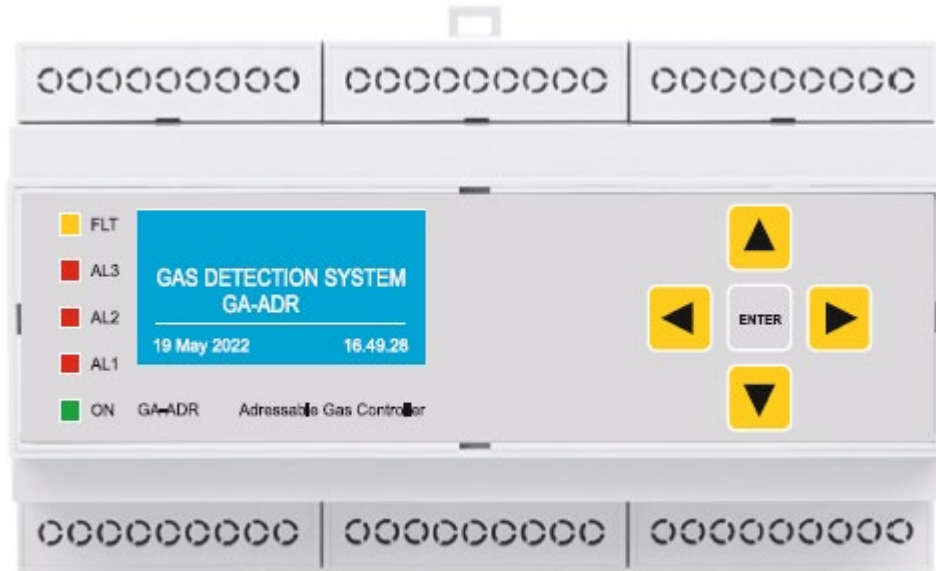




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# GA-ADR GAS CONTROLLER

## Operation Manual

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## 1. General Information

This manual is designed to provide users with simple and precise information. Manufacturer shall not be held responsible or liable for any misinterpretation that may result from the reading of this manual. Although every effort is made to ensure accuracy, this manual may contain unintentional technical inaccuracies.

Please read the following notice carefully before installation and start-up, paying particular attention to the end-user safety instructions. This user's guide should be distributed to every individual involved in the start-up, use, maintenance or repair of the product. The information contained in this manual, the data and technical drawings are correct as of the date of publication. Should questions arise, please contact Invest Electronics Ltd for additional information.

Manufacturer reserves the right to modify the technical characteristics of its equipment without notice to improve product performance. This user manual and its contents are the inalienable property of Invest Electronics Ltd

## 2. Safety Warnings



Installation and electric connections should be performed by a qualified professional, according to Manufacturer's specifications and to the standards of authorities in the field. Failure to observe these rules may result in serious injury. Accuracy, particularly regarding electricity and assembly (couplings, network connections) is imperative.

Icons have been placed on the sensor to call attention to general use safety precautions. These labels are an integral component of the sensor. The meanings of these labels are described below.

## 3. Symbols



Please refer to the instructions.



**Caution:** In the current operating mode, failure to adhere to the instructions preceding this symbol can result in a risk of electric shock or death.



**This equipment must be grounded**



**Safety grounding terminal.** A cable of adequate diameter must ground any terminal with this signal.



The accordance with Directive DEEE (2002/96/EC) this product may not be disposed with household waste. Dispose of this product at a collection site intended for electrical waste.

#### **4. Important Information**

The modification of any component or the use of any third party components will automatically void any and all guarantees. The central controller is intended to be used for precise applications of a technical nature. Exceeding the indicated values is strictly prohibited.

#### **5. Limitation of liability**

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#### **6. Warranty**

We hereby guarantee that gas detection controllers GA-ADR.E1 have been manufactured and tested to the highest quality standards.

We warrant above products to be free from materials and work defects for the period of 12 months from the date of purchase. If such defects appears during the warrantee period products will be repaired or replaced with new products without charge.

#### **7. Technical specifications**

The GA-ADR gas controller is a compact, economic unit, which is available in different versions and can handle up to 32 sensors and it is provided with 4 internal potential-free relays.

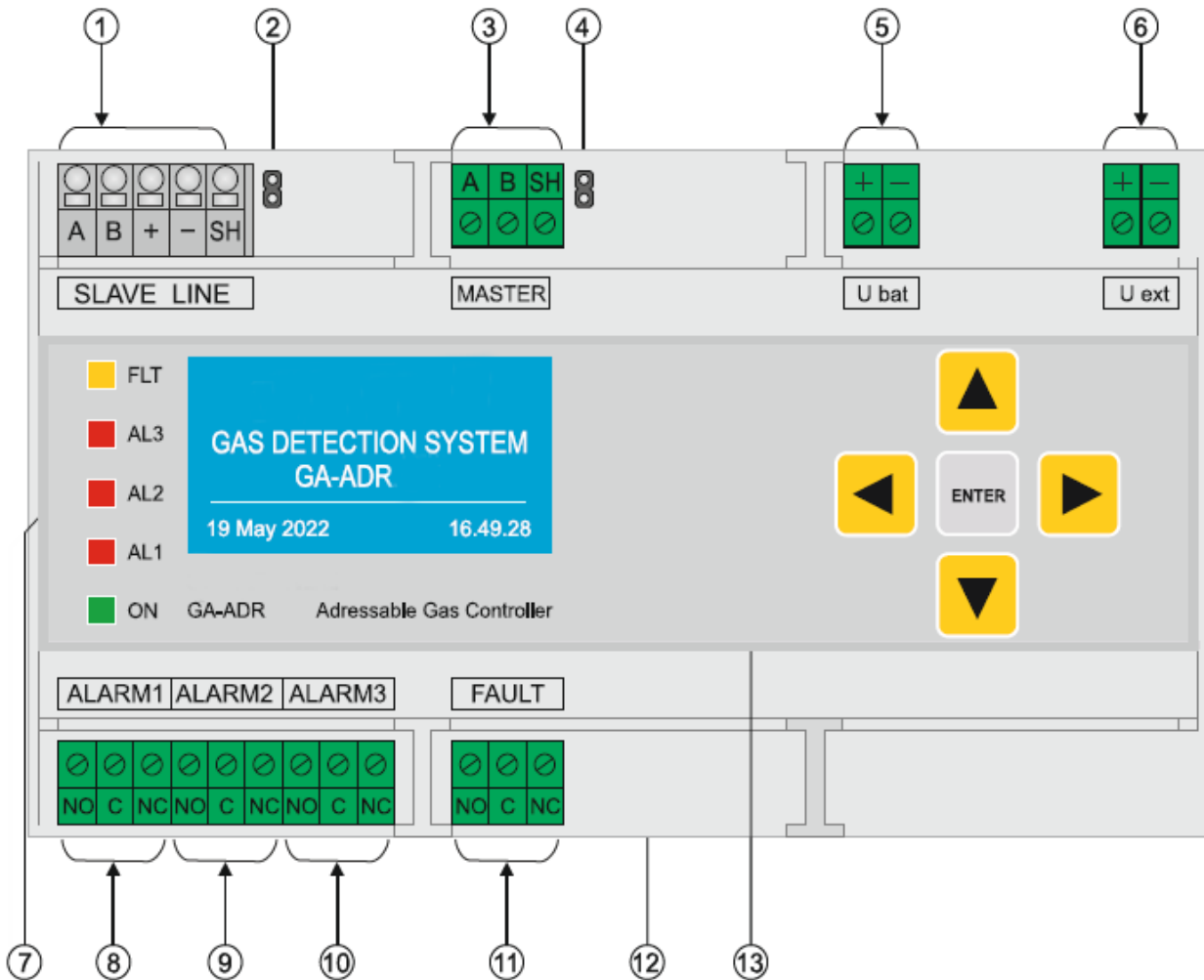
The GA-ADR gas controller is intended for installation on the DIN rail. The controller can be connected to combustible or toxic gas detectors, or oxygen detectors. The measured gas concentration are compared to the measurement from the detector is displayed on the display. In the event that the measurement exceeds the threshold, the controller activates the relays which can control external components (acoustic/light signal or solenoid valve).

**Tabl. Technical specifications**

<b>Controller Model</b>	<b>GA-ADR -16-DC</b>	<b>GA-ADR -32-DC</b>
<b>INPUTS</b>		
Number of input lines	1	1
Number of slaves	16	32
<b>POWER SUPPLY</b>		
Main power supply-DC	24 VDC	24 VDC
Back-up battery	24VDC/8A/h	24VDC/8Ah
Power consumption	Max 9W	Max 9W
<b>ALARMS</b>		
Alarm events	AL-1, AL-2, AL-3, FAULT	AL-1, AL-2, AL-3, FAULT
Alarming	LED, Internal buzzer	LED, Internal buzzer
Output relays	4 Relays SPDT-250V/2A	4 Relays SPDT-250V/2A
<b>ENVIRONMENTAL</b>		
Working temperature	-10 - +55°C	-10 - +55°C
Humidity	0 – 95% R.H.	0 – 95% R.H.
<b>MECHANICAL</b>		
Sizes	160 x 90 x 58mm	160 x 90 x 58mm
Weight	0,250kg	0,325kg
Enclosure material	ABS	ABS
Mounting method	DIN rail	DIN rail
<b>CERTIFICATION</b>		
Conformity mark	CE	CE
Standards applied	EN 50270	EN 50270

