Monitoring

Administrator's Guide

Introduction

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Document purpose

This document, Monitoring: Administrator's Guide, is a reference aid for system administrators, configuration and installation specialists, and users with administrator rights on the Intellect PSIM.
This guide describes the following:

1. Purpose of Monitoring
2. Hardware and software requirements for Monitoring
3. Installation procedure for Monitoring
4. Configuration of Monitoring components

Purpose of Monitoring

Monitoring is designed to automate the activities of personnel at service companies involved in the operation of Intellect-powered video surveillance systems. The purpose of Monitoring is to improve the quality of operation for such video surveillance systems.

Monitoring general description

Features of Monitoring

Monitoring receives, records, and visualizes messages about the state of security system components, based on the following key parameters:

1. Camera operability
2. Network functioning
3. Operability of video subsystem software
4. Amount of recorded video
5. Hard disk operability
6. Operability of fire/security and access control systems
7. UPS signals

In addition, the module allows monitoring the actions of monitoring operators: recorded is performed of whether an alarm has been accepted, how much time passed before the alarm was accepted, and so forth. The built-in system for statistics and analysis generates reports on system operation: reports on alarms, downtime, statistics on security system operation, and more.

Attention!
The Monitoring software does not operate in demo mode.

Monitoring restrictions

In the *Intellect* software package restrictions are imposed when creating systems of technical condition monitoring:

1. Maximal number of **Agent of Control** objects that can be connected to a *Server of Control* is 2000.
2. Maximal number of **Partition of Control** objects being child objects for an **Agent of Control** is 10.
3. Maximal number of cameras which a **Partition of Control** can handle is 32.

Hardware and software requirements

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Operating system requirements

Monitoring is provided as executable modules that that can be run on the operation systems supported by the Intellect software (see the Operating system requirements chapter in the Intellect software Administrator's Guide).

The software is compatible with standard operating system settings. On Windows Vista and later, UAC must be disabled. In Windows 8 and 8.1 it is necessary to configure security policies in order to entirely disable UAC (configuring security policies is described in the Intellect software Administrator's Guide).

Hardware requirements

Monitoring can run on PCs that meet the following minimum hardware requirements:

- Intel Core i5 750 CPU
- 2 GB RAM
- 200 GB HDD
- NIC
- Graphics card with overlay support

Installing Monitoring

Installation options

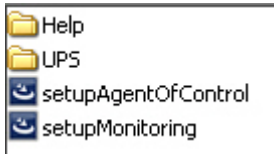
Monitoring can be installed in one of the following configurations:

1. *Agent of Control*. Is to be installed on the object for which receiving, recording, and visualizing messages about the state of security system components is required. Before installing *Agent of Control*, install *Intellect* in **Server** mode. The program key, intellect.sec, should contain the **Agent of Control** object. In addition to *Agent of Control* modules , the VideoSrv communication program is installed. It interacts with similar programs on the *Server of Control*.
2. *Server of Control*. Is to be installed on the object from which the Agents of Control are monitored. Before installing *Server of Control*, install *Intellect* in **RAW** mode. The program key, intellect.sec, should contain the **Server of Control** object. In addition to *Agent of Control* modules the following components are installed:
    a. VideoSrv communication module. It interacts with similar programs on the *Agent of Control*.
    b. Data loader for Monitoring to record information collected by VideoSrv into the database.

3. *Monitoring light*. This is the *Server of Control* version which is installed without additional components and connects to the existing database of the main *Server of Control* while interface objects are created on the local computer. Before installing *Monitoring light*, install *Intellect* in **RAW** mode. Distributed system configuration is not required for *Monitoring light* operation. No additional objects are required in the intellect.sec

Installer

The Monitoring installer is based on InstallShield 2010. The installation file for *Agent of Control* is setupAgentOfControl.exe, and for *Server of Control* it is setupMonitoring.exe.



Documentation is included in the Help folder. The UPS folder contains the software components that are necessary for the Agent of Control to perform monitoring of UPS status.

Preparing for installation

Before beginning installation, copy the installation kit to a local disk and make sure that the indicated files are not marked as "read-only".

Information on compatibility of *Monitoring* and *Intellect* software versions is given on the page General information about product releases and versions compatibility.

Before starting the installer, quit Intellect. If Intellect is installed as a service, stop the service.

For Server of Control to operate, there must be an available database server. During installation of Intellect, MS SQL Server 2008 R2 Express is installed to a "clean" (fresh) system.

Server of Control is compatible with the following servers:

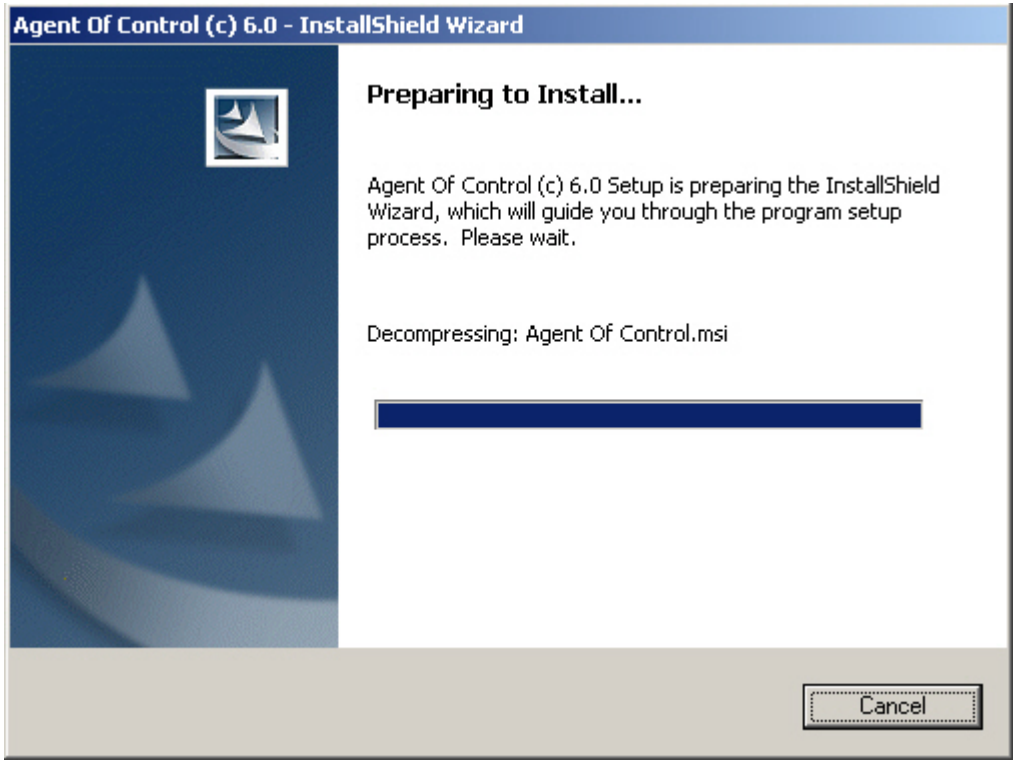
- MS SQL Server 2008 R2
- MS SQL Server 2012

Installation

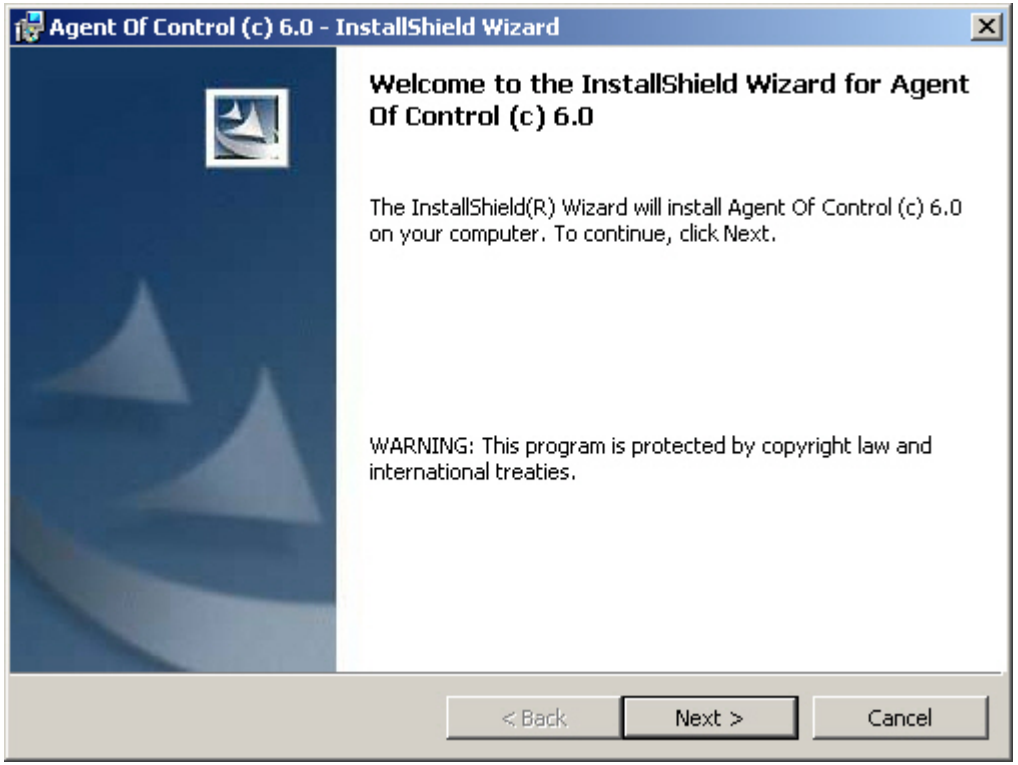
Agent of Control Installation

Installation of Agent of Control is performed in the following sequence:

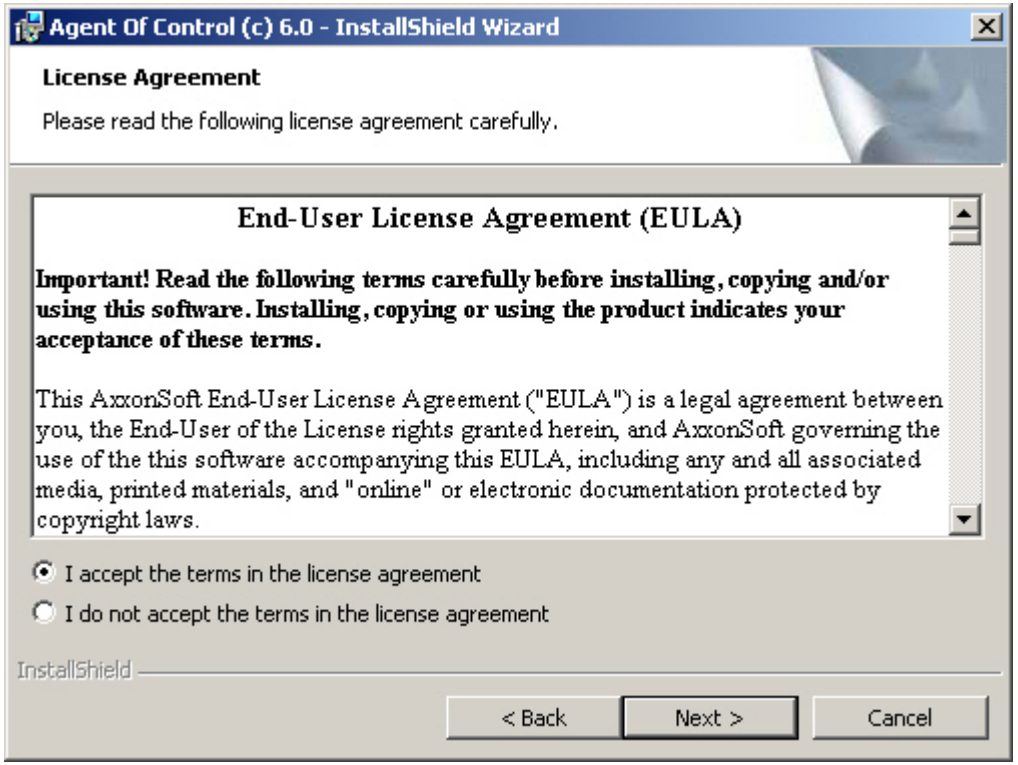
1. From the installation kit, start the executable file setupAgentOfControl.exe. After an installation language is chosen, the window informs of the beginning of installation.



