i>80</i>

### Web server

Field	Menu	Value
Description	Network -> NAT -> NAT Configura-	e. g. <i>Web server</i>

Field	Menu	Value
	tion -> New	
Interface	Network -> NAT -> NAT Configuration -> New	<i>LAN_EN1-4</i>
Type of traffic	Network -> NAT -> NAT Configuration -> New	<i>incoming (Destination NAT)</i>
Service	Network -> NAT -> NAT Configuration -> New	<i>http</i>
Source IP Address/ Netmask	Network -> NAT -> NAT Configuration -> New	e. g. <i>62.10.10.3</i>
New Destination Port	Network -> NAT -> NAT Configuration -> New	e. g. <i>192.168.0.3</i>

#### Terminal Server

Field	Menu	Value
Description	Network -> NAT -> NAT Configuration -> New	e. g. <i>Terminal server</i>
Interface	Network -> NAT -> NAT Configuration -> New	<i>LAN_EN1-4</i>
Type of traffic	Network -> NAT -> NAT Configuration -> New	<i>incoming (Destination NAT)</i>
Service	Network -> NAT -> NAT Configuration -> New	<i>User-defined</i>
Protocol	Network -> NAT -> NAT Configuration -> New	<i>TCP</i>
Source IP Address/ Netmask	Network -> NAT -> NAT Configuration -> New	e. g. <i>62.10.10.4</i>
New Destination IP Address/ Netmask	Network -> NAT -> NAT Configuration -> New	e. g. <i>192.168.0.2</i>
New Destination Port	Network -> NAT -> NAT Configuration -> New	<i>3389</i>

## Chapter 2 IP - Configuring a bintec router behind a provider router

### 2.1 Introduction

The configuration of a DMZ (Demilitarized Zone) with a **bintec e.IP** is described in the following chapters.

Configuration is performed with the **GUI** (Graphical User Interface).

All FTP and HTTP/HTTPS requests from the Internet are to be forwarded to an FTP or Web server in the DMZ. The gateway has a leased Internet line with static public IP address, which is connected over the **ETH** port.

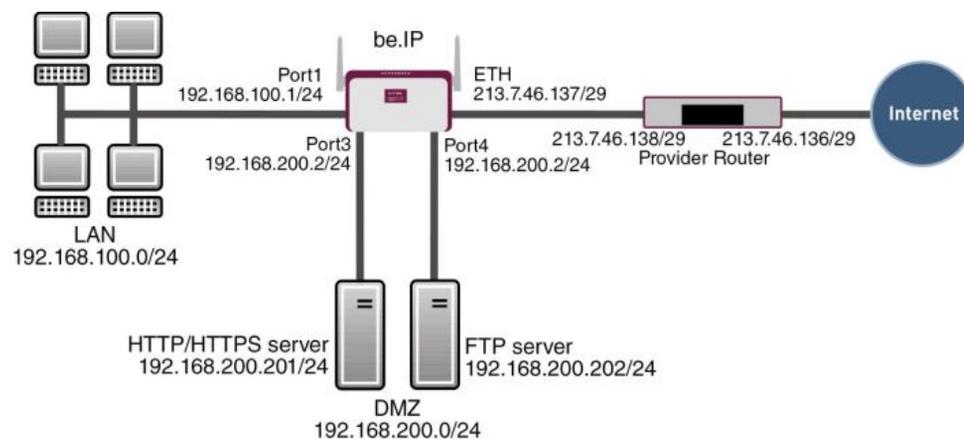


Fig. 6: Example scenario DMZ

### Requirements

The following are required for the configuration:

- A **bintec be.IP** gateway
- A boot image of version 10.1.9
- Internet access with static public IP address
- An FTP and web server in the DMZ
- Your LAN is connected to port **1** or **2** (interface `en1-0`) for the gateway.

- Your DMZ is connected to port **3** or **4** (interface `en1-1`) for the gateway.
- The leased Internet line is connected to port **ETH** (`en5-0`).

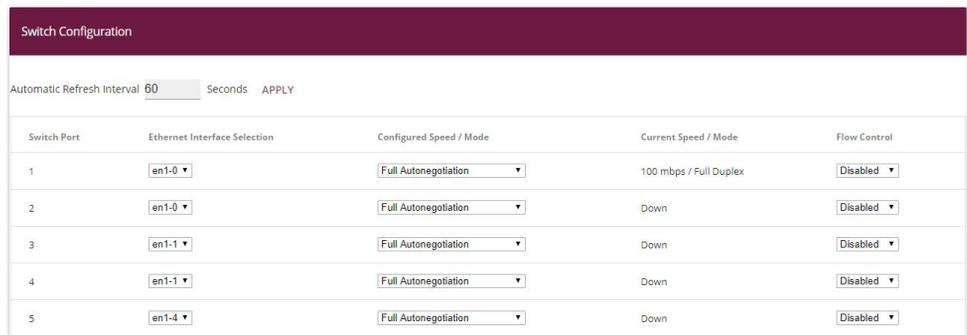
## 2.2 Configuration of the port

The DMZ is set up by dividing the four switch ports of the **bintec be.IP** into two interfaces.

- Port **1** and **2** are assigned to the interface `en1-0`.
- Port **3** and **4** are assigned to the interface `en1-1`.

Go to the following menu to assign the ports to the interfaces:

- (1) Go to **Physical Interfaces** -> **Ethernet Ports**-> **Port Configuration**.



Switch Configuration

Automatic Refresh Interval  Seconds

Switch Port	Ethernet Interface Selection	Configured Speed / Mode	Current Speed / Mode	Flow Control
1	<input type="text" value="en1-0"/>	<input type="text" value="Full Autonegotiation"/>	100 mbps / Full Duplex	<input type="text" value="Disabled"/>
2	<input type="text" value="en1-0"/>	<input type="text" value="Full Autonegotiation"/>	Down	<input type="text" value="Disabled"/>
3	<input type="text" value="en1-1"/>	<input type="text" value="Full Autonegotiation"/>	Down	<input type="text" value="Disabled"/>
4	<input type="text" value="en1-1"/>	<input type="text" value="Full Autonegotiation"/>	Down	<input type="text" value="Disabled"/>
5	<input type="text" value="en1-4"/>	<input type="text" value="Full Autonegotiation"/>	Down	<input type="text" value="Disabled"/>

Fig. 7: **Physical Interfaces** -> **Ethernet Ports**-> **Port Configuration**

Proceed as follows to assign the ports to interfaces:

- (1) Under **Ethernet Interface Selection** select `en1-0` for the **Switch Ports 1** and **2** from the dropdown menu.
- (2) Select `en1-1` for the **Switch Ports 3** and **4**.
- (3) Confirm with **OK**.

In the **IP Configuration** menu, you can assign IP addresses to the ports.

- (1) Go to **LAN** -> **IP Configuration** -> **Interfaces** -> `<en1-0>` .

The screenshot shows two configuration panels for interface `en1-0`. The left panel, titled "Basic Parameters", has "Interface Mode" set to "Untagged" (selected) and "Tagged (VLAN)" unselected. The "MAC Address" is `00:09:4f:6f:5e:80` and the "Use built-in" toggle is turned on. The right panel, titled "Basic IPv4 Parameters", has "Security Policy" set to "Trusted" (selected) and "Untrusted" unselected. "Address Mode" is set to "Static" (selected) and "DHCP" unselected. Under "IP Address / Netmask", there is a table with two columns: "IP Address" containing `192.168.100.1` and "Netmask" containing `255.255.255.0`. Below the table is an "ADD" button.

Fig. 8: LAN -> IP Configuration -> Interfaces -> <en1-0> -> .

Proceed as follows:

- (1) Leave **Address Mode** set to *Static*. The interface is assigned a static IP address.
- (2) In **IP Address / Net Mask** enter the IP address and the subnet mask, here `192.168.100.1` and `255.255.255.0`.
- (3) Leave **Interface Mode** set to *Untagged*. The interface is not assigned for a specific purpose.
- (4) Confirm with **OK**.

Since your device can no longer be accessed by administration at the previous IP address, but only at the new IP address `192.168.100.1`, you must reconnect to the **GUI**. To do this, enter the new IP address `192.168.100.1` in the address bar of your browser and log in again.

Proceed as follows for interface `en1-1`:

- (1) For `en1-1` go to **LAN -> IP Configuration -> Interfaces -> <en1-1>**.
- (2) Click the  icon.
- (3) Leave **Address Mode** set to *Static*.
- (4) In **IP Address / Net Mask** enter the IP address and the subnet mask, here `192.168.200.2` and `255.255.255.0`.
- (5) Leave **Interface Mode** set to *Untagged*.
- (6) Confirm with **OK**.

If no IP address is entered, click **Add** for the IP address / Netmask. An input field appears for the IP address where you can assign the IP address and subnet mask.

## 2.3 Configuring Internet access

The gateway has a leased Internet line via the provider's router. Consequently, you must define the static public IP address for the gateway and configure a default route over the provider's router.

Configure the static public IP address for the interface `en5-0` in the same way as configuring the ports in the previous section:

- (1) For `en5-0` go to **LAN -> IP Configuration -> Interfaces -> <en5-0>**.
- (2) Click the  icon.
- (3) Leave **Address Mode** set to *Static*.
- (4) In **IP Address / Net Mask** enter the IP address and the subnet mask, here `213.7.46.137` and `255.255.255.248`.
- (5) Leave **Interface Mode** set to *Untagged*.
- (6) Confirm with **OK**.

Set up a default route over the provider's router.

- (1) Go to **Network -> Routes -> IPv4 Route Configuration -> New** .



Basic Parameters		Route Parameters	
Route Type	Default Route via Gateway	Gateway IP Address	213.7.46.138
Interface	LAN_EN5-0	Metric	1
Route Class	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Standard <input type="radio"/> Extended		

Fig. 9: **Network -> Routes -> IPv4 Route Configuration -> New**

Proceed as follows:

- (1) For **Route Type** select *Default Route via Interface*. Default Route is used if no other suitable route is available.
- (2) Select the **Interface** that is to be used for this route, e. g. `LAN_EN5-0`.
- (3) Under **Gateway IP Address** enter the IP address of the Internet gateway, in this example `213.7.46.138`.
- (4) For **Metric**, select the route's priority, e. g.
  1. The lower the value, the higher the priority of the route.
- (5) Press **OK** to confirm your entries.

## 2.4 Configuration of DMZ

## 2.4.1 Enabling NAT on the DMZ interface

NAT must be enabled on the interface used to provide the Internet connection.

Go to the following menu to enable NAT for the DMZ interface:

- (1) Go to **Network -> NAT -> NAT Interfaces**.

NAT Interfaces					
Interface	NAT active	Loopback active	Silent Deny	PPTP Passthrough	Portforwards
BRIDGE_BR0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	0
efm35-60	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	0
LAN_EN5-0	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	3
WAN_ETH0A35-5	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	0

Fig. 10: **Network -> NAT -> NAT Interfaces**

Proceed as follows:

- (1) Select **NAT Active** for the `LAN_EN5-0` interface. This is how the NAT feature is enabled for the interface.
- (2) Select **Silent Deny** for the `LAN_EN5-0` interface. If this function is enabled, there is no feedback for dropped packets to the sender.
- (3) Confirm with **OK**.

## 2.4.2 Configuring portforwarding

As NAT has been enabled on the interface for the Internet connection, it is no longer possible to access internal computers from the Internet. External users must be authorised to access the FTP server over FTP and the Web server over HTTP or HTTPS. Consequently, you must set up portforwarding for these services.

Go to the following menu to forward the required ports to the FTP or Web server:

- (1) Go to **Network -> NAT -> NAT Configuration -> New**.

Basic Parameters	
Description	FTP
Interface	LAN_EN5-0
Type of traffic	incoming (Destination NAT)

Specify original traffic	
Service	ftp
Source IP Address/Netmask	Any
Original Destination IP Address/Netmask	Host 213.7.46.137

Replacement Values	
New Destination IP Address/Netmask	Host 192.168.200.202
New Destination Port	Original

Fig. 11: Network -> NAT -> NAT Configuration -> New

Proceed as follows to set up portforwarding for FTP:

- (1) Enter a **Description** for the NAT configuration, e. g. *FTP*.
- (2) Set **Interface** to *LAN\_EN5-0*.
- (3) For the **Type of traffic**, select *incoming (destination NAT)*.
- (4) For **Service**, select *ftp*.
- (5) Under **Original Destination IP Address/Netmask** select *Host* and enter the static public IP address of the gateway, here *213.7.46.137*.
- (6) Under **New Destination IP Address/Netmask** select *Host* and enter the FTP server's IP address, for example *192.168.200.202*.
- (7) Confirm with **OK**.

Proceed as follows to set up portforwarding for HTTP:

- (1) Go to **Routing -> NAT-> NAT Configuration -> New**.
- (2) Enter a **Description** for the NAT configuration, e. g. *HTTP*.
- (3) Set **Interface** to *LAN\_EN5-0*.
- (4) For the **Type of traffic**, select *incoming (destination NAT)*.
- (5) For **Service**, select *http*.
- (6) Under **Original Destination IP Address/Netmask** select *Host* and enter the static public IP address of the gateway, here *213.7.46.137*.
- (7) Under **New Destination IP Address/Netmask** select *Host* and enter the HTTP server's IP address, for example *192.168.200.201*.
- (8) Confirm with **OK**.

Proceed as follows to set up portforwarding for HTTPS:

- (1) Go to **Routing -> NAT-> NAT Configuration -> New**.
- (2) Enter a **Description** for the NAT configuration, e. g. *HTTPS*.

- (3) Set **Interface** to `LAN_EN5-0`.
- (4) For the **Type of traffic**, select `incoming (destination NAT)`.
- (5) For **Service**, select `http (SSL)`.
- (6) Under **Original Destination IP Address/Netmask** select `Host` and enter the static public IP address of the gateway, here `213.7.46.137`.
- (7) Under **New Destination IP Address/Netmask** select `Host` and enter the HTTPS server's IP address, for example `192.168.200.201`.
- (8) Confirm with **OK**.

## 2.5 Checking the configuration

### 2.5.1 Checking portforwarding

The list of configured portforwarding should appear as follows:

- (1) Remain in the **Network-> NAT -> NAT Configuration** menu.

NAT Configuration									
Descr.	Dir.	Service/Prot.	Src. IP/Mask:Port	Dest. IP/Mask:Port	New Src. (S) IP/Mask:Port New Dest. (D) IP/Mask:Port				
FTP	Incoming	ftp(TCP)	0.0.0.0/ 0.0.0.0: -	213.7.46.137/ 255.255.255.255:21	(D)192.168.200.202/ 255.255.255.255		⌵	🗑	✎
HTTP	Incoming	http(TCP)	0.0.0.0/ 0.0.0.0: -	213.7.46.137/ 255.255.255.255:80	(D)192.168.200.201/ 255.255.255.255		⌵	🗑	✎
HTTPS	Incoming	http (SSL)(TCP)	0.0.0.0/ 0.0.0.0: -	213.7.46.137/ 255.255.255.255:443	(D)192.168.200.201/ 255.255.255.255		⌵	🗑	✎

Fig. 12: **Network -> NAT -> NAT Configuration**

This list is used as a basis to forward all FTP requests on the public IP address of your gateway to your FTP server. HTTP and HTTPS requests are forwarded to your Web server accordingly. All other requests are rejected by the gateway.

Click **Save Configuration** and confirm with **OK** to save the configuration as the startup configuration.

### 2.5.2 Checking the functionality

Functionality can only be checked from the shell. To do this, enter the `debug all` command and confirm with **Return**.

```

r232bw:> debug all
01:36:27 DEBUG/INET: NAT: new incoming session on ifc 5000 prot 6
192.168.200.201:80/213.7.46.137:80 &lt;- 62.137.56.89:1050
01:36:27 DEBUG/INET: NAT: new incoming session on ifc 5000 prot 6
192.168.200.201:80/213.7.46.137:80 &lt;- 62.137.56.89:1051
01:36:27 DEBUG/INET: NAT: new incoming session on ifc 5000 prot 6
192.168.200.201:80/213.7.46.137:80 &lt;- 62.137.56.89:1052
01:36:33 DEBUG/INET: NAT: new incoming session on ifc 5000 prot 6
192.168.200.202:21/213.7.46.137:21 &lt;- 84.135.23.189:1053

```

As the debug extract shows, the HTTP requests (port 80) have been forwarded from IP address 62.137.56.89 to IP address 192.168.200.201. An FTP request (port 21) has also been forwarded from IP address 84.135.23.189 to IP address 192.168.200.202.

## 2.6 Overview of Configuration Steps

### Configuration of the port

Field	Menu	Value
Ethernet Interface Selection	Physical Interfaces -> Ethernet Ports-> Port Configuration	Switch Port 1 and 2 to <i>en1-0</i>
Ethernet Interface Selection	Physical Interfaces -> Ethernet Ports-> Port Configuration	Switch Port 3 and 4 to <i>en1-1</i>
IP Address / Net-mask	LAN -> IP Configuration-> Interfaces -> <en1-0> -> 	<i>192.168.100.1</i> and <i>255.255.255.0</i>
IP Address / Net-mask	LAN -> IP Configuration-> Interfaces -> <en1-1> -> 	<i>192.168.200.2</i> and <i>255.255.255.0</i>

### Configuring Internet access

Field	Menu	Value
IP / Netmask	LAN -> IP Configuration -> Interfaces -> <en5-0> -> 	<i>213.7.46.137</i> and <i>255.255.255.248</i>
Route Type	Network -> Routes-> IPv4 Route Configuration-> New	<i>Default Route via Interface</i>
Interface	Network -> Routes-> IPv4 Route Configuration-> New	<i>LAN_EN5-0</i>
Gateway IP Address	Network -> Routes-> IPv4 Route Configuration-> New	<i>213.7.46.138</i>

### NAT

Field	Menu	Value
NAT active	Network -> NAT -> NAT Interfaces	Enabled for <b>LAN_EN5-0</b>

Field	Menu	Value
Silent Deny	Network -> NAT -> NAT Interfaces	Enabled for LAN_EN5-0

### Portforwarding

Field	Menu	Value
Description	Network -> NAT -> NAT Configuration -> New	e. g. <i>FTP</i>
Interface	Network -> NAT -> NAT Configuration -> New	<i>LAN_EN5-0</i>
Type of traffic	Network -> NAT -> NAT Configuration -> New	incoming (destination NAT)
Service	Network -> NAT -> NAT Configuration -> New	<i>ftp</i>
Original Destination IP Address/Netmask	Network -> NAT -> NAT Configuration -> New	e. g. <i>213.7.46.137</i>
New Destination IP Address/Netmask	Network -> NAT -> NAT Configuration -> New	e. g. <i>192.168.200.202</i>
Description	Network -> NAT -> NAT Configuration -> New	e. g. <i>HTTP</i>
Interface	Network -> NAT -> NAT Configuration -> New	<i>LAN_EN5-0</i>
Type of traffic	Network -> NAT -> NAT Configuration -> New	incoming (destination NAT)
Service	Network -> NAT -> NAT Configuration -> New	<i>http</i>
Original Destination IP Address/Netmask	Network -> NAT -> NAT Configuration -> New	e. g. <i>213.7.46.137</i>
New Destination IP Address/Netmask	Network -> NAT -> NAT Configuration -> New	e. g. <i>192.168.200.201</i>
Description	Network -> NAT -> NAT Configuration -> New	e. g. <i>HTTPS</i>
Interface	Network -> NAT -> NAT Configuration -> New	<i>LAN_EN5-0</i>
Type of traffic	Network -> NAT -> NAT Configuration -> New	incoming (destination NAT)
Service	Network -> NAT -> NAT Configuration -> New	<i>http (SSL)</i>
Original Destination	Network -> NAT -> NAT Configur-	e. g. <i>213.7.46.137</i>

Field	Menu	Value
IP Address/Netmask	ation -> New	
New Destination IP Address/Netmask	Network -> NAT -> NAT Configuration -> New	e. g. <i>192.168.200.201</i>

## Chapter 3 IP - IPTV on xDSL (ADSL / VDSL) T-Home Entertainment connection

### 3.1 Introduction

This solution shows how to configure a bintec router on one of the latest generation of xDSL T-Home Entertainment connections. On ADSL and new generation VDSL T-Home connections, the Internet data and IPTV multicast data are transmitted via separate VLAN interfaces.

The table below shows the main technical information for configuring the two accesses:

#### Internet data access

VLAN ID	7
Network protocol	PPPoE
IP assignment done via	IPCP (Internet Protocol Control Protocol)
Routing	Default route must be configured
NAT	Active (Network Address Translation)

#### IPTV Multicast data access

VLAN ID	8
IP assignment done via	DHCP (Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol)
IGMP Proxy	Active (Internet Group Management Protocol)
Routing	Required routes are learned via DHCP (no other configuration required)
NAT	Not mandatory, enabled in the example for security reasons (Network Address Translation)

A VDSL connection is used in this example. The ADSL/VDSL modem is connected to the physical Ethernet port *ETH5*. If you have a device with an integrated DSL modem, you can also use the internal modem, of course.

**Note**

Please note that this configuration can only work if the attached modem or internal modem behaves as a pure modem (this is a given with internal modems in bintec devices). If you only want to put a router that may have also been supplied in a state where it will function like a modem, problems can arise.

The **GUI** (Graphical User Interface) is used for configuration here.