## 8. General introduction

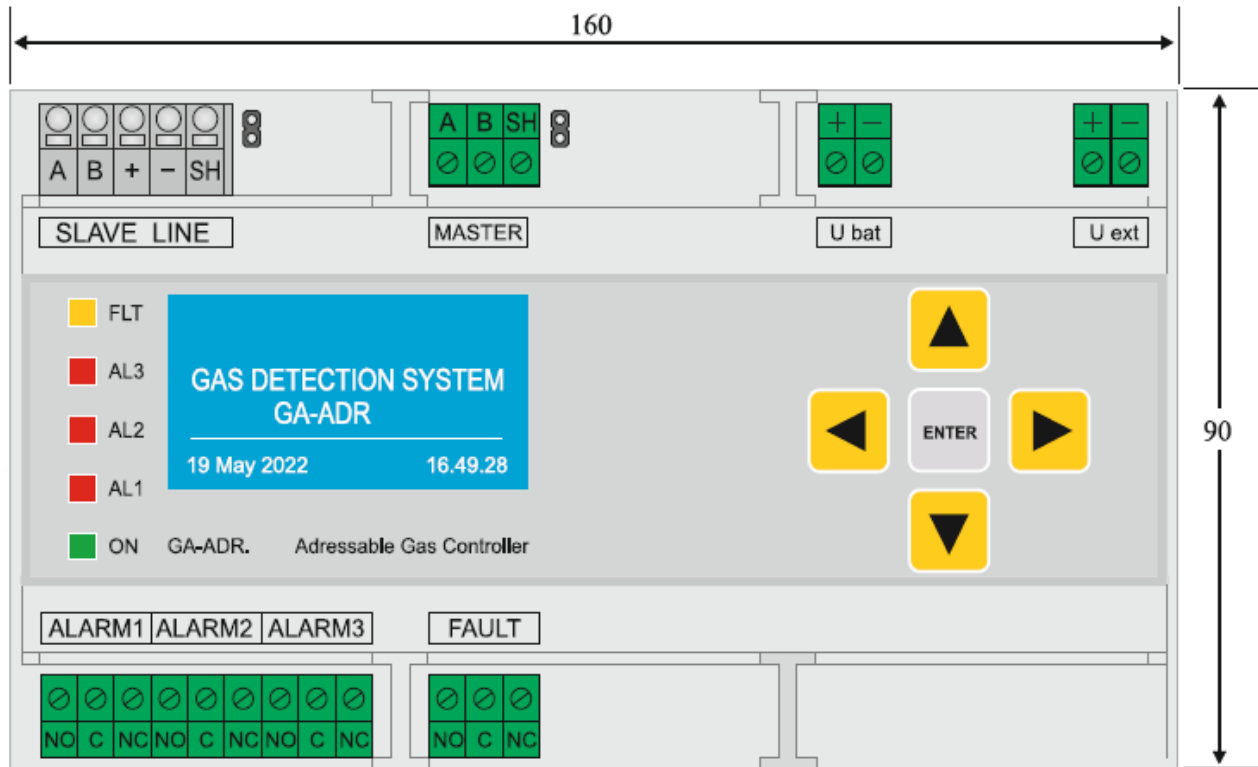
### Gas Controller GA-ADR



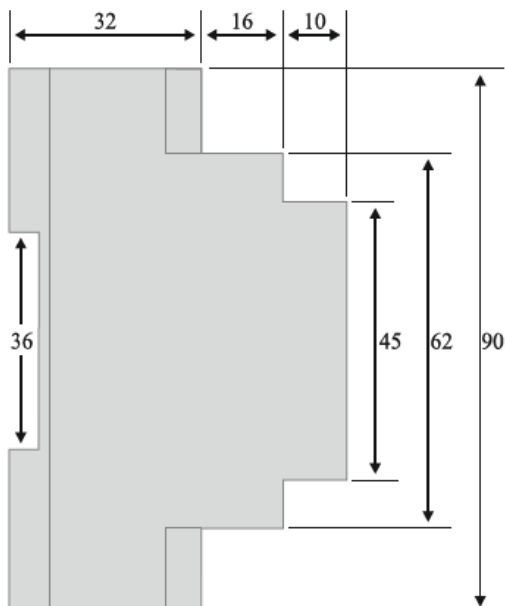
- (1) SLAVE line terminal blocks
- (2) Termination jumper for the slave line
- (3) MASTER line terminal blocks
- (4) Termination jumper for the master line
- (5) External battery connection terminals
- (6) External power supply 24 VDC
- (7) LED indication
- (8) Relay output Alarm 1
- (9) Relay output Alarm 2
- (10) Relay output Alarm 3
- (11) Relay output Alarm 4
- (12) Graphic LCD display
- (13) Keyboard

## 9. Mechanical drawing

Front view



Side view





## 10. Installation and wiring

### 10.1. Mounting the controller

The GA-ADR should be mounted on DIN rail. The controller may be installed in any area except for explosive atmospheres, ideally in a monitored area (control room, equipment room, security office, etc.), in a dry (no condensation) and temperate area. The controller's front panel should be forward facing, so that settings, monitoring and wiring can be easily accessed.

If ex-sensors are used, note the following checks must be carried out:

- The device must not show any damage or other conspicuous changes;
- The IP protection of the device must conform to the operational and environmental conditions;
- The operator must have already defined zones;
- Check whether the device category corresponds to the predefined zones.
  - Check the product documentation, whether any upstream safety devices (fuse, etc.) are required.
  -

### 10.2. Electrical connection

Gas detectors must be connected using shielded cable with twisted pair for communication **A** and **B** terminals and another pair for the power supply of gas detectors.

-Recommended is shielded cable 4x1.50mm - 2 twisted pairs. Data transmission with this cable is guaranteed up to approx. 1000 m.

-Using power supply 24VDC-5A for 32 pcs explosive gas detectors, 100 -150m distance from the power supply to detectors is possible. When more detectors or longer distance is required detectors can be powered locally and communication between detectors and controller is to be with 1 communication cable (twisted pair) with section 1.50mm and up to 1000m long.

The end of line resistor must be connected in the last device by placing of a end of line jumper. It should be 3000ohm and at least 0.25W.

Cable shielding must be connected to the cable shielding terminal of the gas controller.



The electrical connection must:

- Be carried out by a specialist and (with the controller) with the power supply disconnected.
- Verify the power supply grid must correspond to the supply indicated on the controller.
- Use a power cable connected to the grid 24 VDC with a minimum diameter of 1.5 mm<sup>2</sup> and a maximum diameter of 2.5mm<sup>2</sup>.



The GA-ADR does not have an on/off switch. Certain power supplies can cause serious or fatal injury. All installation and wiring should be performed before turning on the power supply.

Incorrect installation can lead to measurement errors or system failure, all instructions in this manual must be followed carefully to guarantee proper system operation.

### 10.3. Ground connection



The controller power supply must be connected to a functional ground connection. The ground terminal is indicated with the following symbol

#### **10.4. Power supply 24 VDC**

Protection is provided by fuse. The sector power supply must be wired to the two terminals marked+ and - on the label of power supply unit. The power supply must be protected upstream by a differential bipolar circuit breaker with a nominal current of 1A. The response curve must be type D.

#### **10.5. Battery back-up power supply 24 VDC**

The 24 VDC power supply is connected to the terminals **Ubat** + and - as shown in the back panel picture of the controller.