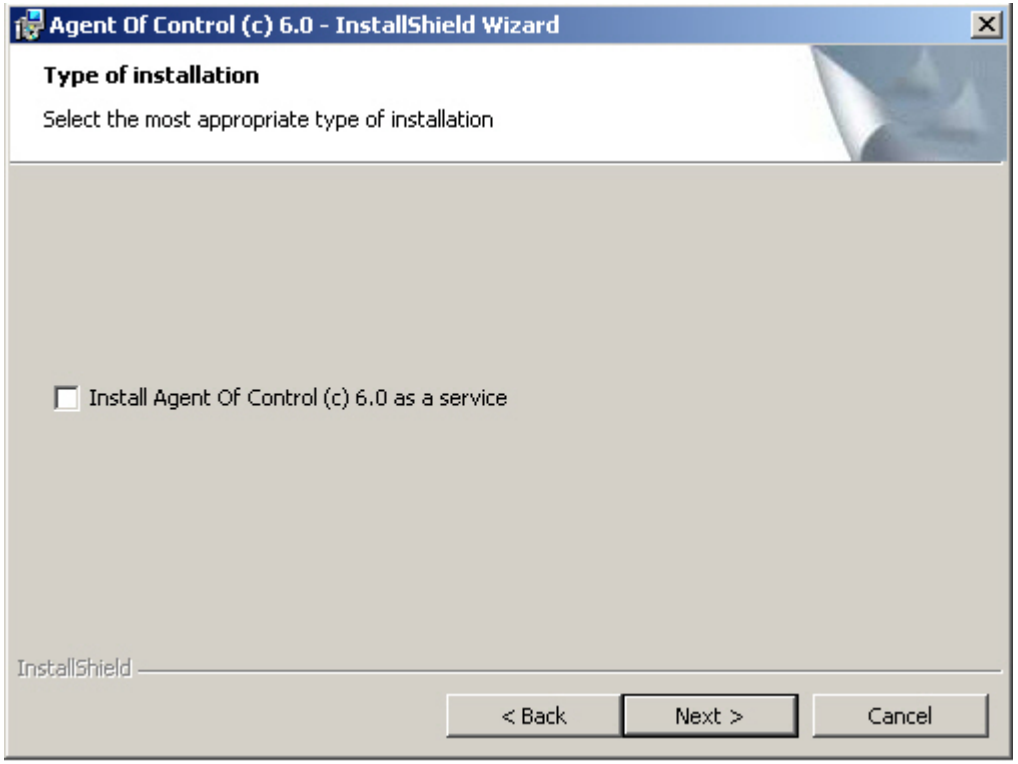
2. A prompt to start installation then appears. Click the **Next** button.



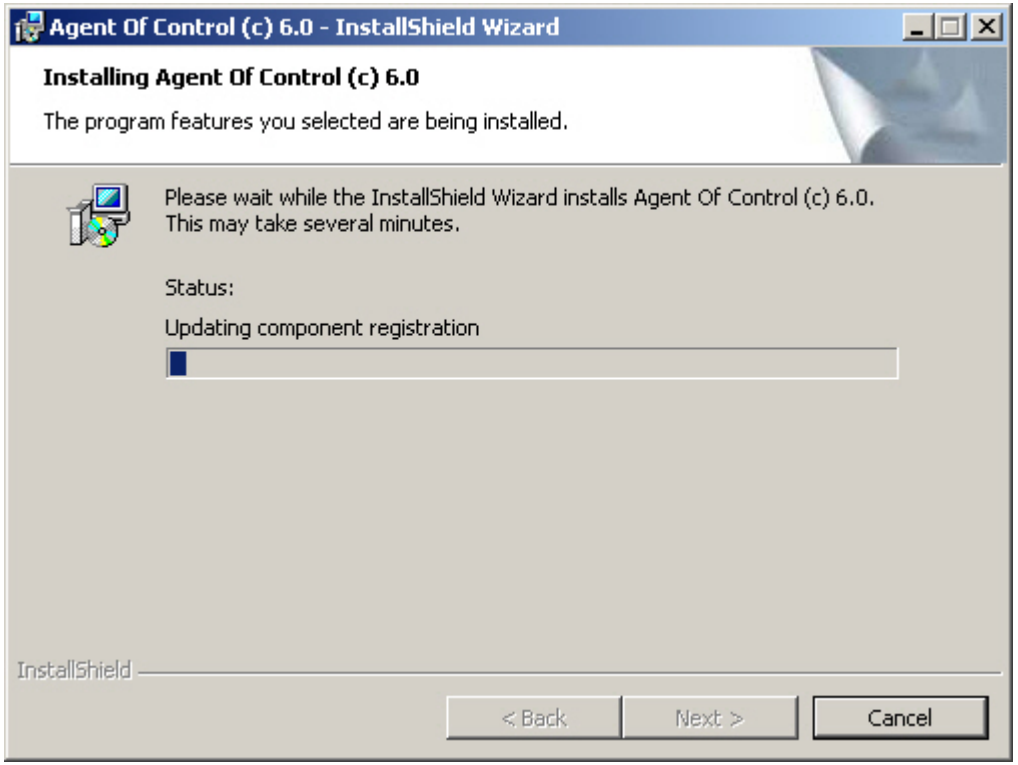
3. The **License Agreement** window presents the terms of the end user license agreement. Select **I accept the terms of the License Agreement** and click the **Next** button.



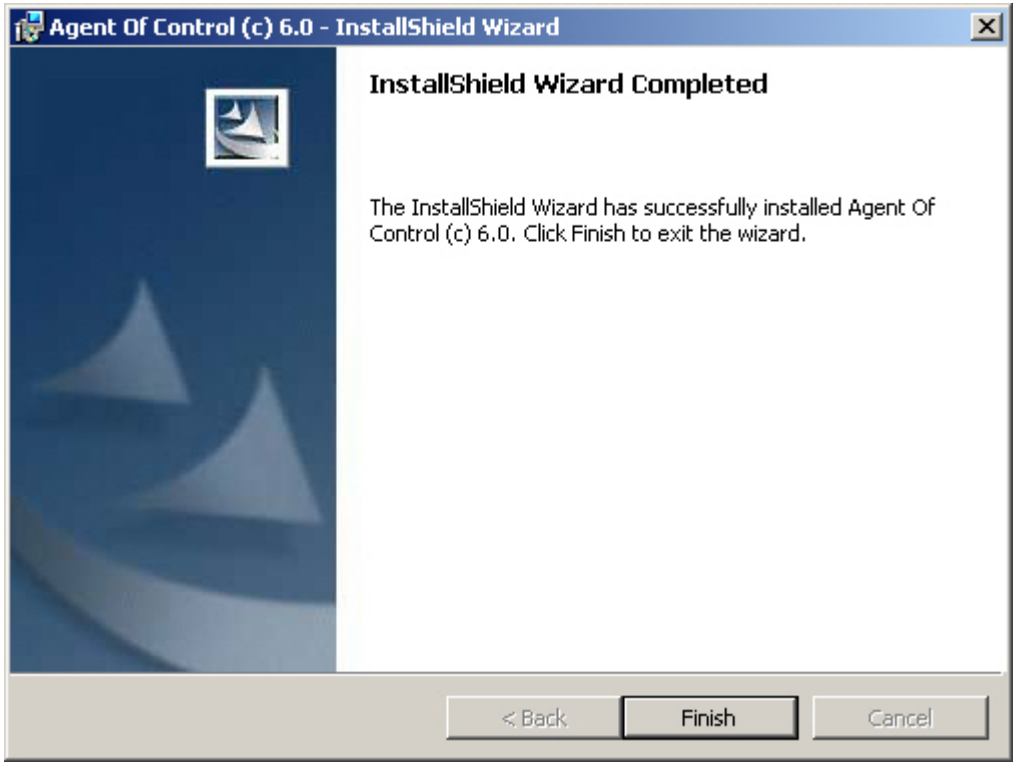
4. In the window that appears, select the most appropriate installation type. If Intellect is installed as a service, select the **Install Agent of Control (c) 4.8.3 as a service** check box. The ITV Monitoring VRecover service will be configured and added to the system. Otherwise, clear the check box.
   After selecting an installation method, click the **Next** button.



5. The installation process is started.



6. When installation is complete, a wizard page appears with a message about successful installation. Click the **Finish** button.

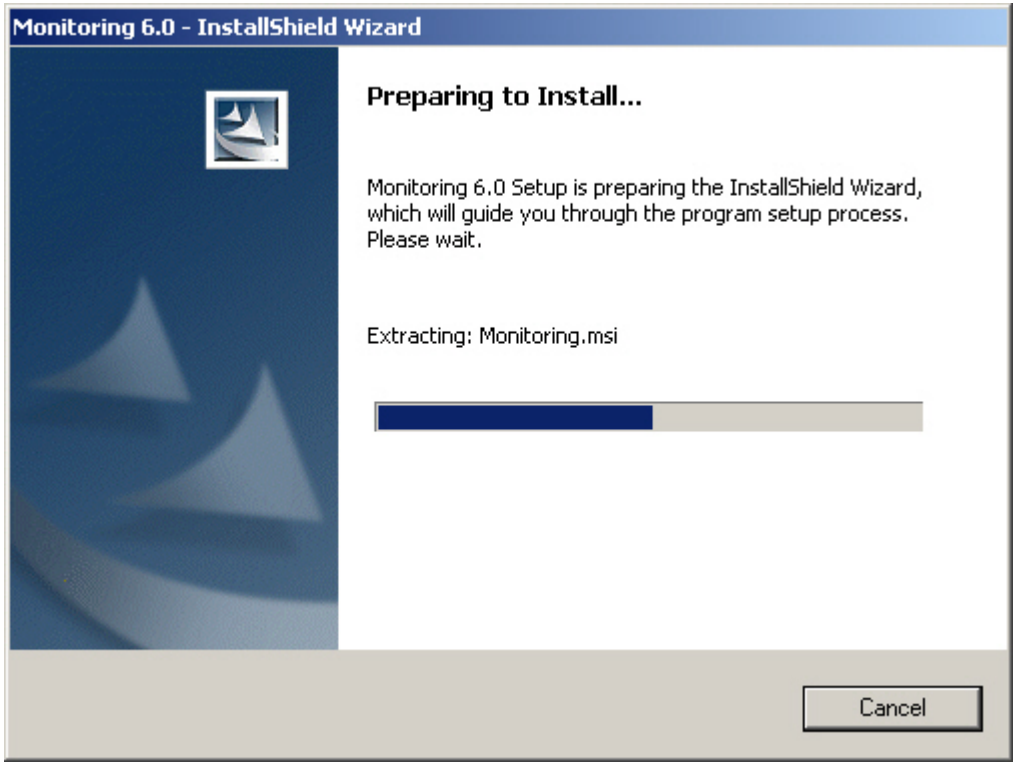


Installation of Agent of Control is now complete.