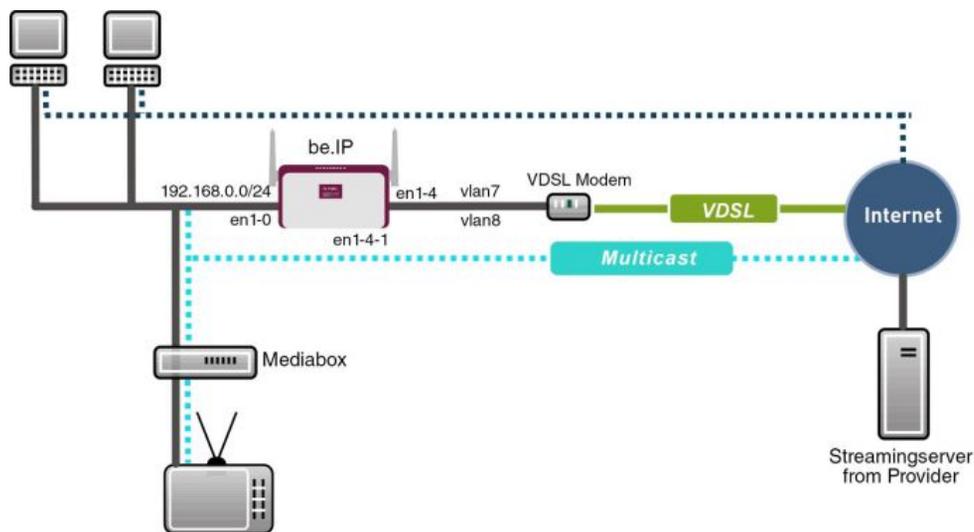


Fig. 13: Example scenario

## Requirements

Provider specific:

- T-Home ADSL/VDSL connection of the latest generation with T-Home Entertainment pack
- Media Box (T-Home X301T) or similar device (usually supplied by the provider)

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- In this example, a **bintec be.IP** with software version 10.1.9 was used.
- The configuration is the same as for other bintec router types.
- The configuration is done using the **GUI** Web configuration tool.

## 3.2 Configuration

### 3.2.1 Configuring the bintec be.IP

For configuration, open an Internet browser and start a web (HTTP) connection to the **bintec be.IP** router. Unless otherwise configured, use the standard IP address *192.168.0.251*. Once the HTTP connection has been established, log in using the following access data.

**User** *admin* **Password** *admin* (default password unless otherwise configured).

#### Configuring VDSL Internet access

The GUI comes with a wizard for configuring VDSL Internet access. To do this, go to the following menu:

- (1) Go to **Assistants** -> **Internet**-> **Internet Connections** -> **New**.

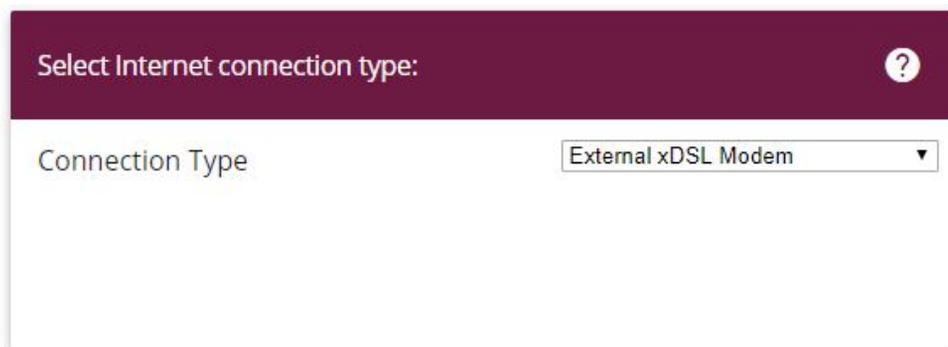


Fig. 14: **Assistants** -> **Internet** -> **Internet Connections** -> **New**

Proceed as follows:

- (1) For **Connection Type**, select *External xDSL Modem*.
- (2) Click on **Next** to configure a new Internet connection.

Enter the required data for the Internet connection.

Description  
Internet Data

<p>Select the physical Ethernet port the external modem is connected to: ?</p> <p>Physical Ethernet Port <input type="text" value="ETH5"/></p>	<p>Select your Internet Service Provider (ISP) from the list: ?</p> <p>Type <input type="text" value="Predefined"/></p> <p>Country <input type="text" value="Germany"/></p> <p>Internet Service Provider <input type="text" value="Telekom - VDSL"/></p>
<p>Enter the authentication data for your Internet account: ?</p> <p>Connection ID <input type="text" value="012345678945"/></p> <p>Access Number (formerly T-Online Number) <input type="text" value="955012345678"/></p> <p>Co-User Number <input type="text" value="0001"/></p> <p>Password <input type="password" value="*****"/></p>	<p>Select the connection mode: ?</p> <p>Always active <input type="checkbox"/> Disabled</p>

Fig. 15: Assistants -> Internet -> Internet Connections -> Next

Proceed as follows to configure a new Internet connection:

- (1) Under **Description**, enter a name for the Internet connection, e. g. *Internet Data*.
- (2) Under **Physical Ethernet Port** select the physical Ethernet port to which the xDSL modem is connected, in this case *ETH5*.
- (3) For **Type**, select the *Predefined* option.
- (4) Select the **Country** in which you would like to set up internet access. Here e. g. *Germany*.
- (5) Under **Internet Service Provider** select the profile *Telekom - VDSL* for our VDSL connection.
 

The following information is required for a T-Online connection:
- (6) Under **Connection ID** enter the 12 digit connection ID you received from T-Online.
- (7) Enter the **Access Number** (mostly 12 digits) you received from Telekom.
- (8) Enter the **Co-User Number** you received from Telekom (for the main user always 0001).
- (9) Enter the **Password** you received from your provider.
- (10) In the **Always active** field, specify whether or not the Internet connection should always be on. Only activate this option if you have Internet access with a flatrate.
- (11) Press **OK** to confirm your entries.

### 3.2.2 Configuring the IPTV Multicast data access

To configure the virtual LAN interfaces for the Multicast access, go to the following menu:

- (1) Go to **LAN -> IP Configuration -> Interfaces -> New**.

The image shows two side-by-side configuration panels. The left panel, titled 'Basic Parameters', has a dark red header. It contains a dropdown menu for 'Based on Ethernet Interface' set to 'en1-4'. Below it, 'Interface Mode' has radio buttons for 'Untagged' and 'Tagged (VLAN)', with 'Tagged (VLAN)' selected. A text field for 'VLAN ID' contains the number '8'. At the bottom, 'MAC Address' is set to '00:a0:f9' with a toggle switch for 'Use built-in' that is turned on. The right panel, titled 'Basic IPv4 Parameters', also has a dark red header. It shows 'Security Policy' with radio buttons for 'Untrusted' and 'Trusted', where 'Trusted' is selected. 'Address Mode' has radio buttons for 'Static' and 'DHCP', with 'DHCP' selected. A 'DHCP Metric' field contains the number '1'. At the bottom, there are input fields for 'IP Address' and 'Netmask', with an 'ADD' button below them.

### Advanced Settings

The image shows a single configuration panel titled 'Advanced IPv4 Settings' with a dark red header. It contains several settings: 'DHCP MAC Address' with a text field and a 'Use built-in' toggle switch that is turned on; 'DHCP Hostname' with a text field; 'DHCP Broadcast Flag' with a toggle switch that is turned off; 'Create Default Route' with a toggle switch that is turned on and labeled 'Enabled'; 'Proxy ARP' with a toggle switch that is turned off; and 'TCP-MSS Clamping' with a toggle switch that is turned off and labeled 'Disabled'.

Fig. 17: LAN->IP Configuration ->Interfaces-> New

Proceed as follows:

- (1) Under **Based on Ethernet Interface**, select the logical Ethernet interface that has been assigned to the physical Ethernet port used above. For Ethernet port ETH5, this is the *en1-4* interface (on this, see the explanation below).
- (2) Set the **Interface Mode** to *Tagged (VLAN)*. You use this option to assign the interface to a VLAN.
- (3) In the **VLAN-ID** input field, enter the VLAN ID *8* which is to be used.
- (4) Set the **Address Mode** to *DHCP*. An IP address is assigned to the interface dynamically via DHCP.

- (5) Click **Advanced Settings**.
- (6) Disable the **DHCP Broadcast Flag** option.
- (7) Leave the remaining settings unchanged and confirm your entries with **OK**.

## Explaining the assigning of physical Ethernet ports and logical Ethernet interfaces

The assignment between the physical Ethernet port and the logical Ethernet interface can be flexibly configured in the routers with an integrated switch. Ex works, the following assignment usually applies:

Physical Ethernet Port	Logical Ethernet Interface
ETH1 to ETH4	en1-0
ETH5	en1-4

For detailed information on the assigned that has been configured in your case, go to the **Physical Interfaces** menu. For the **bintec be.IP** router that is used in the workshop, it looks like this ex works:

- (1) Go to **Physical Interfaces -> Ethernet Ports -> Port Configuration**.

Switch Port	Ethernet Interface Selection	Configured Speed / Mode	Current Speed / Mode	Flow Control
1	en1-0	Full Autonegotiation	100 mbps / Full Duplex	Disabled
2	en1-0	Full Autonegotiation	Down	Disabled
3	en1-0	Full Autonegotiation	Down	Disabled
4	en1-0	Full Autonegotiation	Down	Disabled
5	en1-4	Full Autonegotiation	Down	Disabled

Fig. 18: **Physical Interfaces -> Ethernet Ports -> Port Configuration**

## Configuring the IGMP (Internet Group Management Protocol) proxy

Now you will configure the IGMP proxy required to receive the IPTV Multicast data.

- (1) Go to **Multicast -> IGMP -> IGMP -> New**.

### IGMP Settings

Interface	LAN_EN1-0
Query Interval	125 Seconds
Maximum Response Time	10,0 Seconds
Robustness	2
Last Member Query Interval	1,0 Seconds
IGMP State Limit	0 Messages per Second
Mode	<input type="radio"/> Host <input checked="" type="radio"/> Routing

## Advanced Settings

### Advanced Parameter

IGMP Proxy	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enabled
Proxy Interface	LAN_EN1-4-1
Fallback Proxy Interface 1	None
Fallback Proxy Interface 2	None

Fig. 20: Multicast -&gt; IGMP-&gt; IGMP-&gt; New

Proceed as follows to configure the IGMP proxy.

- (1) Under **Interface**, select the logical Ethernet interface which the Media Box or client PCs are connected to. In our example, they are Ethernet ports ETH1 to ETH4. Based

on the above assignment, the logical Ethernet interface `LAN_EN1-0` needs to be selected.

- (2) Select *Routing* for **Mode**.
- (3) Click **Advanced Settings**.
- (4) Enable the **IGMP Proxy** option.
- (5) As the **Proxy Interface**, select the generated VLAN interface `LAN_EN1-4-1`.
- (6) Leave the remaining settings unchanged and confirm your entries with **OK**.

The completed configuration looks as follows (the entry for the IGMP proxy interface (`en1-4-1`) is generated automatically):



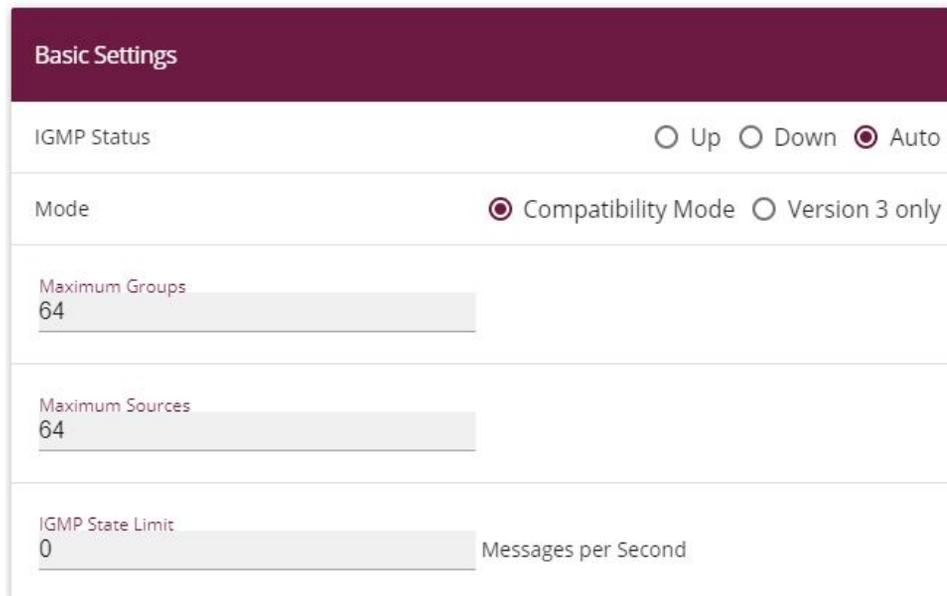
Interface	Current IGMP Version	IGMP		
en1-0	0	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enabled		
en1-4-1	0	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enabled		

Fig. 21: Multicast-> IGMP-> IGMP

## Activating the Multicast Routing function

The routing of IP Multicast packets to the bintec router is disabled by default. In the following configuration step, you enable the Multicast routing function on the router. To do this, go to the following menu:

- (1) Go to **Multicast -> IGMP->Options**.



The screenshot shows a configuration page titled "Basic Settings" with a dark red header. Below the header, there are several configuration fields:

- IGMP Status:** Three radio buttons are present: "Up" (unselected), "Down" (unselected), and "Auto" (selected).
- Mode:** Two radio buttons are present: "Compatibility Mode" (selected) and "Version 3 only" (unselected).
- Maximum Groups:** A text input field containing the number "64".
- Maximum Sources:** A text input field containing the number "64".
- IGMP State Limit:** A text input field containing the number "0". To its right, the text "Messages per Second" is displayed.

Fig. 22: Multicast -> IGMP->Options

Proceed as follows:

- (1) Set the **IGMP status** to *Up* or *Auto*.
- (2) Confirm your entry with **OK**.



#### Note

A one-off confirmation of the configuration page through **OK** is essential. This also applies if the **IGMP Status** has already been set to *Auto* or *Active*.

### Enabling NAT on the IGMP proxy interface

For security reasons, and to ensure that video on-demand services work, the NAT function needs to be disabled.

- (1) Go to **Networking -> NAT -> NAT Interfaces**.

NAT Interfaces					
Interface	NAT active	Loopback active	Silent Deny	PPTP Passthrough	Portforwards
BRIDGE_BR0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	0
efm35-60	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	0
LAN_EN1-1	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	0
LAN_EN1-4	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	3
LAN_EN1-4-1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	0
WAN_ETHQA35-5	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	0
WAN_INTERNET-DATEN	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	0

Fig. 23: Networking -> NAT -> NAT Interfaces

Proceed as follows:

- (1) Under **NAT active**, enable the `LAN_EN1-4-1` interface.
- (2) Confirm with **OK**.

### 3.2.3 Configuring a DHCP IP address pool on the LAN interface

The T-Home Media Box requires the IP address settings to be assigned dynamically via DHCP. For this purpose, a DHCP IP address pool needs to be configured on the LAN interface. In our case, this is the `en1-0` interface.



#### Note

Only carry out this configuration step if there is no other DHCP server in your local network. In this case, enter the LAN IP address of the router as the **Router** on the DHCP server. In our example, the LAN IP address of the **bintec be.IP** is `192.168.0.251`.

If there is no DHCP server in your local network, proceed as follows:

- (1) Go to **Local Services -> DHCP Server -> IP Pool Configuration -> New**.

Basic Parameters

IP Pool Name  
defpool

IP Address Range  
192.168.0.100 - 192.168.0.150

DNS Server  
Primary  
Secondary

Fig. 24: Local Services -> DHCP Server -> IP Pool Configuration-> New

Proceed as follows to set up an IP address pool:

- (1) Under **IP Pool Name**, Enter any description to uniquely identify the IP pool, e. g. *def-pool*.
- (2) Enter an **IP Address Range**. In our example, an IP address range from *192.168.0.100* to *192.168.0.150* is configured.
- (3) Press **OK** to confirm your entries.



#### Note

The IP address range must lie within the IP network range configured on the LAN interface.

Go to **Local Services -> DHCP Server -> DHCP Configuration-> New**.

Basic Parameters	
Interface	en1-0
IP Pool Name	defpool
Pool Usage	Local
Description	

Fig. 25: Local Services -> DHCP Server -> DHCP Configuration-> New

Proceed as follows to set up an IP address pool:

- (1) Under **Interface**, select the logical interface *en1-0*.
- (2) Select the **IP Pool Name** configured in the IP Pool Configuration menu. In our example *defpool*.  
Under **Pool Usage** select *Local*.
- (3) Press **OK** to confirm your entries.

### 3.2.4 Making a bootable backup of the configuration

This concludes the configuration. If the devices are connected correctly, the Internet data connection and the reception of IPTV data should work correctly. To create a bootable backup of the configuration, exit the **GUI** with **Save configuration** and confirm with **OK**.

## 3.3 Overview of Configuration Steps

### Select the connection type

Field	Menu	Value
Connection Type	Assistants -> Internet -> Internet Connections	External xDSL Modem

### Setting up an internet connection

Field	Menu	Value
Description	Assistants -> Internet -> Internet Connections ->Next	e. g. Internet Data
Physical Ethernet	Assistants -> Internet -> Internet Con-	ETH5

Field	Menu	Value
Port	nections ->Next	
Type	Assistants -> Internet -> Internet Connections ->Next	Predefined
Country	Assistants -> Internet -> Internet Connections ->Next	e. g. <i>Germany</i>
Internet Service Provider	Assistants -> Internet -> Internet Connections ->Next	e. g. <i>Telekom - VDSL</i>
Connection ID	Assistants -> Internet -> Internet Connections ->Next	e. g. <i>012345678945</i>
Access Number	Assistants -> Internet -> Internet Connections ->Next	e. g. <i>955012345678</i>
Co-User Number	Assistants -> Internet -> Internet Connections ->Next	0001
Password	Assistants -> Internet -> Internet Connections ->Next	e. g. <i>secret</i>
Always active	Assistants -> Internet -> Internet Connections ->Next	<i>Enabled</i>

#### Configuring the VLAN interface

Field	Menu	Value
Based on Ethernet Interface	LAN -> IP Configuration-> Interfaces -> New	<i>en1-4</i>
Interface Mode	LAN -> IP Configuration-> Interfaces -> New	<i>Tagged (VLAN)</i>
VLAN ID	LAN -> IP Configuration-> Interfaces -> New	<i>8</i>
Address mode	LAN -> IP Configuration-> Interfaces -> New	<i>DHCP</i>
DHCP Broadcast flag	LAN -> IP Configuration-> Interfaces -> New -> Advanced Settings	Disabled

#### Configure IGMP proxy

Field	Menu	Value
Interface	Multicast-> IGMP -> IGMP -> New	<i>LAN_EN1-0</i>
Mode	Multicast-> IGMP -> IGMP -> New	<i>Routing</i>
IGMP Proxy	Multicast-> IGMP -> IGMP -> New -> Advanced Settings	<i>Enabled</i>

Field	Menu	Value
Proxy Interface	Multicast-> IGMP -> IGMP -> New -> Advanced Settings	LAN_EN1-4-1

#### Enable Multicast routing function

Field	Menu	Value
IGMP Status	Multicast-> IGMP-> Options	Up or Auto

#### Activating NAT

Field	Menu	Value
Interface LAN_EN1-4-1	Networking -> NAT -> NAT Interfaces	NAT active <i>Enabled</i>

#### Configuring the IP address pool

Field	Menu	Value
IP Pool Name	Local Services -> DHCP Server-> IP Pool Configuration-> New	e. g. <i>defpool</i>
IP Address Range	Local Services -> DHCP Server-> IP Pool Configuration-> New	e. g. <i>192.168.0.100 - 192.168.0.150</i>

#### Configuring DHCP

Field	Menu	Value
Interface	Local Services -> DHCP Server-> DHCP Configuration -> New	<i>en1-0</i>
IP Pool Name	Local Services -> DHCP Server-> DHCP Configuration -> New	e. g. <i>defpool</i>
Pool Usage	Local Services -> DHCP Server-> DHCP Configuration -> New	<i>Local</i>

## Chapter 4 IP - RIPv2 Routing Protocol over IPSec Connection

### 4.1 Introduction

This solution shows the linking of two locations by an IPSec connection in which the RIPv2 routing protocol is used to transmit the IP network areas configured in both locations. Using a routing protocol is particularly beneficial in the case of more complex network structures (more IP network areas), because changes in the network structure are automatically propagated to all the routers involved in the network via the routing protocol. The example that follows aims to explain the way it works.

The GUI is used to do the configuration.

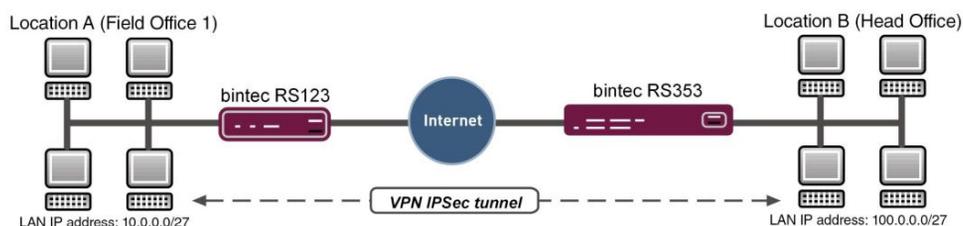


Fig. 26: Example scenario

In our example, an additional network is now to be added at Location A. With statically configured routing the result of this would be that the VPN gateway configuration at both locations would need to be changed. This is not the case if a routing protocol is used. In such cases, only the Location A VPN gateway needs to be configured. Specifically, the administrator only needs to configure the network on the LAN interface of the Location A VPN gateway. The routing protocol takes care of the rest.

The VPN gateways support the use of routing protocols, including in connection with IPSec connections. The following workshop aims to clarify this using a concrete example.

### Requirements

The following are required for the configuration:

- A VPN gateway **bintec RS353** series at head office
- A VPN gateway **bintec RS123** series at the field office

- A boot image of Version 10.1.9 on both gateways
- Both gateways require an independent connection to the Internet

## About the test setup

### RS123 Location A (Field Office):

System Name	RS123 field office 1 (used as local IPSec peer ID)
LAN IP address	10.0.0.30
LAN IP subnet mask	255.255.255.224
Public Internet IP address	62.146.1.1 (a host name can also be used here)
Standard gateway IP address	62.146.1.2
Local IP address of the IPSec interface	1.0.0.1 (Important: this IP address must be unique, i. e. may not be in the locations' LAN IP address range.)