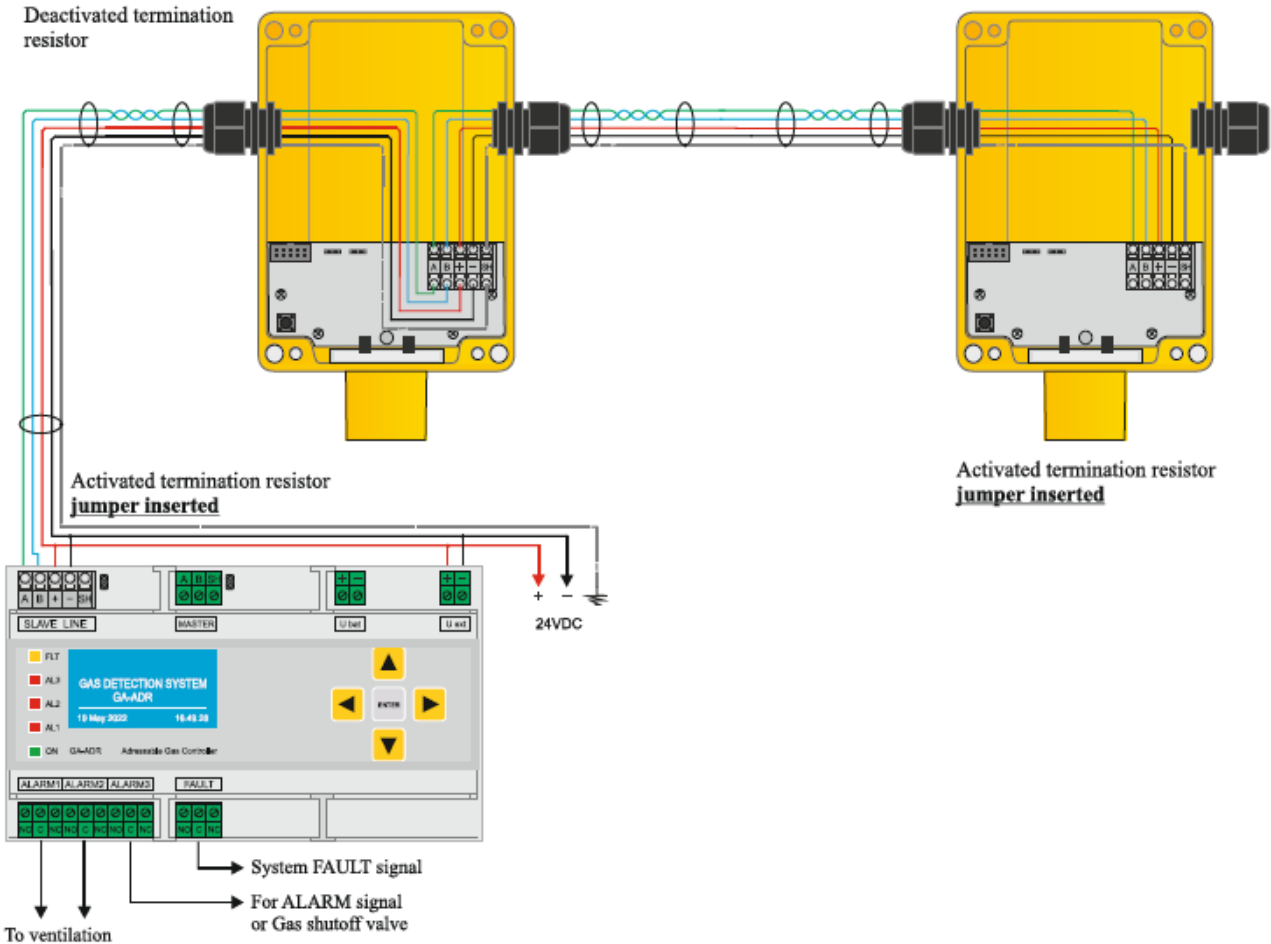
#### **10.6. Detector input**

Detectors are connected to the terminals "A" "B" at the slave line terminal blocks. GA-ADR is designed to work with detector type GS-300 or GDPC. Communication between controller and the detectors takes place via RS485.

#### **10.7. Relay outputs**

The controller GA-ADR has 4 relay outputs which correspond to the preprogrammed alarm thresholds and FAULT of sensors or connection line. The relays are voltage free.

**10.8. Typical wiring diagrams of gas detection system including gas detection controller GA-ADR, addressable gas detectors GS-300 and addressable relay module**



## 11. Operating instructions

### 11.1. Initial connecting

After correct wiring apply the power supply to the gas detection system.

The display of the unit will show the text "Initialization missing", press Enter and you will go to the main menu.

Select "Setting" from the main menu and enter with factory password "2000" (can be changed later). Go to the submenu and select "Initialization" to start the boot procedures. Once the procedures are completed, the system will enter "Normal operation mode" and the menu will be accessible via the buttons.

**Note:** in this phase it is recommended to assign a name (e.g. room n°1- room n°2...etc.) to each serial number of the detectors installed and detected by the controller in the initialization phase.

This operation will be essential if an event occurs, as the unit will display the serial number of the detector that reported the event.

# 11.2. Access to Main menu

When all units are operating normally:

When one or more units are not operating normally:

**GAS SENSE**  
 Gas Detection System  
 GA-ADR-1-16 (06)  
 Software v.5.21.11.2017

**GAS SENSE**  
 Gas Detection System  
 GA-ADR-1-16 (06)  
 Software v.5.21.11.2017

Start

Start

**GAS SENSE**  
 GAS DETECTION SYSTEM  
 Normal Operation  
 21.11.2017

**GAS DETECTION SYSTEM**  
 GAS DETECTION SYSTEM  
 AL-1: 1 FLT: 0  
 AL-2: 0 CLBR: 0  
 AL-3: 0 WARM: 0  
 SOUND ON: NONE  
 21.11.2017

Home

Home

**Main Menu**  
 Status Information  
 Log  
 Settings  
 Quit

**Main Menu**  
 Status Information  
 Log  
 Settings  
 Quit

**Main Menu**  
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 Settings  
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System Information

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Password required for access to 'Settings' sub-menu.

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 Quit

Main Menu

Main Menu

Entry:	Type:
0027/0027	AL-1

SN:	methane	CO/LEL
00000	methane	CO/LEL

18:07:53	21.11.2017
18:07:53	21.11.2017

Entry:	Type:
0027/0027	AL-1

SN:	methane	CO/LEL
00000	methane	CO/LEL

18:07:53	21.11.2017
18:07:53	21.11.2017

L.I.X	SN	Gas/DT	Stat
1.X	0000	Expander1	OK
1.X	0000	Expander2	OK
1.X	0000	Expander3	OK
1.X	0000	Expander4	OK
1.1	0000	methane	AL-1

L.I.X	SN	Gas/DT	Stat
1.X	0000	Expander1	OK
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1.X	0000	Expander4	OK
1.1	0000	methane	AL-1

