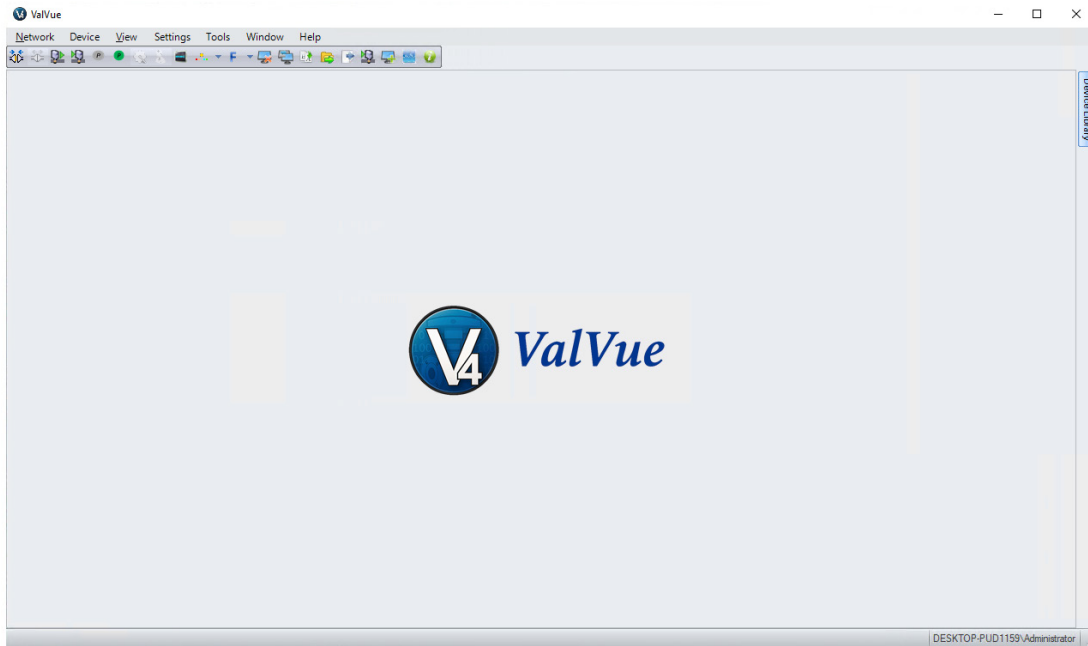


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1. Introduction

ValVue Introduction

The ValVue (*ValVue Main Screen*) is a user-friendly interface for using Masoneilan and Masoneilan DTMs to setup, control and diagnose Masoneilan control valves.

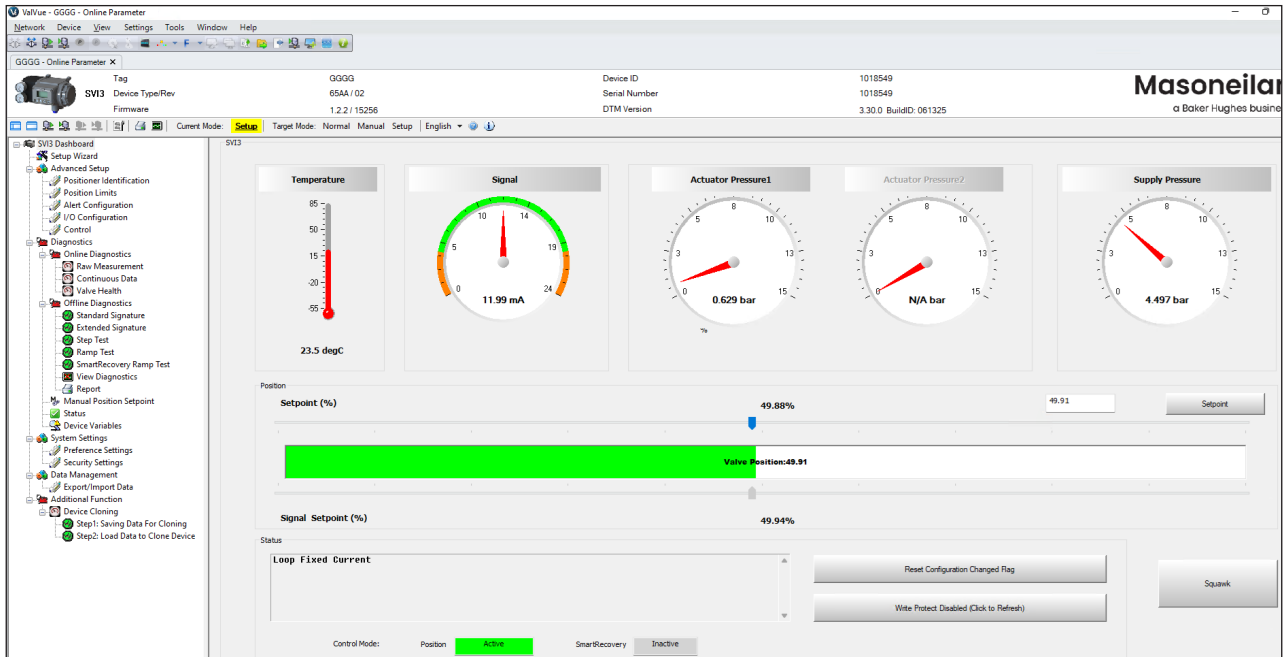


Figure 1 - ValVue Main Screen

About This Manual

These instructions are intended to help a field engineer use the ValVue interface to install, configure, calibrate and diagnose valves using various proprietary DTM software. If you experience problems that are not documented, contact Baker Hughes or your local representative.

This is a menu-driven manual, which also maps the menu items to their icon counterparts. Additionally, [“Getting Started Tasks”](#) on page 32 gives a task-driven list.

Conventions Used in This Manual

Conventions used in this manual are as follows:

- *Italicized* letters are used when referencing a term used in the display window, for emphasis on important items and for fields where data appears or for user-entered data.
- Actions performed on buttons, checkboxes, etc. appear **bolded**.

NOTE

Indicates important facts and conditions.



CAUTION

Indicates a potentially hazardous situation, which if not avoided could result in property damage or data loss.



WARNING

Indicates a potentially hazardous situation, which if not avoided could result in death or serious injury.



Baker Hughes Documentation Resources for Masoneilan Products

Baker Hughes publishes several different resources for documentation on Masoneilan products:

- Hardware quick starts contain installation information and other basic information related to getting a device installed and very generally configured.
- Hardware instruction manuals contain more complete information for configuration of a device. This manual also includes information on background functionality and special circumstances useful in installation, configuration and operation/ troubleshooting.
- Software manuals contain more complete information for the software configuration of a device. This manual also includes information on background functionality and special circumstances useful in configuration and operation (including diagnostics and their interpretation). These manuals represent the same source material as the online help.

Check the website: <https://valves.bakerhughes.com/resource-center>.

Related Documentation for ValVue

SVI3

- Masoneilan SVI3 Digital Positioner Advanced Performance Quick Start Guide
- Masoneilan SVI3 Digital Positioner Advanced Performance Installation and Maintenance Manual

SVI II AP

- Masoneilan SVI II AP Digital Positioner Advanced Performance Quick Start Guide
- Masoneilan SVI II AP Digital Positioner Advanced Performance Installation and Maintenance Manual

12400

- Masoneilan 12400 Series Level Transmitter/Controller Instruction Manual & Safety Guide
- Masoneilan 12400 Series Online Help Manual

SVi1000

- Masoneilan SVi1000 DTM Software Instruction Manual
- Masoneilan SVi1000 Positioner Instruction Manual

SVI FF

- Masoneilan SVI FF Digital Positioner Quick Start Guide
- Masoneilan SVI FF Digital Positioner Instruction Manual

NOTE



If you are new to DTM technology there is a good explanation given on the fdtgroup home page. Visit: <https://fdtgroup.org/technology/components/> for an explanation of basic frame and DTM concepts.

Masoneilan Help Contacts

- Email: svisupport@bakerhughes.com
- Phone: 888-SVI-LINE (888-784-5463)

2. Installation and Logon

Installation

Requirements

Using the ValVue installation procedures discussed requires basic knowledge of Microsoft® Windows® operating systems.

Hardware and Operating System Requirements

To successfully install and run ValVue software, your computer system must meet or exceed the following minimum hardware and software requirements.

- Windows Server® 2012, Windows Server® 2016, Windows Server 2019, Windows Server 2022, Windows® 10 or Windows® 11
- Microsoft.NET Framework 2.0 SP2, Microsoft.NET Framework 4.0 FULL, and Microsoft.NET Framework 3.5 SP1, Microsoft.Net Core 6.0
- 16 G of RAM

HART[®] Related Issues

Before installing the DTM, determine which port the computer uses for serial (RS-232 or USB) communication. The HART[®] modem uses this port for communication with the SVI3 positioner.

HART[®] Compliance

The SVI3 Advanced DTM requires a HART[®] compliant communications loop. The HART[®] protocol specifies the noise level, impedance requirements, and configuration of the loop. Conventional communications loops consisting of the following components meet requirements for HART[®] compliance.

- Quality current source having low noise and high impedance
- Minimum loop impedance of 250 Ohms
- Twisted pair cable suitable for 4 - 20 mA current loops

When a safe barrier separates the communicating devices, a HART[®] compliant barrier must be used.

CAUTION



Some Distributed Control System output circuits are incompatible with the HART[®] protocol. Connecting a HART[®] modem to such a circuit can cause a process upset. Use a HART[®] filter. Consult the DCS manufacturer to verify that the DCS is compatible with HART[®], before connecting a HART[®] modem and using the DTM.

Installing ValVue and DTM Software

This installs not only the ValVue and DTM software but the PostgreSQL Database software, the Masoneilan NI-FBUS-H1 Comm. DTM, Masoneilan HART CommDTM and MnHARTCommServer, Microsoft® VC++ Redistributable package and the .Net framework.

Operation of the SVI3 Advanced DTM requires installation of the following software components:

- ValVue 4 or one of the items listed under below to access the SVI3 Advanced DTM:
 - PACTWare software, which includes generic HART® DTM software and HART® communications software
 - AMS Version 13 or above
 - PRM software from Yokogawa
 - Field Device Manager (FDM) from Honeywell
 - fdtContainer from M&M Software GmbH

NOTE



If you have a previous installation of the Masoneilan NI-FBUS-H1 Comm. DTM, you need to use Control Panel to uninstall before proceeding.

NOTE



During the install, PostgreSQL is installed. It is highly recommended that you check for ValVue updates on the Baker Hughes website (<https://valves.bakerhughes.com/resource-center>) every six months to keep this program current for security issues.

To install the software:

1. Double-click **ValVue 4 Full Edition.exe** and Figure 2 appears.

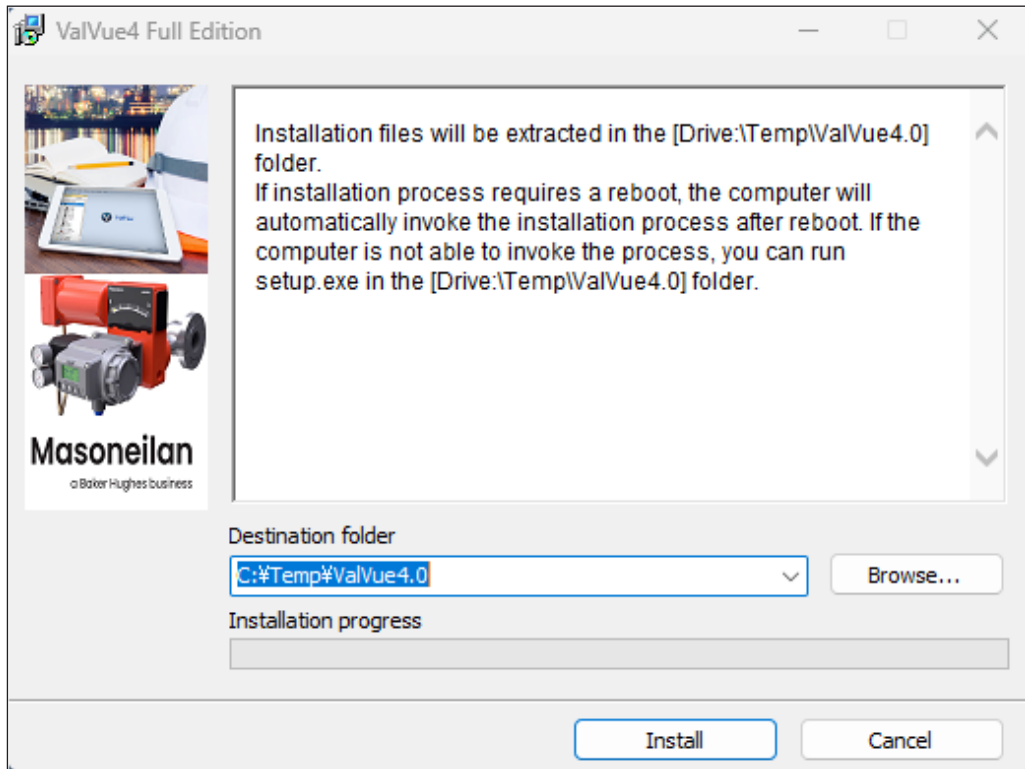


Figure 2 - Install Unzip

2. Click **Install** and the extraction process begins. Click to allow installation on any intermediate messages that appear. The *Preparing Setup* dialog appears. If you have not previously installed ValVue then Figure 3 appears.

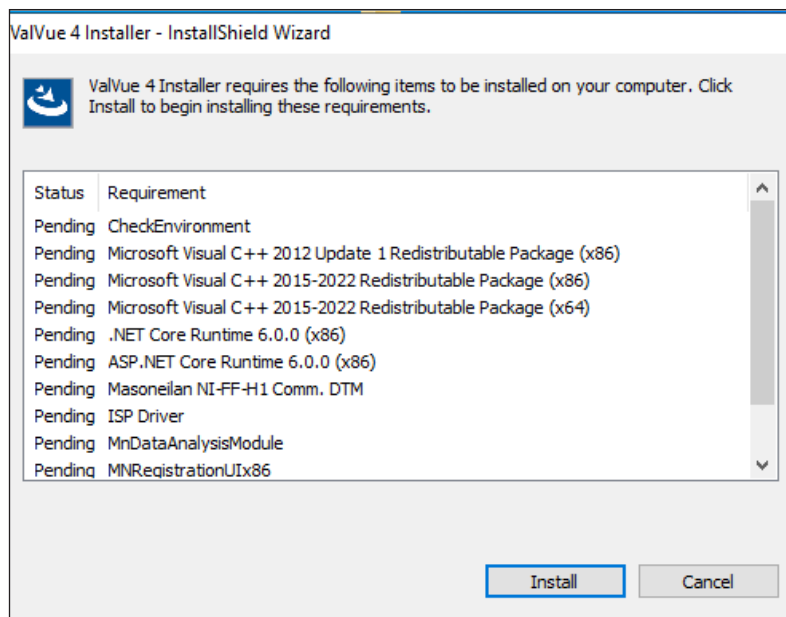


Figure 3 - Install Items

3. Click **Install** and Figure 4 appears.

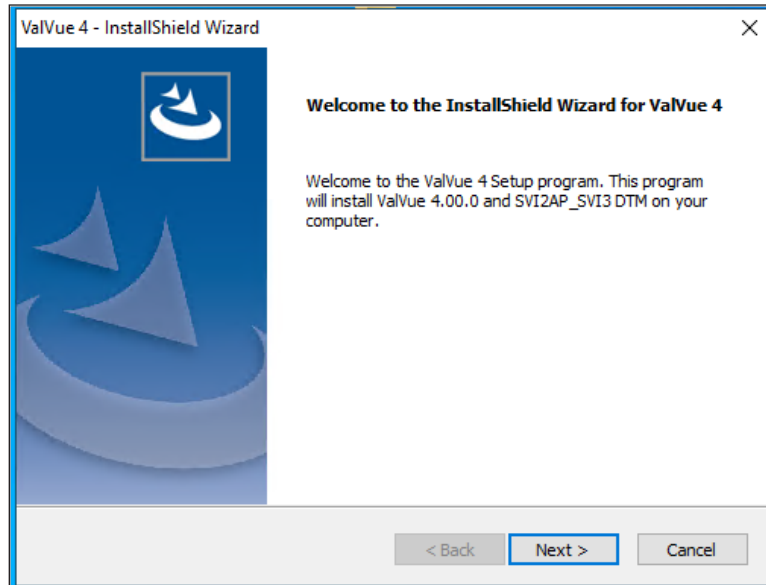


Figure 4 - ValVue Install Welcome

4. Click **Next** and Figure 5 appears.

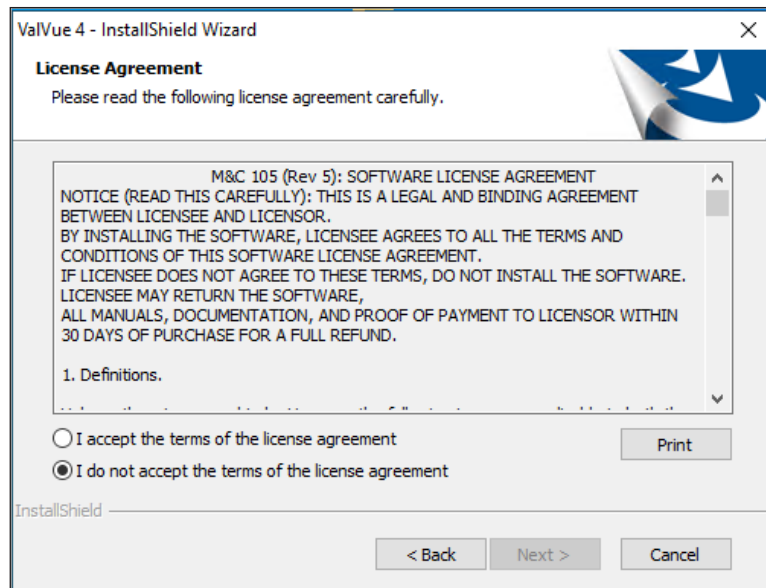


Figure 5 - ValVue License

5. Click **I accept the license.....**, **Next** and Figure 6 appears.

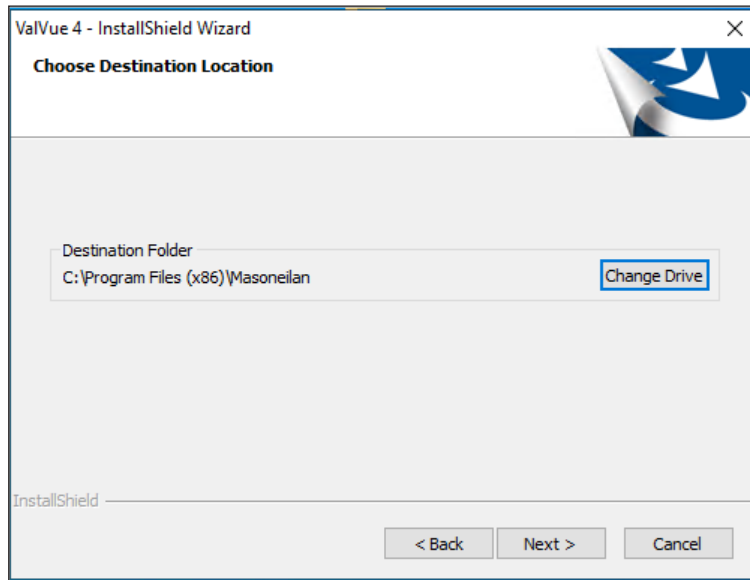


Figure 6 - Choose Programs for Installation

6. Click **Next** and Figure 7 appears.

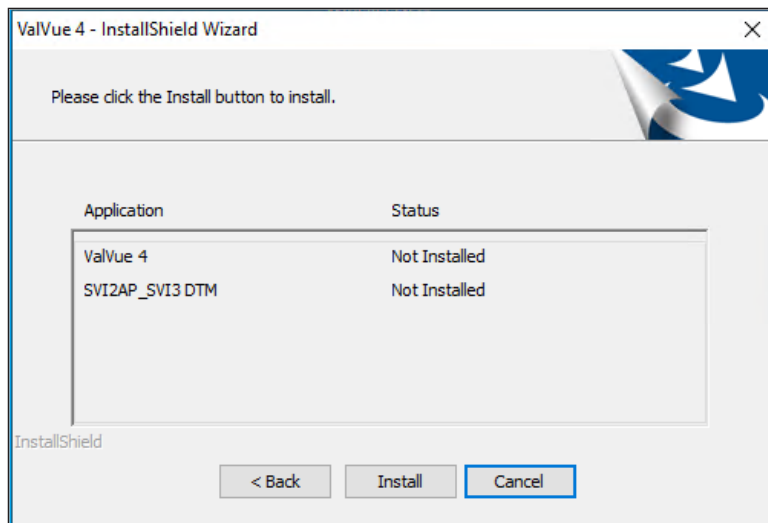


Figure 7 - Display Application Status

7. Click Change, navigate to or create the target folder, click OK and the dialog reappears.
8. Click Install and the install proceeds followed by the InstallShield Wizard Complete dialog.
9. Click Finish.

Log On

1. Select **Start > All Programs > Masoneilan > ValVue 4** and Figure 8 appears.

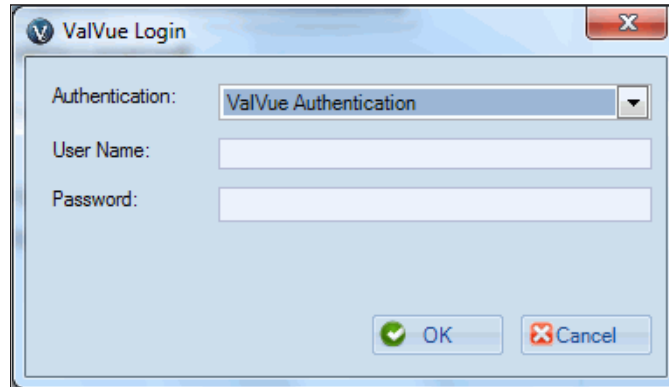


Figure 8 - ValVue Login

2. Sign on to ValVue 3 with default values:

User Name: admin

Password: ValVue3

NOTE



For security purposes, you are forced to change your password during the first use.

The ValVue and SV3 DTM license trial period works as follows:

1. *Once you download and install the ValVue software, you are granted a 30 day trial period. During the 30 days, you have access to all the advanced features of ValVue and the SVI3 DTM.*
2. *Once the first 30 days expires, you lose the advanced features of both ValVue and the SVI3 DTM. You then have an additional 30 day period with just standard features, after which you must register to continue using the product. We strongly encourage you to register your license with us as soon as possible. Contact Baker Hughes at software.reg@bakerhughes.com.*

The evaluation periods for both are independent of each other and commence with first use.

NOTE



If you have installed/deleted DTMs or updated ValVue, a dialog appears when you open ValVue 4: Click:

- **Yes** and the library is updated.
- **No** and you need to manually updated from the DTM Library Management dialog to access any new functionality.

3. Use the Authentication pulldown to select either:

- Windows Authentication: Any user in the list of the ValVue user group can login. This user group is created by the system administrator.
- ValVue Authentication: This is the default username and password for first login. Username Admin and Password: ValVue3. These must be changed after the first login.

During your initial login Figure 9 appears.



Figure 9 - Change Password

You must change your password according to the constraints shown in Figure 10

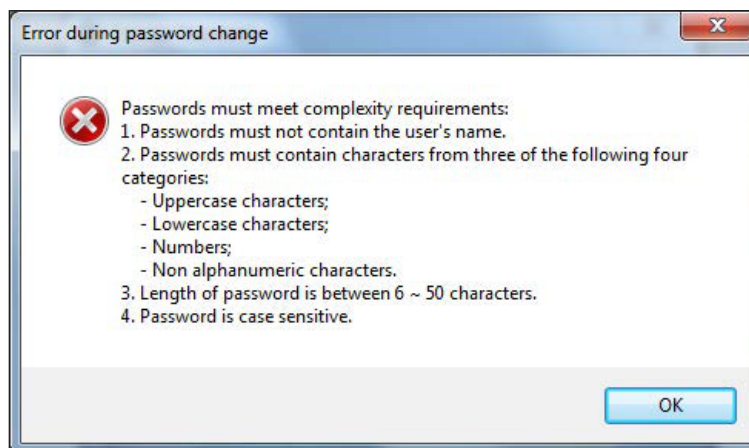


Figure 10 - Passwords Constraints

- Login as Current Windows User: Your Domain\Username appear in User Name.

4. Click **OK** and the main screen appears.

NOTE



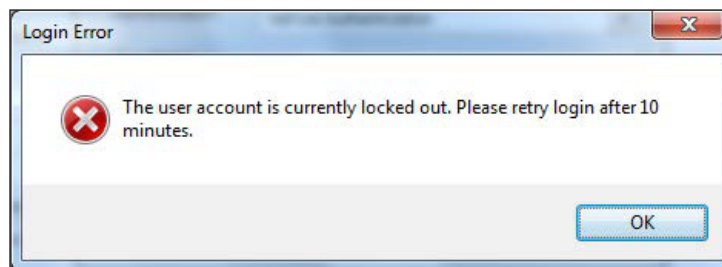
After you successfully login into ValVue, the User Authentication Mode is saved and next time you login, the last authentication mode automatically appears.

NOTE



User Account Security Lockout

A user account is locked out after five unsuccessful password entries and the following dialog appears:



NOTE



If this occurs, wait ten minutes and retry. This behavior occurs cyclically until a successful login is completed.

The lockout behavior is account specific and occurs when using either Login as Windows Authentication or ValVue Authentication.

Failure to Communicate

If the PC (using a modem) fails to communicate with the HART® or ValVue displays then either the message No Devices Found in the DTM main screen, or a COM port communication error occurs, or the message HART I/O Failed appears if the device communications fails during the session. Communication failure prevents the PC from establishing a link. Possible causes of communications failure related to installation include:

- Insufficient loop current and voltage
- Poor wiring contacts
- Improper connection of the HART® modem to the computer or a busy port (wait for COM port to clear or use another port)
- Incorrect serial port
- Using the DTM with another HART® master terminal in service
- Insufficient loop impedance (a minimum of 250 Ohms is required)
- Field device has a non-zero polling address (Set to multidrop)
- The HART Modem may not be compatible with windows OS. Please check with Modem vendor for detail.

If HART® compliance problems are suspect prepare a detailed description of the loop, including all devices on the loop, type of wiring used, loop length, and presence of any possible interference sources before contacting the factory for assistance.

3. ValVue Work Environment

ValVue Work Environment

This section describes the ValVue main screen and how to accomplish general ValVue tasks. After you have successfully launched and logged into the ValVue, ValVue Main Screen appears. The main screen includes four main components:

- “[Command Area](#)” on page 23, which includes the title bar, main menu and the toolbar.
- DTM “[UI Panel](#)” on page 24, which displays the UI interface for the specific device DTM.
- Various “[Docked Panes](#)” on page 25, which include the topology pane, device library, help, and error log tracking.
- “[Status Bar](#)” on page 28.

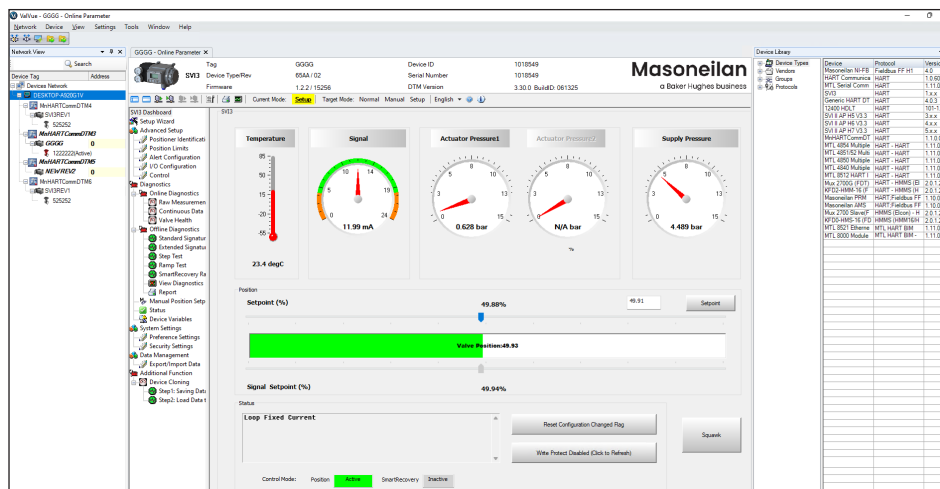


Figure 11 - ValVue Main Screen

Command Area

Command area is composed of three components:

- Title bar: lists the application name and information about current project and current opened DTM UI and has buttons to minimize/maximize and close.



Figure 12 - Title Bar

- Main menu: Provides items for all functions of the DTM software. See the individual menu discussions.

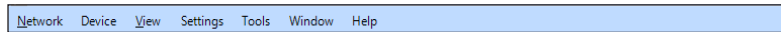


Figure 13 - Main Menu



- Toolbar: An icon-driven representation of the main menu. The number of items and those that are active depend on the item selected in the topology. See "[Network Menu](#)" on page 36 for more description of the icons.



Figure 14 - Toolbar

Exclamation Point and Pencil Icons

Throughout ValVue and the Masoneilan DTMs a:

- Red exclamation point () indicates a value in the associated field is out of range.
- Pencil icon () indicates a value that has not been saved.

These icons also appear in the topology tree to indicate a tab where there is an out of range or and unsaved value (Figure 15). The out of range exclamation point always takes precedence.

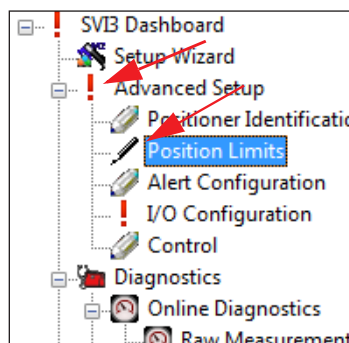


Figure 15 - Topology Tree with Icons

UI Panel

The UI panel depends on the device installed and selected. For Masoneilan products see the individual DTM help. See vendor documentation for non-Masoneilan products.

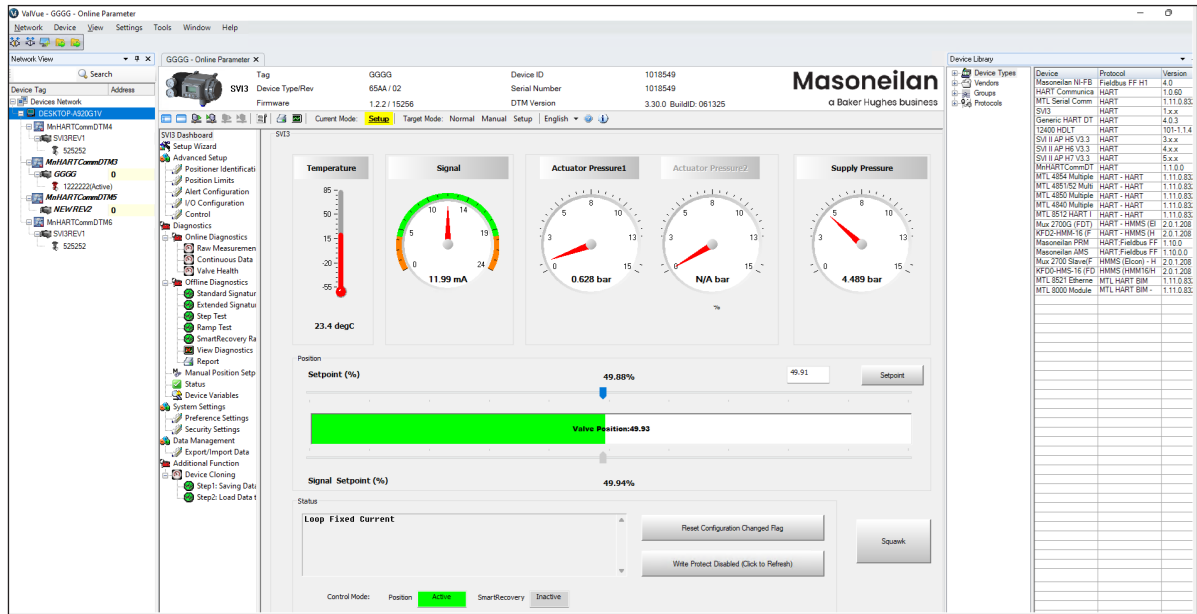


Figure 16 - UI Panel

Docked Panes

ValVue Topology Pane

The topology pane (ValVue Topology Pane: Network View) is used to navigate the various areas and devices in each area and open a device's proprietary DTM. This navigation tree can be changed to one of four different views:

- Topology View
- Area View
- Protocol View
- Manufacturer View

See "[Device Menu](#)" on page 36 for a more detailed explanation.

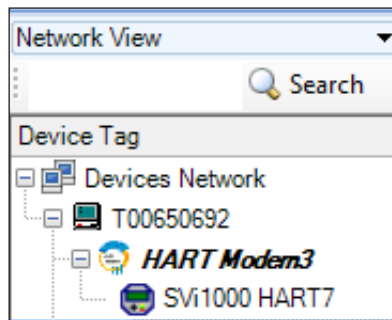


Figure 17 - ValVue Topology Pane: Network View

The tree is broken down into the following functional areas:

- View: Listed just below the yellow bar is the view in use.
- Field Network or Area: One level below is either the protocol in use or a listing of the user-defined areas.
- Protocol: Next is the protocol in use.
- Device: Next is a list of the devices added.

Column Settings

You can add and remove columns appearing in the topology pane. The default is to display a minimal amount of columns and the columns available depend on the active Network View. These items are useful in identify particular valve/positioners. It may be necessary to pull th e topology pane to display the fields. Columns available for display include:

- *Device Tag*
- *Channel*
- *Changed*: Indicates an unsaved parameter change using the pencil icon.
- *Address*
- *Device Type (DTM)*

To configure columns:

1. Right-click at the device tag level.

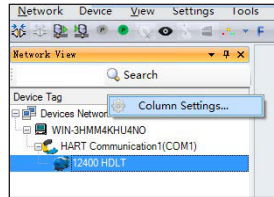



Figure 18 - Column Settings Right Click Menu

The image shows the menu when more than the default columns are shown. Only *Column Settings* appears then.

Use the *Reset Columns* menu item or  on the Column Settings dialog to reset the column configuration to default.

Use the *Hide This Column* menu item to hide a selected column.

2. Click Column Settings and the dialog appears.

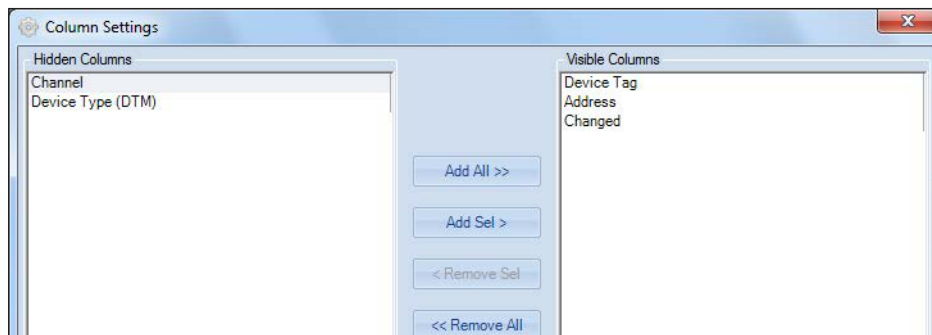


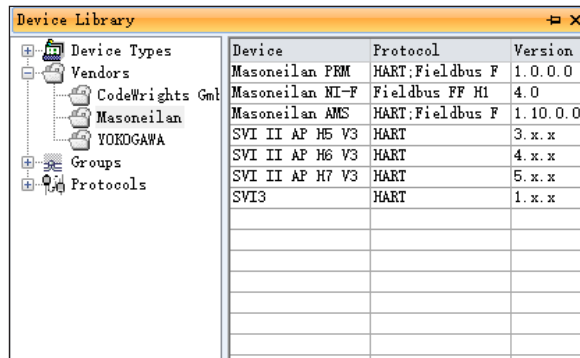
Figure 19 - Column Settings

3. Use the add and remove buttons to add/remove items from the *Hidden Columns* or *Visible Columns* lists.

- Use the move buttons to arrange the order and click **OK**. The topology pane appears with the columns appearing and arranged as dictated.

Device Library

Use the Device Library to view lists of protocols and devices in the *DTM Library*. In the *DTM Library* means that they are installed and ready for use by ValVue. Other protocols and DTM may be on the system, but not ready. See [“DTM Library Management”](#) on page 75 for instructions on how to manage DTMs.



Device	Protocol	Version
Masoneilan PERM	HART:Fieldbus F	1.0.0.0
Masoneilan NI-F	Fieldbus FF H1	4.0
Masoneilan AMS	HART:Fieldbus F	1.10.0.0
SVI II AP H5 V3	HART	3.x.x
SVI II AP H6 V3	HART	4.x.x
SVI II AP H7 V3	HART	5.x.x
SVI3	HART	1.x.x

Figure 20 - Device Library

If you right-click on an item in the Device list you can access a dialog with display only *DTM Info*.

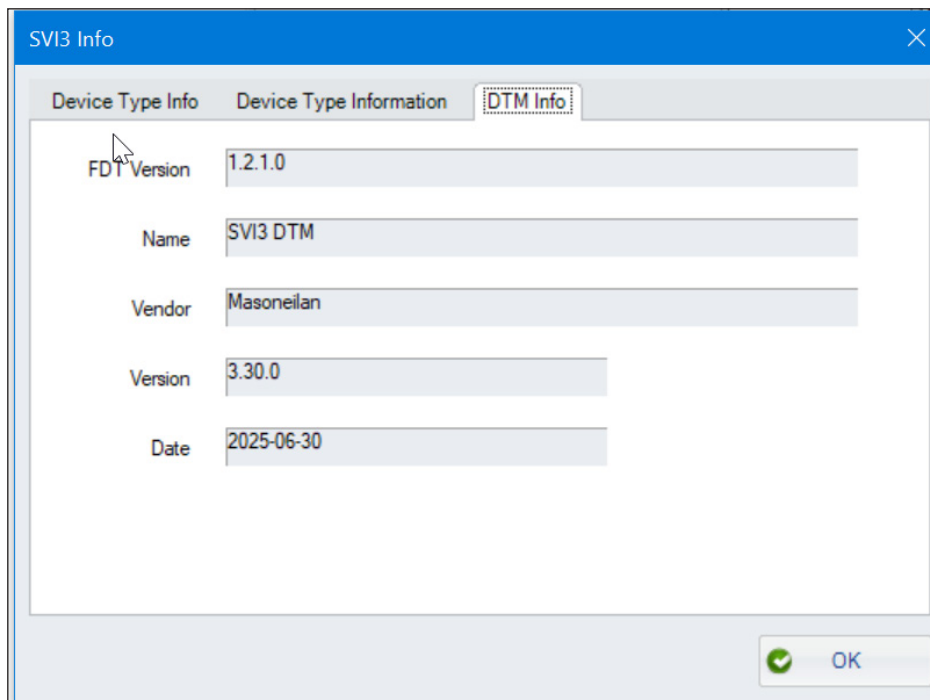
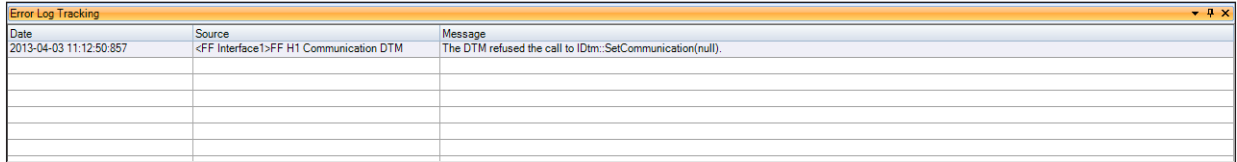


Figure 21 - DTM Info

Error Log Tracking

Accessed from the *View* menu and clicking  in the status bar, use this, via a right-click menu, to view errors, clear errors and view details ([Error Info](#)).



Date	Source	Message
2013-04-03 11:12:50.857	<FF Interface1>FF H1 Communication DTM	The DTM refused the call to IDtm::SetCommunication(null).

Figure 22 - Error Log Tracking Pane

Information in the *Error Info* dialog can be copied and pasted for troubleshooting purposes.

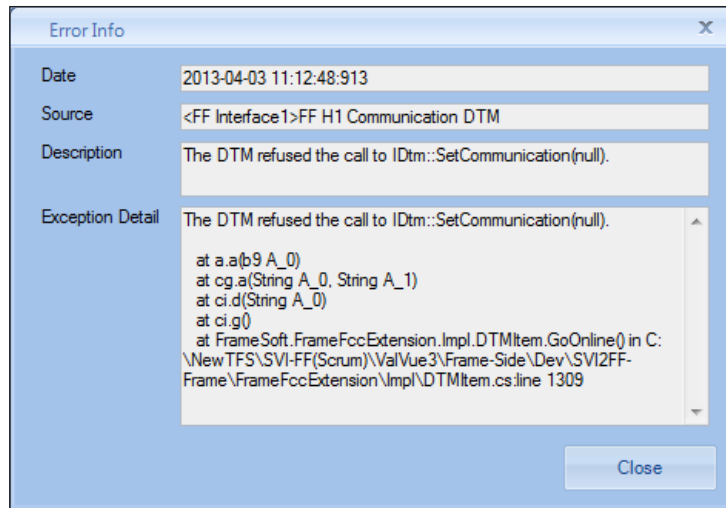



Figure 23 - Error Info

Status Bar

This displays the current user and an icon to indicate errors exist. When you mouse over the user label, the tooltip shows the role information. If you click the error icon , the *Error Log Tracking* appears.

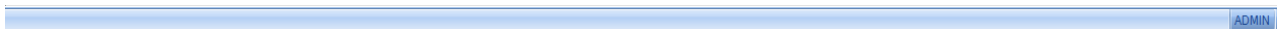


Figure 24 - Status Bar

Assign Device Type

If the scan detects a device that is unknown or has unknown device properties, the *Assign Device Type* dialog appears. Use this dialog to review the information gathered during the network scan and to add or edit to that data. You can then save the assigned data for use with that device type. Only device types that match the specific DTM appear.

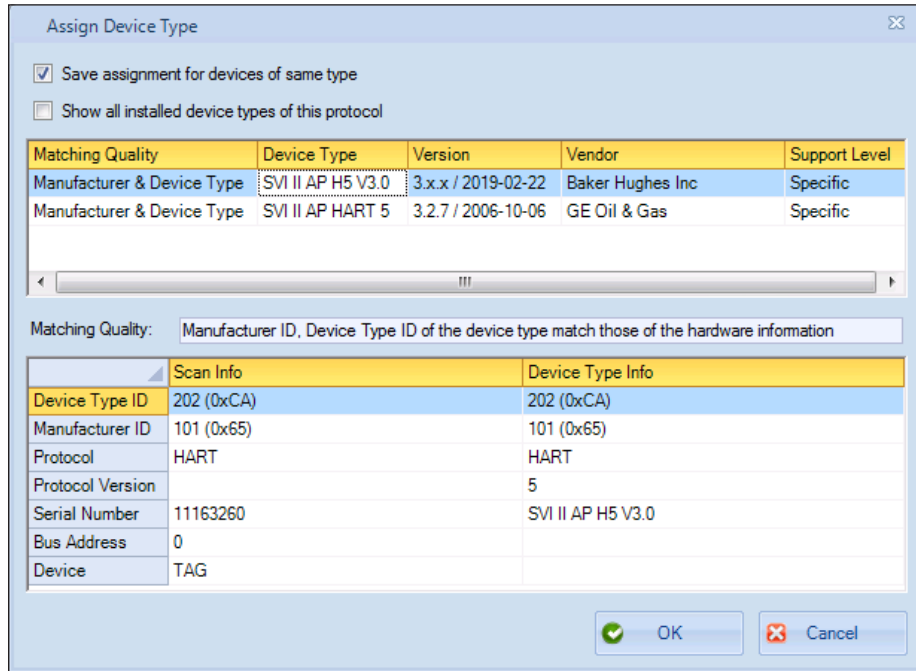
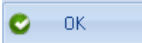


Figure 25 - Assign Device Type

Fields and Buttons

Save assignment for devices of same type

Click this checkbox to save configuration changes made using this dialog for devices of the same type once  is clicked.

Show all installed device types of this protocol

Click this checkbox to display all devices scanned that are for the detected protocol. This is useful to see related information as reference.

Matching Quality

DTM uses Manufacturing ID and Device Type ID to match a device and DTM.

Device Type

Displays the device type detected.

Version

Displays the version detected.

Vendor

Displays the vendor detected.

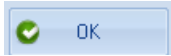
Support Level

Displays the support level detected.

<i>Matching Quality</i>	Displays text associated with the detected <i>Matching Quality</i> as an explanation.
<i>Scan Info</i>	Displays the scanned data for: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Device Type ID</i> • <i>Manufacturer ID</i> • <i>Protocol</i> • <i>Protocol Version</i> • <i>Serial Number</i> • <i>Bus Address</i> • <i>Device</i>
<i>Device Type Info</i>	Enter amended data for the scanned data for: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Device Type ID</i> • <i>Manufacturer ID</i> • <i>Protocol</i> • <i>Protocol Version</i> • <i>Serial Number</i> • <i>Bus Address</i> • <i>Device</i>

Configure Assign Device Type

If the *Assign Device Type* dialog appears:

1. Review the Scan Info fields and ensure that all information is accurate.
2. Click **Show all installed device types of this protocol** to see information for reference, if required.
3. Click **Save assignment for devices of same type** and click  .

Topology Right-Click Menu

Use the topology view right-click menu to access functions some of which are ValVue related and some SVI3 DTM related. Figure 26 shows which items are related to positioner DTM operations and which to ValVue (Black boxes are SVI3 operations and red are ValVue).

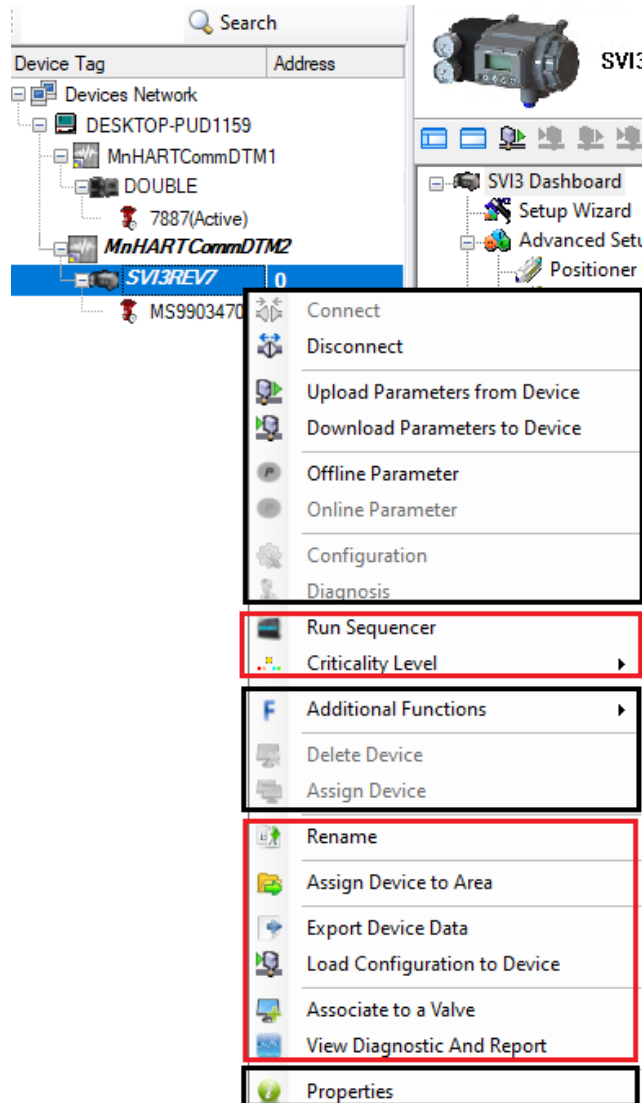


Figure 26 - Topology Right-Click Menu

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5. Network Tasks

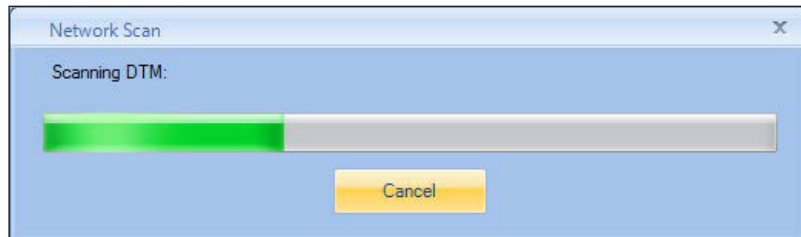
Network Menu

Use this menu to structure and rebuild the network.

Menu Items

*Rebuild
Network*

Performs a **Network Scan** of all field networks that are connected and correctly configured, detecting the network elements and reauthenticating them. If properly configured the element appears in bold italic type. This process consumes an amount of time related to the number of devices on the network.



CAUTION



*If you perform **Rebuild Network**, all devices under the network node will be removed, and only devices connected to the network can be found and rejoined.*

The scan checks the configuration done during the “[Add a Field Network](#)” on page 46. The general steps involved in adding a field network are:

1. DTM Management (see “[DTM Library Management](#)” on page 75).
2. Setting up Field Networks (see “[Field Networks](#)” on page 76).
3. Network Communication and Preference Settings (see “[Network Communication Preference Settings](#)” on page 82).
4. Building the Network.

Open Connected Device Performs a search of the field network for all devices whether connected or not, connects any unconnected devices and adds related device DTMs to the device topology, using the device’s configuration. The *Online Parameters* tab opens. For a gateway DTM, it continues scanning until all the devices are added. If the correct DTM software is not installed, the *Assign Device Type* dialog appears (see “[Assign Device Type](#)” on page 29.) If you choose the wrong DTM, the DTM can be assigned to the device, but the DTM cannot communicate with the device.

This command is the preferred method for adding devices to the those shown on the topology. If you use Rebuild Network, and the device is not connected, the device is deleted from the topology tree.

NOTE



If the scan detects a device that is unknown or has unknown device properties, the Assign Device Type dialog appears. Refer to “[Assign Device Type](#)” for further explanation.

Refresh Refreshes the screen data and *Device Tags*

Exit Exits ValVue, prompting you if all data is not saved.

6. Device Tasks

Device Menu

Use this menu to structure and rebuild the network.



When using the right-click menu in the topology pane, you access functionality that depends on the whether you access the field network level, communications DTM level or device level.

Menu Items

*Device Network **and** Station level only*

Connect All



Attempts to connect all DTMs in the *Devices Network* as per their configuration.

The application operates devices in either connected or disconnected mode. If the device is:

- Not connected, data are stored to the database, and applied when the device is connected.
- Connected, all the functions are available.

If the *Assign Device Type* dialog appears, see [“Assign Device Type”](#) on page 29.

Disconnect All



Disconnects all DTMs and devices in the *Devices Network*.

Add a Field Network



Opens the [Add Field Network - Field Network Tab](#) dialog to configure a new field network ([“Add a Field Network”](#) on page 78).

Rebuild Network



When at the communications DTM level, using this scans the network for all devices.

Assign Devices To Area



Use this command to create new areas inside an existing area and/or to assign devices to an area. You can add child areas to existing areas. See [“Work with Device Areas”](#) on page 50.

Group Devices



Opens the Group Devices dialog to performing device grouping. See “[Group Devices](#)” on page 52.

This choice is available at the communications protocol level as well.

Display Option

Opens a sub-menu to choose whether to display in the topology tree:

- *Instrument Only*
- *Valve Only*
- *Show All*

This useful for simplifying the display and is available in the *Area View* only.

Right click menu for a selected device.

These items are also iconically represented in the tool bar.

Connect



Attempts to connect the selected DTM as per its configuration. Double-clicking on a device in the Topology tree connects the device and opens the *Online Parameters* tab for the device, if physically connected.

If the *Assign Device Type* dialog appears, see “[Assign Device Type](#)” on page 29.

Disconnect



Disconnects the selected DTM.

Upload Parameters from Device



Uploads the parameters presently loaded on a selected device.

Download Parameters to Device



Downloads the parameters presently configured using the UI to a selected device.

Offline Parameter



Opens the *Offline Parameter* tab in the DTM UI Panel. See the documentation for the proprietary DTM.

This DTM function enables you to adjust parameter values in the project database. Any changes to the parameters of the device do not take effect until the data is downloaded. All data created in the DTM is automatically saved to the database.

Online Parameter



Opens the *Online Parameter* tab in the DTM UI Panel. See the documentation for the proprietary DTM.

This DTM function enables you to do all the online operation to the device.

Configuration



Opens the *Configuration* tab for the FF in the DTM UI Panel. This is the same configuration as on the *Configuration* tab of the [“Signature Management”](#) on page 139.

Diagnosis



Enables you to observe diagnostics on the device by accessing the individual DTM’s *Check* or *Status* tabs.

Add Child Area



Use this to add a new child area below an existing top level area or child area. This is only available in *Area View*.

Remove Area



Use this to remove a child area including all devices with their configuration. This is only available in *Area View*.

Rename Area



Use this to rename a child area. This is only available in *Area View*.