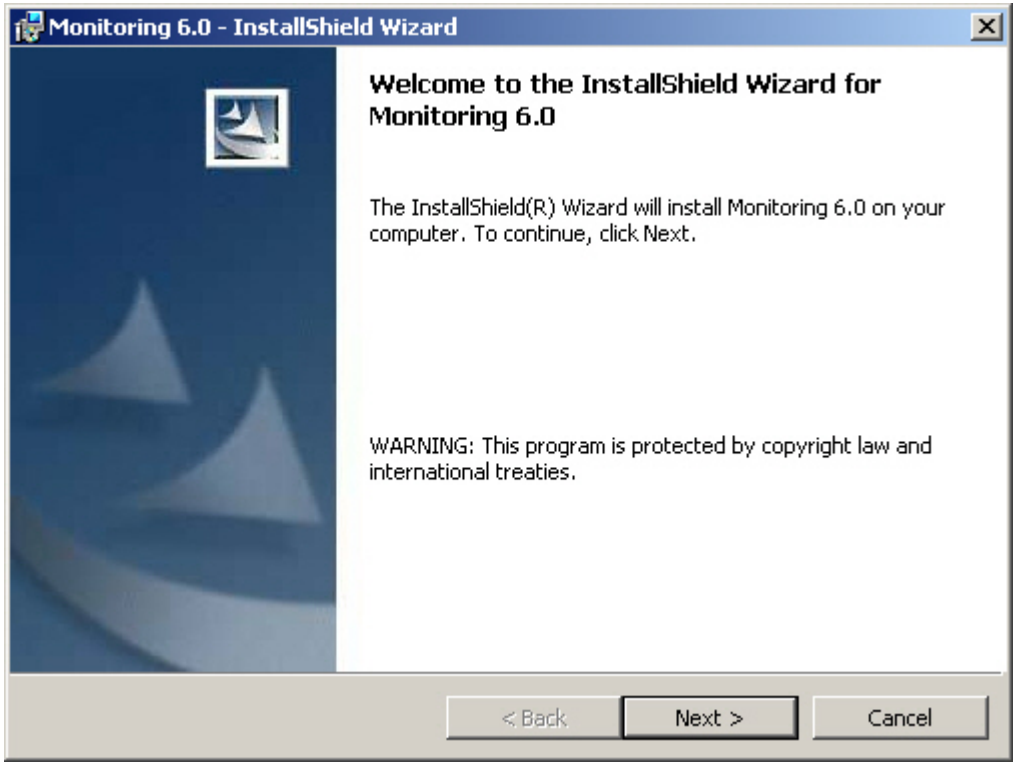
Server of Control Installation

Installation of Server of Control is performed in the following sequence:

1. From the installation kit, start the executable file setupMonitoring.exe. A dialog box appears, informing of the beginning of installation.



2. A prompt to start installation then appears. Click the **Next** button.



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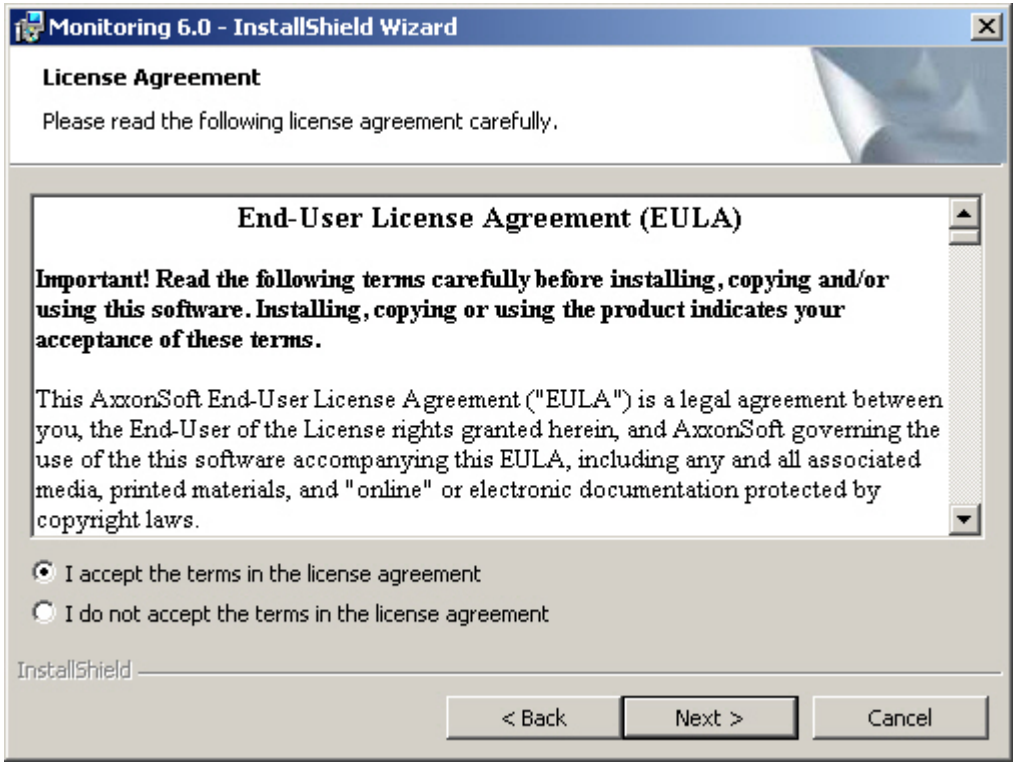
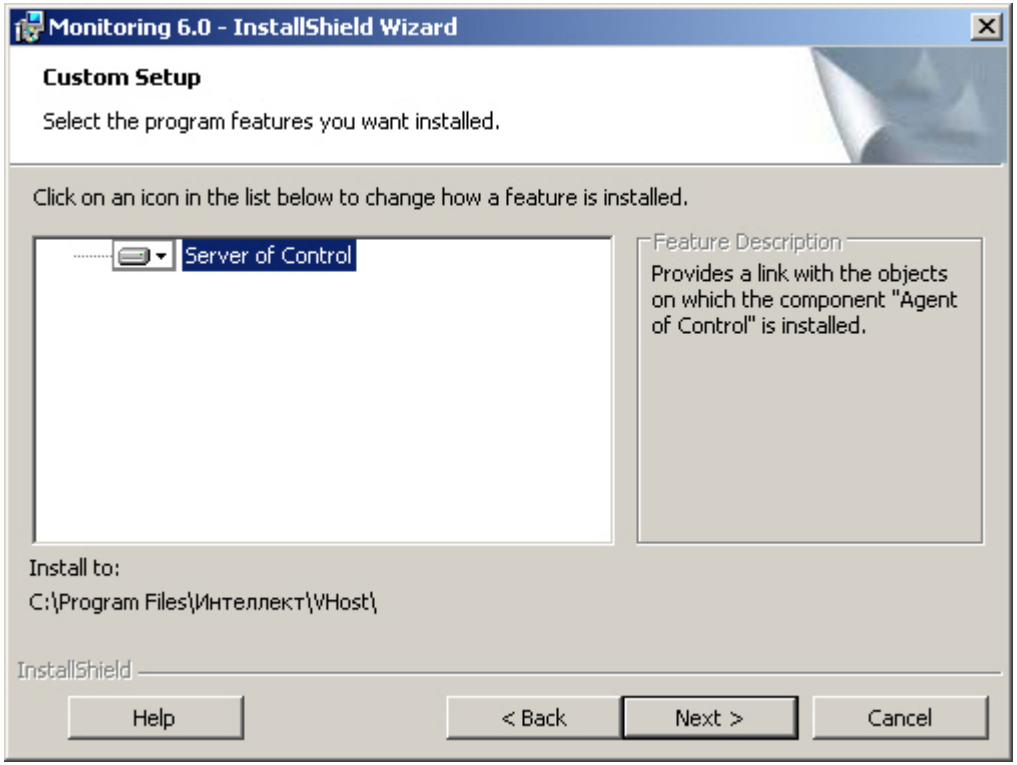
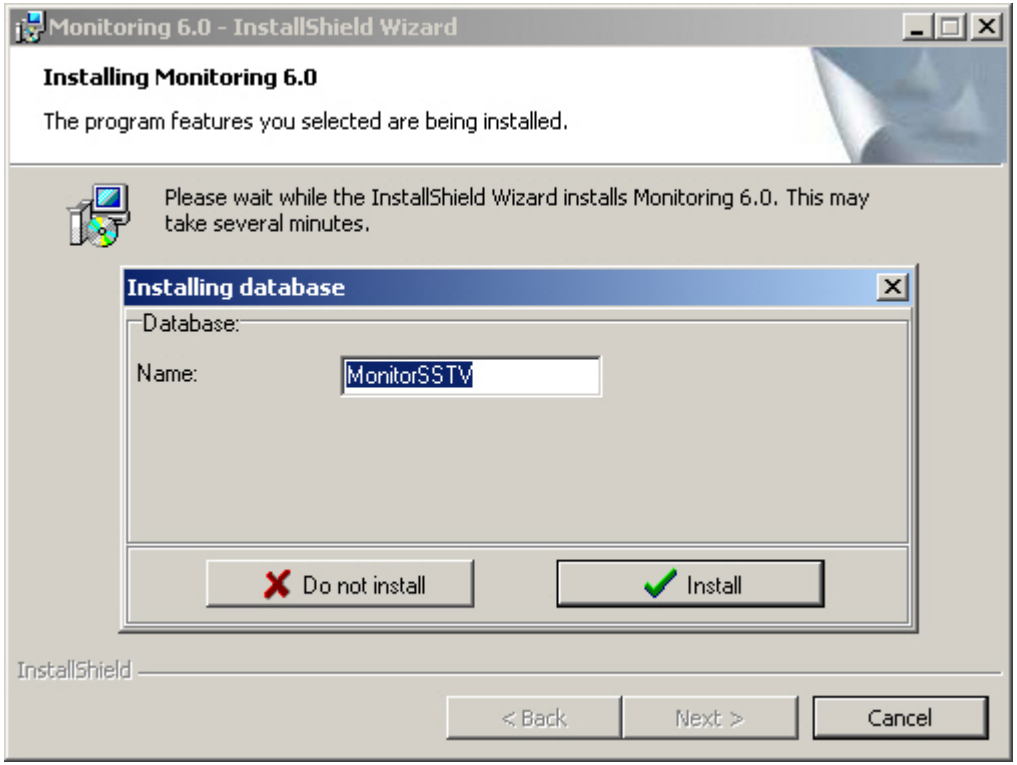


4. A form appears, allowing you to select the components to install. Install all available components. To do so, click the **Next** button.