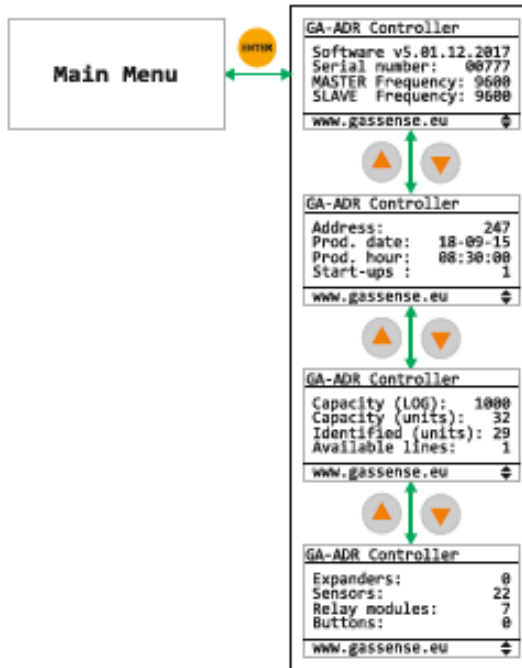
L.I.X	ADR:	SN:
1.1.X	ADR:033	SN:00104

L.I.X	ADR:	SN:
1.1.X	ADR:033	SN:00104

detailed information

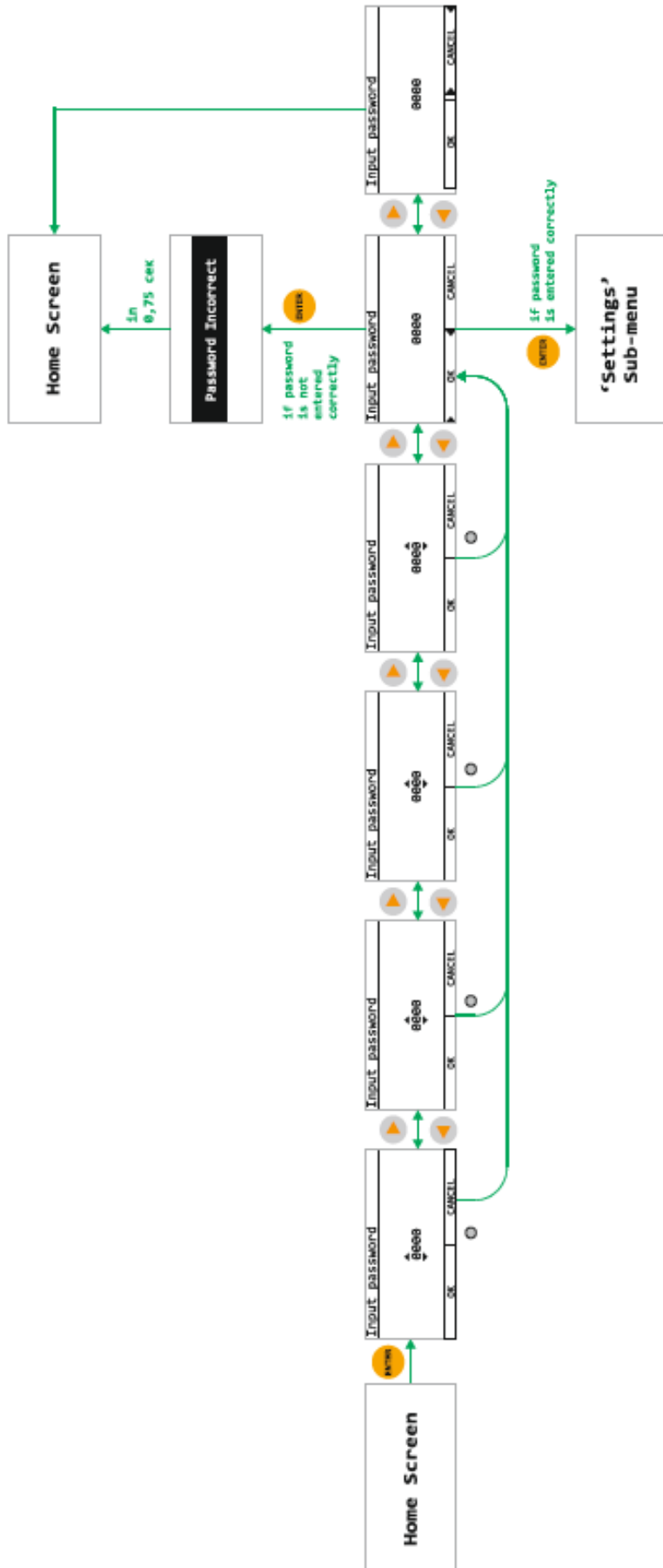
Detailed Information

### 11.3. System Information sub-menu

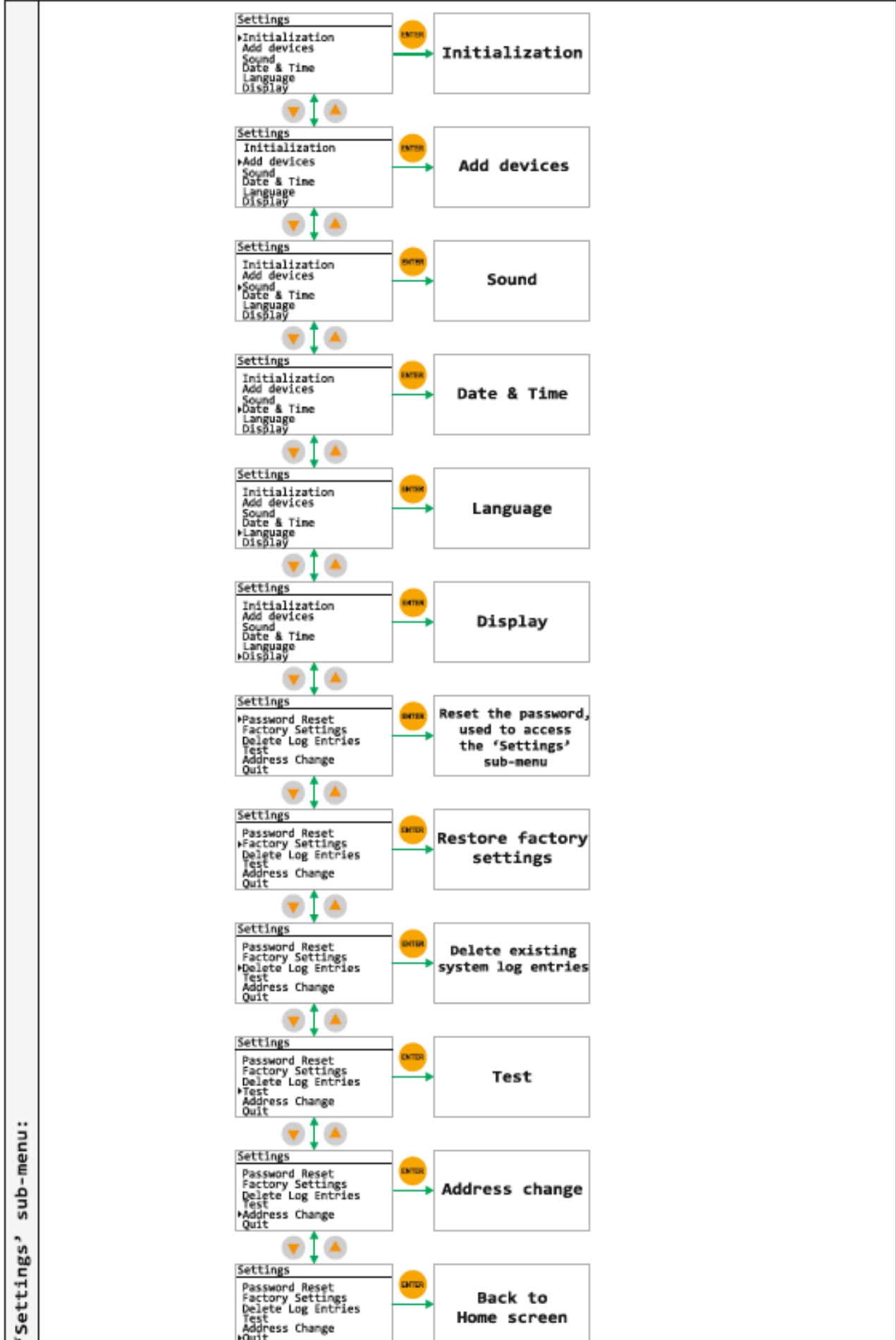


## 11.4.Settings sub-menu – entering the password

Access to “SETTINGS” sub-menu - (password is required):

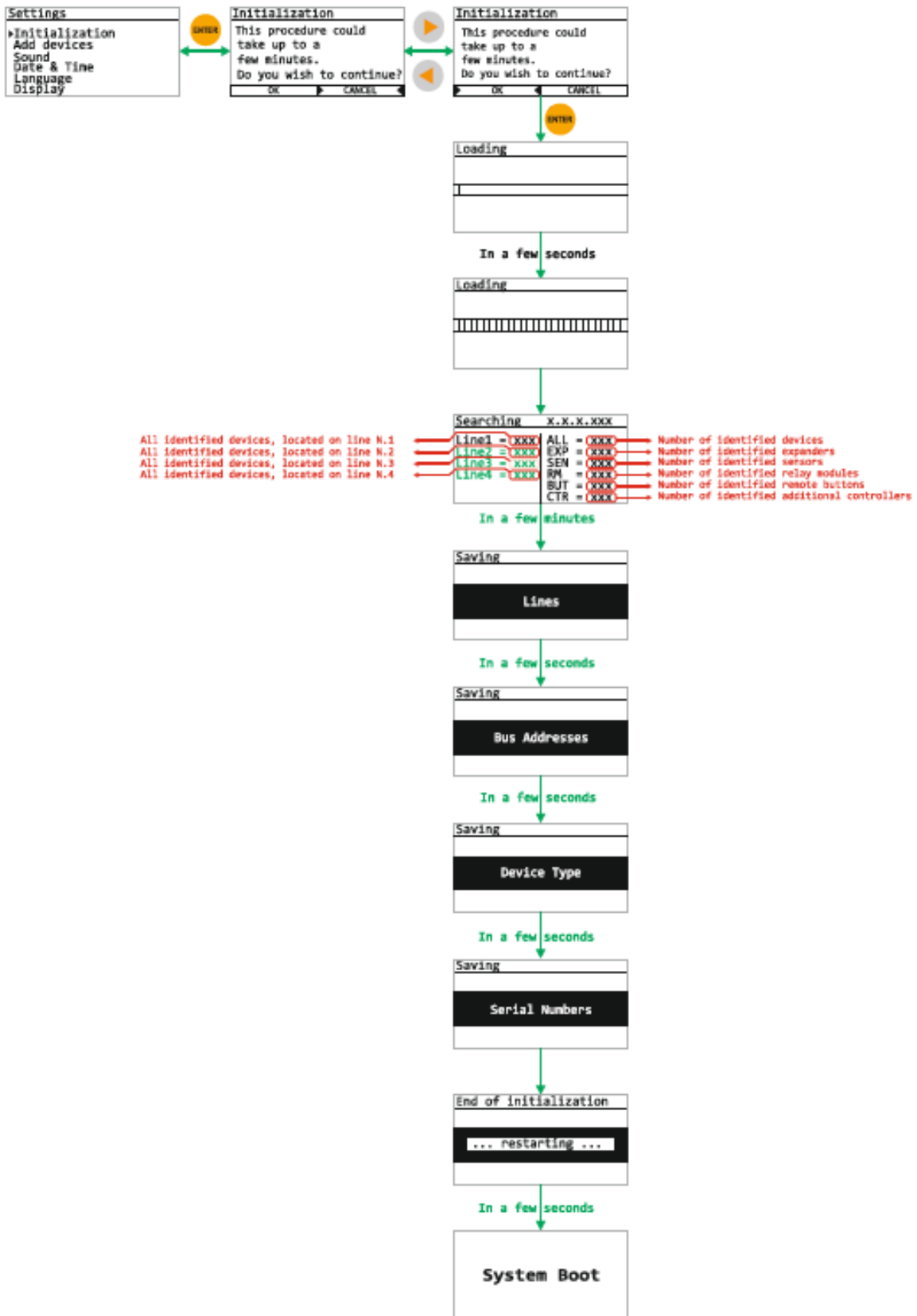


## 11.5.Settings sub-menu - options

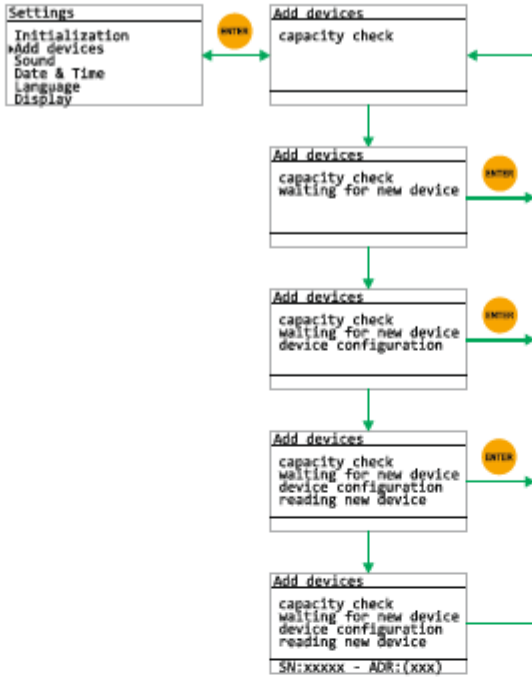




## 11.6. 'Settings' sub-menu - 'Initialization'



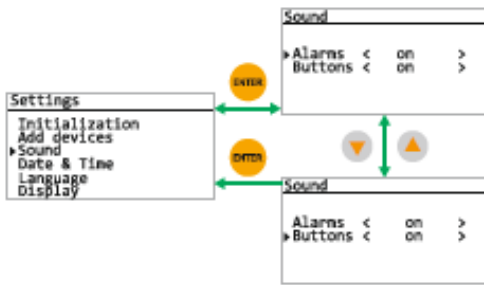
11.7. 'Settings' sub-menu - 'Add devices'



'Settings' sub-menu - 'Add devices'

## 11.8. 'Settings' sub-menu - 'Sound'

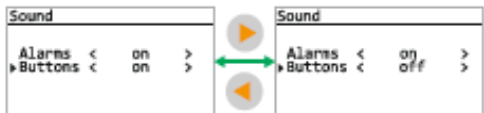
### 'Settings' sub-menu - 'Sound'