Run Sequencer



Opens the *Sequencer Preview* dialog. Using this you can access all sequencer functionality. See [“Sequencer Management”](#) on page 115.

Criticality Level



Use the popup to set the criticality level for alarming, which dictates the sampling interval:

- *Very Critical*: 60 second interval
- *Critical*: 300 second interval
- *Moderate*: 600 second interval (default)
- *Low*: 3600 second interval
- *Do not bother*: Not monitored
- *Inherit From Parent Area*: Assigns the criticality configured in the parent level. This is only available in *Area View*.

This menu item is only available when a device is selected.

The ValVue 3 *Device Criticality* settings determine the scan period for monitoring of a positioner. Selecting *Do Not Bother* means no status is monitored for display. Ensure if you use *Inherent from Parent Area* that the settings do not include *Do Not Bother*. The ValVue 3 *Device Status Monitor Running* must also be active for any status to appear on an individual DTM’s *Status* tab. Status updates for active faults also appear on the *Healthy Status* and *Device Monitor: Data Displayed*.

Additional Functions



The additional functions are device-specific to the device DTM. If available, they appear in the sub-menu. For example, the SVI FF DTM includes:

- *Node Address*: Opens the Node Address tab to change and save the device address.
- *Registration*: Opens the registration process.
- *Report*: Opens a *Configuration Report*.

See the individual DTM help files for further explanations.

 Display channels/Do not display channels	Select the communications DTM level to toggle on/off the displaying of channels with a device added or not.
 Display only channels with device	Select the communications DTM level to toggle on/off the displaying of only channels with a device added.
Open Connected Devices 	Establishes connection to all connected devices. See “Network Menu” on page 34. The <i>Online Parameters</i> tab opens. If the correct DTM software is not in the Device Library, the <i>Assign Device Type</i> dialog appears (see “Assign Device Type” on page 29.) If you choose the wrong DTM, the DTM can be assigned to the device, but the DTM cannot communicate with the device.
Add New Device 	Opens the <i>Add New Device</i> dialog. See “Add New Device” on page 54 for a procedure.
Import and Add New Device 	Opens the <i>Import Device Data from File</i> dialog. Use this dialog to import a <i>.ddf</i> or <i>.devData</i> file, which contains all the configuration parameters saved from another device using <i>Export Device Data</i> . See “Import and Add New Device” on page 56 for a procedure. For this release this exists only for https://valves.bakerhughes.com/resource-centers .
Delete Field Network 	Deletes a selected field network if it is not connected and there are no associated tabs open.
Delete Device 	Deletes a selected device if it is not connected and there are no associated tabs open.
Assign Device 	Opens the <i>Assign Device</i> dialog to assign a device to an existing device type.
Rename 	Select rename for a selected item and the cursor is placed in the name for editing.
Assign Devices to Area or Assign Devices Under to Area 	Use this command to create new areas inside an existing area and/or to assign devices to an area. You can add child areas to existing areas. See “Work with Device Areas” on page 50.

Export Device Data



Opens the *Export complete valve device and signature history* dialog to navigate to a directory and save a device data file (.ddf for earlier than ValVue 3.6 or .ddf2 for ValVue 3.6+). See [“Export Device Data”](#) on page 57.

Load Configuration to Device



Opens the Choose Configuration dialog to choose a configuration that exists. This data can then be downloaded to the device using menu commands. This feature is for SVI II AP device only. User can import (Tools->Import Configuration) SVI2AP configuration file (.dp2) from legacy ValVue 2, then uses this feature to download the imported configuration to device.

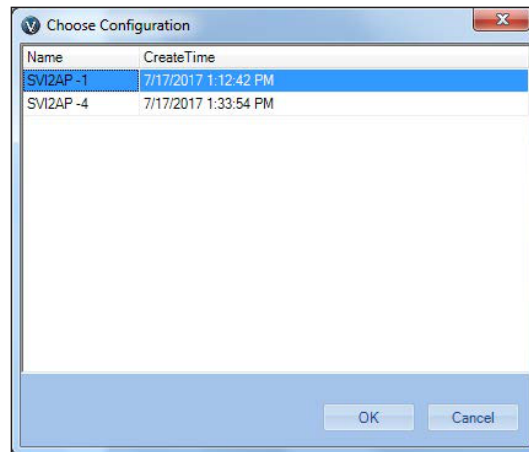


Figure 27 - Choose Configuration

Associate to a Valve



Opens the Valve Management dialog to associate a positioner to a valve. This only available at the positioner level.

Multiple associations are allowed, however, only one association can active at anytime. Activation/deactivation is via the right-click menu on the valve level. See [“Valve Management”](#) on page 130.

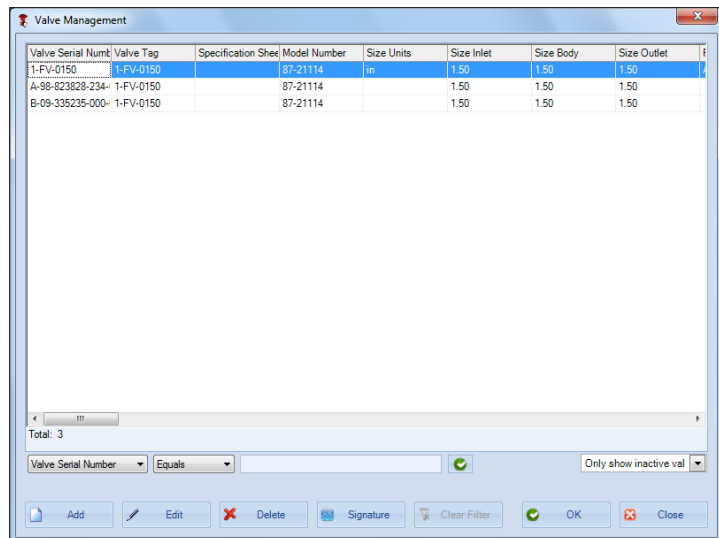


Figure 28 - Valve Management

*Activate Valve/
Deactivate Valve*



Activates the selected valve as the valve to which the positioner is connected. This also designates the saving of signature data be associated to that valve and it is saved to that selected valve's database.

At any one time there may be no valve activated.

Delete Valve Association



Deletes a valve association with a positioner. All data previously gathered is still available in the specific valve database. The valve can be added again at a later time.

Assign Valve to Area

Opens a dialog to assign a valve to a user-created area. See ["Work with Device Areas"](#) on page 50.

*View Diagnostic and
Report*



Opens the *View Customize Diagnostics Report* dialog to select a test result or results to view. Test results can be exported to an Unified Signature format (.usf). This is available at both the valve and positioner level. See ["View Diagnostic and Report"](#) on page 140.

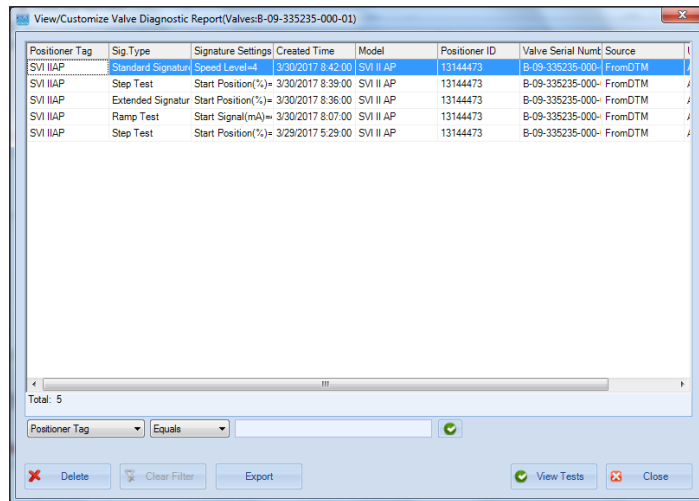


Figure 29 - View Customize Diagnostics Report

Properties and Edit Properties (valve-level only)



Opens a dialog that is dependent on the topology level.

Communication Interface level: Opens an *Info* dialog for a selected communications interface.

Field	Value
Name	Masonellan NI-FBUS-H1 Comm. DTM
Vendor	Masonellan
Version	4.0
Type	DTM specific
Date	2013-11-29

Positioner level: Opens an *Info* dialog for a selected positioner.

Field	Value
Name	SVi1000 HART7
Vendor	Masonellan
Version	3.1.1
Type	Positioner
Date	2023-03-15
Manufacturer	101 (0x65)
Device Type	26095 (0x65EF)

Valve level: Opens the *Valve Details* dialog. this data is editable ([“Valve Data Management”](#) on page 136).

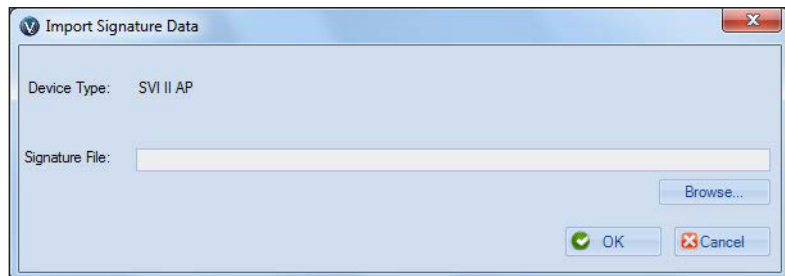


Import Diagnostic Data



Use this valve-level selection to import signature data for SVI3, SVI II AP, FVP, SVi1000 or SVI FF from a legacy device or another DTM. Before the data is imported it is checked to ensure it is of the same format - for a similar valve.

The following dialog appears:



Use the *Browse* button to navigate to the desired file.

Device Monitor: Data Displayed

The following information is monitored at the same polling schedule with the device status.

- Healthy Status
- Process Variables: Hart® Command 3.
- Device Mode
- Device Information: Manufacturer ID, Device Type ID, Device ID, Device Tag. While in Network View, mouse over to the device status icon (red arrow below) and the three tooltip panel appears and all the online information appears on the tooltip.

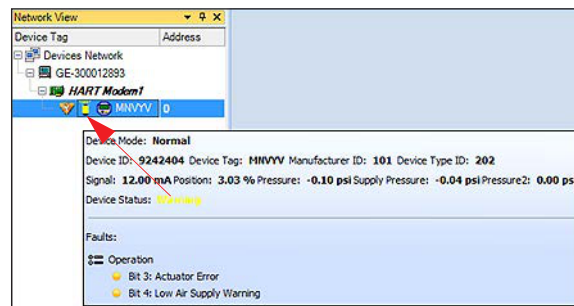


Figure 30 - Device Monitor

For HART devices, the healthy status is calculated from the *Device Status*. One of five icons can appear here to indicate the device health:






-  Healthy - indicates operation is within range.
-  Maintenance Required - indicates maintenance is necessary.
-  Out of specification - indicates any specification is out of range and flags the situation for analysis.
-  Function check - indicates temporary invalid output.
-  Failure - indicates failure.

Table 1 lists the communications protocols and the associated data that can appear.

Table 1 - Communications Protocol

Protocol	Data Displayed
<i>HART</i>	Device mode
<i>Foundation fieldbus™</i>	Resource block mode, Transducer block mode

Table 2 lists the device types and associated process variables that can appear.

Table 2 - Device Type

Device Type	Data Displayed
<i>SVI3</i>	Signal, Position, Pressure, Supply Pressure
<i>DLT 12400</i>	Current, Level, Current Board Temperature, Current Sensor Temperature
<i>SVI II AP</i>	Signal, Position, Pressure, Supply Pressure, Pressure2
<i>SVI II ESD</i>	Signal, Position, Pressure
<i>SVI1000</i>	Signal, Position
<i>VECTOR™</i>	PV Loop Current, PV, Direct Power Voltage, Electronics Temperature
<i>SVI FF</i>	Setpoint, Actual Position, Supply Pressure, Actuator Pressure A, Actuator Pressure B
<i>FVP™</i>	Setpoint, Target Position, Actual Position, Pressure

Add a Field Network

You must be at the Field Network level for this task.

1. Select **Device > Add a Field Network** and the dialog appears with the *Field Network* tab selected.

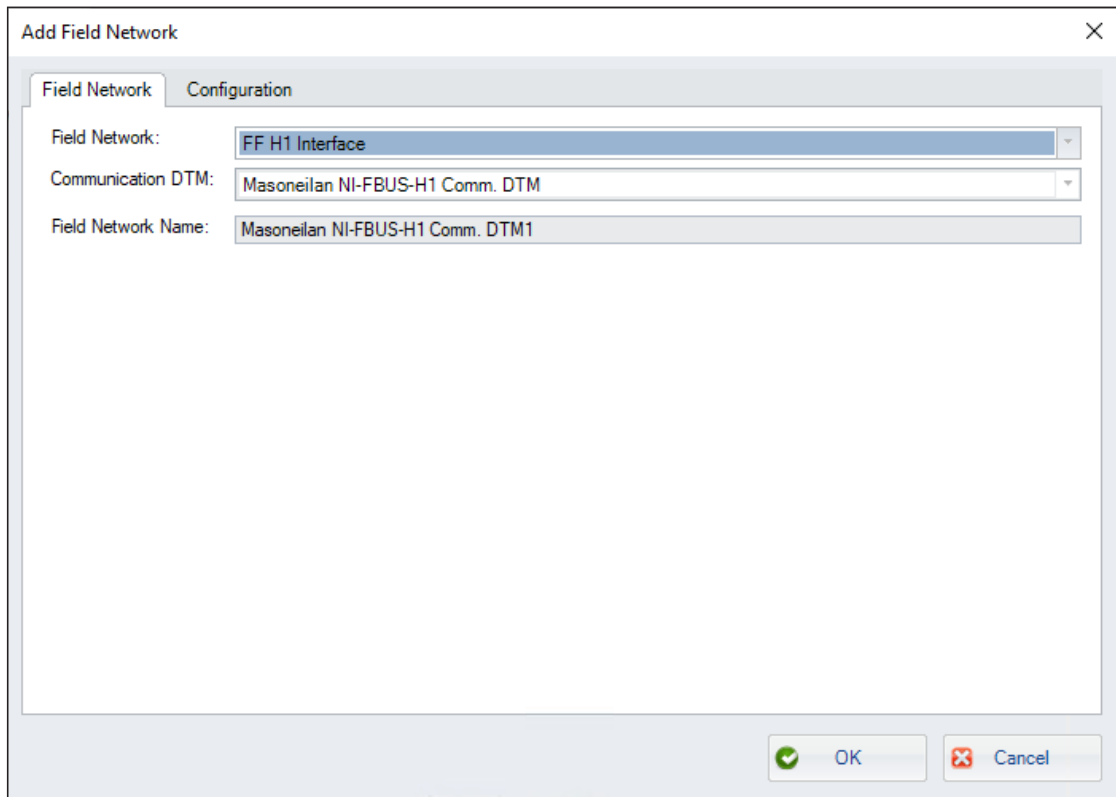


Figure 31 - Add Field Network - Field Network Tab

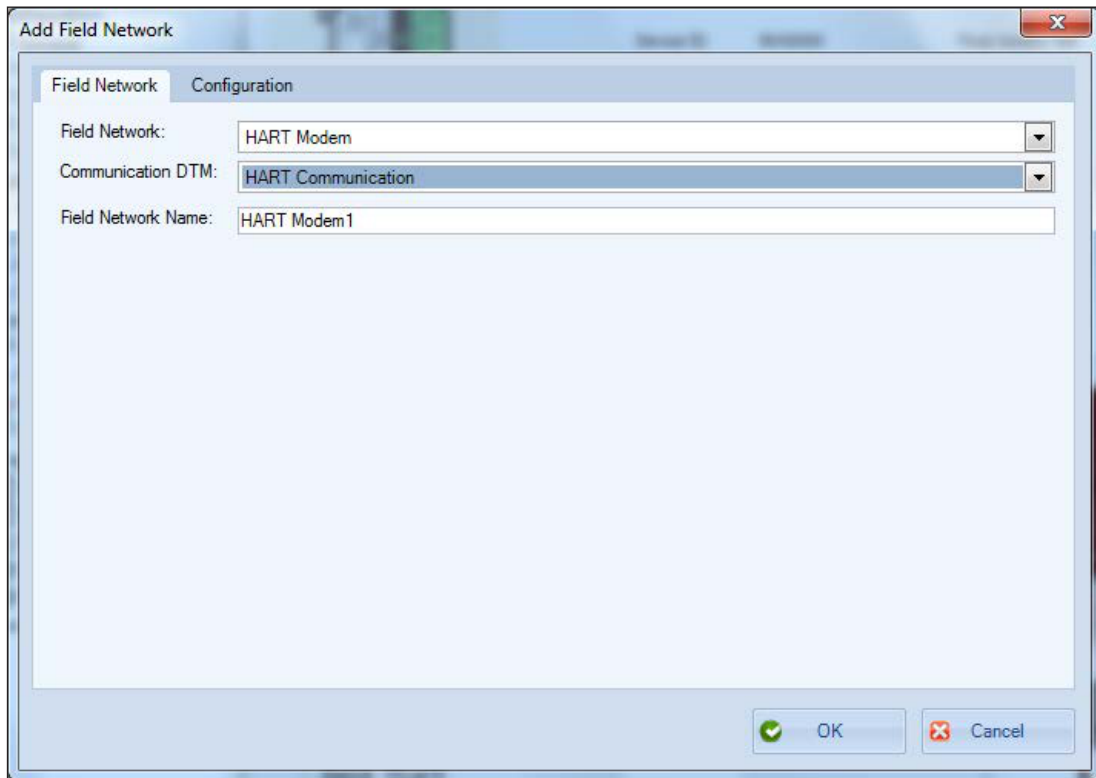


Figure 32 - Add Field Network - HART® Network Tab

2. Select a Field Network from the pulldown:

- **HART Modem**
- **FF H1 Interface** - the *NI-FFBus Communications Manager* must launch.
- **FF HSE**
- **HART IP Communication**
- **DCS Communication**
- **Other Communication**

The *Communication DTM* automatically populates based on the *Field Network* choice.

The *Field Network Name* automatically populates to the *Field Network* with the number in sequence of that field network type appended. This is editable.

3. Edit the *Field Network Name*, if required.

4. Select **Configuration** and the appropriate field network tab appears.

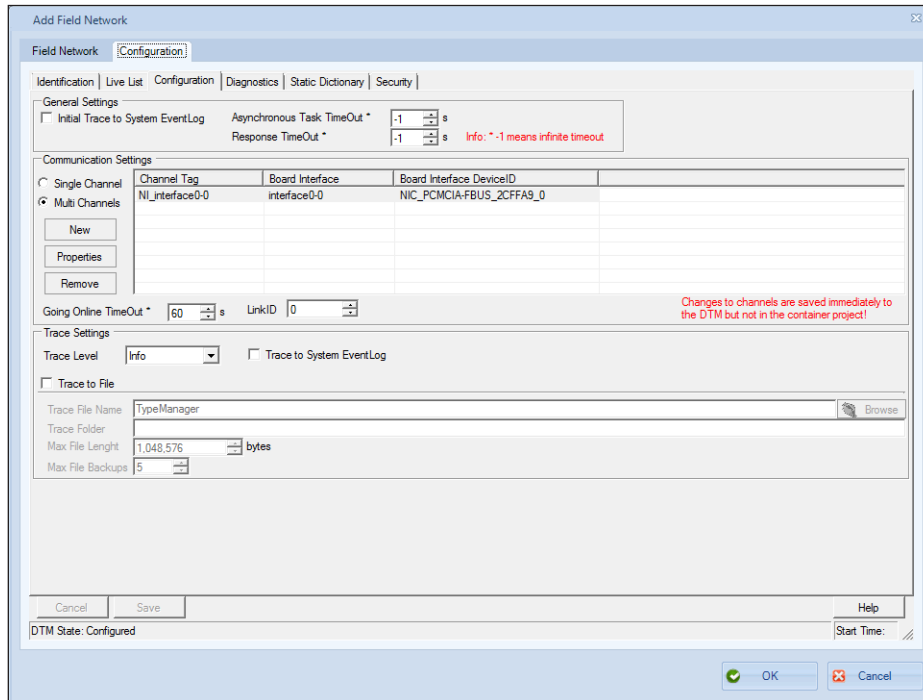


Figure 33 - Add Field Network - FF™ Configuration Tab

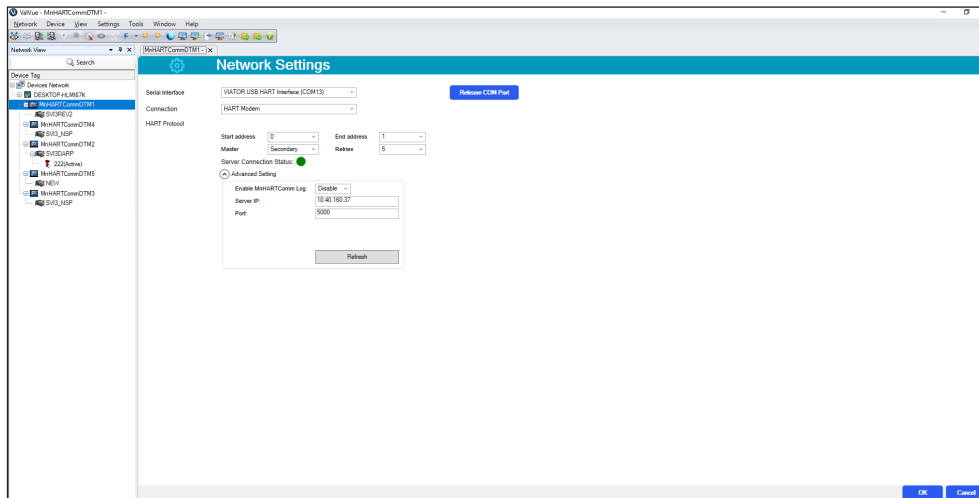


Figure 34 - Add Field Network - HART® Configuration Tab

NOTE

When using HART®, you might find it easier to limit the number of addresses scanned using the Start address and End Address fields to limit scan time.

5. Refer to Section 15, MnHARTCommDTM to configure any features. Under most circumstances, this dialog does not need further configuration.
6. Click **OK**.

Work with Device Areas

This section discusses the functionality for creating device areas and child areas. This can be done from several different places in the program and when different menu options are active.

When originally opened, all devices found in the network appear under the spare folder (plant). By right clicking the Plant folder, you can add a folder (group, or hierarchy). Devices under the root folder then can be moved (drag and drop) into any folder/ subfolder; copy is not allowed.

A folder or subfolder can be deleted, and devices under folder to be deleted will be automatically placed under the spare folder. Folder can be renamed or moved as well.

Once areas are created, existing specific devices and groups of devices can be assigned to that area.

This function is available at all levels including the communications protocol and device levels. At the higher level you can assign multiple devices to a new area or an existing area. An individual device can be reassigned to a newly created are or an existing area.

Assign a Valve to an Area

1. Select a valve in the directory tree (while in Area View), right-click and select **Assign Valve to Area** and a dialog appears.

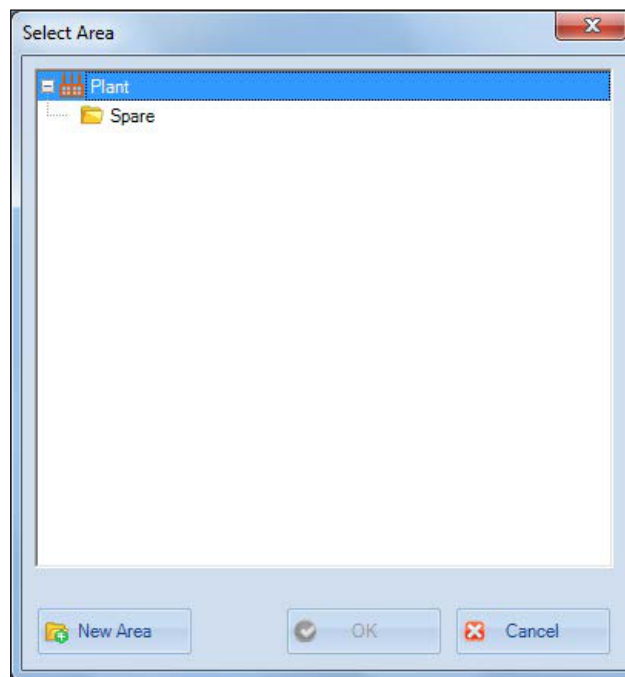
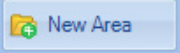


Figure 35 - Select Area

2. Select on an existing area and click  and a line appears labeled *New Area*. At this moment the cursor is in the field and it can be renamed. Once the cursor has left the line, the item can only be renamed in topology pane.
3. Enter a name for the area.
4. Click **OK**.

Add an Area and Move Device (s)

1. Select a level in the directory tree and click **Assign Devices to Area** or select a level and click Device > **Assign Devices to Area** and a dialog appears.

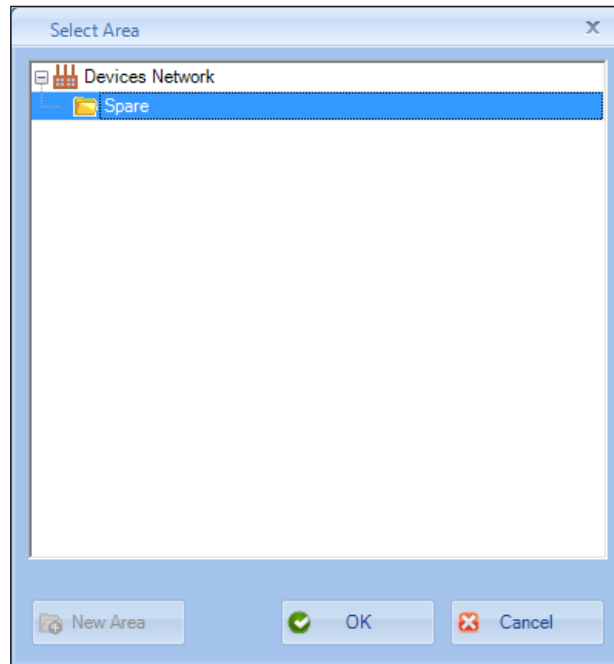
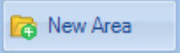


Figure 36 - Select Area

NOTE



This menu item changes to Assign Device to Area at the individual device level.

2. Select on an existing area and click  and a line appears labeled *New Area*. At this moment the cursor is in the field and it can be renamed. Once the cursor has left the line, the item can only be renamed in topology pane.
3. Enter a name for the area.
4. Click **OK**.

Delete Device Areas

You can use the Remove Area command to delete a selected device area.

Group Devices

Use this functionality to:

- Group devices under areas created using the [“Add an Area and Move Device \(s\)”](#) on page 51

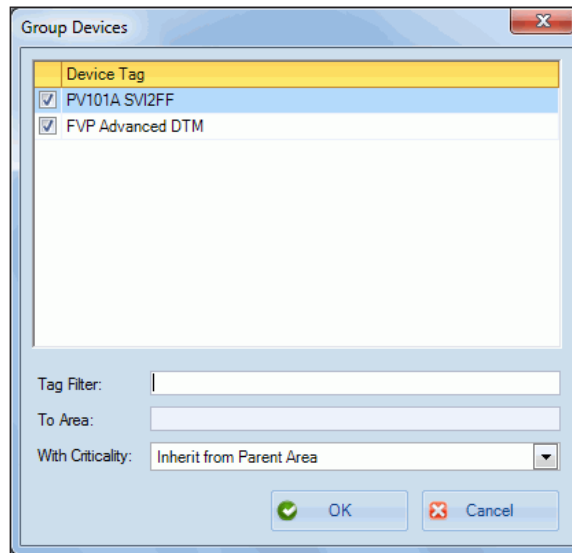



Figure 37 - Group Devices

Create a Device Group

1. Select **Device > Group Devices** or click  and the Group Devices dialog appears.
2. Click the checkboxes associated with the devices.

NOTE

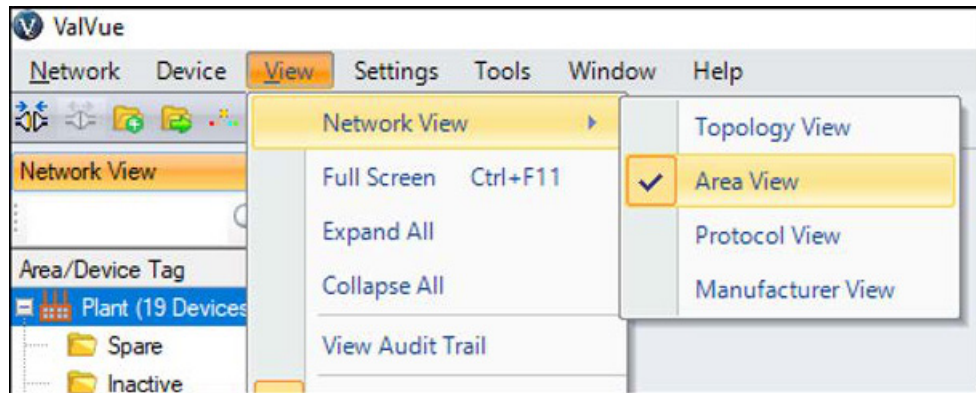
This menu item changes to Assign Device to Area at the individual device level.




3. Use the To Area pulldown to select an area created using [“Add an Area and Move Device \(s\)”](#) on page 51.
4. Use the With Criticality pulldown to select a level for the group, which includes Inherit from Parent Area.
5. Click **OK**.


Add Child Area

1. Switch Network View to Area View.



2. Select on an existing area and click  Add Child Area in right click menu, and a child area appears under the selected area.

Rename Area

1. Switch Network View to Area View.
2. Select on an existing area and click  Rename Area in right click menu, and the name of the selected area turns to editable, user can change the name.

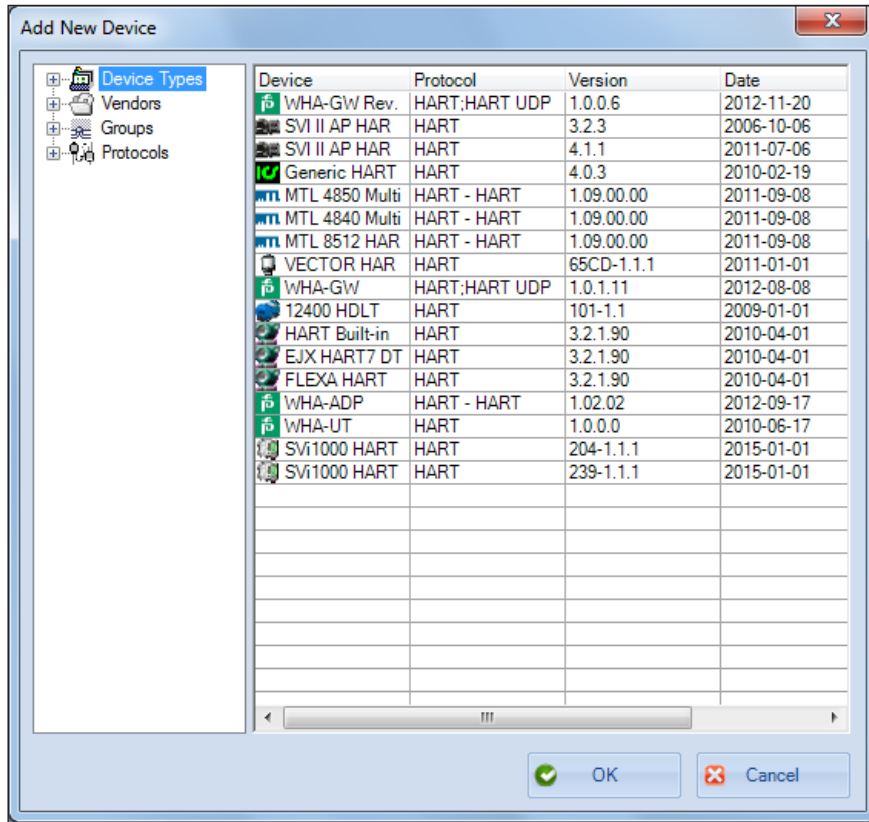


Figure 39 - Add New Device - HART

The dialog appears with the devices listed from the most recent catalog update. See "[DTM Library Management](#)" on page 75, to update the device catalog.

2. Select a device, click **OK** and the device appears under the area selected.

At this point you can configure the device using a proprietary DTM.

Import and Add New Device

Use this feature to add the information from an existing positioner into the topology tree. The information imported comes from a *.ddf*, *.ddf2* or *.devData* file. The file is created using the Export right-click menu item for a selected existing positioner. This is a useful tool in facilities where positioner configurations are very similar.

.ddf files contain: DTM device type, DTM data, device information (device ID and device tag), valve Information, as well as test information and related sequencer execution information.

.devData files contain all data except the valve information.

To do this:

1. Select the device in the topology tree at the communications DTM level, right-click and select **Import and Add New Device** and Figure 40 appears.

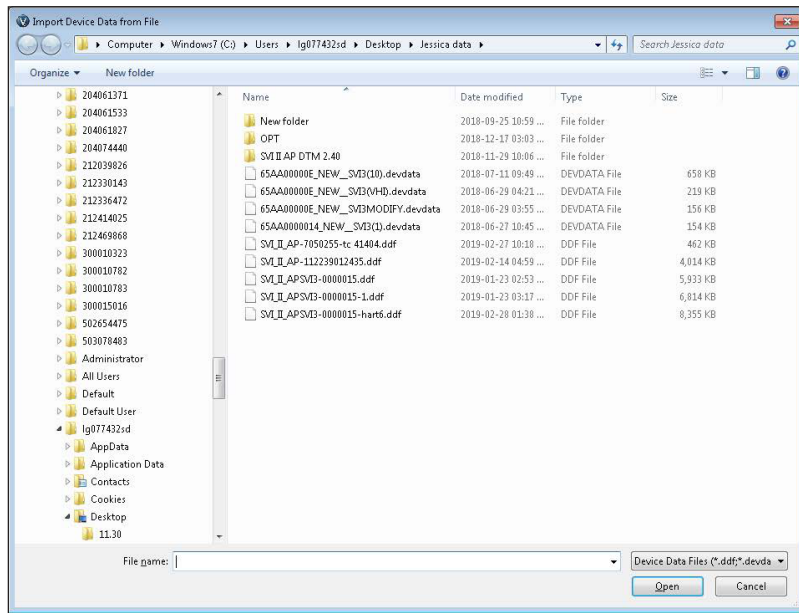


Figure 40 - Import and Add New Device

NOTE

There is no default directory where these files are stored.



2. Navigate to, select the correct file and click **Open**. A device of the same type appears in the topology tree with all of the original positioner settings configure and measurement data in the DTM.

Export Device Data

Use this feature to export the information from an existing positioner to a device data files (.ddf for earlier than ValVue 3.6 or .ddf2 for ValVue 3.6+). This is a useful tool in facilities where positioner configurations are very similar.

1. Select in the device in topology tree, right-click and select **Export Device Data** and Figure 41 appears.

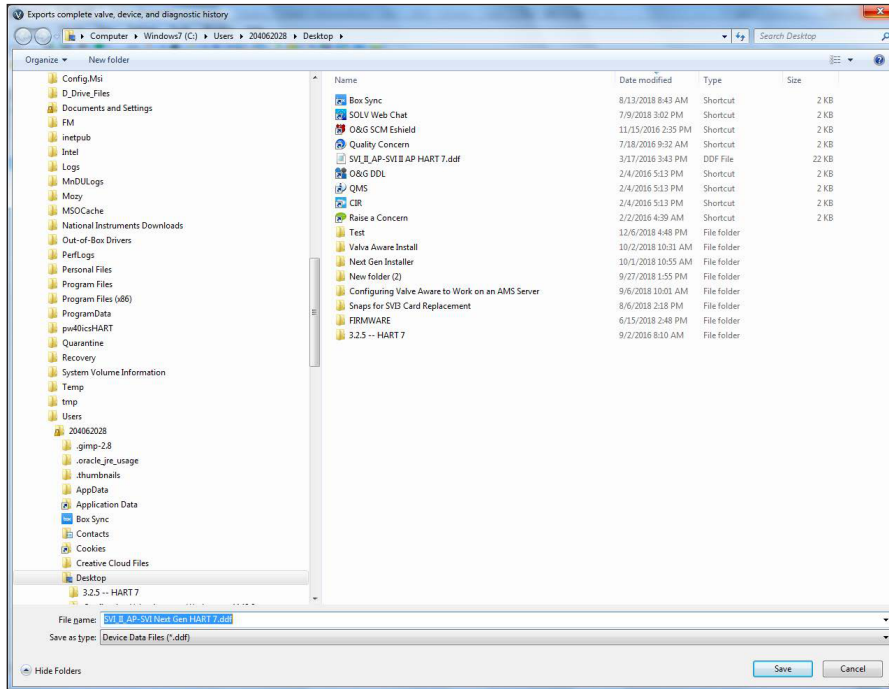


Figure 41 - Export Device Data

NOTE

There is no default directory where these files are stored.



2. Navigate to the correct directory file, enter a file name and click **Save**.

Copying a Configuration from Device to Device

The overall process for copying a configuration from device to device consists of:

1. Connect positioner with the desired configuration. Connect with ValVue 3 and the DTM. If necessary download data into the positioner.
2. Export all data. See “[Export Device Data](#)” on page 57.
3. Disconnect device and connect new target device.
4. From the ValVue right-click menu select Import and Add Device. The *Import Device From Valve File* dialog appears.

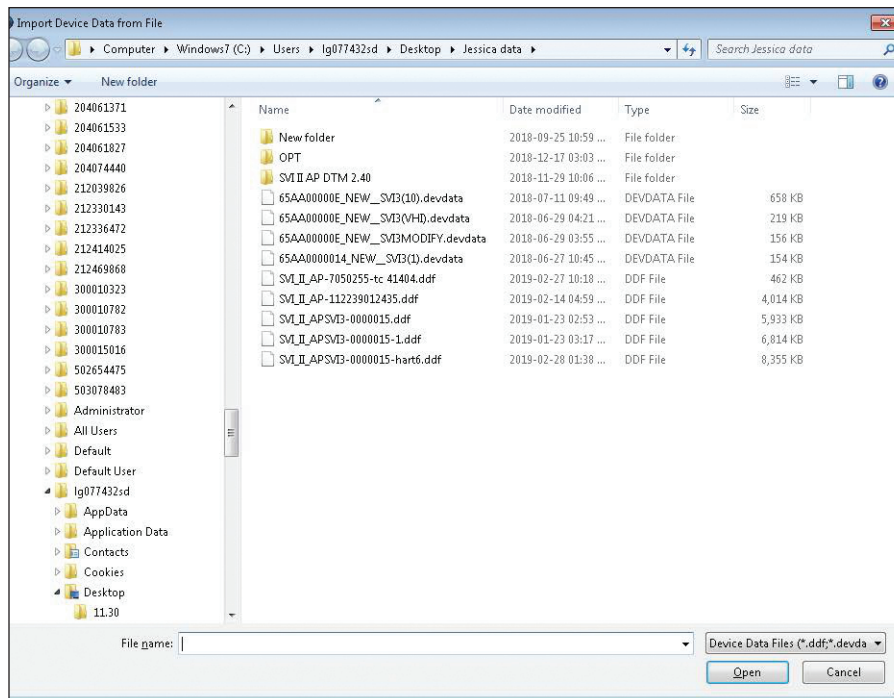


Figure 42 - Import Device From Valve File

5. Navigate to the file you exported, select it and click **Open**.
6. At new imported DTM, click Connect. If a dialog pops up to *Upload all parameters from Device*, click **No**.
7. Download the data to the new device.

NOTE



There is also an Import/Export function available in the DTM. See the DTM documentation.

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7. View Tasks

View Menu

Use this menu to set the view of ValVue user interface.

Menu Items

Device Network and *Station* level only

Network View

The *Network View* pane appears on the left side of the screen and at anytime can display one of the following views:

- *Topology View* - Shows the communication protocols and devices installed with them.

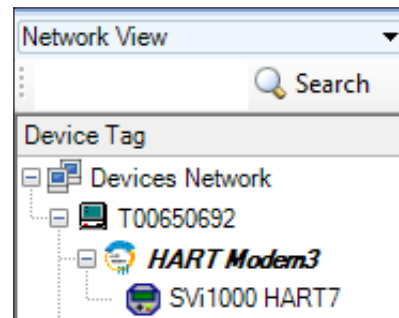


Figure 43 - Topology View Tree

- *Area View* - Shows the area structure that is built using the program and the devices in each area. Each area is user-added and carries the user-assigned label.

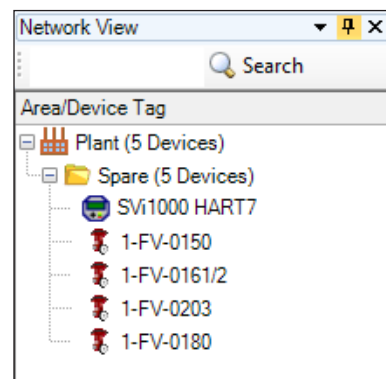


Figure 44 - Area View Topology

Network View (Cont.)

- *Protocol View* - Shows the protocol in use for each device or set of devices.

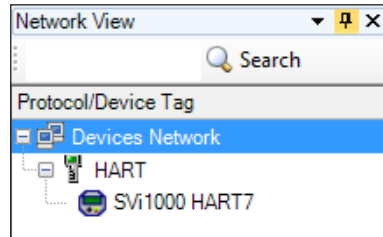


Figure 45 - Protocol View Topology

- *Manufacturer View* - Shows the device manufacturer and the devices in the area from that manufacturer.

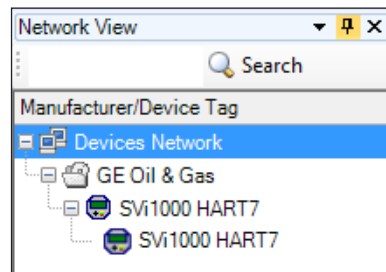


Figure 46 - Manufacturers View Topology

Full Screen

Toggles the screen to show only the menus and the UI panel. Toggle this off by selecting one of the *Network Views*.

Expand All

Expands the protocols and devices shown in the topology pane as dictated by selections in *View > Network View*.

Collapse All

Collapses the protocols and devices shown in the topology pane as dictated by selections in *View > Network View*.

View Audit Trail

Opens the "[Event & Audit Trail Viewer](#)" on page 62 for use in troubleshooting and acknowledging events.

Network View

Toggles the *Network View* pane on/off.

Device Library

Toggles the *Device Library* pane on/off.

Error Log Tracking

Toggles the *Error Log Tracking pane* on/off.

Event & Audit Trail Viewer

Use this feature to:

- [“View Events Details”](#) on page 68
- [“Filter Events”](#) on page 69 for display by type and date range
- [“Acknowledge Event”](#) on page 70
- [“Create Report of Event and Audit Trail”](#) on page 70 a record of events in PDF format
- [“Export Event and Audit Trail Report”](#) on page 72 events to Excel format for later printing or to save as a file

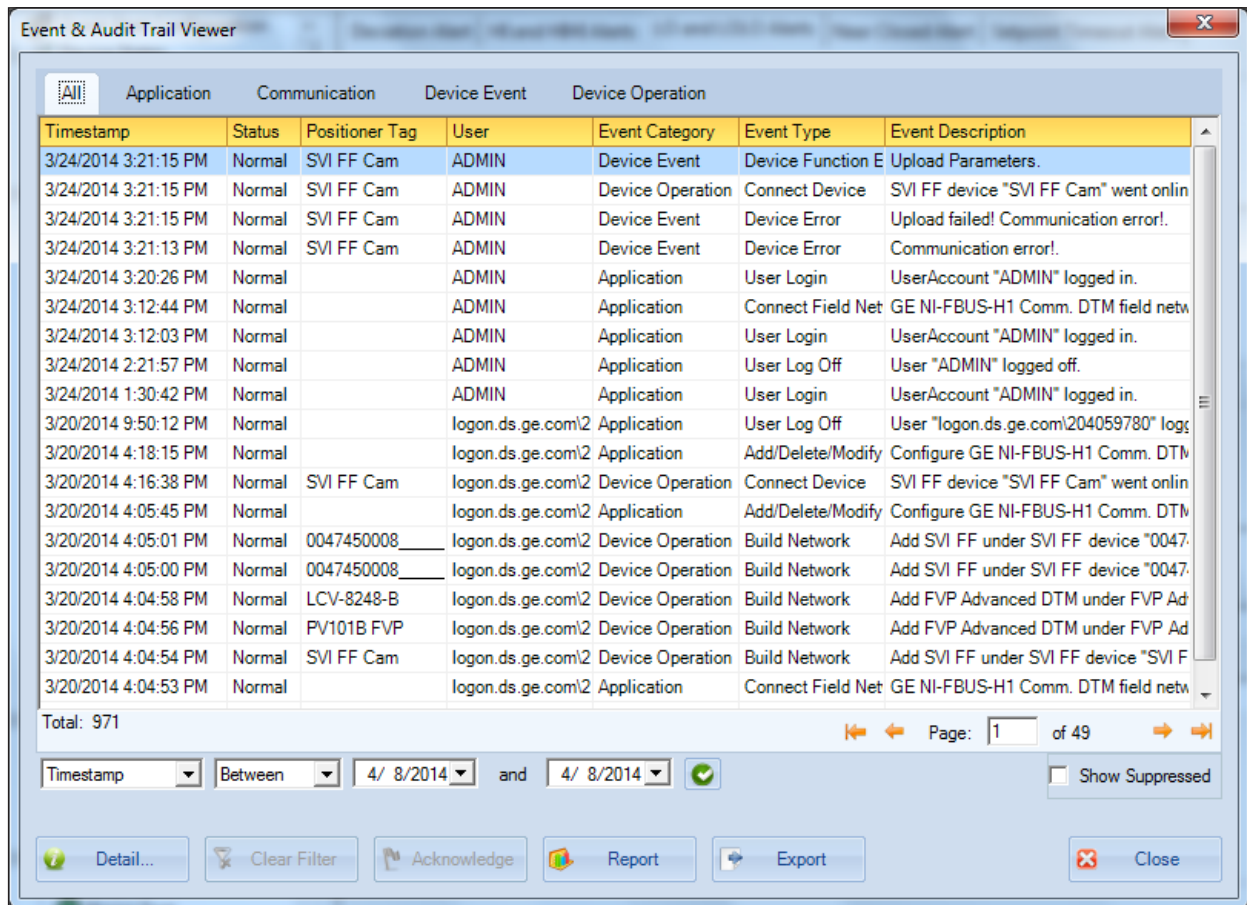


Figure 47 - Event and Audit Trail Viewer: FF

Event & Audit Trail Viewer

All Application Communication Device Event Device Operation

Timestamp	Status	Positioner Tag	User	Event Category	Event Type	Event Description
3/29/2017 2:26:03 PM	Normal	SVI IIAP	ADMIN	Device Operation	Connect Device	SVI II AP HART 7 device "SVI IIAP" wen
3/29/2017 2:25:55 PM	Normal	SVI IIAP	ADMIN	Device Operation	Connect Device	SVI II AP HART 7 device "SVI IIAP" wen
3/29/2017 2:10:38 PM	Normal	SVI IIAP	ADMIN	Device Operation	Download Parame	Downloaded parameters to SVI II AP HA
3/29/2017 2:10:37 PM	Normal	SVI IIAP	ADMIN	Device Operation	Connect Device	SVI II AP HART 7 device "SVI IIAP" wen
3/29/2017 2:10:37 PM	Normal	SVI IIAP	ADMIN	Device Event	Device Function E	Configuration: Download parameters to
3/29/2017 1:49:53 PM	Normal	SVI IIAP	ADMIN	Device Operation	Upload Parameter	Uploaded parameters from SVI II AP HA
3/29/2017 1:49:52 PM	Normal	SVI IIAP	ADMIN	Device Operation	Connect Device	SVI II AP HART 7 device "SVI IIAP" wen
3/29/2017 1:49:52 PM	Normal	SVI IIAP	ADMIN	Device Event	Device Function E	Configuration: Upload parameters from
3/29/2017 1:49:36 PM	Normal	SVI IIAP	ADMIN	Device Event	Device Function E	Connect(ID: 13144473): Connect to the
3/29/2017 1:49:29 PM	Normal	SVI IIAP	ADMIN	Device Operation	Connect Device	SVI II AP HART 7 device "SVI IIAP" wen
3/29/2017 1:49:01 PM	Normal	SVI IIAP	ADMIN	Device Operation	Build Network	Add SVI II AP HART 7 device "SVI IIAP"
3/29/2017 1:48:58 PM	Normal		ADMIN	Application	Connect Field Net	HART Communication field network "H/
3/29/2017 1:47:13 PM	Normal		ADMIN	Application	Connect Field Net	HART Communication field network "H/
3/29/2017 1:47:06 PM	Normal		ADMIN	Application	Add/Delete/Modify	Add HART Communication field networl
3/29/2017 1:46:53 PM	Normal		ADMIN	Application	Add/Delete/Modify	Remove HART Communication field ne
3/29/2017 1:45:43 PM	Normal	SVI II AP HART 7	ADMIN	Device Operation	Add/Delete/Move I	Remove SVI II AP HART 7 device "SVI I
3/29/2017 1:45:39 PM	Normal	SVI II AP HART 7	ADMIN	Device Operation	Add/Delete/Move I	Remove SVI II AP HART 7 device "SVI I
3/29/2017 1:45:17 PM	Normal		ADMIN	Application	Disconnect Field I	HART Communication field network "H/
3/29/2017 1:28:27 PM	Normal	SVI II AP HART 7	ADMIN	Device Operation	PDF Report	Generate PDF Report for SVI II AP HAR

Total: 1789

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Timestamp Between 3/29/2017 and 3/29/2017 Show Suppressed

Detail... Clear Filter Acknowledge Report Export Close

Figure 48 - Event and Audit Trail Viewer: SVI3

Event & Audit Trail Viewer

All Application Communication Device Event Device Operation

Timestamp	Status	Positioner Tag	User	Event Category	Event Type	Event Description
12/20/2018 9:11:58 AM	Normal		ADMIN	Application	User Login	UserAccount "ADMIN" logged in.
12/19/2018 4:39:46 PM	Normal		ADMIN	Application	User Log Off	User "ADMIN" logged off.
12/19/2018 4:02:14 PM	Normal		ADMIN	Application	User Login	UserAccount "ADMIN" logged in.
12/19/2018 9:41:18 AM	Normal	SVI Next Gen HAF	ADMIN	Device Operation	Add/Delete/Move I	Add SVI Next Gen HART 7 device "S
12/19/2018 8:34:18 AM	Normal		ADMIN	Application	Disconnect Field I	HART Communication field network '
12/19/2018 8:28:42 AM	Normal	SVI3 HART 7	ADMIN	Device Operation	Add/Delete/Move I	Add SVI3 HART 7 device "SVI3 HAR
12/19/2018 8:28:23 AM	Normal	SVI3 HART 7	ADMIN	Device Operation	Add/Delete/Move I	Remove SVI3 HART 7 device "SVI3 I
12/19/2018 8:27:25 AM	Normal		ADMIN	Application	User Login	UserAccount "ADMIN" logged in.
12/18/2018 10:59:24 AM	Normal		ADMIN	Application	User Log Off	User "ADMIN" logged off.
12/18/2018 9:38:06 AM	Normal	SVI3 HART 7	ADMIN	Device Operation	Add/Delete/Move I	Add SVI3 HART 7 device "SVI3 HAR
12/18/2018 9:37:53 AM	Normal	NEW	ADMIN	Device Operation	Add/Delete/Move I	Remove SVI3 HART 7 device "NEW"
12/18/2018 9:37:40 AM	Normal	SVI Next Gen HAF	ADMIN	Device Operation	Add/Delete/Move I	Remove SVI Next Gen HART 7 devic
12/18/2018 9:36:37 AM	Normal		ADMIN	Application	User Login	UserAccount "ADMIN" logged in.
12/14/2018 4:45:22 PM	Normal		ADMIN	Application	User Log Off	User "ADMIN" logged off.
12/14/2018 10:12:21 AM	Normal		ADMIN	Application	User Login	UserAccount "ADMIN" logged in.
12/11/2018 4:38:44 PM	Normal		ADMIN	Application	Disconnect Field I	HART Communication field network '
12/11/2018 4:38:43 PM	Normal	SVI3 HART 7	ADMIN	Device Operation	Disconnect Device	SVI3 HART 7 device "SVI3 HART 7"
12/11/2018 4:38:42 PM	Normal	SVI3 HART 7	ADMIN	Device Event	Device Function E	Disconnect: Disconnect to the device
12/11/2018 4:38:37 PM	Normal		ADMIN	Application	User Log Off	User "ADMIN" logged off.

Total: 496 Filter: Log Time between '2018-11-05' and '2018-12-20' Page: 1 of 25 Rows Per Page: 20

Timestamp Between 11/ 5/2018 and 12/20/2018 Show Suppressed

Detail... Clear Filter Acknowledge Report Export Close

Figure 49 - Event and Audit Trail Viewer: SVI3

This dialog has five tabs used to present events in the following areas:

- *All*: Lists all events.
- *Application*: Lists only application level events.
- *Communication*: Lists communication events.
- *Device Event*: Lists events related to the attached devices.
- *Device Operation*: Lists events generated by users requests such as adding devices and creating reports.

For each events on all tabs there is a *Timestamp*, *Status*, *Positioner Tag*, *User*, *Event Type* and *Event Description*.

