

Product description

EIB-ASCII-Terminal



The plain text serial interface to the EIB

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Product Highlights EIB-ASCII-Terminal (EIB-AT)

- Easiest access to the EIB
- Standard-ASCII-Code
- Supports all 32767 group addresses simultanously
- Supports all non-structured EIS-types
- Simple setup using a terminal program
- built in german and english help texts
- Fully transparent even at 100% bus load
- Built in filter- and EIS-type tables
- All values read and writeable using plain text
- Simple integration of the EIB into own systems (PC,uC...)
- Built in bus coupling unit
- Standard-RS232-Interface, no system drivers required
- Small housing (67*92*26mm)

Fields of application

- Coupling to any EIB-world over ASCII-protocol without control sign
- Access to EIB from own programs (no PC necessary)
- Connection of own systems to the EIB

Contents of delivery

- EIB-ASCII-Terminal
- Cable set
- Parametrization software
- Documentation



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Introduction

The EIB-ASCII-Terminal (EIB-AT) is a serial interface to the EIB with an integrated twisted-pair bus coupling unit. The EIB-AT allows an operating system independant connection of the EIB to your own system. The communication is done in human readable text without time critical handshake signals.

Functional description (Rev 4.03)

EIB-Interface:

2-Wire twisted pair with integrated bus coupling unit supported group addresses: 32765

Serial interface:

Host interface RS232 1 Startbit,8 Databits, 1 Stopbit, no Parity Handshake RTS/CTS (user selectable option) Baudrates: 9600, 19200, 38400 Baud, selectable by pushbutton, stored nonvolatile

Inportant Hint::

If you are using 9600 or. 19200Baud you may expiriencedata loss on high busload, since there are more characters to transfer to the Host as are received from the EIB. Therefore we strongly recommend to use 38400 Baud transfer speed. At this baudrate the transfer time to the host is shorter as the correlated EIB telegram.

Please pay also attention not to block the device by deasserting the RTS signal

ASCII-Protocol description:

The communication between host and EIB-AT uses readable text only. The device neither sends nor accepts characters below 20Hex (ASCII Blank).

The only exception to this rule is the carriage return char(0d Hexadecimal), shortened called "cr" in the following text.

The cr is used to signal the end of a transmission. Characters sent from the host are not echoed by the device.

All command related characters are treated as uppercase, the means the device is "case insensitive"



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ASCII-Commands:

ASCII-Command: request help text

Command:	"?"
Purpose:	Request of the help text
Description:	The device sends a short version of this document to the host
Remark:	During this command the EIB Communication is stopped!
Reply from the Device:	Helptext

ASCII-Command: Version request

Command:	"?V"
Purpose:	Query the firmware version
Description:	The EIB-AT sends its firmware revision and serialnumber
Reply from the device:	"EIB_Terminal Vn.nn SN:xxxxxxx" n.nn = Firmwareversion, xxxxxxxx = Serialnumber
Example reply:	"EIB_Terminal V4.05 SN:3709651"

ASCII-Command: Physical address request

Command:	"?P"
Purpose:	Query the physical address of the device
Description:	The EIB-AT sends ist physical address
Reply from the device:	"Phys. Addr=nn.nn.nnn" or "Phys. Addr=xxxx" if the hexadecimal option is activated.
Example reply:	Phys. Addr=01.01.254

ASCII-Command: Setup the physical address

Command:	"P:PA"
Purpose:	Setup the physical address of the device and store it non-volatile
Description:	PA may be given as AA.LL.DDD or Hexadecimal as "xALDD"



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Telegram contents:	"P:AA.L "P:xALI	L.DDD" or DD", where: A=Area, L=Line, D=device	
Reply from the device:	"Phys. Addr=nn.nn.nnn" or "Phys. Addr=xxxx" if the hexadecimal option is activated.		
Remark:	Device	must be nonzero, address 15.15.255 is invalid	
Error messages:	"!Bad C "!Bad v	command Format" if the command is badly formatted. alue" if an illegal address given.	
Example:	P:1.1.2	50 sets the physical address of the EIB-AT to 1.1.250	
ASCII-Command: Get	the cur	rent options	
Command:	"?0"		
Purpose:	Reques	t the status of the various options	
Reply:	"OPTIC	NS: Dw Ew Gw Hw Nw Qw Rw Sw Vw Ww Xw"	
Remark:	w="+" c During	ption activated, w="-" option deactivated this command the EIB Communication is stopped!	
Possible Options:			
	"OVw"	Verbose mode If Verbose mode is activated the device replies to comma answer,either "OK" or an error description.	ands with an
	"OEw"	Echo of own write telegrams If this option is activated own write telegrams are sent bar after received "back" from the bus. Since this filtering is d comparing physical source address please pay attention physical addresses only once. The echo telegram will be by the normal receive filter(described later).	ck to the host one by to assign processed
	"OQw"	Report read telegrams to the host If this option is activated received read telegrams of enab addresses are sent to the host. The format is similar to ar telegram, instead of "=value" read telegrams are signaled	led group value l with "*".