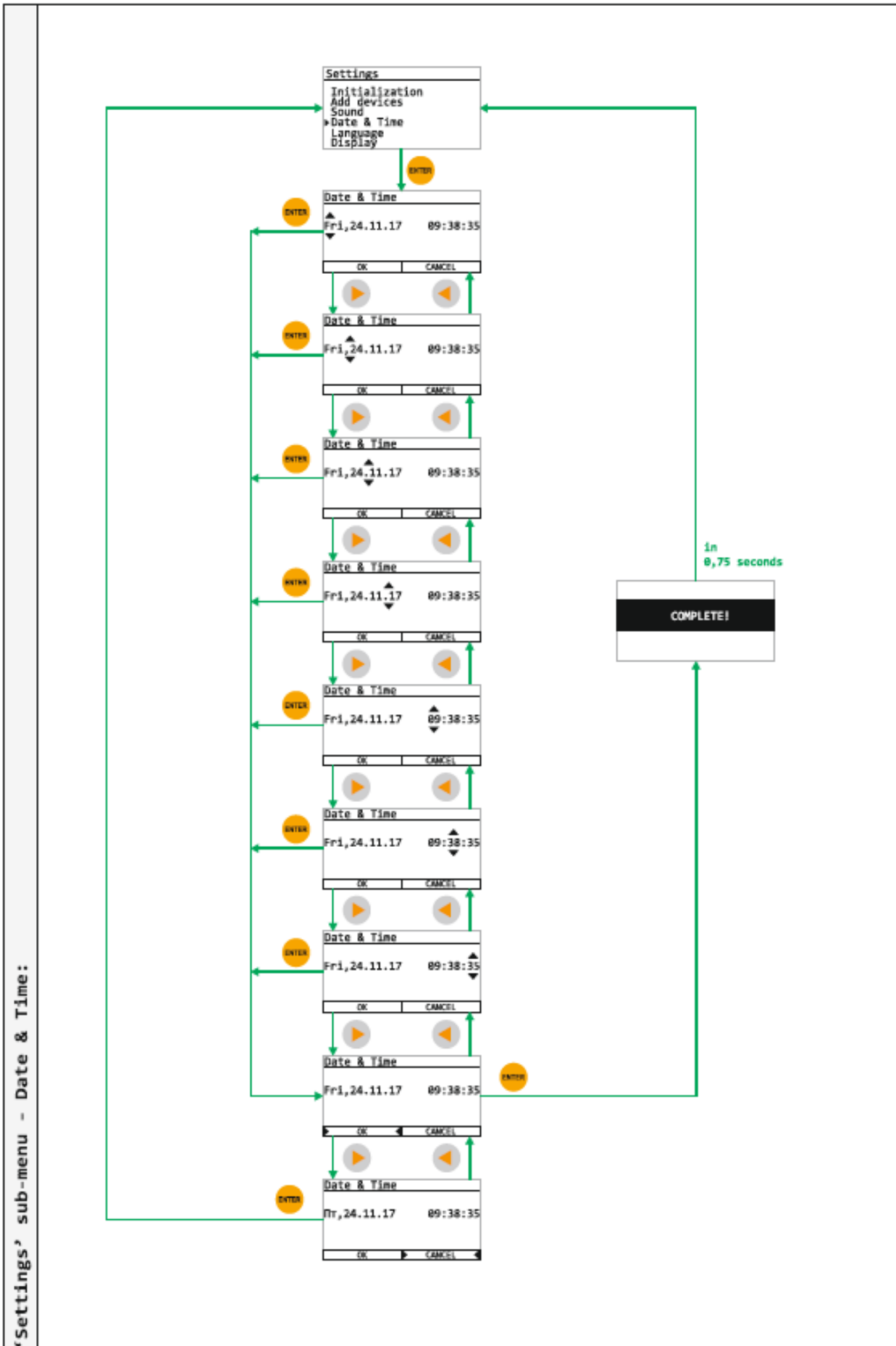
### Toggling alarm sound:



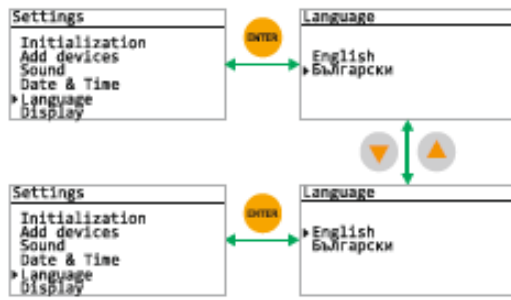
### Toggling button sound:



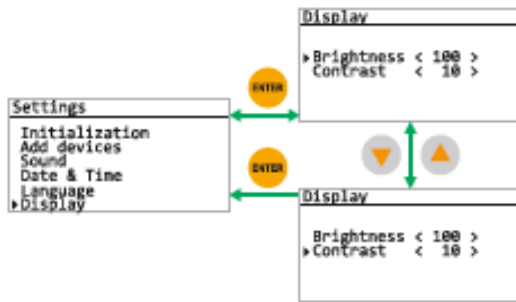
### 11.9. 'Settings' sub-menu - Date & Time