An event in the device could be the following:

- Device Status Change (fault/alarm triggered)
- Device Status/Healthy Changes
- Any command from its parent status changed (start, error, complete)
- Any operation status changed from within DTM
- Process Variable Alarm
- Communication Event

The Device Status Changes and Healthy Status change are monitored in two ways:

- A DTM sends notification to ValVue through Standard FDT Event/Audit trail interfaces when device status changes (preferred)
- ValVue sends requests to the DTM via Masoneilan specific interface to get status/ healthy information.

When a device is online, the DTM sends any event or audit trail information to ValVue via standard FDT/DTM event interfaces.

Device / healthy status change event is polled using the configured update interval, either polling with in DTM (preferred), or polling from ValVue.

Audit Trail from ValVue includes:

- *Application Start/Exit*
- *User login/Off*
- *Network Settings*
- *Security Settings*
- *Operations:*
 - Build network
 - Connect/Disconnect devices
 - Adding/Deleting Devices
 - Performing operations to device

Events from ValVue include:

- *Device stops responding*
- *Exception errors*
- *Communication Failure*

Table 3 lists the events specific to SVI3.

Table 3 - Audit Trail Events for the SVI3

Event Category	Event Description
<i>Diagnostics</i>	Run Ramp Test successfully
	Run Ramp Test fail.
	Run Standard Actuator Signature fail.
	Run Standard Actuator Signature successfully.
	Run Step test successfully.
	Run Step Test fail.
	Reset Continuous Diagnostic Data successfully.
	Run Clear All Faults successfully.
	Run Clear Current Faults successfully.
	Reset SVI3 successfully.
<i>Calibration</i>	Run Autotune successfully.
	Run Autotune fail.
	Run Automatic Find Stops successfully.
	Run Automatic Find Stops fail.
	Set Valve Position to XXXXXX as signal in mA.
	The full closed done.
	The full open done.
	Write Open Stop Adjustment parameter successfully.
	Run Live Tuning successfully.
	Run Manual Find Stops successfully.
	Run Manual Find Stops fail.
	The calibration has been reset.
	The pressure calibration changed.
	The signal calibration finished.
	Run Pressure calibration failed.
The open stop adjustment changed.	

Table 3 - Audit Trail Events for the SVI3 (Continued)

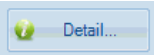
Event Category	Event Description
<i>Configuration</i>	Download parameters to device successfully.
	Write Commission configuration parameters successfully.
	Write Retransmitter Range parameters successfully.
	Write Output Switches parameters successfully.
	Write Device Info parameters successfully.
	Write Air Action parameters successfully.
	Write PID configuration parameters successfully.
	Write Position limits configuration parameters successfully.
	Write General configuration parameters successfully.
	Write HART configuration parameters successfully.
	Write I/O configuration parameters successfully.
	Write Option configuration parameters successfully.
	Reset Configuration Changed status.
	Write Option configuration parameters successfully.
	Reset Configuration Changed status.
<i>Digital Upgrade</i>	Records digital upgrade event.
<i>Cloning</i>	Leads you through the process to clone the device.
<i>Reset</i>	Reset incidents.
<i>Connect</i>	Connect to the device. DeviceID: xxxxxxxxxxxxxx
<i>Disconnect</i>	Disconnect to the device. DeviceID: xxxxxxxxxxxxxx
<i>Factory Edition</i>	Record the event that ValVue 3 temporarily upgrades the diagnostic level of SVI3 device to run Signature tests through SVI3 DTM.
<i>Data Management</i>	Record the events that user exports/imports device data at DTM side.
<i>Report</i>	Record print DTM report event.

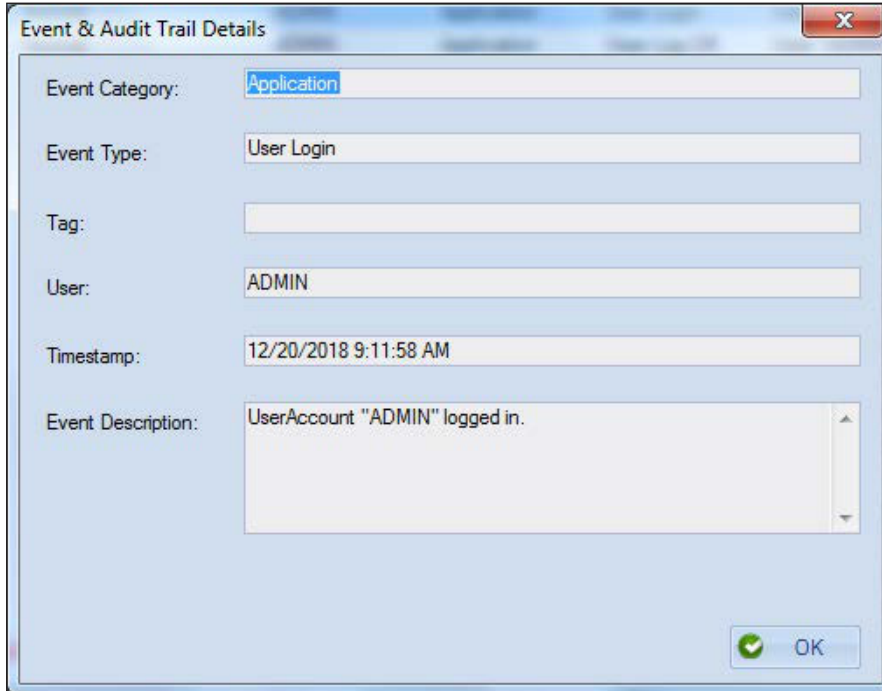
View Events Details

NOTE



Use the [“Filter Events”](#) on page 69 to filter events to make specific events easier to find.

- Select an event, click  and *Event & Audit Trail Details* appears.



Event & Audit Trail Details

Event Category: Application

Event Type: User Login

Tag:

User: ADMIN

Timestamp: 12/20/2018 9:11:58 AM

Event Description: UserAccount "ADMIN" logged in.

OK

Figure 50 - Event & Audit Trail Details

Filter Events

You can filter event types or date range. Once filtered, the filter conditions appear in red text at the bottom of the filtered list.

4/12/2013 8:25:00 AM	Normal		ADMIN	Application	Connect Field Net	Communication field network
4/12/2013 8:25:00 AM	Normal		ADMIN	Application	Connect Field Net	Communication field network
4/12/2013 8:24:44 AM	Normal		ADMIN	Application	User Login	User "ADMIN" logged in


Total: 66 Filter: LogTime between '2013-04-01' and '2013-04-12'

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Show Suppressed

Timestamp Between 4/ 1/2013 and 4/12/2013

Figure 51 - Filtered Conditions Parameters

1. Use the event type pulldown to select:
 - **Timestamp**
 - **Positioner Tag**
 - **User**
 - **Event Description**
 - **Event Type**
2. Configure the filter conditions. For:
 - **Timestamp:** Use the two *Between* dates to set the date range, if required.
 - **Positioner Tag, User or Event Description:**
 - a. Use the pulldown to select:
 - **Equals:** Indicates search for an exact string
 - **Contains:** Indicates search for a string with the enter data anywhere
 - **isNull:** Indicates search for an empty entry
 - b. Enter text,
 - *Event Type:*
 - a. Use the pulldown to select **Equals**.
 - b. Use the pulldown to the right to select an event type.
3. Click **Show Suppressed** to show repeat events. If unchecked, repeat events are not shown, even if device status is changed.
4. Click 



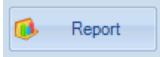
Use the  to remove the filter conditions from the dialog.

Acknowledge Event

Select an event and click . The acknowledged event grays out.

Create Report of Event and Audit Trail

Print the filtered or unfiltered events to a pdf format, which can then be printed out.

1. Perform a filter function, if required (“[Filter Events](#)” on page 69).
2. Click  and the *Report Setup* appears.

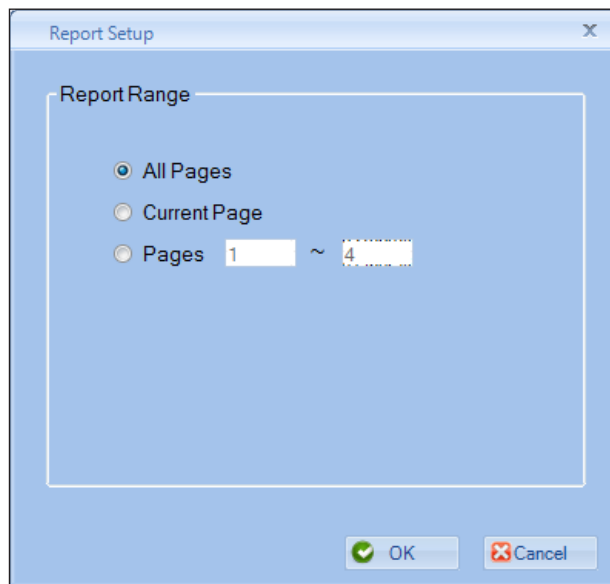


Figure 52 - Report Setup

- Select one of the radio buttons and add a range for Pages, if applicable, click **OK** and a pdf of the report appears.


 Event & Audit Trail Report					
Timestamp	Status	Tag	Event Type	User	Description
Event Category: Device Operation					
12/19/2018 9:41:18 AM	Normal	SVI Next Gen HART 7	Add/Delete/Move Device	ADMIN	Add SVI Next Gen HART 7 device "SVI Next Gen HART 7" under HART Communication field network "HART Modems".
12/19/2018 8:28:42 AM	Normal	SV13 HART 7	Add/Delete/Move Device	ADMIN	Add SV13 HART 7 device "SV13 HART 7" under HART Communication field network "HART Modems".
12/19/2018 8:28:23 AM	Normal	SV13 HART 7	Add/Delete/Move Device	ADMIN	Remove SV13 HART 7 device "SV13 HART 7".
12/18/2018 9:38:06 AM	Normal	SV13 HART 7	Add/Delete/Move Device	ADMIN	Add SV13 HART 7 device "SV13 HART 7" under HART Communication field network "HART Modems".
12/18/2018 9:37:53 AM	Normal	NEW	Add/Delete/Move Device	ADMIN	Remove SV13 HART 7 device "NEW".
12/18/2018 9:37:40 AM	Normal	SVI Next Gen HART 7	Add/Delete/Move Device	ADMIN	Remove SVI Next Gen HART 7 device "SVI Next Gen HART 7".
12/11/2018 4:38:43 PM	Normal	SV13 HART 7	Disconnect Device	ADMIN	SV13 HART 7 device "SV13 HART 7" went offline.
12/11/2018 1:13:10 PM	Normal	SV13 HART 7	Connect Device	ADMIN	SV13 HART 7 device "SV13 HART 7" went online.
12/11/2018 1:12:45 PM	Normal	SV13 HART 7	Connect Device	ADMIN	SV13 HART 7 device "SV13 HART 7" went online.
12/11/2018 1:12:28 PM	Normal	SV13 HART 7	Connect Device	ADMIN	SV13 HART 7 device "SV13 HART 7" went online.
12/11/2018 9:25:08 AM	Normal	SVI Next Gen HART 7	Add/Delete/Move Device	ADMIN	Add SVI Next Gen HART 7 device "SVI Next Gen HART 7" under HART Communication field network "HART Modems".
12/11/2018 8:38:16 AM	Normal	SV13 HART 7	Connect Device	ADMIN	SV13 HART 7 device "SV13 HART 7" went online.
12/11/2018 8:38:12 AM	Normal	SV13 HART 7	Connect Device	ADMIN	SV13 HART 7 device "SV13 HART 7" went online.
12/11/2018 8:38:01 AM	Normal	SV13 HART 7	Add/Delete/Move Device	ADMIN	Add SV13 HART 7 device "SV13 HART 7" under HART Communication field network "HART Modems".
12/11/2018 8:37:32 AM	Normal	NEW	Add/Delete/Move Device	ADMIN	Remove SV13 HART 7 device "NEW".
12/11/2018 8:37:25 AM	Normal	SVI Next Gen HART 7	Add/Delete/Move Device	ADMIN	Remove SVI Next Gen HART 7 device "SVI Next Gen HART 7".
12/10/2018 4:26:57 PM	Normal	NEW	Disconnect Device	ADMIN	SV13 HART 7 device "NEW" went offline.
12/10/2018 3:07:21 PM	Normal	NEW	Connect Device	ADMIN	SV13 HART 7 device "NEW" went online.
12/10/2018 3:07:06 PM	Normal	NEW	Connect Device	ADMIN	SV13 HART 7 device "NEW" went online.
12/10/2018 3:06:46 PM	Normal	NEW	Connect Device	ADMIN	SV13 HART 7 device "NEW" went online.
12/10/2018 3:06:43 PM	Normal	NEW	Connect Device	ADMIN	SV13 HART 7 device "NEW" went online.
12/10/2018 3:06:33 PM	Normal	NEW	Disconnect Device	ADMIN	SV13 HART 7 device "NEW" went offline.
12/10/2018 3:05:31 PM	Normal	SVI Next Gen HART 7	Disconnect Device	ADMIN	SVI Next Gen HART 7 device "SVI Next Gen HART 7" went offline.
12/10/2018 2:52:42 PM	Normal	NEW	Connect Device	ADMIN	SV13 HART 7 device "NEW" went online.
12/10/2018 2:33:07 PM	Normal	NEW	Disconnect Device	ADMIN	SV13 HART 7 device "NEW" went offline.
12/10/2018 2:11:33 PM	Normal	SVI Next Gen HART 7	Connect Device	ADMIN	SVI Next Gen HART 7 device "SVI Next Gen HART 7" went online.
12/10/2018 2:07:25 PM	Normal	NEW	Connect Device	ADMIN	SV13 HART 7 device "NEW" went online.
12/10/2018 1:59:26 PM	Normal	NEW	Connect Device	ADMIN	SV13 HART 7 device "NEW" went online.
12/10/2018 1:59:23 PM	Normal	NEW	Connect Device	ADMIN	SV13 HART 7 device "NEW" went online.

Figure 53 - PDF of Event Report

Export Event and Audit Trail Report

Use this to export event details to an Excel spreadsheet.

1. Perform a filter function, if required ([“Filter Events”](#) on page 69).
2. Click  and the *Export Setup Range* dialog appears.

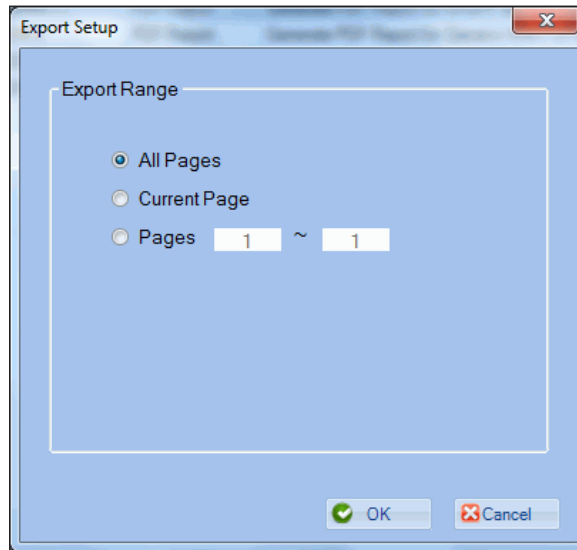


Figure 54 - Export Setup Range

3. Select one of the radio buttons and add a range for Pages, if applicable, click **OK** and the *Export Save As* dialog appears.

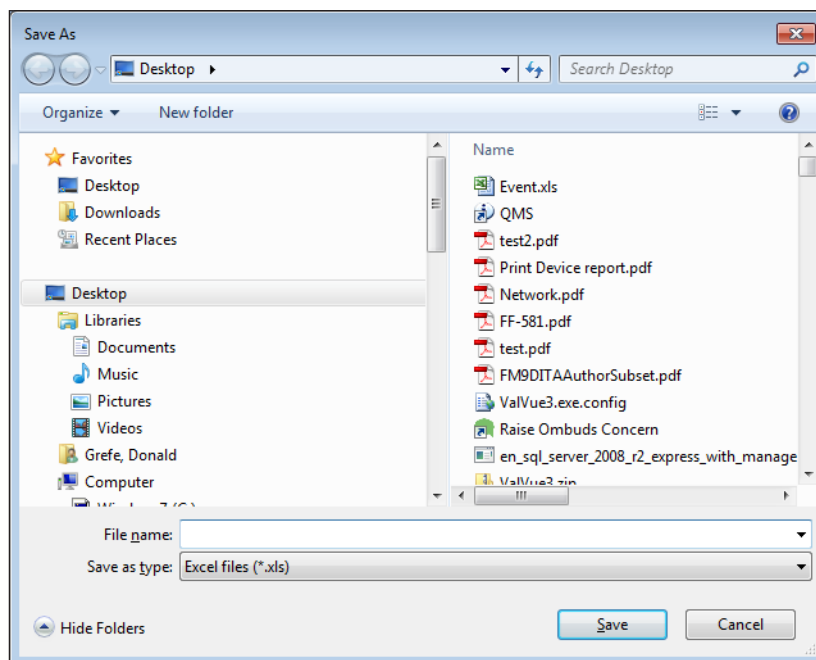


Figure 55 - Export Save As

4. Enter a filename, click **Save** and the report appears.

Timestamp	Status	Tag	Event Type	User	Description
Event Category: Device Operation					
10/10/2014 8:43:44 AM	Normal	SVII AP HART 5	ASCDetach/Move Device	ADMIN	ADD SVII AP HART 5 device 'SVII AP HART 5' under HART Communication field network 'HART Modem'.
10/10/2014 8:43:39 AM	Normal	SVII AP HART 6	ASCDetach/Move Device	ADMIN	ADD SVII AP HART 6 device 'SVII AP HART 6' under HART Communication field network 'HART Modem'.
10/10/2014 3:39:28 PM	Normal	SVII AP HART 6	ASCDetach/Move Device	ADMIN	Remove SVII AP HART 6 device 'SVII AP HART 6'.
10/10/2014 4:39:47 PM	Normal	SVII AP HART 6	Disconnect Device	ADMIN	SVII AP HART 6 device 'SVII AP HART 6' went offline.
10/10/2014 4:39:53 PM	Normal	SVII AP HART 6	Disconnect Device	ADMIN	SVII AP HART 6 device 'SVII AP HART 6' went offline.
10/10/2014 11:16:18 AM	Normal	SVII AP HART 6	PDF Report	ADMIN	Generate PDF Report for SVII AP HART 6 device 'SVII AP HART 6'.
10/10/2014 11:16:18 AM	Normal	ASCDetach/Move Device	ASCDetach/Move Device	ADMIN	ADD SVII AP HART 6 device 'SVII AP HART 6' under HART Communication field network 'HART Modem'.
10/10/2014 11:16:18 AM	Normal	FF HL Interface	PDF Report	ADMIN	Generate PDF Report for GE NI-FBUS-HL Comm. DTM field network 'FF HL Interface'.
10/10/2014 11:16:18 AM	Normal	FF HL Interface	PDF Report	ADMIN	Generate PDF Report for GE NI-FBUS-HL Comm. DTM field network 'FF HL Interface'.
10/10/2014 11:16:18 AM	Normal		PDF Report	ADMIN	Generate PDF Report for the whole device network.
10/10/2014 11:16:18 AM	Normal		PDF Report	ADMIN	Generate PDF Report for the whole device network.
Event Category: Communication					
10/10/2014 11:39:47 AM	Normal	FF HL Interface	Communication Error	ADMIN	Client side of the communication can not be prepared:Client Error:rfopSession return with error -33
10/10/2014 11:39:48 AM	Normal	FF HL Interface	Communication Error	ADMIN	Client side of the communication can not be prepared:Client Error:rfopSession return with error -33
10/10/2014 11:39:57 PM	Normal	FF HL Interface	Communication Error	ADMIN	Client side of the communication can not be prepared:Client Error:rfopSession return with error -33
10/10/2014 11:39:57 PM	Normal	FF HL Interface	Communication Error	ADMIN	Client side of the communication can not be prepared:Client Error:rfopSession return with error -33
10/10/2014 11:39:58 PM	Normal	FF HL Interface	Communication Error	ADMIN	Client side of the communication can not be prepared:Client Error:rfopSession return with error -33
10/10/2014 11:39:58 PM	Normal	FF HL Interface	Communication Error	ADMIN	Client side of the communication can not be prepared:Client Error:rfopSession return with error -33
Event Category: Application					
10/10/2014 9:27:47 AM	Normal		Connect Field Network	ADMIN	HART Communication field network 'HART Modem' went online.
10/10/2014 9:29:19 AM	Normal		ASCDetach/Modify Field Network	ADMIN	ADD GE NI-FBUS-HL Comm. DTM field network 'FF HL Interface'.
10/10/2014 9:29:19 AM	Normal		User Login	ADMIN	User Account 'ADMIN' logged in.
10/10/2014 9:29:21 AM	Normal		ASCDetach/Modify Field Network	ADMIN	ADD HART Communication field network 'HART Modem'.
10/10/2014 9:29:21 AM	Normal		User Login	ADMIN	User Account 'ADMIN' logged in.
10/10/2014 9:29:22 AM	Normal		ASCDetach/Modify Field Network	ADMIN	ADD HART Communication field network 'HART Modem'.
10/10/2014 9:29:22 AM	Normal		User Login	ADMIN	User Account 'ADMIN' logged in.
10/10/2014 9:29:22 PM	Normal		User Login	ADMIN	User Account 'ADMIN' logged in.
10/10/2014 9:29:23 PM	Normal		User Log Off	LOGONUser08	User 'LOGONUser08' logged off.
10/10/2014 9:29:23 PM	Normal		ASCDetach/Modify User	LOGONUser08	Existing user 'ADMIN' modified.
10/10/2014 9:29:28 PM	Normal		ASCDetach/Modify User	LOGONUser08	Password changed.
10/10/2014 9:29:28 PM	Normal		User Login	LOGONUser08	User Account 'LOGONUser08' logged in.
10/10/2014 9:29:31 PM	Normal		User Log Off	ADMIN	User 'ADMIN' logged off.
10/10/2014 9:29:31 PM	Normal		User Login	ADMIN	User Account 'ADMIN' logged in.

Figure 56 - Exported Event Excel Report

8. Settings Tasks

Settings Menu

Use this menu to manage the DTM available to the program, map field networks to DTMs, configure all aspects of field networks and their operation, including security.

Menu Items

<i>DTM Library</i>	Opens <i>DTM Library Management</i> for updating available DTMs and DTM management. See “DTM Library Management” on page 75 for more information.
<i>Field Networks</i>	Opens <i>Field Networks</i> to map ValVue field networks to user-defined configurations. See “Field Networks” on page 78 for more information.
<i>Device Type Assignments</i>	Opens the <i>Device Type Assignments</i> dialog where you create a catalog of associations between a device type and manufacturer data.
<i>Field Network Settings</i>	Use this menu item to configure field network settings, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Network Communication Preference Settings</i> - Use this dialog for assigning a Field Network type to an available DTM. See “Field Network Settings” on page 81.• <i>Criticality Polling Schedule</i> - Set the <i>Update Intervals</i> by <i>Device Criticality</i>.• <i>Device Criticality Settings</i> - Assign criticalities to devices.
<i>User Management</i>	Opens <i>User Management</i> adding, editing, deleting users and assign privilege levels. See “User Management” on page 85 for more information.

DTM Library Management

Use this feature to:

- “[Update DTM Library](#)” on page 75
- “[Add/Remove DTMs in the DTM Updates List](#)” on page 76

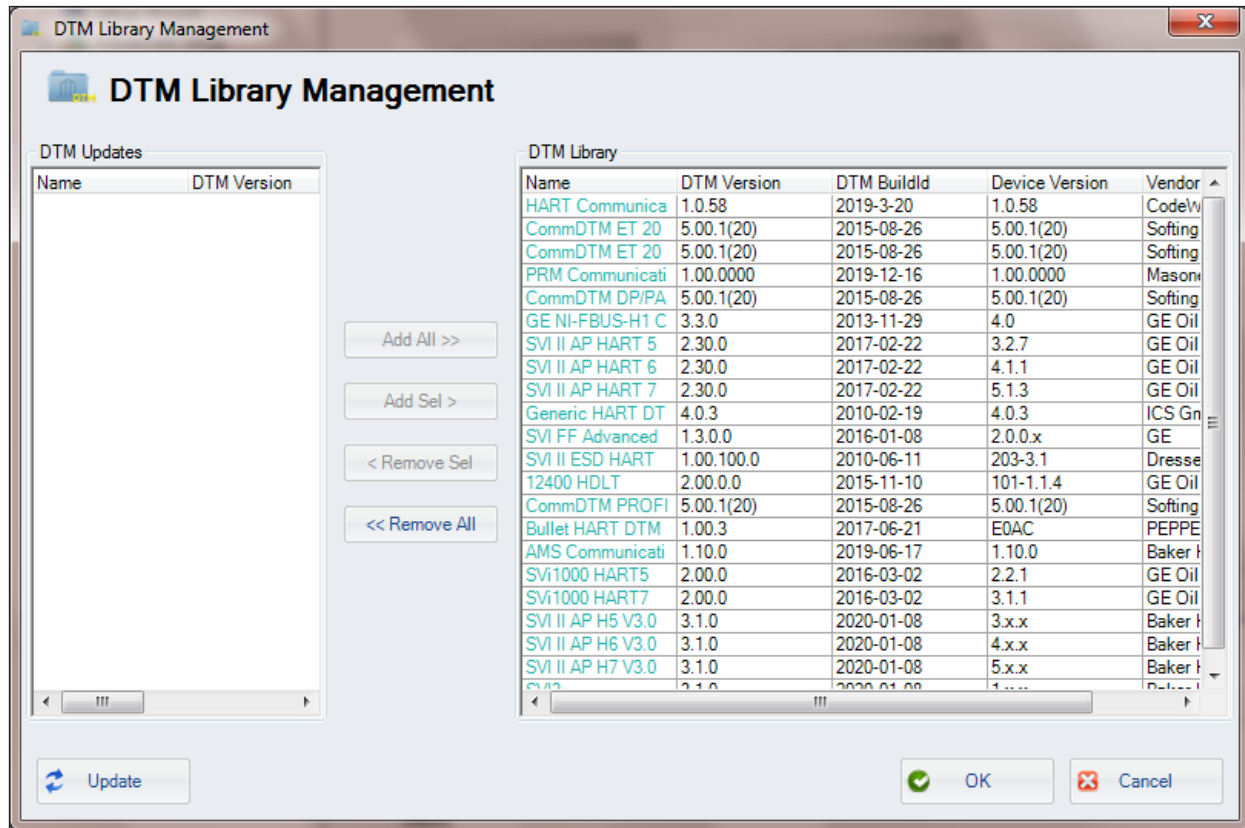



Figure 57 - DTM Library Management

NOTE



To see the correct version of ValVue or an individual DTM, click **Help > About** for ValVue or the About icon for a DTM . Do not reference the Version field in DTM Library Management.

Update DTM Library

Use this function to scan for DTM that are on the system but not yet loaded into ValVue. Once loaded they are available in the *DTM Updates* list to add into the *DTM Library*.

Click  and a progress bar appear as the *DTM Updates* list is updated.

Add/Remove DTMs in the DTM Updates List

Use this function to move available DTMs between the *DTM Updates* list where they are available for use in field networks and the *DTM Updates* list where they are not.

The following buttons are used for this purpose:

Add All

Adds all the DTMs to the *DTM Library* list.

Add All >>

Add Sel

Adds the selected DTM to the *DTM Library* list.

Add Sel >

Remove Sel

Removes the selected DTM to the *DTM Updates* list.

< Remove Sel

Remove All

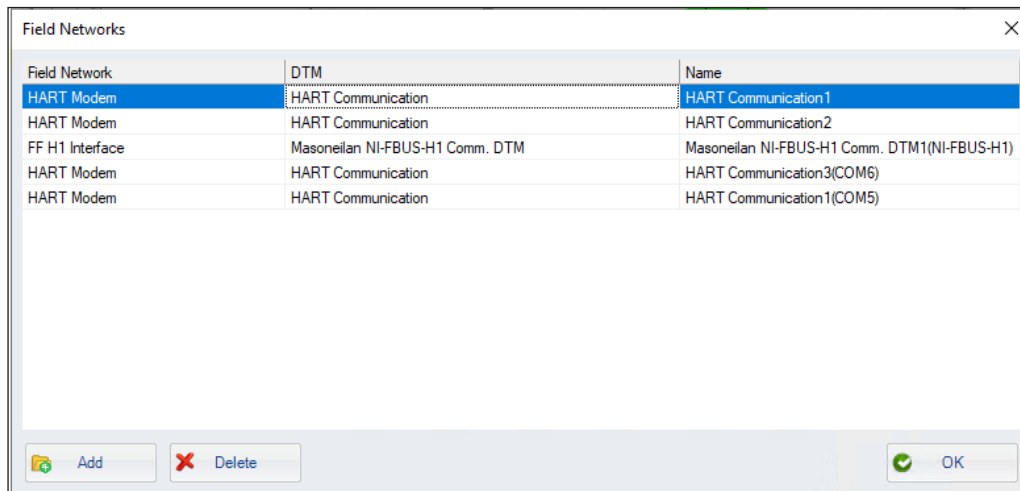
Removes all DTMs to the *DTM Updates* list.

<< Remove All

Field Networks

Use this feature to map ValVue field networks to user-defined configurations. ValVue can support multiple field networks. This linked to the current configuration.

You can also delete an existing setting. The data is not retrievable.



Field Network	DTM	Name
HART Modem	HART Communication	HART Communication1
HART Modem	HART Communication	HART Communication2
FF H1 Interface	Masoneilan NI-FBUS-H1 Comm. DTM	Masoneilan NI-FBUS-H1 Comm. DTM1(NI-FBUS-H1)
HART Modem	HART Communication	HART Communication3(COM6)
HART Modem	HART Communication	HART Communication1(COM5)

Figure 58 - Field Networks

Add a Field Network

FOUNDATION Fieldbus

1. Select **Settings > Field Networks** and *Field Networks* appears.
2. Click  and the *Add Field Network* dialog appears.

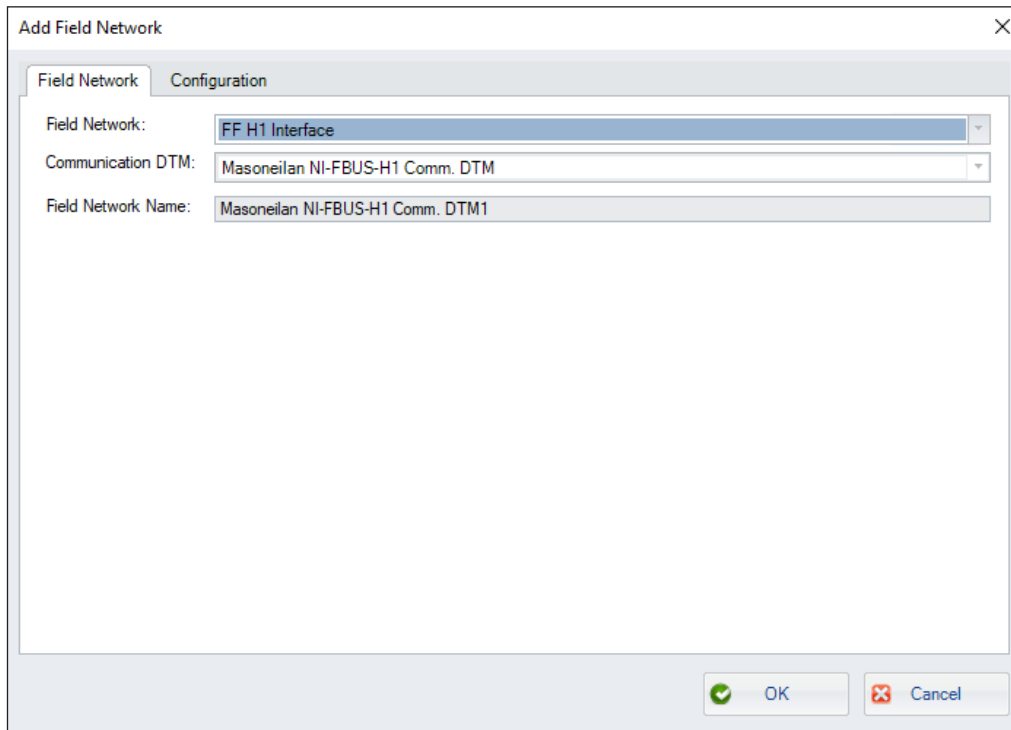


Figure 59 - Add Fieldbus Network - Field Network Tab

3. Select a *Field Network* from the pulldown. The *NI-FBus Communications Manager* must launch.

The *Communication DTM* automatically populates based on the *Field Network* choice.

The *Field Network Name* automatically populates to the Field Network with the number in sequence of that field network type appended. This is editable.

4. Edit the *Field Network Name*, if required.

5. Select **Configuration** and the *Add Field Network - Configuration Tab* appears.

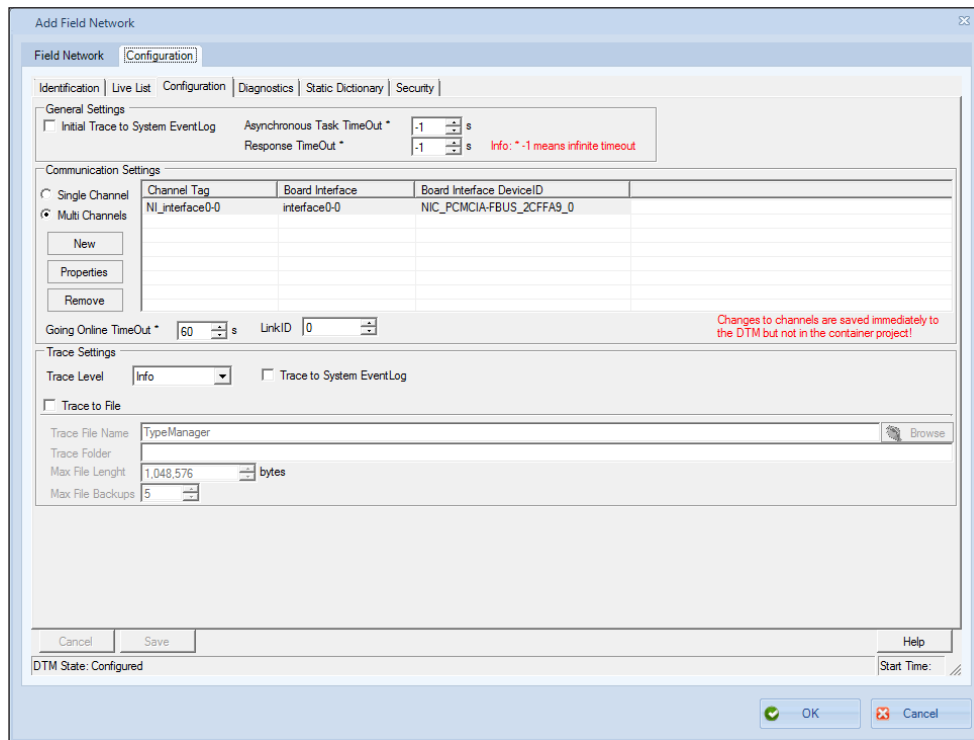


Figure 60 - Add Field Network - Configuration Tab

6. Click **OK**.

HART®

1. Select **Settings > Field Networks** and *Field Networks* appears.
2. Click  and the *Add Field Network* dialog appears.

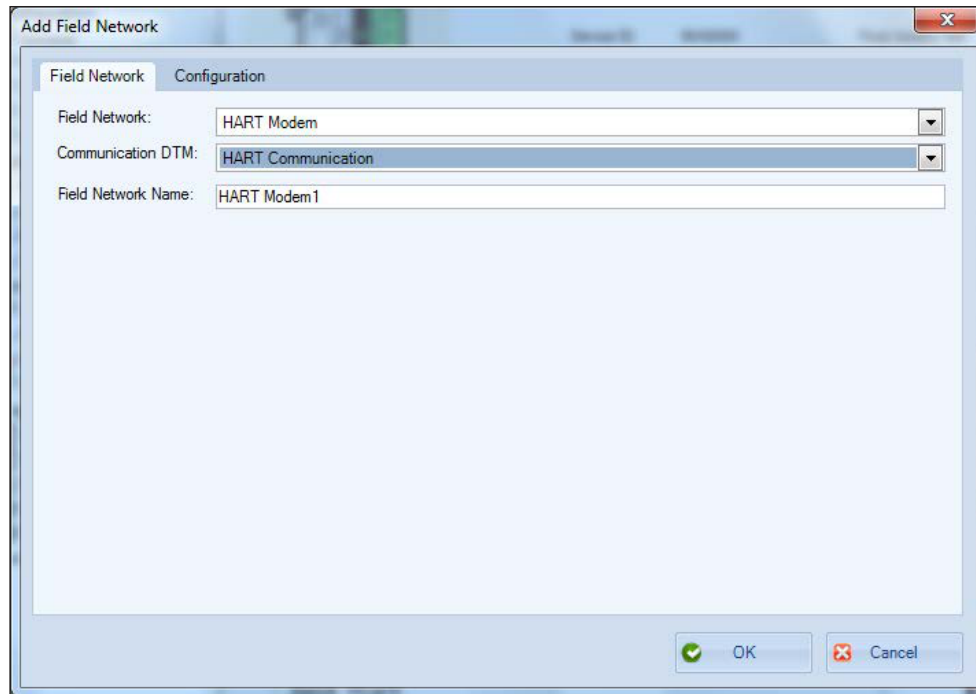


Figure 61 - Add Field Network - HART Tab

3. Select a *Field Network* from the pulldown:

- **HART Modem**
- **HART IP Communication**

The *Communication DTM* automatically populates based on the *Field Network* choice.

The *Field Network Name* automatically populates to the *Field Network* with the number in sequence of that field network type appended. This is editable.

- 4 Edit the *Field Network Name*, if required.
5. Click **OK**.

Device Type Assignments

Use this dialog to create and delete a catalog of association between a DTM and *Manufacturer ID* and *Device Type*. If you create a new database, this saves the DTM association so that it will not need to be recreated.

Create a Device Type Assignment

1. Click **Settings > Device Type Assignments** and *Device Type Assignments* appears.

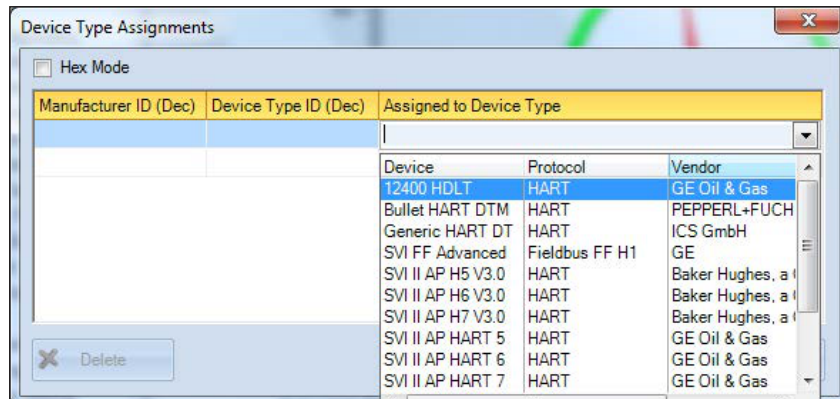


Figure 62 - Device Type Assignments

2. Click *Hex Mode* to enter data as hex code.
3. Enter a *Manufacturer ID* and *Device Type ID*.
4. Select a device type from the *Assigned to Device Type* pulldown and click **OK**.

Delete a Device Type Assignment

- Select a line item and click **Delete**.

Field Network Settings

Use this menu to configure the following:

- [“Network Communication Preference Settings”](#) on page 82
- [“Criticality Polling Schedule”](#) on page 83

Network Communication Preference Settings

Use this dialog for assigning a supported *Field Network* type to an available communication DTM.

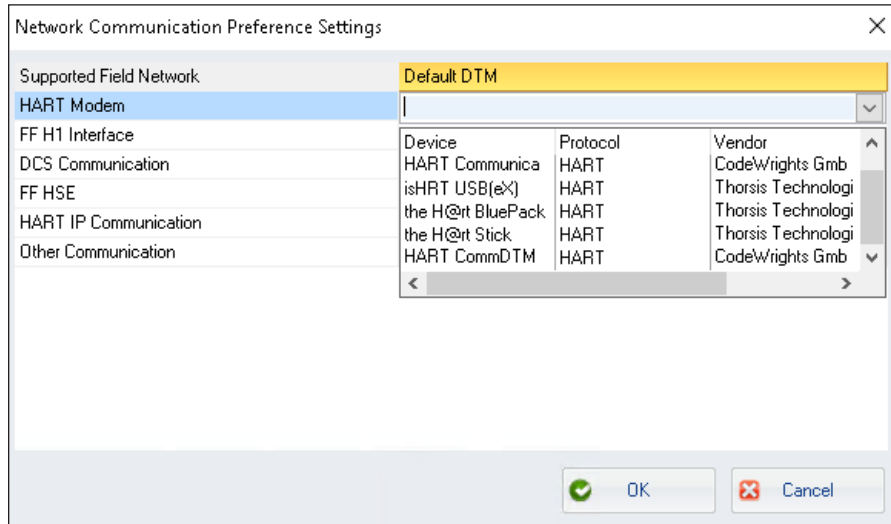


Figure 63 - Network Communication Preference Settings

1. Select an item from *Supported Field Network*.
2. Select an item from the *Default DTM* pulldown and click **OK**.

Criticality Polling Schedule

Use this feature to set the time in seconds between updates for the criticality levels.

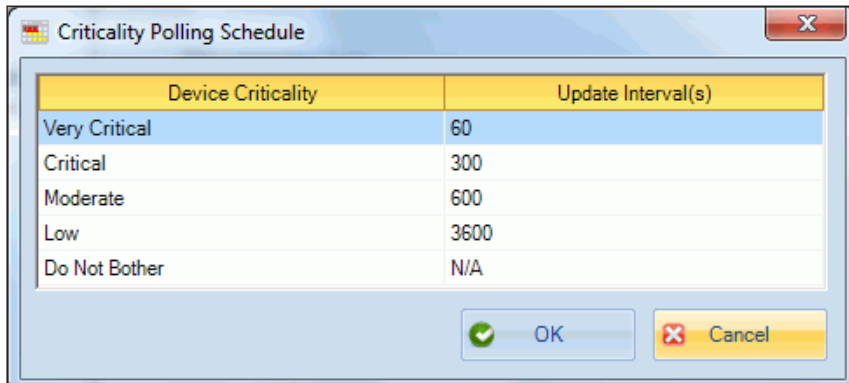
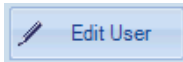


Figure 64 - Criticality Polling Schedule

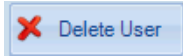
- Select an **Update Interval (s)** for the *Device Criticality*, edit the interval and click **OK**.

Edit User



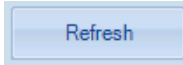
Opens the details for editing. See [“Edit a User”](#) on page 88.

Delete User



Deletes the selected user. See [“Delete a User”](#) on page 89.

Refresh

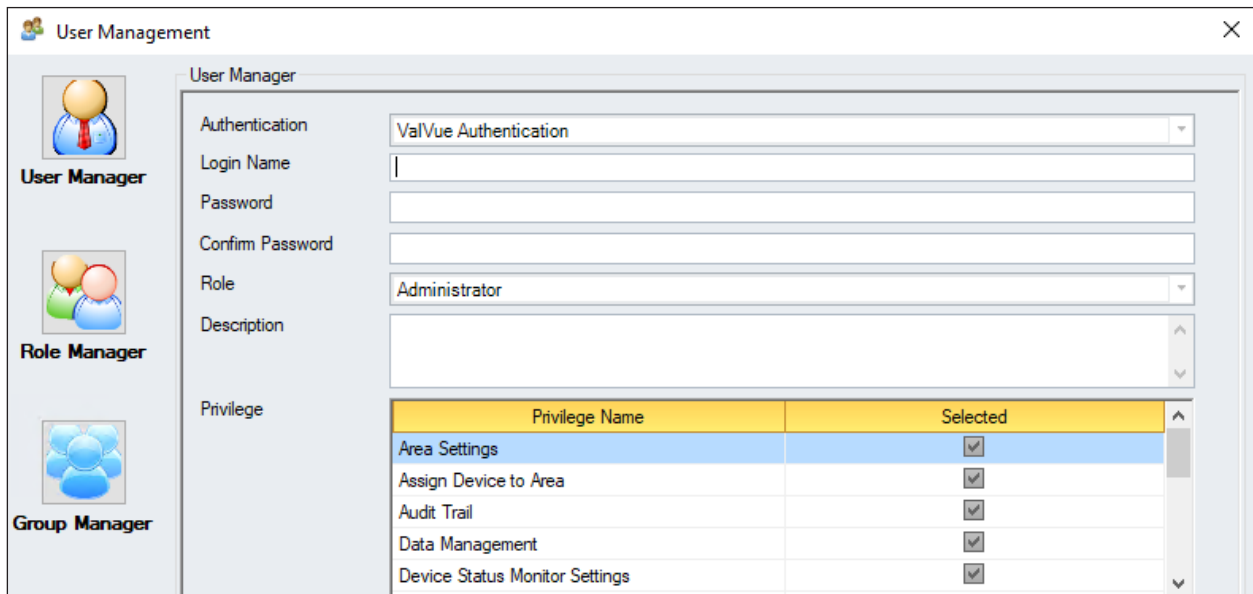


Refreshes the dialog.

Add a New User

Use this function to add new users to the program.

1. Click  and the *User Manager* tab appears.



The image shows a screenshot of the "User Management" dialog box. The "User Manager" tab is active. On the left, there are three icons: "User Manager" (a person), "Role Manager" (three balloons), and "Group Manager" (a group of people). The main area contains the following fields:

- Authentication: ValVue Authentication (dropdown)
- Login Name: |
- Password:
- Confirm Password:
- Role: Administrator (dropdown)
- Description:
- Privilege: A table with the following data:

Privilege Name	Selected
Area Settings	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Assign Device to Area	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Audit Trail	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Data Management	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Device Status Monitor Settings	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

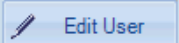
Figure 68 - User Details Adding a New User

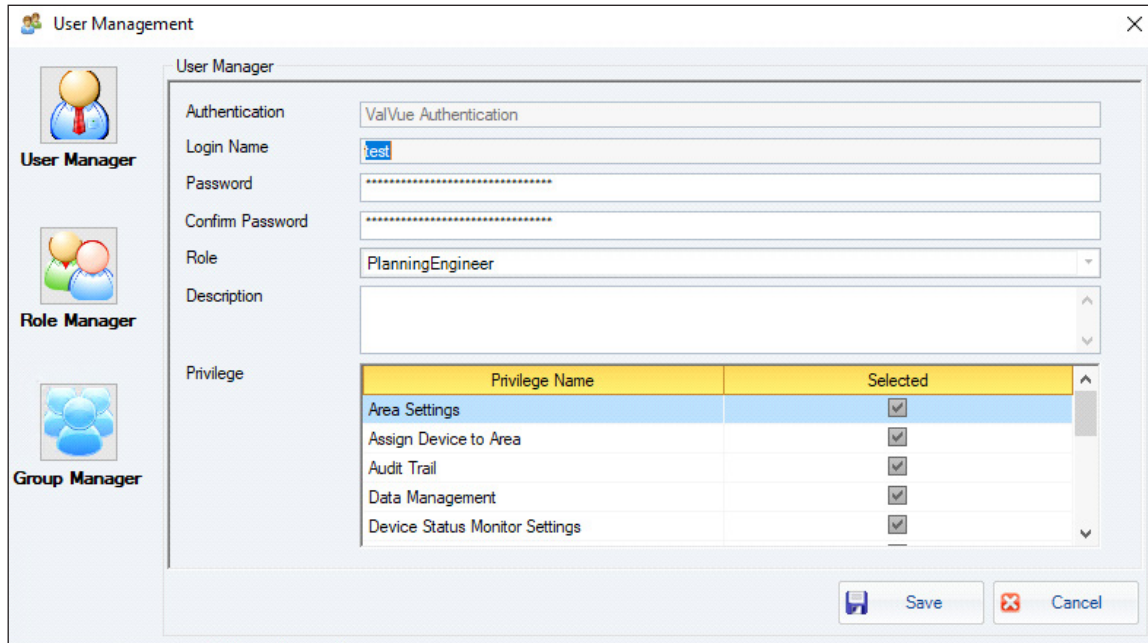
2. Use the *Authentication* pulldown to select an authentication type:
 - *ValVue Authentication* - Default User Name: *Admin* and Password is *ValVue 3*. This password must be changed after initial login. Use the *Group Manager* to add groups for use.
 - *Windows Authentication* - Use Windows[®] credentials. Use the *Group Manager* to add a Windows[®] or domain user, if the logged in user is in a ValVue domain.
3. Enter a unique *Login Name*. For *Windows Authentication*, you must enter the correct Windows[®]/domain user name.

4. Enter a *Password* and *Confirm Password*. Passwords must contain three of the four following requirements:
 - Uppercase characters
 - Lowercase characters
 - Numbers
 - Non-alphanumeric characters.
5. Use the *Role* pulldown list to select a role. The system roles are:
 - *Administrator* - Roles are defined in the fdt specification.
 - *PlanningEngineer*
 - *SystemOperator*
 - *MaintenanceEngineer*
 - *SystemObserver*
6. Use the *Selected* checkbox associated with the privileges to extend.
7. Enter *Comments* related to the user.
8. Click **Save**.

Edit a User

Use this function to edit an existing user.

1. Select a user and click  and the *User Manager* tab appears.



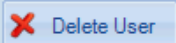
Privilege Name	Selected
Area Settings	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Assign Device to Area	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Audit Trail	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Data Management	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Device Status Monitor Settings	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Figure 69 - User Details Editing a User

2. Enter a changed *Password* and *Confirm Password*, if required.
3. Use the *Role* pulldown list to select a role, if required.
4. Use the *Selected* checkbox associated with the privileges to change, if required.
5. Edit the *Comments* related to the user, if required.
6. Click **Save**.

Delete a User

Use this function to delete an existing user.

1. Select a user and click  and the *Confirm to Remove* dialog appears.

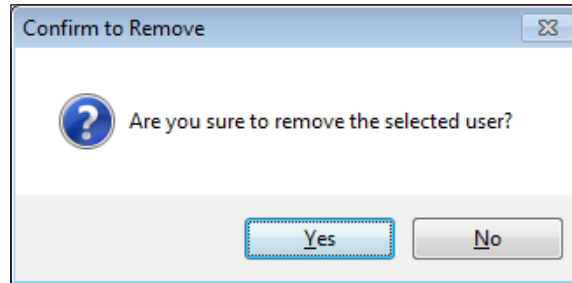
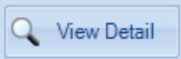


Figure 70 - Confirm to Remove

2. Click **Yes**.

View Detail

- Click  and the dialog appears.

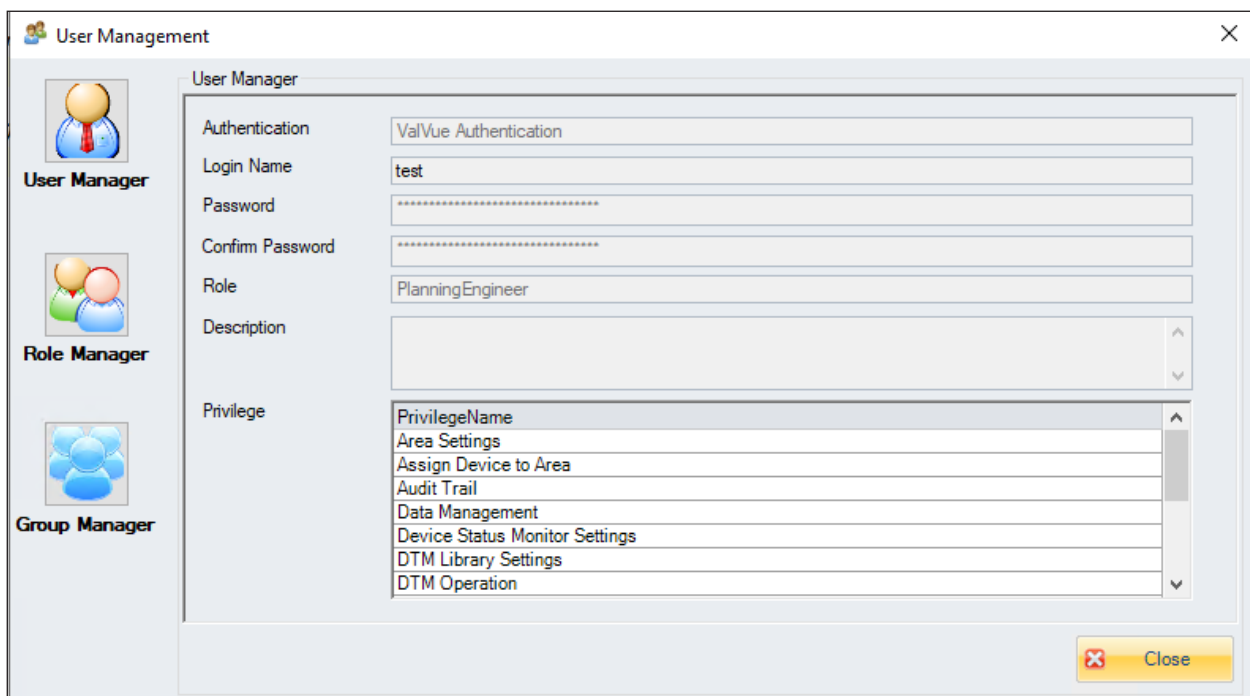
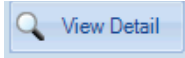


Figure 71 - View Detail

Buttons and Fields

View Detail



Opens the view-only user details.