### RS353 Location B (Head Office):

System Name	RS353 head office (used as local IPSec peer ID)
LAN IP address	100.0.0.30
LAN IP subnet mask	255.255.255.224
Public Internet IP address	62.147.1.1 (a host name can also be used here)
Standard gateway IP address	62.147.1.2
Local IP address of the IPSec interface	1.0.0.2 (Important: this IP address must be unique, i. e. may not be in the locations' LAN IP address range.)

## 4.2 Configuration

### 4.2.1 Configure the bintec RS353 at Location B (Head Office)

#### Configure the IPSec Connection

First set up a new connection. The IPSec Phase 1 / IPSec Phase 2 standard profiles are used in the example.

To do this, go to the following menu:

- (1) Go to **VPN -> IPSec -> IPSec Peers -> New**.

The screenshot displays the configuration interface for a new IPSec peer. It is divided into two main sections: Peer Parameters and IPv4 Interface Routes.

**Peer Parameters:**

- Administrative Status:** Radio buttons for Up (selected) and Down.
- Description:** Text input field containing "Field Office-1".
- Peer Address:** IP Version dropdown set to "IPv4 Preferred" and a text input field containing "62.146.1.1".
- Peer ID:** Fully Qualified Domain Name (FQDN) dropdown set to "Fully Qualified Domain Name (FQDN)" and a text input field containing "RS123-Field Office-1".
- Internet Key Exchange:** Dropdown menu set to "IKEv1".
- Preshared Key:** Text input field containing "\*\*\*\*\*".
- IP Version of the tunneled Networks:** Dropdown menu set to "IPv4".

**IPv4 Interface Routes:**

- Security Policy:** Radio buttons for Untrusted and Trusted (selected).
- IPv4 Address Assignment:** Dropdown menu set to "Static".
- Default Route:** Toggle switch turned on.
- Local IP Address:** Text input field containing "1.0.0.2".
- Route Entries:** A table with columns for Remote IP Address, Netmask, and Metric. One entry is shown: Remote IP Address "1.0.0.1", Netmask "255.255.255.255", and Metric "1". Below the table is an "ADD" button.

**Advanced Settings:**

This section is divided into two sub-sections:

- Advanced IPsec Options:**
  - Phase-1 Profile: None (use default profile)
  - Phase-2 Profile: None (use default profile)
  - XAUTH Profile: Select one
  - Number of Admitted Connections: Radio buttons for One User (selected) and Multiple Users.
  - Start Mode: Radio buttons for On Demand and Always up (selected).
  - Backup Peer: None
- Advanced IP Options:**
  - Public Interface: Chosen by Routing
  - Public Source IPv4 Address: Toggle switch turned on.
  - Public Source IPv6 Address: Toggle switch turned on.
  - IPv4 Back Route Verify: Toggle switch turned on.
  - IPv4 Proxy ARP: Radio buttons for Inactive (selected), Up or Dormant, and Up only.

Fig. 28: VPN-> IPSec-> IPSec Peers-> New

To add a new connection, proceed as follows:

- (1) For **Description**, enter a description of the peer which identifies it, e. g. *Field Office-1*.
- (2) For **Peer Address**, enter the public Internet IP address, e. g. *62.146.1.1*.
- (3) For **Peer ID**, enter the peer's ID, e. g. *RS123-Field Office-1*.
- (4) For **Preshared Key**, enter the password for the encrypted connection (e. g. *test*).
- (5) The **Local IP Address** specifies the IP address of the IPSec interface, here e. g. *1.0.0.2*.

**Note**

Here, do NOT enter the LAN IP address of the **bintec RS353**, but use an IP address which is NOT within a location's LAN IP address range.

- (6) The local IP address of the field office's IPSec interface should be configured as the **Route Entry**, here e. g. `1.0.0.1`. In this case, the subnet mask can be `255.255.255.255` (host route).

**Note**

Here, do NOT enter the actual network routes for accessing the remote location. The creating of the network routes that are required to access the locations concerned is done, in our case, by the RIP routing protocol.

- (7) The **Start Mode** must be configured to *Always up* konfiguriert sein. In this mode, the IPSec connection is always established automatically, i. e. the connection is always active. This is needed so that RIP can transmit the routes to the relevant neighbour gateway.
- (8) Leave the remaining settings unchanged and confirm them with **OK**.

### Changing the Phase 1 profile

To configure the Phase 1 profile, open the profile that is indicated to be the default.

- (1) Go to **VPN -> IPSec -> Phase 1 Profiles ->** .

**Phase-1 (IKE) Parameters**

Description  
Multi-Proposal

Proposals

Encryption	Authentication	Enabled
AES ▼	SHA1 ▼	<input type="checkbox"/>
AES ▼	MD5 ▼	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
3DES ▼	MD5 ▼	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

DH Group 2(1024 Bit) ▼

Lifetime 14400 Seconds 0 kBytes

Authentication Method Preshared Keys ▼

Mode  Main Mode (ID Protect)  Aggressive  Strict

Local ID Type Fully Qualified Domain Name (FQDN) ▼

Local ID Value  
RS353-Head Office

Fig. 29: VPN -> IPSec -> Phase 1 Profiles ->

Proceed as follows:

- (1) For **Local ID Value**, enter the your device's ID, here e. g. *RS353-Head Office*.
- (2) Leave the remaining settings unchanged and confirm them with **OK**.

### Configure the RIP routing protocol for the IPSec interface

The routing protocol is configured in the RIP Interfaces menu.

- (1) Go to **Routing Protocols -> RIP -> RIP Interfaces -><Field Office-1>** .



RIP Parameters for: Field Office-1	
Send Version	RIP V2 Multicast ▼
Receive Version	RIP V2 ▼
Route Announce	Up only ▼

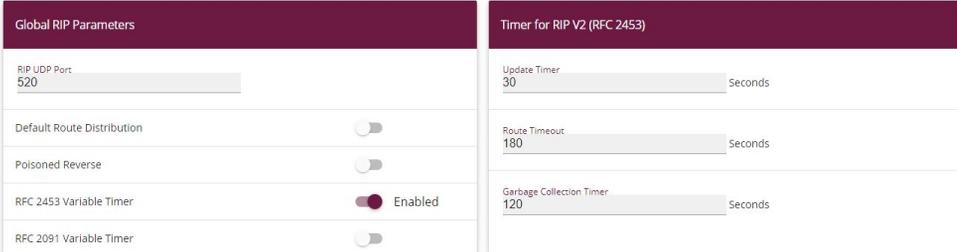
Fig. 30: **Routing Protocols -> RIP -> RIP Interfaces -><Field Office 1>** .

Proceed as follows:

- (1) For the **Send Version**, select *RIP V2 Multicast*. The RIP protocol packets use the *224.0.0.9* multicast address as the target address. You may also use other RIP variants here. But it is important that the RIP version used (RIPv1/RIPv2) is the same on both VPN gateways.
- (2) For the **Receive Version**, select *RIP V2*.
- (3) For **Route Announce**, select *Up only*.
- (4) Press **OK** to confirm your entries.

In the last step in the configuration, the default route distribution is disabled.

- (1) Go to **Routing Protocols -> RIP -> RIP Options**.



Global RIP Parameters	Timer for RIP V2 (RFC 2453)
RIP UDP Port 520	Update Timer 30 Seconds
Default Route Distribution <input type="checkbox"/>	Route Timeout 180 Seconds
Poisoned Reverse <input type="checkbox"/>	Garbage Collection Timer 120 Seconds
RFC 2453 Variable Timer <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enabled	
RFC 2091 Variable Timer <input type="checkbox"/>	

Fig. 31: **Routing Protocols ->RIP->RIP Options**

Proceed as follows:

- (1) Disable the **Default Route Distribution** parameter. This prevents the configured default route being propagated via RIP.

(2) Confirm with **OK**.

This completes the configuration of the **bintec RS353** gateway.

## 4.2.2 Configure the bintec RS123 at Location B (Field Office)

### Configure the IPsec Connection

First set up a new connection. The IPsec Phase 1 / IPsec Phase 2 standard profiles are used in the example.

To do this, go to the following menu:

(1) Go to **VPN -> IPsec -> IPsec Peers -> New**.

The screenshot displays the configuration interface for a new IPsec peer. It is divided into two main panels: 'Peer Parameters' and 'IPv4 Interface Routes'.

**Peer Parameters:**

- Administrative Status:** Radio buttons for 'Up' (selected) and 'Down'.
- Description:** Text field containing 'Head Office'.
- Peer Address:** IP Version dropdown set to 'IPv4 Preferred', with the address '62.147.1.1'.
- Peer ID:** Fully Qualified Domain Name (FQDN) dropdown, with the value 'RS353-Head Office'.
- Internet Key Exchange:** Dropdown menu set to 'IKEv1'.
- Preshared Key:** Text field with masked characters '\*\*\*\*\*'.
- IP Version of the tunneled Networks:** Dropdown menu set to 'IPv4'.

**IPv4 Interface Routes:**

- Security Policy:** Radio buttons for 'Untrusted' and 'Trusted' (selected).
- IPv4 Address Assignment:** Dropdown menu set to 'Static'.
- Default Route:** Toggle switch turned off.
- Local IP Address:** Text field containing '1.0.0.1'.
- Route Entries:** A table with columns for Remote IP Address, Netmask, and Metric. One entry is shown: Remote IP Address '1.0.0.2', Netmask '255.255.255.255', and Metric '1'. An 'ADD' button is located below the table.

**Advanced Settings:**

The 'Advanced Settings' section is split into two panels:

- Advanced IPsec Options:**
  - Phase-1 Profile:** Dropdown menu set to 'None (use default profile)'.
  - Phase-2 Profile:** Dropdown menu set to 'None (use default profile)'.
  - XAUTH Profile:** Dropdown menu set to 'Select one'.
  - Number of Admitted Connections:** Radio buttons for 'One User' (selected) and 'Multiple Users'.
  - Start Mode:** Radio buttons for 'On Demand' and 'Always up' (selected).
  - Backup Peer:** Dropdown menu set to 'None'.
- Advanced IP Options:**
  - Public Interface:** Dropdown menu set to 'Chosen by Routing'.
  - Public Source IPv4 Address:** Toggle switch turned off.
  - Public Source IPv6 Address:** Toggle switch turned off.
  - IPv4 Back Route Verify:** Toggle switch turned off.
  - IPv4 Proxy ARP:** Radio buttons for 'Inactive' (selected), 'Up or Dormant', and 'Up only'.

Fig. 33: VPN-> IPsec-> IPsec Peers-> New

To add a new connection, proceed as follows:

(1) For **Description**, enter a description of the peer which identifies it, e. g. *Head Office*.

- (2) For **Peer Address**, enter the public Internet IP address, e. g. *62.147.1.1*.
- (3) For **Peer ID**, enter the peer's ID, e. g. *RS353-Head Office*.
- (4) For **Preshared Key**, enter the password for the encrypted connection (e. g. *test*).
- (5) The **Local IP Address** specifies the IP address of the IPsec interface, here e. g. *1.0.0.1*.

**Note**

Here, do NOT enter the LAN IP address of the **bintec RS123**, but use an IP address which is NOT within a location's LAN IP address range.

- (6) The local IP address of the head office's IPsec interface should be configured as the **Route Entry**, here e. g. *1.0.0.2*. In this case, the subnet mask can be *255.255.255.255* (host route).

**Note**

Here, do NOT enter the actual network routes for accessing the remote location. The creating of the network routes that are required to access the locations concerned is done, in our case, by the RIP routing protocol.

- (7) The **Start Mode** must be configured to *Always up* konfiguriert sein. In this mode, the IPsec connection is always established automatically, i. e. the connection is always active. This is needed so that RIP can transmit the routes to the relevant neighbour gateway.
- (8) Leave the remaining settings unchanged and confirm them with **OK**.

### Changing the Phase 1 profile

To configure the Phase 1 profile, open the profile that is indicated to be the default.

- (1) Go to **VPN -> IPsec -> Phase 1 Profiles** -> .

**Phase-1 (IKE) Parameters**

Description  
Multi-Proposal

Proposals

Encryption	Authentication	Enabled
AES	SHA1	<input type="checkbox"/>
AES	MD5	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
3DES	MD5	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

DH Group 2(1024 Bit)

Lifetime 14400 Seconds 0 kBytes

Authentication Method Preshared Keys

Mode  Main Mode (ID Protect)  Aggressive  Strict

Local ID Type Fully Qualified Domain Name (FQDN)

Local ID Value  
RS123-Field Office-1

Fig. 34: VPN -> IPSec -> Phase 1 Profiles ->

Proceed as follows:

- (1) For **Local ID value**, enter the your device's ID, here e. g. *RS123-Field Office-1*.
- (2) Leave the remaining settings unchanged and confirm them with **OK**.

### Configure the RIP routing protocol for the IPSec interface

The routing protocol is configured in the RIP Interfaces menu.

- (1) Go to **Routing Protocols -> RIP -> RIP Interfaces -><Head Office>** .



Fig. 35: **Routing Protocols -> RIP -> RIP Interfaces -><Head Office>** .

Proceed as follows:

- (1) For the **Send Version**, select *RIP V2 Multicast*. The RIP protocol packets use the *224.0.0.9* multicast address as the target address. You may also use other RIP variants here. But it is important that the RIP version used (RIPv1/RIPv2) is the same on both VPN gateways.
- (2) For the **Receive Version**, select *RIP V2*.
- (3) For **Route Announce**, select *Up or Dormant*.
- (4) Press **OK** to confirm your entries.

In the last step in the configuration, the default route distribution is disabled.

- (1) Go to **Routing Protocols -> RIP -> RIP Options**.

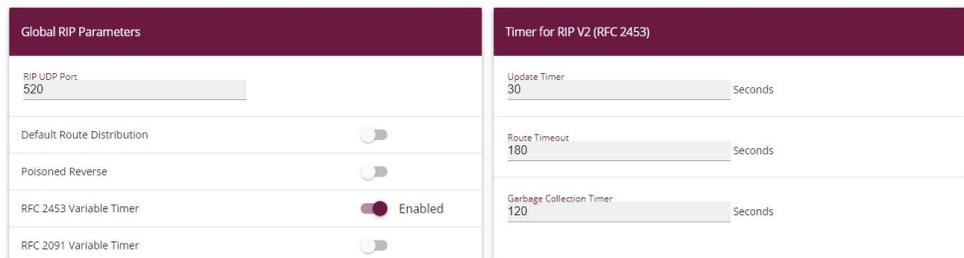


Fig. 36: **Routing Protocols ->RIP->RIP Options**

Proceed as follows:

- (1) Disable the **Default Route Distribution** parameter. This prevents the configured de-

fault route being propagated via RIP.

(2) Confirm with **OK**.

This completes the configuration of the **bintec RS123** gateway.

### 4.3 Check functioning

If your Internet connection is working and the settings have been done in accordance with the instructions, the default connection should now work.

To check that it does, go to the **Network -> Routes -> IPV4 Routing Table** menu.

Here you see, on both VPN gateways, the network routes to access the relevant location. The routes propagated via **RIP** are indicated in the table with the *RIP* protocol.

Results: Location B (Head Office)

Routes								
Destination IP								
Address	Netmask	Gateway	Interface	Metric	Route Type	Extended Route	Protocol	
1.0.0.1	255.255.255.255	1.0.0.2	IPSEC_FIELD OFFICE-1	1	Host Route via Interface	<input type="checkbox"/>	Local	
62.146.1.0	255.255.255.252	1.0.0.1	IPSEC_FIELD OFFICE-1	1	Host Route via Interface	<input type="checkbox"/>	RIP	
62.147.1.0	255.255.255.252	62.147.1.1	LAN_EN1-4	0	Network Route via Interface	<input type="checkbox"/>	Local	
10.0.0.0	255.255.255.224	1.0.0.1	IPSEC_FIELD OFFICE-1	1	Host Route via Interface	<input type="checkbox"/>	RIP	
100.0.0.0	255.255.255.224	100.0.0.30	LAN_EN1-0	0	Host Route via Interface	<input type="checkbox"/>	Local	
0.0.0.0	0.0.0.0	62.147.1.2	LAN_EN1-4	1	Network Route via Interface	<input type="checkbox"/>	Local	

Fig. 37: **Network -> Routes -> IPV4 Routing Table**

Results: Location A (Field Office)

Routes								
Destination IP Address	Netmask	Gateway	Interface	Metric	Route Type	Extended Route	Protocol	
1.0.0.2	255.255.255.255	1.0.0.1	IPSEC_HEAD OFFICE	1	Host Route via Interface	<input type="checkbox"/>	Local	
62.146.1.0	255.255.255.252	62.146.1.1	LAN_EN1-4	0	Host Route via Interface	<input type="checkbox"/>	Local	
62.147.1.0	255.255.255.252	1.0.0.2	IPSEC_HEAD OFFICE	1	Network Route via Interface	<input type="checkbox"/>	RIP	
10.0.0.0	255.255.255.224	10.0.0.30	LAN_EN1-0	0	Host Route via Interface	<input type="checkbox"/>	Local	
100.0.0.0	255.255.255.224	1.0.0.2	IPSEC_HEAD OFFICE	1	Host Route via Interface	<input type="checkbox"/>	RIP	
0.0.0.0	0.0.0.0	62.146.1.2	LAN_EN1-4	1	Network Route via Interface	<input type="checkbox"/>	Local	

Fig. 38: Network -> Routes -> IPV4 Routing Table

Now, any change made to the LAN IP configuration will automatically impact on the routing entries for both VPN gateways.

## 4.4 Overview of Configuration Steps

### Configure IPsec connection (head office)

Field	Menu	Value
Description	VPN-> IPsec-> IPsec Peers-> New	e. g. <i>Field Office-1</i>
Peer Address	VPN-> IPsec-> IPsec Peers-> New	e. g. <i>62.146.1.1</i>
Peer ID	VPN-> IPsec-> IPsec Peers-> New	e. g. <i>RS123-Field Office-1</i>
Preshared key	VPN-> IPsec-> IPsec Peers-> New	e. g. <i>test</i>
Local IP Address	VPN-> IPsec-> IPsec Peers-> New	e. g. <i>1.0.0.2</i>
Route Entries	VPN-> IPsec-> IPsec Peers-> New	<i>1.0.0.1</i> and <i>255.255.255.255</i>
Start mode	VPN-> IPsec-> IPsec Peers-> New	<i>Always Up</i>

### Changing the Phase-1 profile

Field	Menu	Value
Local ID Value	VPN -> IPsec -> Phase 1 Profiles ->	e. g. <i>RS353-Head Office</i>

### Configure the routing protocol

Field	Menu	Value
Send Version	Routing Protocols -> RIP -> RIP Interfaces -><Field Office-1> 	RIP V2 Multicast
Receive Version	Routing Protocols -> RIP -> RIP Interfaces -><Field Office-1> 	RIP V2
Route Announce	Routing Protocols -> RIP -> RIP Interfaces -><Field Office-1> 	Up Only

#### Set up RIP options

Field	Menu	Value
Default Route Distribution	Routing Protocols ->RIP->RIP Options	Disabled

#### Configure IPSec connection (field office)

Field	Menu	Value
Description	VPN-> IPSec-> IPSec Peers-> New	e. g. Head Office
Peer Address	VPN-> IPSec-> IPSec Peers-> New	e. g. 62.147.1.1
Peer ID	VPN-> IPSec-> IPSec Peers-> New	e. g. RS353-Head Office
Preshared key	VPN-> IPSec-> IPSec Peers-> New	e. g. test
Local IP Address	VPN-> IPSec-> IPSec Peers-> New	e. g. 1.0.0.1
Route Entries	VPN-> IPSec-> IPSec Peers-> New	1.0.0.2 and 255.255.255.255
Start mode	VPN-> IPSec-> IPSec Peers-> New	Always Up

#### Changing the Phase-1 profile

Field	Menu	Value
Local ID Value	VPN -> IPSec -> Phase 1 Profiles -> 	e. g. RS123-Field Office-1

#### Configure the routing protocol

Field	Menu	Value
Send Version	Routing Protocols -> RIP -> RIP Interfaces -><Head Office> 	RIP V2 Multicast
Receive Version	Routing Protocols -> RIP -> RIP Interfaces -><Head Office> 	RIP V2
Route Announce	Routing Protocols -> RIP -> RIP Interfaces -><Head Office> 	Up or Dormant

**Set up RIP options**

Field	Menu	Value
Default Route Distribution	Routing Protocols ->RIP->RIP Options	<i>Disabled</i>

## Chapter 5 IP - Load balancing two Internet accesses used in parallel

### 5.1 Introduction

The following workshop shows the configuring of an Internet access gateway with two Internet accesses used in parallel. The first ADSL line is created with the ADSL modem integrated in the **bintec be.IP plus** used here. An external ADSL modem is connected to the **bintec be.IP plus** gateway's ETH5 port to create the second ADSL line. The data traffic is distributed half and half to the two ADSL lines based on IP sessions. We shall then take the example of encrypted HTTP connections (HTTPS) to describe how to effectively avoid any loss of connection that might occur when distributing to different Internet accesses.

The **GUI** (Graphical User Interface) is used for configuring.