## 11.10. 'Settings' sub-menu - 'Language'



## 11.11. 'Settings' sub-menu - 'Display'



### Changing the brightness of the display:

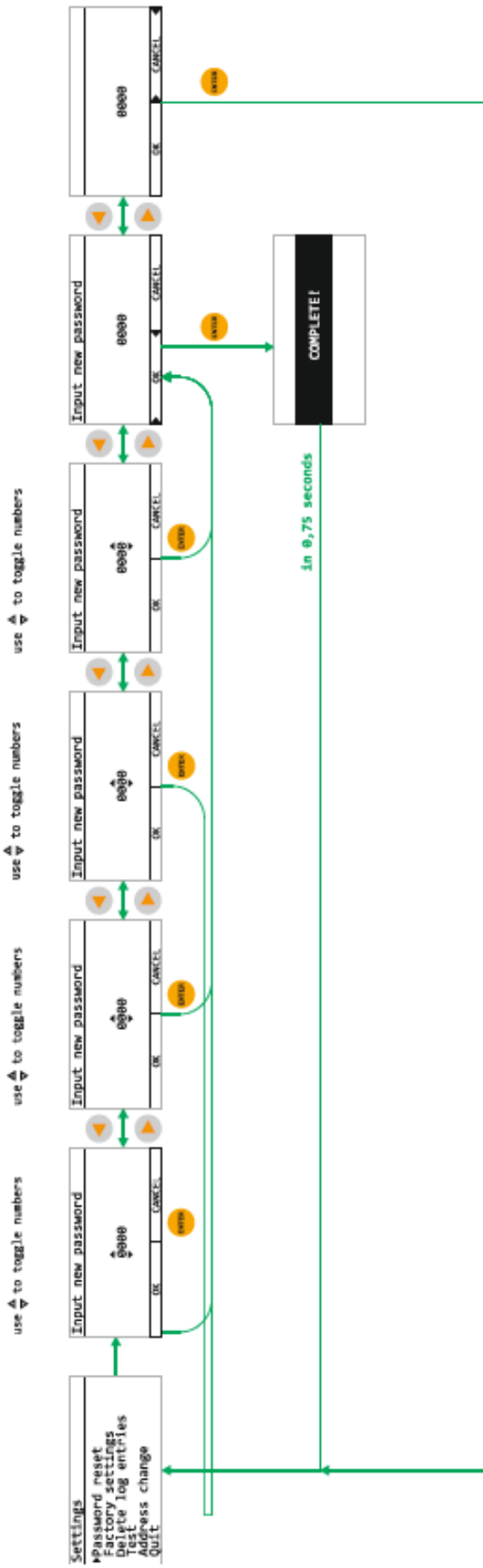


### Changing the contrast of the display:

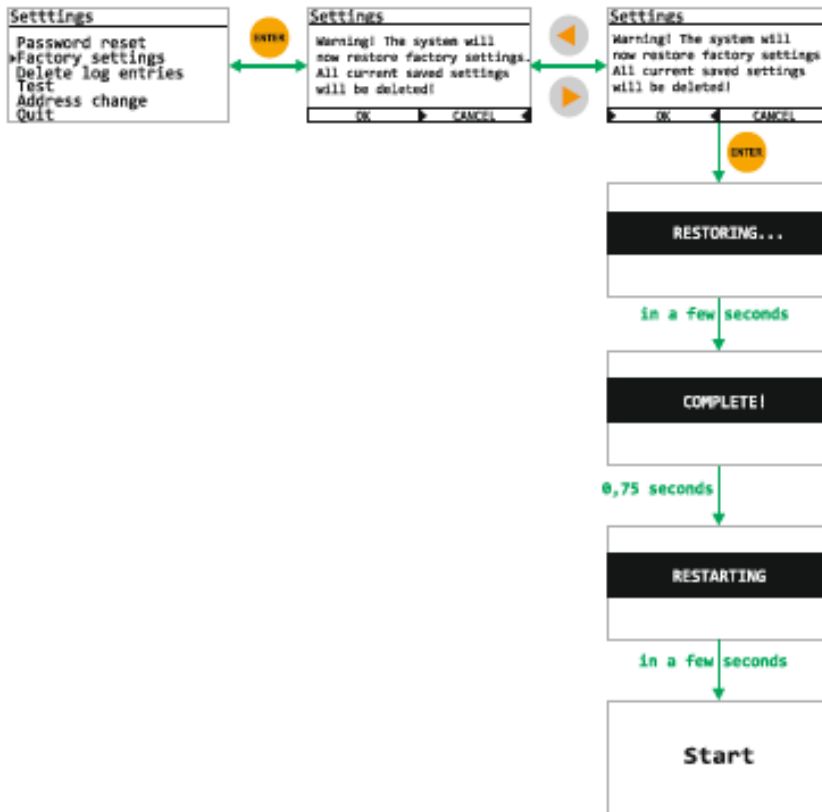


## 11.12. 'Settings' sub-menu - 'Password reset'

### 'Settings' sub-menu - 'Password reset'

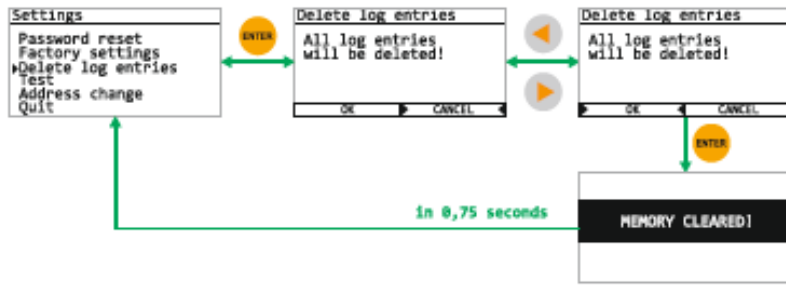


### 11.13. 'Settings' sub-menu - 'Factory Settings'

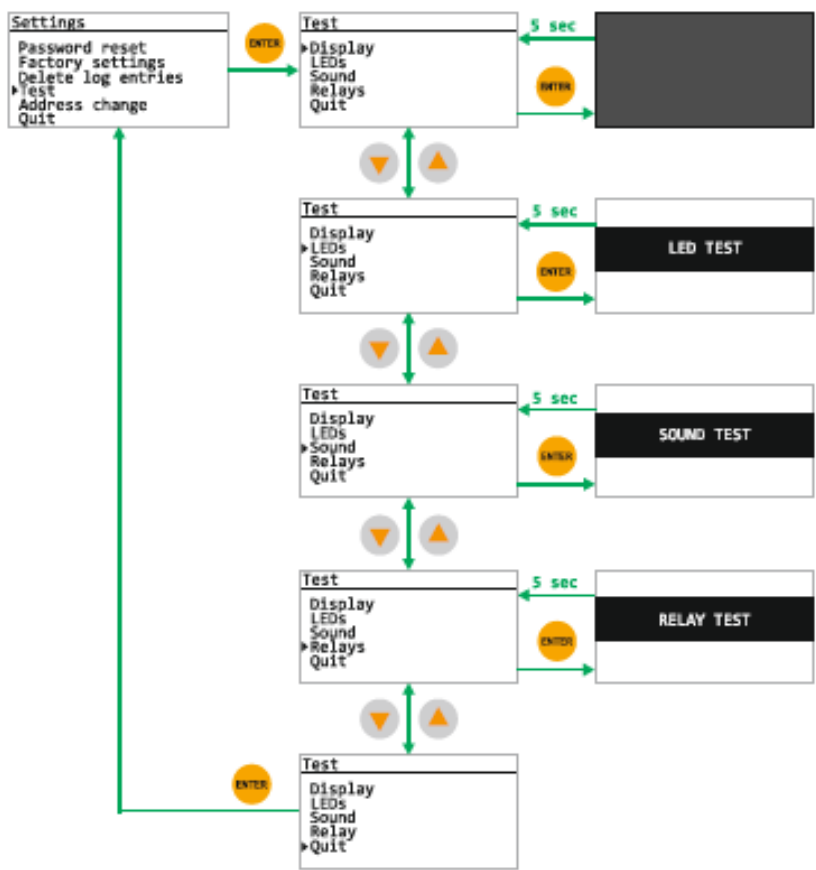




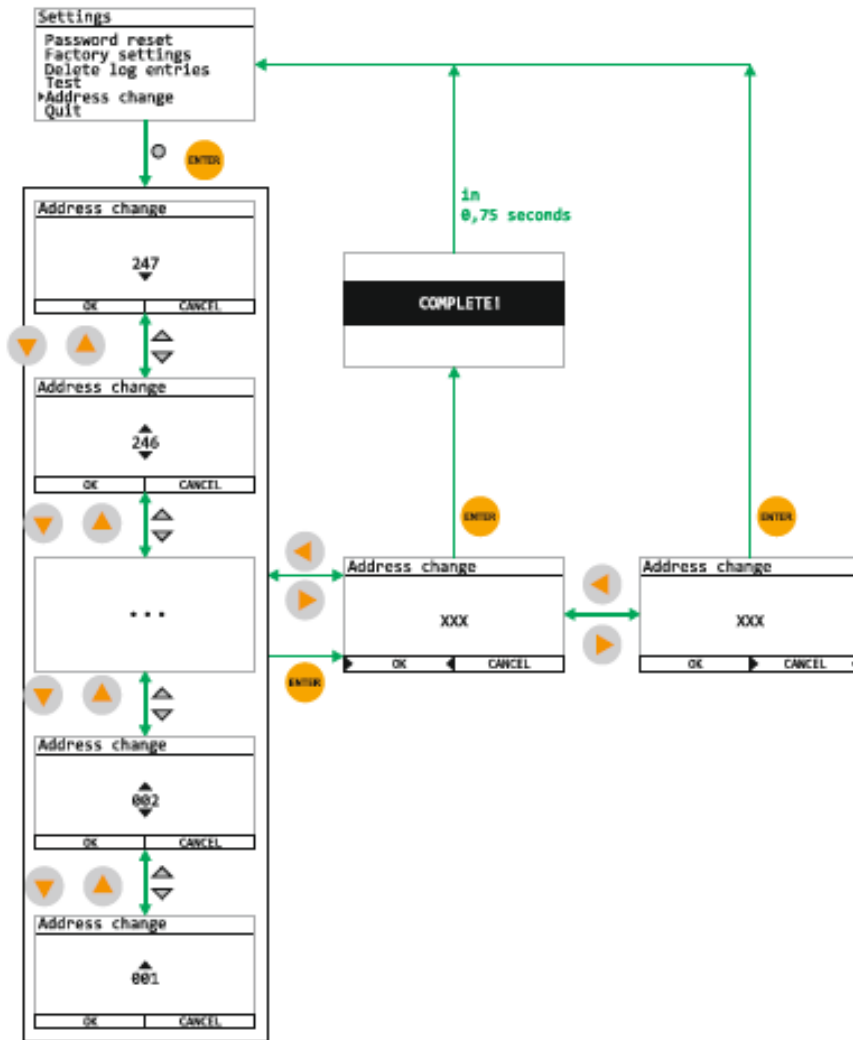
### 11.14. 'Settings' sub-menu - 'Delete Log Entries'



# 11.15. 'Settings' sub-menu - 'Test'



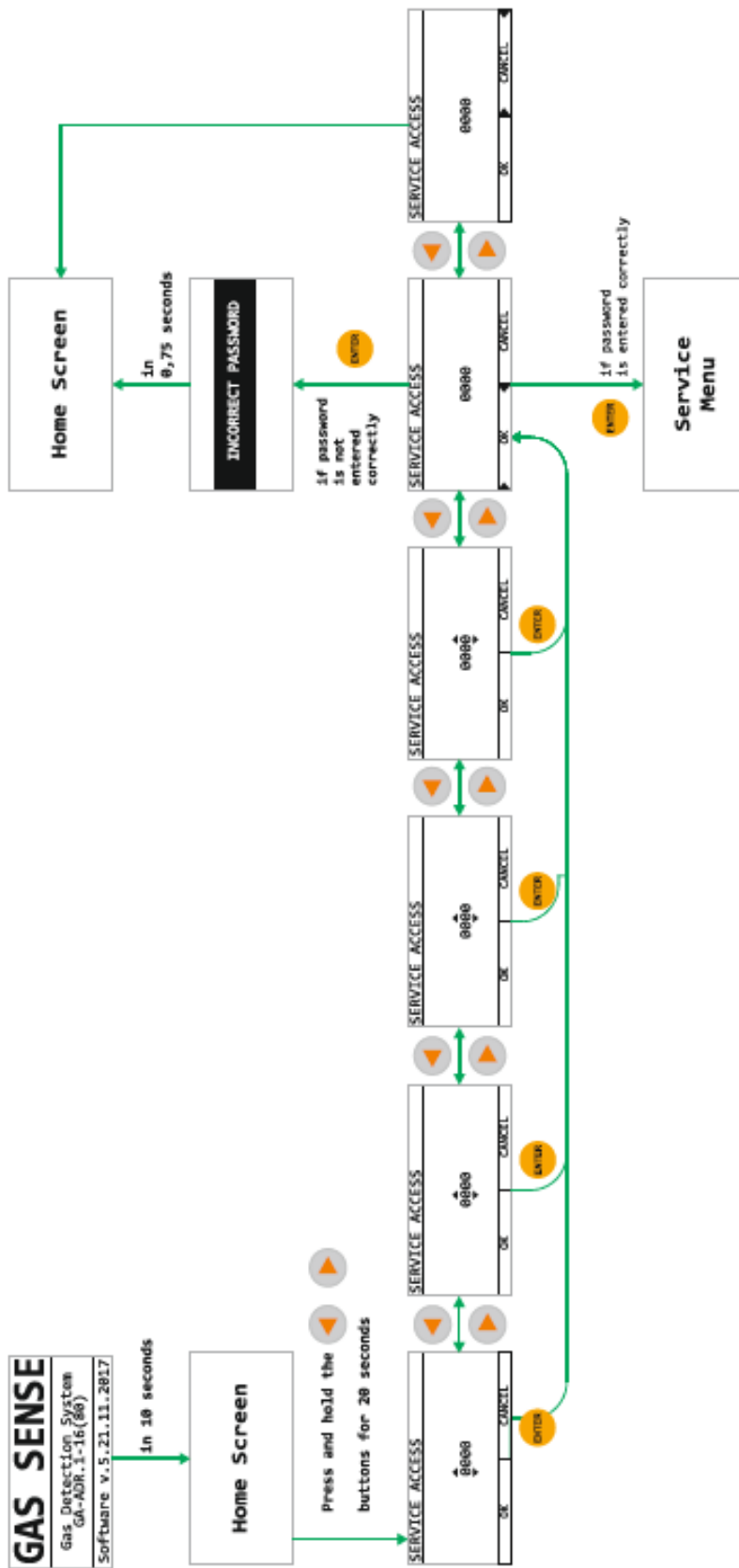
### 11.16. 'Settings' sub-menu - 'Address Change'