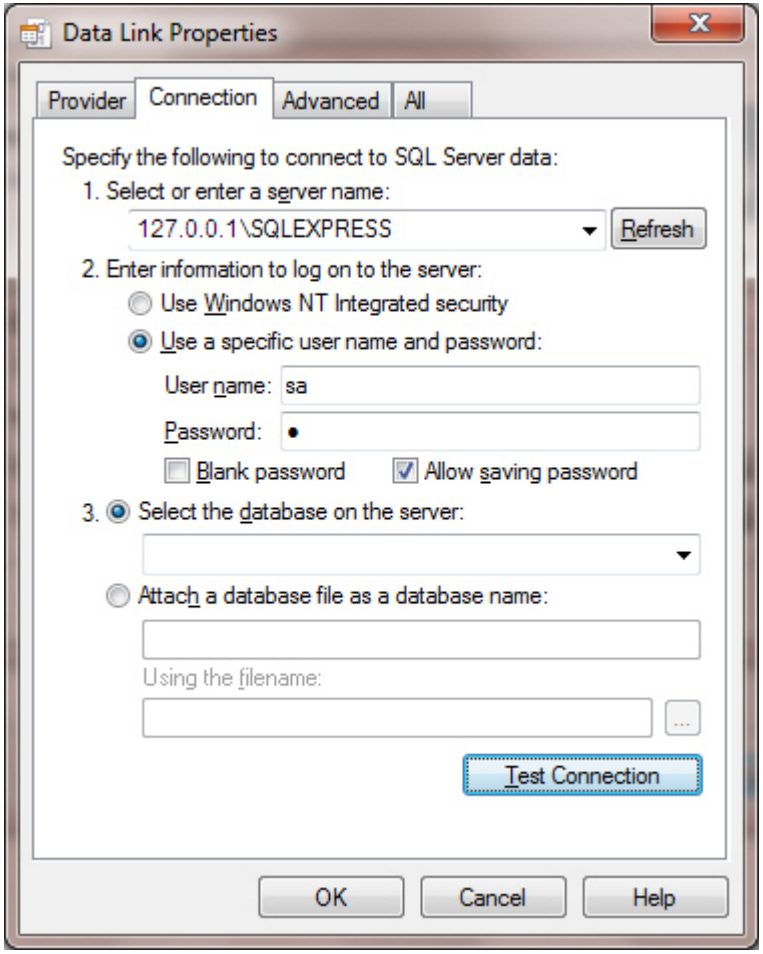


5. A window appears, allowing you to configure the MonitorSSTV database. In the **Name** field, enter the name that will be used to refer to the database.



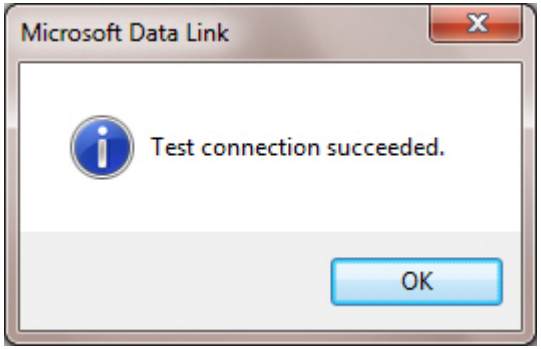
Note.
By default, the name of the database is "MonitorSSTV" and its files will be stored in the SQL Server folder.

6. Click the **Set** button.
7. In the **Data Link Properties** window, select the name of the database server and specify connection settings. If a password is used, in the **Allow saving password** dialog box, select the check box.



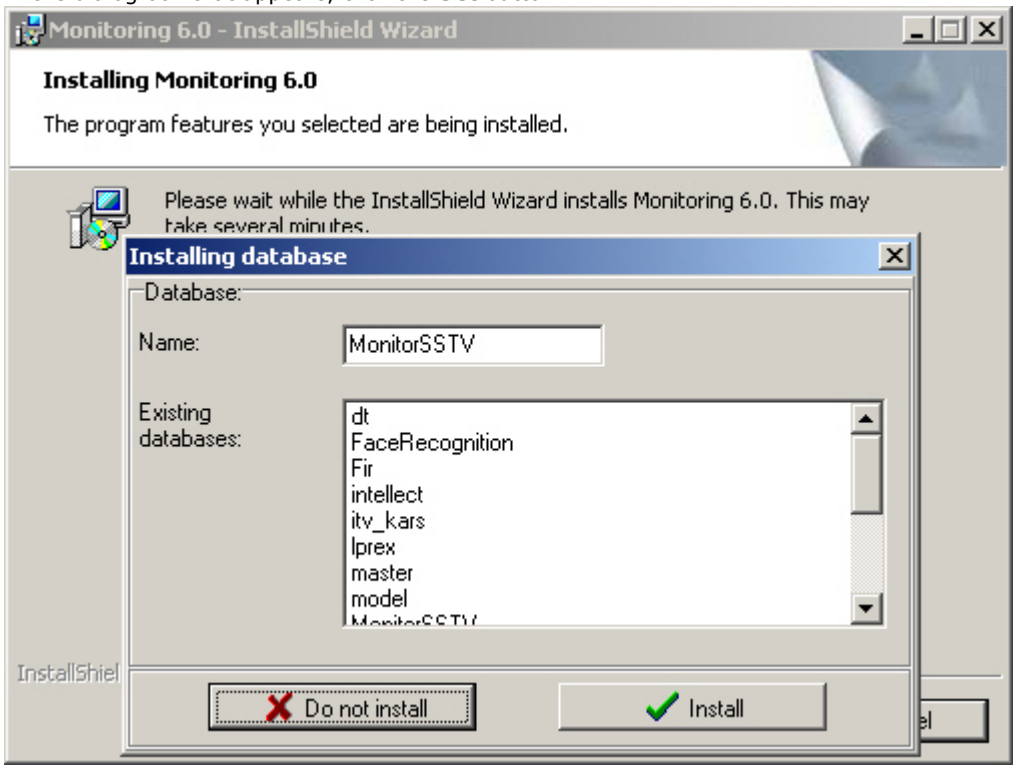
Note.
In the **1. Select or enter a server name** field specify the "127.0.0.1" value instead of computer name or "(local)" value, e.g. "127.0.0.1\SQLEXPRESS". Otherwise Server of Control will lose connection with its local database when the network cable is disconnected.

8. If the parameters have been indicated correctly and the database server is functional, click the **Test connection** button, after which a message appears: Connection verified. Otherwise, an error message appears.

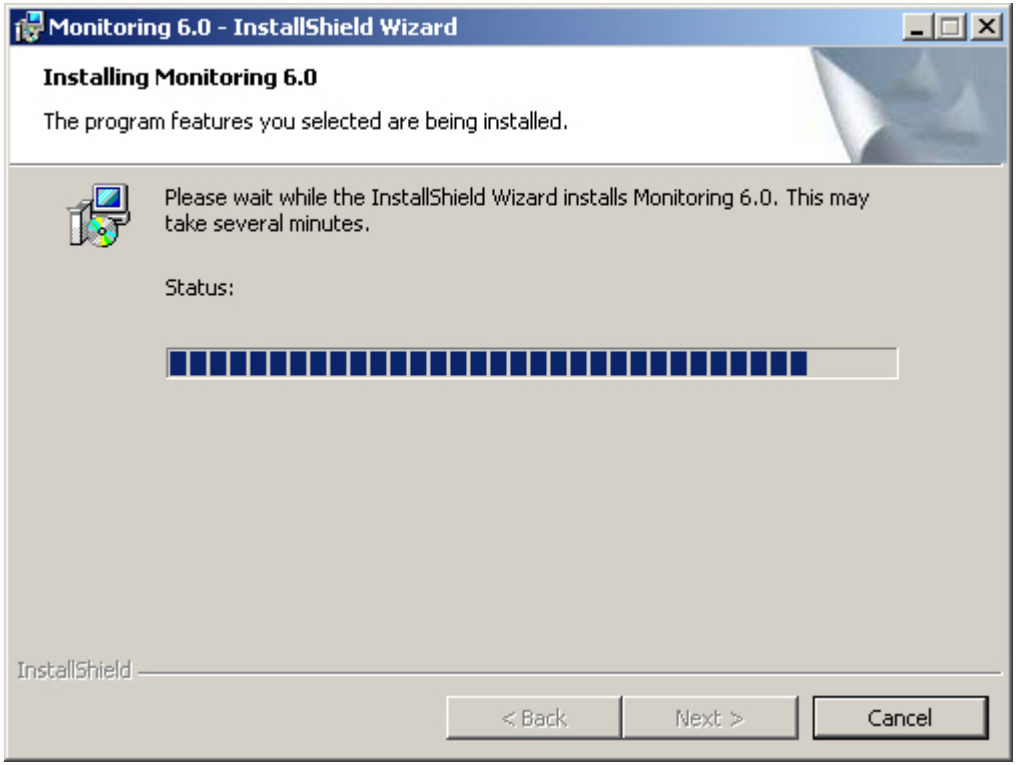


Note.
If the English version of MDAC components is installed on the computer, English is used in the dialog boxes as well.

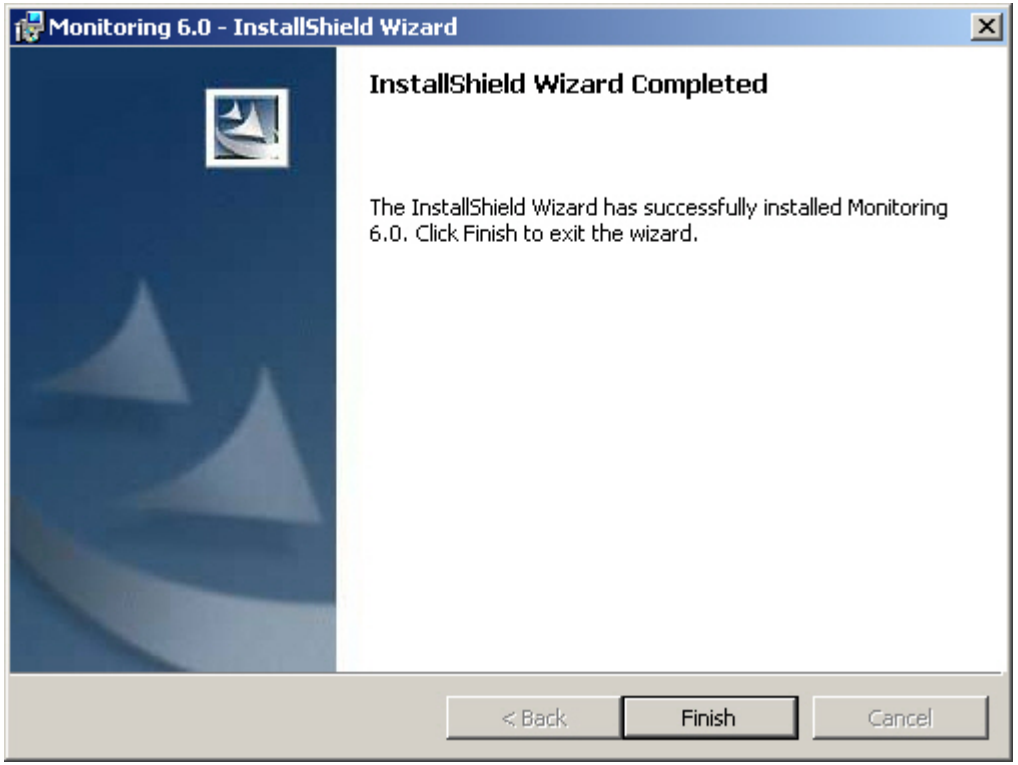
9. In the **Data Link Properties** window, click **OK**.
10. In the dialog box that appears, click the **Set** button.