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"OXw"	Hexadecimal mode If this option is activated the addresses are transmitted as "XXXX", that means as 4 hexadecimal digits. The components are divided as follows: Source address(physical address): "ALDD" 4 Bit Area address, 4 Bit Line address, 8 Bit Device address Target address(group address): "OHHHHMMMUUUUUUUUU" To explain this we need to use the binary description: The most significant Bit is always zero, followed by 4 bits for the maingroup, 3 bits for the middlegroup and 8 bits for the subgroup. If this option is deactivated the source addresses are formatted as AA.LL.DDD and target addresses as HH/M/SSS A=Area,L=Line,D=Device,H=Maingroup,M=Midgroup,S=Subgroup.
"ORw"	Allow read telegrams to disabled group addresses If activated the device allows to send read telegrams to disabled group addresses, else the read request is dropped.
"OSw"	Send source address to the host If enabled the source address of each telegram is inserted in front of the destination address. This causes more data transfer and requires 38400Baud!
"OHw"	RTS/CTS Handshake If activated the device sends data to the host only if the RTS line is activated. The CTS line signals that data may be transmitted by the host.
"ONw"	Telegram numbering If activated the telegrams to the host are prefixed with an 3 digit decimal or 2 digit hexadecimal number. This number is incremented by 1 after each transfer and set to zero again when reached 255/0xff
"OGw"	Language selection OG+ selects german, OG- englisch
"ODw"	Decimal sign selection OD+ selects the Dot as decimal delimiter, OD- selects comma.
"OWw"	Wait message If activated the device sends an "please wait" message to the host on lengthy operations, like setting up attribute ranges of the ERASE! Command.

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ASCII-Command: Converting of group addresses

Command:	"Cga"	
Purpose:	Useful utility function to convert group address formats	
Remark:	Causes no read or write action to the bus	
Example1:	An hexadecimal groupaddress is given, the decimal format is wanted: Host sends: CX5F03 The device answers with X5F03=11/7/003	
Example2:	The other way round: Host sends: C11/7/3 The device answers with 11/7/003=X5F03	
ASCII-Command: Get	group address attributes	
Command:	"Gga"	
Purpose:	Get the remanent attributes of group address "ga".	
Remarks:	Causes no read or write action to the bus "ga" may be specified as "HH/M/SSS" or "xNNNN". While processing this command the EIB communication is stopped!	
Reply:	"Gga:n,f" n = dataformat used for this ga, 021 (see data formats!) f=receive enable, "E"/"D" E=Enabled, D=Disabled	
Example:	G0/0/1 requests the attributes for group address 0/0/1.	
Example Reply:	00/0/001:1,E that is: Format 1, receive enabled	
ASCII-Command: Get group address range attributes		
Command:	"Gga1-ga2"	
Purpose:	Get the remanent attributes of group address "ga1" upto "ga2".	
Remarks:	Causes no read or write action to the bus "ga" may be specified as "HH/M/SSS" or "xNNNN". While processing this command the EIB communication is stopped!	
Reply:	"Gga:n,f" n = dataformat used for this ga, 021 (see data formats!) f=receive enable, "E"/"D" E=Enabled, D=Disabled The whole specified range is sent to the host, one line for each ga.	
Possible error messages: If option "V-" is set: none		



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	IF "V+" is set: "!Bad Command Format" "!Bad Group Address"	
Example:	G0/0/1-0/0/4 requests the attributes of the group address	ses 0/0/1 to 0/0/4.
Example reply:	00/0/001:1,E that is format 1, receive enabled	
	00/0/002:1,E that is format 1, receive enabled	
	00/0/003:1,E that is format 1, receive enabled	
	00/0/004:1,E that is format 1, receive enabled	