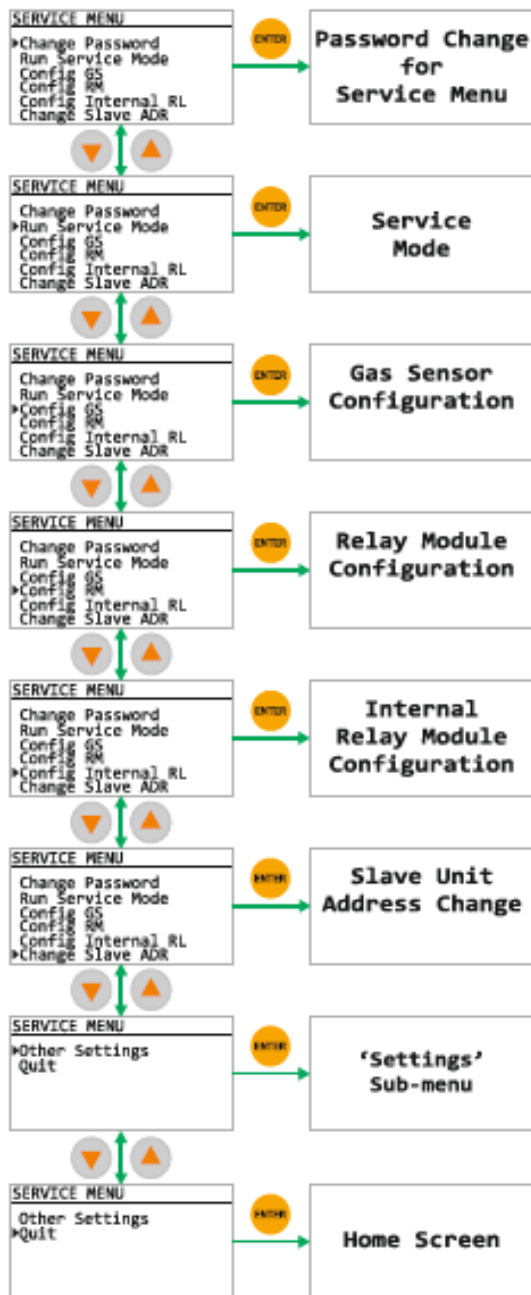
'Settings' sub-menu - 'Address Change'

11.17. 'Service Menu' – entering the password

'Service Menu' (password required):

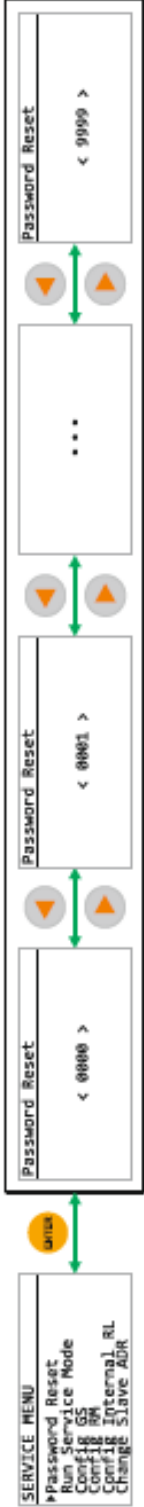


## 11.18. 'Service Menu' Description



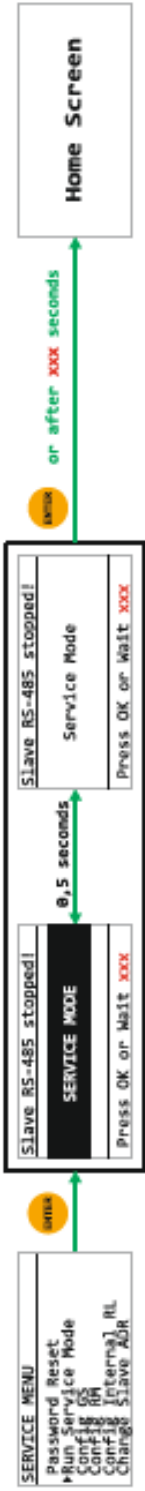
11.19.Password Reset for 'Service Menu'

Password Reset for 'Service Menu' :