11. The installation process is launched.



12. When installation is complete, a wizard page appears with a message about successful installation.

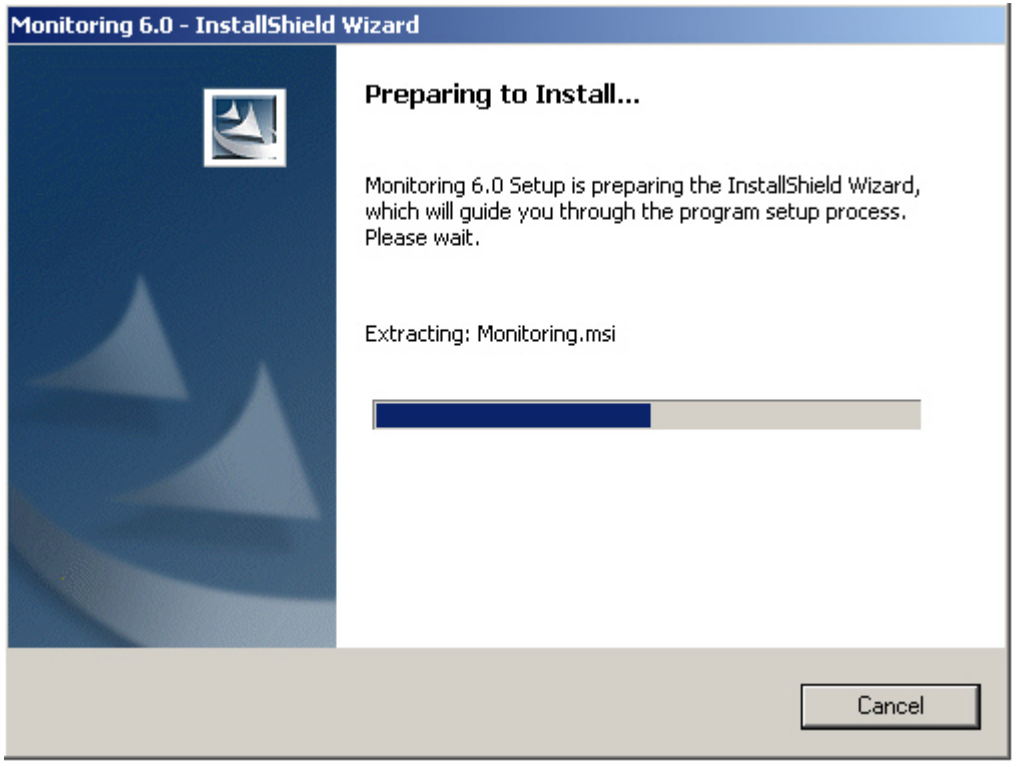


Installation of Server of Control is complete.

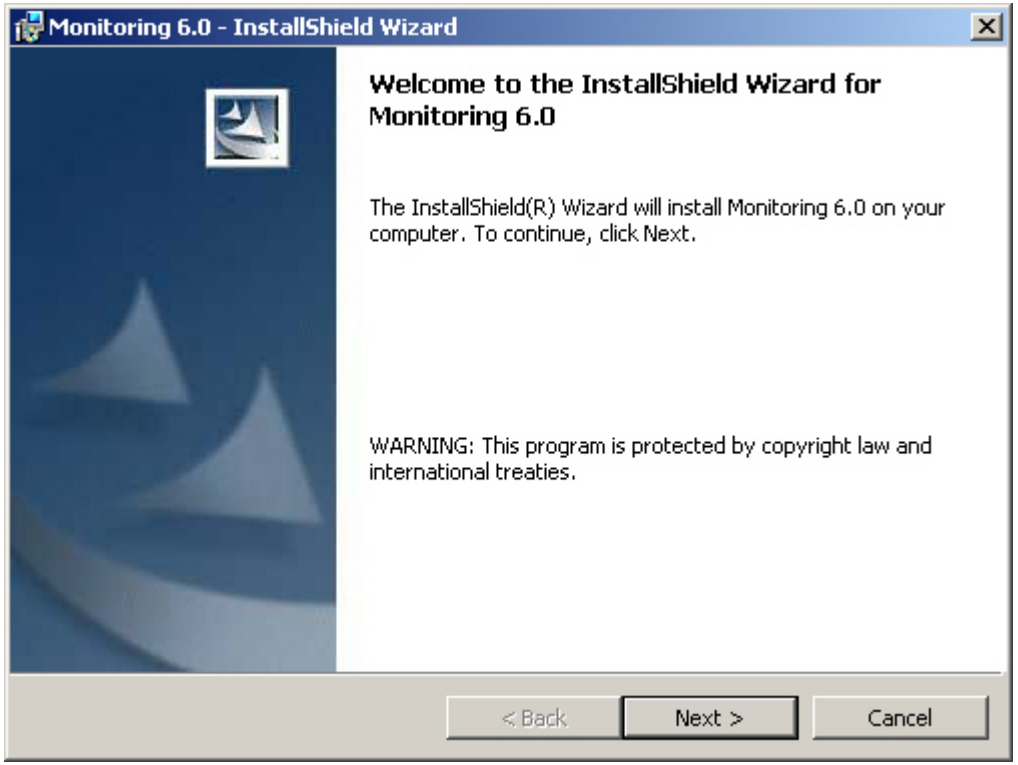
Monitoring Light Installation

Installation of Monitoring Light is performed in the following sequence:

1. From the installation kit, start the executable file setupMonitoring.exe. A dialog box appears, informing of the beginning of installation.



2. A prompt to start installation then appears. Click the **Next** button.



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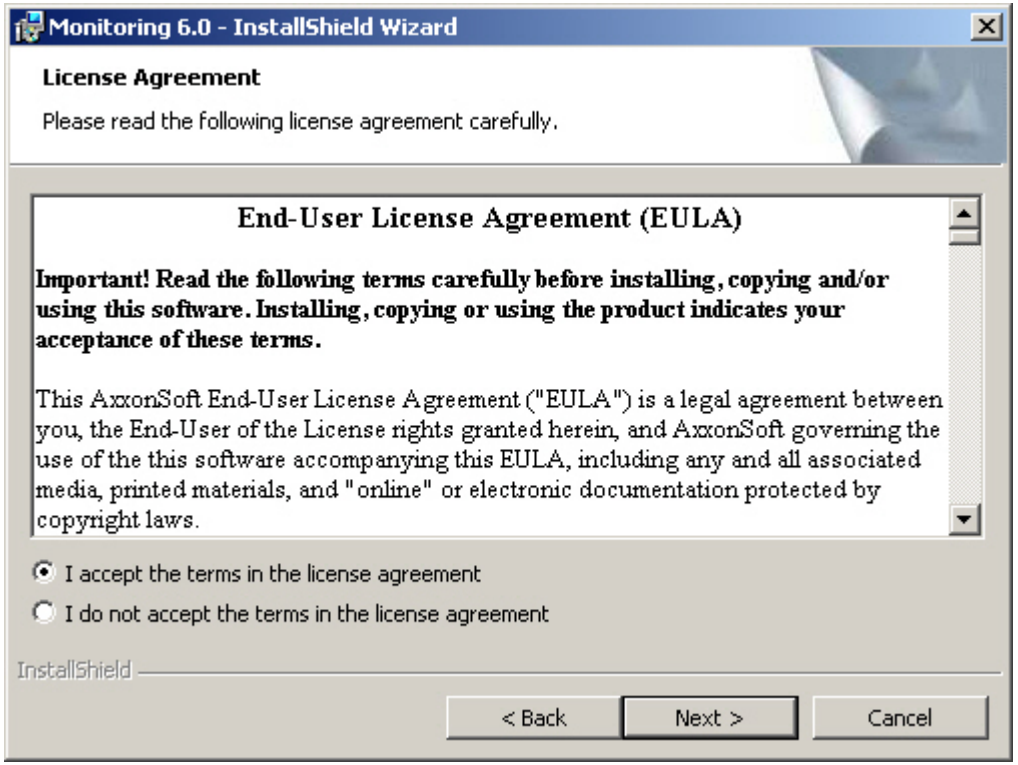
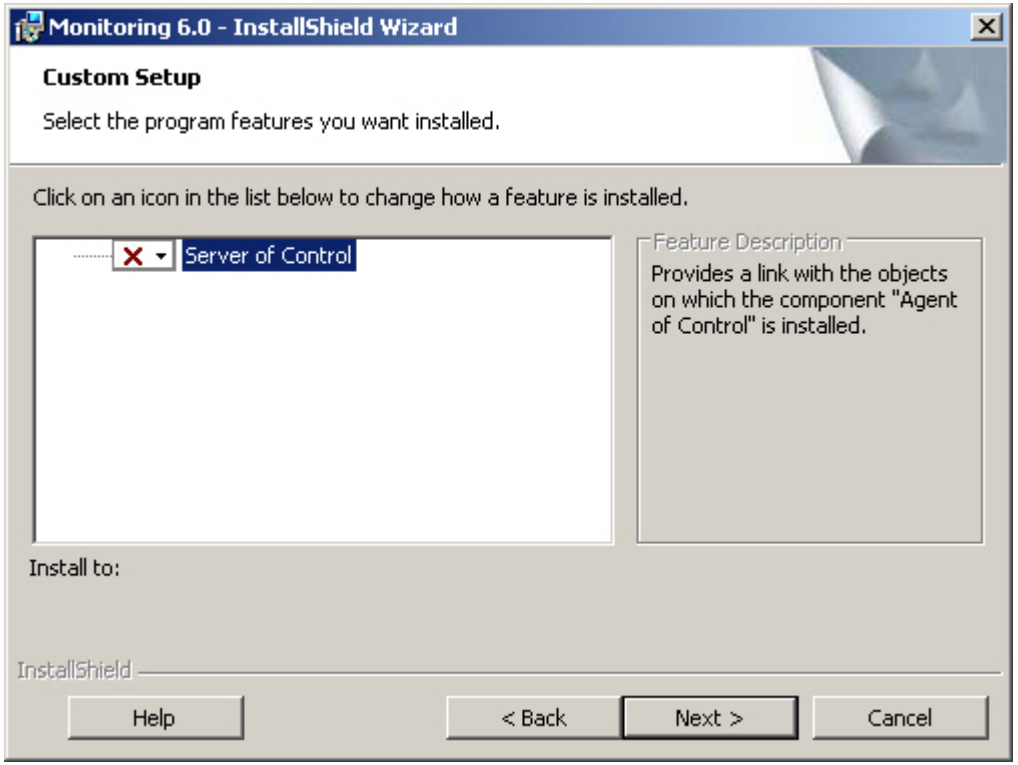
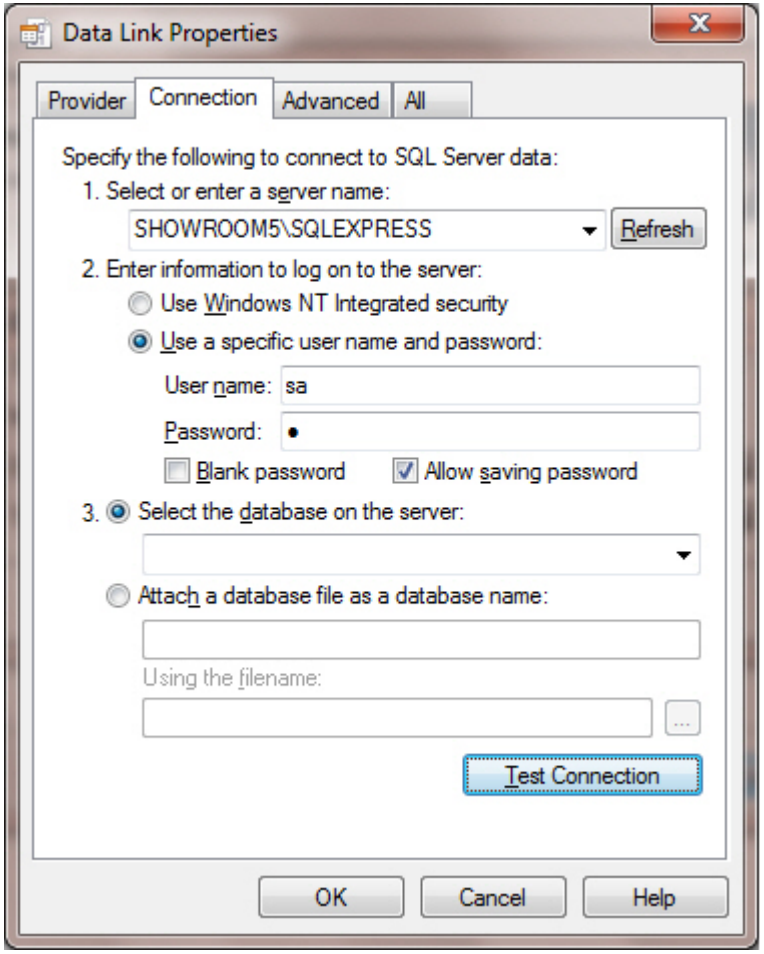