ASCII-Command: Setup group address attributes

Commands:	"Sga:n" "Sga,f" "Sga:n,f"
Purpose:	Setup attributes for group address "ga" and store settings nonvolatile.
Remarks:	"ga" may be specified as "HH/M/SSS" or "xNNNN". n = dataformat used for this ga, 021 (see data formats!) f=receive enable, "E"/"D" E=Enabled, D=Disabled While processing this command the EIB communication is stopped!
Reply:	If option "V-" is set: none If "V+" is set: "Ok".
Possible error messa	iges: If option "V-" is set: none IF "V+" is set: "!Bad Command Format" "!Bad Group Address"
Example:	S1/0/1:1,E defines the group address 1/0/1 as 1-6 Bit value and enables the receive This attributes are used i.e. for ON/OFF telegrams.
ASCII-Command: S	etup group address range attributes
Commands:	"Sga1-ga2:n" "Sga1-ga2,f" "Sga1-ga2:n,f"
Purpose:	Setup attributes for group address "ga1" upto "ga2" and store settings nonvolatile.
Remarks:	"ga" may be specified as "HH/M/SSS" or "xNNNN". n = dataformat used for this ga, 021 (see data formats!) f=receive enable, "E"/"D" E=Enabled, D=Disabled While processing this command the EIB communication is stopped!



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Reply:	If option "V-" is set: none If "V+" is set: "Busy", after processing "Ok".	
Possible error messa	ages: If option "V-" is set: none IF "V+" is set: "!Bad Command Format" "!Bad Group Address"	
Example:	S1/0/1-1/0/255:1,E defines the group addresses 1/0/1 to value and enables the receive. This attributes are used i. telegrams.	1/0/255 as 1-6 Bit .e. for ON/OFF
additional hint:	The device needs about 10 seconds for setting up the w	hole address range.
ASCII-Command: E	rase all group address attributes	
Command:	"ERASE!"	
Purpose:	Remove all prvious settings to group address attributes, addresses to dataformat 0, receiving disabled.	sets all group
additional hint:	The device needs about 10 seconds for setting up the wl while processing this command the EIB communication i	hole address range, s stopped!

ASCII-Command: Read request to an group address

Command:	"Rga"
Purpose:	Send a value read telegram to the bus for the specified address "ga".
Remarks:	"ga" may be specified as "HH/M/SSS" or "xNNNN". The read telegram is only sent to the bus if the group address is activated or the global option "R+" has been set.
Reply:	If option "V-" is set: none If option "V-" is set: "OK" on success
Possible error message	es: If option "V-" is set: none IF "V+" is set: "!Bad Command Format" "!Bad Group Address" "!Group Address Disabled" "!EIB not connected"
Example:	R0/0/1 creates a value read telegram for GA 0/0/1.

ASCII-Command: Send value to a group address

Command:	"Wga=v"



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Purpose:	Send a value write telegram to the bus for the specified address value "v"	; "ga" with
Remarks:	"ga" may be specified as "HH/M/SSS" or "xNNNN". "v"=Data value, dependant on the selected data format (see section data formats)	
Reply:	If option "V-" is set: none If option "V-" is set: "OK" on success	
Possible error message	es: If option "V-" is set: none IF "V+" is set: "!Bad Command Format" "!Bad Group Address" "!Group Address Disabled" "!EIB not connected" "!Bad value"	
Examples:	W1/0/1=1 sends a "ON" telegram on the group address 1/0/1 if t setup with data format 1. W1/0/1=0 sends a "OFF" telegram on the group address 1/0/1 if setup with data format 1.	this one is f this one is



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Data formats:

The supported data formats are supporting all currently defined non structured "DPT" types of the EIB Specification. Those have been extended to support special host requirements.

Data formats: Format1

Data type:	Binary data, 1-6 Bit raw data length
Value range:	063 Decimal, x0x3F Hexadecimal
Remarks:	Supports the DPT 1.x,2.x and 3.x On sending either a decimal or an hexadecimal value may be specified. Hexadecimal values must be prefixed with an "x". On receiving the data format is decimal.

Data formats: Format2

Data type:	1 ASCII-char
Value range:	20H0FFH
Remarks:	DPT 4.001 8 Bit ," character ASCII" On sending the char following the "=" is sent to the bus. On receiving exactly one char is transmitted.