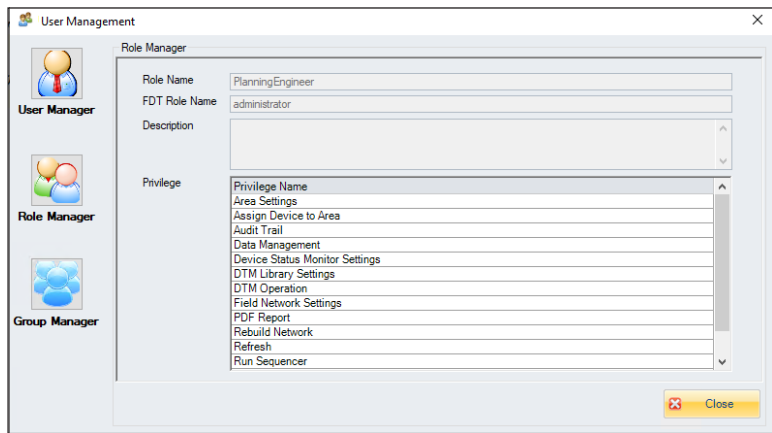
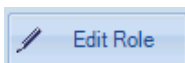


Figure 74 - Role Details

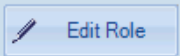
Edit Role



Opens the role for editing. See "[Edit a Role](#)" on page 92.

Edit a Role

Use this function to edit an existing role.

1. Select a role and click  and the *Role Manager* tab appears.

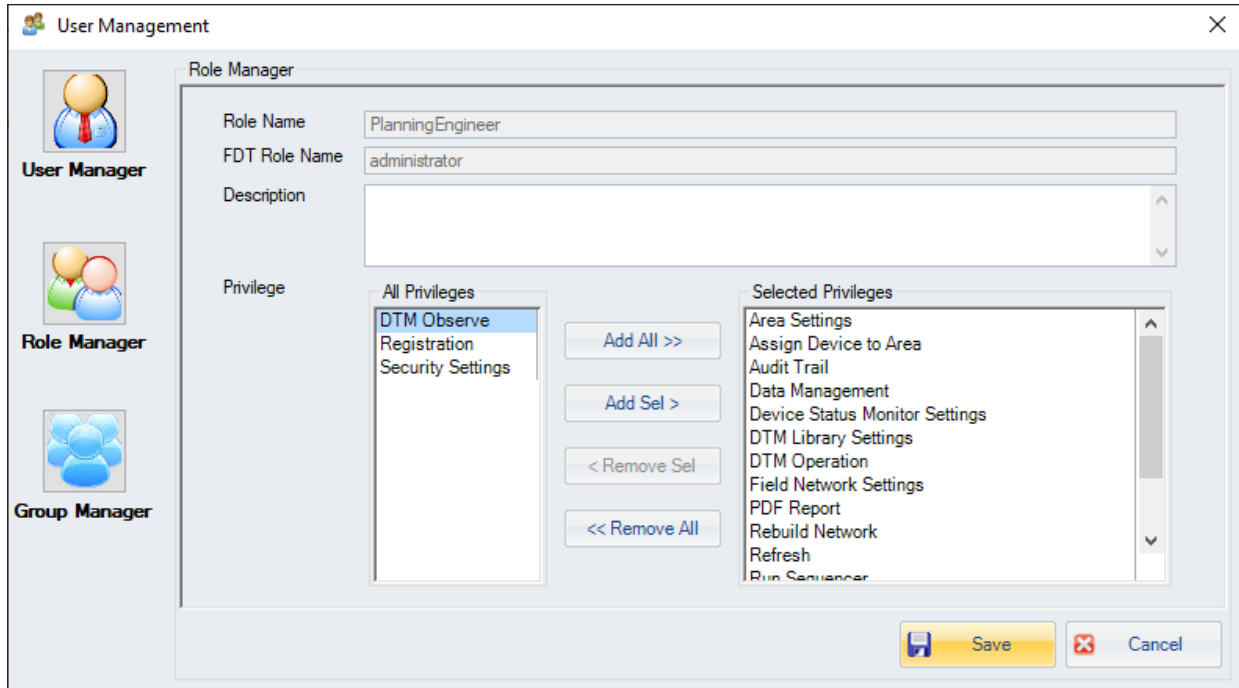

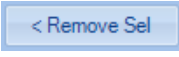

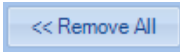
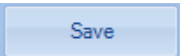


Figure 75 - User Details Editing a Role

2. Edit the description related to the role.
3. Use the *All Privileges* list to select privileges.
4. Add/delete privileges to *Selected Privileges* by:
 - Using a double-click on a single privilege.or
 - Selecting a single privilege and clicking  or .or
 - Clicking  or  to move all items remaining in the list.
5. Click .

View Role Detail

- Click  and the dialog appears.

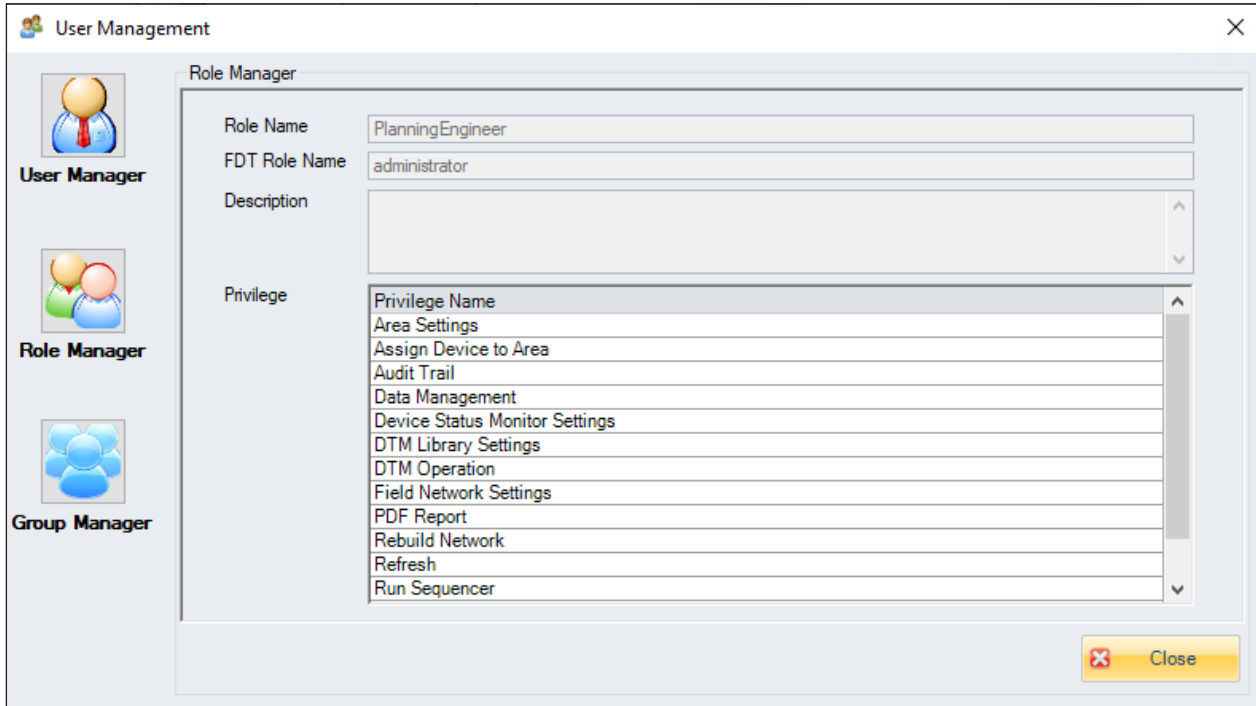
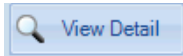


Figure 76 - View Role Detail

Buttons and Fields

View Detail



Opens the view-only user details.

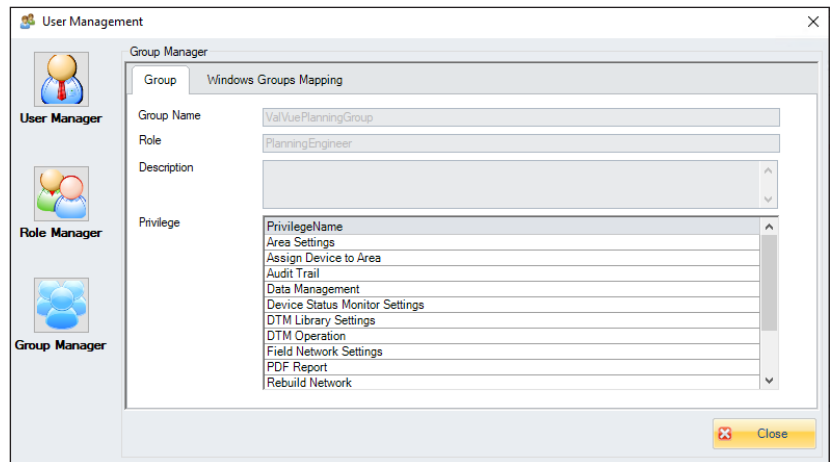
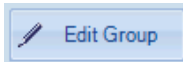


Figure 79 - Group Details

This is comprised of two tabs:

- *Group* - Contains the *Group Name*, *Role*, *Privilege* assigned and *Description*. See "[View Group Detail](#)" on page 99.
- *Windows Groups Mapping*- Displays the mappings created for the group using the edit function.


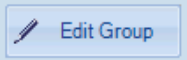
Edit Group



Opens the group for editing the privileges assigned to a group and adding and deleting mappings. See "[Edit a Group](#)" on page 96.

Edit a Group

Use this function to edit an existing group. You can configure privileges and add and remove *Windows Group Maps* (“[Add a Mapping](#)” on page 97).

1. Click  , select a group, click  and the *Group Manager* tab appears.

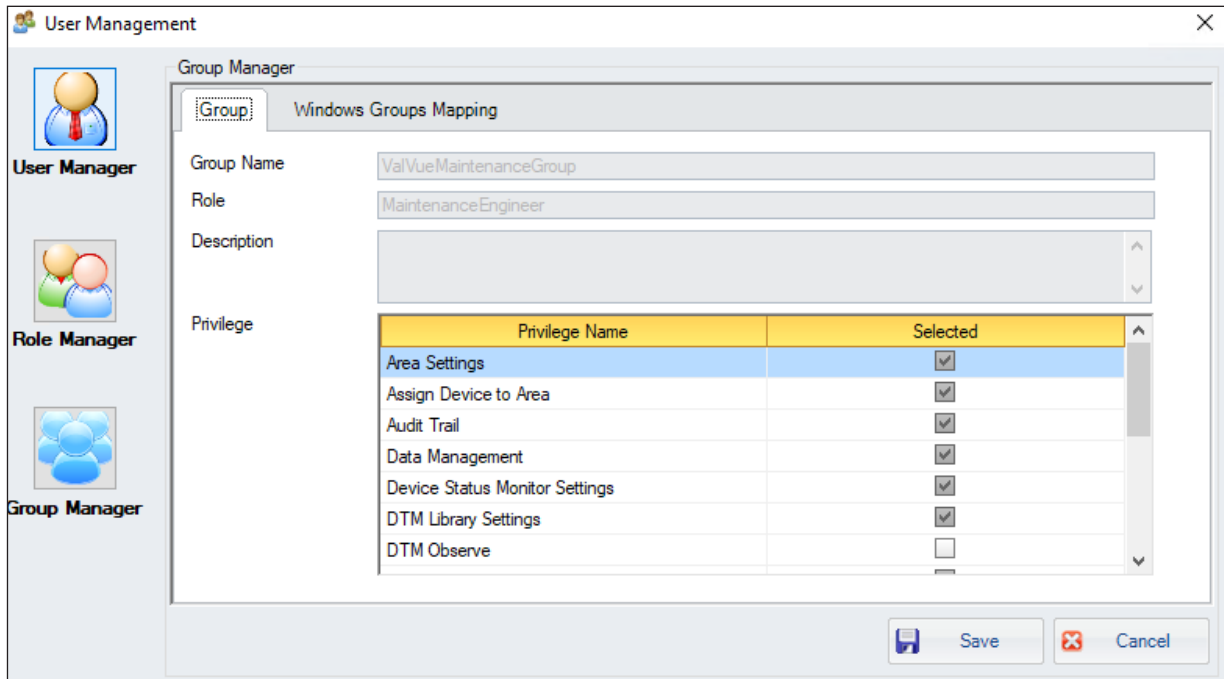



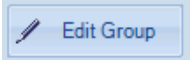
Figure 80 - Group Manager Details Editing a User

2. Edit the *Description* related to the role.
3. Select a **Privilege Name**, and select the checkbox (es) related to the rights to extend.
4. Configure *Windows Group Mappings* (“[Add a Mapping](#)” on page 97).
5. Click  .

Add a Mapping

Use this function to add a mapping.

A mapping creates a map between a pre-defined FDT group and either a local PC user group or domain user group.

1. Select a user and click , click **Windows Group Mapping** and the *Add a Mapping Empty* dialog appears.

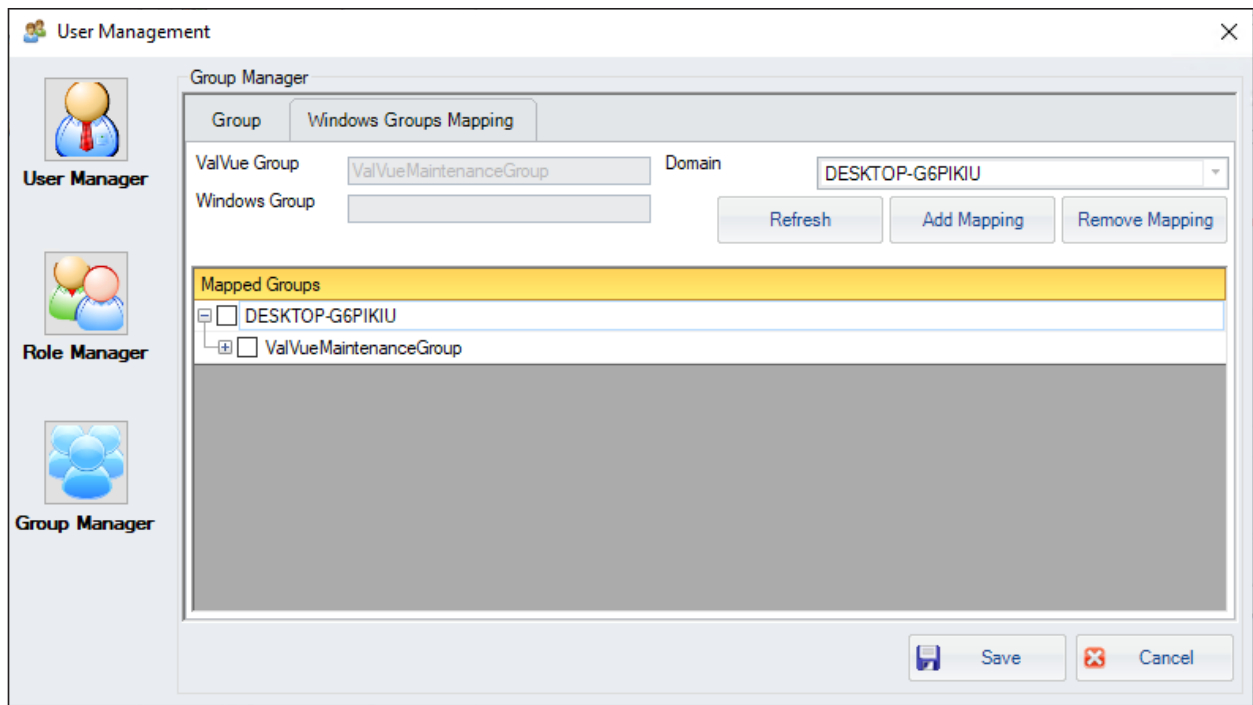
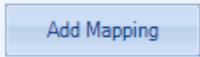


Figure 81 - Add a Mapping Empty

2. Select a domain:
 - Local laptop.
 - or
 - A detected Windows[®] domain.
3. Enter a *Group* in *Windows Group*. This must be exactly as in the *Group List*.
4. Click  and [Mapping Added](#) appears.

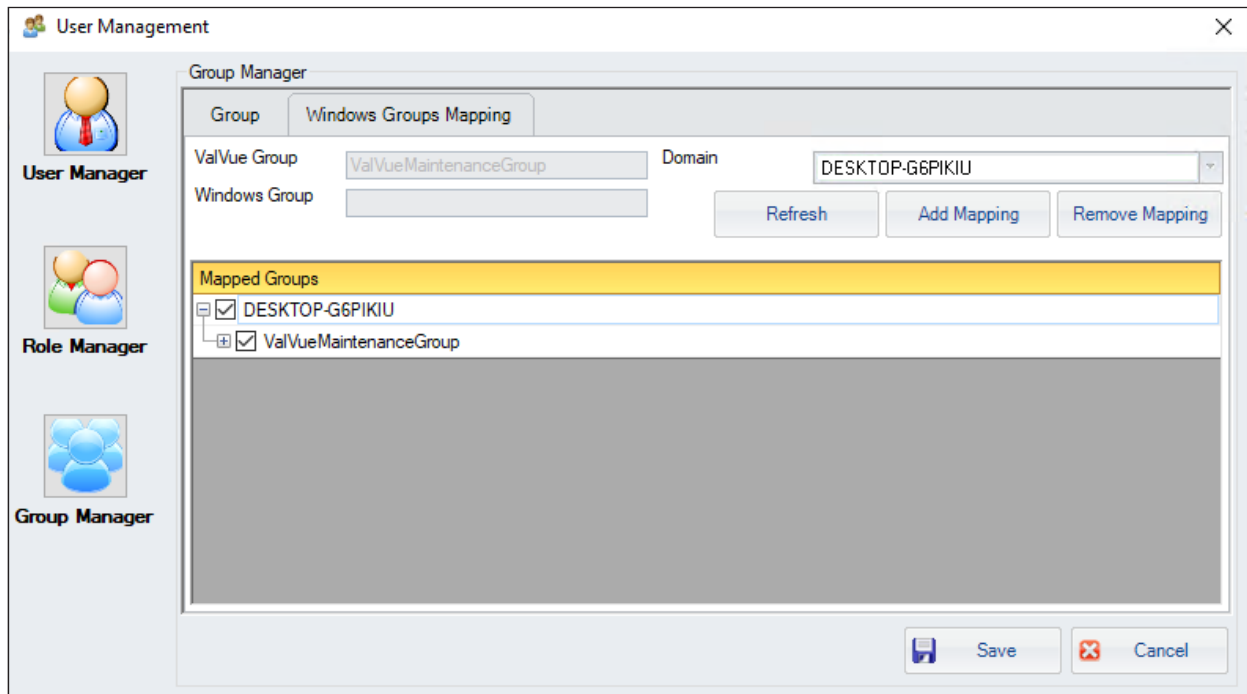



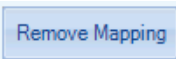
Figure 82 - Mapping Added

5. Click the + next to the group in the list and a dialog appears as a scan of the laptop or network occurs for users in that group.

NOTE *The scan can take some time on a network.*



6. Click 

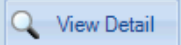
NOTE *Click  to delete an existing mapping.*



NOTE *Click  to refresh the settings for the user group lists.*



View Group Detail

- Click  and the dialog appears.

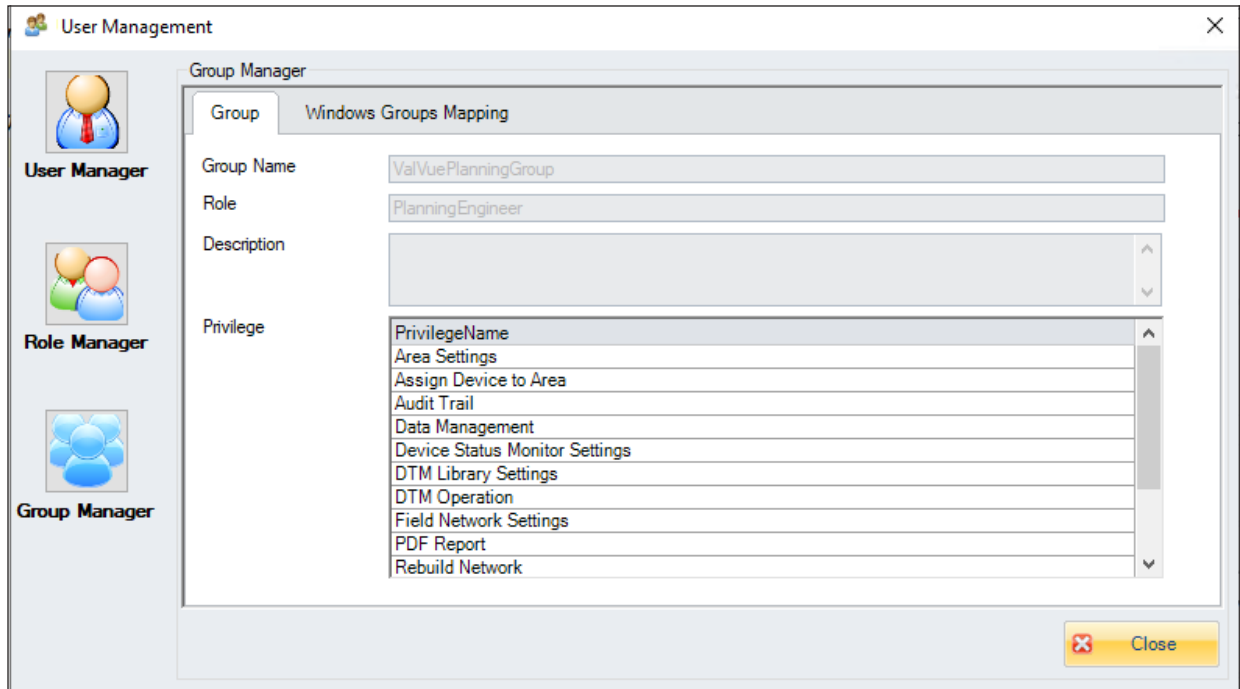


Figure 83 - View Group Detail

9. Tools Tasks

Tools Menu

Use this menu to perform licensing functions, add system tasks, configure tasks into sequences and run the sequences.

Menu Items

<i>Firmware Downloading</i>	<p>Use this feature to change/upgrade the connected positioner's firmware. The firmware upgrade if it represents an:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Upgrade of features: Upgrade an electronics board to advanced edition from standard edition.• Upgrade firmware to fix known issues. <p>For the upgrade procedure, see "Firmware Download" on page 101.</p>
<i>ValVue Licensing</i>	<p>See "If selected the firmware product has valid license available, user can start download. A complete download actions include:" on page 1082 for more information.</p>
<i>Device Status Monitor Running</i>	<p>Toggles on/off the <i>Device Status Monitor</i>.</p>
<i>Sequencer Settings</i>	<p><i>Task Settings</i>: Opens the Task Settings dialog where you assign values to the system task performed during a user-configured sequence ("Sequencer Management" on page 115). See "Sequencer Management" on page 115 to configure a sequence of events and "Execute Sequencer" on page 123 to execute the sequence.</p> <p><i>Sequencer Management</i>: Opens the "Sequencer Management" on page 121 dialog for adding, editing and deleting sequences of tasks configured in "Task Settings" on page 110. This is also accessed via the Executing Sequencer dialog.</p> <p><i>Execute Sequencer</i>: Opens the Executing Sequencer dialog (see "Execute Sequencer" on page 123) to run the sequences(s) created.</p> <p><i>Sequencer Execution Management</i>: Open the "Sequencer Execution Management" on page 125 dialog to filter and review sequencer operations.</p>
<i>Valve Data Management</i>	<p>Valve Management: Add and delete valves assigned to a positioner, along with their data, in the topology. See "Valve Management" on page 130.</p> <p>Signature Management: Import/export signatures and view signature data. See "Signature Management" on page 139.</p>
<i>Import Configuration</i>	<p>Use this to import configurations from existing positioners. See "Import Configuration" on page 157.</p>

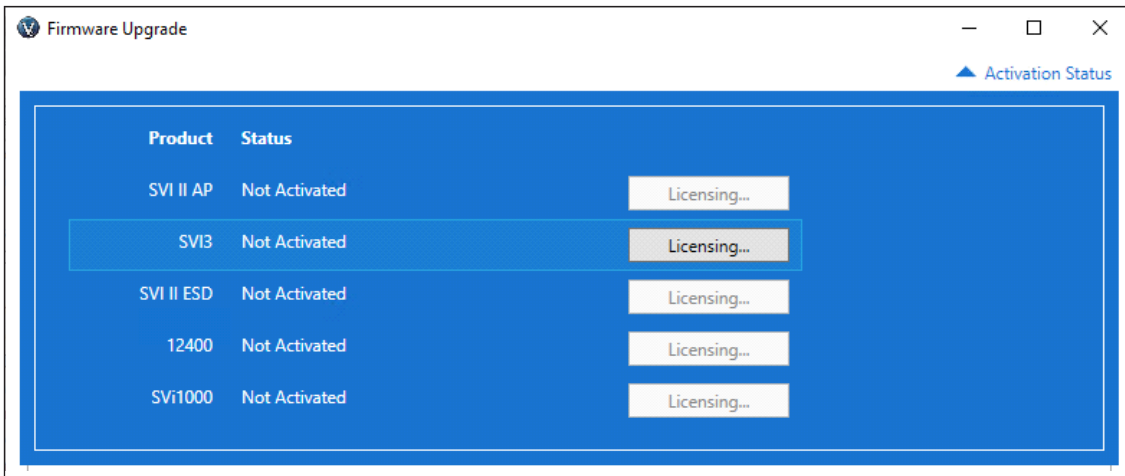
Firmware Download

ValVue now supports upgrading firmware for Masoneilan HART devices (SVI3, SVI II AP, SVI II ESD and 12400) with using ISP adapter. Flashing firmware to a virgin unit or upgrading firmware that must be running on different type of hardware.

Firmware image file of SVI3 uses fwc format that combines the images of mainboard, pneumatic module, option module and LCD module. User can upgrade all the modules of SVI3 positioner through one fwc file.

Firmware to be downloaded must be licensed based on the serial number download. User needs to purchase firmware license (either with charge or free) from iStore, and then a firmware license S/N will be issued. The user needs to send registration request to Baker Hughes for license (Key). Each product needs to use a separate S/N.

After the license is activated, user can see the total number of licenses purchased and available number of licenses for use.

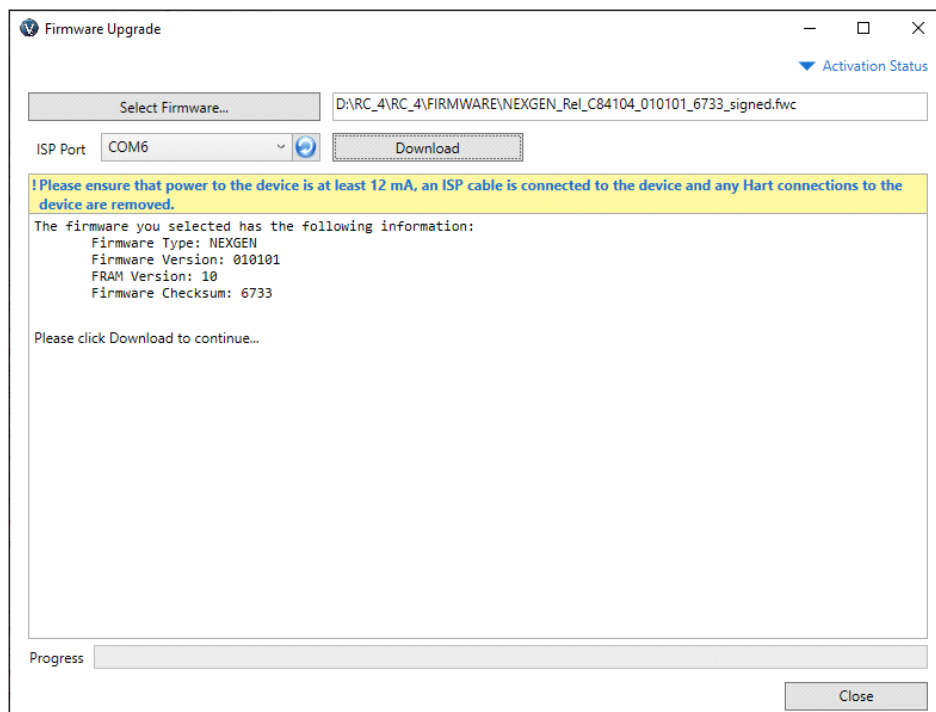


Following are Part Numbers defined for Firmware Download licensing (based on 1 download):

Product	Part Number	Comments
SVI II AP	720075281-888-0000	Support All released firmware
SVI II ESD	720075282-888-0000	Support All released firmware
SVI3	720075285-888-0000	Support All released firmware except firmware 1.1.1
12400	720075284-888-0000	Support All released firmware
SVi1000	720075283-888-0000	Upgrade is not supported now

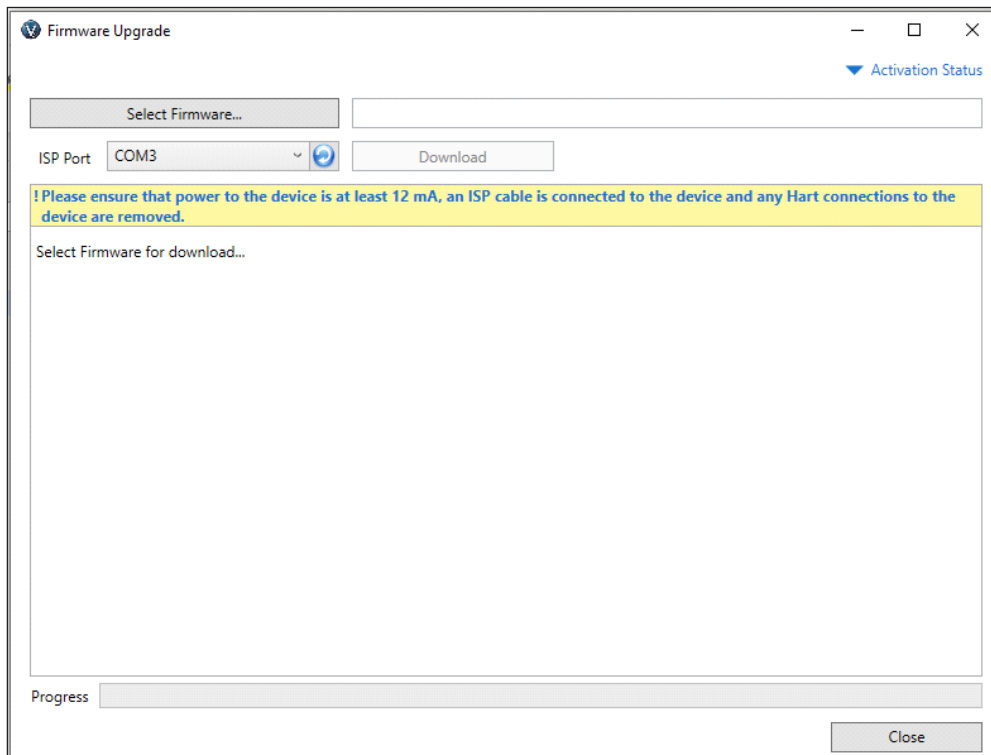
If selected the firmware product has valid license available, user can start download. A complete download actions include:

- Validate Selected Firmware
- Upload existing device image (NVM)
- Convert existing NVM to new NVM format that new firmware relays on.
- Download New firmware to device
- Validate download result
- Restore converted NVM



The Steps for Firmware Download

1. Ensure the positioner is connected, in Setup mode and not in process control.
2. Unplug the LCD connector if applicable and connect the ISP device from the positioner to a COM port on your laptop.
3. Select Tools > Firmware Downloading and Firmware Download appears.



4. Use the ISP Port pulldown list to select the COM port where you connected the ISP device. Click the reload icon (🔄) to refresh the list of ports. If you are unsure which COM port you are using open Control Panel > Device Manager > Ports (COM & LPT1) to see a list of in use COM ports.
5. Click Select Firmware and an Open dialog appears. Then navigate to and select the firmware to download.

ValVue Licensing

This section is meant to be a generic discussion of the licensing process for ValVue and Masoneilan software DTMs. In this discussion we use ValVue as an example. Dialogs that appear differ based on the Masoneilan software is use. For example, the SVi™ 1000 and 12400 DTMs have only 30 day trial periods.

Registration Process

To open the registration dialog:

- Select **Tools > ValVue Licensing** for ValVue.
- Select a device and then select **Additional Functions > Registration** for DTMs. The Masoneilan ValVue Serial Number is obtained by contacting one of our channel partners or by contacting Baker Hughes directly (software.reg@bakerhughes.com).

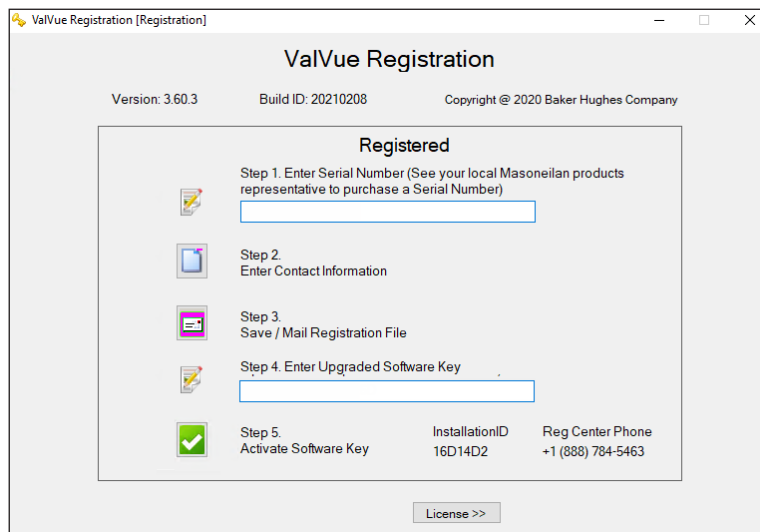



Figure 84 - ValVue Registration

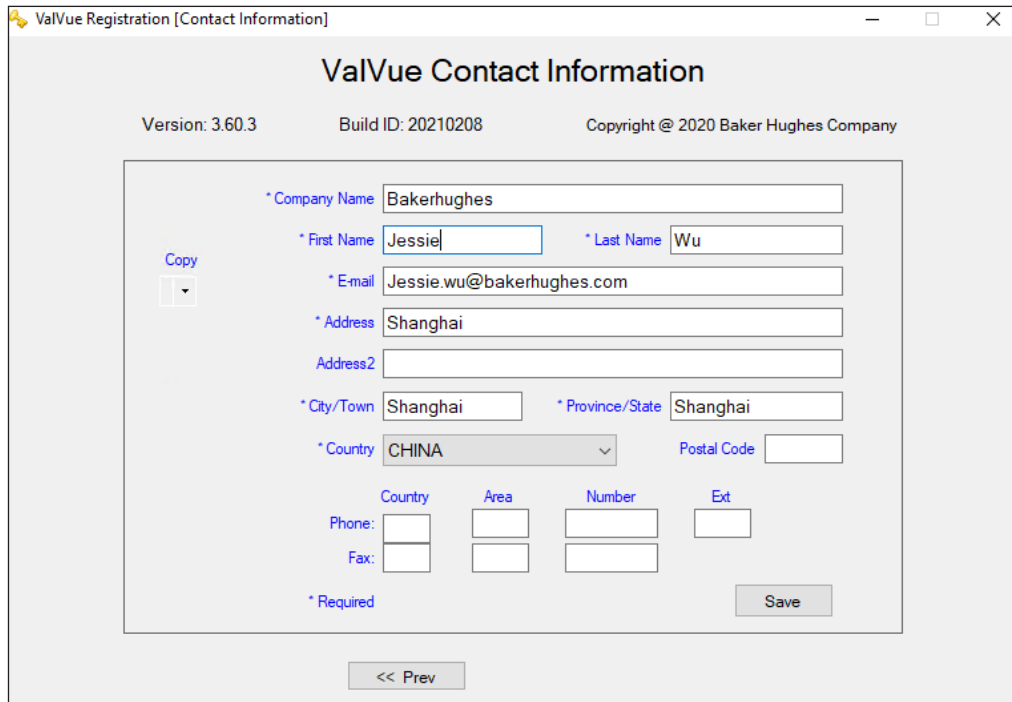
Use the registration dialog (Figure 84) to:

- [“Register the Product”](#) on page 105 - Required before use or at the end of the 30 day trial period.
- [“Activate License”](#) on page 107 - Required before use or at the end of the 30 day trial period.

Register the Product

To register the product:

1. Enter the serial number in *Step 1*. The *Serial Number* auto-fills for the *Basic Edition*.
2. Click  or click **Next** and Figure 85 appears.



ValVue Registration [Contact Information]

ValVue Contact Information

Version: 3.60.3 Build ID: 20210208 Copyright @ 2020 Baker Hughes Company

* Company Name: Bakerhughes

* First Name: Jessie * Last Name: Wu

* Email: Jessie.wu@bakerhughes.com

* Address: Shanghai

Address2:

* City/Town: Shanghai * Province/State: Shanghai

* Country: CHINA Postal Code:

Phone: Country Area Number Ext

Fax: Country Area Number Ext

* Required Save


<< Prev

Figure 85 - Contact Information

NOTE



Use the copy pulldown to import information that has been previously entered for another Masoneilan software.

3. Enter all required information, as marked by *, click **Save** then **<< Prev** and click  and Figure 86 appears.

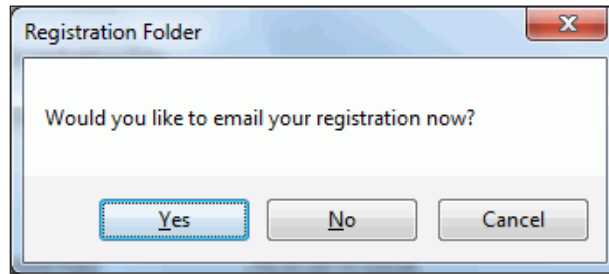


Figure 86 - Email Registration

4. Ensure you have email access, click **Yes** and the registration email appears using your default email setup. The email has an *.xml* attachment containing licensing information. If sending the email fails or you wish to send from a different laptop/PC, click **No**. A dialog appears which you can use to save the file to a location for use.

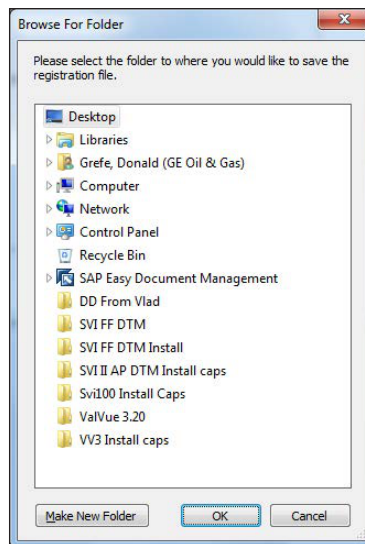



Figure 87 - Browse for Folder

5. Send the email (software.reg@bakerhughes.com). A return email is sent containing the activation code. Proceed to ["Activate License"](#) on page 107.

Activate License

To activate the license:

1. Enter the emailed or channel partner acquired software key.
2. Click  and Figure 88 appears.

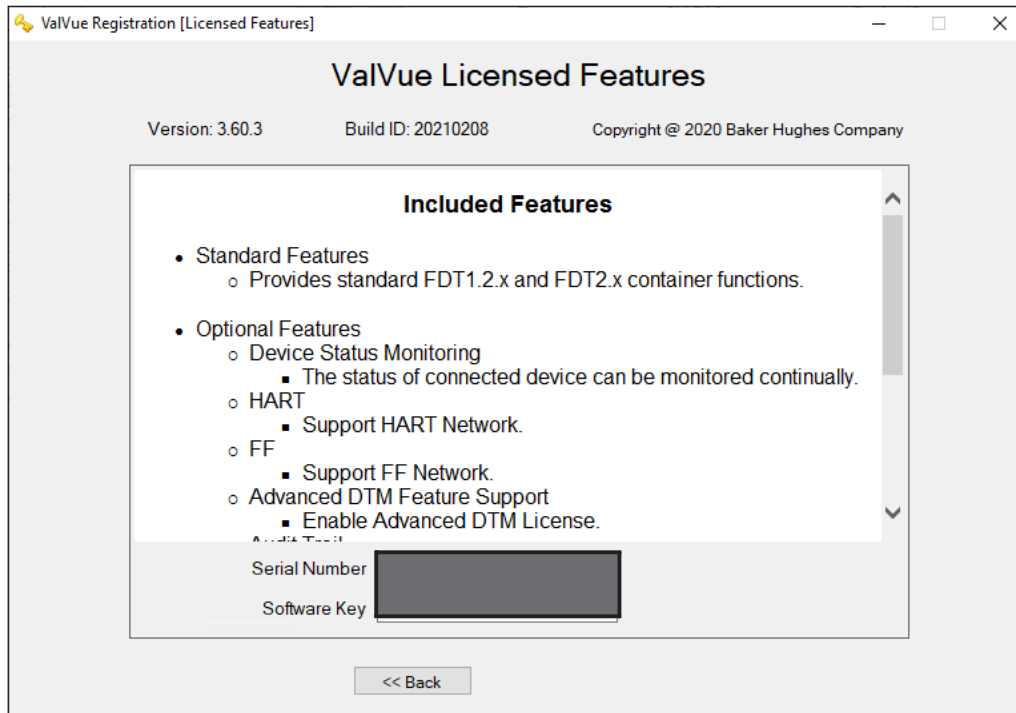


Figure 88 - Included Features

3. Click **Close**.


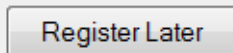
Registration During the Trial Period

The license trial period works as follows:

1. Once you download and install the ValVue software, you are granted a 30 day trial period. We strongly encourages you to register your license with us as soon as possible. During the 30 days, you have access to all the advanced features of ValVue.
2. Once the first 30 days expires, you lose the advanced features. You then have an additional 30 day period, after which you must register to continue using the product. Contact Baker Hughes at software.reg@bakerhughes.com.



For DTMs (not ValVue) click:

-  *and follow the prompts to register, before the trial completely expires (see “[Register the Product](#)” on page 105).*
-  *to continue use until the 30 days expires (see “[Register the Product](#)” on page 105).*

The first time you open ValVue, if the product is on trial, a dialog appears.

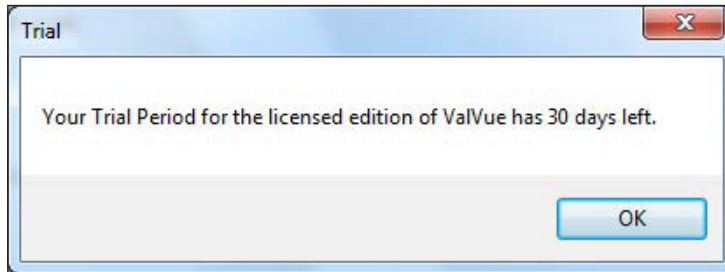


Figure 89 - Trial Registration Dialog: Newly Installed

After 30 days without purchase or registration, the first time you open the DTM, Figure 90 appears.

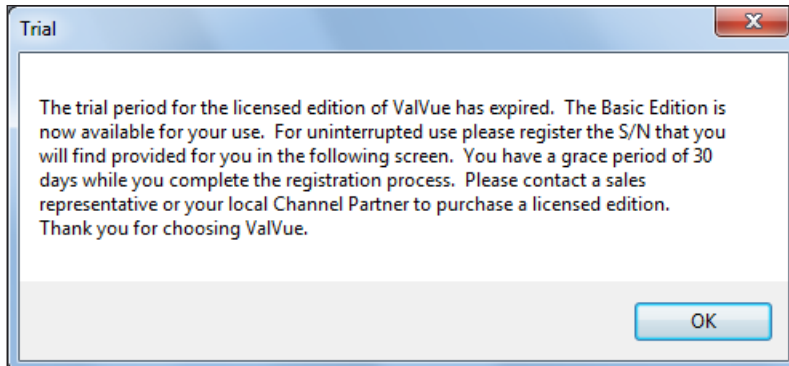


Figure 90 - Advanced Features Expired

After the first time you open an expired license, and you select **Additional Functions > Registration**, Figure 91 appears. When you click **OK** the registration process starts (see [“Register the Product”](#) on page 105).

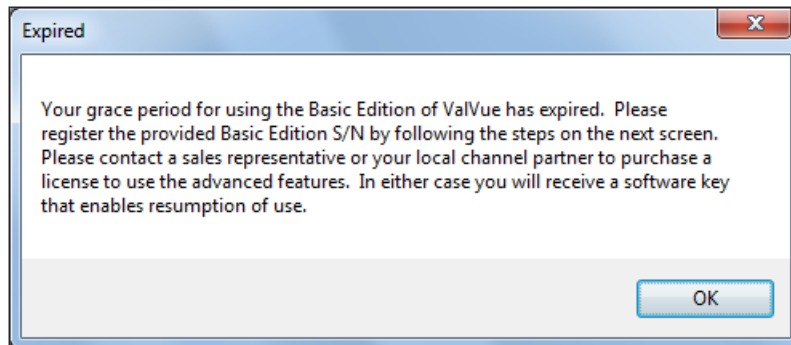


Figure 91 - Ongoing Expiration

If you click anywhere in the DTM after the trial period expires, Figure 92 appears. When you click **OK**, the registration process starts (see [“Register the Product”](#) on page 105).

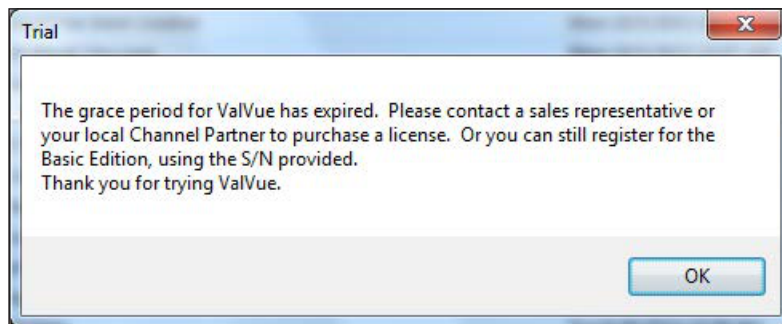


Figure 92 - Trial Expired

Sequencer Settings

Sequencer Settings is comprised of:

- “Task Settings”
- [“Sequencer Management”](#) on page 116
- [“Execute Sequencer”](#) on page 123
- [“Sequencer Execution Management”](#) on page 127

NOTE



The sequencer should **NOT** be used when a procedure (e.g. *Find Stops*, *Auto Tune*, *Step Test*, *Ramp Test*, *Signature*) is running in the DTM.

Task Settings

Use the *Task Settings* dialog to assign values to the system task performed during a user-configured sequence. See [“Sequencer Management”](#) on page 115 to configure a sequence of events and [“Execute Sequencer”](#) on page 123 to execute the sequence.

Tasks are predefined and are categorized into three categories: *Configuration*, *Calibration*, and *Diagnostics* tasks. The tasks by category are:

Configuration

- *Set Tag*
- *Set Address*
- *Air Action*
- *Set Valve Type (FF only)*
- *Change Mode*

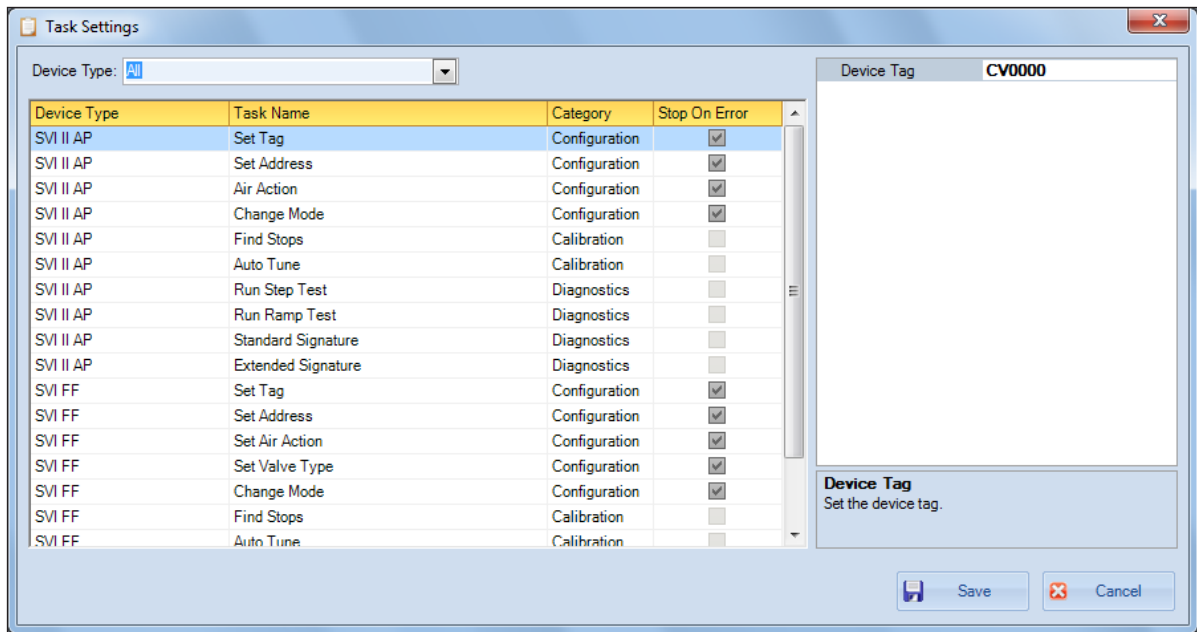
Calibration

- *Autotune*
- *Find Stops*

Diagnostics

- *Standard Signature*
- *Extended Signature (AP and SVI3 only)*
- *Run Ramp Test*
- *Run Step Test*
- *Signature Test (SVI FF only)*
- *Clear Faults (AP, SVI1000 and SVI3 only)*

Each task will have a unique task ID so that both frame application and DTM understand the task and its input/output parameters. ValVue sends each task to Device/DTM through its Masoneilan special FDT/DTM interface. The dialog display can be limited to show items only by *Device Type*.



Input Parameters of Tasks

Input parameters are required in order to execute the task in the device. The table below lists all predefined input parameters.

Task	Input Parameters	Description
<i>Set Tag</i>	Device tag (text)	Set the device tag.
<i>Set Address</i>	Device address (integer, 16-255)	Set the device address.
<i>Set Air Action</i>	ATC/ATO	Configure the actuator to operate as Air to Close, or Air to Open.
<i>Set Valve Type</i>	Valve Type (Undefined/Linear/Rotary/Other)	Choose the valve type.
<i>Find Stops</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>Travel Range</i> <i>Travel Unit</i> <i>Open Stop Adjustment</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A numeric value, describing the range of travel. Is used to calculate the Working Setpoint value (Not for SVI1000, SVI II AP and SVI3). Choose unit type (Not for SVI1000, SVI II AP and SVI3). Open stop adjustment
<i>Autotune</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>Aggressiveness</i> <i>Supply Pressure</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Choose whether to tune for fast response or no overshoot. Air Supply Pressure in psi.
<i>Changing Mode</i>	Target Mode (Out of Service/Auto/Manual)	Choose the target mode.

Task	Input Parameters	Description
<i>Extended Signature</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Start Position</i> • <i>Stop Position</i> • <i>Speed Level</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Set the start position in %, required for extended signature test. • Set the end position in %, required for extended signature test. • Set the speed from 1 to 10.
<i>Standard Signature</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Speed Level</i> • <i>Save to Device</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Set the speed from 1 to 10. • Select To Baseline 1 or 2, To Saved or None (SVI3 only).
<i>Clear Faults</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Current</i> • <i>All</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Clears only current faults • Clears current and historical faults
<i>Run Step Test</i>	<p>Step Test Type: Set the step test type. Different types of step test require different parameters.</p>	<p>Single Step:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Direction (One Way/Both Ways)</i>: Set direction, required for <i>Single Step</i> and <i>Multiple Steps</i>. • <i>Initial Time</i>: Set initial time in seconds, required for <i>Single Step</i>, <i>Multiple Steps</i> and <i>Pre-Defined Steps</i> (Not for SVi1000, SVI II AP and SVI3). • <i>Sample Rate</i>: Enter a number of samples per second. Required for all Step tests. Range: 2 to 20. • <i>Start Position</i>: Set the start position in %, required for <i>Single Step</i> and <i>Multiple Steps</i>. • <i>End Position</i>: Set the end position in %, required for <i>Single Step</i> and <i>Multiple Steps</i>. • <i>Step Time</i>: Set step time in seconds, required for <i>Single Step</i>, <i>Multiple Steps</i> and <i>Pre-Defined Steps</i>. <p>Multiple Steps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Direction (One Way/Both Ways)</i>: Set direction, required for <i>Single Step</i> and <i>Multiple Steps</i>. • <i>Initial Time</i>: Set initial time in seconds, required for <i>Single Step</i>, <i>Multiple Steps</i> and <i>Pre-Defined Steps</i> (Not for SVi1000, SVI II AP and SVI3). • <i>Sample Rate</i>: Enter a number of samples per second. Required for all Step tests. Range: 2 to 20. • <i>Start Position</i>: Set the start position in %, required for <i>Single Step</i> and <i>Multiple Steps</i>. • <i>End Position</i>: Set the end position in %, required for <i>Single Step</i> and <i>Multiple Steps</i>. • <i>Step Time</i>: Set step time in seconds, required for <i>Single Step</i>, <i>Multiple Steps</i> and <i>Pre-Defined Steps</i>. • <i>Step Size</i>: Set step size in %, required for <i>Multiple Steps</i>.