4. On the next screen, select not to install the Control Server. Click the **Next** button.

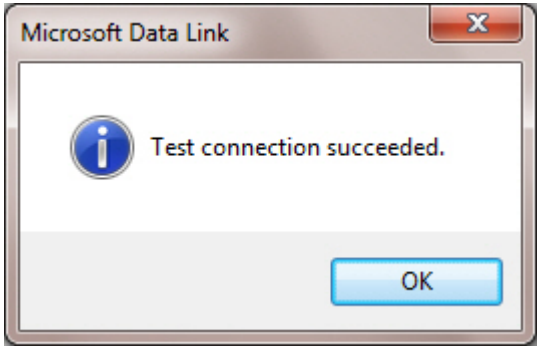


5. A dialog box then appears for configuring the string to connect to the remote Monitoring database. Click the **Set** button.

6. In the **Database connection properties** dialog box, select the name of the database server, indicate the name of the database (by default, "MonitorSSTV"), and indicate other connection parameters. If a password is used, in the **Allow password to be saved** dialog box, select the check box.

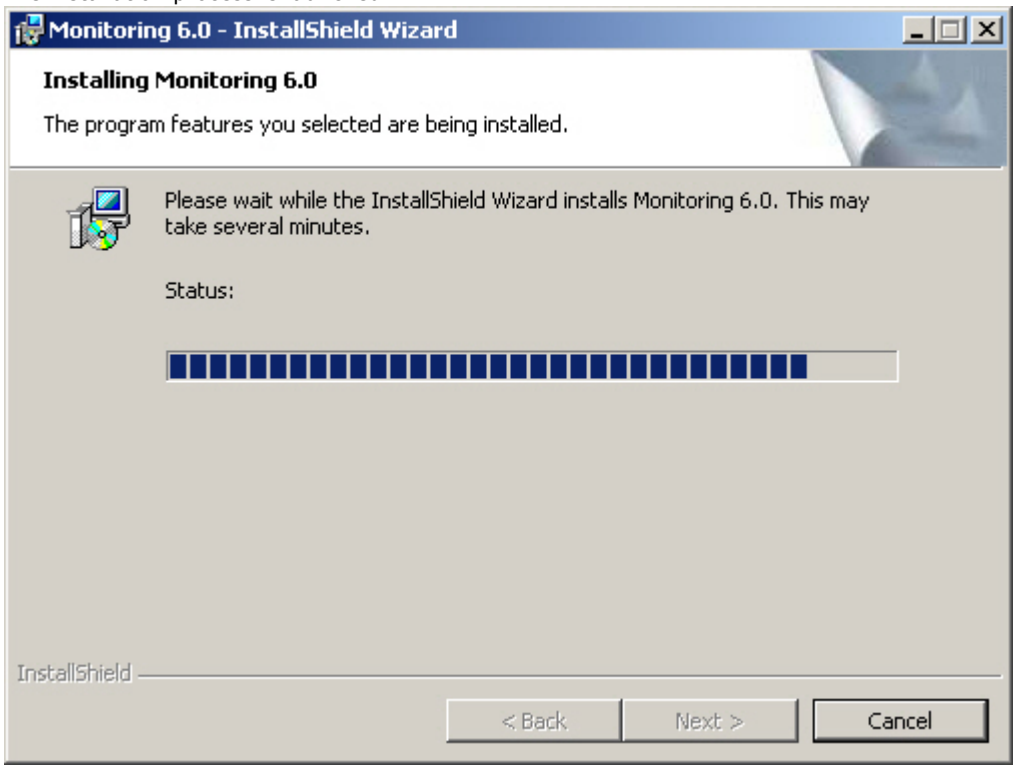


7. If the parameters have been indicated correctly and the database server is functional, click the **Test connection** button, after which a message appears: **Test connection succeeded**. Otherwise, an error message appears.

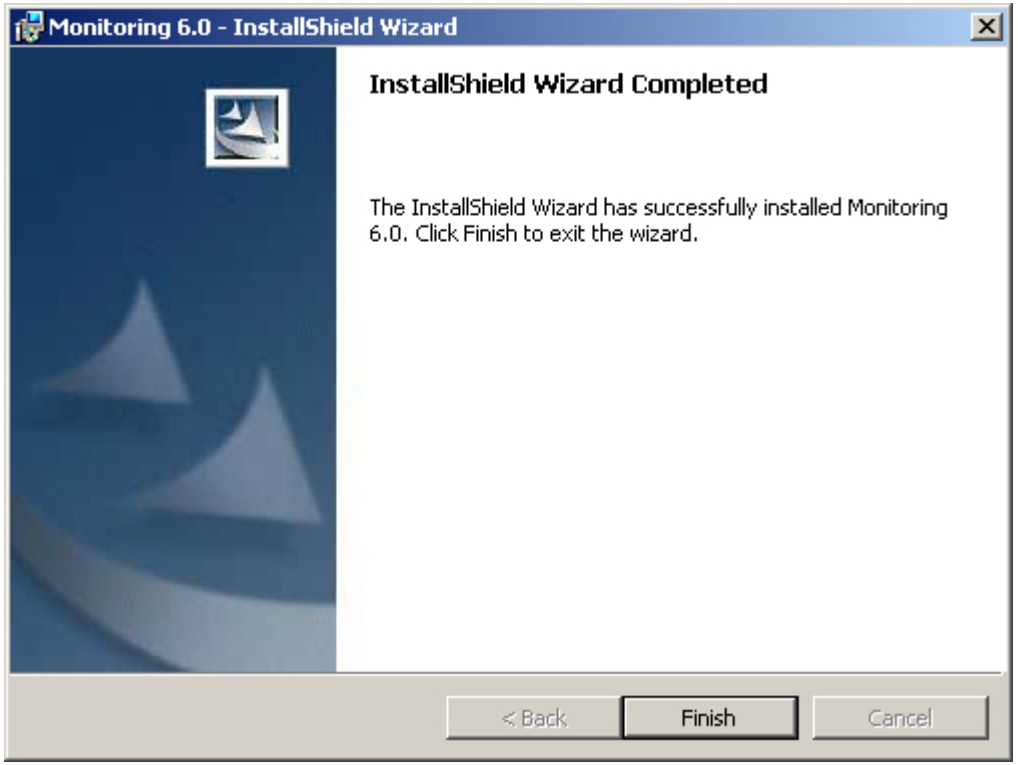


Note.
If the English version of MDAC components is installed on the computer, English is used in the dialog boxes as well.

8. If the connection string has been properly configured, the message "Connection string determined" appears.
9. The installation process is launched.



10. When installation is complete, a wizard page appears with a message about successful installation. Click the **Finish** button.



Installation of Monitoring Light is complete.

Configuring Agent of Control

To configure Agent of Control, go to the **System settings** window. Use of this window is described in Intellect Software Package: Administrator's Guide.

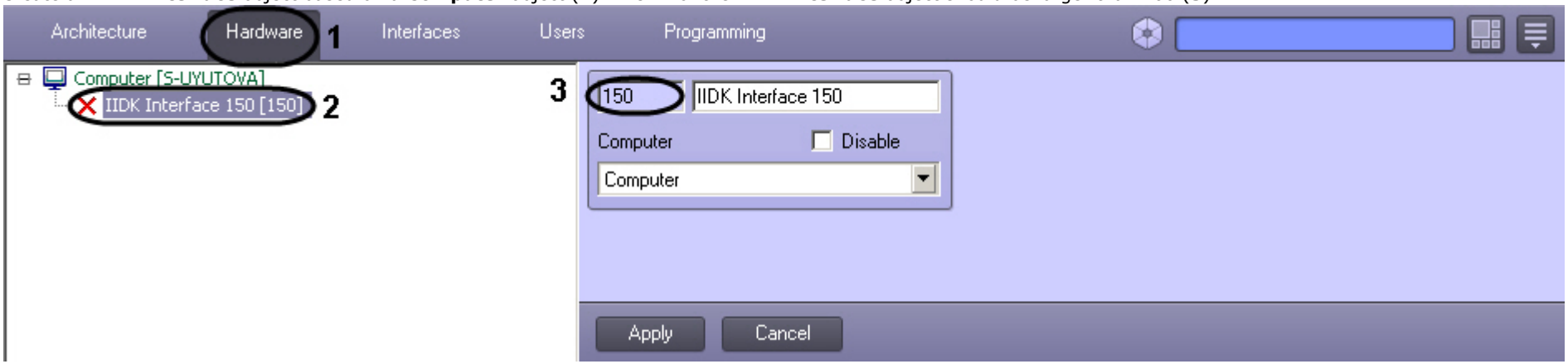
Creating necessary Agent of Control objects

Note.
Agent of Control, as well as Server of Control, can operate in distributed architecture of the digital video surveillance system. In this case both Server of Control and Agent of Control shall be configured locally, not remotely. Agents of Control can view each other in the distributed configuration but cannot change each other's settings. Agents of Control cannot view Servers of Control.