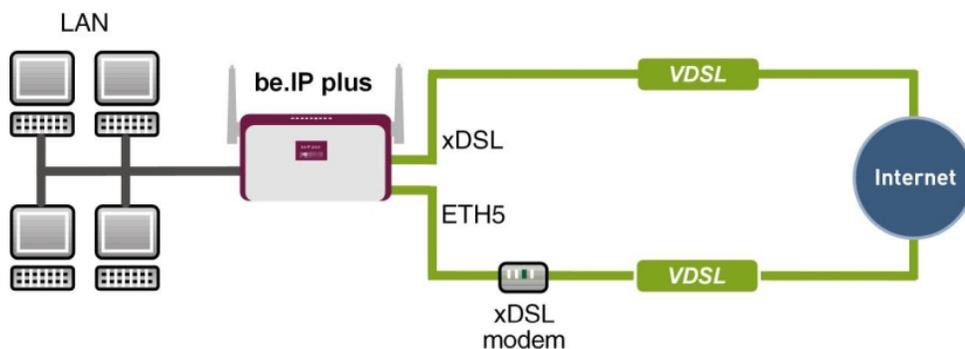


Fig. 39: Example scenario

### Requirements

The following are required for the configuration:

- A bintec ADSL gateway e. g. **bintec be.IP plus** with system software 10.1.5 Patch 6
- Two independent ADSL Internet connections
- An external ADSL modem that is connected to the **bintec be.IP plus** gateway's ETH5 port.

### 5.2 Configuration

## 5.2.1 Configuring internet access

For configuration, open an Internet browser and start a web (HTTP) connection to the **bintec be.IP plus** gateway. The **GUI** comes with a wizard for configuring the two Internet accesses.

To do this, go to the following menu:

- (1) Go to **Assistants** -> **Internet**-> **Internet Connections** -> **New**.
- (2) For **Connection Type**, select *Internal ADSL Modem*.
- (3) Click on **Next** to configure a new Internet connection.
- (4) Enter the required data for the connection.

The screenshot displays a four-step configuration wizard for an Internet connection. Each step is contained within a white box with a dark red header bar.

- Step 1: Basic Settings** - Header: "Basic Settings". Field: "Description" with the value "ADSL-1".
- Step 2: Select your Internet Service Provider (ISP) from the list:** - Header: "Select your Internet Service Provider (ISP) from the list:". Field: "Type" with a dropdown menu showing "User-defined" and "VDSL/ADSL auto - PPP over Ethernet (PPPoE)".
- Step 3: Is the configuration of a VLAN required by the ISP (e.g. with VDSL Modems)?** - Header: "Is the configuration of a VLAN required by the ISP (e.g. with VDSL Modems)?". Field: "VLAN" with a toggle switch that is currently turned off.
- Step 4: Enter the authentication data for your Internet account:** - Header: "Enter the authentication data for your Internet account:". Fields: "User Name" with the value "feste\_ip@provider.de" and "Password" with a masked input field (\*\*\*\*\*).

Fig. 40: **Assistants** -> **Internet**-> **Internet Connections** -> **New** -> **Next**

Proceed as follows to configure an Internet access:

- (1) Under **Description** enter e. g. *ADSL-1* .
- (2) For **Type**, select *User-defined via PPP over Ethernet (PPPoE)*.
- (3) As the **User Name**, enter the name which your provider has given you, e. g. *feste-ip@provider.de*.
- (4) Enter the **Password** that your provider has given you, e. g. *test12345*.

- (5) Press **OK** to confirm your entries.

To set up the second ADSL connection, run the wizard again.

- (1) Go to **Assistants -> Internet-> Internet Connections -> New**.
- (2) For **Connection Type**, select *External xDSL Modem*.
- (3) Click on **Next** to configure a new Internet connection.
- (4) Enter the required data for the connection.

The screenshot shows a configuration wizard with four panels:

- Panel 1:** "Select the physical Ethernet port the external modem is connected to:". The "Physical Ethernet Port" field is set to "ETH5".
- Panel 2:** "Select your Internet Service Provider (ISP) from the list:". The "Type" field is set to "User-defined".
- Panel 3:** "Is the configuration of a VLAN required by the ISP (e.g. with VDSL Modems)?". The "VLAN" field has a toggle switch turned off.
- Panel 4:** "Enter the authentication data for your Internet account:". The "User Name" field contains "#0001@t-online.de" and the "Password" field is masked with asterisks.

Fig. 41: **Assistants -> Internet-> Internet Connections -> New -> Next**



### Note

The message you get when you create the second ADSL connection may be ignored. The IP load distribution avoids routing conflicts due to multiple standard routes!

Proceed as follows to configure the second Internet connection:

- (1) Under **Description**, enter a name for the Internet connection, e. g. *ADSL-2*.
- (2) Under **Physical Ethernet Port** select the physical Ethernet port to which the xDSL modem is connected, in this case *ETH5*.
- (3) For **User Name**, enter the access data that your provider has sent you, e. g. *#0001@t-online.de*.
- (4) Enter the **Password** that your provider has given you, e. g. *test12345*.
- (5) In the **Always active** field, specify whether or not the Internet connection should always be on. Only activate this option if you have Internet access with a flatrate.
- (6) Press **OK** to confirm your entries.

When the configuration is complete, the wizard for configuring Internet connections will show two entries.

- (1) Go to **Assistants -> Internet-> Internet Connections**.

List of configured Internet connections:				
Description	Type			
ADSL-1	PPP over Ethernet	⊘	🗑️	✎
ADSL-2	External xDSL Modem	🔒	🗑️	✎

Fig. 42: **Assistants -> Internet -> Internet Connections**

## 5.2.2 Setting up the IP load distribution

A load balancing group needs to have been created before you can set up the IP load distribution.

- (1) Go to **Network -> Load Balancing -> Load Balancing Groups -> New**.

Basic Parameters			
Group Description	Internet access		
Distribution Policy	Session-Round-Robin		
Distribution Mode	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Always <input type="radio"/> Only use active interfaces		

Interface Selection for Distribution			
Interface	Distribution Ratio	Route Selector	Tracking IP Address
ADD			

Fig. 43: **Network ->Load Balancing->Load Balancing Groups->New**

To create a load balancing group, proceed as follows:

- (1) Under **Group Description**, enter a name for the load balancing group, e. g. *Internet access*.
- (2) For **Distribution Policy**, select the method that will be used to distribute the data, here *Session-Round-Robin* (for load distribution based on IP sessions).

The two ADSL Internet accesses can then be added to this load balancing group.

To do this, click **Add**.

The image shows two panels from a network configuration interface. The top panel, titled "Basic Parameters", has a dark red header. It contains two rows: "Group Description" with the value "Internet access" and "Distribution Policy" with the value "Session-Round-Robin". The bottom panel, titled "Interface Selection for Distribution", also has a dark red header. It contains two rows: "Interface" with a dropdown menu showing "WAN\_ADSL-1" and "Distribution Ratio" with a slider set to "50 %".

Fig. 44: **Network -> Load Balancing -> Load Balancing Groups -> New-> Add**

Proceed as follows:

- (1) For **Interface**, select the first ADSL access *WAN\_ADSL-1*.
- (2) Enter *50 %* for **Distribution Ratio**.
- (3) Click **Apply**.
- (4) Add the second ADSL line with **Add**.
- (5) For **Interface**, select the second ADSL access *WAN\_ADSL-2*.
- (6) Enter *50 %* for **Distribution Ratio**.
- (7) Click **Apply**.

After this configuration step, the two Internet connections can be used with the IP load distribution.

- (1) Go to **Network -> Load Balancing -> Load Balancing Groups**.

### Basic Parameters

Group Description  
Internet access

Distribution Policy Session-Round-Robin

Distribution Mode  Always  Only use active interfaces

### Interface Selection for Distribution

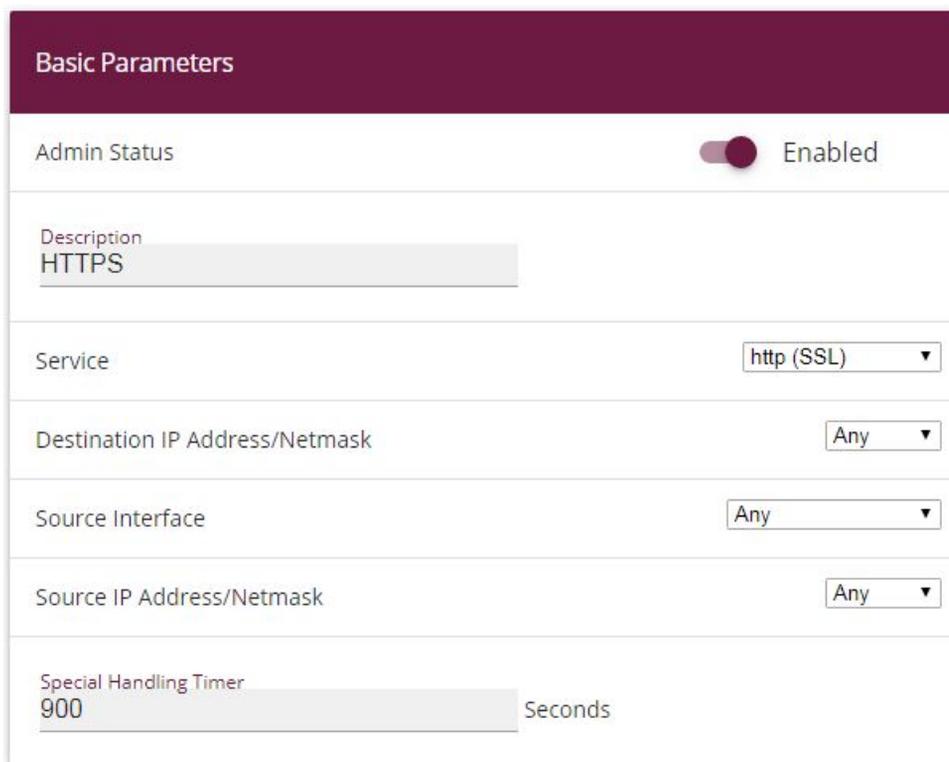
Interface	Distribution Ratio	Route Selector	Tracking IP Address	
WAN_ADSL-1	50 %			 
WAN_ADSL-2	50 %			 
ADD				

Fig. 45: Network -> Load Balancing -> Load Balancing Groups

### 5.2.3 Special load distribution handling for encrypted connections

With the configuration now complete, IP sessions are distributed half and half to the two ADSL lines. This behaviour can lead to problems and losses of connection with certain protocols (e. g. encrypted HTTPS connections). The reason for these connection problems lies in the different Internet IP address of the two ADSL connections. With parallel connections to the same server, the two ADSL lines would be used alternately. To get around this difficulty, IP sessions that are associated can temporarily be connected to one of the Internet connections. This type of critical connection is configured in the **Special Session Handling** menu.

- (1) Go to **Network -> Load Balancing -> Special Session Handling -> New**.



Basic Parameters	
Admin Status	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enabled
Description	HTTPS
Service	http (SSL) ▼
Destination IP Address/Netmask	Any ▼
Source Interface	Any ▼
Source IP Address/Netmask	Any ▼
Special Handling Timer	900 Seconds

Fig. 46: **Network -> Load Balancing -> Special Session Handling ->New**

Proceed as follows:

- (1) Under **Description**, enter a name for the entry, e. g. *HTTPS*.
- (2) For **Service**, select *http (SSL)*.
- (3) Set the **Special Handling Timer** to *900* seconds.
- (4) Leave the remaining settings unchanged and confirm them with **OK**.

With this configuration, HTTPS connections that are sent from a single local host to the same HTTPS web server are connected to one of the two ADSL lines for a period of 900 seconds. This causes the address of the sender of the HTTPS data to remain the same, which prevents any loss of connection.

## 5.2.4 About configuring the DNS server

When creating the ADSL connections, besides the public IP address, the **bintec be.IP plus** also obtains the IP addresses of the DNS servers for resolving the name of the configured Internet provider. Particularly when using different Internet providers, the use of the DNS servers needs to be connection-specific. The following configuration was created automatically when the ADSL connections were created.

- (1) Go to **Local Services -> DNS -> DNS Server**.

Description	DNS Server	Priority	Interface Description	Mode	Status
wiz.ADSL-1	P: S:	5	WAN_ADSL-1	Dynamic	Disabled
wiz.ADSL-2	P: S:	5	WAN_ADSL-2	Dynamic	Disabled

Fig. 47: Local Services -> DNS -> DNS Server

## 5.3 Overview of Configuration Steps

### Set up first Internet connection

Field	Menu	Value
Connector Type	Assistants -> Internet-> Internet Connections -> New	Internal ADSL Modem
Description	Assistants -> Internet -> Internet Connections -> New -> Next	e. g. <i>ADSL-1</i>
User Name	Assistants -> Internet-> Internet Connections -> New -> Next	e. g. <i>feste_ip@provider.de</i>
Password	Assistants -> Internet-> Internet Connections -> New -> Next	e. g. <i>test12345</i>

### Set up the second Internet connection

Field	Menu	Value
Connector Type	Assistants -> Internet-> Internet Connections -> New	External xDSL Modem
Description	Assistants -> Internet-> Internet Con-	e. g. <i>ADSL-2</i>

Field	Menu	Value
	Connections -> New -> Next	
Physical Ethernet Port	Assistants -> Internet-> Internet Connections -> New -> Next	e. g. <i>ETH5</i>
User Name	Assistants -> Internet-> Internet Connections -> New -> Next	e. g. <i>#0001@t-online.de</i>
Password	Assistants -> Internet-> Internet Connections -> New -> Next	e. g. <i>test12345</i>

#### Create a load balancing group

Field	Menu	Value
Group Description	Network -> Load Balancing ->Load Balancing Groups -> New	e. g. <i>Internet Access.</i>
Distribution Policy	Network -> Load Balancing ->Load Balancing Groups -> New	<i>Session-Round-Robin</i>
Interface	Network -> Load Balancing ->Load Balancing Groups -> New-> Add	<i>WAN_ADSL-1</i>
Distribution Ratio	Network -> Load Balancing ->Load Balancing Groups -> New-> Add	<i>50 %</i>
Interface	Network -> Load Balancing ->Load Balancing Groups -> New-> Add	<i>WAN_ADSL-2</i>
Distribution Ratio	Network -> Load Balancing ->Load Balancing Groups -> New-> Add	<i>50 %</i>

#### Special Session Handling

Field	Menu	Value
Description	Network -> Load Balancing-> Special Session Handling -> New	e. g. <i>HTTPS</i>
Service	Network -> Load Balancing-> Special Session Handling -> New	<i>http (SSL)</i>
Special Handling Timer	Network -> Load Balancing-> Special Session Handling -> New	<i>900 seconds</i>

## Chapter 6 IP - Load distribution for two VPN IPSec tunnels via separate Internet accesses

### 6.1 Introduction

This workshop shows how to configure a VPN IPSec network in association with IP load distribution. Two independent Internet connections are used at the same time at the head office location, to improve reliability and achieve greater bandwidth. The gateway at the branch office location is connected to the Internet with an ADSL line and always initiates two VPN IPSec tunnels to the head office gateway in order that both of the ADSL lines can be used simultaneously. The head office gateway must be accessible from the Internet via two fixed WAN IP addresses or by using DynDNS (in the case of dynamic WAN IP addresses). Configuring the load distribution prevents routing conflicts in the Internet connections and the two VPN IPSec connections. The tunnel connections are mutually and periodically monitored by the two VPN gateways. If one tunnel falls over, all the data traffic is automatically diverted to the VPN tunnel which is still working.

The **GUI** (Graphical User Interface) is used for configuring.

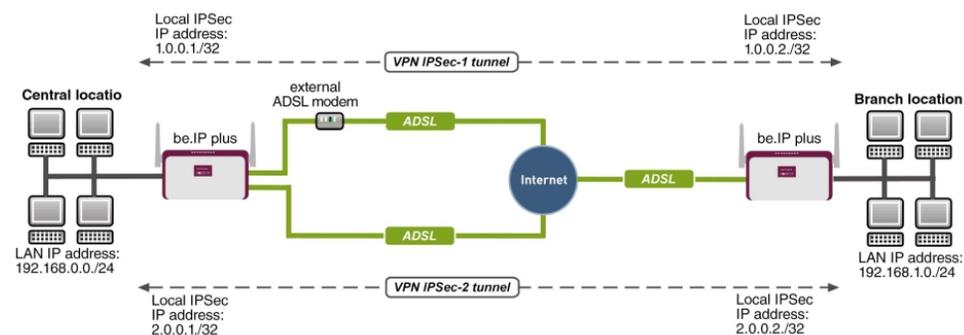


Fig. 48: Example scenario

### Requirements

The following are required for the configuration:

Head office location

- A bintec VPN gateway e. g. **bintec be.IP plus** with system software 10.1.5 Patch 6
- Two independent ADSL Internet connections (with dynamic WAN IP addresses, you can

work with DynDNS)

- An external ADSL modem that is connected to the **bintec be.IP plus** gateway's ETH5 port.

Branch office location

- A bintec VPN gateway e. g. **bintec be.IP plus** with system software 10.1.5 Patch 6
- An ADSL Internet access

## 6.2 Configuration

### 6.2.1 Configure the gateway at head office

#### Setting up the Internet connections

Two ADSL Internet connections are used in parallel at the head office location, to improve reliability and achieve greater bandwidth. These Internet accesses are configured using the **Wizard**.

- (1) Go to **Assistants** -> **Internet** -> **Internet Connections** -> **New**.
- (2) For **Connection Type**, select *Internal ADSL Modem*.
- (3) Click on **Next** to configure a new Internet connection.
- (4) Enter the required data for the connection.

Fig. 49: **Assistants** -> **Internet** -> **Internet Connections** -> **New** -> **Next**

Proceed as follows to configure an Internet access:

- (1) Under **Description** enter e. g. *ADSL-1* .
- (2) For **Type**, select *User-defined via PPP over Ethernet (PPPoE)*.
- (3) For **User Name**, enter the name that your provider has given you, e. g. *ADSL-Username*.
- (4) Enter the **Password** that your provider has given you, e. g. *test12345*.
- (5) In the **Always active** field, specify whether or not the Internet connection should always be on. Only activate this option if you have Internet access with a flatrate.
- (6) Press **OK** to confirm your entries.

To set up the second ADSL connection, run the wizard again.

- (1) Go to **Assistants** -> **Internet**-> **Internet Connections** -> **New**.
- (2) For **Connection Type**, select *External xDSL Modem*.
- (3) Click on **Next** to configure a new Internet connection.
- (4) Enter the required data for the connection.

Description  
ADSL-2

Select the physical Ethernet port the external modem is connected to: ?

Physical Ethernet Port ETH5 ▾

Select your Internet Service Provider (ISP) from the list: ?

Type User-defined ▾

Is the configuration of a VLAN required by the ISP (e.g. with VDSL Modems)? ?

VLAN

Enter the authentication data for your Internet account: ?

User Name  
ADSL-Username2

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Password  
\*\*\*\*\*

Fig. 50: Assistants -> Internet -> Internet Connections -> New -> Next



**Note**

The message you get when you create the second ADSL connection may be ignored. The IP load distribution avoids routing conflicts due to multiple standard routes!

Proceed as follows to configure the second Internet connection:

- (1) Under **Description**, enter a name for the Internet connection, e. g. *ADSL-2*.
- (2) Under **Physical Ethernet Port** select the physical Ethernet port to which the xDSL modem is connected, in this case *ETH5*.
- (3) For **User Name**, enter the access data that your provider has given you, e. g. *ADSL-Username2*.
- (4) Enter the **Password** that your provider has given you, e. g. *test12345*.
- (5) Press **OK** to confirm your entries.

When the configuration is complete, the wizard for configuring Internet connections will show two entries.

- (1) Go to **Assistants -> Internet -> Internet Connections**.

List of configured Internet connections:

Description	Type			
ADSL-1	PPP over Ethernet	⊘	🗑️	✎
ADSL-2	External xDSL Modem	🔗	🗑️	✎

Fig. 51: Assistants -> Internet -> Internet Connections

## Setting up the IP load distribution

A load balancing group needs to have been created before you can set up the IP load distribution.

- (1) Go to **Network -> Load Balancing -> Load Balancing Groups -> New**.

The screenshot shows the configuration interface for a new Load Balancing Group. It is divided into two main sections: 'Basic Parameters' and 'Interface Selection for Distribution'.

**Basic Parameters:**

- Group Description:** A text input field containing 'Internet access'.
- Distribution Policy:** A dropdown menu set to 'Session-Round-Robin'.
- Distribution Mode:** Two radio buttons: 'Always' (selected) and 'Only use active interfaces'.

**Interface Selection for Distribution:**

Interface	Distribution Ratio	Route Selector	Tracking IP Address
ADD			

Fig. 52: **Network ->Load Balancing->Load Balancing Groups->New**

To create a load balancing group, proceed as follows:

- (1) Under **Group Description**, enter a name for the load balancing group, e. g. *Internet access*.
- (2) For **Distribution Policy**, select the method that will be used to distribute the data, here *Session-Round-Robin* (for load distribution based on IP sessions).

The two ADSL Internet accesses can then be added to this load balancing group.

To do this, click **Add**.

The image shows two panels from a network configuration interface. The top panel, titled 'Basic Parameters', has a dark red header. It contains two rows: 'Group Description' with the value 'Internet access' and 'Distribution Policy' with the value 'Session-Round-Robin'. The bottom panel, titled 'Interface Selection for Distribution', also has a dark red header. It contains two rows: 'Interface' with a dropdown menu showing 'WAN\_ADSL-1' and 'Distribution Ratio' with a slider set to '50 %'.

Fig. 53: **Network ->Load Balancing->Load Balancing Groups->Add**

Proceed as follows:

- (1) For **Interface**, select the first ADSL access *WAN\_ADSL-1*.
- (2) Enter *50 %* for **Distribution Ratio**.
- (3) Click **Apply**.
- (4) Add the second ADSL line with **Add**.
- (5) For **Interface**, select the second ADSL access *WAN\_ADSL-2*.
- (6) Enter *50 %* for **Distribution Ratio**.
- (7) Click **Apply**.