Task	Input Parameters	Description
Run Ramp Test	Ramp Test Type (Single Ramp)	<p>Pre-Defined Steps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Around Type (Around Middle/Around Current Setpoint)</i>: Set around type, required for <i>Pre-Defined Steps</i>. • <i>Direction (Up and Down/Up/Down)</i>: Choose direction, required for <i>Pre-Defined Steps</i>. • <i>Initial Time</i>: Set initial time in seconds, required for <i>Single Step</i>, <i>Multiple Steps</i> and <i>Pre-Defined Steps</i> (Not for SVi1000, SVI II AP and SVI3). • <i>Sample Rate</i>: Enter a number of samples per second. Required for all Step tests. Range: 2 to 20. • <i>Step Time</i>: Set step time in seconds, required for <i>Single Step</i>, <i>Multiple Steps</i> and <i>Pre-Defined Steps</i>. • <i>Max Step</i>: Set max step in %, required for <i>Pre-Defined Steps</i>. • <i>Step Increase</i>: Set step increase in %, required for <i>Pre-Defined Steps</i>. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Direction (One Way/Both Ways)</i>: Set direction, required for <i>Single Ramp</i> (Not for SVi1000, SVI II AP and SVI3). • <i>Initial Time</i>: Set initial time in seconds, required for <i>Single Ramp</i> (Not for SVi1000, SVI II AP and SVI3). • <i>Start Position</i>: Set the start position in %, required for <i>Single Ramp</i>. • <i>End Position</i>: Set the end position in %, required for <i>Single Ramp</i>. • <i>Ramp Time</i>: Set ramp time in seconds, required for <i>Single Ramp</i>. • <i>Sample Rate</i>: Enter a sample rate (per 10 secs) between 1 and 10 (Not for SVI FF). • <i>Speed Level</i>: Enter a speed level from 1 to 10 (Not for SVI FF). • <i>Ramp Rate</i>: Set ramp rate in %/s, required for <i>Single Ramp</i> (Not for SVi1000, SVI II AP and SVI3).

Configure Task Settings

1. Use the *Device Type* pulldown to display only by a particular device type.
2. Click a **Task Name** and the name appears in the *Parameters* list and the configurable value (s) appear to the right. There can be fields or pulldowns lists.
3. Enter values.

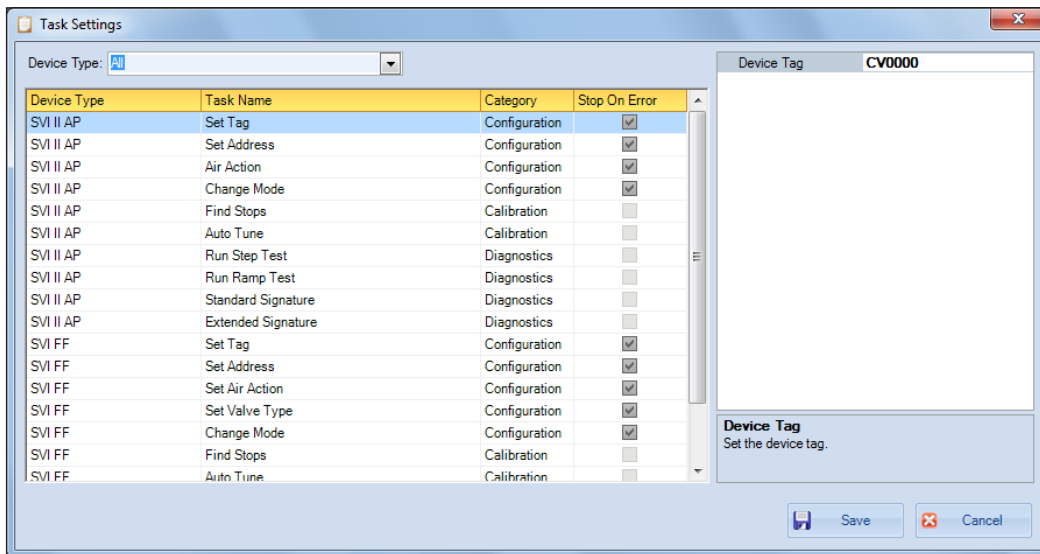


Figure 93 - Configurable Parameters

4. Click  and the dialog closes.

Sequencer Management

Use the Sequencer Management dialog for adding, editing and deleting sequences of tasks configured in *Task Settings*. This is also accessed via the *Executing Sequencer* dialog.

A sequencer is a set of tasks that ValVue requests device/DTM to perform silently. Depending on the physical network, a sequencer tasks can be performed by multiple devices concurrently.

CAUTION



*The sequencer should **NOT** be used when a procedure (e.g. Find Stops, Auto Tune, Step Test, Ramp Test, Signature) is running in the DTM.*

NOTE



Once changes are made to an existing sequencer test the Save button activates. If you configure a new sequencer, you must save it before exiting the dialog.

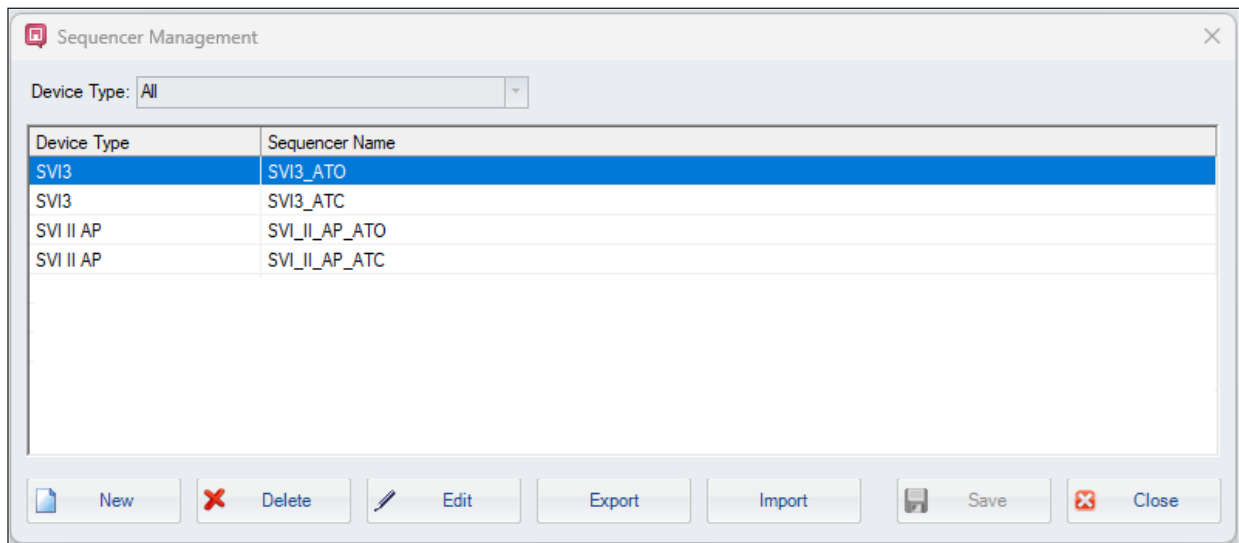


Figure 94 - Sequencer Management

NOTE



By default, the software has two sets of sequencers: SVI2AP_SVI3_ATO and SVI2AP_SVI3_ATC for SVI3 and SVI II AP devices. The sequencers contain items commonly used by most users. Take care as these can be deleted. Their default directory is: C:\ProgramData\Dresser\ValVue 3\Test.

Add a New Sequence

1. Select **Tools > Sequencer Settings > Sequencer Management**, click  and a dialog appears.

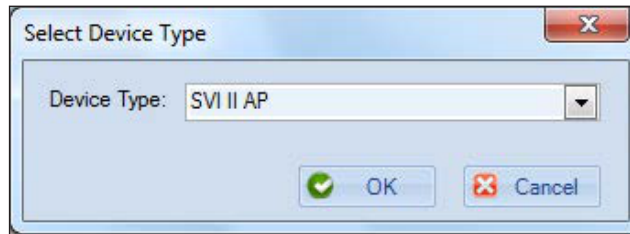


Figure 95 - Select Device Type

2. Use the *Device Type* pulldown to limit the list in the dialog that follows, click **OK** and the Sequencer Setup Wizard - New Sequencer dialog appears.

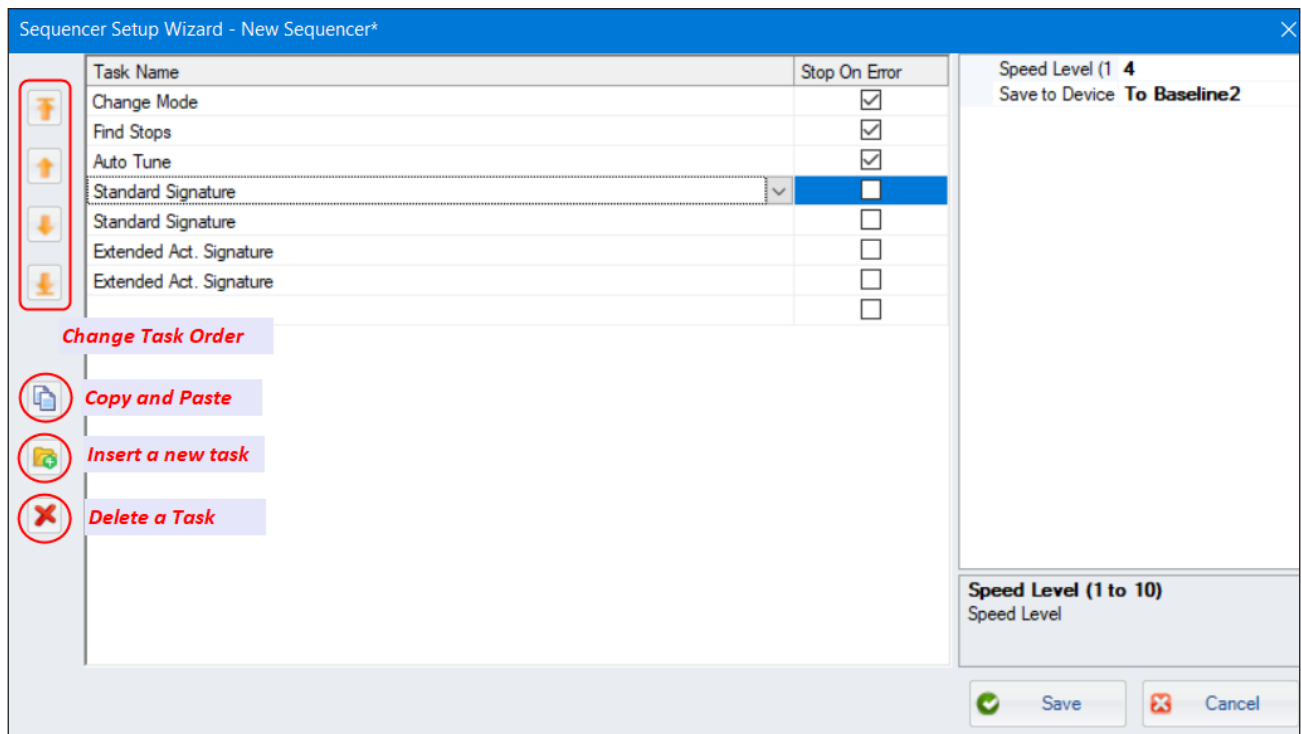




Figure 96 - Sequencer Setup Wizard - New Sequencer

3. Create a new item by:
 - a. Clicking underneath *Task Name* or click  and a row is inserted, which can later be rearranged.
 - b. Configuring the associated *Stop On Error* checkbox.
 - c. Editing the value for the action in the field that appears in the pane to the right.
 - d. Repeat steps a through c as required.
4. Click  **Save** and a dialog appears.

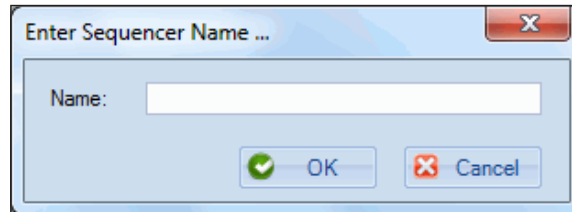


Figure 97 - Enter the Sequencer Name....

5. Enter a unique name and click **OK** and the *Sequencer Management* dialog re-appears with the sequence added. Once a name is added, you can edit it by double-clicking.

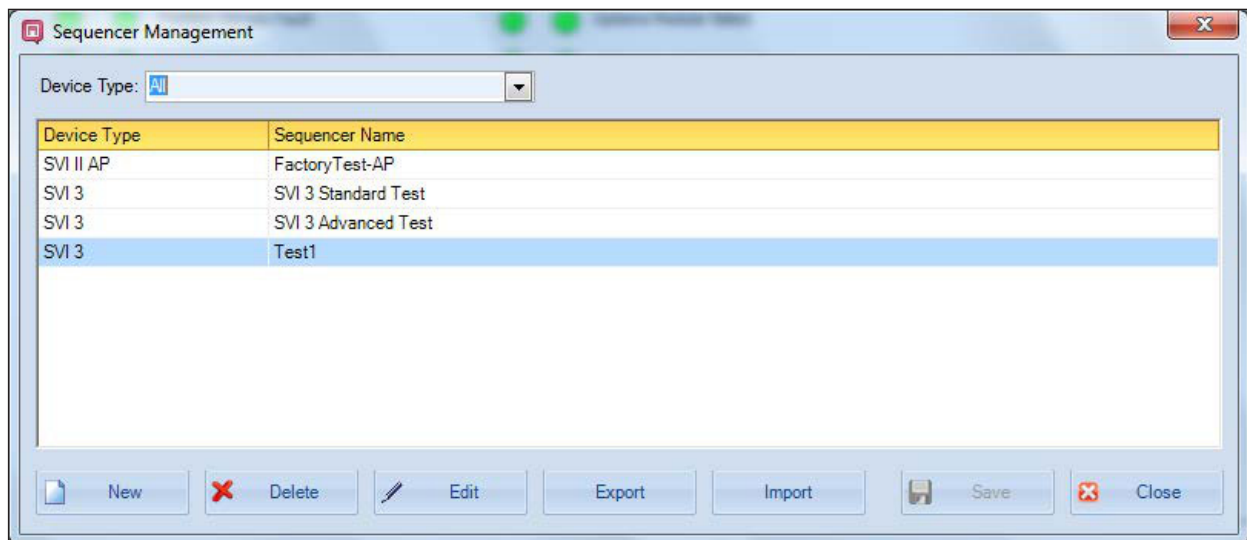
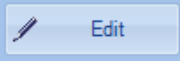


Figure 98 - Sequencer Management with Sequence Added

When *Sequencer Management* dialog is opened again the newly added sequence appears in the *Task Name* list in the next position.

Edit a Sequence

1. Select **Tools > Sequencer Settings > Sequencer Management** and the dialog appears.
2. Select a sequence and click  and the Sequencer Setup Wizard - Edit Sequencer dialog appears.

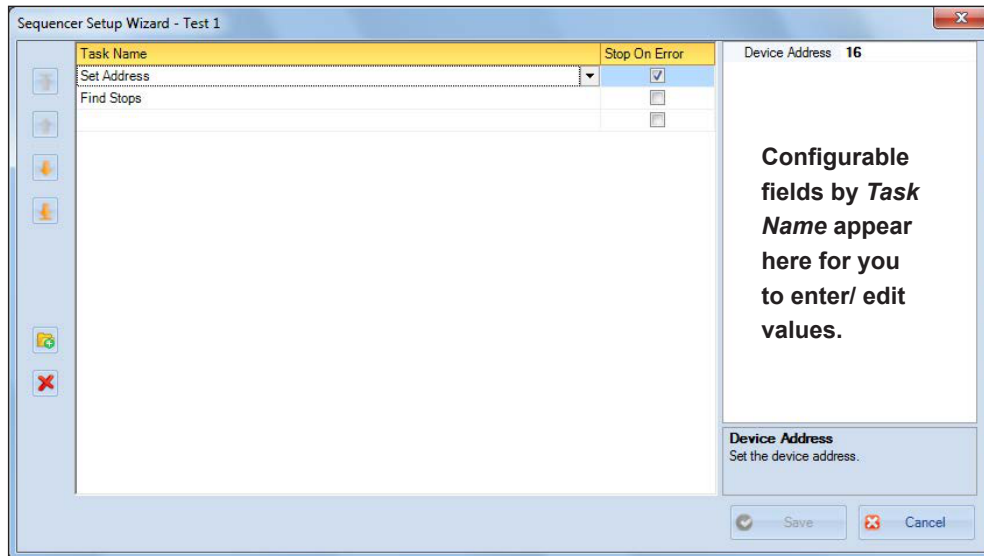




Figure 99 - Sequencer Setup Wizard - Edit Sequencer

3. Either:
 - Create a new item by:
 - a. Clicking underneath *Task Name* or click  and a row is inserted, which can later be rearranged.
 - b. Configuring the associated *Stop On Error* checkbox.
 - c. Editing the value for the action in the field that appears in the pane to the right.
 - d. Repeat steps a through c as required.
 - Edit an existing item by:
 - a. Selecting a task and editing the associated *Stop On Error* checkbox.
 - b. Editing the value for the action in the field that appears in the pane to the right.
 - c. Repeat steps a and b as required.
4. Click  and the *Sequencer Management* dialog appears.

Export a Sequence

Use this function to export a sequencer configuration in a file form (.seq). This can then be imported and used for another positioner of the same type.

1. Select **Tools > Sequencer Settings > Sequencer Management** and Figure100 appears.

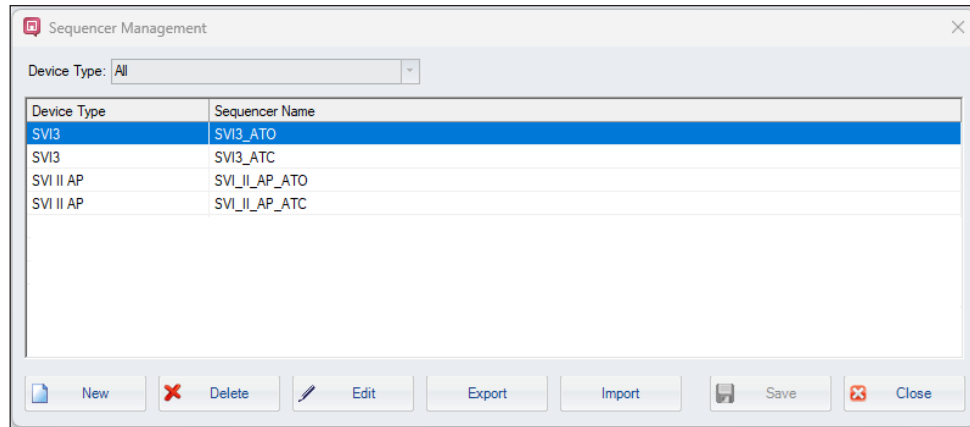


Figure 100 - Sequencer Management

2. Click  and Figure 101 appears.

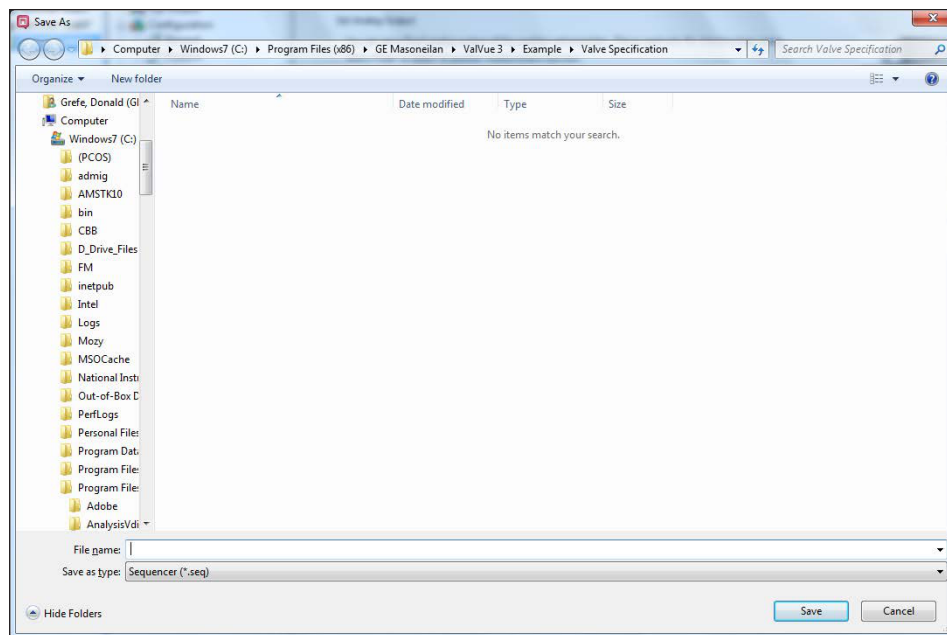


Figure 101 - Save a .seq File

3. Navigate to the target directory, enter a filename, click **Save** and Figure 102 appears.

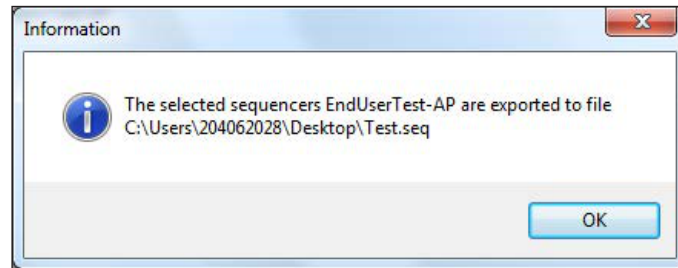


Figure 102 - Sequencer Export File Confirmation

4. Click **OK**. and the *Sequencer Management* dialog reappears. Click **Close**.

Import a Sequence

Use this function to import a sequencer configuration in a file (.seq).

1. Select **Tools > Sequencer Settings > Sequencer Management** and Figure 100 appears.

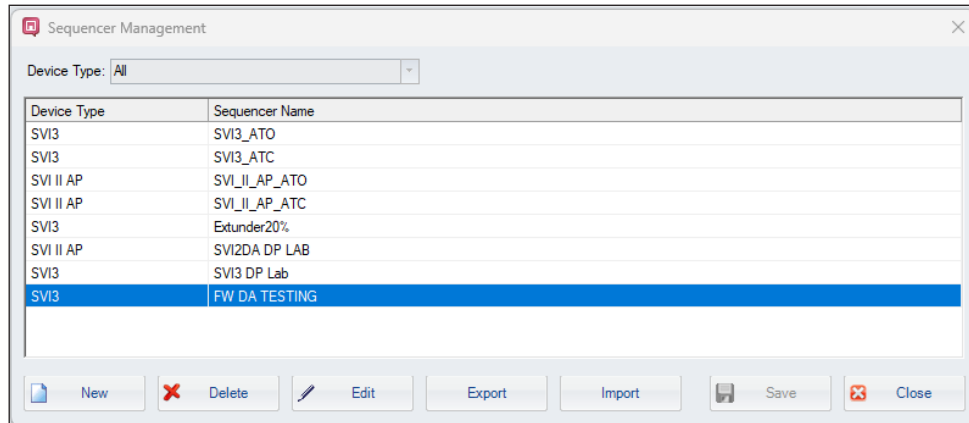


Figure 103 - Sequencer Management

2. Click  and Figure 104 appears.

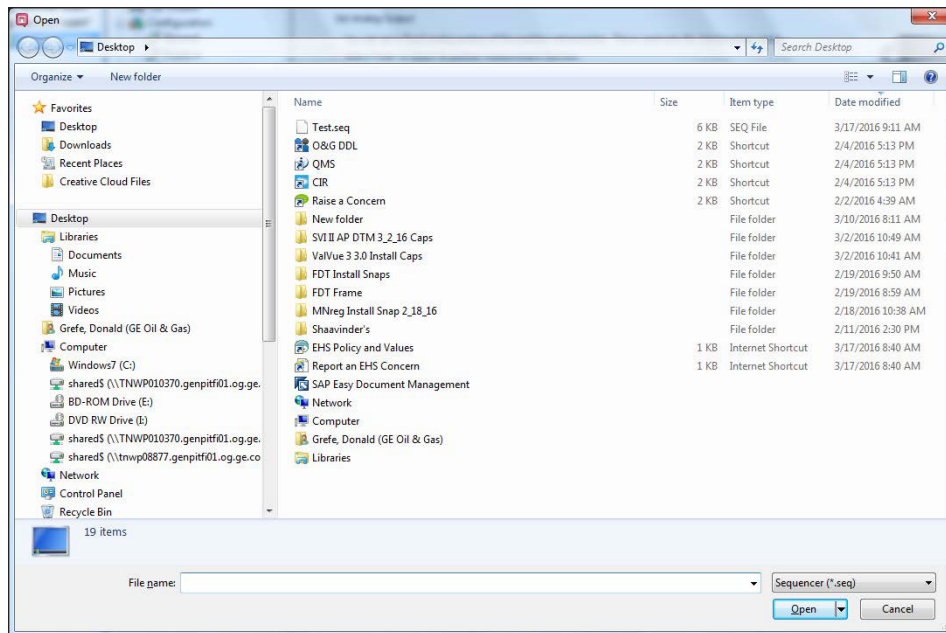


Figure 104 - Open a .seq File

3. Navigate to the target directory, select a file, click **Open** and Figure 105 appears.

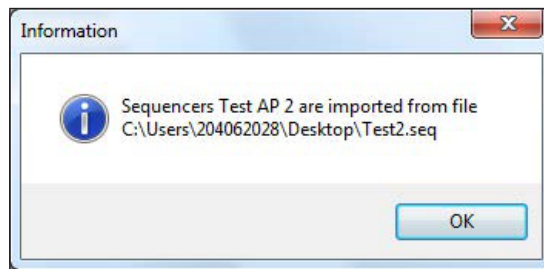



Figure 105 - Sequencer Import File Confirmation

4. Click **OK**. The *Sequencer Management* dialog reappears.
5. Click **Close**.

Delete a Sequence

1. Select **Tools > Sequencer Settings > Sequencer Management** and the dialog appears.

2. Select a sequence and click  **Delete**

Execute Sequencer

Execution of a sequencer can apply to one or multiple devices. A device can be added by selecting a device in the device tree and by adding a group of devices. You can choose whether a sequencer is executed concurrently or sequentially. The execution can also be schedule based.

If a sequencer uses different parameters for different positioner, click **Detail** and ValVue lists all tasks and their parameters for all devices. You can then modify parameters before a sequencer is executed.

CAUTION



*The sequencer should **NOT** be used when a procedure (e.g. Find Stops, Auto Tune, Step Test, Ramp Test, Signature) is running in the DTM.*

When a sequencer is running and the DTM is opened, DTM will not poll dynamic parameters from device. The DTM trending and dynamic parameters on UI will stop updating.

On this dialog you can:

- Choose a sequence and execute it immediately.
- Choose a sequence and schedule it to run.
- Choose sequences on different devices and run them concurrently.
- Configure a new sequence, save it and run it.
- View details.
- Export results.
- Make changes to a sequencer and then save it.

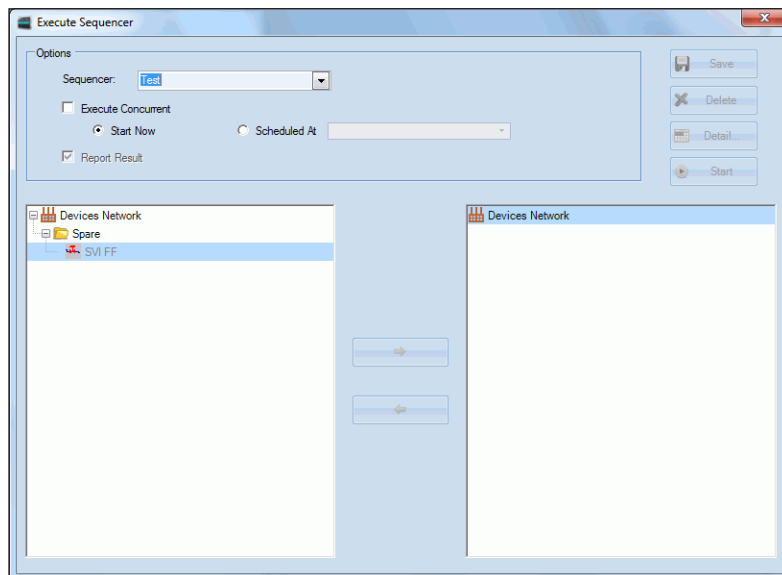


Figure 106 - Execute Sequencer

Run a Sequencer


CAUTION



The sequencer should **NOT** be used when a procedure (e.g. Find Stops, Auto Tune, Step Test, Ramp Test, Signature) is running in the DTM.

When a sequencer is running and the DTM is opened, DTM will not poll dynamic parameters from device. The DTM trending and dynamic parameters on UI will stop updating.

Use this dialog to run the sequencer.

- *Status* column icons indicate whether a test is proceeding (green) or failed (red).
 - *Progress* column lists messages related to the individual task.
 - *Result* column displays the individual task result.
1. Use the *Sequencer* pulldown to either select:
 - An existing sequence. Proceed to step 2.
 - Click **Create New Sequencer**. Refer to [“Add a New Sequence”](#) on page 116 for instructions.
 2. Click  and the Preview Sequencer dialog appears.
 3. Click the checkbox to the left of each device for execution.

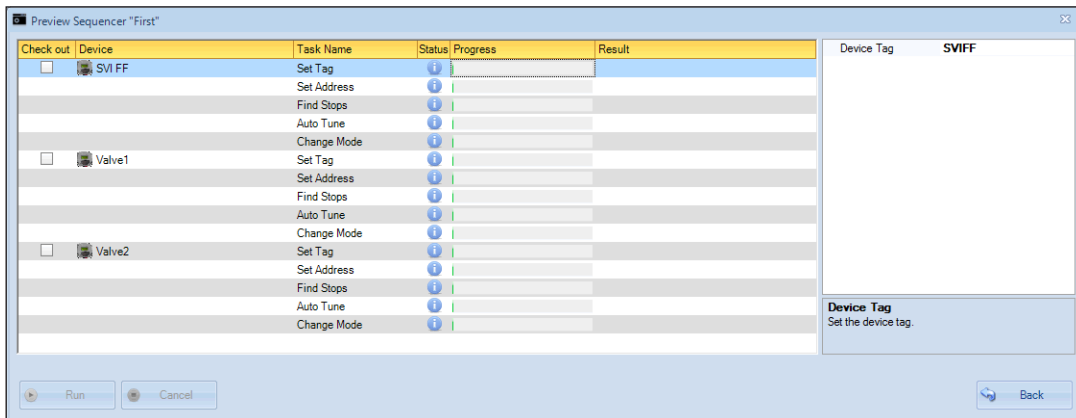



Figure 107 - Preview Sequencer

4. Click **Execute Concurrent** to execute sequences on different devices concurrently.

5. Click either:

- **Start Now:** To commence the test as soon as  is clicked.
- **Scheduled At:** Use the pulldown to set the date on the calendar and enter the time in the fields to the date's right.

6. Use the right and left arrows to add/subtract all or individual items or parent and child items together to the pane on the right for execution.

7. Click  and the items are executed.

Detail

Click  and the *Preview Sequencer* dialog appears.

Sequencer Execution Report

This Sequencer Execution Report includes:

- The report title includes *Sequence Name*, *Task Count* and the *User*.
- *Device Info* lists the device information and the task execution summary.
- *Task Execution Summary* lists the tasks by *Check out* item, including timestamps and completion status.
- *Task Execution Details* lists the results with configured tasks and input parameters and errors/results.
- *Configuration*: Details the device configuration.

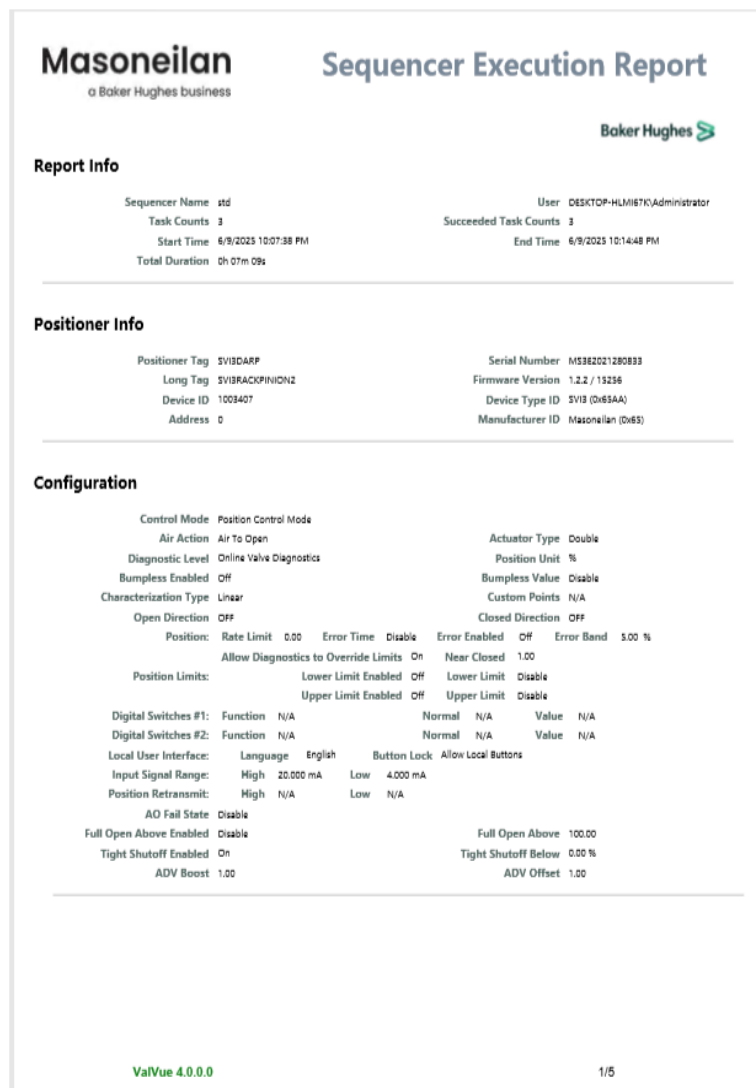


Figure 108 - Sequencer Execution Report

Sequencer Execution Management

Use this dialog to view a listing of all sequencer executions (*All* tab), sequencer executions that have been run (*History* tab) and those that have just been scheduled (*Scheduled* tab), but not executed. Additionally, you can use the filtering functionality to sort and present only data of interest.

There are two ways in which a sequencer execution is saved in the database:

- If a sequencer is executed, the result of the sequencer is saved under *History*.
- If a sequencer is scheduled to run, the input parameters for the sequencer are saved as *Scheduled* sequencer execution.

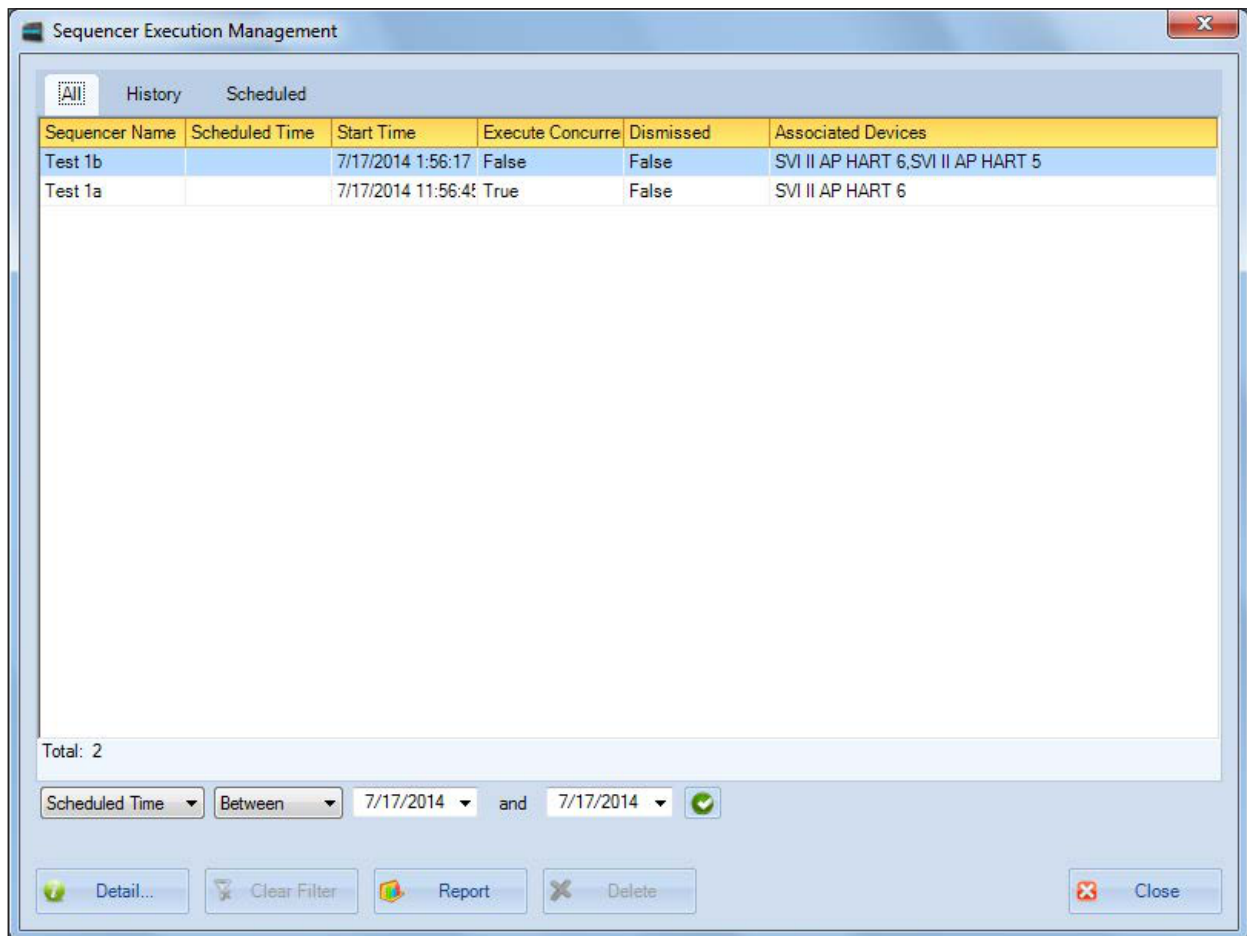
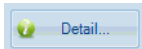


Figure 109 - Sequencer Execution Management

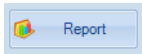
Fields

<i>Sequencer Name</i>	Lists the name of the sequencer as created using “ Sequencer Management ” on page 115.
<i>Scheduled Time</i>	Lists the time that the sequence originally was scheduled to run. This field is empty if the sequencer was run without being scheduled.
<i>Start Time</i>	Lists the time that the sequence originally was run, scheduled or otherwise.
<i>Execute Concurrent</i>	Lists whether the sequencer was run concurrently with another sequencer.
<i>Dismissed</i>	Lists whether the sequencer was complete or dismissed due to failure or user intervention.
<i>Associated Devices</i>	Lists all the devices used during the sequencer run.
<i>Filtering Operations</i>	Use the filtering features on a tab-by-tab basis to present only the data of specific interest. See “ Filter Events ” on page 129.



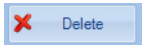
Opens the *Execute Sequencer* details dialog for each sequencer as selected.

Detail button



Opens a report for the selected *Sequencer Name*. This report is in pdf and can be printed or saved as a Word or Excel file. If a report for selected sequencer does not exist, ValVue 3 loads test results from the database and generates a new report.

Report button



Deletes the selected *Sequencer Name*.

Delete button

Filter Events

You can filter event types or date range. Once filtered, the filter conditions appear in red text at the bottom of the filtered list.

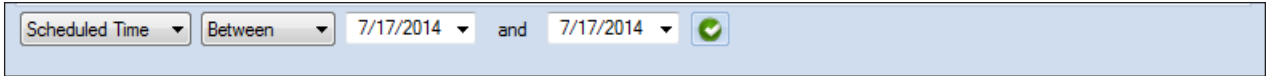



Figure 110 - Filtered Conditions Parameters for Sequencer Management

1. Use the event type pulldown to select:
 - **Scheduled Time**
 - **Start Time**
 - **Sequencer Name**
2. Configure the filter conditions. For:
 - **Between:** Use the two Between dates to set the date range, if required.
 - **Sequencer Name:**
 - a. Use the pulldown to select:
 - Equals:** Indicates search for an exact string
 - Contains:** Indicates search for a string with the enter data anywhere
 - isNull:** Indicates search for an empty entry
 - b. Enter text.
3. Click 

NOTE



Use  to remove the filter conditions from the dialog.

Valve Data Management

This section discusses the capabilities to associate a positioner with a valve and in doing so associate, view and analyze test data for that valve.



When using the right-click menu in the topology pane, you access functionality that depends on the whether you access the field network level, communications DTM level or device level.

Valve Management

Use this window to:

- Add a valve by importing its data from View a ValvStream generated PDF or by entering data manually (“[Add a Valve](#)”). For a full discussion of all valve fields, refer to the ValvStream documentation.
- Edit data for an existing valve in the database (“[Edit a Valve](#)”).
- Delete a valve from the database (“[Delete a Valve](#)”).
- Filter valves displayed using serial number, valve tag and model numbers (“[Filter Displayed Valves](#)”).

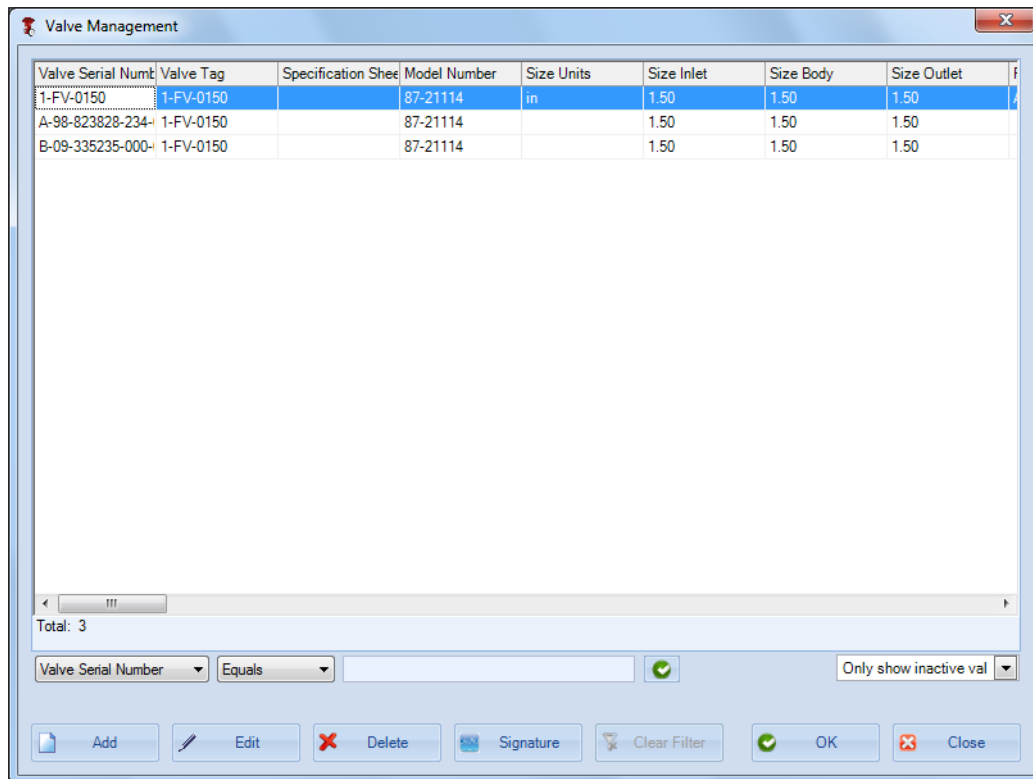


Figure 111 - Valve Management

Add a Valve

Use this window to add a valve to the database. It is then available to add to the topology and be assigned to a positioner. This can then be used to generate, save and view test signatures.

In using the *Valve Management* window you can effectively create a template for a valve. This is useful if you facility has many valves of the same type.

Information can be extracted from ValvStream pdfs and also, for later versions of ValvStream using a QR or barcode reader, or manually. ValVue now supports using QR code scanner to import valve spec data only.

NOTE



Only ValvStream generated pdfs are usable. Pdfs created from scanned material are not readable.

To add a valve:



1. Select **Tools > Valve Data Management > Valve Management** and the *Valve Management* window appears.
2. Click  **Add** and Figure 112 window appears.

Figure 112 - Valve Details

There are several means for adding information into the *Valve Details* window, which include:

- Inputting information directly or editing information that was imported. To input data directly: click on one of the labels, for example, *Identity* and a sub-dialog for that data appears (Figure 113).

Enter the data and click  .

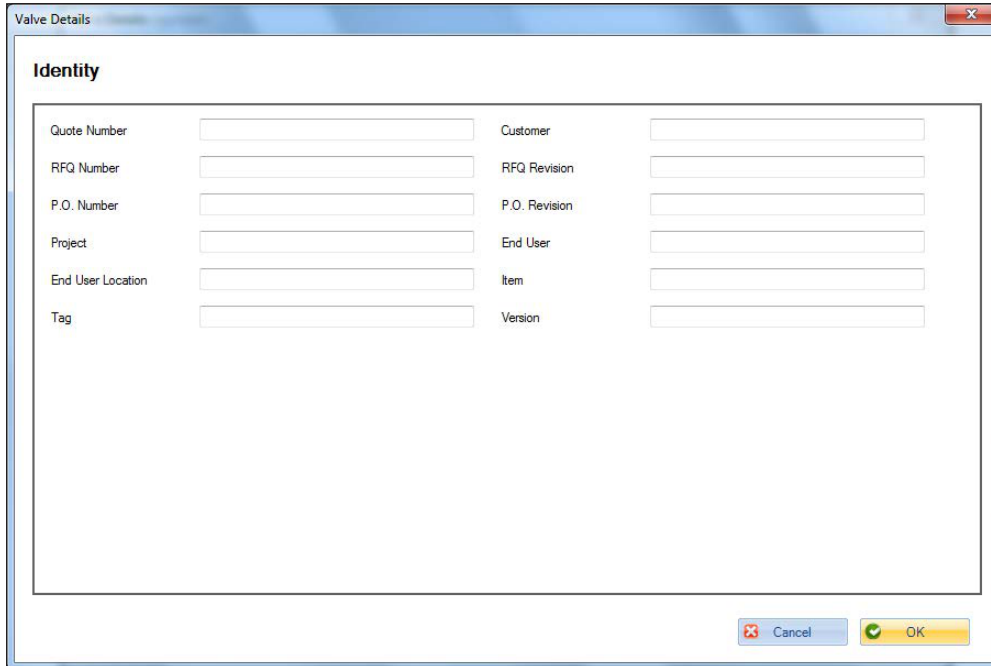


Figure 113 - Identity Sub-Dialog

- Alternately, you can scan QR codes for each of the areas represented on the *Valve Details* dialog. To scan, place a cursor in the field in the upper right side of the dialog. As data is scanned for each QR code, the data scrolls through this area.
3. Figure 114 reappears with all fields populated except *Serial Number*. On this dialog areas with data populated are green-shaded.



Figure 114 - Valve Details Populated

4. Enter a *Serial Number* and ensure that all the required fields are completed. Not all fields are required.

There are two *Serial Number* fields:

- *Baker Hughes Format*: You can enter the Baker Hughes specific serial number.
- *Free Format*: Is populated with free format data manually or by QR code scan - even if in *Baker Hughes Format*.

5. Click  Save .

Edit a Valve

Use this window to edit a valve. It is then available to add to the topology and be assigned to a positioner.

To edit a valve:



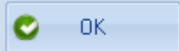
1. Select **Tools> Valve Data Management > Valve Management** and the *Valve Management* window appears. See [“Filter Displayed Valves”](#) on page 137 for a description on filtering operations.
2. Select a valve.
3. Click  Edit and Figure 115 appears.

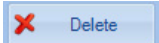


Figure 115 - Valve Details


4. Edit fields as necessary and click  . Not all fields are required.
5. Click  and the *Valve Management* window reappears.

Delete a Valve

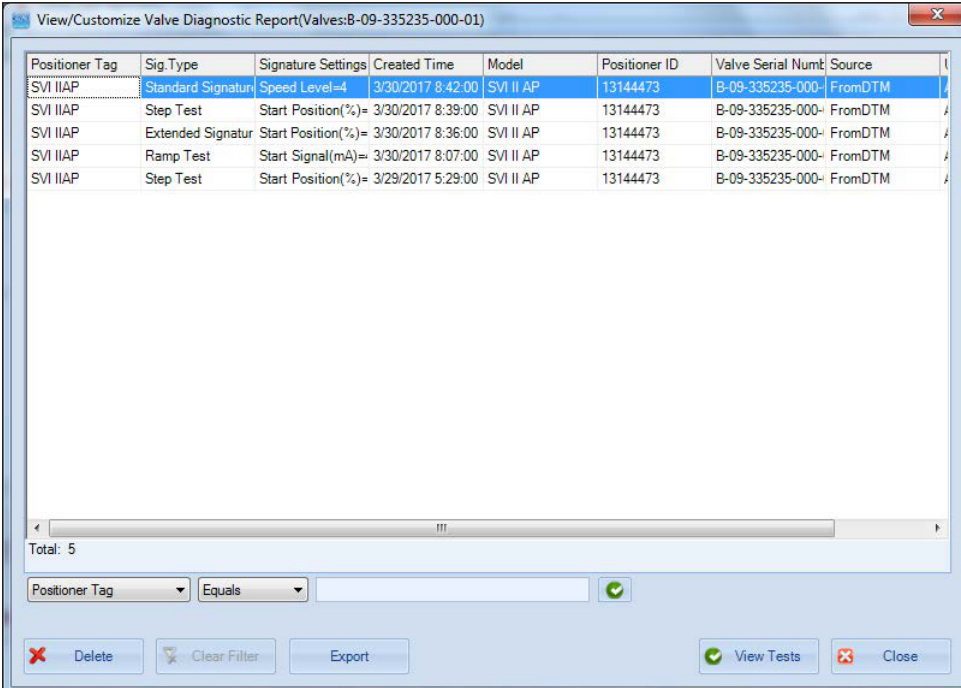
Once you delete a valve, all valve data (test signatures, etc.) are deleted as well and is un-retrievable. Save this data before valve deletion. To delete a valve:

1. Select **Tools> Valve Data Management > Valve Management** and the *Valve Management* window appears. See [“Filter Displayed Valves”](#) on page 137 for a description on filtering operations.
2. Select a valve and click  .

Signatures

1. Select **Tools> Valve Data Management > Valve Management** and the *Valve Management* window appears.
2. Select a valve, click  and Figure 116 appears with all the signatures in the target directory.

The signature history displayed is for the selected valve. This valve is identified by the valve serial number.



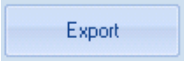
Positioner Tag	Sig. Type	Signature Settings	Created Time	Model	Positioner ID	Valve Serial Num	Source
SVI II AP	Standard Signature	Speed Level=4	3/30/2017 8:42:00	SVI II AP	13144473	B-09-335235-000-	FromDTM
SVI II AP	Step Test	Start Position(%)=	3/30/2017 8:39:00	SVI II AP	13144473	B-09-335235-000-	FromDTM
SVI II AP	Extended Signatur	Start Position(%)=	3/30/2017 8:36:00	SVI II AP	13144473	B-09-335235-000-	FromDTM
SVI II AP	Ramp Test	Start Signal(mA)=	3/30/2017 8:07:00	SVI II AP	13144473	B-09-335235-000-	FromDTM
SVI II AP	Step Test	Start Position(%)=	3/29/2017 5:29:00	SVI II AP	13144473	B-09-335235-000-	FromDTM

Total: 5

Positioner Tag: [dropdown] Equals [dropdown] [input] [checkmark]

[Delete] [Clear Filter] [Export] [View Tests] [Close]

Figure 116 - View Signature History

3. Select as many as required, click  and a Save As dialog appears.

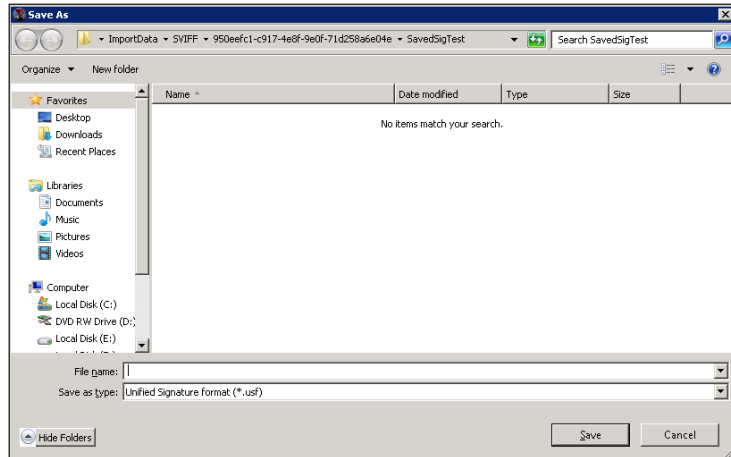


Figure 117 - Export Signatures

4. Enter a *Filename*, navigate to the directory where signatures are stored, and click **Save**.

Filter Displayed Valves

Use this feature to limit the number of valves appearing in the *Valve Management* window. This useful in installations where there are a large volume of valve installs.