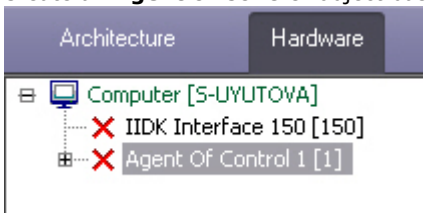
Attention!
Every time Agent of Control is started, it checks for a Backup folder at the root of the disk on which *Intellect* is installed. If this folder is missing, Agent of Control creates it. Do not delete this folder.

To create an Agent of Control object in the device tree:

1. In the **System settings** window, go to the **Hardware** tab (**1**).
2. Create an **IIDK interface** object based on a **Computer** object (**2**). The ID of the **IIDK interface** object should be larger than 100 (**3**).

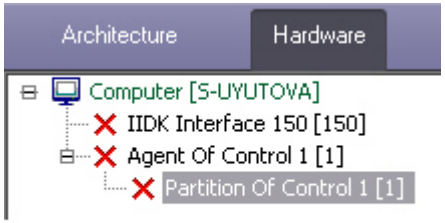


3. Create an **Agent of Control** object based on a **Computer** object.

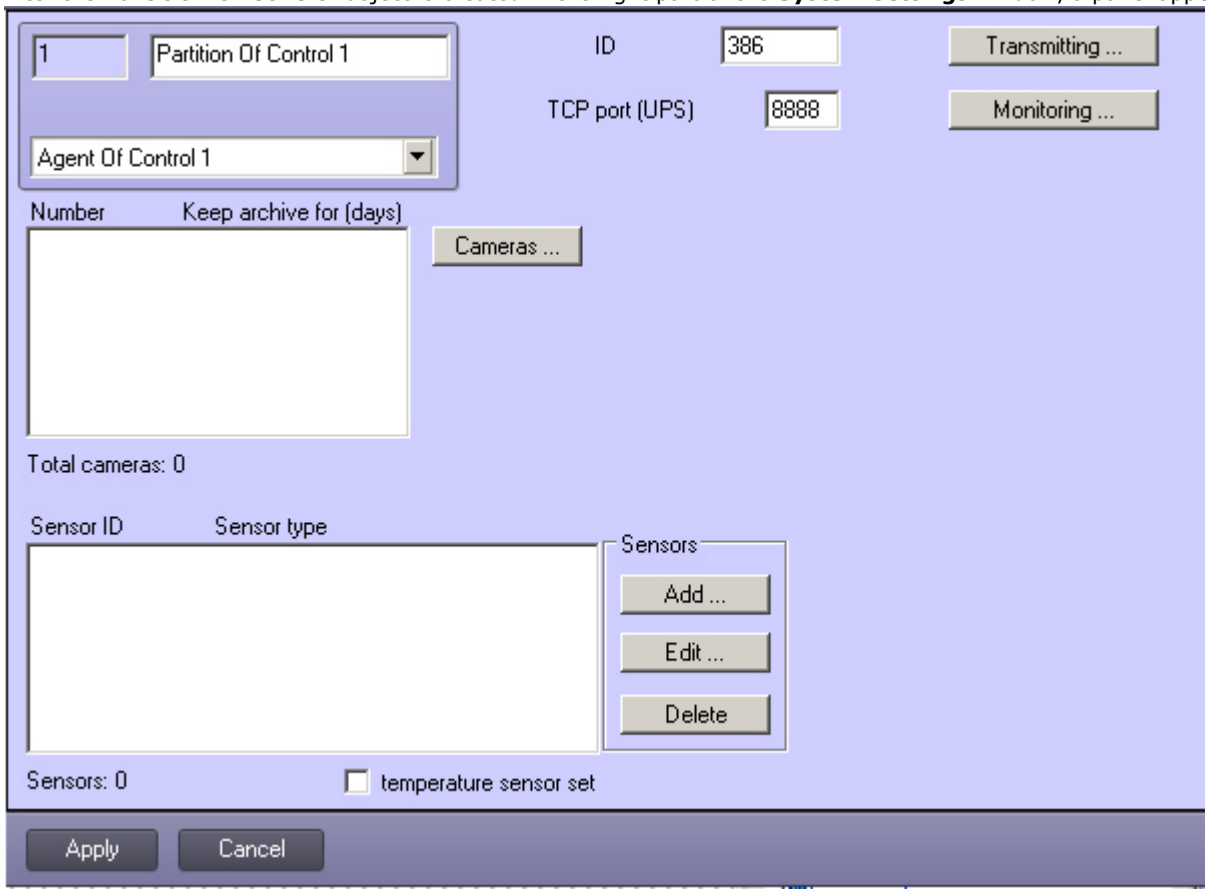


4. After an **Agent of Control** object is created in the right part of the **System settings** window, a panel appears for configuring the object.

5. In the **IIDK Interface No.** field, enter the object ID for the **IIDK interface** created in step 2.
6. Create one or more child **Partition Of Control** objects based on the Agent of Control object.



7. After the **Partition Of Control** object is created in the right part of the **System settings** window, a panel appears for configuring the object.



Note.
It is also necessary to create **Video input device**, **Camera**, and **Sensor** objects in the device tree that correspond to the connected hardware. Creation and configuration of these objects is described in the document Intellect Software Package: Guide to Installation and Configuration of Security System Components.

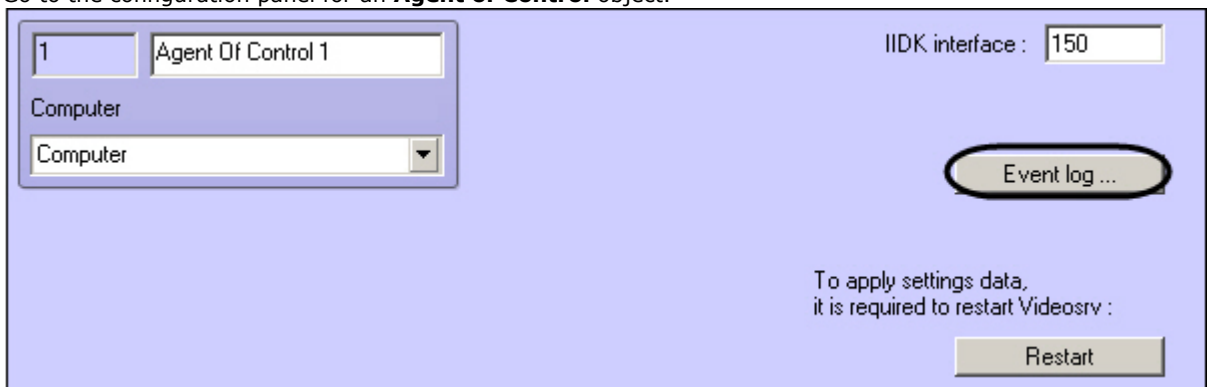
Creation of the necessary objects in the device tree is now complete.

Configuring the event log

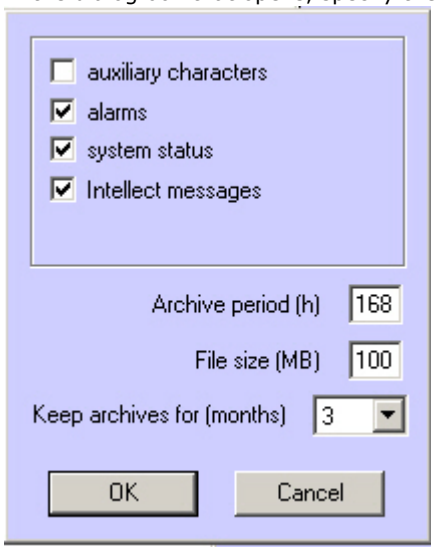
The event log allows configuring the detail level at which the activity of Agent of Control is recorded.

To configure the event log:

1. Go to the configuration panel for an **Agent of Control** object.



2. Click the **Event log...** button.
3. In the dialog box that opens, specify the following parameters:



   a. **Auxiliary characters .** To log transport-level auxiliary characters, select this check box.
   b. **Alarms .** To log alarms (activation of vibration sensor, temperature sensor, or forcible entry sensor), select this check box.
   c. **System state .** To log events related to the system state, select this check box.

d. **Intellect messages .** To log messages from Intellect, select this check box. Information is saved in the folder to which the software was installed, in the file video.log.
e. **Archive frequency (hrs).**: Allows archiving the event log at the specified interval (in hours). Archives are saved in the DATA subfolder, with the following name format: namelog_yymmddhhmmss.gz, where
    i. namelog is the name of the event log being archived
    ii. yy is the year of archive creation
    iii. mm is the month of archive creation
    iv. dd is the day of archive creation
    v. hh is the hour of archive creation
    vi. mm is the minute of archive creation
    vii. ss is the second of archive creation
f. **File size (MB)**: Sets the threshold size (in megabytes) for the event log after which the file is archived. This setting overrides the value in the **Archive frequency** field.

4. **Store archives for (months)**: Sets the length of time for which to store the event log, in months (between 1 and 24). Archives that are older than the specified number of months are deleted.

The main event log is located in the installation folder, in the file vsrvYYMMDD.log, where YY is the year, MM the month, and DD the day.

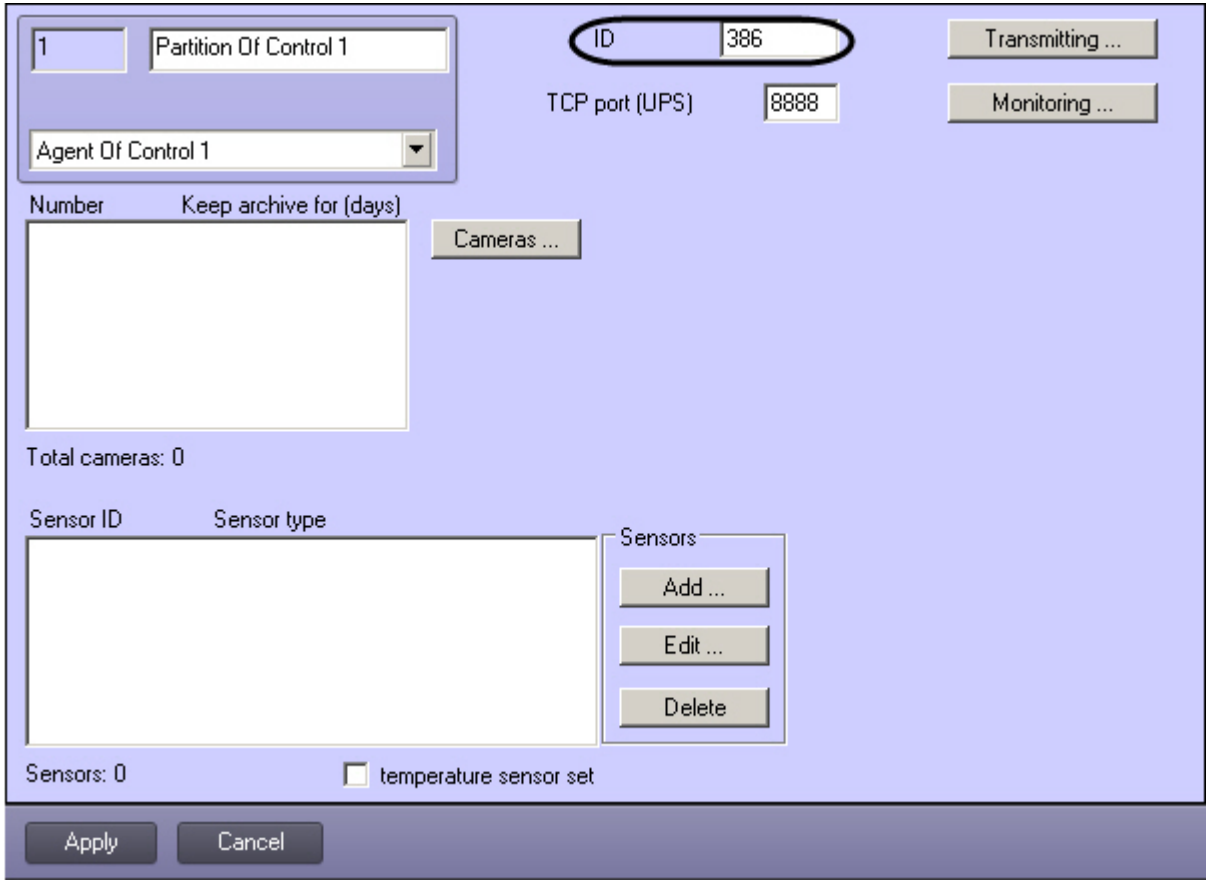
Configuration of the event log is now complete.