Results:

**Basic Parameters**

Group Description  
Internet access

Distribution Policy Session-Round-Robin ▾

Distribution Mode  Always  Only use active interfaces

**Interface Selection for Distribution**

Interface	Distribution Ratio	Route Selector	Tracking IP Address	
WAN_ADSL-1	50 %			🗑️ ✎
WAN_ADSL-2	50 %			🗑️ ✎
ADD				

**Fig. 54: Network -> Load Balancing -> Load Balancing Groups**

After this configuration step, the two Internet connections can be used with the IP load distribution. In this scenario, activating the IP load distribution means that no advanced routing entries are required to enable the VPN IPsec tunnel to be created.

### Set up the VPN IPsec connections

In this scenario, the VPN IPsec connections are always set up from the branch office gateway to the head office gateway. The same IPsec Phase 1 and Phase 2 profile can be used for both tunnel connections. For this purpose, create two new VPN tunnels.

- (1) Go to **VPN -> IPsec -> IPsec Peers -> New**.

**Peer Parameters**

Administrative Status  Up  Down

Description  
Branch1\_Peer-1

Peer Address IP Version IPv4 Preferred ▾

Peer ID E-mail Address ▾  
Branch1\_Peer-1@bintec-elmeg.com

Internet Key Exchange IKEv1 ▾

Preshared Key  
\*\*\*\*\*

IP Version of the tunneled Networks IPv4 ▾

**IPv4 Interface Routes**

Security Policy  Untrusted  Trusted

IPv4 Address Assignment Static ▾

Default Route  Disabled

Local IP Address  
1.0.0.1

Route Entries

Remote IP Address	Netmask	Metric	
1.0.0.2	255.255.255.255	1 ▾	
192.168.1.0	255.255.255.0	1 ▾	🗑️

ADD

Advanced IPsec Options	
Phase-1 Profile	None (use default profile) ▼
Phase-2 Profile	None (use default profile) ▼
XAUTH Profile	Select one ▼
Number of Admitted Connections	<input checked="" type="radio"/> One User <input type="radio"/> Multiple Users
Start Mode	<input checked="" type="radio"/> On Demand <input type="radio"/> Always up

Fig. 56: VPN-> IPsec-> IPsec Peers-> New

To add a new connection, proceed as follows:

- (1) Set the **Administrative Status** to *Up*. The peer is available for setting up a tunnel immediately after saving the configuration.
- (2) For **Description**, enter a description of the peer which identifies it, e. g. *Branch1\_Peer-1*.
- (3) No address is entered for **Peer Address**, because the VPN tunnel is always set up from the branch office gateway to the head office gateway.
- (4) For **Peer ID**, the ID type *E-mail Address* and the ID value *Branch1\_Peer-1@bintec-elmeg.com* is used for the first VPN tunnel for connecting the branch office. The **peer ID** must be unique and match the remote terminal's local ID value.
- (5) Select the version of the Internet Key Exchange protocol for **IKE (Internet Key Exchange)**. In this scenario, *IKEv1* must be used.
- (6) For **Preshared Key**, enter the password for the encrypted connection (e. g. *test12345*).
- (7) For **IPv4 Address Assignment**, select the configuration mode *Static*.
- (8) In this scenario, the **Default route** option is not set.
- (9) The **Local IP Address** is the IP address that is linked to the tunnel interface. Here, an address from a network that has not been previously used is used, e. g. *1.0.0.1*. This unique IP address enables ping requests for monitoring the VPN tunnel to be sent systematically via the VPN tunnel interface.

- (10) The IP address / netmask of the destination network is defined as the **route entry**. If additional destination networks are to be routed over the tunnel, these can be added with the **Add** button.
- Two routing entries are required in our example.
- Enter an address from the range of the **local IP Address** of the tunnel interface which is being used to monitor the tunnel, e. g. `1.0.0.2`. This address must match the **local IP Address** of the VPN tunnel interface at the branch office gateway for the branch office **network**, in this example `192.168.1.0/24` another routing entry is required.
- (11) As the **Phase-1 Profile**, the *None (use default profile)*, which has been generated automatically, is used.
- (12) As the **Phase-2 Profile**, the *None (use default profile)*, which has been generated automatically, is used.
- (13) Leave the remaining settings unchanged and confirm them with **OK**.

After configuring the first VPN IPsec connection to connect the branch office, the second VPN IPsec tunnel can now be created.

- (1) Go to **VPN -> IPsec -> IPsec Peers -> New**.

The screenshot displays two configuration panels for an IPsec peer. The left panel, titled 'Peer Parameters', includes fields for Administrative Status (set to 'Up'), Description ('Branch1\_Peer-2'), Peer Address (IP Version: IPv4 Preferred), Peer ID (E-mail Address: Branch1\_Peer-2@bintec-elmeg.com), Internet Key Exchange (IKEv1), Preshared Key (masked with asterisks), and IP Version of the tunneled Networks (IPv4). The right panel, titled 'IPv4 Interface Routes', shows Security Policy (Trusted), IPv4 Address Assignment (Static), Default Route (Disabled), Local IP Address (2.0.0.1), and a table of Route Entries.

Remote IP Address	Netmask	Metric
2.0.0.2	255.255.255.255	1
192.168.1.0	255.255.255.0	1

ADD

Fig. 57: VPN-> IPsec-> IPsec Peers-> New

To add a new connection, proceed as follows:

- (1) Set the **Administrative Status** to *Up*. The peer is available for setting up a tunnel immediately after saving the configuration.
- (2) For **Description**, enter a description of the peer which identifies it, e. g. `Branch1_Peer-2`.

- (3) No address is entered for **Peer Address**, because the VPN tunnel is always set up from the branch office gateway to the head office gateway.
- (4) For **Peer ID**, the ID type *E-mail Address* and the ID value *Branch1\_Peer-2@bintec-elmeg.com* is used for the first VPN tunnel for connecting the branch office. The **Peer ID** must be unique and match the remote terminal's local ID value.
- (5) Select the version of the Internet Key Exchange protocol for **IKE (Internet Key Exchange)**. In this scenario, *IKEv1* must be used.
- (6) For **Preshared Key**, enter the password for the encrypted connection (e. g. *test12345*).
- (7) For **IPv4 Address Assignment**, select the configuration mode *Static*.
- (8) In this scenario, the **Default route** option is not set.
- (9) The **Local IP Address** is the IP address that is linked to the tunnel interface. Here, an address from a network that has not been previously used is used, e. g. *2.0.0.1*. This unique IP address enables ping requests for monitoring the VPN tunnel to be sent systematically via the VPN tunnel interface.
- (10) The IP address / netmask of the destination network is defined as the **route entry**. If additional destination networks are to be routed over the tunnel, these can be added with the **Add** button.

Two routing entries are required in our example.  
Enter an address from the range of the **local IP address** of the tunnel interface which is being used to monitor the tunnel, e. g. *2.0.0.2*. This address must match the **local IP address** of the VPN tunnel interface at the branch office gateway for the branch office **network**, in this example *192.168.1.0/24* another routing entry is required.
- (11) As the **Phase-1 Profile**, the *None (use default profile)*, which has been generated automatically, is used.
- (12) As the **Phase-2 Profile**, the *None (use default profile)*, which has been generated automatically, is used.
- (13) Leave the remaining settings unchanged and confirm them with **OK**.

When the first VPN IPsec connection was created, an IPsec **phase 1 profile** was created which both the VPN IPsec tunnels point to. To be able to use this **phase 1 profile** for the IPsec authentication, the local IPsec ID needs to be changed.

- (1) Go to **VPN -> IPsec -> Phase 1 Profiles -> <Multi-Proposal>** 

## Phase-1 (IKE) Parameters

Description  
Multi-Proposal

Proposals

Encryption	Authentication	Enabled
AES ▼	SHA2 256 ▼	<input type="checkbox"/>
AES ▼	MD5 ▼	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
3DES ▼	MD5 ▼	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

DH Group 2(1024 Bit) ▼

Lifetime 14400 Seconds 0 kBytes

Authentication Method Preshared Keys ▼

Mode  
 Main Mode (ID Protect)  Aggressive  
 Strict

Local ID Type E-mail Address ▼

Local ID Value  
central@bintec-elmeg.com

Fig. 58: VPN -> IPsec -> Phase 1 Profiles -> <Multi-Proposal> 

Proceed as follows:

- (1) For the **Local ID Type**, select the type of the local ID, here *E-mail Address*.
- (2) For the **Local ID Value**, enter a value that can be used to identify the head office gateway, here e. g. *central@bintec-elmeg.com*.
- (3) Leave the remaining settings unchanged and confirm them with **OK**.

### Monitor the VPN IPsec connections

Ping requests are periodically sent to the branch office gateway via both tunnels in order to monitor the VPN IPsec tunnel connections. If this ping request fails to be answered three times, the head office gateway permits no new connections via the tunnel concerned. As soon as the branch office gateway answers the ping request three times once more, new IP connections are permitted. While one VPN tunnel is down, all the data is routed via the remaining VPN tunnel.

When the IPsec peers were being created, unique IP addresses (1.0.0.2 and 2.0.0.2 in this example) were issued for the VPN IPsec tunnel's ping monitoring. These addresses are used to periodically check that the branch office gateway can be accessed.

In the **Hosts** menu, you can configure an automatic availability check for hosts or interfaces and automatic ping tests.

- (1) Go to **Local Services->Surveillance->Hosts->New**.

### Trigger

Monitored IP Address

Source IP Address

Interval  Seconds

Successful Trials

Unsuccessful Trials

Action to be performed

Action	Interface
<input type="text" value="Monitor"/>	

**ADD**

Fig. 59: **Local Services->Surveillance->Hosts->New**

Proceed as follows:

- (1) The host surveillance can be linked to groups using the **group ID**. In this scenario, each instance of host surveillance must use a unique group ID.
- (2) For **Monitored IP Address**, enter the IP address of the host that is to be monitored. For the monitoring of the first VPN IPsec tunnel, in our example the monitoring of the

branch office gateway is done with the address `1.0.0.2`.

- (3) By setting the **Source IP Address** for host surveillance, you ensure that the ping packet with the **local IP address** of the VPN tunnel interface has been sent so that the branch office gateway can, in turn, reply via this same route. Select *Specific* and enter the local IP address of the first VPN IPsec interface, e. g. `1.0.0.1`.
- (4) For **Interval**, enter the time interval (in seconds) which is to be used for checking that the host is available, here e. g. `3` seconds.
- (5) For **Successful Trials**, enter the number of pings that must remain unanswered for the host to be regarded as unavailable. Here, e. g., after `3` failed attempts.
- (6) For **Unsuccessful Trials**, enter the number of pings that must be answered for the host to be regarded as available once more. In our example, a host is regarded as available again after `3` successful ping requests/replies. This function is aimed at preventing frequent jitters in the connections.
- (7) Under **Actions to be performed**, select the *Monitor* option, because the status of interfaces is not to be changed.
- (8) Confirm with **OK**.

To monitor the second VPN IPsec tunnel, after saving a second entry for host surveillance must be created. Create the second host surveillance entry in the same way as the first entry except for the IP addresses. In the second entry for host surveillance, the **local IP addresses** of the second VPN IPsec interface are used. In our example, the address `2.0.0.2` is used as the **Monitored IP Address**, and `2.0.0.1` is used for the **Source IP Address**.

When the configuration is complete, the list of monitored hosts shows two entries that monitor the availability of the branch office gateway's IP addresses.

Results:

Hosts:				
Group ID	Monitored IP Address	Status	Action	Interface
0	1.0.0.2	<span style="color: red;">✘</span>	Monitor	 
1	2.0.0.2	<span style="color: red;">✘</span>	Monitor	 

Fig. 60: Local Services -> Surveillance -> Hosts

## Configure the IP load distribution for the VPN IPsec connections

Another load balancing group is created to distribute the IP sessions to the two VPN IPsec connections.

- (1) Go to **Network -> Load Balancing -> Load Balancing Groups -> New**.

The screenshot shows two configuration sections. The first section, titled 'Basic Parameters', contains the following fields:

- Group Description:** A text input field containing 'VPN\_Branch1'.
- Distribution Policy:** A dropdown menu set to 'Session-Round-Robin'.
- Distribution Mode:** Two radio buttons: 'Always' (selected) and 'Only use active interfaces'.

The second section, titled 'Interface Selection for Distribution', is a table with the following columns: 'Interface', 'Distribution Ratio', 'Route Selector', and 'Tracking IP Address'. The table is currently empty, with an 'ADD' button located at the bottom left of the table area.

Fig. 61: **Network ->Load Balancing->Load Balancing Groups->New**

To create a load balancing group, proceed as follows:

- (1) Under **Group description**, enter a name for the load balancing group, e. g. *VPN\_Branch1*.
- (2) For **Distribution policy**, select the method that will be used to distribute the data, here *Session-Round-Robin* (for load distribution based on IP sessions).

The two IPsec interfaces can then be added to this load balancing group.

To do this, click **Add**.

The image shows a configuration interface with three main sections:

- Basic Parameters:** A table with two rows. The first row has 'Group Description' and 'VPN\_Branch1'. The second row has 'Distribution Policy' and 'Session-Round-Robin'.
- Interface Selection for Distribution:** A form with two fields. The 'Interface' field is a dropdown menu showing 'IPSEC\_BRANCH1\_PEER-1'. The 'Distribution Ratio' field is a slider set to '50 %'.
- Advanced Settings:** A section with a title 'Advanced Parameter' and two fields. The 'Route Selector' field is a dropdown menu showing 'None'. The 'Tracking IP Address' field is a dropdown menu showing '1.0.0.2'.

Fig. 62: **Network ->Load Balancing->Load Balancing Groups->Add**

Proceed as follows:

- (1) For **Interface**, select the first VPN IPsec interface for connecting the branch office, here `IPSEC_BRANCH1_PEER-1`.
- (2) Enter `50 %` for **Distribution Ratio**. This option specifies the ratio in which new IP sessions are distributed to the interfaces in the IP load balancing group.
- (3) In this example, the **Route selector** is left at `None`, since no interfaces have been assigned more than once in different load balancing groups.

- (4) The **Tracing IP Address** option is used to select the IP address from the configured host monitoring, e. g. `1.0.0.2`. When the host surveillance detects that the connection has been broken, no more IP sessions are set up via this VPN IPsec tunnel.
- (5) Click **Apply**.
- (6) Add the second VPN IPsec interface with **Add**.
- (7) For **Interface**, select `IPSEC_BRANCH1_PEER-2`.
- (8) Enter `50 %` for **Distribution Ratio**.
- (9) Select the **Tracing IP Address**, e. g. `2.0.0.2`.
- (10) Click **Apply**.

Results:

**Basic Parameters**

Group Description  
VPN\_Branch1

Distribution Policy  
Session-Round-Robin

Distribution Mode  
 Always
  Only use active interfaces

**Interface Selection for Distribution**

Interface	Distribution Ratio	Route Selector	Tracking IP Address	
IPSEC_BRANCH1_PEER-1	50 %		1.0.0.2	
IPSEC_BRANCH1_PEER-2	50 %		2.0.0.2	
<b>ADD</b>				

Fig. 63: Network -> Load Balancing -> Load Balancing Groups

## 6.2.2 Configure the gateway at the branch office

### Setting up the Internet connection

The **Wizard** can be used to set up the branch office gateway's Internet access.

- (1) Go to **Assistants** -> **Internet**-> **Internet Connections** -> **New**.
- (2) For **Connection Type**, select *Internal ADSL Modem*.
- (3) Click on **Next** to configure a new Internet connection.
- (4) Enter the required data for the connection.

The screenshot shows a configuration interface for an Internet connection. It is organized into four main sections, each with a dark red header bar. The first section, 'Basic Settings', contains a 'Description' field with the value 'PPPoE1'. The second section, 'Select your Internet Service Provider (ISP) from the list:', features a 'Type' dropdown menu currently set to 'User-defined', with a sub-menu open showing 'VDSL/ADSL auto - PPP over Ethernet (PPPoE)'. The third section, 'Is the configuration of a VLAN required by the ISP (e.g. with VDSL Modems)?', includes a 'VLAN' toggle switch that is currently turned off. The final section, 'Enter the authentication data for your Internet account:', has a 'User Name' field containing 'ADSL-Username' and a 'Password' field with masked characters.

Fig. 64: **Assistants -> Internet-> Internet Connections -> New -> Next**

Proceed as follows to configure an Internet access:

- (1) Under **Description** enter e. g. *PPPoE1* .
- (2) For **Type**, select *User-defined via PPP over Ethernet (PPPoE)*.
- (3) For **User Name**, enter the name that your provider has given you, e. g. *ADSL-Username*.
- (4) Enter the **Password** that your provider has given you, e. g. *test12345*.
- (5) Enable the **Always active** option.
- (6) Press **OK** to confirm your entries.

### Set up the VPN IPSec connections

The two IPSec peers at the branch office gateway need to be using different local IPSec IDs. Before configuring the actual IPSec peers, create the two phase 1 profiles.

- (1) Go to **VPN -> IPSec -> Phase 1 Profiles -> New**

### Phase-1 (IKE) Parameters

Description  
Branch1\_Peer1

Proposals

Encryption	Authentication	Enabled
AES	SHA1	<input type="checkbox"/>
AES	MD5	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
3DES	MD5	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

DH Group 2(1024 Bit)

Lifetime 14400 Seconds 0 kBytes

Authentication Method Preshared Keys

Mode  Main Mode (ID Protect)  Aggressive  Strict

Local ID Type E-mail Address

Local ID Value  
Branch1\_Peer1@bintec-elmeg.com

Fig. 65: VPN -> IPsec -> Phase 1 Profiles -> New

Proceed as follows.

- (1) For **Description**, give the phase 1 profile a unique name, e. g. *Branch1\_Peer1*.
- (2) For **Proposals**, a combination of encryption and authentication algorithm is selected, e. g. *AES / SHA1*. This setting must match that of the head office gateway.

- (3) Select the **DH Group**, (Diffie-Hellmann group) which is to be used in key calculation for creating the IPsec phase 1. This setting must match that of the head office gateway, e. g. *DH Group 2 (1024 Bit)*.
- (4) The **Lifetime** specifies the validity of the calculated key. The default value of *14400* seconds can be adopted here. This setting must match that of the head office gateway.
- (5) In our example, the VPN IPsec tunnels are authenticated using the *Preshared Keys* **Authentication Method**. A shared password is issued for this purpose when the IPsec peer is being configured.
- (6) Because, in this example, Internet accesses with dynamic addresses and preshared keys are used for the IPsec authentication, the **Mode** must be set to *Aggressive*. This setting must match that of the head office gateway.
- (7) The **Local ID Type** specifies the type of the local ID value. In our example, a local ID of type *E-mail address* is used.
- (8) The **Local ID Value** must be unique and match the peer ID option at the head office gateway. In this example, *Branch1\_Peer1@bintec-elmeg.com* is used for the phase 1 profile of the first IPsec connection.
- (9) Press **OK** to confirm your entries.

The second IPsec **phase 1 profile** can be created in the same way except for the description and the local ID value.

You configure the second IPsec **Phase 1 Profile** in the same way as you configured the first profile.

- (1) Go to **VPN -> IPsec -> Phase 1 Profiles -> New**

### Phase-1 (IKE) Parameters

Description  
Branch1\_Peer2

Proposals

Encryption	Authentication	Enabled
AES	SHA1	<input type="checkbox"/>
AES	MD5	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
3DES	MD5	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

DH Group 2(1024 Bit)

Lifetime 14400 Seconds 0 kBytes

Authentication Method Preshared Keys

Mode  Main Mode (ID Protect)  Aggressive  Strict

Local ID Type E-mail Address

Local ID Value  
Branch1\_Peer2@bintec-elmeg.com

Fig. 66: VPN -> IPsec -> Phase 1 Profiles -> New

Proceed as follows.

- (1) For **Description**, give the phase 1 profile a unique name, e. g. *Branch1\_Peer2*.
- (2) For **Proposals**, a combination of encryption and authentication algorithm is selected, e. g. *AES / SHA1*. This setting must match that of the head office gateway.

- (3) Select the **DH Group**, (Diffie-Hellmann group) which is to be used in key calculation for creating the IPSec phase 1. This setting must match that of the head office gateway, e. g. *DH Group 2 (1024 Bit)*.
- (4) The **Lifetime** specifies the validity of the calculated key. The default value of *14400* seconds can be adopted here. This setting must match that of the head office gateway.
- (5) In our example, the VPN IPSec tunnels are authenticated using the *Preshared Keys* **Authentication Method**. A shared password is issued for this purpose when the IPSec peer is being configured.
- (6) Because, in this example, Internet accesses with dynamic addresses and preshared keys are used for the IPSec authentication, the **Mode** must be set to *Aggressive*. This setting must match that of the head office gateway.
- (7) The **Local ID Type** specifies the type of the local ID value. In our example, a local ID of type *E-mail address* is used.
- (8) The **Local ID Value** must be unique and match the peer ID option at the head office gateway. In this example, *Branch1\_Peer2@bintec-elmeg.com* is used for the phase 1 profile of the first IPSec connection.
- (9) Press **OK** to confirm your entries.

Two entries for the IPSec connections that are to be configured then display in the overview of the IPSec **phase 1 profile**.

- (1) Go to **VPN -> IPSec -> Phase 1 Profiles**.

Internet Key Exchange Version 1 (IKEv1)						
Default	Description	Proposals	Authentication	Mode	DH Group	Lifetime
<input type="radio"/>	Branch1_Peer1	[AES/SHA1][AES/MD5][3DES/MD5]	Preshared Keys	Aggressive	2(1024 Bit)	0KB / 4h
<input checked="" type="radio"/>	Multi-Proposal	[AES/SHA2 256][AES/MD5][3DES/MD5]	Preshared Keys	Aggressive	2(1024 Bit)	0KB / 4h
<input type="radio"/>	Branch1_Peer2	[AES/SHA1][AES/MD5][3DES/MD5]	Preshared Keys	Aggressive	2(1024 Bit)	0KB / 4h

CREATE NEW IKEV1 PROFILE

Fig. 67: **VPN -> IPSec -> Phase-1 Profiles**

Two IPSec connections are now added to connect the head office.