NOTE *The pulldown allows you to filter the signatures shown by: Show all valves, Only show active valves, or Only show inactive valves.*

1. Select **Tools > Valve Data Management > Valve Management** and the *Valve Management* window appears.

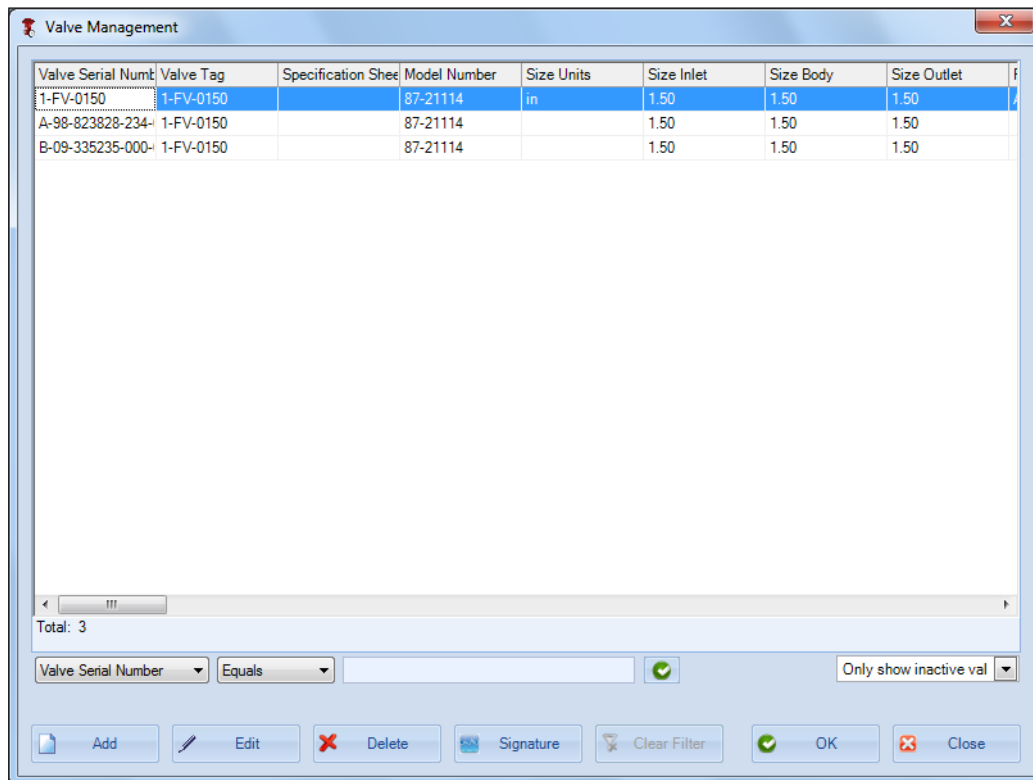

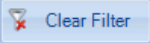


Figure 118 - Valve Management

2. Use the leftmost pulldown to select either:
 - **Valve Serial Number**
 - **Valve Tag**
 - **Model Number**

3. Use the operator pulldown to select either:
 - Equals:** Indicates search for an exact string
 - Contains:** Indicates search for a string with the enter data anywhere
 - isNull:** Indicates search for an empty entry
4. Enter a string in the associated text field.
5. Click the green check  and the filter conditions are applied to the valve list.
Click  and the filter conditions are applied.

Signature Management

Use this feature to view a list of signatures, filter the list, import and export signatures and delete signatures. This dialog offers sorting via all column heads. You can:

NOTE



A .usf file combines multiple test data, for multiple positioners/ valves into one file,

- Export and import signatures.
- Delete signatures. Deletes the signatures from the database.
- Filter signatures displayed using *Positioner Tag, Sig. Type, Valve Serial Number, Created Time, Model, Positioner ID, User Name, and Source* ([“Filter Signatures”](#) on page 152).
- View signature data in a viewer where the results can be compared with other results ([“View Diagnostic and Report”](#) on page 140).

NOTE



ValVue introduces enhanced friction calculations for the Standard Signature test. These enhancements amount to friction calculations where comparing tests done with earlier versions may show differences in precision.

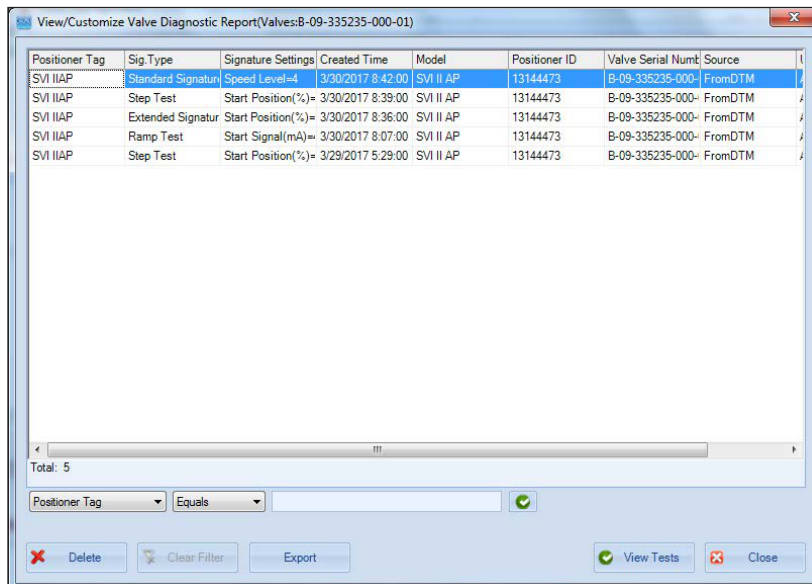
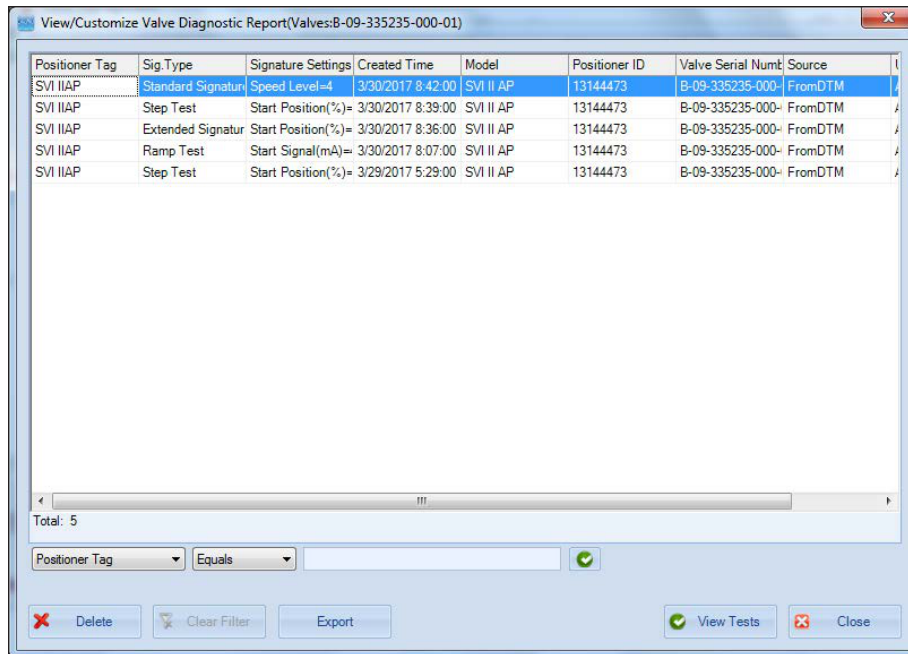


Figure 119 - View Signature History

View Diagnostic and Report

Use this feature to view a test result, view multiple test results and overlay test results for comparison. One pane appears for each test type and if multiple tests of one type are selected they appear together in that test pane.

- 1 Select **Tools > Valve Data Management > Signature Management** and the *View Signature History* window appears.




The screenshot shows a software window titled "View/Customize Valve Diagnostic Report(Valves:B-09-335235-000-01)". It contains a table with the following data:

Positioner Tag	Sig. Type	Signature Settings	Created Time	Model	Positioner ID	Valve Serial Num	Source
SVI II AP	Standard Signature	Speed Level=4	3/30/2017 8:42:00	SVI II AP	13144473	B-09-335235-000-	FromDTM
SVI II AP	Step Test	Start Position(%)=	3/30/2017 8:39:00	SVI II AP	13144473	B-09-335235-000-	FromDTM
SVI II AP	Extended Signatur	Start Position(%)=	3/30/2017 8:36:00	SVI II AP	13144473	B-09-335235-000-	FromDTM
SVI II AP	Ramp Test	Start Signal(mA)=	3/30/2017 8:07:00	SVI II AP	13144473	B-09-335235-000-	FromDTM
SVI II AP	Step Test	Start Position(%)=	3/29/2017 5:29:00	SVI II AP	13144473	B-09-335235-000-	FromDTM

Below the table, there is a scroll bar and a "Total: 5" indicator. At the bottom, there are several controls: a "Positioner Tag" dropdown menu, a filter type dropdown set to "Equals", a search input field, and a green checkmark icon. On the left side, there are buttons for "Delete" (with a red X icon), "Clear Filter" (with a trash icon), and "Export". On the right side, there are buttons for "View Tests" (with a green checkmark icon) and "Close" (with a red X icon).

Figure 120 - View/Customize Valve Diagnostic Report

To view signatures:

- Select a signature or multiple signatures, click  and Figure 121 appears.

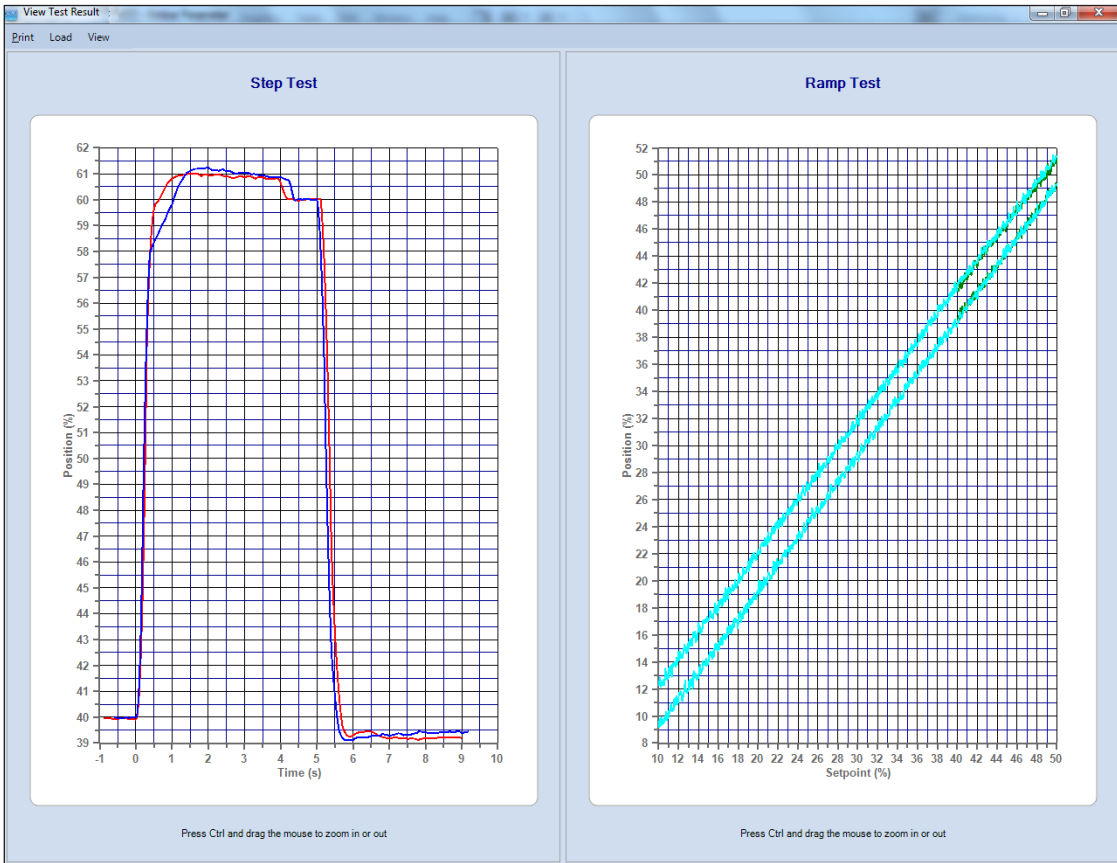


Figure 121 - View Signature Data

This window has various functionalities that are explained in the [Table 4](#) and the [Table 5](#) tables. Additionally, if you mouse-hover of a particular test graph line, a tooltip dialog appears containing the data for that point.

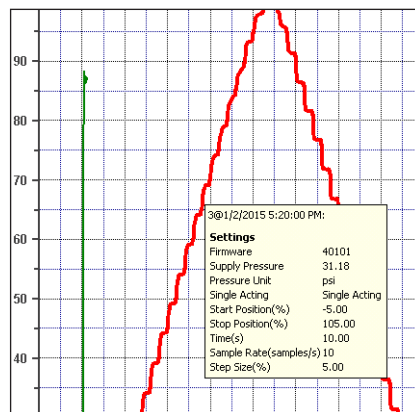


Figure 122 - View Signature Data Tooltip

Table 4 - View Signature Data Menus

Item	Description
Print	
<i>View Valve Report</i>	Open the <i>Report Settings</i> dialog to choose the items that will display in the valve report. Then preview the valve report.
<i>Print</i>	Open the <i>Report Settings</i> dialog to choose the items that will display in the valve report. Then generate a valve report. Printing Report is not supported if selected tests include multiple valves and multiple positioners.
<i>Exit</i>	Closes the dialog.
Load	
<i>Load Test Data</i>	Opens the <i>View/View Customize Valve Diagnostic Report</i> window from which you can add more signatures to the viewer.
View	Consists of one checkbox for each test type (<i>Step Test, Ramp Test, Standard Actuator Signature, Extended Actuator Signature</i>) to toggle the test on or off on the display.

Table 5 - View Signature Data Right-click Menus

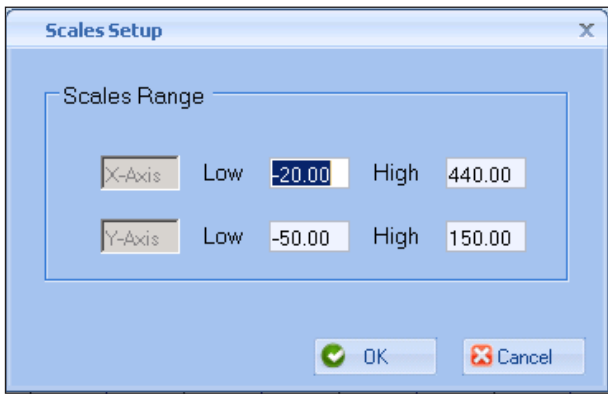
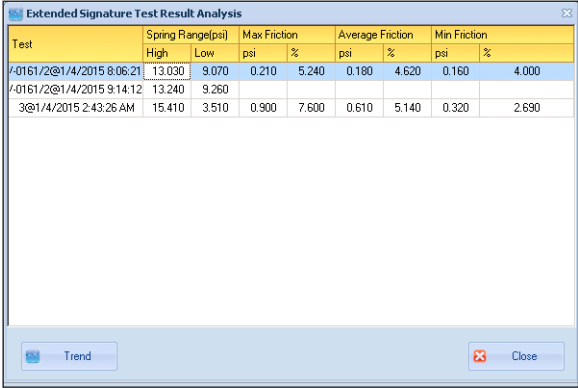
Item	Description
<i>Print Graph</i>	Prints the graphs to the default printer.
<i>Scales Setup</i>	<p>Opens this dialog to upper and lower ranges for the scale for each graph. The test type dictates what range is available based on whether it is for pressure, time, etc.</p> 
<i>Show Legend</i>	Adds a legend for the curves based on the test type and how many individual tests are represented.
<i>Show Data Points</i>	Adds data points to each test result for a graph.
<i>Show Setpoints</i>	Adds setpoints to the display for a <i>Step Test</i> only.
<i>Grid Line</i>	Adds or formats each graph grid line. Choices are: <i>Solid, Dot or None</i> .

Table 5 - View Signature Data Right-click Menus (Continued)

Item	Description																																												
<i>Result Analysis</i>	<p>Opens the <i>Test Result Analysis</i> dialog. This dialog has content based on the test type and accesses a <i>Trend</i> display. See “Test Results Analysis and Trend Dialogs” on page 145.</p>  <table border="1" data-bbox="724 457 1305 842"> <thead> <tr> <th rowspan="2">Test</th> <th colspan="2">Spring Range (psi)</th> <th colspan="2">Max Friction</th> <th colspan="2">Average Friction</th> <th colspan="2">Min Friction</th> </tr> <tr> <th>High</th> <th>Low</th> <th>psi</th> <th>%</th> <th>psi</th> <th>%</th> <th>psi</th> <th>%</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>F-0161/2@1/4/2015 8:06:21</td> <td>13.030</td> <td>9.070</td> <td>0.210</td> <td>5.240</td> <td>0.180</td> <td>4.620</td> <td>0.160</td> <td>4.000</td> </tr> <tr> <td>F-0161/2@1/4/2015 9:14:12</td> <td>13.240</td> <td>9.260</td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>3@1/4/2015 2:43:26 AM</td> <td>15.410</td> <td>3.510</td> <td>0.900</td> <td>7.600</td> <td>0.610</td> <td>5.140</td> <td>0.320</td> <td>2.690</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Test	Spring Range (psi)		Max Friction		Average Friction		Min Friction		High	Low	psi	%	psi	%	psi	%	F-0161/2@1/4/2015 8:06:21	13.030	9.070	0.210	5.240	0.180	4.620	0.160	4.000	F-0161/2@1/4/2015 9:14:12	13.240	9.260							3@1/4/2015 2:43:26 AM	15.410	3.510	0.900	7.600	0.610	5.140	0.320	2.690
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<i>Hide This Graph</i>	Hides the selected graph. Once hidden you can retrieve the graph using the <i>View</i> menu.																																												
<i>Show This Graph Only</i>	Leaves only the selected graph. displayed.																																												
<i>Zoom Out</i>	This item is activated once you change the graph scale in the graph setup.																																												
<i>Remove Selected Curve</i>	Removes the selected curve from the graph.																																												
<i>Export to Excel</i>	Opens a <i>Save As</i> dialog to export the data for the displayed items to an .xls file.																																												

Test Results Analysis and Trend Dialogs

The data that appears depends on the test type. Each test type dialog is shown below.

Test	Spring Range(psi)		Max Friction		Average Friction		Min Friction	
	High	Low	psi	%	psi	%	psi	%
1-0161/2@1/4/2015 8:06:21	13.030	9.070	0.210	5.240	0.180	4.620	0.160	4.000
1-0161/2@1/4/2015 9:14:12	13.240	9.260						
3@1/4/2015 2:43:26 AM	15.410	3.510	0.900	7.600	0.610	5.140	0.320	2.690

Figure 123 - Extended Signature Test Results Analysis

Test	Hysteresis + Deadband(%)			Error(%)		
	Max	Min	Average	Max	Min	Average
1-FV-0203@1/4/2015 2:47:31 AM	4.266	1.312	2.653	2.887	0.000	1.302
Up				1.447	0.000	0.730
Down				2.887	1.007	1.873

Figure 124 - Ramp Test Results Analysis

Test Results Analysis and Trend Dialogs

The data that appears depends on the test type. Each test type dialog is shown below.

Test	Spring Range(psi)		Max Friction		Average Friction		Min Friction	
	High	Low	psi	%	psi	%	psi	%
V-0180@4/22/2015 3:29:48	20.650	2.810	0.680	3.800	0.630	3.540	0.590	3.280

Figure 125 - Standard Signature Test Results Analysis

Test	Overshoot(%)	Average Error(%)	T86(s)	T63(s)	Td(s)
1-FV-0180@1/4					
Step 1	-1.690	3.070	0.750	0.540	0.100
Max	-1.690	3.070	0.750	0.540	0.100
Min	-1.690	3.070	0.750	0.540	0.100
Average	-1.690	3.070	0.750	0.540	0.100
3@1/2/2015 5:					
Step 1	-0.800	0.100	-0.900	-0.900	0.000
Step 2	78.200	3.890	-0.900	-0.900	0.000
Step 3	5.800	0.180	2.700	2.000	0.000
Step 4	-26.600	1.350	9.000	2.100	0.400
Step 5	-20.000	1.010	9.000	1.600	0.300
Step 6	-11.800	0.610	6.600	1.400	0.000
Step 7	-12.600	0.640	6.900	1.400	0.200
Step 8	-15.600	0.780	9.000	1.600	0.100
Step 9	-14.200	0.730	9.000	1.600	0.100

Figure 126 - Step Test Results Analysis

Click to access an associated *Trend* dialog. Each dialog appears below. The tabs that appear are test-dependent. The function of the right-click menu options are given in Table 6.

Table 6 - Historical Trend Right-click Menu

Item	Description
<i>Print Graph</i>	Prints the graphs to the default printer.
<i>Show Legend</i>	Adds a legend for the curves based on the test type and how many individual tests are represented.
<i>Show Data Point</i>	Adds data points to each test result for a graph.

Table 6 - Historical Trend Right-click Menu (Continued)

Item	Description
<i>Grid Line</i>	Adds or formats each graph grid line. Choices are: <i>Solid, Dot</i> or <i>None</i> .
<i>Trend</i>	Removes or adds a selected curve: <i>Max, Min</i> and <i>Average</i> .

The Ramp Test Results Historical Trend has the following tabs:

- *Hysteresis + Deadband*
- *Error*

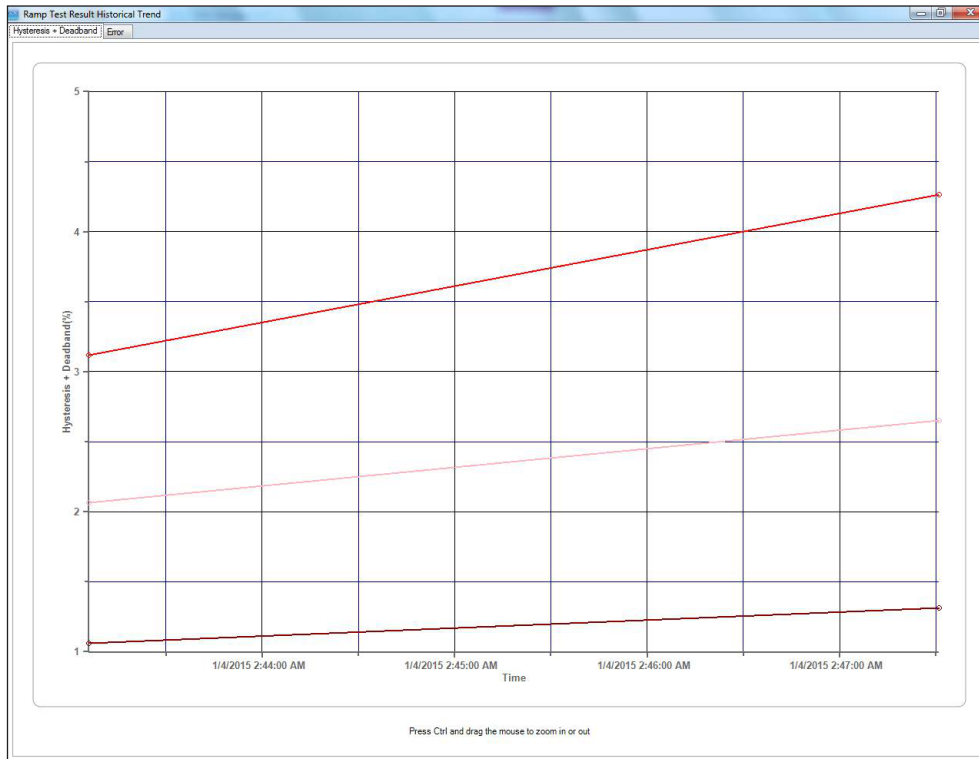


Figure 127 - Ramp Test Results Historical Trend

The Step Test Results Historical Trend has the following tabs:

- *Overshoot*
- *Average Error*
- *T86*
- *T63*
- *Td*

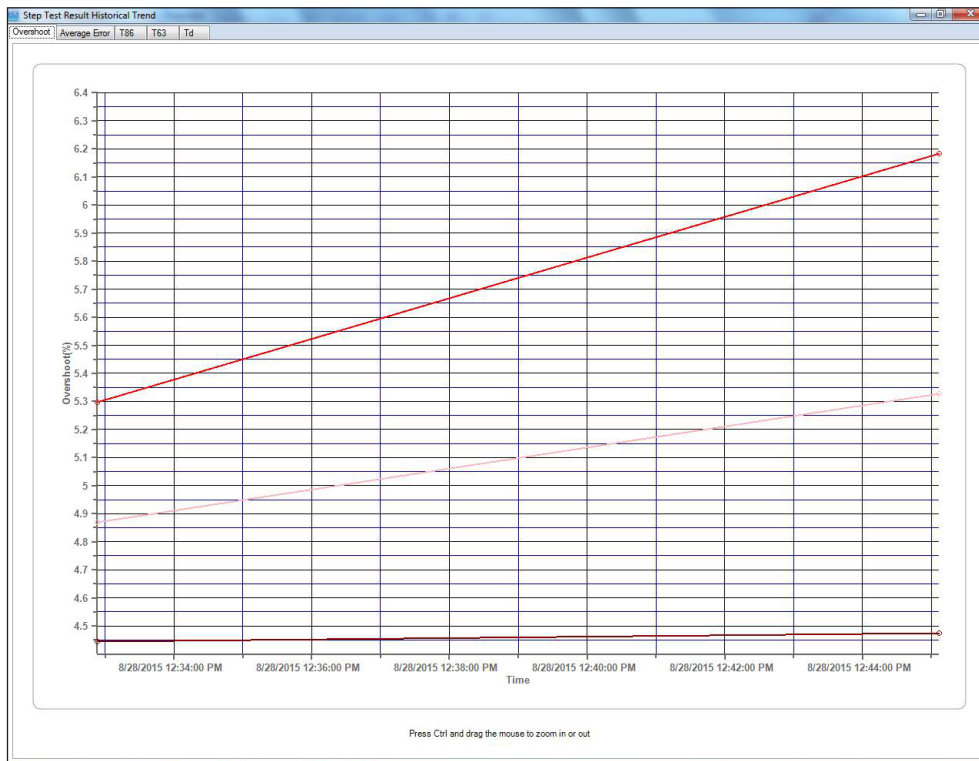


Figure 128 - Step Test Results Historical Trend

The Standard Signature Test Results Historical Trend has the following tabs:

- *Spring Range*
- *Friction %*
- *Friction*

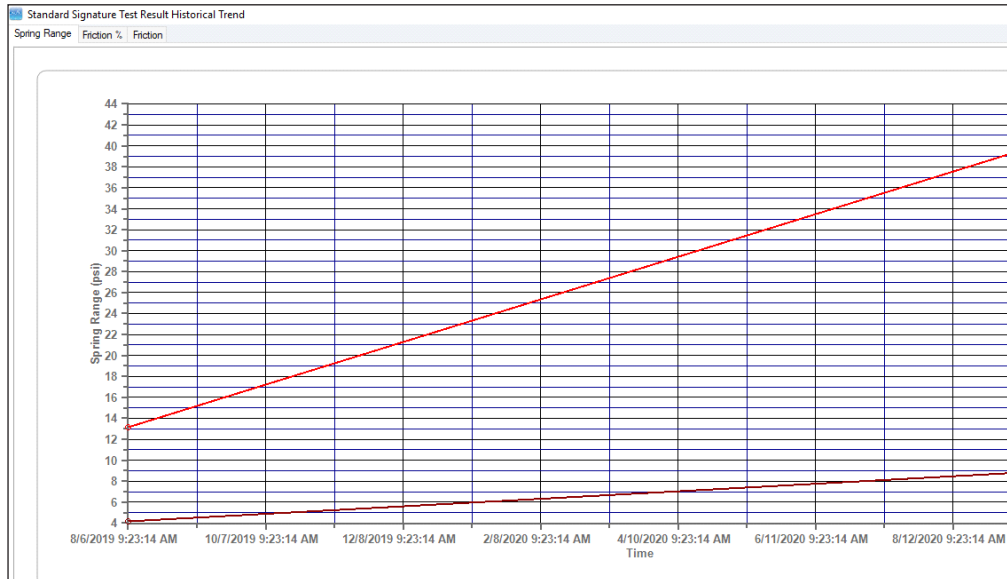


Figure 129 - Standard Signature Test Results Historical Trend

The Extended Signature Test Results Historical Trend has the following tabs:

- *Spring Range*
- *Friction %*
- *Friction*

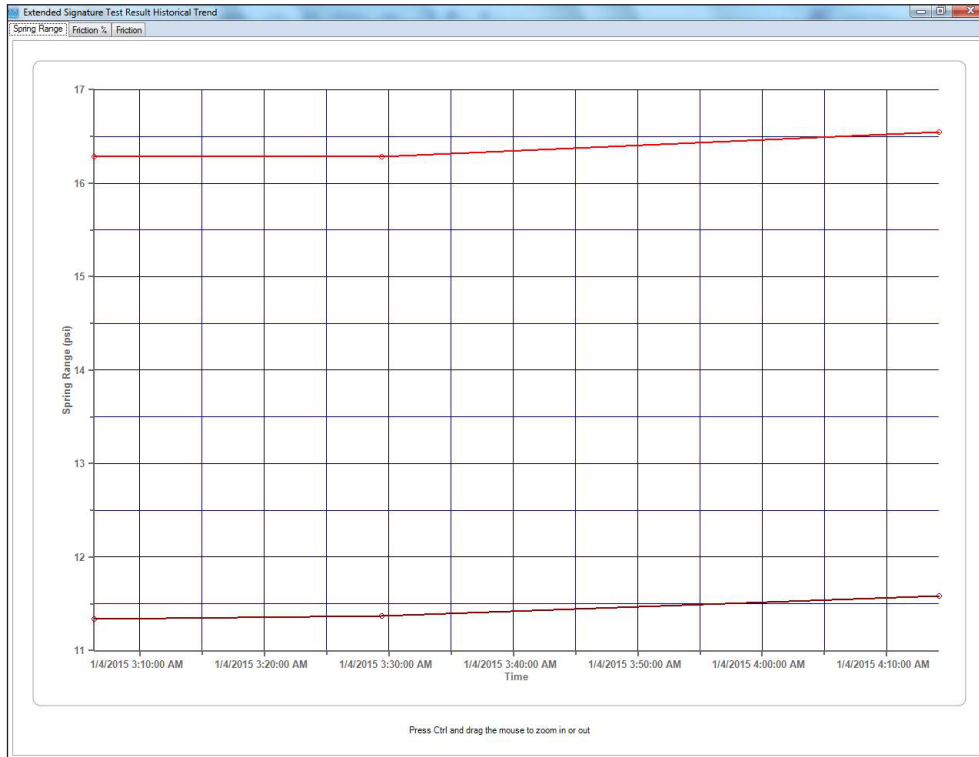


Figure 130 - Extended Signature Test Results Historical Trend

Export Signatures

To export signatures for use on another system:

1. Select a signature or signatures for export. Click



and a Save As dialog appears.

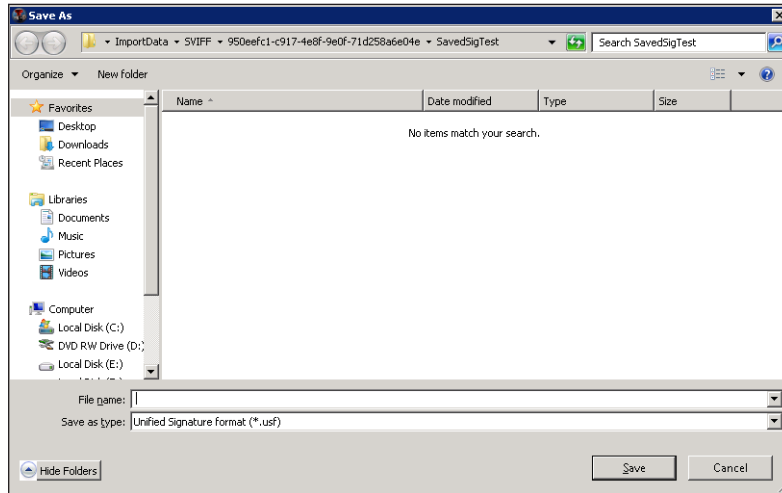


Figure 131 - Export Signatures

2. Enter a *Filename*, navigate to the directory where signatures are stored, and click **Save**. If you selected multiple signatures this coalesces them into one file.

Import Signatures

To export signatures for use on another system:

1. Click  and an *Open* dialog appears.

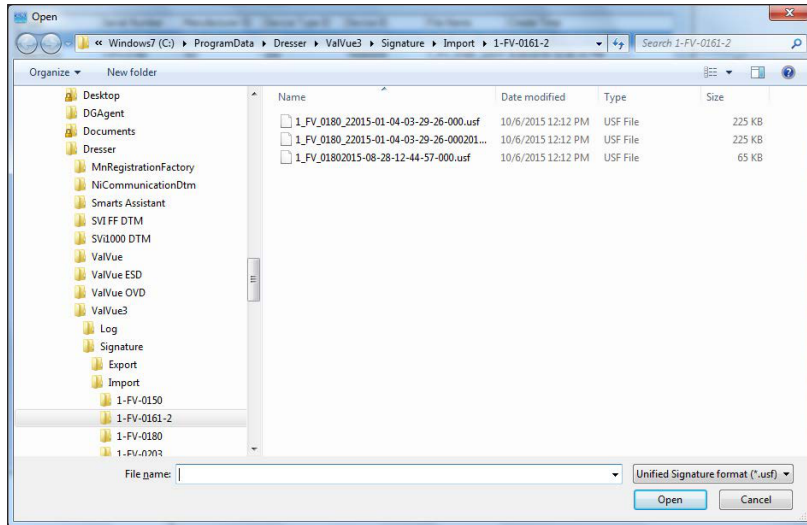
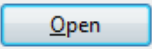

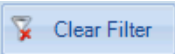


Figure 132 - Import Signatures

2. Navigate to the directory where signatures are stored, select a file and click  .
The signatures appear the Select Signature to Report window for use in reports.

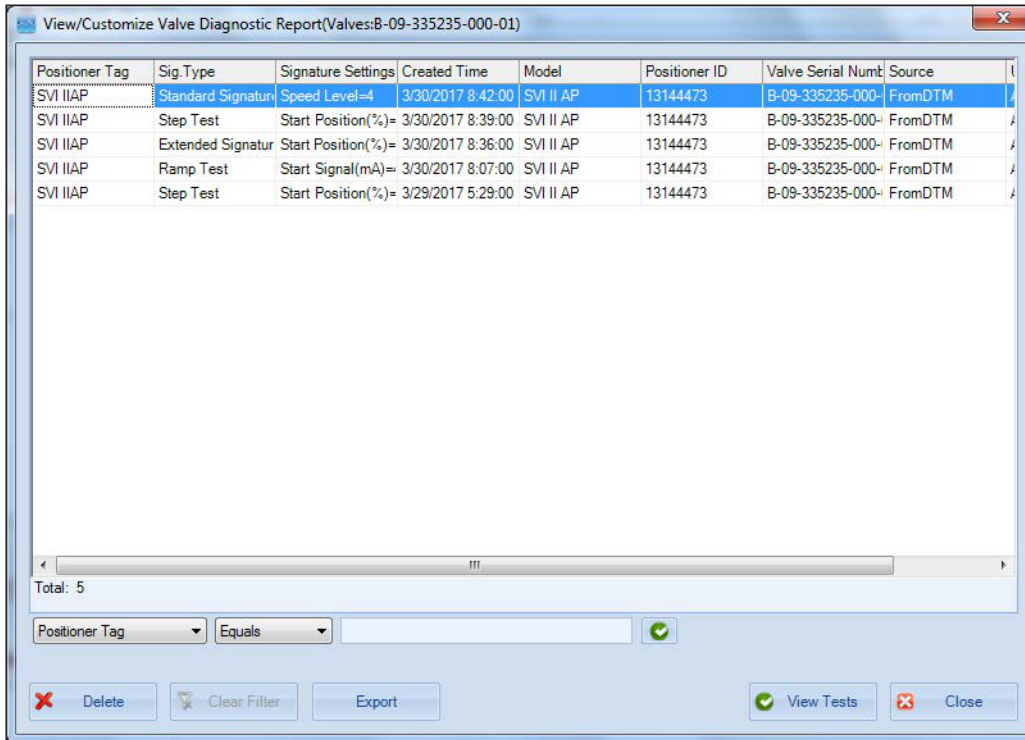
Filter Signatures

Use this feature to filter signatures appearing on the *Select Signature to Report* dialog. Filter signatures displayed using *Positioner Tag*, *Sig. Type*, *Valve Serial Number*, *Created Time*, *Model*, *Positioner ID*, *User Name*, and *Source*. To filter signatures:

1. Use the leftmost pulldown to select an option:
2. Use the operator pulldown to select either:
 - **Equals**: Indicates search for an exact string
 - **Contains**: Indicates search for a string with the enter data anywhere
 - **isNull**: Indicates search for an empty entry
3. Enter a string in the associated text field.
4. Click the green check  and the filter conditions are applied to the signatures list.
5. Click  and the filter conditions are applied.

Print

Use this feature to configure the items that appear on the report. This then prepares a pdf for use. You must have the signature associated with a valve to do this (see [“Valve Management”](#) on page 130). If test data selection includes multiple valves, multiple valve reports will be generated.



The screenshot shows a software window titled "View/Customize Valve Diagnostic Report(Valves:B-09-335235-000-01)". The window contains a table with the following data:

Positioner Tag	Sig.Type	Signature Settings	Created Time	Model	Positioner ID	Valve Serial Num	Source
SVI IIAP	Standard Signatur	Speed Level=4	3/30/2017 8:42:00	SVI II AP	13144473	B-09-335235-000-	FromDTM
SVI IIAP	Step Test	Start Position(%)=	3/30/2017 8:39:00	SVI II AP	13144473	B-09-335235-000-	FromDTM
SVI IIAP	Extended Signatur	Start Position(%)=	3/30/2017 8:36:00	SVI II AP	13144473	B-09-335235-000-	FromDTM
SVI IIAP	Ramp Test	Start Signal(mA)=	3/30/2017 8:07:00	SVI II AP	13144473	B-09-335235-000-	FromDTM
SVI IIAP	Step Test	Start Position(%)=	3/29/2017 5:29:00	SVI II AP	13144473	B-09-335235-000-	FromDTM

Below the table, there is a "Total: 5" label. At the bottom of the window, there is a filter section with "Positioner Tag" and "Equals" dropdown menus, and a search input field. Below this are buttons for "Delete", "Clear Filter", "Export", "View Tests", and "Close".

Figure 133 - View/Customize Valve Diagnostic Report

To do this:

1. Select the valve in the topology pane, right-click and select **View Diagnostic and Report** and the View/Customize Valve Diagnostic Report window appears.

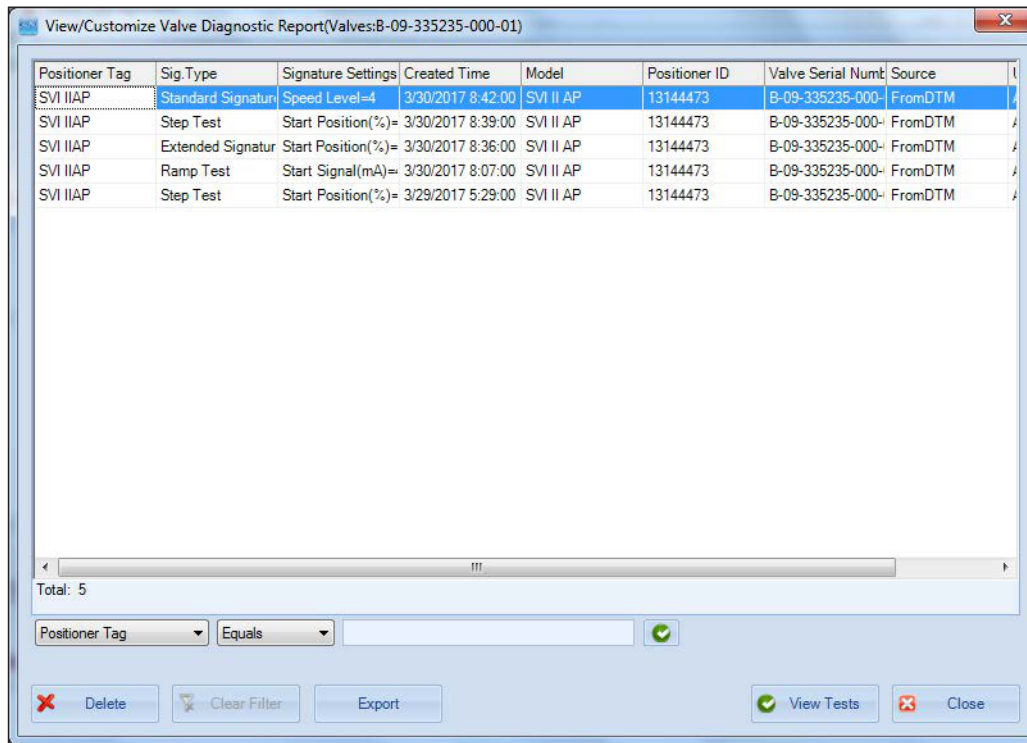


Figure 134 - View/Customize Valve Diagnostic Report

2. Select an item(s) and click **View Report** and the View Signature Data dialog appears.

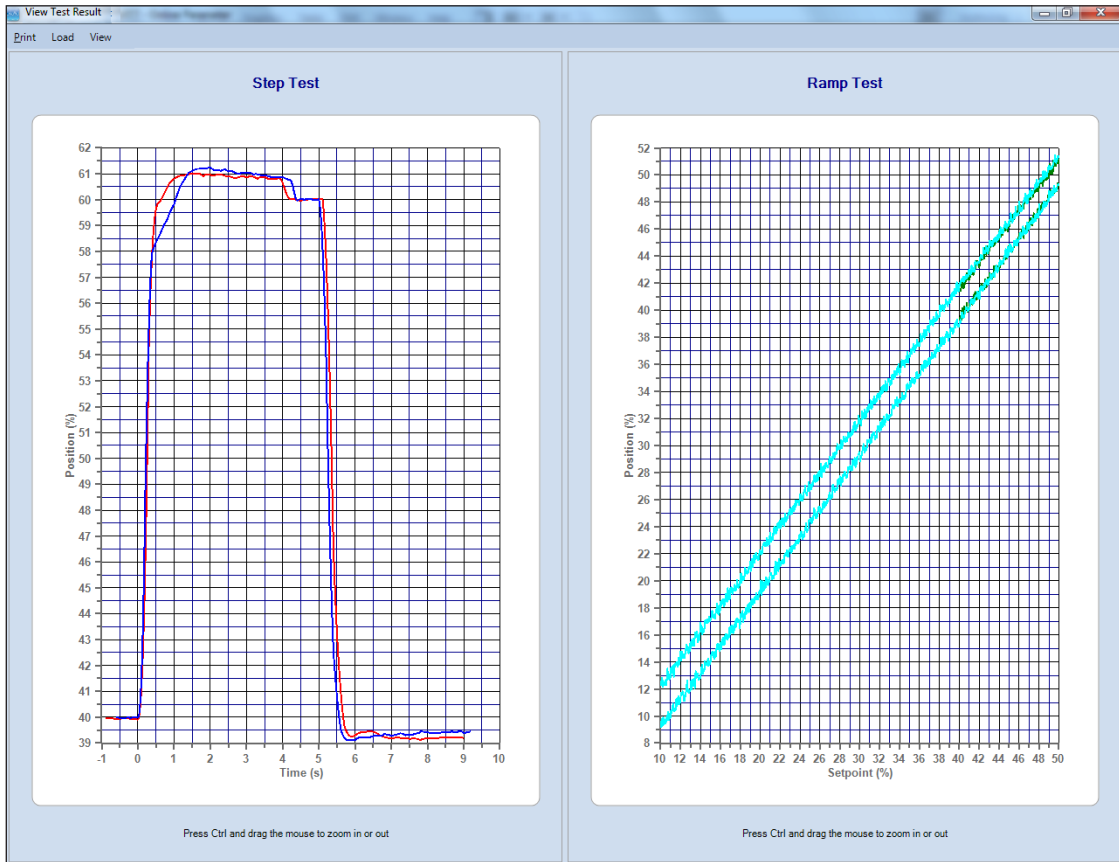


Figure 135 - View Signature Data

3. Select an item/s, click **Print** and the *Report Settings* window appears.

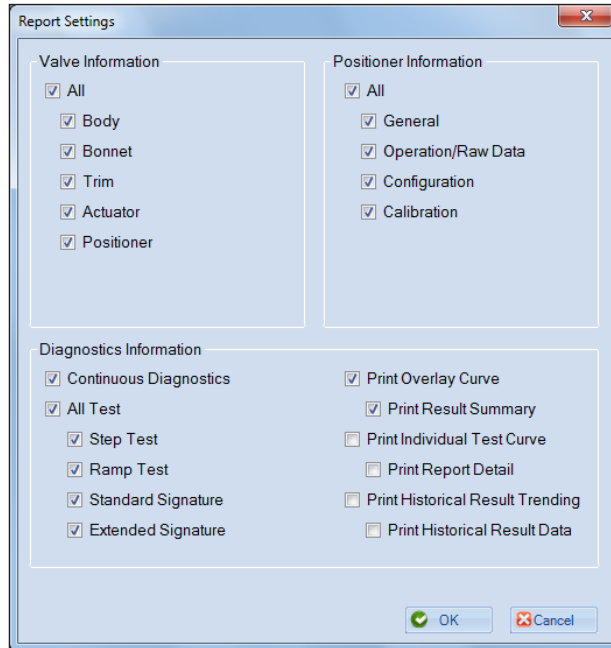


Figure 136 - Report Settings

4. Activate/deactivate checkboxes as required, click  and a dialog appears.

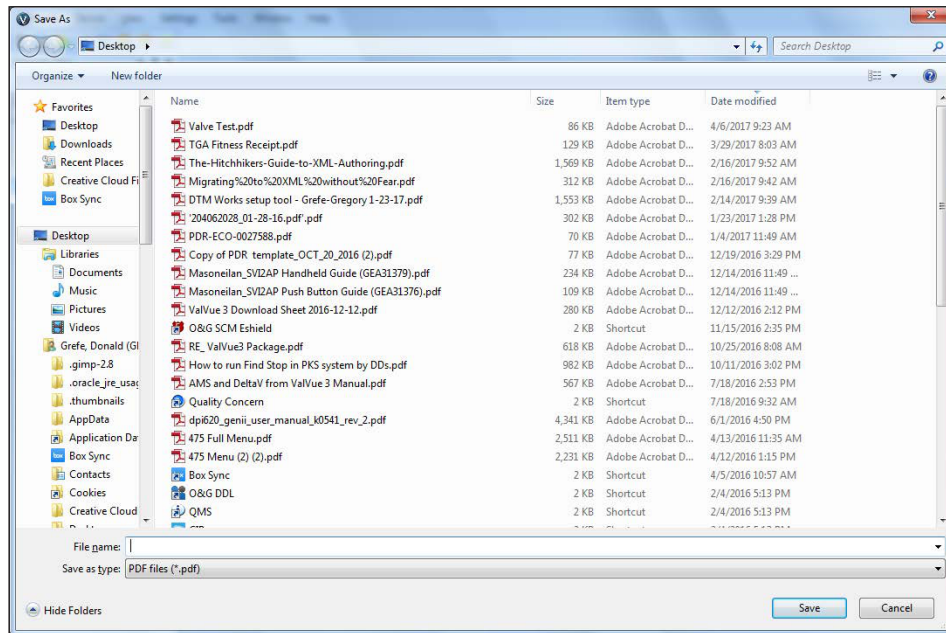


Figure 137 - Save As For Valve Report

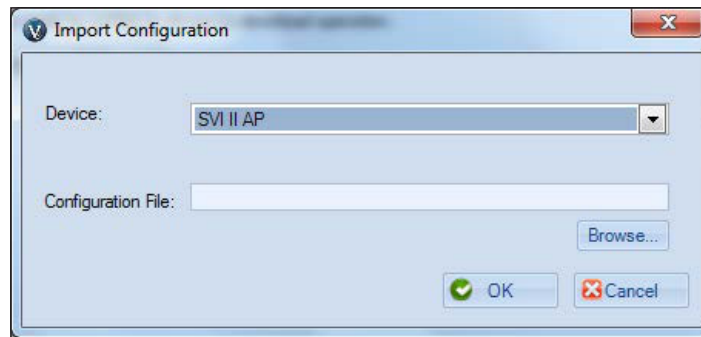
5. Navigate to the required directory, enter a file name for the pdf and click **OK**.

Import Configuration

Use this feature as a quick means to copy an existing configuration and its parameters to another positioner. Data from a ValVue 2.8x positioner can be copied and used on a ValVue positioner of the same type. This feature is for SVI II AP only.

To import a configuration:

1. Click **Tools > Import Configuration** and Import Configuration dialog appears.



2. Click **Browse...** and the Open .dp File dialog appears. The files have an extension, depending on positioner version of *.dp*, *.dp1* or *.dp2*. These files by default are in the *Program Data > Dresser > ValVue > SVI2AP > Data* directory. As the program is used, they may have been placed elsewhere.

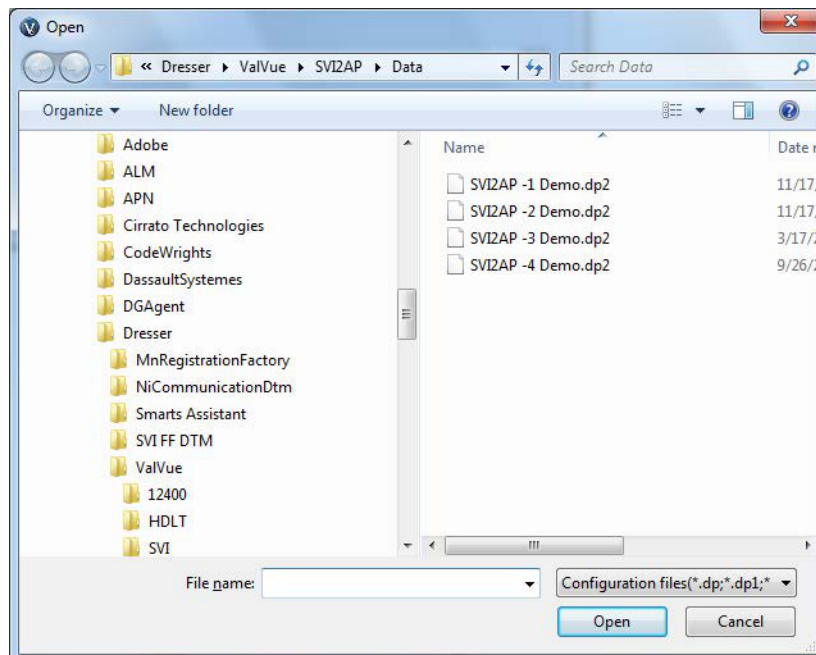


Figure 139 - Open .dp File

3. Navigate to the file, click **Open** and the *Import Configuration* dialog reappears.
4. Click **OK** and, if successful, the Import Configuration Success appears.

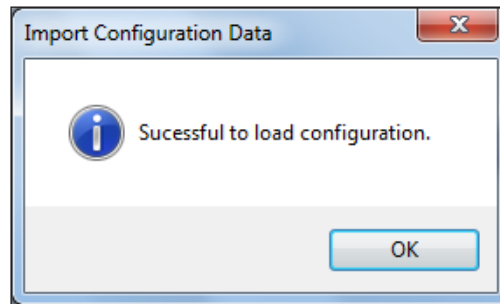


Figure 140 - Import Configuration Success


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10. Window Menu

Use this menu to perform some basic operations on how the software interface appears

Menu Items

AutoHide All

When active () the panes open are minimized to tabs on the sides and/or bottom of the screen. Click an item to reopen it.

Reset Layout

Reset Layout will close all opened device DTM windows, and return ValVue 3 to default layout.

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11. Help Menu

Use this menu to access help functions.

Menu Items

Contents Opens the *ValVue* help document.

About Opens the *About* dialog.



Figure 141 - About

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12. Connect Masoneilan Devices to AMS-DeltaV System and Starting Using ValVue with AMS

You need to download the device DD from <https://valves.bakerhughes.com/resource-center>: You must also have the AMS software installed. Use SVI3 device as an example.