Data formats: Format3

Data type:	Percentage 0-100%
Value range:	0100 Decimal, x0x64 Hexadecimal
Remarks:	DPT 5.001 8 Bit ," percentage" On sending either a decimal or an hexadecimal value may be specified. Hexadecimal values must be prefixed with an "x". On receiving the data format is decimal with 2 fractional digits.

Data formats: Format4

Data type:	Angle 0-360 Degrees
Value range:	0360 Decimal, x0x168 Hexadecimal
Remarks:	DPT 5.003 8 Bit ," angle degrees " On sending either a decimal or an hexadecimal value may be specified. Hexadecimal values must be prefixed with an "x". On receiving the data format is decimal with 2 fractional digits.



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Data formats: Forma	t5	
Data type:	1 Byte unsigned	
Value range:	0255 Decimal, x0xff Hexadecimal	
Remarks:	DPT 5.010 8 Bit ," 1 Byte unsigned value" On sending either a decimal or an hexadecimal value may be s Hexadecimal values must be prefixed with an "x". On receiving the data format is decimal.	pecified.

Data formats: Format6

Data type:	1 Byte signed
Value range:	-128127 Decimal, x0xff Hexadecimal
Remarks:	DPT 6.x 8 Bit ," 1 Byte signed value " On sending either a decimal or an hexadecimal value may be specified. Hexadecimal values must be prefixed with an "x". On receiving the data format is decimal, negativ values are prefixed with "-".

Data formats: Format7

Data type:	2 Byte unsigned
Value range:	065535 Decimal, x0xffff Hexadecimal
Remarks:	DPT 7.x 2 Byte," 2 Byte unsigned value" On sending either a decimal or an hexadecimal value may be specified. Hexadecimal values must be prefixed with an "x". On receiving the data format is decimal.

Data formats: Format8

Value range:

Data type:	2 Byte signed
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Remarks: DPT 8.x 2 Byte," 2 Byte signed value " On sending either a decimal or an hexadecimal value may be specified. Hexadecimal values must be prefixed with an "x". On receiving the data format is decimal, negativ values are prefixed with "-".

-32768..32767 Decimal, x0..xffff Hexadecimal



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Data formats: Format9

Data type:	2 Byte EIB floating point
Value range:	-671088.64 bis 670760.96, exponents 015.
Auflösung:	0.01.
Data format:	"SEEEEMMMMMMMMMMM" S= sign of mantissa E= Exponent M= Mantissa
Remarks:	DPT 9.x 2 Byte," 2 Byte float value " The EIB floating point format consists of the sign bit of the mantissa, 4 bits exponent and 11 bits for the mantissa itself. Per definition the mantissa has to be multiplied with 0.01. On sending either a decimal or an hexadecimal value may be specified. Hexadecimal values must be prefixed with an "x". If given as hexadecimal the value must contain the floating point value already! On receiving the data format is decimal with 2 fractional digits, negativ values are prefixed with "-".
Data formats: Format	10
Data type:	3 Byte Time
Data format:	"hh:mm:ss", hh= hour 023, mm= minute 059, ss= second 059

Remarks: DPT 10.x 3 Byte," Time" On sending either the format "hh:mm:ss" or an hexadecimal value may be specified. Hexadecimal values must be prefixed with an "x". If given as hexadecimal the value must contain the hh value in the 1st byte, the mm value in the 2nd byte and the ss value in the third byte. "xhhmmss", hh= 00..17h, mm= 00..3Bh, ss= 00..3Bh On receiving the data is formatted as "hh:mm:ss".



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Data formats: Format11

Data type:	3 Byte Date
Data format:	"dd.mm.yy", dd= day 131, mm= month 112, yy= year 0099
Remarks:	DPT 11.x 3 Byte," Date" On sending either the format "dd.mm.yy" or an hexadecimal value may be specified. Hexadecimal values must be prefixed with an "x". If given as hexadecimal the value must contain the dd value in the 1st byte, the mm value in the 2nd byte and the yy value in the third byte. "xddmmyy", dd= 011fh, mm= 010Ch, yy= 0063h
	On receiving the data is formatted as "dd:mm:yy". The data is not completely validated, that means the date 31.02.02 will be accepted by the device.

Data formats: Format12

Data type:	4 Byte unsigned
Value range:	04294967295 Decimal, x0xffffffff Hexadecimal
Remarks:	DPT 12.x 4 Byte," 4 Byte unsigned value" On sending either a decimal or an hexadecimal value may be specified. Hexadecimal values must be prefixed with an "x". On receiving the data format is decimal.