- (1) Go to **VPN -> IPSec -> IPSec Peers -> New**.

The screenshot displays two configuration panels. The left panel, titled 'Peer Parameters', includes fields for Administrative Status (Up), Description (Headoffice\_Peer-1), Peer Address (62.146.53.200), Peer ID (central@bintec-elmeg.com), Internet Key Exchange (IKEv1), Preshared Key (test12345), and IP Version of the tunneled Networks (IPv4). The right panel, titled 'IPv4 Interface Routes', shows Security Policy (Trusted), IPv4 Address Assignment (Static), Default Route (Disabled), Local IP Address (1.0.0.2), and a table of Route Entries:

Remote IP Address	Netmask	Metric
1.0.0.1	255.255.255.255	1
192.168.1.0	255.255.255.0	1

Fig. 68: VPN-> IPsec-> IPsec Peers-> New

To add a new connection, proceed as follows:

- (1) Set the **Administrative Status** to *Up*. The peer is available for setting up a tunnel immediately after saving the configuration.
- (2) For **Description**, enter a description of the peer which identifies it, e. g. *Headoffice\_Peer-1*.
- (3) For **Peer Address**, enter the static IP address or the host name used to access the first Internet access of the head office gateway. In our example, this is the static IP address *62.146.53.200*.
- (4) The **Peer ID** must match the local ID value of the head office gateway. In this example, the type *E-mail address* and the ID value *central@bintec-elmeg.com* are used.
- (5) Select the version of the Internet Key Exchange protocol for **IKE (Internet Key Exchange)**. In this scenario, *IKEv1* must be used.
- (6) For **Preshared Key**, enter the password for the encrypted connection (e. g. *test12345*).
- (7) For **IPv4 Address Assignment**, select the configuration mode *Static*.
- (8) Select whether the route to this IPsec peer is to be defined as the default route. In this scenario, the **Default route** option is not set.
- (9) The **Local IP Address** is the IP address that is linked to the tunnel interface, here e. g. *1.0.0.2*. An address from a previously unused network is used here. The VPN IPsec tunnel is monitored with this address.
- (10) The IP address / netmask of the destination network is defined as the **route entry**. If additional destination networks are to be routed over the tunnel, these can be added with the **Add** button.

Two routing entries are required in our example.

Enter the IP address that is used as the local IP address of the tunnel interface at the head office gateway, e. g. `1.0.0.1`. A routing entry also needs to be created for the head office network, `192.168.0.0/24` in this example.

- (11) As the **Phase-1 Profile**, you must select the IPsec phase 1 profile that was created previously for the first VPN IPsec tunnel, e. g. `Branch1_Peer1`.
- (12) As the **Phase-2 Profile**, the default phase 2 profile that was automatically generated, here the `*Multi-Proposal`, is used.
- (13) The **XAUTH profile** is not used in this scenario.
- (14) **Number of Admitted Connections** can be left at the default value `One user`.
- (15) As the VPN IPsec connections are always created from the branch office gateway to the head office gateway, the **Start Mode** here must be set to `Always up`.
- (16) Leave the remaining settings unchanged and confirm them with **OK**.

After configuring the first VPN IPsec connection to connect the head office, the second VPN IPsec tunnel can now be created.

- (1) Go to **VPN -> IPsec -> IPsec Peers -> New**.

The screenshot displays two configuration panels for a new IPsec peer. The left panel, titled 'Peer Parameters', includes fields for Administrative Status (set to 'Up'), Description ('Headoffice\_Peer-2'), Peer Address (62.146.53.201), Peer ID (central@bintec-elmeg.com), Internet Key Exchange (IKEv1), and IP Version of the tunneled Networks (IPv4). The right panel, titled 'IPv4 Interface Routes', shows Security Policy (Trusted), IPv4 Address Assignment (Static), Default Route (Disabled), Local IP Address (2.0.0.2), and a table of Route Entries:

Remote IP Address	Netmask	Metric
2.0.0.1	255.255.255.255	1
192.168.0.0	255.255.255.0	1

Fig. 69: VPN-> IPsec-> IPsec Peers-> New

To add a new connection, proceed as follows:

- (1) Set the **Administrative Status** to `Up`. The peer is available for setting up a tunnel immediately after saving the configuration.
- (2) For **Description**, enter a description of the peer which identifies it, e. g. `Headoffice_Peer-2`.
- (3) For **Peer Address**, enter the static IP address or the host name used to access the first Internet access of the head office gateway. In our example, this is the static IP address `62.146.53.201`.

- (4) The **Peer ID** must be unique and match the remote terminal's local ID value. In our example, the type *E-mail address* and the ID value *central@bintec-elmeg.com* are used.
- (5) Select the version of the Internet Key Exchange protocol for **IKE (Internet Key Exchange)**. In this scenario, *IKEv1* must be used.
- (6) For **Preshared Key**, enter the password for the encrypted connection (e. g. *test12345*).
- (7) For **IPv4 Address Assignment**, select the configuration mode *Static*.
- (8) In this scenario, the **Default route** option is not set.
- (9) The **Local IP Address** is the IP address that is linked to the tunnel interface, here e. g. *2.0.0.2*. An address from a previously unused network is used here. The VPN IPsec tunnel is monitored with this address.
- (10) The target IP address / netmask of the destination network is defined as the **route entry**. If additional destination networks are to be routed over the tunnel, these can be added with the **Add** button.

Two routing entries are required in our example.  
Enter the IP address that is used as the local IP address of the tunnel interface at the head office gateway, e. g. *2.0.0.1*. For the head office **Network**, in this example *192.168.1.0/24*, another routing entry is also required.
- (11) As the **Phase-1 Profile**, you must select the IPsec phase 1 profile that was created previously for the first VPN IPsec tunnel, e. g. *Branch1\_Peer2*.
- (12) As the **Phase-2 Profile**, the default phase 2 profile that was automatically generated, here the *\*Multi-Proposal*, is used.
- (13) The **XAUTH profile** is not used in this scenario.
- (14) **Number of Admitted Connections** can be left at the default value *One user*.
- (15) As the VPN IPsec connections are always created from the branch office gateway to the head office gateway, the **Start Mode** here must be set to *Always up*.
- (16) Leave the remaining settings unchanged and confirm them with **OK**.

Results:



Prio	Description	Peer Address	Peer ID	Phase-1 Profile	Phase-2 Profile	Status	Action
IPsec Static Peers							
1	Headoffice_Peer-1	62.146.53.200	central@bintec-elmeg.com	Branch1_Peer1	Multi-Proposal		
2	Headoffice_Peer-2	62.146.53.201	central@bintec-elmeg.com	Branch1_Peer2	Multi-Proposal		

Fig. 70: VPN->IPsec->IPsec Peers

## Monitor the VPN IPsec connections

Ping requests are periodically sent to the head office gateway via both tunnels in order to monitor the VPN IPsec tunnel connections. If this ping request fails to be answered three times, the branch office gateway permits no new connections via the tunnel concerned. As soon as the head office gateway answers the ping request three times once more, new IP connections are permitted. While one VPN tunnel is down, all the data is routed via the remaining VPN tunnel.

When the IPsec peers were being created, unique IP addresses (1.0.0.1 and 2.0.0.1 in this example) were issued for the VPN IPsec tunnel's ping monitoring. These addresses are used to periodically check that the branch office gateway can be accessed.

In the **Hosts** menu, you can configure an automatic availability check for hosts or interfaces and automatic ping tests.

- (1) Go to **Local Services->Surveillance->Hosts->New**.

### Trigger

Monitored IP Address

Source IP Address

Interval  Seconds

Successful Trials

Unsuccessful Trials

Action to be performed

Action	Interface
<input type="text" value="Monitor"/>	

**ADD**

Fig. 71: **Local Services->Surveillance->Hosts->New**

Proceed as follows:

- (1) The host surveillance can be linked to groups using the **group ID**. In this scenario, each instance of host surveillance must use a unique group ID.
- (2) For **Monitored IP Address**, enter the IP address of the host that is to be monitored. For the monitoring of the first VPN IPsec tunnel, in our example the monitoring of the branch office gateway is done with the address `1.0.0.1`.
- (3) By setting the **Source IP Address** for host surveillance, you ensure that the ping packet with the **local IP address** of the VPN tunnel interface has been sent so that the branch office gateway can, in turn, reply via this same route. Select *Specific*

and enter the local IP address of the first VPN IPsec interface, e. g. `1.0.0.2`.

- (4) For **Interval**, enter the time interval (in seconds) which is to be used for checking that the host is available, here e. g. `3` seconds.
- (5) For **Successful Trials**, enter the number of pings that must remain unanswered for the host to be regarded as unavailable. Here, e. g., after `3` failed attempts.
- (6) For **Unsuccessful Trials**, enter the number of pings that must be answered for the host to be regarded as available once more. In our example, a host is regarded as available again after `3` successful ping requests/replies. This function is aimed at preventing frequent jitters in the connections.
- (7) Under **Actions to be performed**, select the *Monitor* option, because the status of interfaces is not to be changed.
- (8) Confirm with **OK**.

To monitor the second VPN IPsec tunnel, after saving a second entry for host surveillance must be created. Create the second host surveillance entry in the same way as the first entry except for the IP addresses. In the second entry for host surveillance, the **local IP addresses** of the second VPN IPsec interface are used. In our example, the address `2.0.0.1` is used as the **Monitored IP address**, and `2.0.0.2` is used for the **Source IP address**.

When the configuration is complete, the list of monitored hosts shows two entries that monitor the availability of the branch office gateway's IP addresses.

Results:

Hosts:				
Group ID	Monitored IP Address	Status	Action	Interface
0	1.0.0.1	✘	Monitor	
1	2.0.0.1	✘	Monitor	

Fig. 72: **Local Services -> Surveillance -> Hosts**

## Configure the IP load distribution for the VPN IPsec connections

A load balancing group is created to distribute the IP sessions to the two VPN IPsec connections.

- (1) Go to **Network -> Load Balancing -> Load Balancing Groups -> New**.

The screenshot shows a configuration window with two main sections. The top section, titled "Basic Parameters", contains a text field for "Group Description" with the value "IPSec\_headoffice", a dropdown menu for "Distribution Policy" set to "Session-Round-Robin", and radio buttons for "Distribution Mode" with "Always" selected. The bottom section, titled "Interface Selection for Distribution", features a table with columns for "Interface", "Distribution Ratio", "Route Selector", and "Tracking IP Address". Below the table is an "ADD" button.

Interface	Distribution Ratio	Route Selector	Tracking IP Address
ADD			

Fig. 73: Network ->Load Balancing->Load Balancing Groups->New

To create a load balancing group, proceed as follows:

- (1) Under **Group Description**, enter a name for the load balancing group, e. g. *IPSec\_headoffice*.
- (2) For **Distribution Policy**, select the method that will be used to distribute the data, here *Session-Round-Robin* (for load distribution based on IP sessions).

The two ADSL Internet accesses can then be added to this load balancing group.

To do this, click **Add**.

The screenshot displays a configuration interface for a load balancing group. It is divided into three main sections:

- Basic Parameters:** A table with two rows. The first row has 'Group Description' and 'IPSec\_headoffice'. The second row has 'Distribution Policy' and 'Session-Round-Robin'.
- Interface Selection for Distribution:** A section with two rows. The first row has 'Interface' and a dropdown menu showing 'IPSEC\_HEADOFFICE\_PEER-1'. The second row has 'Distribution Ratio' and a slider set to '50 %'.
- Advanced Settings:** A section with two rows. The first row has 'Route Selector' and a dropdown menu showing 'None'. The second row has 'Tracking IP Address' and a dropdown menu showing '1.0.0.1'.

Fig. 74: Network ->Load Balancing->Load Balancing Groups->Add

Proceed as follows:

- (1) For **Interface**, select the first VPN IPsec interface for connecting the head office, here *IPSEC\_HEADOFFICE\_PEER-1*.
- (2) Enter *50 %* for **Distribution Ratio**. This option specifies the ratio in which new IP sessions are distributed to the interfaces in the IP load balancing group.
- (3) In this example, the **Route selector** is left at *None*, since no interfaces have been as-

signed more than once in different load balancing groups.

- (4) The **Tracing IP Address** option is used to select an IP address from the configured host monitoring, e. g. `1.0.0.1`. When the host surveillance detects that the connection has been broken, no more IP sessions are set up via this VPN IPsec tunnel.
- (5) Click **Apply**.
- (6) Add the second VPN IPsec interface with **Add**.
- (7) For **Interface**, select `IPSEC_HEADOFFICE_PEER-2`.
- (8) Enter `50 %` for **Distribution Ratio**.
- (9) Select the **Tracing IP Address**, e. g. `2.0.0.1`.
- (10) Click **Apply**.

Results:

Basic Parameters

Group Description  
IPSec\_headoffice

Distribution Policy Session-Round-Robin ▾

Distribution Mode  Always  Only use active interfaces

Interface Selection for Distribution

Interface	Distribution Ratio	Route Selector	Tracing IP Address	
IPSEC_HEADOFFICE_PEER-1	50 %		1.0.0.1	🗑️ ✎
IPSEC_HEADOFFICE_PEER-2	50 %		2.0.0.1	🗑️ ✎
ADD				

Fig. 75: Network -> Load Balancing -> Load Balancing Groups

## 6.3 Overview of Configuration Steps

### Configure the Internet connections (head office)

Field	Menu	Value
Connector Type	Assistants -> Internet-> Internet Connections -> New	Internal ADSL Modem
Description	Assistants -> Internet-> Internet Connections -> New -> Next	e. g. ADSL-1
Type	Assistants -> Internet-> Internet Connections -> New -> Next	User-defined via PPP over Ethernet (PPPoE)
User Name	Assistants -> Internet-> Internet Connections -> New -> Next	e. g. ADSL-Username
Password	Assistants -> Internet-> Internet Connections -> New -> Next	e. g. test12345
Always Active	Assistants -> Internet-> Internet Connections -> New -> Next	Enabled
Connector Type	Assistants -> Internet-> Internet Connections -> New	External ADSL modem
Description	Assistants -> Internet-> Internet Connections -> New -> Next	e. g. ADSL-2
Physical Ethernet Port	Assistants -> Internet-> Internet Connections -> New -> Next	ETH5
User Name	Assistants -> Internet-> Internet Connections -> New -> Next	e. g. ADSL-Username2
Password	Assistants -> Internet-> Internet Connections -> New -> Next	e. g. test12345
Always Active	Assistants -> Internet-> Internet Connections -> New -> Next	Enabled

### Create a load balancing group

Field	Menu	Value
Group Description	Network ->Load Balancing ->Load Balancing Groups ->New	e. g. Internet Access.
Distribution Policy	Network ->Load Balancing ->Load Balancing Groups ->New	Session-Round-Robin
Interface	Network ->Load Balancing ->Load Balancing Groups ->New	WAN_ADSL-1

Field	Menu	Value
	ancing Groups-> Add	
Distribution Ratio	Network ->Load Balancing ->Load Balancing Groups-> Add	50 %
Interface	Network ->Load Balancing ->Load Balancing Groups-> Add	WAN_ADSL-2
Distribution Ratio	Network ->Load Balancing-> Load Balancing Groups-> Add	50 %

### Set up the VPN IPSec connections

Field	Menu	Value
Administrative Status	VPN-> IPSec-> IPSec Peers-> New	Up
Description	VPN-> IPSec-> IPSec Peers-> New	e. g. Branch1_Peer-1
Peer ID	VPN-> IPSec-> IPSec Peers-> New	E-mail address and e. g. Branch1_Peer-1@bintec-elmeg.com
IKE (Internet Key Exchange)	VPN-> IPSec-> IPSec Peers-> New	IKEv1
Preshared Key	VPN-> IPSec-> IPSec Peers-> New	e. g. test12345
IPv4 Address Assignment	VPN-> IPSec-> IPSec Peers-> New	Static
Local IP Address	VPN-> IPSec-> IPSec Peers-> New	1.0.0.1
Route Entries	VPN-> IPSec-> IPSec Peers-> New	1.0.0.2/ 255.255.255.255 and 192.168.1.0/ 255.255.255.0
Phase-1 Profile	VPN -> IPSec -> IPSec Peers -> New -> Advanced Settings	None (use Default Profile)
Phase-2 Profile	VPN -> IPSec -> IPSec Peers -> New -> Advanced Settings	None (use Default Profile)
Administrative Status	VPN-> IPSec-> IPSec Peers-> New	Active
Description	VPN-> IPSec-> IPSec Peers-> New	e. g. Branch1_Peer-2
Peer ID	VPN-> IPSec-> IPSec Peers-> New	E-mail address and e. g. Branch1_Peer-2@bintec-elmeg.com

Field	Menu	Value
		<i>tec-elmeg.com</i>
<b>IKE (Internet Key Exchange)</b>	<b>VPN-&gt; IPsec-&gt; IPsec Peers-&gt; New</b>	<i>IKEv1</i>
<b>Preshared Key</b>	<b>VPN-&gt; IPsec-&gt; IPsec Peers-&gt; New</b>	e. g. <i>test12345</i>
<b>IPv4 Address Assignment</b>	<b>VPN-&gt; IPsec-&gt; IPsec Peers-&gt; New</b>	<i>Static</i>
<b>Local IP Address</b>	<b>VPN-&gt; IPsec-&gt; IPsec Peers-&gt; New</b>	<i>2.0.0.1</i>
<b>Route Entries</b>	<b>VPN-&gt; IPsec-&gt; IPsec Peers-&gt; New</b>	<i>2.0.0.2/ 255.255.255.255 and 192.168.1.0/ 255.255.255.0</i>
<b>Phase-1 Profile</b>	<b>VPN -&gt; IPsec -&gt; IPsec Peers -&gt; New -&gt; Advanced Settings</b>	<i>None (use Default Profile)</i>
<b>Phase-2 Profile</b>	<b>VPN -&gt; IPsec -&gt; IPsec Peers -&gt; New -&gt; Advanced Settings</b>	<i>None (use Default Profile)</i>
<b>Local ID Type</b>	<b>VPN -&gt; IPsec -&gt; Phase-1 Profiles -&gt; &lt;Multi-Proposal&gt; </b>	<i>E-mail Address</i>
<b>Local ID Value</b>	<b>VPN -&gt; IPsec -&gt; Phase-1 Profiles -&gt; &lt;Multi-Proposal&gt; </b>	e. g. <i>central@bintec-elmeg.com</i>

#### Set up monitoring tasks

Field	Menu	Value
<b>Monitored IP Address</b>	<b>Local Services-&gt; Surveillance -&gt;Hosts-&gt; New</b>	e. g. <i>1.0.0.2</i>
<b>Source IP Address</b>	<b>Local Services -&gt;Surveillance -&gt;Hosts-&gt; New</b>	<i>Specific / e. g. 1.0.0.1</i>
<b>Interval</b>	<b>Local Services-&gt; Surveillance -&gt;Hosts-&gt; New</b>	e. g. <i>3 seconds</i>
<b>Successful Trials</b>	<b>Local Services -&gt;Surveillance -&gt;Hosts-&gt; New</b>	e. g. <i>3</i>
<b>Unsuccessful Trials</b>	<b>Local Services-&gt; Surveillance -&gt;Hosts-&gt; New</b>	e. g. <i>3</i>
<b>Action to be performed</b>	<b>Local Services -&gt;Surveillance -&gt;Hosts-&gt; New</b>	<i>Monitor</i>
<b>Monitored IP Address</b>	<b>Local Services-&gt; Surveillance -&gt;Hosts-&gt; New</b>	e. g. <i>2.0.0.2</i>

Field	Menu	Value
Source IP Address	Local Services ->Surveillance ->Hosts-> New	<i>Specific/ e. g. 2.0.0.1</i>
Interval	Local Services-> Surveillance ->Hosts-> New	e. g. 3 seconds
Successful Trials	Local Services ->Surveillance ->Hosts-> New	e. g. 3
Unsuccessful Trials	Local Services-> Surveillance ->Hosts-> New	e. g. 3
Action to be performed	Local Services ->Surveillance ->Hosts-> New	<i>Monitor</i>

#### Configure the IP load distribution

Field	Menu	Value
Group Description	Network ->Load Balancing ->Load Balancing Groups ->New	e. g. <i>VPN_Branch1</i>
Distribution Policy	Network ->Load Balancing ->Load Balancing Groups ->New	<i>Session-Round-Robin</i>
Interface	Network ->Load Balancing ->Load Balancing Groups ->Add	<i>IPSEC_BRANCH1_PEER-1</i>
Distribution Ratio	Network ->Load Balancing ->Load Balancing Groups-> Add	50 %
Route Selector	Network -> Load Balancing -> Load Balancing Groups -> Add -> Advanced Settings	<i>open</i>
Tracing IP Address	Network ->Load Balancing ->Load Balancing Groups-> Add	e. g. <i>1.0.0.2</i>
Interface	Network ->Load Balancing ->Load Balancing Groups-> Add	<i>IPSEC_BRANCH1_PEER-2</i>
Distribution Ratio	Network ->Load Balancing ->Load Balancing Groups-> Add	50 %
Route Selector	Network -> Load Balancing -> Load Balancing Groups -> Add -> Advanced Settings	<i>open</i>
Tracing IP Address	Network ->Load Balancing ->Load Balancing Groups ->Add	e. g. <i>2.0.0.2</i>

#### Configure the Internet connections (branch)

Field	Menu	Value
Connector Type	Assistants -> Internet-> Internet Connections -> New	Internal ADSL Modem
Description	Assistants -> Internet-> Internet Connections -> New -> Next	e. g. PPPoE1
Type	Assistants -> Internet-> Internet Connections -> New -> Next	User-defined via PPP over Ethernet (PPPoE)
User Name	Assistants -> Internet-> Internet Connections -> New -> Next	e. g. ADSL-Username
Password	Assistants -> Internet-> Internet Connections -> New -> Next	e. g. test12345
Always Active	Assistants -> Internet-> Internet Connections -> New -> Next	Enabled