1. Add the SVI3 DD into the AMS system by:
 - a. Launching the *Add Device Type* program located at `\AMS\Bin\` or by clicking **Start Menu** -> **AMS Device Manager** -> **Add Device Type** and [Add Device Type](#) appears.
 - b. Browse to where the SVI3 DD is located and click **OK** to add the *Device Type*.

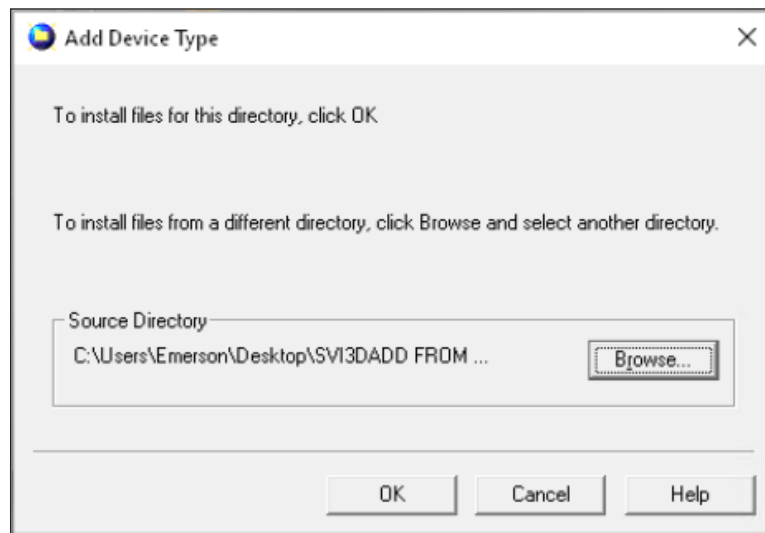


Figure 142 - Add Device Type

2. Connect SVI3 device to the DeltaV Analog Output Channel, *then configure the channel where the SVI3 is connected by selecting Properties from the context menu, checking **Enabled** and choosing **HART Analog Output Channel**.*

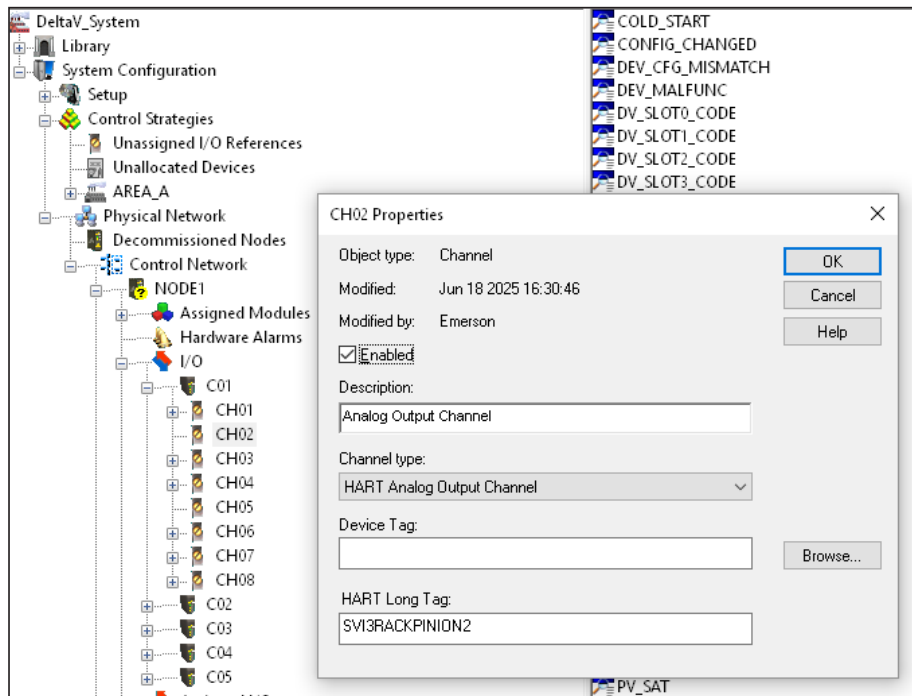


Figure 143 – Channel Configuration

3. Download Configuration

Choose on I/O node -> Download the configuration

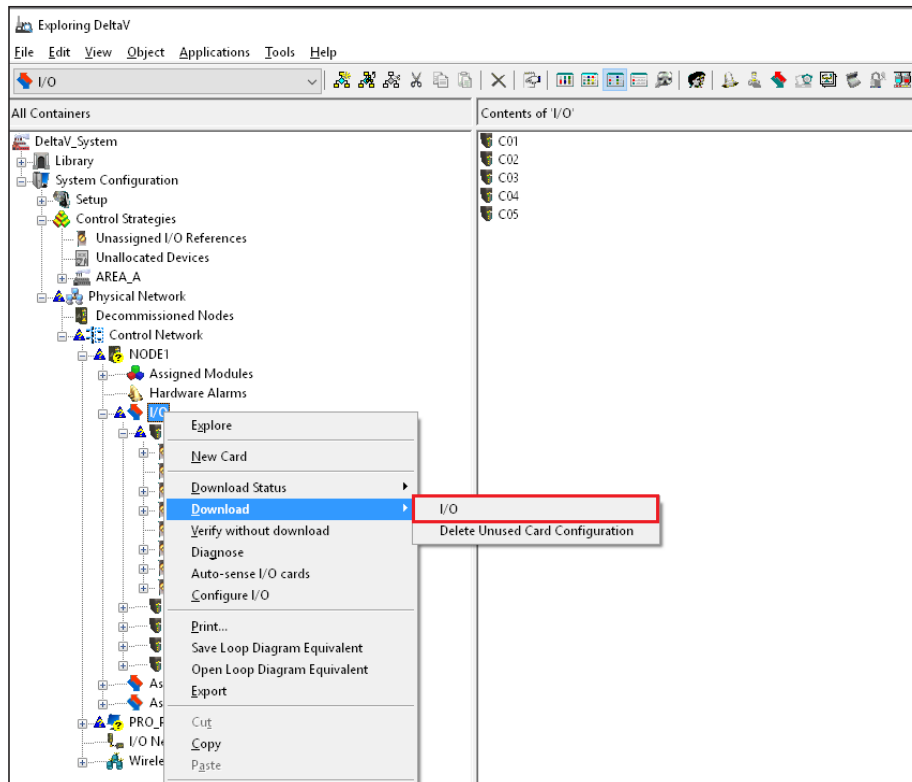


Figure 144 - Download I/O Configuration

- When device is found, right-click on the device and select **Scan Device** to synchronize the parameters of the device.

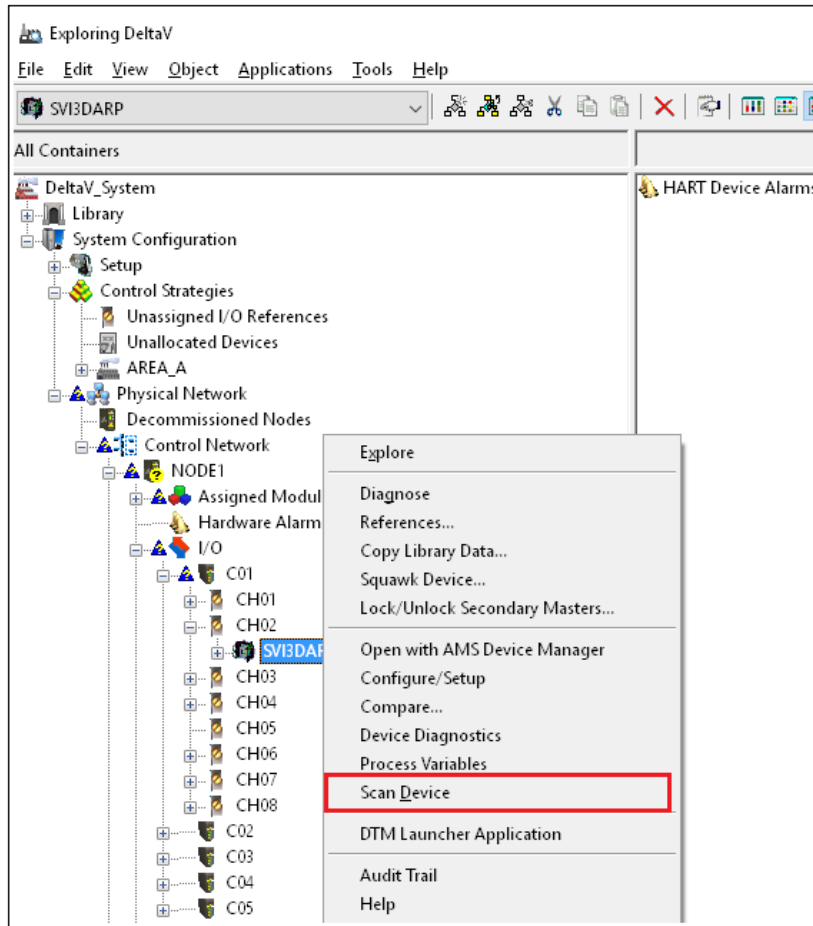


Figure 147 - Scan Device to Synchronize Parameters

The Scan Manager appears

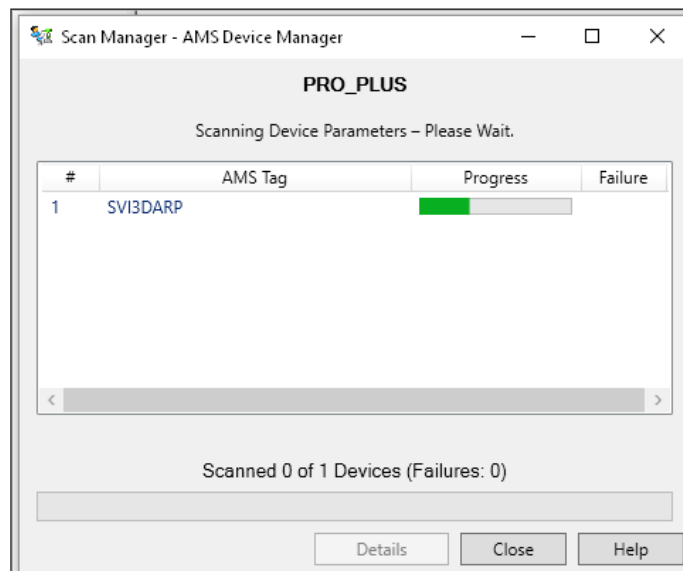


Figure 148 - Scan Manager

- Double-click the device to open the DD to the Configuration/Setup->Mode tab. This step increases system performance - *leave open*.

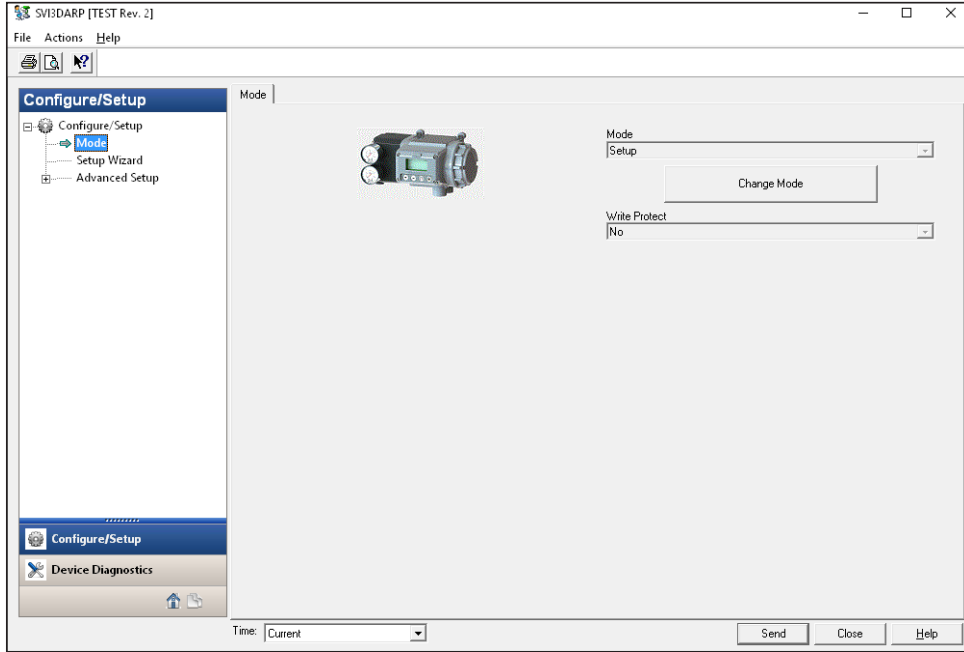


Figure 149 - Configuration/Setup->Mode

- Open ValVue, select **Settings > DTM Library** and DTM Library Management appears.

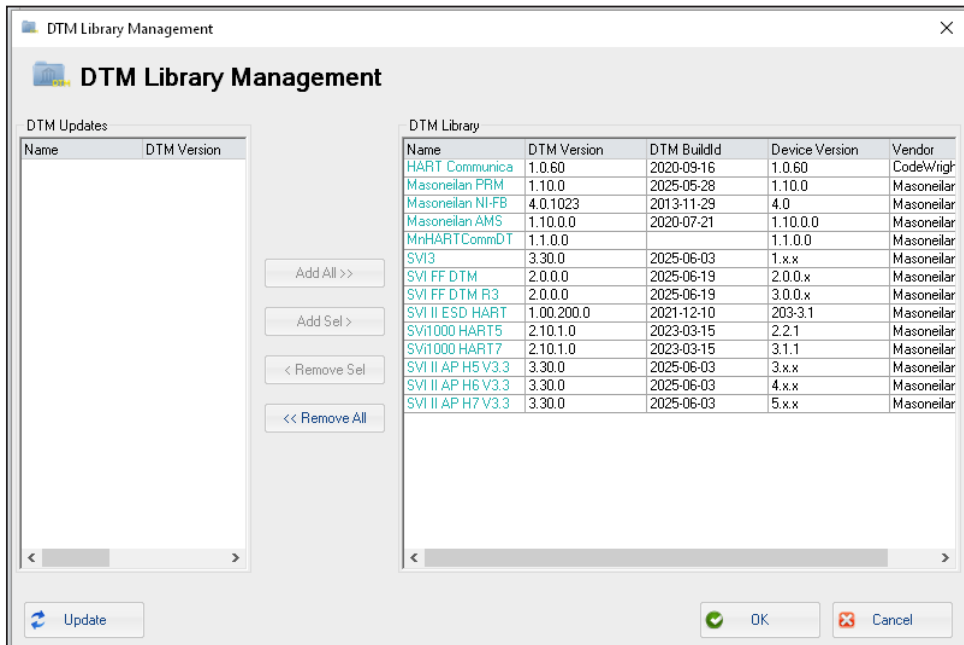


Figure 150 - DTM Library Management

8. Click **Update** and when update completes click **OK**.
9. Click **Device Add Field Network** to begin adding a new field network.
10. Select the **DCS Communication**, right-click and select Add a Field Network and Add AMS Field Network appears.

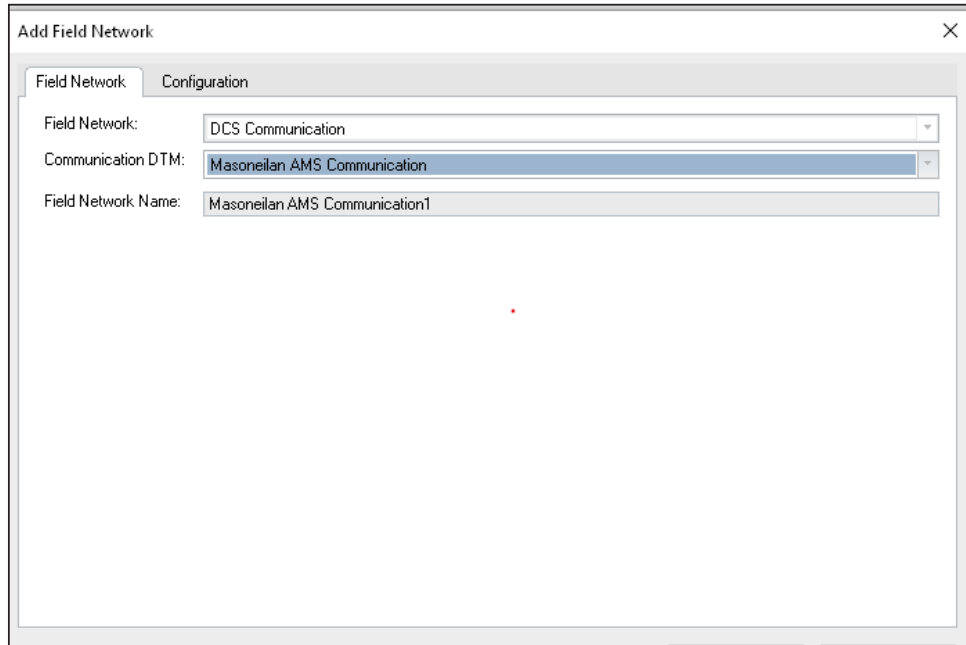


Figure 151 - Add AMS Field Network

Select **AMS Communication DTM** from the Communication DTM pulldown menu. Enter a name for the Field Network Name field and click **OK** and Configure AMS Communication DTM appears.

Enter the AMS Server IP address, then click **Connect**.

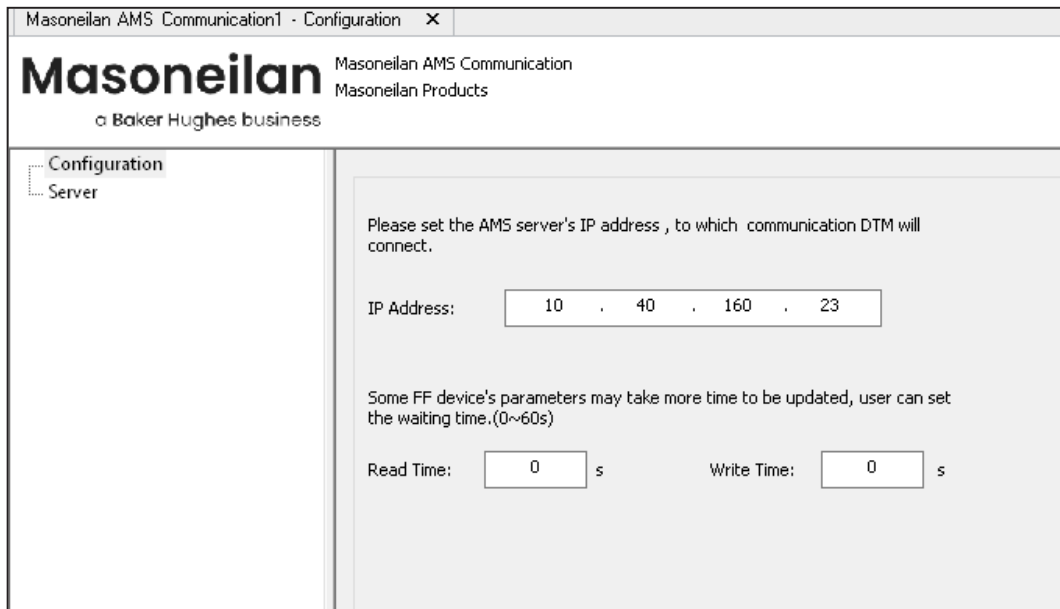


Figure 152 - Configure AMS Communication DTM

Click **Server** and click **Scan All** to scan the entire topology of AMS server into ValVue. Choose on a device that you want to add in the topology tree->Click "**Add**" in right click menu->then the device can be added into ValVue Device Network View.

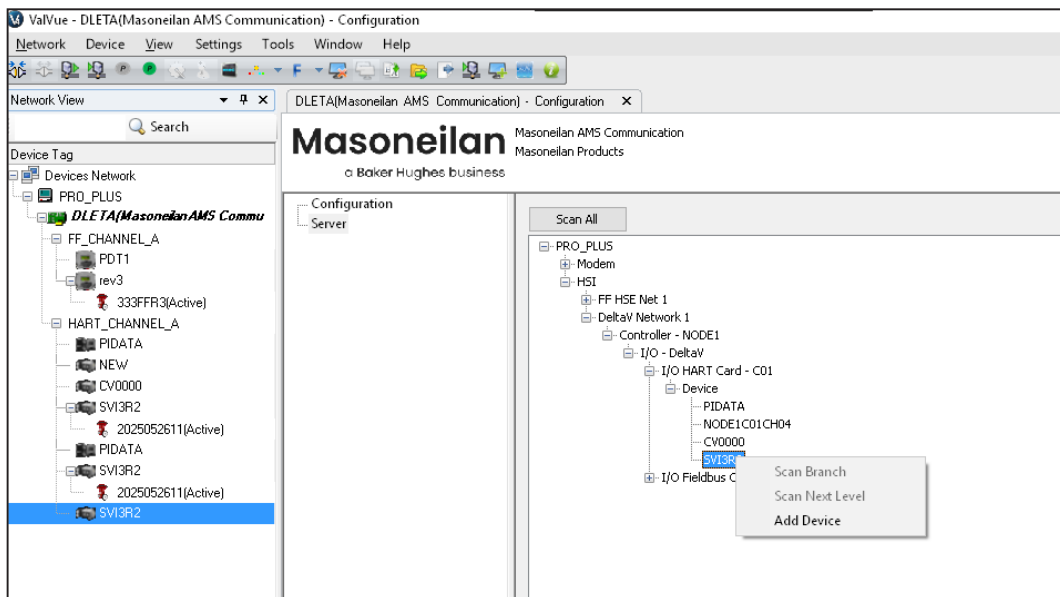


Figure 153 - Add Device to Devices Network

You can now open the SVI3 DTM UI to do configuration, calibration and diagnostic function for the SVI3 device. See the online help for instructions.

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13. AMS[®] Communication DTM

Use the AMS communication DTM to connect the AMS server, which reads and writes parameters from the AMS server via OPC. AMS communication DTM supports Masoneilan Hart and FF protocol devices.

NOTE



When using ValVue in a large network use the Scan Next Level command to load information as in Figure 156.

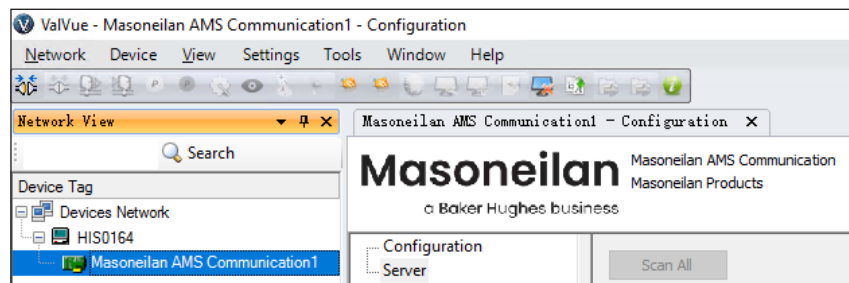


Figure 154 - AMS OPC Scan Next Level

To use the AMS Communication DTM:

1. Update the ValVue device library to add the AMS Communication DTM into ValVue.
2. Add the Windows[®] user name and password of the ValVue computer into the AMS Server. Add into *Administrator* group and the *AMSDeviceManager*.

3. Select the ValVue device network level, right-click and select **Add a Field Network** and *Add a Field Network with DCS Communication*, and set *DTM Communication as AMS Communication DTM*.

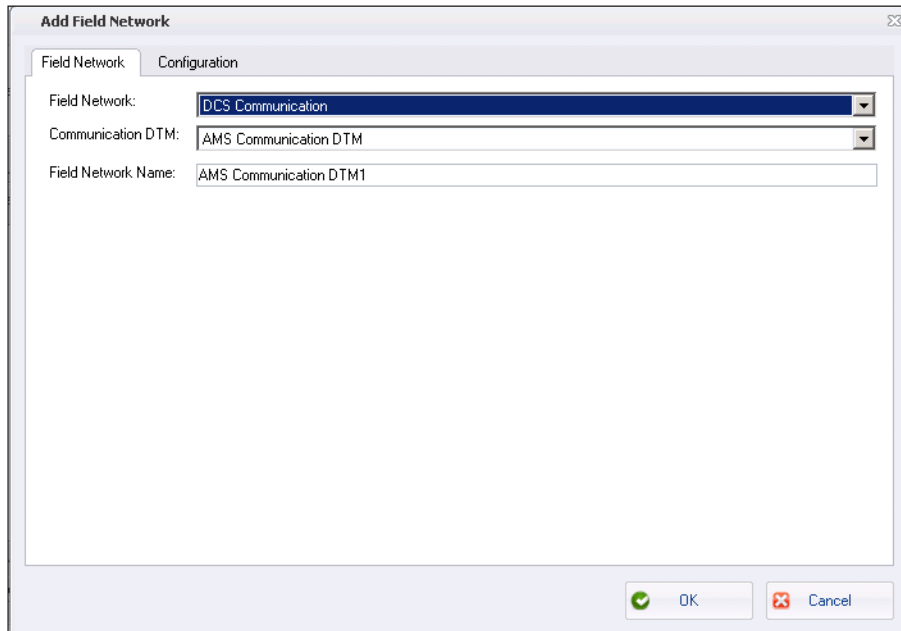


Figure 155 - Add a Field Network with AMS Communication DTM

4. Click **OK** and the AMS Communications Page appears.

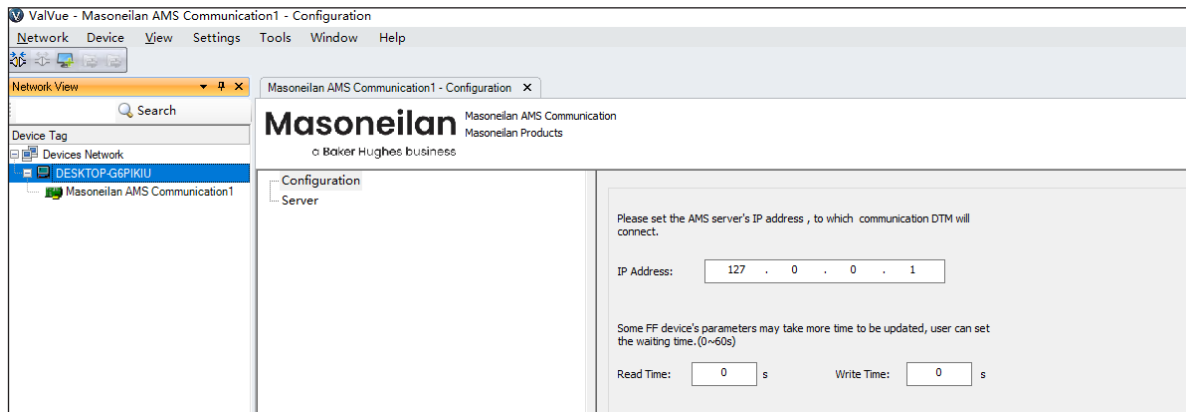


Figure 156 - AMS Communications Page

5. Set the *IP Address* of the AMS Server and click **OK**.

6. Click **Server** in the pane to the left and the AMS Server Hierarchy Page appears.

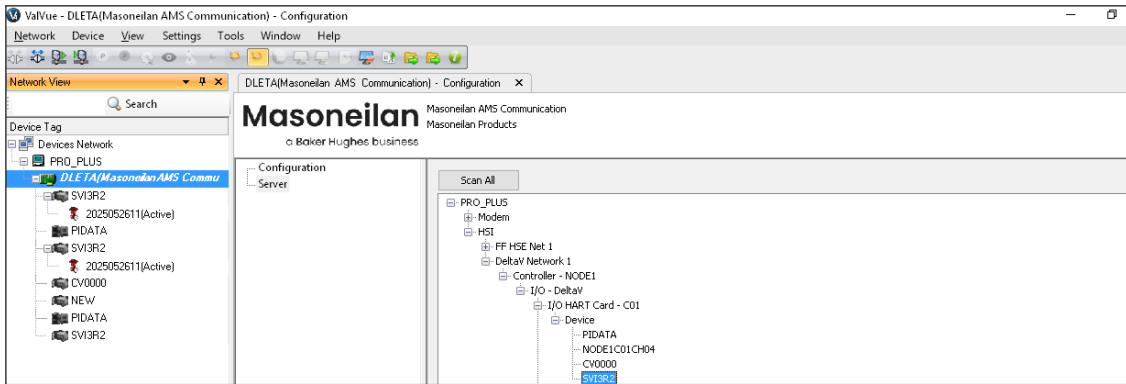


Figure 157 - AMS Server Hierarchy Page

7. Connect the AMS Communication DTM and click Scan All. A list of the connected devices appears.

8. Choose on a device and add this device into ValVue.

14. Masoneilan PRM Communication DTM

“Masoneilan PRM Communication DTM” is a newly added communication DTM in ValVue. The goal of this DTM is to integrate ValVue with Yokogawa Plant Resource Manager (PRM). Through it, ValVue can communicate with Masoneilan HART and Foundation Fieldbus devices that are connected to Centum system. The PRM Communication DTM is a ValVue built-in application and is not available for any other FDT frames applications.

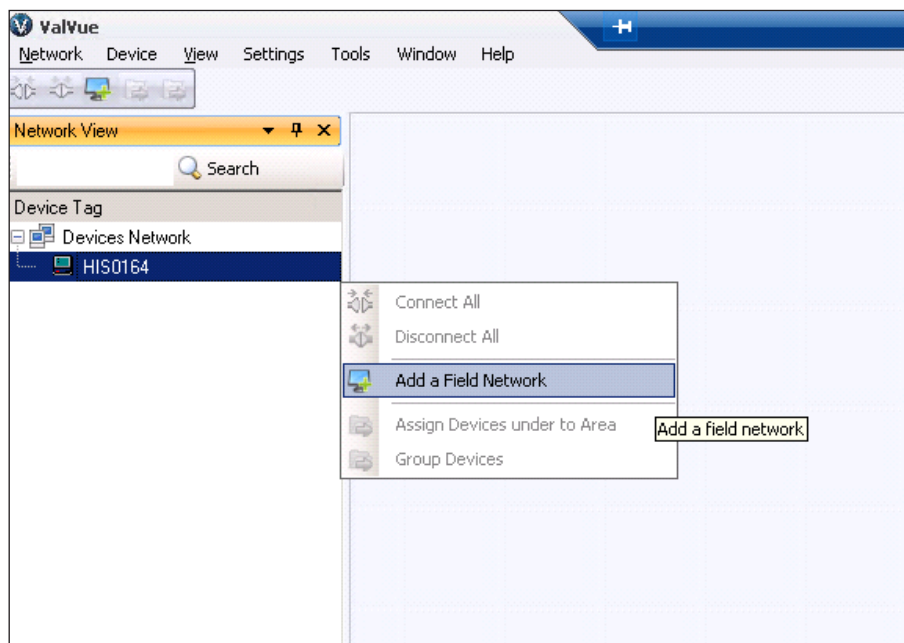
In this release, PRM Communication DTM can only support HART protocol devices including HART Multiplexer. Foundation Fieldbus protocol devices will be supported in next phase.

Connect Field Devices

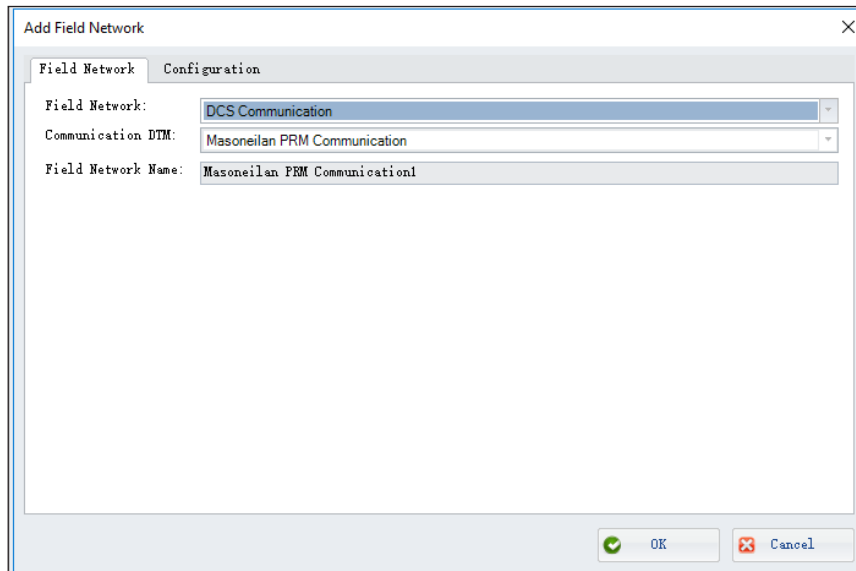
Add Field Devices

PRM Communication DTM runs on an operation system that PRM server or PRM client has been installed. Below steps show how to add field devices through PRM Communication DTM.

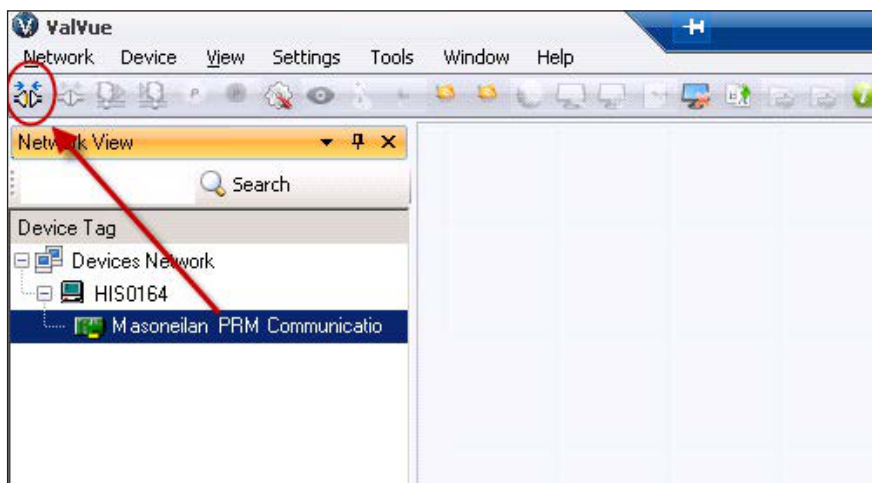
1. Install ValVue full installer package->Open ValVue and add a Field Network.



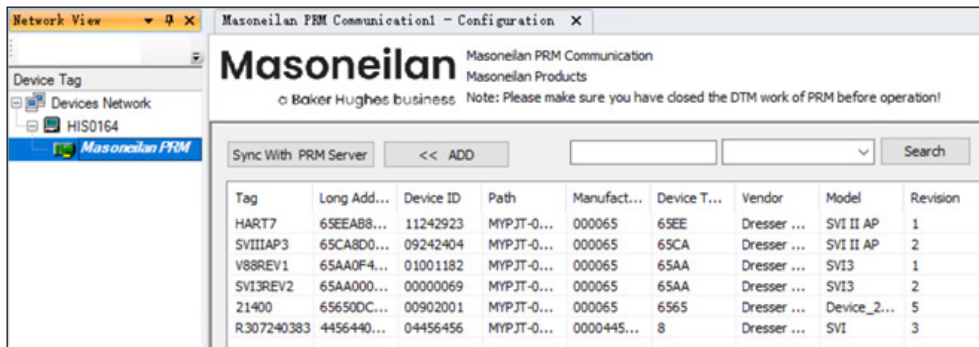
2. Choose Field Network as DCS Communication->Masoneilan PRM Communication-> Click OK.



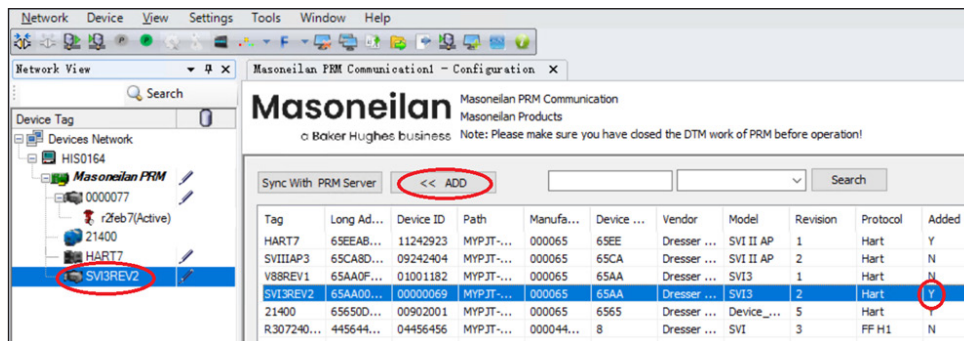
3. Connect the Masoneilan PRM Communication DTM in the ValVue.



- Double-click on the Masoneilan PRM Communication DTM to open Configuration page->Click “Sync With PRM Server” button on the Configuration page-> A list of the devices that connect to the PRM server will be updated on the PRM Communication DTM device panel.

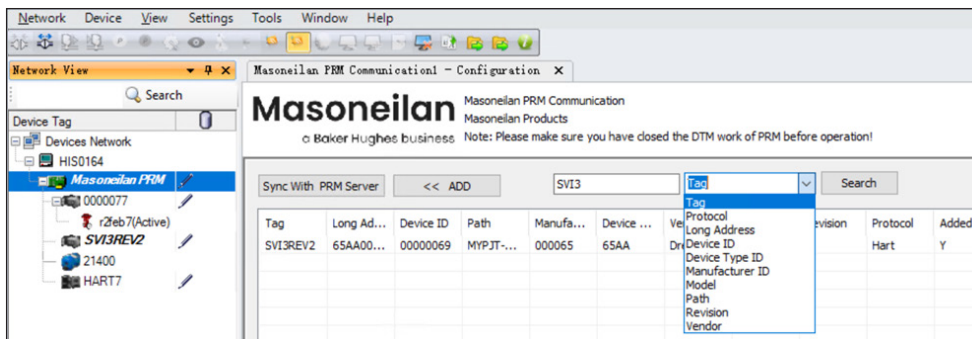


- Choose a Masoneilan device on the device panel->Click ADD button-> The selected device can be added to ValVue device network view at the left side of the window->The column “Added” in Device panel will display “Y” to indicate that the device has been added to ValVue device network.



Using “Search” feature can quickly filter the device that you want to add.

Choose Search type->Enter the search condition->Click Search button->The devices that meet the condition will be filtered out on the device panel.



NOTE

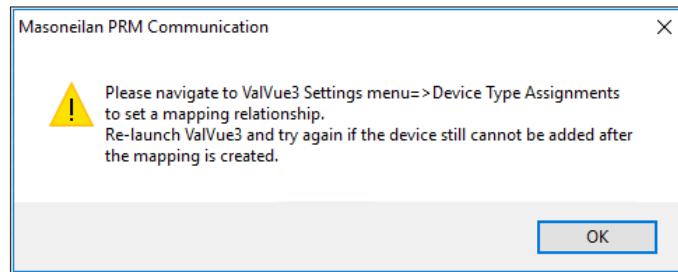


When turning on the option “Display Channels” in ValVue device network as figure below, the Channel No. displayed in ValVue is not a real Channel where the device connects at PRM side.

Tag	Long Ad...	Device ID	Path	Manufa...	Device ...	Vendor	Model	Revis
HART7	65EEAB...	11242923	MYPJT-...	000065	65EE	Dresser ...	SVI II AP	1
SVIIIAP3	65CA8D...	09242404	MYPJT-...	000065	65CA	Dresser ...	SVI II AP	2
V88REV1	65AA0F...	01001182	MYPJT-...	000065	65AA	Dresser ...	SVI3	1
SVI3REV2	65AA00...	00000069	MYPJT-...	000065	65AA	Dresser ...	SVI3	2
21400	65650D...	00902001	MYPJT-...	000065	6565	Dresser ...	Device_...	5
R307240...	445644...	04456456	MYPJT-...	000044...	8	Dresser ...	SVI	3

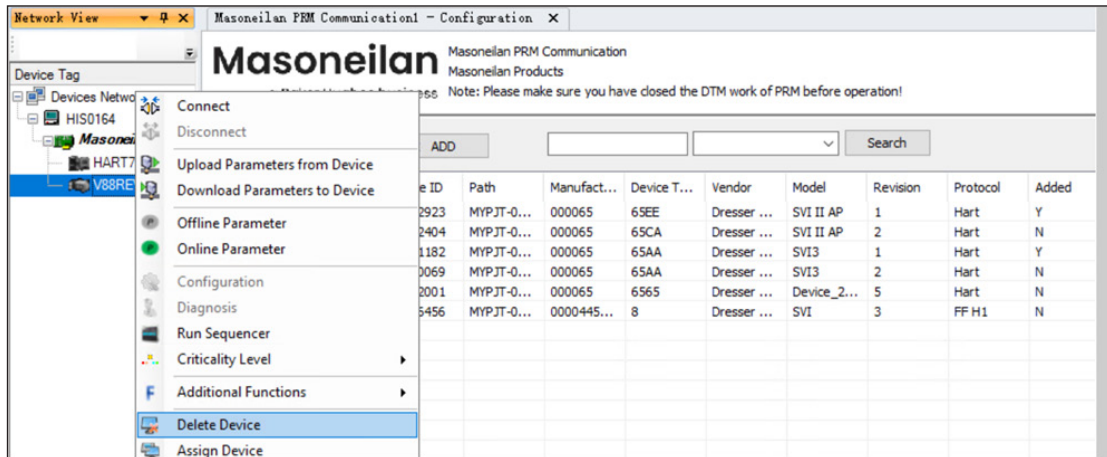
PRM Communication DTM currently only supports Masoneilan HART protocol devices.

If ValVue cannot find a proper device DTM to match with the added device, DTM will prompt a message to let user open ValVue “Device Type Assignments” to manually assign a device DTM for the added device.



Remove Field Devices

User can remove the device from ValVue device network view with Delete Device Command. After the device is removed, the occupied communication channel will be released for the new device. Click “Sync With PRM Server” to get latest device added status when a device has been removed from ValVue device network view.



ESD Device Connection

If user tries to add Masoneilan ESD device, there is limit on the number of communication channel. PRM Communication DTM can provide up to 100 communication channels for ESD devices. A warning message “There are not enough communication channels to allocate” appears when user adds more than 100 ESD devices into ValVue device network view. For this case, please remove some of ESD devices from ValVue device network view to release the communication channels, and then try to add new ESD device again.

The screenshot shows the ValVue software interface with the Masoneilan PRM Communication configuration window open. The window title is "Masoneilan PRM Communication" and it includes a note: "Note: Please make sure you have closed the DTM work of PRM before operation!". The interface features a table of added devices and a warning dialog box.

Added	Path	Manufacturer ID	Device Type ID	Vendor	Model	Tag
N	Other	123	123	Honeywell	APPDCA	NEW-
N	Other	123	123	ABB	CTCP	NEW-
N	Other	123	123	ABB	CTCP	NEW-
N	Other	123	123	Flowservice	APPDCA	NEW-
N	Other	123	123	Flowservice	APPDCA	NEW-
N	Other				DCA	NEW-
N	Other				DCA	NEW-
N	Other				DCA	NEW-
N	Other				IP	NEW-
N	Other				IP	NEW-
Y	MYPJT-07-9999				ESD	ESD
N	Other				ice_206	NEW-
N	MYPJT-12-9999				ice_26026	SVI
N	MYPJT-06-9999				ice_206	NEW-
Y	MYPJT-03-9999	101	203	Process Valve Division	SVI2ESD	SSDI

The warning dialog box is titled "Masoneilan PRM Communication" and contains the message: "There are not enough communication channels to allocate!". It includes a yellow warning icon and an "OK" button.

NOTE



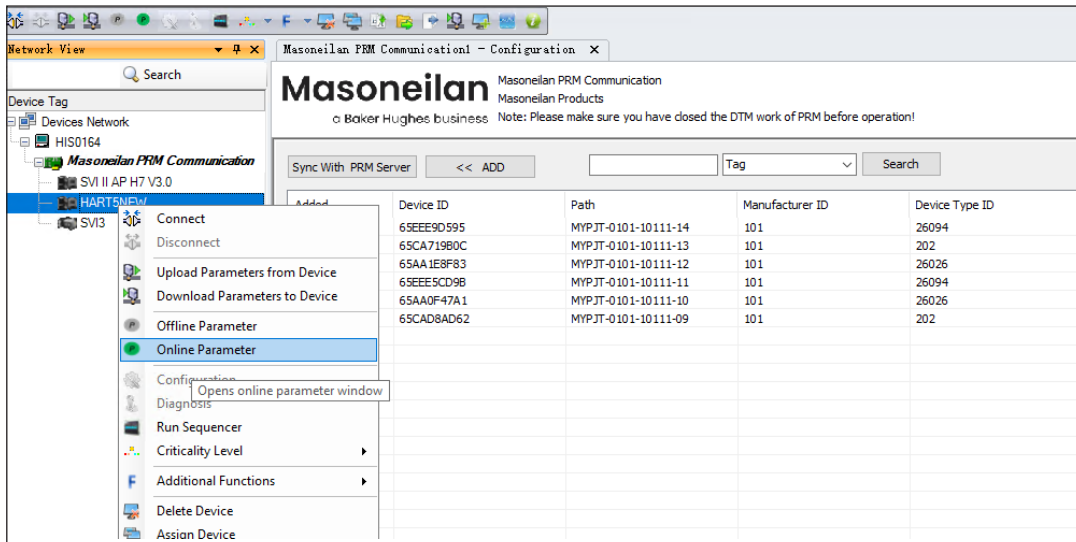
No limit on the number of communication channel when connecting with the devices such as SVI3, SVI II AP and SVI1000.

Operate Field Devices

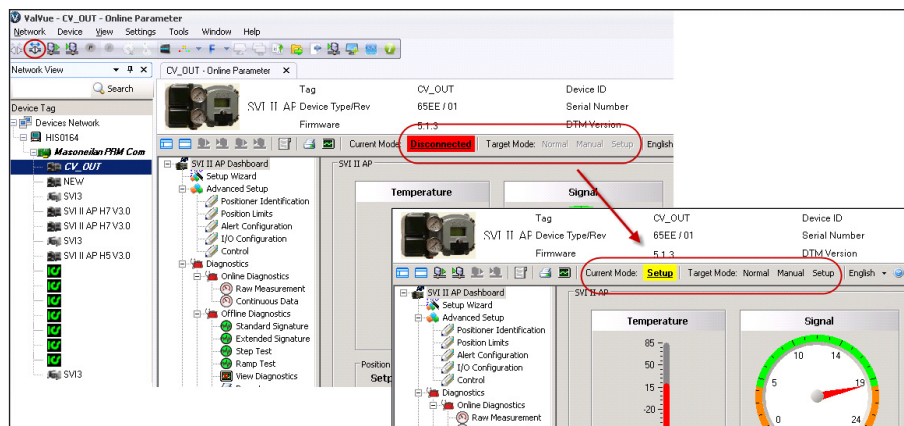
User can operate Masoneilan devices using DTMs or running Sequencer after the devices are added into ValVue device network view.

Using Device DTM

1. Select the device->Right click the mouse to have pop up menu->Click "Online Parameter".



2. Connect Device DTM and wait until the DTM gets real status from PRM side ->Then configure device or run calibration test and diagnostic tests on the device through the device DTM.



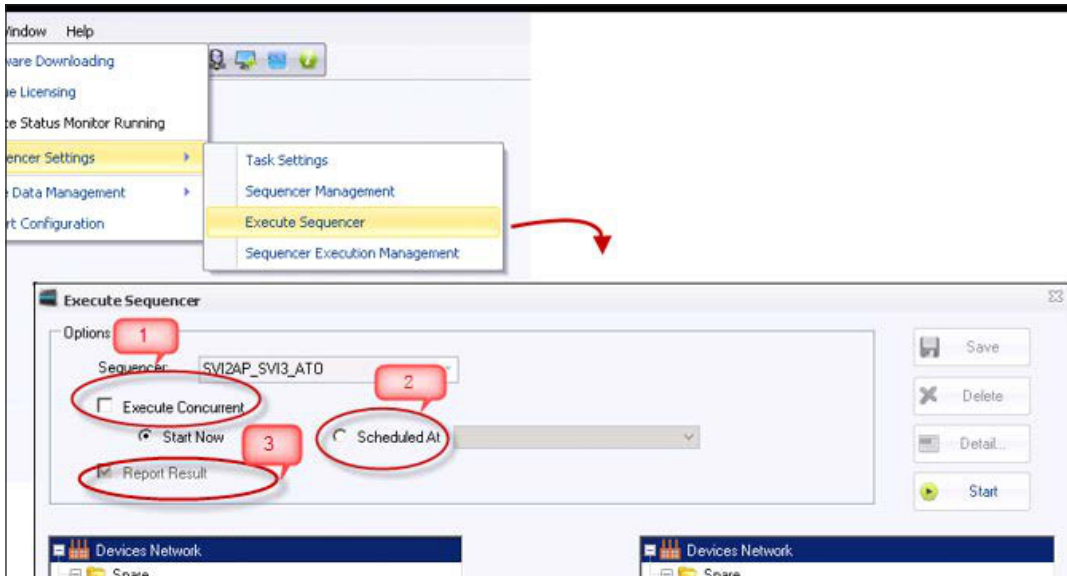
NOTE



Due to maximum number of concurrent opened devices is 5 at PRM side, if connecting more than 5 device DTMs at the same time, performance from the 6th device will be very slow.

Performing ValVue Sequencer

1. Open Execute Sequencer window under ValVue Tools menu-> Choose a sequencer to run on the devices.



2. Execute Concurrent:

- Turn on: The sequencer will be concurrently executed on all devices.
- Turn off: The sequencer will be executed on the devices one by one.

NOTE



Due to maximum number of concurrent opened devices is 5 at PRM side, if executing ValVue sequencer more than 5 devices at one time, errors pops up starting from the 6th device.

To make sure sequencer can be successfully executed on multiple devices:

- Option off “Execute Concurrent” before running sequencer
- Disconnect the devices before running sequencer

Please turn off ValVue Device Monitor Function that may cause communication error during the sequencer.

3. Schedule At: Schedule a time to automatically execute the sequencer on the devices.

- Report Result: By default, this option is always ON. A sequencer report that contains positioner information and task result will be generated when all the devices finished the sequencer.

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Sequencer Execution Report

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Report Info

Sequencer Name: std
 Task Counts: 3
 Start Time: 6/9/2025 10:07:38 PM
 Total Duration: 0h 07m 09s

User: DESKTOP-HLMI67K\Administrator
 Succeeded Task Counts: 3
 End Time: 6/9/2025 10:14:48 PM

Positioner Info

Positioner Tag: SVI3DARP
 Long Tag: SVI3RACKPINION2
 Device ID: 1003407
 Address: 0

Serial Number: MS3E2021280833
 Firmware Version: 1.2.2 / 15256
 Device Type ID: SVI3 (0x65AA)
 Manufacturer ID: Masoneilan (0x65)

Configuration

Control Mode: Position Control Mode
 Air Action: Air To Open
 Diagnostic Level: Online Valve Diagnostics
 Bumpless Enabled: Off
 Characterization Type: Linear
 Open Direction: OFF

Actuator Type: Double
 Position Unit: %
 Bumpless Value: Disable
 Custom Points: N/A
 Closed Direction: OFF

Position: Rate Limit 0.00 Error Time Disable Error Enabled Off Error Band 5.00 %
 Allow Diagnostics to Override Limits On Near Closed 1.00

Position Limits: Lower Limit Enabled Off Lower Limit Disable
 Upper Limit Enabled Off Upper Limit Disable

Digital Switches #1: Function N/A Normal N/A Value N/A
 Digital Switches #2: Function N/A Normal N/A Value N/A

Local User Interface: Language English Button Lock Allow Local Buttons

Input Signal Range: High 20.000 mA Low 4.000 mA

Position Retransmit: High N/A Low N/A

AO Fail State: Disable

Full Open Above Enabled: Disable Full Open Above 100.00
 Tight Shutoff Enabled: On Tight Shutoff Below 0.00 %
 ADV Boost 1.00 ADV Offset 1.00

15. Masoneilan HART Communication DTM

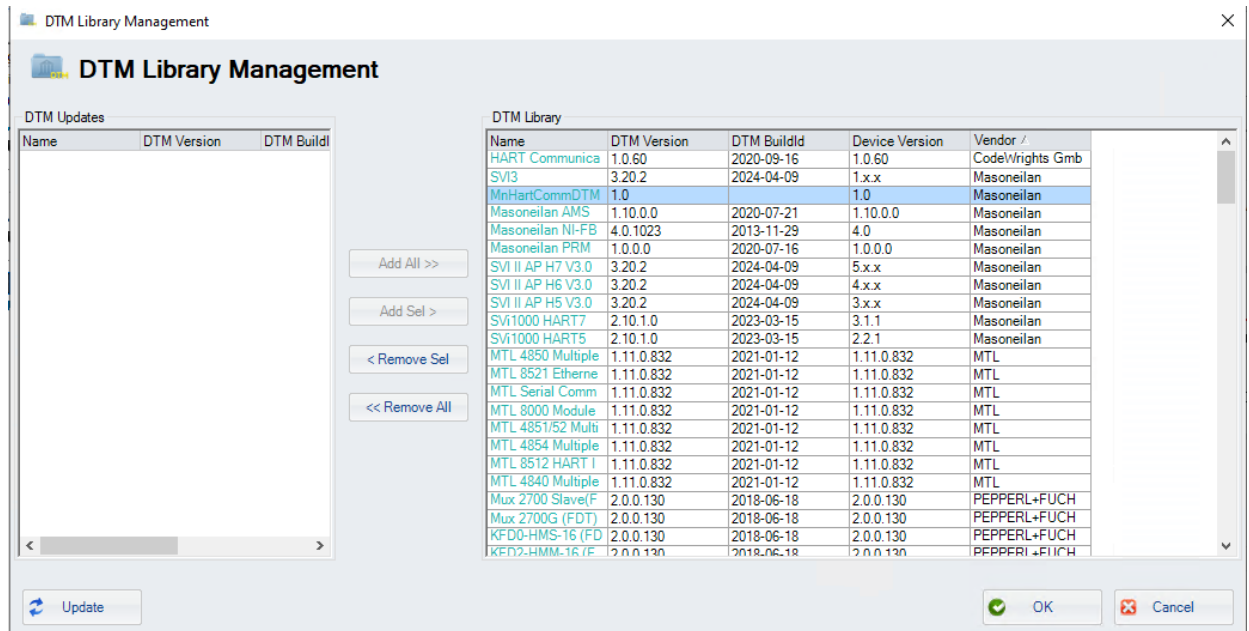
MnHartCommDTM is a HART Communication DTM developed by Baker Hughes. This Communication DTM is based on FDT2.0 technology and supports HART modems and multiplexers using COM ports. The MnHartCommDTM is a ValVue built-in application and is not available for any other FDT frames applications.