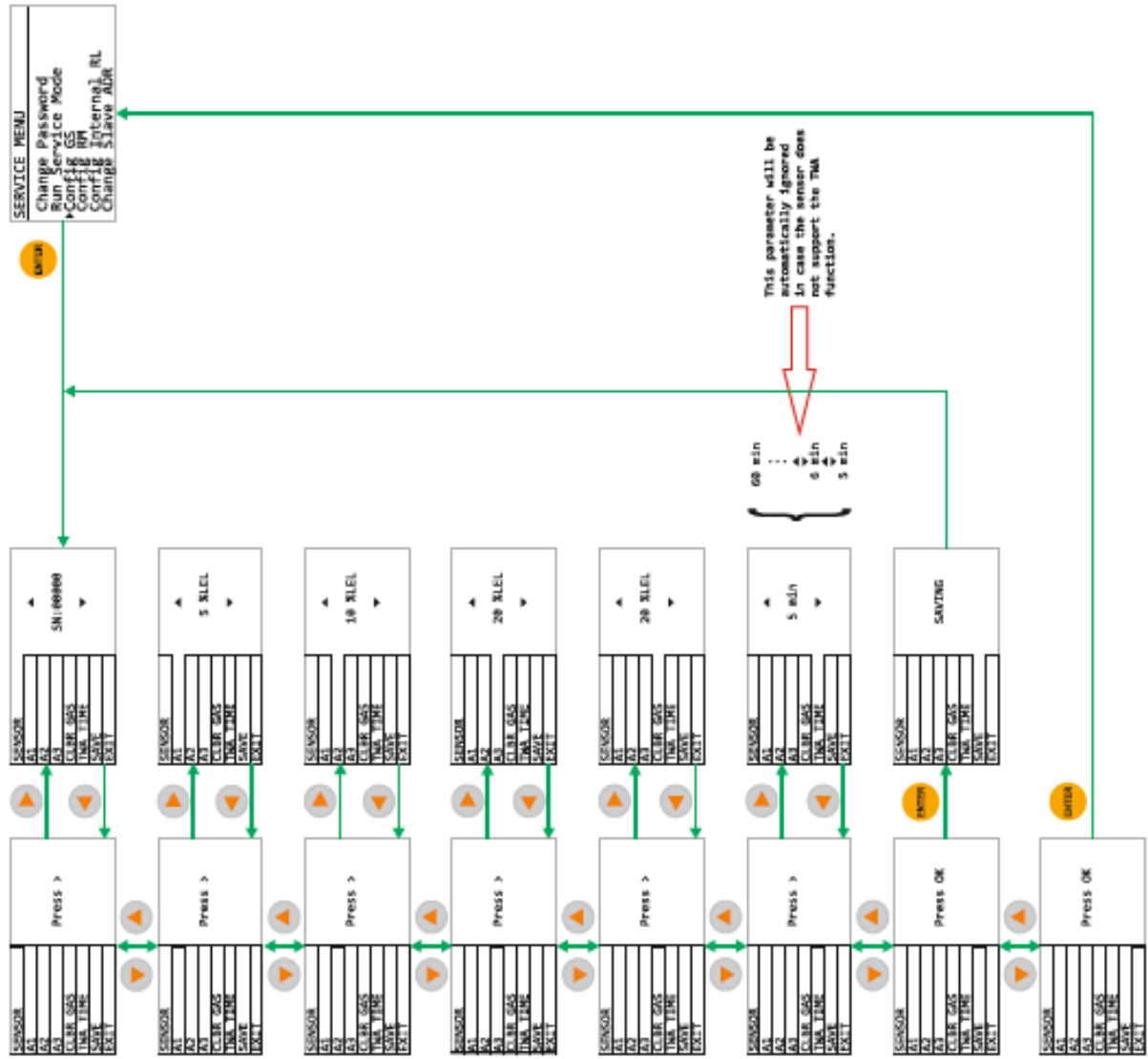
# 11.20. Service Mode

## Service Mode:



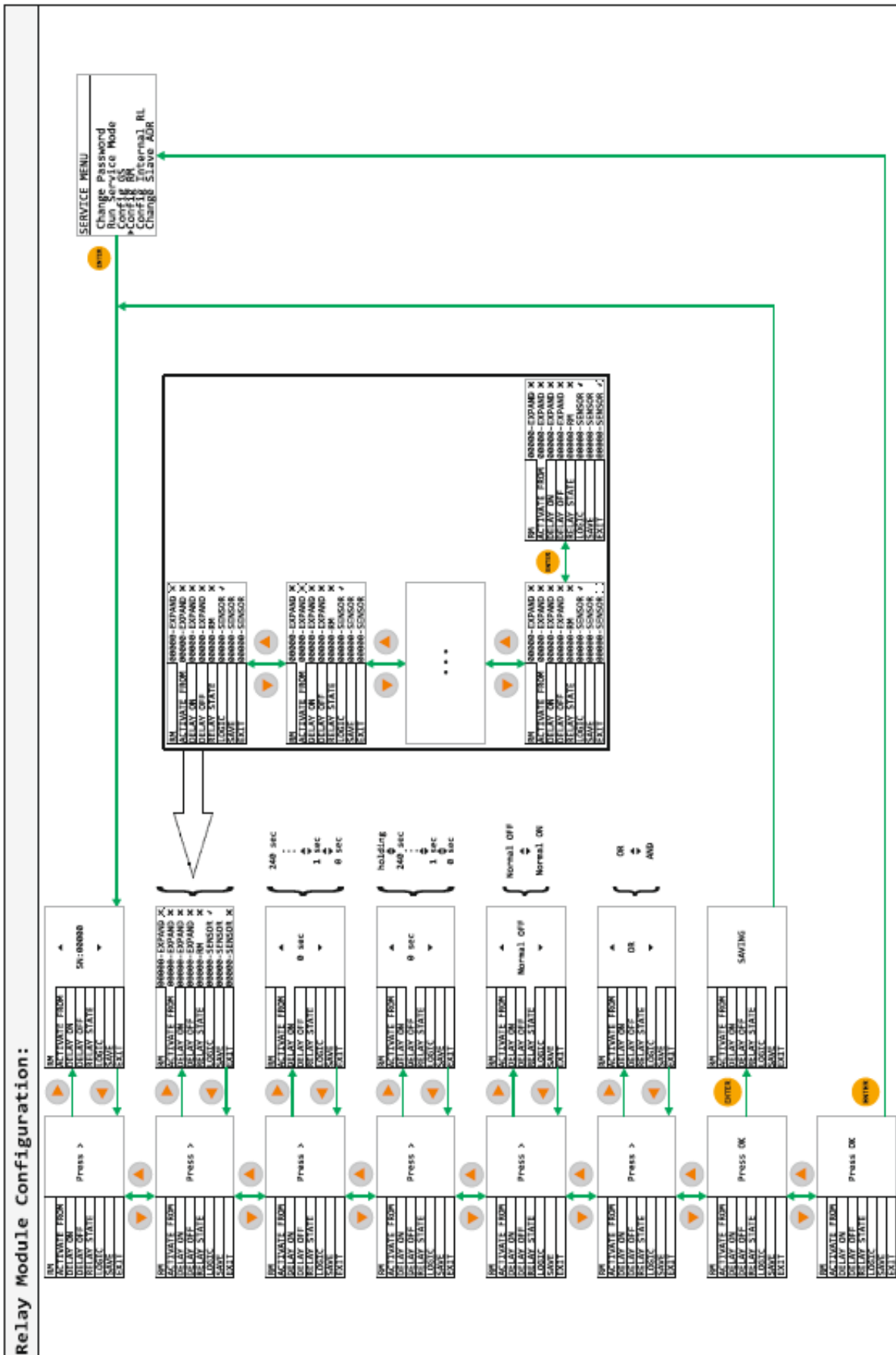
## 11.21. Gas Detector Configuration

### Gas Sensor Configuration:

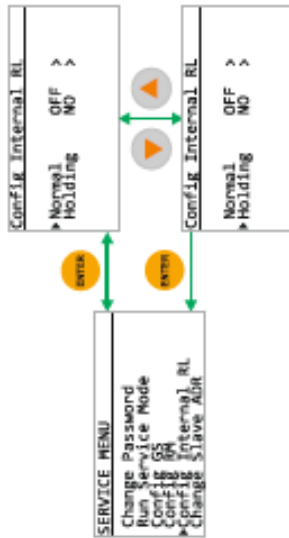




## 11.22. Relay Module Configuration



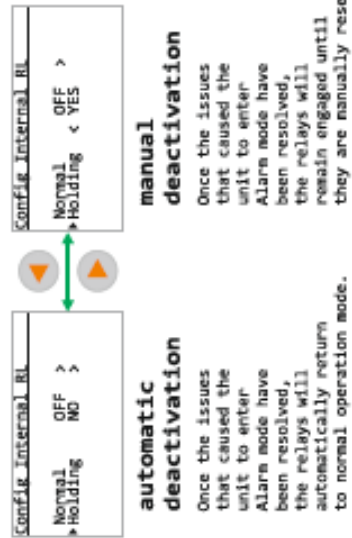
**Internal Relay Module Configuration:**



**Changing the normal mode of internal relay units (normally on / normally off):**

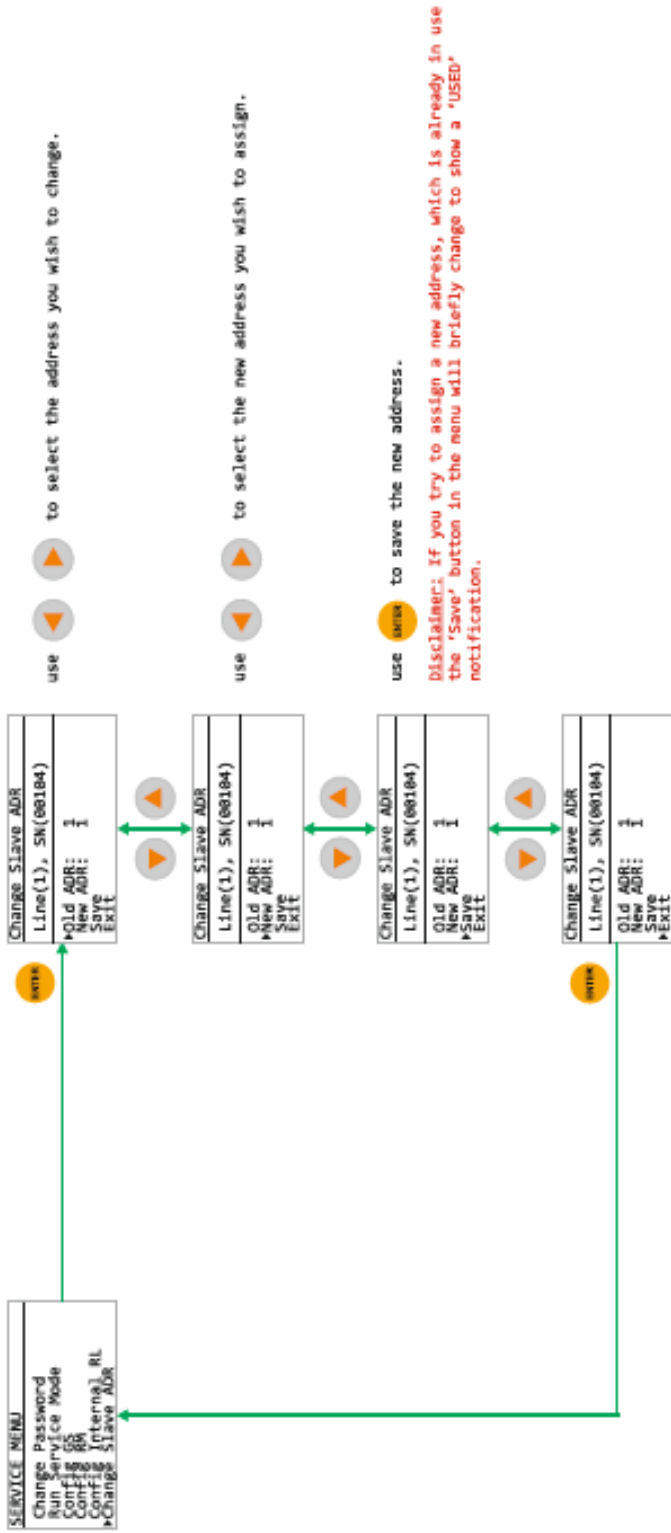


**Changing the setting for deactivation of the internal relay units (automatic / manual):**



# 11.24.Slave Unit Address Change

## Slave Unit Address Change:



## 12. Maintenance and servicing

### Cleaning

If necessary, clean the exterior of the enclosure with a damp cloth. Do not use alcohol or ammonia based liquids to clean the controller.

### Servicing

We recommend that the user periodically inspect the proper triggering of alarm and fault relays, the buzzer and indications on the front panel of the controller. Test must be done by applying ethalane gas mixture to the gas detectors.



The adjustment operations of the gas detection system must be done only by authorized, trained personnel because they may compromise gas detection system reliability.

### Servicing frequency

It is recommended regular testing of fixed gas detection installations. The type of test consists of injecting a standard gas mixture of sufficient concentration into the sensor to set off the preadjusted alarms. This test does not, replace a full calibration of the detector. Frequency of gas testing depends on the industrial application in which the sensors are used. Inspection should be done frequently during the first months after installation start up, later it may be spaced out if no problem is observed.

If a detector does not react upon contact with gas, it must be calibrated. The frequency of calibration will depend on tests (humidity, temperature, dust, etc.); calibration should occur at least once every year. We also recommend calibrating the detector after exposure to high gas concentrations. The site manager is responsible for implementing the safety procedures on his site. Invest Electronics is not responsible for implementing safety procedures.

## 13. Ordering information

### Addressable gas controllers GA-ADR for DIN rail mounting

Model – ordering code	Number of slave devices	Power supply
SKU554470	16	24VDC
SKU554471	32	24VDC



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