Data formats: Format13

Data type:	4 Byte signed
Value range:	-21474836482147483647 Decimal, x0xffffffff Hexadecimal
Remarks:	DPT 13.x 4 Byte," 4 Byte signed value " On sending either a decimal or an hexadecimal value may be specified. Hexadecimal values must be prefixed with an "x". On receiving the data format is decimal, negativ values are prefixed with "-".



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Data formats: Format14

Data type:	4 Byte IEEE floating point according P754
Value range:	1.8446762e19, x0xffffffff Hexadecimal
Remarks:	DPT 14.x 4 Byte," 4 Byte float value " Concerning the value range and precision please read the related literature. On sending either a decimal or an hexadecimal value may be specified. Hexadecimal values must be prefixed with an "x". If given as hexadecimal the value must contain the floating point value already! On receiving the data format is decimal with up to 8 fractional digits, negativ values are prefixed with "-". On very small or big values an exponential format may be generated. There is no rounding mechanism on received values.

Data formats: Format15

Data type:	4 Byte access control
Value range:	04294967295 Dezimal, x0xffffffff Hexadezimal
Remarks:	DPT 12.x 4 Byte," 4 Byte unsigned value" On sending either a decimal or an hexadecimal value may be specified. Hexadecimal values must be prefixed with an "x". On receiving the values are sent hexadecimal with 8 chars.

Data formats: Format16

Data type:	Textstring
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Value range: 1 to 14 Ascii chars from 20h..0ffh.

Remarks: DPT 16.x 14 Byte," Character String " Deviating from the DPT16.x specification exactly the given count of chars are transmitted. Therefore the string must be extended with blanks to get 14 chars transmitted. If the given text exceeds 14 chars the extra chars are ignored.



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Data formats: Format17

Data type:	Textstring, zero terminated
Value range:	1 to 13 Ascii chars from 20h0ffh.
Remarks:	DPT 16.x 14 Byte," Character String " Internally there is an zero byte appended to the given text. Deviating from the DPT16.x specification exactly the given count of chars are transmitted. Therefore the string must be extended with blanks to get 13 chars and the terminating zero transmitted. If the given text exceeds 13 chars the extra chars are ignored.

Data formats: Format18

Data type:	1 to 14 Byte Decimal format, Semicolon separated
Value range:	Range per Byte 0255
Remarks:	The single byte values have to be separated by a semicolon char(";") Die einzelnen Bytewerte sind durch Semikolon zu separieren. If the source address option is activated more than 64 chars may result on receiving. These will be limited to 64 chars.
Example:	Send a 1 Byte Telegram: "Wga=127" Send a 2 Byte Telegram: "Wga=127;0" Send a 3 Byte Telegram: "Wga=127;0;100"

On receiving the data is formatted decimal, the values are semicolon separated.

Data formats: Format19

Data type:	1 to 14 Byte Hexadecimalformat, Semicolon separated
Value range:	range per Byte 0ffh
Remarks:	The single byte values have to be separated by a semicolon char (";"). Hexadecimal prefix neither needed nor allowed. If the source address option is activated more than 64 chars may result on receiving. These will be limited to 64 chars.
Example:	Send a 1 Byte Telegram: "Wga=7f" Send a 2 Byte Telegram: "Wga=7f;0" Send a 3 Byte Telegram: "Wga=7f;0;64" …

On receiving the data is formatted hexadecimal, the values are semicolon separated.



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Data formats: Format20

1 to 14 Byte Hexadecimalformat, unseparated	
range per byte 0ffh	
The different byte values must not be separated. Hexadecimal prefix neither needed nor allowed. For each byte value 2 chars must be transmitted.	
Send a 1 Byte Telegram: "Wga=7f" Send a 2 Byte Telegram: "Wga=7f00" Send a 3 Byte Telegram: "Wga=7f0064" …	

On receiving the data is formatted hexadecimal, the values are not separated, for each byte 2 chars are generated.

Data formats: Format21

1 to 6 Bit Hexadecimalformat
03fh.
Hexadecimal prefix neither needed nor allowed.
Send a 1-6 Bit Telegram: "Wga=01"

On receiving the data is formatted hexadecimal, 2 chars are generated.