#### Set up the VPN IPsec connections

Field	Menu	Value
Description	VPN -> IPsec -> Phase-1 Profiles -> New	e. g. Branch1_Peer1
Proposals	VPN -> IPsec -> Phase-1 Profiles -> New	e. g. AES / SHA1
DH Group	VPN -> IPsec -> Phase-1 Profiles -> New	e. g. 2 (1024 Bit)
Lifetime	VPN -> IPsec -> Phase-1 Profiles -> New	e. g. 14400
Authentication Method	VPN -> IPsec -> Phase-1 Profiles -> New	Preshared keys
Mode	VPN -> IPsec -> Phase-1 Profiles -> New	Aggressive
Local ID Type	VPN -> IPsec -> Phase-1 Profiles -> New	E-mail Address
Local ID Value	VPN -> IPsec -> Phase-1 Profiles -> New	e. g. Branch1_Peer1@bintec-elmeg.com
Description	VPN -> IPsec -> Phase-1 Profiles -> New	e. g. Branch1_Peer2
Proposals	VPN -> IPsec -> Phase-1 Profiles -> New	e. g. AES / SHA1

Field	Menu	Value
DH Group	VPN -> IPsec -> Phase-1 Profiles -> New	e. g. 2 (1024 Bit)
Lifetime	VPN -> IPsec -> Phase-1 Profiles -> New	e. g. 14400
Authentication Method	VPN -> IPsec -> Phase-1 Profiles -> New	Preshared keys
Mode	VPN -> IPsec -> Phase-1 Profiles -> New	Aggressive
Local ID Type	VPN -> IPsec -> Phase-1 Profiles -> New	E-mail Address
Local ID Value	VPN -> IPsec -> Phase-1 Profiles -> New	e. g. Branch1_Peer2@bintec-elmeg.com

#### Add IPsec connections

Field	Menu	Value
Administrative Status	VPN-> IPsec-> IPsec Peers-> New	Up
Description	VPN-> IPsec-> IPsec Peers-> New	e. g. Headoffice_Peer-1
Peer Address	VPN-> IPsec-> IPsec Peers-> New	e. g. 62.146.53.200
Peer ID	VPN-> IPsec-> IPsec Peers-> New	E-mail address and e. g. central@bintec-elmeg.com
IKE (Internet Key Exchange)	VPN-> IPsec-> IPsec Peers-> New	IKEv1
Preshared Key	VPN-> IPsec-> IPsec Peers-> New	e. g. test12345
IPv4 Address Assignment	VPN-> IPsec-> IPsec Peers-> New	Static
Local IP Address	VPN-> IPsec-> IPsec Peers-> New	1.0.0.2
Route Entries	VPN-> IPsec-> IPsec Peers-> New	1.0.0.1 / 255.255.255.255 and 192.168.0.0 / 255.255.255.0
Phase-1 Profile	VPN -> IPsec -> IPsec Peers -> New -> Advanced Settings	Branch1_Peer1

Field	Menu	Value
Phase-2 Profile	VPN -> IPSec -> IPSec Peers -> New -> Advanced Settings	* Multi-Proposal
Number of Admitted Connections	VPN -> IPSec -> IPSec Peers -> New -> Advanced Settings	One User
Start Mode	VPN -> IPSec -> IPSec Peers -> New -> Advanced Settings	Always up
Administrative Status	VPN-> IPSec-> IPSec Peers-> New	Active
Description	VPN-> IPSec-> IPSec Peers-> New	e. g. Headoffice_Peer-2
Peer Address	VPN-> IPSec-> IPSec Peers-> New	e. g. 62.146.53.201
Peer ID	VPN-> IPSec-> IPSec Peers-> New	E-mail address and e. g. central@bintec-elmeg.com
IKE (Internet Key Exchange)	VPN-> IPSec-> IPSec Peers-> New	IKEv1
Preshared Key	VPN-> IPSec-> IPSec Peers-> New	e. g. test12345
IPv4 Address Assignment	VPN-> IPSec-> IPSec Peers-> New	Static
Local IP Address	VPN-> IPSec-> IPSec Peers-> New	2.0.0.2
Route Entries	VPN-> IPSec-> IPSec Peers-> New	2.0.0.1 / 255.255.255.255 and 192.168.0.0 / 255.255.255.0
Phase-1 Profile	VPN -> IPSec -> IPSec Peers -> New -> Advanced Settings	Branch1_Peer2
Phase-2 Profile	VPN -> IPSec -> IPSec Peers -> New -> Advanced Settings	* Multi-Proposal
Number of Admitted Connections	VPN -> IPSec -> IPSec Peers -> New -> Advanced Settings	One User
Start Mode	VPN -> IPSec -> IPSec Peers -> New -> Advanced Settings	Always up

#### Set up monitoring tasks

Field	Menu	Value
Monitored IP Ad-	Local Services-> Surveillance ->Hosts-	e. g. 1.0.0.1

Field	Menu	Value
dress	> New	
Source IP Address	Local Services ->Surveillance ->Hosts-> New	<i>Specific / e. g. 1.0.0.2</i>
Interval	Local Services-> Surveillance ->Hosts-> New	e. g. 3 seconds
Successful Trials	Local Services ->Surveillance ->Hosts-> New	e. g. 3
Unsuccessful Trials	Local Services-> Surveillance ->Hosts-> New	e. g. 3
Action to be performed	Local Services ->Surveillance ->Hosts-> New	<i>Monitor</i>
Monitored IP Address	Local Services-> Surveillance ->Hosts-> New	e. g. 2.0.0.1
Source IP Address	Local Services ->Surveillance ->Hosts-> New	<i>Specific / e. g. 2.0.0.2</i>
Interval	Local Services-> Surveillance ->Hosts-> New	e. g. 3 seconds
Successful Trials	Local Services ->Surveillance ->Hosts-> New	e. g. 3
Unsuccessful Trials	Local Services-> Surveillance ->Hosts-> New	e. g. 3
Action to be performed	Local Services ->Surveillance ->Hosts-> New	<i>Monitor</i>

#### Configure the IP load distribution

Field	Menu	Value
Group Description	Network ->Load Balancing-> Load Balancing Groups ->New	e. g. <i>IPSec_headoffice</i>
Distribution Policy	Network ->Load Balancing ->Load Balancing Groups ->New	<i>Session-Round-Robin</i>
Interface	Network ->Load Balancing-> Load Balancing Groups ->Add	<i>IPSEC_HEADOFFICE_PEER-1</i>
Distribution Ratio	Network ->Load Balancing ->Load Balancing Groups-> Add	50 %
Route Selector	Network -> Load Balancing ->Load Balancing Groups -> Add -> Advanced Settings	<i>open</i>

Field	Menu	Value
Tracing IP Address	Network ->Load Balancing ->Load Balancing Groups ->Add	e. g. 1.0.0.1
Interface	Network ->Load Balancing ->Load Balancing Groups ->Add	IPSEC_HEADOFFICE_PEER-2
Distribution Ratio	Network ->Load Balancing ->Load Balancing Groups-> Add	50 %
Route Selector	Network -> Load Balancing ->Load Balancing Groups -> Add -> Advanced Settings	open
Tracing IP Address	Network ->Load Balancing ->Load Balancing Groups-> Add	e. g. 2.0.0.1

## Chapter 7 IP - Using Drop-in to connect a branch office to head office with a VPN tunnel

### 7.1 Introduction

In this example, we shall describe how the Drop-in group functionality can be used to connect a branch office to the head office by a VPN tunnel.

Using a Drop-in group is an option if the current Internet access at the branch does not allow a VPN tunnel to be set up and it cannot be replaced. The advantage of the Drop-in group is that there is no need to change the network structure and the configuration of the individual routers in the branch.

A **bintec** router is put between the provider gateway and the current network in the branch. This establishes the tunnel to the head office and routes all the packets for the head office through it, while all the rest are routed as normal to the provider gateway.

The **GUI** (Graphical User Interface) is used for configuring.

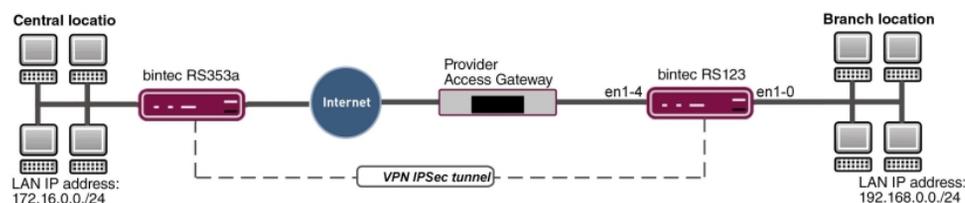


Fig. 76: Example scenario

### Requirements

- A **bintec RS123** router
- Firmware version at least 10.2.5
- Branch office has a dynamic Internet access
- Head office has a VPN-capable gateway that can be accessed via a static IP address, e. g. **bintec RS353a**

## 7.2 Configuration

Open a web browser and create an http connection to the device. In our example, the local network in the branch is identical to the device's preset default network.

### Configure the Drop-in group.

Firstly, a new **Drop-in group** is created for the local extension network.

(1) Go to **Network -> Drop In -> Drop In Groups -> New**.

### Basic Parameters

Group Description  
Drop In group

Mode Transparent ▼

Exclude from NAT (DMZ)

Network Configuration Static ▼

Network Address  
192.168.0.0

Netmask  
255.255.255.0

Local IP Address  
192.168.0.254

ARP Lifetime  
3600 Seconds

DNS assignment via DHCP Unchanged ▼

Interface Selection

Interface	
LAN_EN1-0 ▼	
LAN_EN1-4 ▼	

Fig. 77: Network -> Drop In -> Drop In Groups -> New

Proceed as follows:

- (1) Under **Group Description** enter a unique description for the drop-in group, e. g. *Drop In group*.
- (2) Under **Mode**, select *Transparent*. ARP packets and IP packets belonging to the drop-in network are routed transparently (unchanged).
- (3) Under **Network Configuration**, select how an IP address is assigned to the network components, in this case *Static*.
- (4) Enter the **Network Address** of the drop-in network, in this case e. g. *192.168.0.0*.
- (5) Enter the relevant **Netmask**, e. g. in this case *255.255.255.0*.
- (6) Enter the drop-in group's **Local IP Address**, e. g. *192.168.0.254*.
- (7) For **Interface Selection**, select all the ports that are to be included in the drop-in group (in the network), e. g. *LAN\_EN1-0* and *LAN\_EN1-4*.
- (8) Confirm with **OK**.

## Set up the default route

In the next step, you set up a default route to the provider gateway. In doing this, you need to select the interface for the drop-in group to which the gateway is later connected.

- (1) Go to **Network -> Routes -> IPv4 Route Configuration -> New**.

The screenshot shows two panels of a configuration wizard. The left panel, titled 'Basic Parameters', has three rows: 'Route Type' with a dropdown menu set to 'Default Route via Gateway', 'Interface' with a dropdown menu set to 'LAN\_EN1-4', and 'Route Class' with radio buttons for 'Standard' (selected) and 'Extended'. The right panel, titled 'Route Parameters', has two rows: 'Gateway IP Address' with a text input field containing '192.168.0.1', and 'Metric' with a dropdown menu set to '1'.

Fig. 78: **Network -> Routes -> IPv4 Route Configuration -> New**

Proceed as follows:

- (1) Select *Default Route via Gateway* as the **Route Type**.
- (2) Select the **Interface** that is to be used for this route, in this case *LAN\_EN1-4*.
- (3) For **Gateway IP Address**, enter the IP address of the provider gateway, in this case e. g. *192.168.0.1*.
- (4) Confirm with **OK**.

## Set up the VPN tunnel endpoint in the branch

The **GUI** has a **wizard** to help you to configure an endpoint for the VPN (IPSec) connection in the branch.

To do this, you need to know the static address under which the remote terminal at head office can be accessed. The **wizard** automatically creates a route for the head office network that is to be accessed via the tunnel. To do this, go to the following menu:

- (1) Go to **Assistants** -> **VPN** -> **VPN Connections** -> **New**.
- (2) For **VPN Scenario** select *IPSec-LAN-LAN Connection*.
- (3) Click on **Next** to configure a new VPN connection.

The screenshot shows two panels from a configuration wizard. The left panel, titled 'Connection Details', contains the following fields: 'Description' (IPSec\_Connection\_1), 'Local IPSec ID' (Branch), 'Remote IPSec ID' (Head office), 'Preshared Key' (masked with asterisks), 'IP Version of the tunneled Networks' (IPv4), 'Local IP Address' (192.168.0.254), and a toggle for 'Define this connection as default route' (Disabled). The right panel, titled 'Enter IP settings', contains: 'IPSec Peer IPv4 Address' (213.7.46.137) and 'Remote IPv4 Network' (172.16.0.0/255.255.255.0).

Fig. 79: **Assistants** -> **VPN** -> **VPN Connections** -> **New** -> **Next**

Proceed as follows:

- (1) Under **Description**, enter a name for the connection, e. g. *IPSec\_Connection\_1*.
- (2) For **Local IPSec ID** enter the ID of your own IPSec gateway, e. g. *Branch*.
- (3) For **Remote IPSec ID** enter the ID of the remote IPSec gateway, e. g. *Head office*.
- (4) Enter a **Preshared Key** for the authentication. The preshared key must be configured identically on both sides.
- (5) Select the **Local IP Address** *192.168.0.254*.
- (6) For **IPSec Peer IPv4 Address**, enter the IP address of the remote IPSec partner, in this case e. g. *213.7.46.137*.
- (7) Enter the IP address of the **Remote IPv4 Network**, in this case e. g. *172.16.0.0*.
- (8) Enter the relevant **Netmask** of the destination network, e. g. in this case *255.255.255.0*.
- (9) Press **OK** to confirm your entries.

## Set up the VPN tunnel endpoint at head office

Configure the relevant remote terminal of the VPN tunnel at head office.

- (1) Go to **Assistants** -> **VPN** -> **VPN Connections** -> **New**.
- (2) For **VPN Scenario** select *IPSec-LAN-LAN Connection*.
- (3) Click on **Next** to configure a new VPN connection.

The screenshot displays two panels for configuring a VPN connection. The left panel, titled 'Connection Details', contains the following fields: 'Description' (IPSec\_Connection\_1), 'Local IPsec ID' (Head office), 'Remote IPsec ID' (Branch), 'Preshared Key' (masked with asterisks), 'IP Version of the tunneled Networks' (IPv4), 'Local IP Address' (172.16.0.254), and a toggle for 'Define this connection as default route' (Disabled). The right panel, titled 'Enter IP settings', contains 'IPsec Peer IPv4 Address' (empty) and 'Remote IPv4 Network' (192.168.0.0 / 255.255.255.0).

Fig. 80: **Assistants** -> **VPN** -> **VPN Connections** -> **New** -> **Next**

Proceed as follows:

- (1) Under **Description**, enter a name for the connection, e. g. *IPSec\_Connection\_1*.
- (2) For **Local IPsec ID** enter the ID of your own IPsec gateway, e. g. *Head office*.
- (3) For **Remote IPsec ID** enter the ID of the remote IPsec gateway, e. g. *Branch*.
- (4) Enter a **Preshared Key** for the authentication. The preshared key must be configured identically on both sides.
- (5) Enter the required **Local IP Address** of the gateway, e. g. *172.16.0.254*.
- (6) As the drop-in router at the branch is not to be accessed from outside, the tunnel always needs to be initiated by the branch. So the field **IPsec Peer Address** at head of-  
fice remains empty.
- (7) Enter the IP address of the **Remote IPv4 Network**, in this case e. g. *192.168.0.0*.
- (8) Enter the relevant **Netmask** of the destination network, e. g. in this case  
*255.255.255.0*.
- (9) Press **OK** to confirm your entries.

This completes the configuration. Save the configuration with **Save configuration** and confirm the selection with **OK**.

## 7.3 Overview of Configuration Steps

### Configure a drop-in group

Field	Menu	Value
Group Description	Network -> Drop In -> Drop In Groups -> New	e. g. <i>Drop-in group</i> .
Mode	Network -> Drop In -> Drop In Groups -> New	<i>Transparent</i>
Network Configuration	Network -> Drop In -> Drop In Groups -> New	<i>Static</i>
Network Address	Network -> Drop In -> Drop In Groups -> New	e. g. <i>192.168.0.0</i>
Netmask	Network -> Drop In -> Drop In Groups -> New	e. g. <i>255.255.255.0</i>
Local IP Address	Network -> Drop In -> Drop In Groups -> New	e. g. <i>192.168.0.254</i>
Interface Selection	Network -> Drop In -> Drop In Groups -> New	e. g. <i>LAN_EN1-0,</i> <i>LAN_EN1-4</i>

### Set up the default route

Field	Menu	Value
Route Type	Network -> Routes -> IPv4 Route Configuration -> New	<i>Default Route</i>
Interface	Network -> Routes -> IPv4 Route Configuration -> New	<i>LAN_EN1-4</i>
Gateway IP Address	Network -> Routes -> IPv4 Route Configuration -> New	e. g. <i>192.168.0.1</i>

### Set up a VPN connection (branch)

Field	Menu	Value
VPN Scenario	Assistants -> VPN -> VPN Connections -> New	<i>IPSec - LAN-to-LAN connection</i>
Description	Assistants -> VPN -> VPN Connections -> New -> Next	e. g. <i>IPSec_Connection_1</i>
Local IPSec ID	Assistants -> VPN -> VPN Connections -> New -> Next	<i>Branch</i>
Remote IPSec ID	Assistants -> VPN -> VPN Connec-	<i>Head office</i>

Field	Menu	Value
	tions -> New -> Next	
Preshared key	Assistants -> VPN -> VPN Connections -> New -> Next	Enter password
Local IP Address	Assistants -> VPN -> VPN Connections -> New -> Next	e. g. 192.168.0.254
IPSec Peer IPv4 Address	Assistants -> VPN -> VPN Connections -> New -> Next	e. g. 213.7.46.137
Remote IPv4 Network	Assistants -> VPN -> VPN Connections -> New -> Next	e. g. 172.16.0.0
Netmask	Assistants -> VPN -> VPN Connections -> New -> Next	e. g. 255.255.255.0

**Set up a VPN connection (head office)**

Field	Menu	Value
VPN Scenario	Assistants -> VPN -> VPN Connections -> New	<i>IPSec - LAN-to-LAN connection</i>
Description	Assistants -> VPN -> VPN Connections -> New -> Next	e. g. <i>IPSec_Connection_1</i>
Local IPSec ID	Assistants -> VPN -> VPN Connections -> New -> Next	<i>Head office</i>
Remote IPSec ID	Assistants -> VPN -> VPN Connections -> New -> Next	<i>Branch</i>
Preshared key	Assistants -> VPN -> VPN Connections -> New -> Next	Enter password
Local IP Address	Assistants -> VPN -> VPN Connections -> New -> Next	e. g. 172.16.0.254
Remote IPv4 Network	Assistants -> VPN -> VPN Connections -> New -> Next	e. g. 192.168.0.0
Netmask	Assistants -> VPN -> VPN Connections -> New -> Next	e. g. 255.255.255.0

## Chapter 8 IP - Set up a DMZ with the drop-in group's functionality

### 8.1 Introduction

We shall now describe how to set up a DMZ (Demilitarized Zone) with the functionality of the drop-in group.

The solution can be useful if, for example, one has access to a small IP network with public addresses. In such cases, the connection to the Internet is achieved via a gateway managed by the provider, without any administrative access.

A **bintec** router with the drop-in functionality is placed between the provider gateway and the hosts in the DMZ. The drop-in group now establishes the connection between the gateway and the DMZ, without the shared IP network being separated in the process. A private LAN network is also connected via the gateway.

The traffic between the gateway's interfaces and, therefore, between the provider gateway, the DMZ and the LAN can then be controlled using firewall rules. An address from the public IP network is required for the gateway.

The **GUI** (Graphical User Interface) is used for configuring.

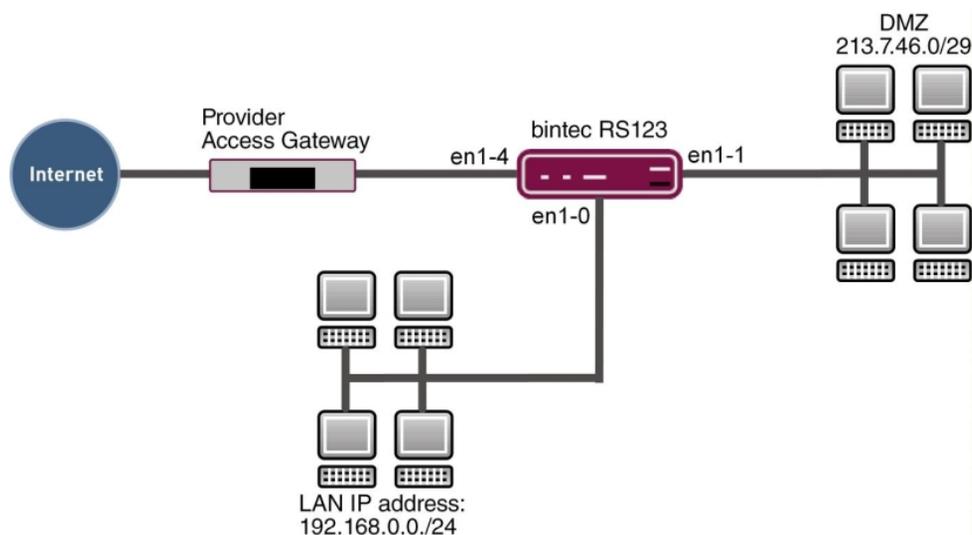


Fig. 81: Example scenario

## Requirements

- A **bintec** router, e. g. **bintec RS123**
- Firmware version at least 10.2.5
- The configuration requires a working Internet access with public addresses. For example, **Company Connect** with 8 IP addresses.