The document is to introduce how user can uses MnHartCommDTM in ValVue to connect HART devices.

Adding MnHartCommDTM into ValVue DTM Library

ValVue installation package deploys MnHARTCommDTM and MnHARTCommServer. For remote device connection, MnHARTCommServer needs to be installed separately on remote computer.

After ValVue is started, MnHARTCommDTM will be added into DTM Library, shown as screenshot below.



Go to ValVue **Settings menu -> Field Networks**, click **Add** and “Add Field Network” appears.

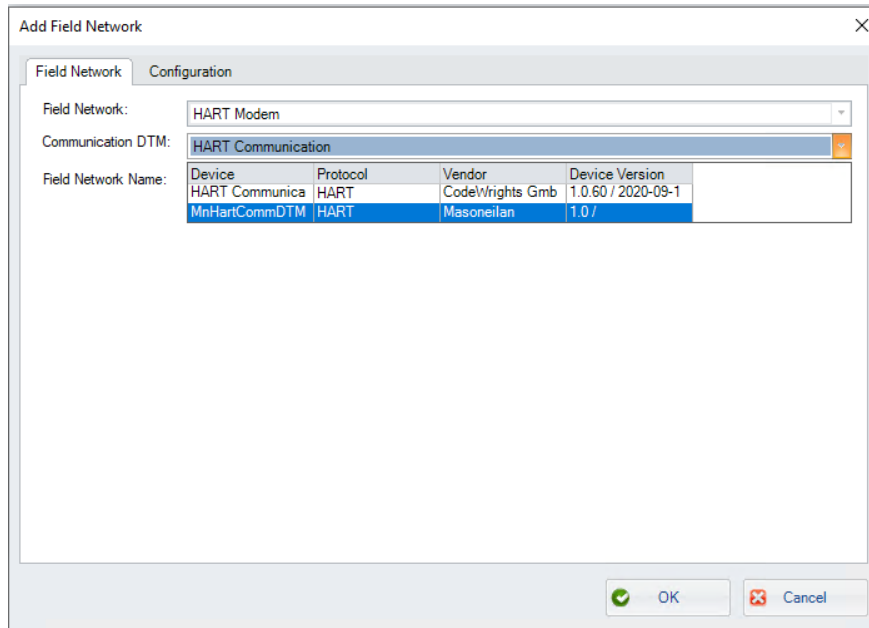
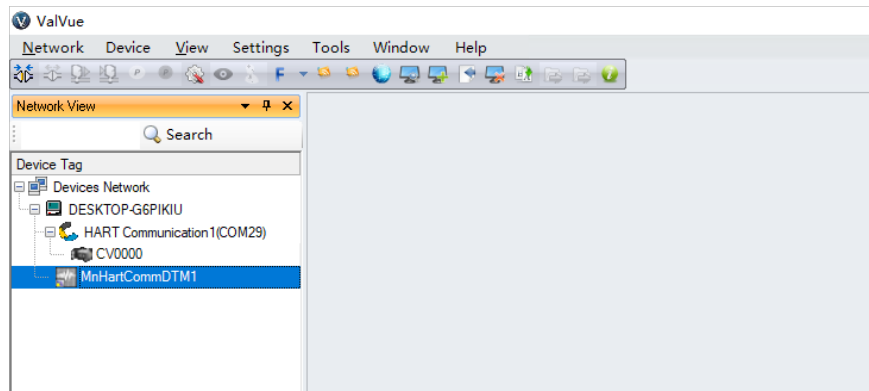


Figure 158 - Add Field Network

Select Field Network as **HART Modem** -> Select Communication DTM as **MnHartCommDTM** click **OK**.

A MnHartCommDTM will be added in ValVue Device Network.

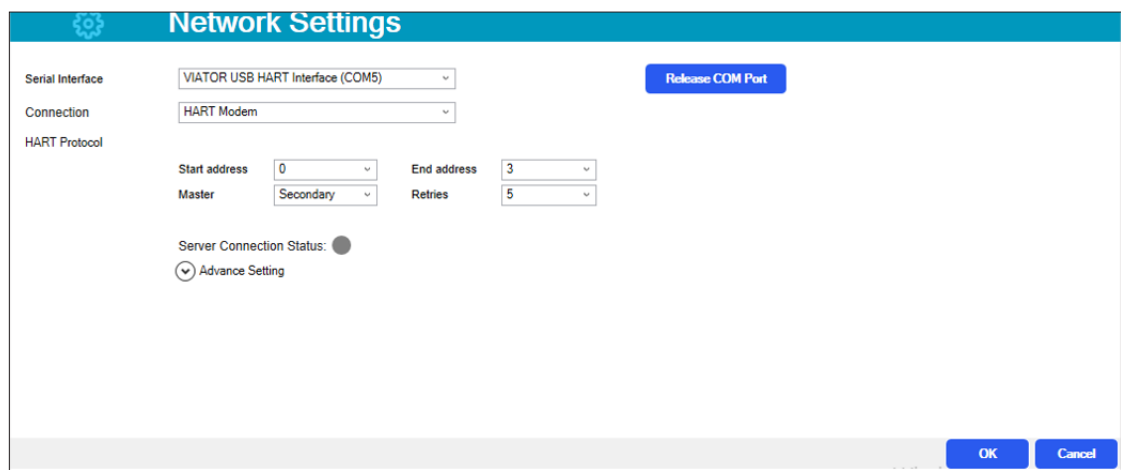


Run MnHartCommDTM to find local device

1. Double click on the MnHartCommDTM in ValVue Device Network View-> Network Settings page appears.
2. Configure Connection Type according to how ValVue connects the device.
 - When the device is connected by Hart Modem, you need to set **Connection** as **Hart Modem**.

Ensure the Serial Interface and scanning address are correct. Click **OK** to save your configuration and exit from Network Settings.

Note: If device is connected (or powered through DCS), set Master to Secondary Master.



The screenshot shows the 'Network Settings' dialog box with the following configuration:

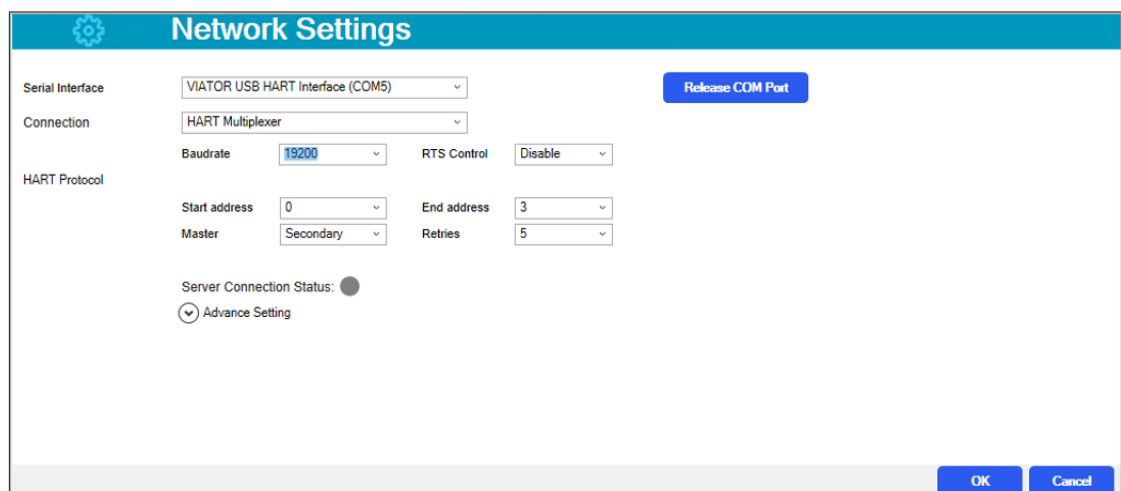
- Serial Interface: VIATOR USB HART Interface (COM5)
- Connection: HART Modem
- HART Protocol: Start address: 0, End address: 3, Master: Secondary, Retries: 5
- Server Connection Status: (unselected)
- Advance Setting:

Buttons: Release COM Port, OK, Cancel

- When the device is connected under Hart Multiplexer, you need to set **Connection** as **HART Multiplexer**.

Ensure the Serial Interface, Baud rate and scanning address are correct. Click **OK** to save your configuration and exit from Network Settings.

Note: MnHartCommDTM currently supports P+F multiplexer and MTL multiplexer. P+F G2700/P+F K Serial/MTL4840/MTL4850 have been tested in ValVue.

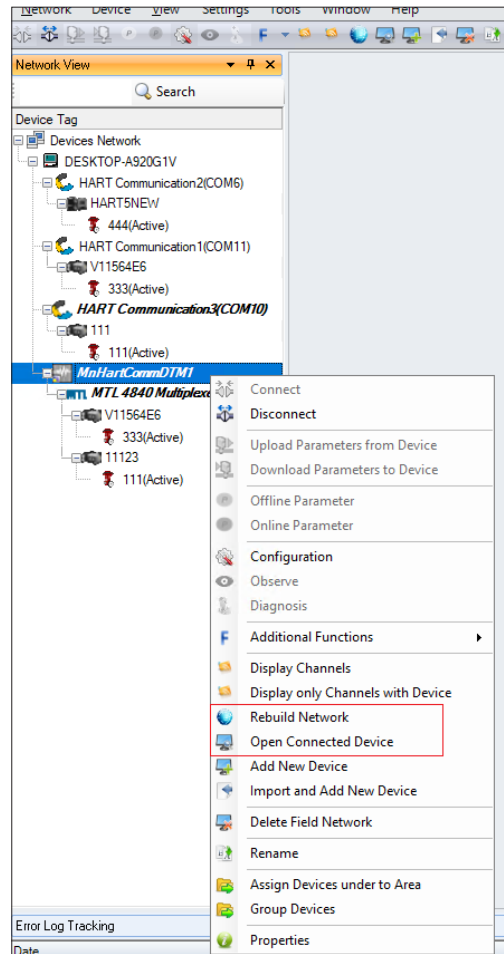


The screenshot shows the 'Network Settings' dialog box with the following configuration:

- Serial Interface: VIATOR USB HART Interface (COM5)
- Connection: HART Multiplexer
- Baudrate: 19200
- RTS Control: Disable
- HART Protocol: Start address: 0, End address: 3, Master: Secondary, Retries: 5
- Server Connection Status: (unselected)
- Advance Setting:

Buttons: Release COM Port, OK, Cancel

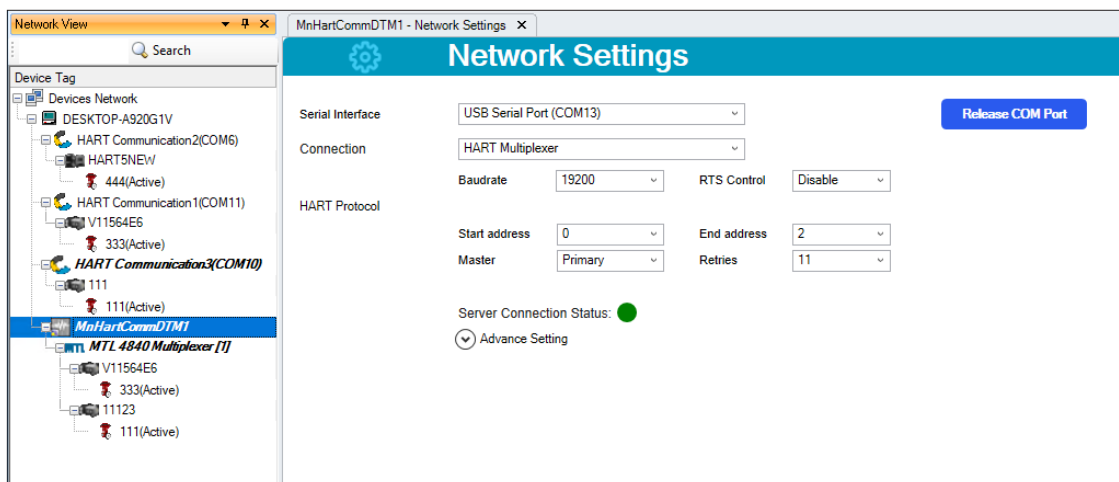
- Then right click MnHartCommDTM in ValVue Device Network View -> Open Connected Device or Rebuild Network to find the device.



- Connect the device -> Check Server Connection Status in Network Settings

Green: Connection is Good

Red: Connection is Bad



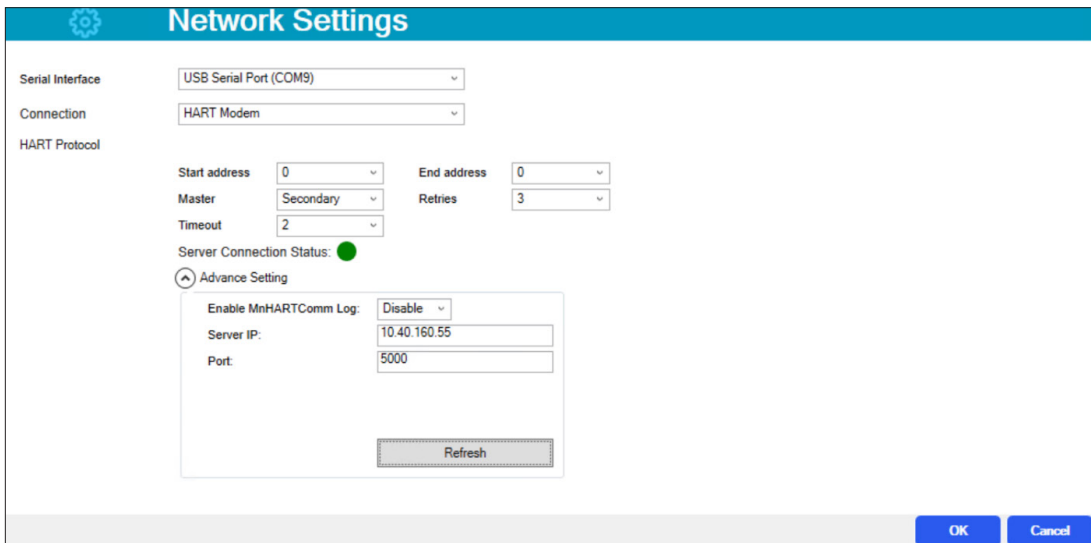
Run MnHartCommDTM to find remote device

ValVue 3 can remotely control the device that is connecting on a Remote PC through MnHartCommDTM.

Note:

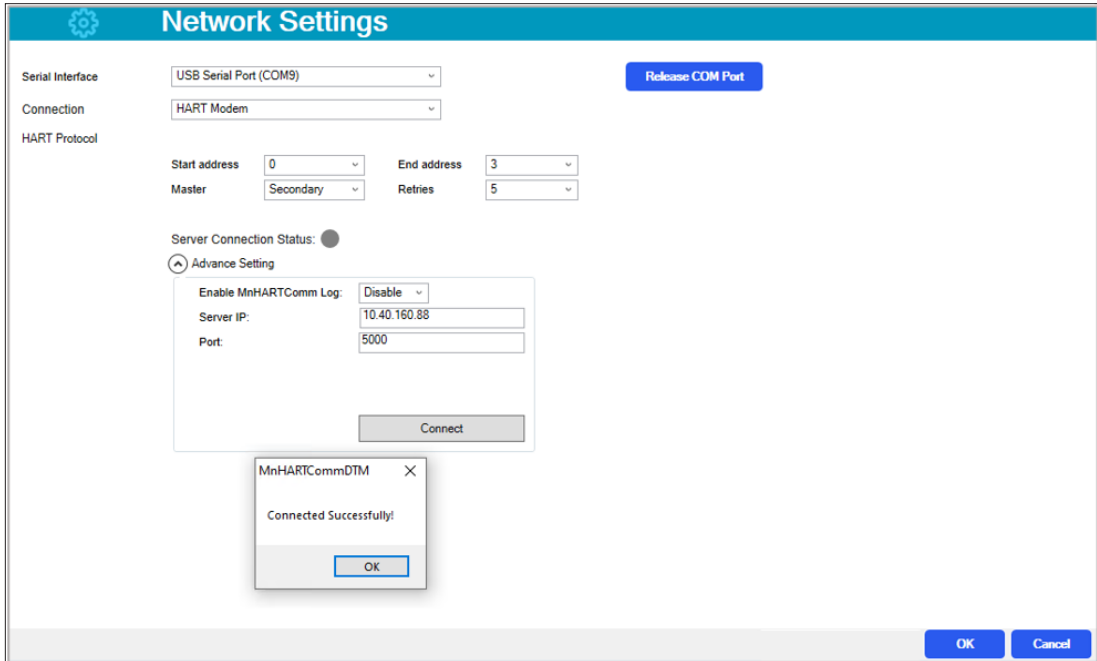
- **Remote PC need to run MnHartCommService installed either by ValVue full package or the standalone MnHARTCommServer Installer.**
- **Ensure the target PC and the Host are in the same network.**

1. Open Network Settings-> Advance Setting as the figure below
2. Server IP: enter IP Address or computer name of target PC
3. Port: Port address is 5000 in default (**Changing Port address would cause communication to fail**).

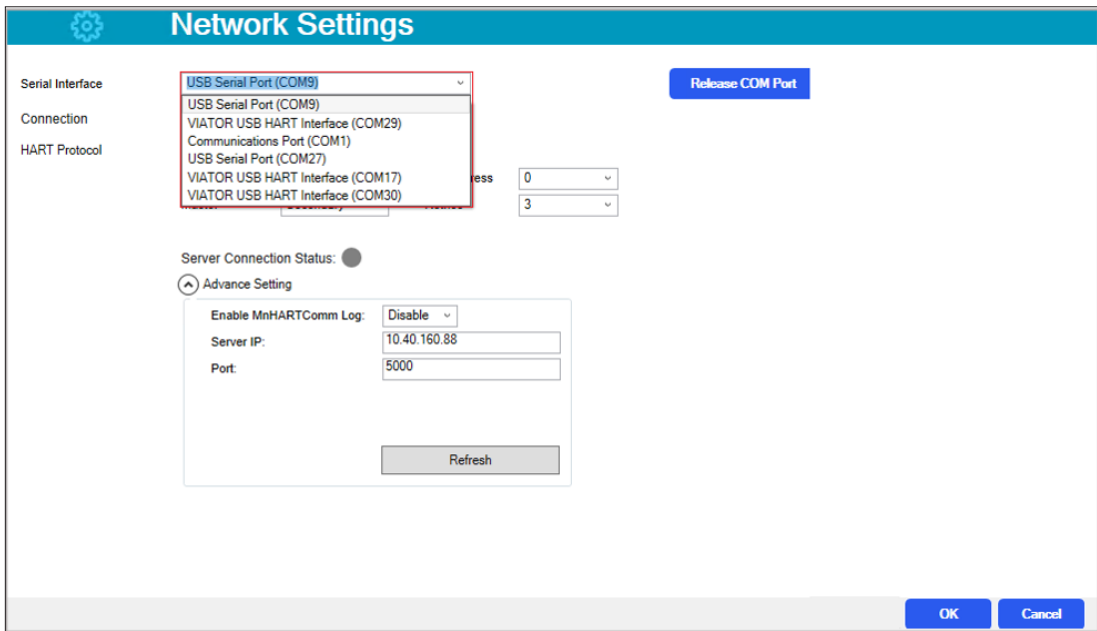


The screenshot shows the 'Network Settings' dialog box. The 'Serial Interface' is set to 'USB Serial Port (COM9)', 'Connection' is 'HART Modem', and 'HART Protocol' is selected. Under 'HART Protocol', 'Start address' is 0, 'End address' is 0, 'Master' is 'Secondary', 'Retries' is 3, and 'Timeout' is 2. The 'Server Connection Status' is shown as a green dot. The 'Advance Setting' section is expanded, showing 'Enable MnHARTComm Log' set to 'Disable', 'Server IP' set to '10.40.160.55', and 'Port' set to '5000'. A 'Refresh' button is located at the bottom of the 'Advance Setting' section. The dialog box has 'OK' and 'Cancel' buttons at the bottom right.

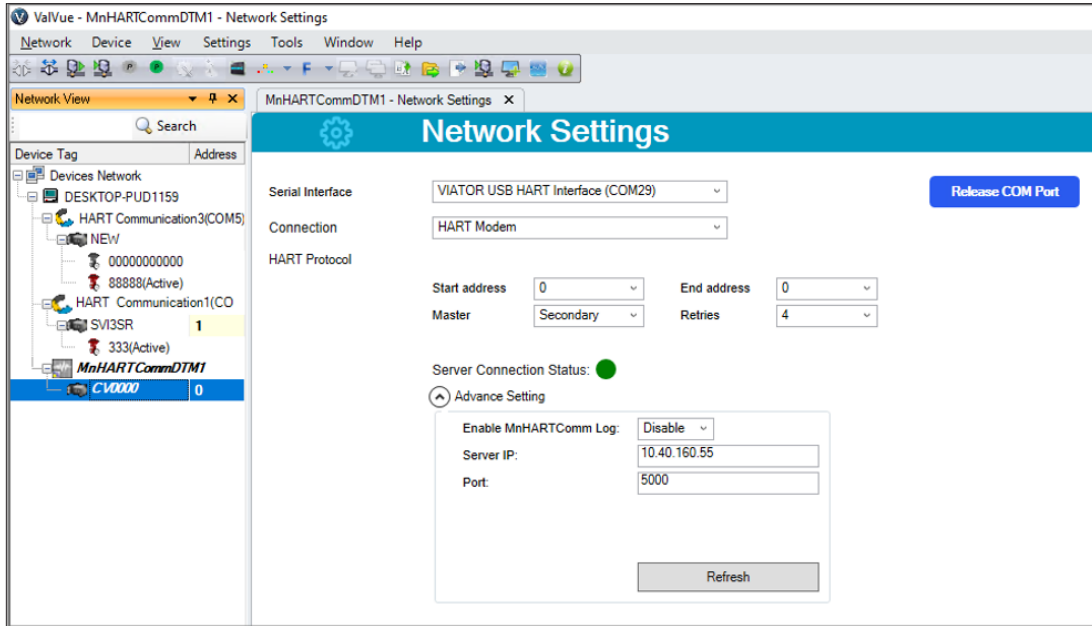
5. Click Refresh button to set up the connection with target PC.
6. MnHartCommDTM will show a message "Connected Successfully!" once the connection between Host and target PC is built up.



7. MnHartCommDTM will show target PC's COM Ports in "Serial Interface" pulldown list once the connection between local PC and target PC is built up.

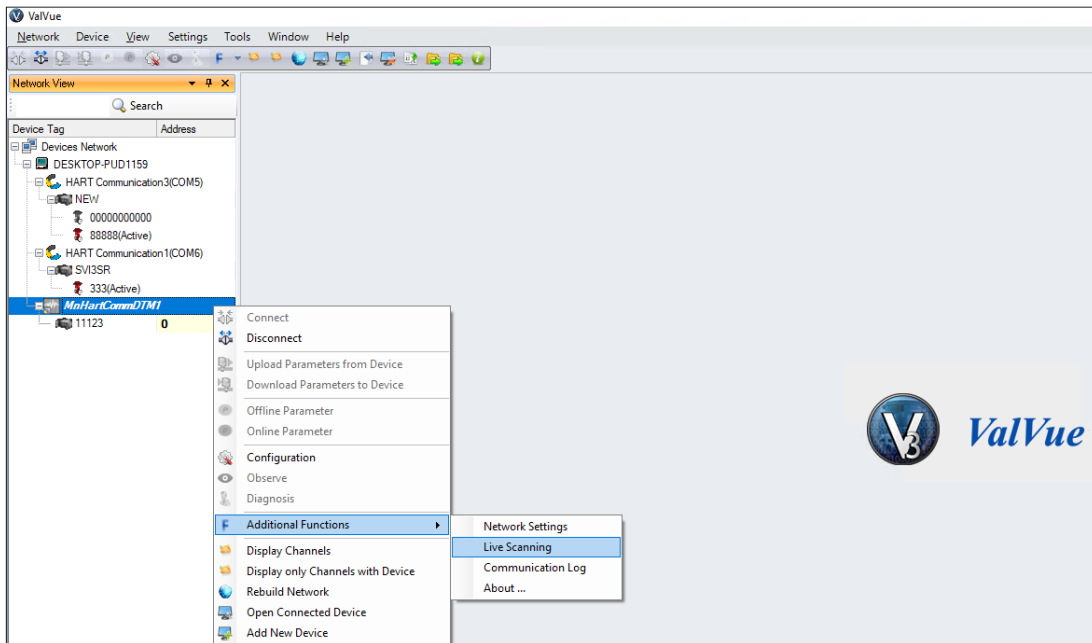


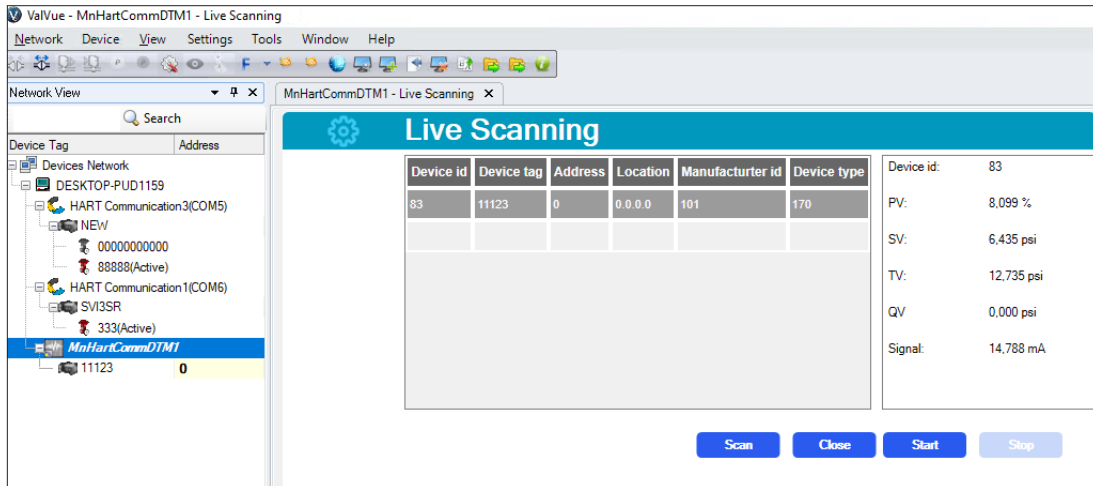
8. Choose correct COM port and Set Connect Type, then you can find the remote device in your local ValVue by Open Connected Device or Rebuild Network.
9. Connect the device-> Check Server Connection Status in Network Settings
 - Green:** Connection is Good
 - Red:** Connection is Bad



Additional Function- Live Scanning

Using Live Scanning feature to list all HART devices connecting to current HART network. The device information includes Device ID, Tag, Manufacture ID, Type, and Location.

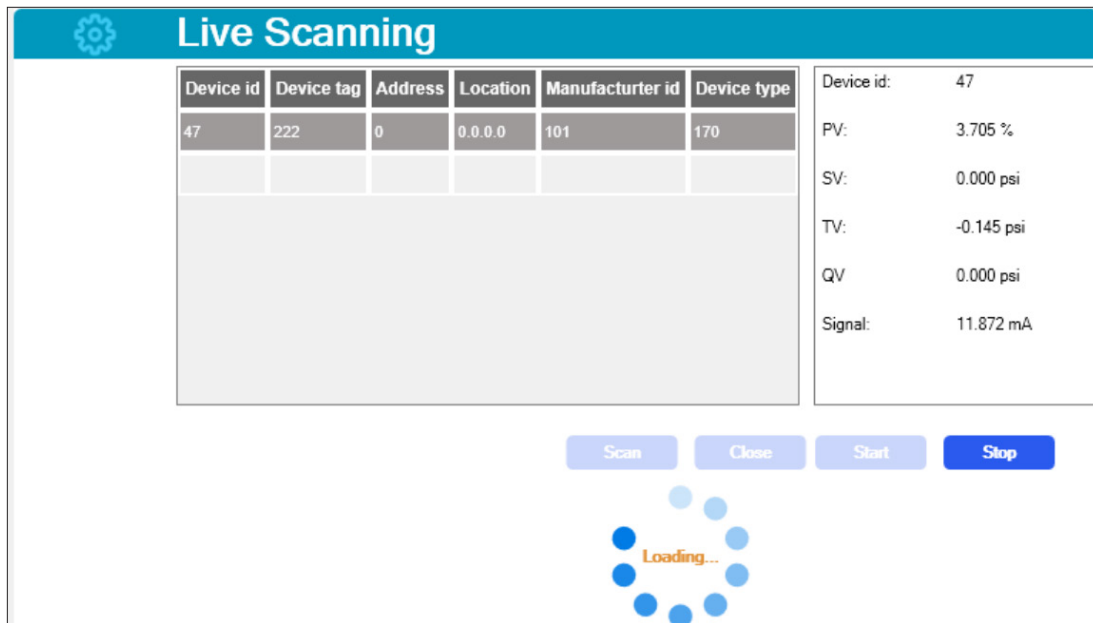




Scan: Click Scan to find the devices connected in HART network

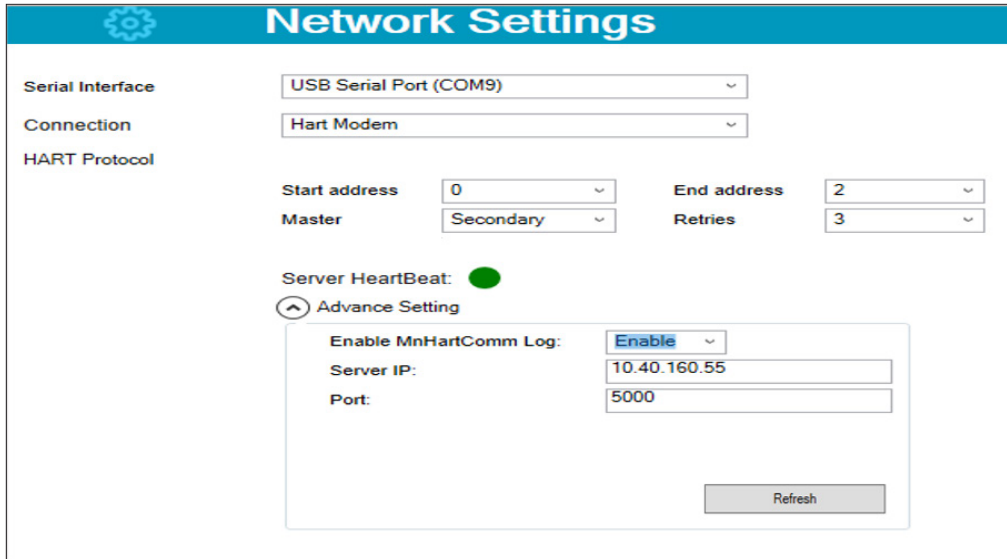
Start: DTM will starting to poll (cmd #3) dynamic process variables to the selected device when clicking Start button.

Stop: Click Stop to stop polling device.

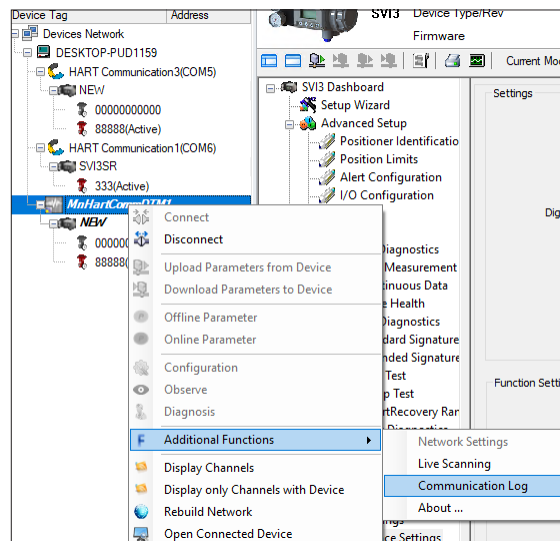


Additional Function-Communication Log

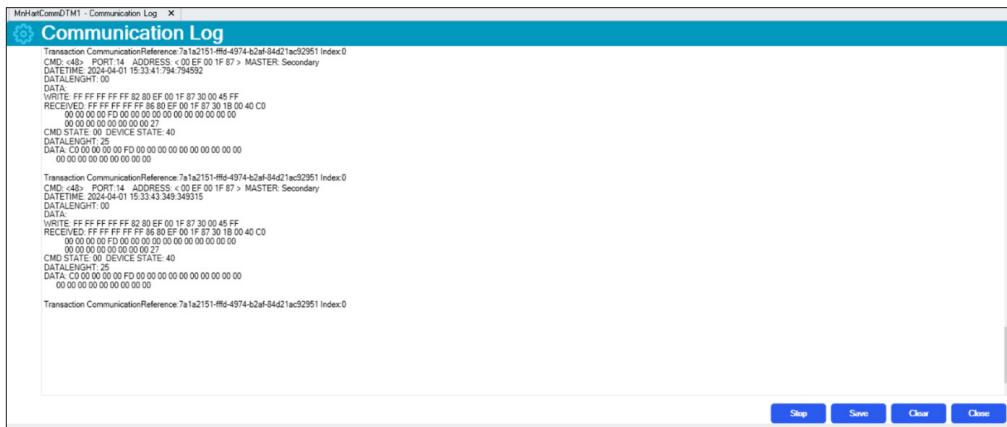
Enable MnHartComm Log in **Network Settings-Advanced Setting** for logging MnHARTCommServer HART transaction.



Right Click MnHartCommDTM in ValVue Device Network View> Additional Function>Communication Log

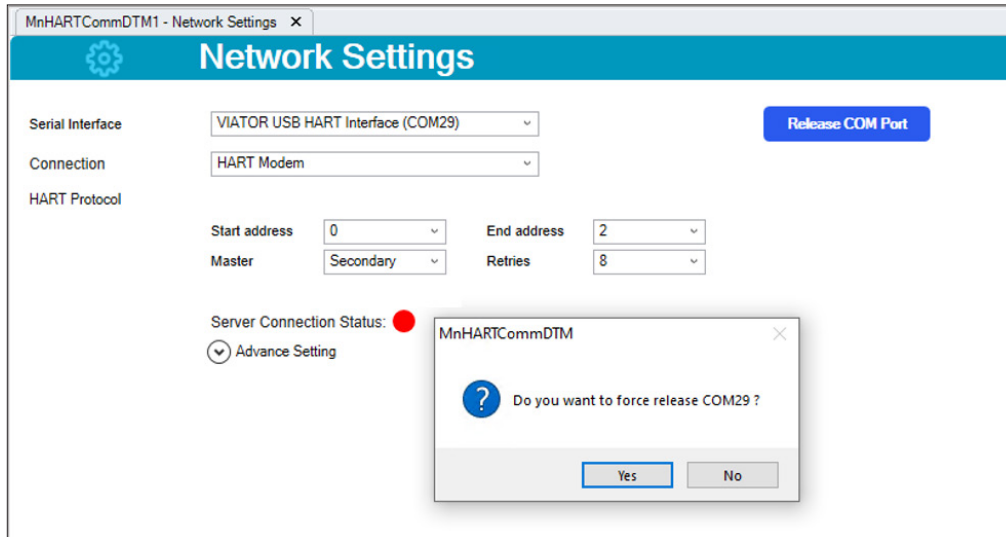


The MnHARTCommDTM HART transaction Log appears.



Release COM Port

If ValVue is terminated unexpectedly, the COM port cannot be released automatically. The server application still occupies the COM port for certain of time. User can click “Release COM Port” button to release the COM Port so ValVue/CommDTM can continue using it.



16. ValVue Application Notes

Resetting ValVue Password: Using Control Panel to Add Windows Login to ValVue Admin Group

This application note details the process Using Control Panel to add a Windows Login to the ValVue Admin Group if there is a ValVue login failure.

Background

During the initial login, ValVue requires you to change the password. For example, if you log in using the most commonly used method ValVue Authentication (Figure 159). The default User Name is: Admin and the Password is ValVue.

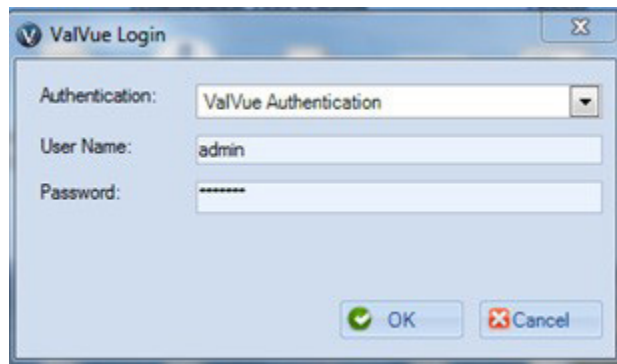


Figure 159 - ValVue Authentication Login

If after this initial login you forget the new password, the error message in Figure 160 appears.

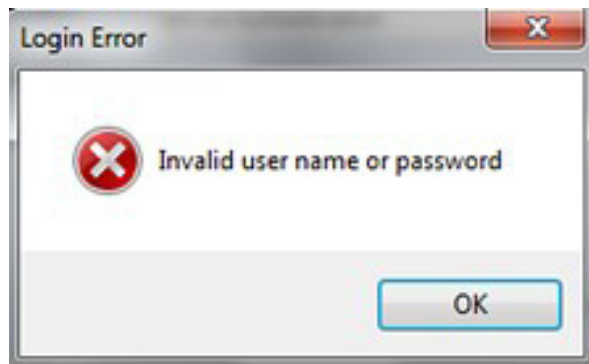


Figure 160 - Login Error

Use this procedure to allow login as Current Windows User. To use this procedure, user must have administrator privileges for the PC.

NOTE



Once you have completed this procedure, you can use ValVue Security Settings to establish a new password. See **Create a New Password** on page 200.

Control Panel Procedure

1. Select **Control Panel > Administrative Tools > Computer Management > Local Users and Groups** and Figure 161 appears.

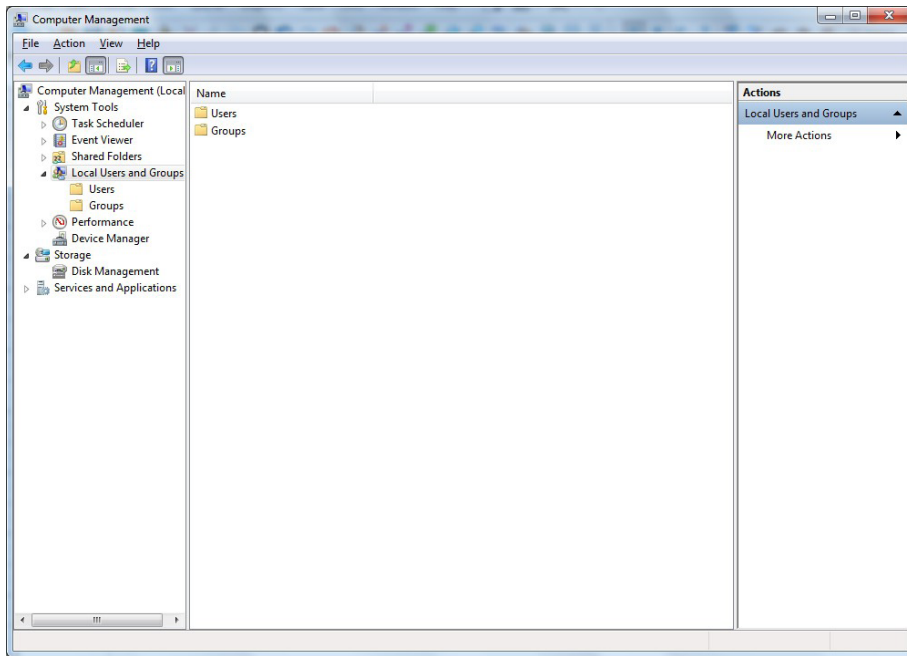


Figure 161 - Local Users and Groups

2. Click **Open Groups**, scroll down and select **ValVueAdminGroup**.

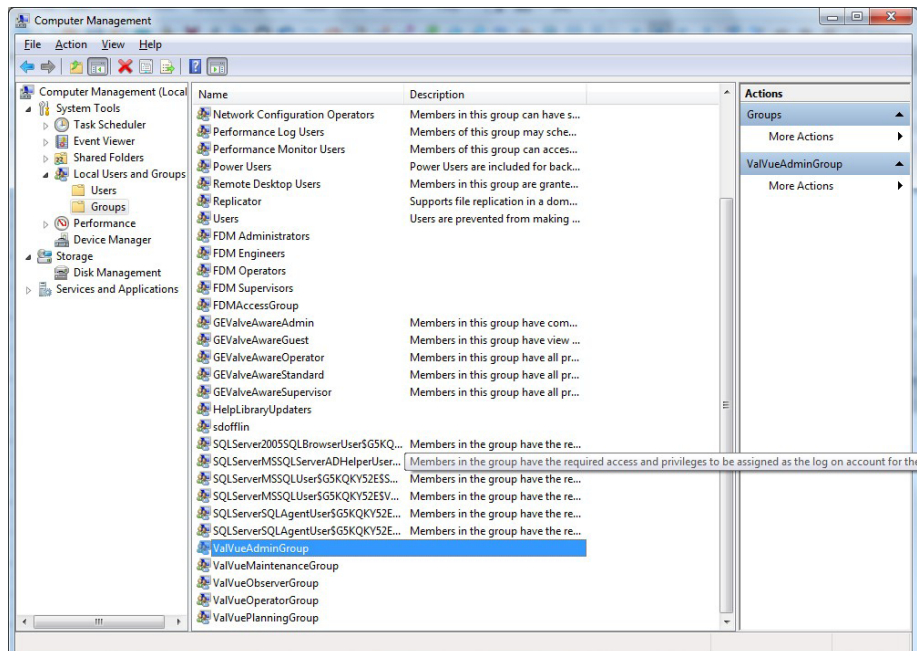


Figure 162 - ValVue Admin Group

3. Double-click **ValVueAdminGroup** and *Properties* appears (Figure 163).

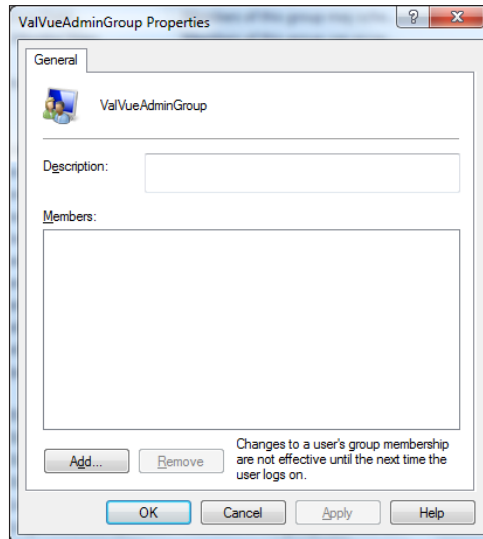


Figure 163 - Properties

4. Click Add and Figure 164 appears.

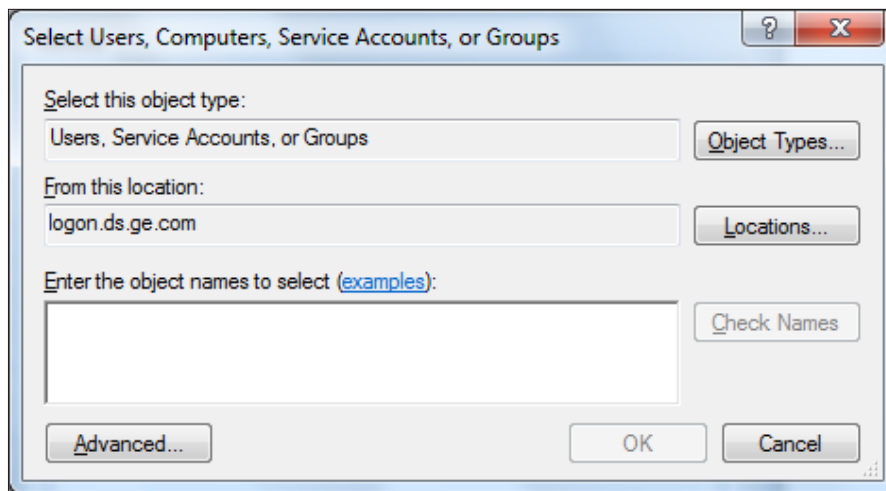


Figure 164 - Select Users, Computer, Service Accounts, or Groups

5. Enter the windows login user name (use SSO, if a Baker Hughes employee). Click **Check Names**, if the user is located correctly, Click **OK**. Figure 163 reappears, click **OK**. Finish closing the *Control Panel* windows.

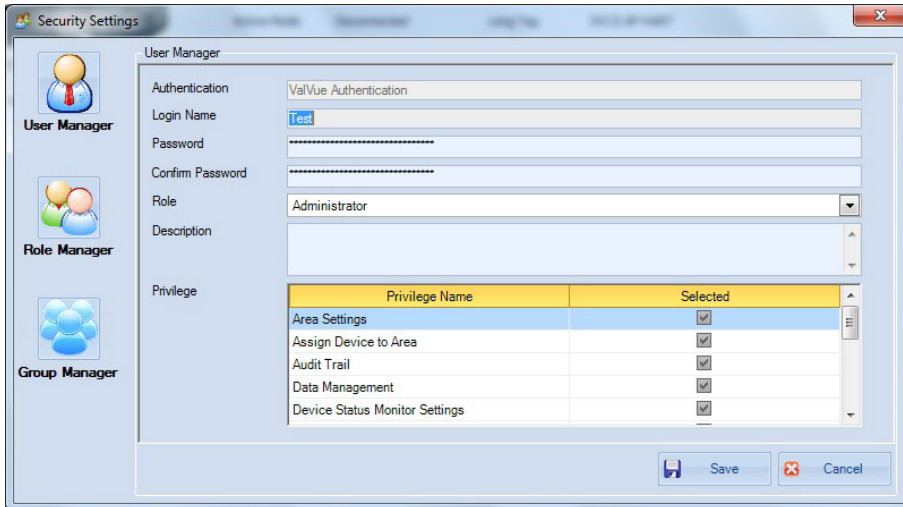


Figure 167 - Edit User Information

3. Enter a new password into the *Password* and *Confirm Password* fields and click **Save**. Close the *Security Settings* screen.

Solution for ValVue/DTM crashing issue caused by navigating DTM to pages displaying trending component (i.e. Setup Wizard, Control, Offline Diagnostics)

Background

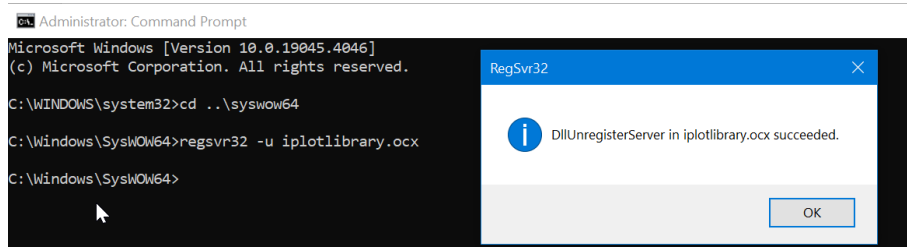
Customer's ValVue was installed on computer with Windows 10 French (Canada) OS. ValVue/DTM can be started correctly after its installation. However, ValVue crashed if navigating DTM menu to Setup Wizard, Control or offline Diagnostics.

Investigation found that all pages that cause ValVue to crash load a third party trending module iPlotLibrary.ocx. Failed to load iPlotLibrary.ocx might be the root cause.

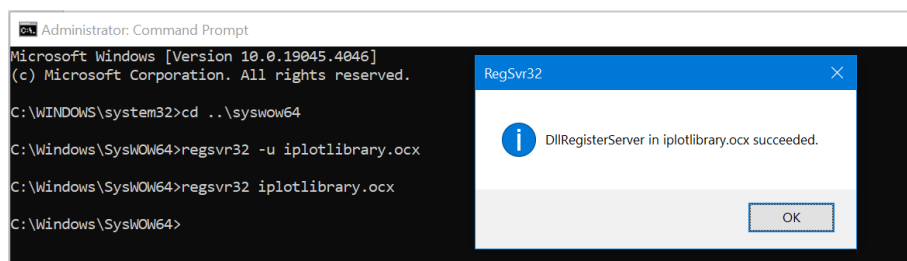
Solution

User must have administrator privilege to follow steps below to resolve the issue.

1. Change Locale Setting: Go to Control Panel->Region->Administrative->Change System Locale-> Change to English (United State)
2. Click OK. Reboot computer when windows prompts.
3. After computer restarts, run Command Prompt as Administrator
 - Type **cd ..\syswow64**
 - Type **Regsvr32 -u iplotlibrary.ocx**



- Type **Regsvr32 iplotlibrary.ocx**



4. Restart ValVue and the issue should go away.
5. Change Locale Setting to original: Control Panel->Region->Administrative->Change System Locale-> Change back to PC's original setting
6. Restart Computer and run ValVue again.

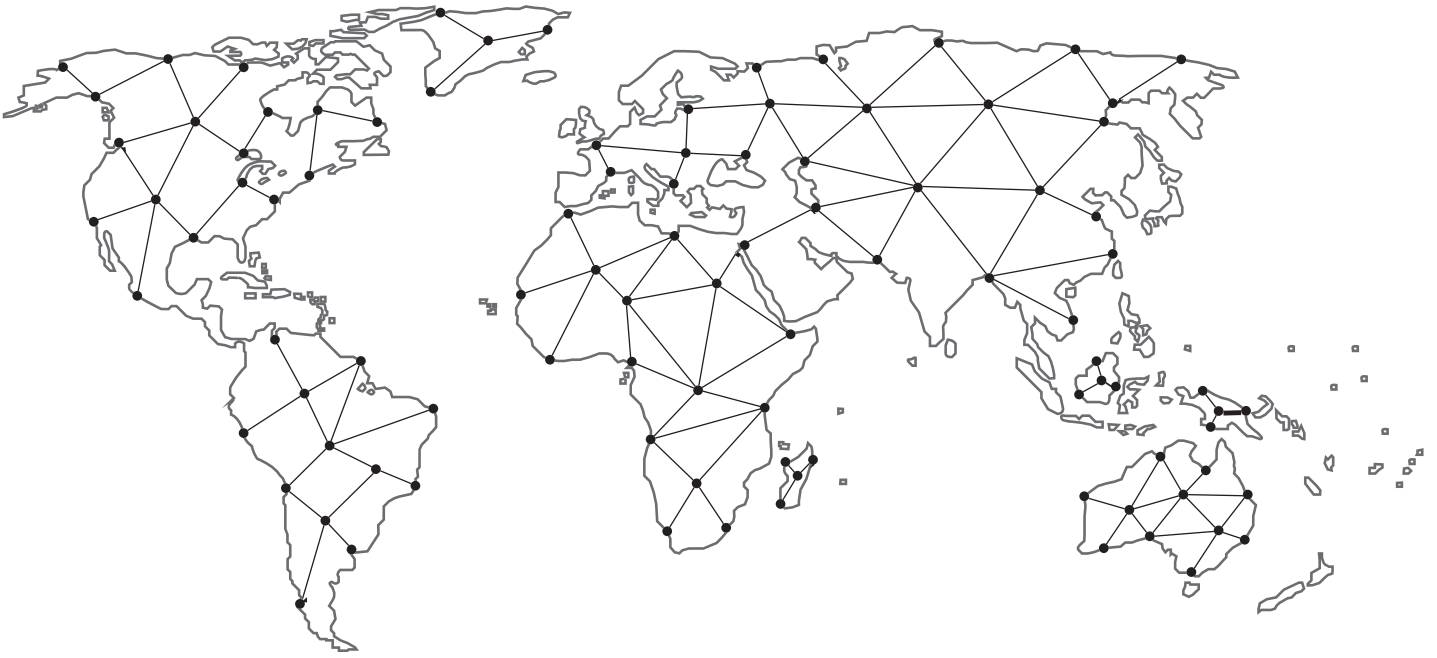
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