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Receive telegrams

Received telegrams containing group address data are first checked for "Echo" (see option "OE"). Then the device checks whether the ratget group address is enabled (see "Sga" command). If the address is enabled the received datalength is compared with the setup data len. If the length is different the Value field gets "?" assigned as content. Now the data is formatted as follows:

"N PH>GA=Value"

N= Telegram number, only if "ON+" PH= source address, only if "OS+" GA= target address

Dependant on the Option "X" those datas are formatted as

"017 12.03.127>0/3/49=..." or as "11 B37F>0331=..."

The data value itself is formatted depending on the selected data format.

Example telegram hexadecimal:13 000A>0003=0Example telegram decimal:026 00.00.010>00/0/003=0



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Basic parameterization with the b+b-Terminal-Program

The basic parameterization of the EIB-ASCII-Terminal can be easily done with the b+b-Terminal-Program.

This terminal-program is located in the installation folder of EIB.VB for the EIB-ASCII-Terminal or on the EIBTools CD in folder Setup\Bin\EIBAT_EIBVB, if EIB.VB ist not installed. The file b+bTerminal.exe can be copied to any location on your local hard disk and is started with a double click.

First you have to configure the settings for the serial interface in the program by clicking in the menu on "Settings" and then on the item "Schnittstelle / Allgemeine Einstellungen". In the appearing dialog you have to apply the following settings:

Interface: COM port, where the EIB-ASCII-Terminal is connected to

Baudrate: baudrate like selected at the EIB-ASCII-Terminal

Databits: 8

Stopbits: 1

Parity: N (keine)

Protocol: Without or Hardware (RTS/CTS)

The dialog must be colsed with the button "OK".

Now the connection to the EIB-ASCII-Terminal can be opened, while clicking in the toolbar on Start (green arrow). To check the connection you now should request the version of the EIB-ASCII-Terminal with the command "?V". If the terminal doesn't answer, you should check if your connection settings are correct.



The dialog to parameterize the EIB-ASCII-Terminal is opened, when you click in the menu "Settings" on "EIBWeiche ASCII-Terminal/Medientechnik-Gateway". The following dialog appears:



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EIBWeiche ASCII-Terminal/Medientechnik-Gateway Konfiguration	X
Allgemeine Einstellungen	
🗖 OD : Dezimalpunkt	Übertragen
C OE : Echo von eigenen Telegrammen	
G : Sprache Deutsch	
I UH : RTS/CTS Handshake	
ON : Leiegrammnummerierung OB : Leien von gesperiten Gruppenedressen	
On : Lesen von gespenten druppenadiessen	
DV : Dialoghinweise	
CX : Hexadezimale Adresswerte	
🗖 0Q : Lesetelegramme an Host senden	
□ OW : "Bitte warten"-Meldung	
Physikalische Adresse	
P:PA Physikalische Adresse: 0 . 0 . 0	Übertragen
Conservations Firstellaners	
	Übertregen 1
GA: / /	Obelitagen
Format: 1:1 bis 6 Bit Dezimal	
Empfang: E: Empfang freigegeben	
Übernehmen	
Entfernen Alle entfernen	
Liste: GA Empfang Format	Speichern
	Laden
	Importieren

In chapter "Allgemeine Einstellungen" the options of the EIB-ASCII-Terminal can be parameterized, like described above.

After you have applied the settings, it will be transferred to the EIB-ASCII-Terminal if you click on the button "Übertragen".

In chapter "Physical Address" you can setup the physical address of the EIB-ASCII-Terminal.

In chapter "Gruppenadress-Einstellungen" you can configure the goup addresses for the EIB-ASCII-Terminal. Over the button "Speichern" the actual group addresses are saved in a text file. The content of this text file can be used to configure the EIB-ASCII-Terminal with the address definitions. The configuration is done directly when you click on the button "Übertragen".

The saved settings can be loaded again with the button "Laden". With the button "Importieren" you can load the complete data of ein EIB project, that has been imported with EIB Explorer or the FIAVisManager. To do so you have to create a EIB Explorer or FIAVis Manager project in the according software and to import the EIB-addresses from an existing ETS-project.

Then you have to transfer the data into a directory. In the EIB Explorer software you have to select the menu item "Transfer data" or in the FIAVis Manager the menu item "Transfer data to application". In the following window have have to select the option "EIB.VB directory", configure the destination directory and execute the transfer with the button "Start...". The created GA-file contains all address informations and can be imported in the b+b-Terminal-Program.