## 8.2 Configuration

In our example, the IP network set up in advance on the gateway is used for the private LAN. Open a web browser and create an http connection to the device.

### 8.2.1 Configuration of the port

Firstly, you require an additional Ethernet interface. An Ethernet interface is a physical interface for connection to the local network or external networks.

Assign a new Ethernet interface to a switch port.

- (1) Go to **Physical Interfaces** -> **Ethernet Ports** -> **Port Configuration**.

Switch Port	Ethernet Interface Selection	Configured Speed / Mode	Current Speed / Mode	Flow Control
1	en1-0	Full Autonegotiation	Down	Disabled
2	en1-0	Full Autonegotiation	Down	Disabled
3	en1-0	Full Autonegotiation	Down	Disabled
4	en1-1	Full Autonegotiation	100 mbps / Full Duplex	Disabled
5	en1-4	Full Autonegotiation	Down	Disabled

Fig. 82: **Physical Interfaces** -> **Ethernet Ports** -> **Port Configuration**

Proceed as follows to assign the port to the interface:

- (1) Under **Ethernet Interface Selection**, select `en1-1` in the dropdown menu for **Switch Port 4**.
- (2) Confirm with **OK**.

## 8.2.2 Configure the Drop-in group

In the next step, a drop-in group is created.

- (1) Go to **Network** -> **Drop In** -> **Drop In Groups** -> **New**.

### Basic Parameters

Group Description  
DropIn-Group

Mode Transparent ▼

Exclude from NAT (DMZ)

Network Configuration Static ▼

Network Address  
213.7.46.0

Netmask  
255.255.255.248

Local IP Address  
213.7.46.6

ARP Lifetime  
3600 Seconds

DNS assignment via DHCP Unchanged ▼

Interface Selection

Interface	
LAN_EN1-0 ▼	
LAN_EN1-4 ▼	

Fig. 83: Network -> Drop In -> Drop In Groups -> New

Proceed as follows:

- (1) Under **Group Description** enter a unique description for the drop-in group, e. g. *DropIn-Group*.
- (2) Under **Mode**, select *Transparent*. ARP packets and IP packets belonging to the drop-in network are routed transparently (unchanged).
- (3) Under **Network Configuration**, select how an IP address is assigned to the network components, in this case *Static*.
- (4) Enter the **Network Address** of the drop-in network, in this case e. g. *213.7.46.0*.
- (5) Enter the relevant **Netmask**, e. g. in this case *255.255.255.248*.
- (6) Enter the drop-in group's **Local IP Address**, e. g. *213.7.46.6*.
- (7) For **Interface Selection**, select all the ports that are to be included in the drop-in group (in the network), in this case e. g. *LAN\_EN1-1* and *LAN\_EN1-4*.
- (8) Confirm with **OK**.

### 8.2.3 Set up the default route

Next, a default route will be set up on the gateway. In doing this, you need to select the interface for the drop-in group to which the gateway is later connected.

- (1) Go to **Network -> Routes -> IPv4 Route Configuration -> New**.

The screenshot shows two panels of a configuration dialog. The left panel, titled 'Basic Parameters', contains three fields: 'Route Type' set to 'Default Route via Gateway', 'Interface' set to 'LAN\_EN1-4', and 'Route Class' with 'Standard' selected (radio button) and 'Extended' unselected. The right panel, titled 'Route Parameters', contains two fields: 'Gateway IP Address' set to '213.7.46.1' and 'Metric' set to '1'.

Fig. 84: **Network -> Routes -> IPv4 Route Configuration -> New**

Proceed as follows:

- (1) Select *Default Route via Gateway* as the **Route type**.
- (2) Select the **Interface** that is to be used for this route, in this case *LAN\_EN1-4*.
- (3) For **Gateway IP Address**, enter the IP address of the provider gateway, in this case e. g. *213.7.46.1*.
- (4) Confirm with **OK**.

## 8.2.4 Activating Network Address Translation (NAT)

NAT is enabled on the drop-in group interface that is connected to the gateway. Only the traffic from the private LAN will go through the NAT because of the option **Remove from NAT (DMZ)** which was set in the drop-in group configuration.

A list of all IP interfaces is displayed in the NAT interface menu.

Go to the following menu to enable NAT for your interface:

- (1) Go to **Network -> NAT -> NAT Interfaces**.

Interface	NAT active	Loopback active	Silent Deny	PPTP Passthrough	Portforwardings
LAN_EN1-0	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	0
LAN_EN1-1	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	0
LAN_EN1-4	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	0

Fig. 85: **Network -> NAT -> NAT Interfaces**

Proceed as follows:

- (1) Select **NAT active** for the `LAN_EN1-4` interface. This is how the NAT feature is enabled for the interface.
- (2) Also select **Silent Deny**. When this function is enabled, attempts to access the LAN from outside are immediately rejected.
- (3) Confirm with **OK**.

## 8.2.5 Firewall configuration

The firewall is now enabled in order to control the traffic between the individual zones (LAN, DMZ and Internet).

When this is done, connections going from the LAN to anywhere, plus connections going from the DMZ to the Internet are generally permitted. By default, other traffic is blocked.

A filter rule is created for each of the services on the servers in the DMZ which are to be accessible from the Internet. In our example, these are a web server and additionally an email server for receiving emails and also provides the option to get emails with pop3 or imap from outside via an encrypted connection.

The firewall's basic setting is to block traffic to all the interfaces. So everything that is not explicitly permitted is prohibited.

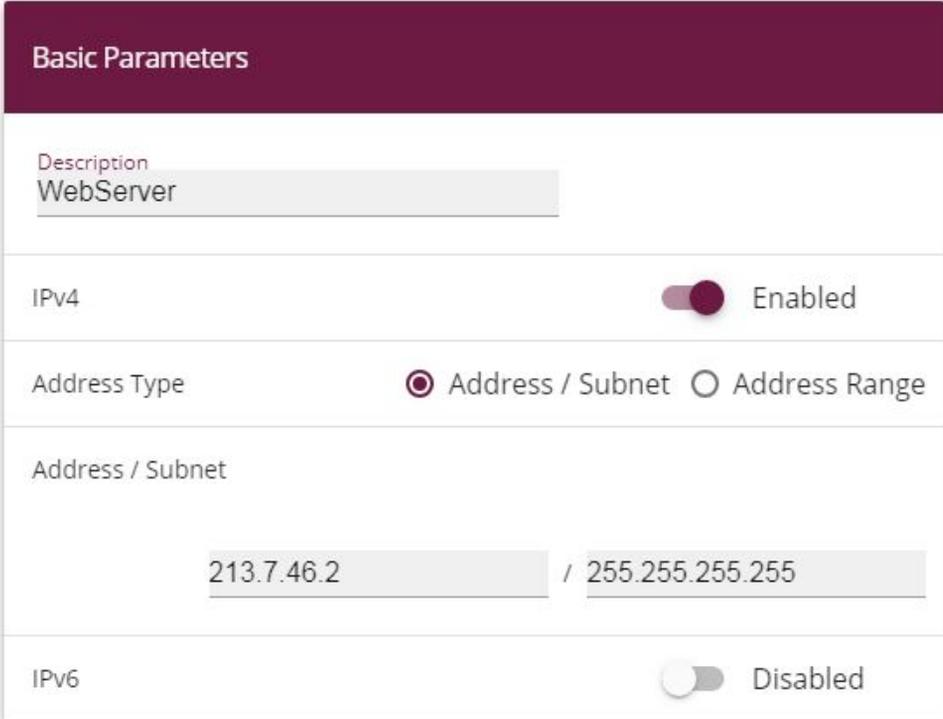
In the default setting, the firewall becomes active when the first rule is configured. So it is important that the first rule also permits access to the router itself to configure it.

### Configure the alias names for the server's IP addresses

To be able to identify the servers when configuring the filter rules, alias names are created for the web and E-mail servers' IP addresses.

Go to the following menu to create aliases:

- (1) Go to **Firewall -> Addresses -> Address List-> New**.



The screenshot shows a configuration window titled "Basic Parameters" for a new address. The "Description" field contains "WebServer". The "IPv4" toggle is turned on, labeled "Enabled". The "Address Type" is set to "Address / Subnet" (selected with a radio button), with "Address Range" as an alternative. The "Address / Subnet" field contains "213.7.46.2 / 255.255.255.255". The "IPv6" toggle is turned off, labeled "Disabled".

Fig. 86: **Firewall -> Addresses -> Address List-> New**

Proceed as follows:

- (1) Enter the name of the alias under **Description**, e. g. *WebServer*.
- (2) Under **Address Type** select *Address / Subnet*
- (3) Under **Address / Subnet** enter the IP address and corresponding subnet mask, in this case e. g. *213.7.46.2* and *255.255.255.255*.
- (4) Confirm with **OK**.

Proceed in the same way to configure the alias name for the E-mail server.

- (1) Go to **Firewall** -> **Addresses** -> **Address List**-> **New**.
- (2) Enter the name of the alias under **Description**, e. g. *EMailServer*.
- (3) Under **Address Type** select *Address / Subnet*
- (4) Under **Address / Subnet** enter the IP address and corresponding subnet mask, in this case e. g. *213.7.46.3* and *255.255.255.255*.
- (5) Confirm with **OK**.

### Configuring service sets

Each of the servers is to provide various services. You can group together several services into groups to make it easier to configure the filter rules.

Go to the following menu to create a group:

- (1) Go to **Firewall** -> **Services** -> **Groups**-> **New**.

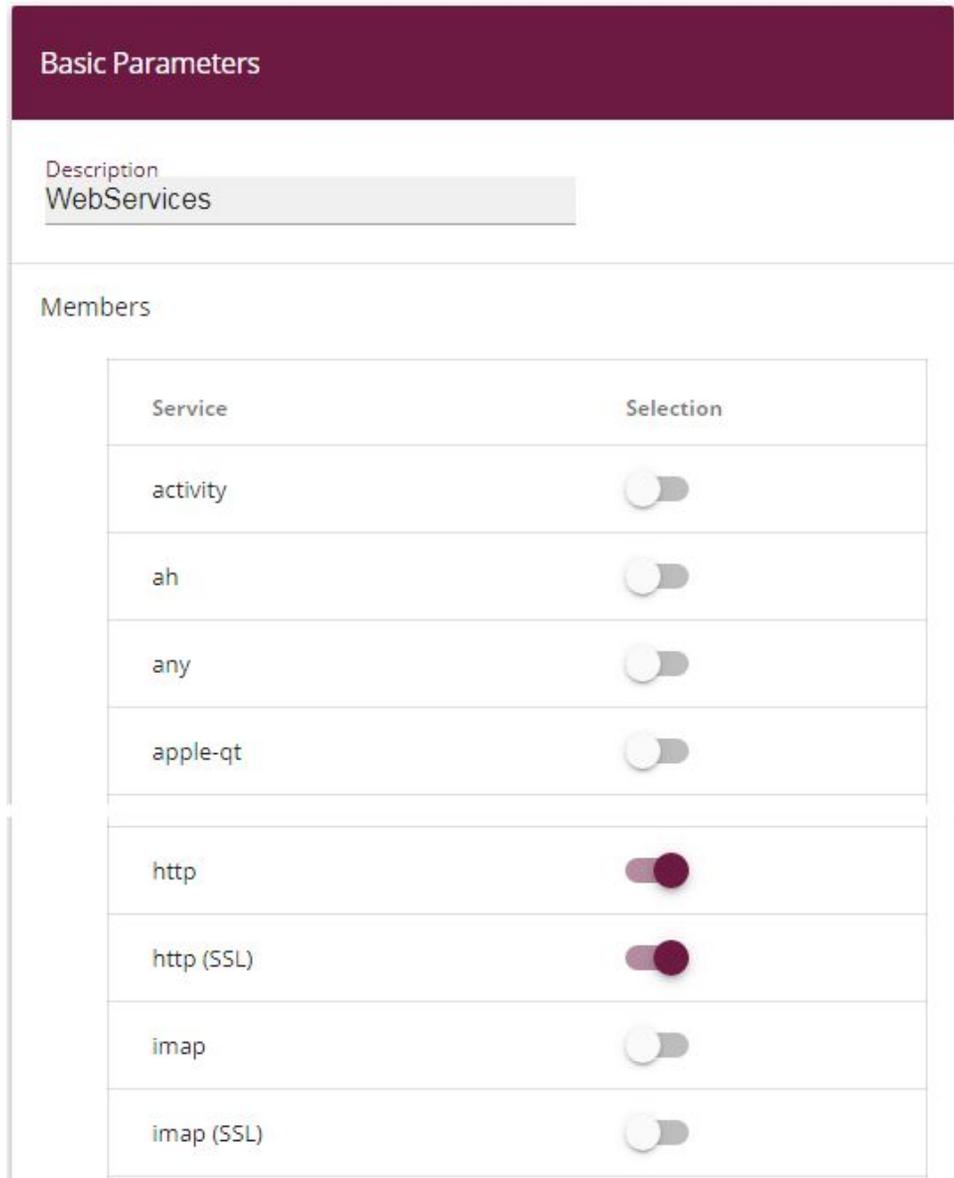


Fig. 87: Firewall -> Services ->Groups-> New

Proceed as follows to create a group:

- (1) Enter a name for the group under **Description**, e. g. *WebServices*.
- (2) Select the services to be included in the group, in this example *http* and *http (SSL)*.
- (3) Confirm with **OK**.

Proceed in the same way to configure the service group for the E-mail server.

- (1) Go to **Firewall -> Services -> Groups-> New**.
- (2) Enter the name of the group under **Description**, e. g. *EmailServices*.
- (3) Select the services to be included in the group, in this example *smtp, pop3 (SSL)* and *imap (SSL)*.
- (4) Confirm with **OK**.

## Configure policies



### Note

The correct configuration of the filter rules and the right arrangement in the filter rule chain are decisive factors for the operation of the firewall. An incorrect configuration may possibly prevent further communication with the router!

Once you have completed the configuration of the alias names for IP addresses and services, you can define the filter rules.

Proceed as follows to configure the first rule:

- (1) Go to **Firewall -> Policies -> IPv4 Filter Rules ->New**.

Basic Parameters	
Source	LAN_EN1-0 ▼
Destination	ANY ▼
Service	any ▼
Action	Access ▼

Fig. 88: Firewall->Policies->IPv4 Filter Rules->New

Proceed as follows:

- (1) Select the packet's **Source**, in this case *LAN\_EN1-0*.
- (2) Set the **Destination** to *ANY*. Neither the destination interface or the destination ad-

dress will be checked.

- (3) For **Service**, select *any*.
- (4) Select the **Action** that is to be applied, in this case *Access*. The packets are forwarded on the basis of the entries.
- (5) Confirm with **OK**.  
With these settings, outgoing connections are allowed from the LAN to the DMZ and to the Internet, including the LAN-side access to the router.

Configure the second filter rule in the same way as you configured the first rule.

- (1) Go to **Firewall -> Policies -> Filter Rules ->New**.
- (2) Select the packet's **Source**, in this case *LAN\_EN1-1*.
- (3) As the **Destination**, select *LAN\_EN1-4*. Source and destination interface will be checked.
- (4) For **Service**, select *any*.
- (5) Select the **Action** that is to be applied, in this case *Access*. The packets are forwarded on the basis of the entries.
- (6) Confirm with **OK**.  
With these settings, outgoing connections are allowed from the DMZ to the Internet.

Now rules can be create for accessing the web server from the Internet.

- (1) Go to **Firewall -> Policies -> Filter Rules ->New**.
- (2) Select the packet's **Source**, in this case *LAN\_EN1-4*.
- (3) Set the **Destination** to *WebServer*.
- (4) For **Service**, select *WebServices*.
- (5) Select the **Action** that is to be applied, in this case *Access*. The packets are forwarded on the basis of the entries.
- (6) Confirm with **OK**.

Finally, the rules are created for accessing the E-mail server from the Internet.

- (1) Go to **Firewall -> Policies -> Filter Rules ->New**.
- (2) Select the packet's **Source**, in this case *LAN\_EN1-4*.
- (3) Set the **Destination** to *EmailServer*.
- (4) For **Services**, select *EmailServices*.
- (5) Select the **Action** that is to be applied, in this case *Access*. The packets are forwarded on the basis of the entries.
- (6) Confirm with **OK**.

The list of the filter rules that have been configured should now look like this:

Go to **Firewall -> Policies -> Filter Rules**.

Filter Rules							
Order	Source	Destination	Service	Action	Policy active		
1	LAN_EN1-0	ANY	any	Access	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enabled	↓	⋮
2	LAN_EN1-1	LAN_EN1-4	any	Access	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enabled	↓	⋮
3	LAN_EN1-4	WebServer	WebServices	Access	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enabled	↓	⋮
4	LAN_EN1-4	EmailServer	EmailServices	Access	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enabled	↓	⋮

Fig. 89: Firewall -> Policies -> Filter Rules

This completes the configuration. Save the configuration with **Save configuration** and confirm the selection with **OK**.

## 8.3 Overview of Configuration Steps

### Assign interface

Field	Menu	Value
Switch Port 4	Physical Interfaces ->Ethernet Ports ->Port Configuration	en1-1

### Configure a drop-in group

Field	Menu	Value
Group Description	Network -> Drop In -> Drop In Groups -> New	e. g. <i>DropIn-Group</i> .
Mode	Network -> Drop In -> Drop In Groups -> New	<i>Transparent</i>
Network Configuration	Network -> Drop In -> Drop In Groups -> New	<i>Static</i>
Network Address	Network -> Drop In -> Drop In Groups -> New	e. g. <i>213.7.46.0</i>
Netmask	Network -> Drop In -> Drop In Groups -> New	e. g. <i>255.255.255.248</i>
Local IP Address	Network -> Drop In -> Drop In Groups -> New	e. g. <i>213.7.46.6</i>
Interface Selection	Network -> Drop In -> Drop In Groups -> New	e. g. <i>LAN_EN1-4, LAN_EN1-1</i>

**Set up the default route**

Field	Menu	Value
Route Type	Network -> Routes -> IPv4 Route Configuration-> New	Default Route via Gateway
Interface	Network -> Routes -> IPv4 Route Configuration-> New	LAN_EN1-4
Gateway IP Address	Network -> Routes -> IPv4 Route Configuration-> New	e. g. 213.7.46.1

**Enable NAT**

Field	Menu	Value
NAT active	Network -> NAT ->NAT Interfaces	Enabled for LAN_EN1-4
Silent Deny	Network -> NAT ->NAT Interfaces	Enabled for LAN_EN1-4

**Configure the alias names**

Field	Menu	Value
Description	Firewall ->Addresses -> Address List ->New	WebServer
Address Type	Firewall ->Addresses -> Address List ->New	Address / Subnet
Address / Subnet	Firewall-> Addresses -> Address List-> New	e. g. 213.7.46.2 / 255.255.255.255
Description	Firewall ->Addresses -> Address List ->New	EMailServer
Address Type	Firewall A->ddresses -> Address List ->New	Address / Subnet
Address / Subnet	Firewall ->Addresses -> Address List ->New	e. g. 213.7.46.3 / 255.255.255.255

**Configuring service sets**

Field	Menu	Value
Description	Firewall -> Services -> Groups -> New	e. g. WebServices.
Members	Firewall -> Services -> Groups -> New	http, http (SSL)
Description	Firewall -> Services -> Groups -> New	e. g. EmailServices.

Field	Menu	Value
<b>Members</b>	<b>Firewall -&gt; Services -&gt; Groups -&gt; New</b>	<i>smtp, pop3 (SSL), imap (SSL)</i>

### Configure policies

Field	Menu	Value
<b>Source</b>	<b>Firewall -&gt;Policies -&gt;Filter Rules -&gt;New</b>	<i>LAN_EN1-0</i>
<b>Destination</b>	<b>Firewall -&gt;Policies -&gt;Filter Rules -&gt;New</b>	<i>ANY</i>
<b>Service</b>	<b>Firewall -&gt;Policies -&gt;Filter Rules -&gt;New</b>	<i>any</i>
<b>Action</b>	<b>Firewall -&gt;Policies -&gt;Filter Rules -&gt;New</b>	<i>Access</i>
<b>Source</b>	<b>Firewall -&gt;Policies -&gt;Filter Rules -&gt;New</b>	<i>LAN_EN1-1</i>
<b>Destination</b>	<b>Firewall -&gt;Policies -&gt;Filter Rules -&gt;New</b>	<i>LAN_EN1-4</i>
<b>Service</b>	<b>Firewall -&gt;Policies -&gt;Filter Rules -&gt;New</b>	<i>any</i>
<b>Action</b>	<b>Firewall -&gt;Policies -&gt;Filter Rules -&gt;New</b>	<i>Access</i>
<b>Source</b>	<b>Firewall -&gt;Policies -&gt;Filter Rules -&gt;New</b>	<i>LAN_EN1-4</i>
<b>Destination</b>	<b>Firewall -&gt;Policies -&gt;Filter Rules -&gt;New</b>	<i>WebServer</i>
<b>Service</b>	<b>Firewall -&gt;Policies -&gt;Filter Rules -&gt;New</b>	<i>WebServices</i>
<b>Action</b>	<b>Firewall -&gt;Policies -&gt;Filter Rules -&gt;New</b>	<i>Access</i>
<b>Source</b>	<b>Firewall -&gt;Policies -&gt;Filter Rules -&gt;New</b>	<i>LAN_EN1-4</i>
<b>Destination</b>	<b>Firewall -&gt;Policies -&gt;Filter Rules -&gt;New</b>	<i>EMailServer</i>
<b>Service</b>	<b>Firewall -&gt;Policies -&gt;Filter Rules -&gt;New</b>	<i>EmailServices</i>
<b>Action</b>	<b>Firewall -&gt;Policies -&gt;Filter Rules -&gt;New</b>	<i>Access</i>