Configuring the Partition Of Control object

Configuring the Partition Of Control unique ID

To configure the unique ID number for a Partition Of Control:

1. Go to the configuration panel for the **Partition Of Control** objec.



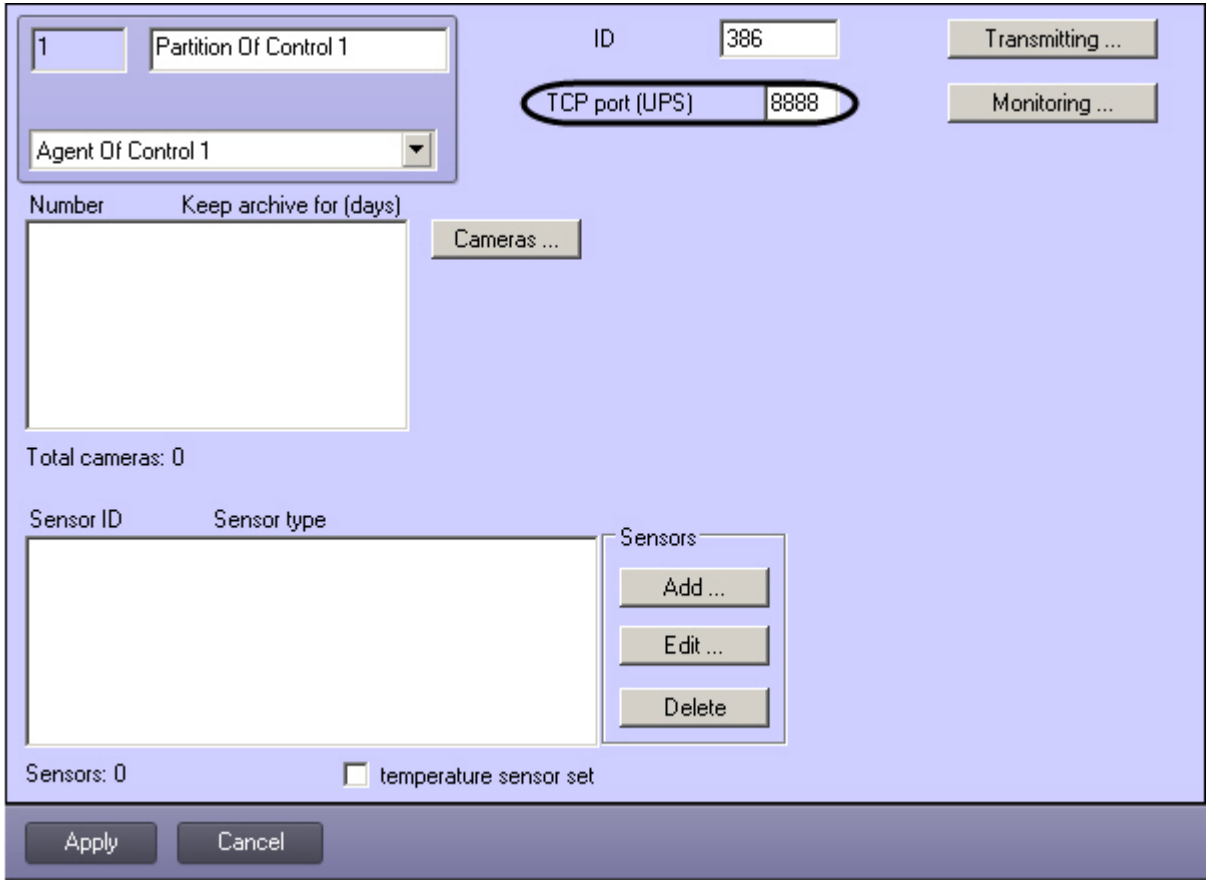
2. In the **ID** field, enter a unique number for the object on which Agent of Control is being installed. The number can be from 3 to 9 digits long.
3. To save settings, click the **Apply** button.

Configuration of a unique Partition Of Control ID number is now complete.

Configuring a port for incoming UPS messages

To configure a port for accepting messages from an uninterrupted power supply unit:

1. Go to the configuration panel for the **Partition Of Control** object.



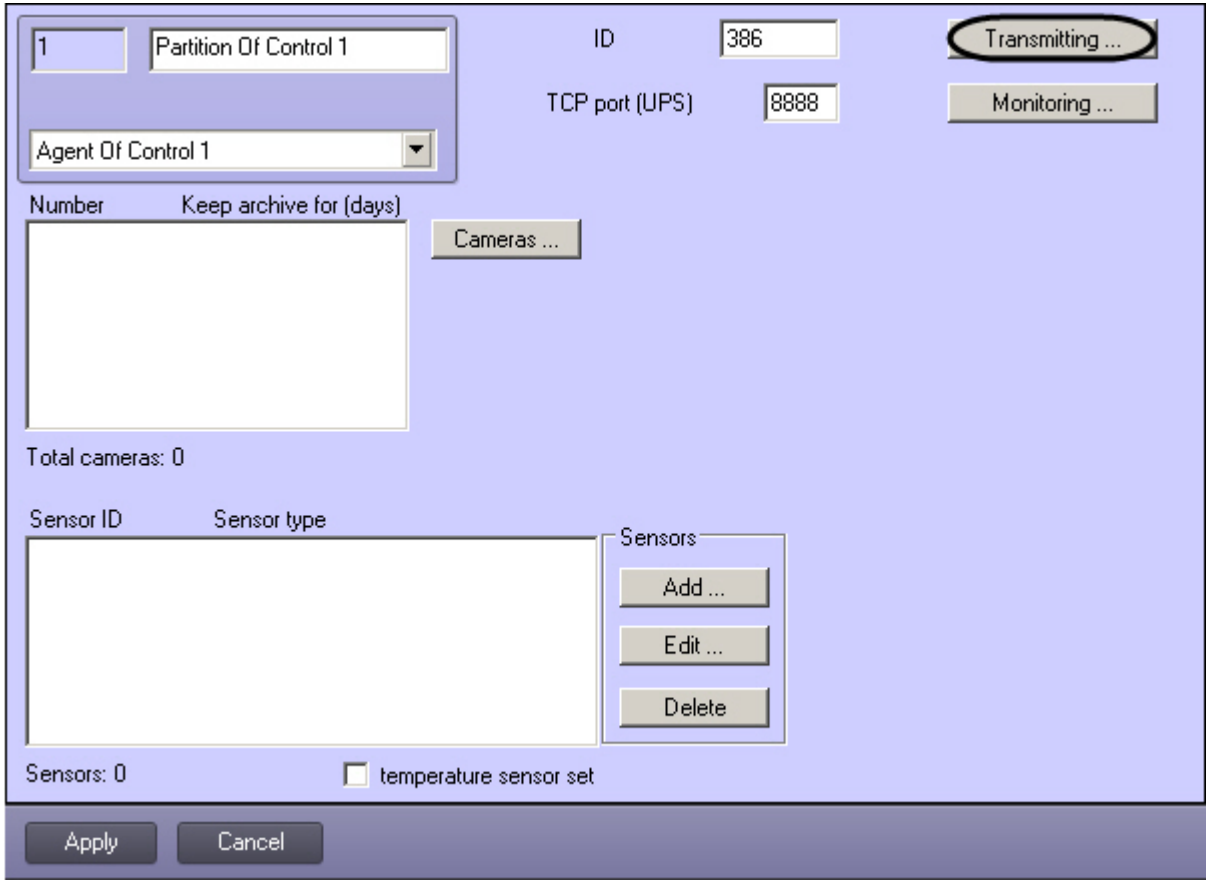
2. In the **TCP port (UPS)** field, enter the number of the port on which to "listen" for UPS messages.
3. To save settings, click the **Apply** button.

Configuration of a port for accepting messages from a UPS is now complete.

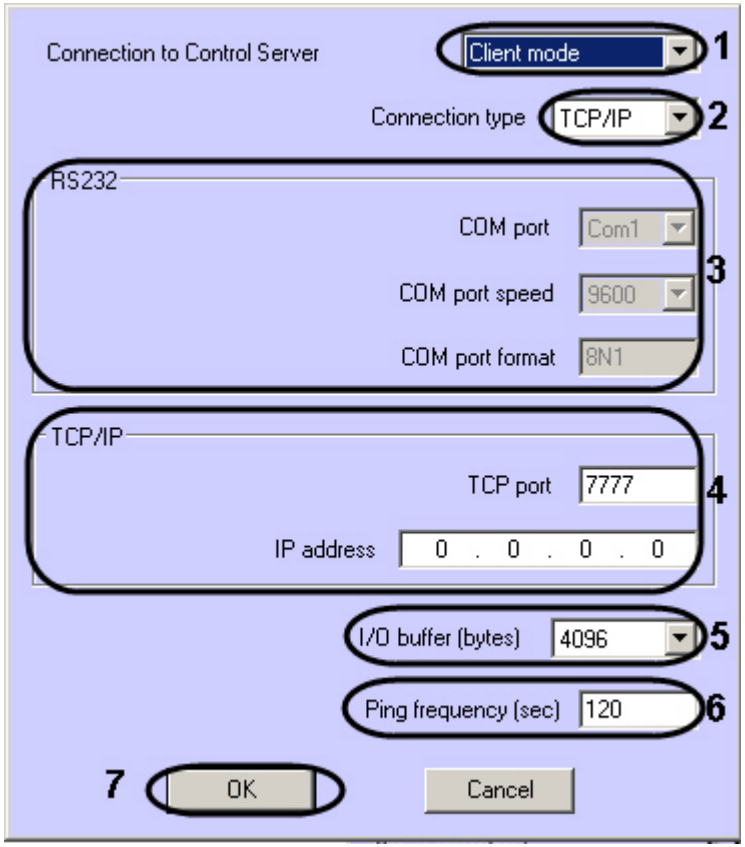
Configuring communication between Agent of Control and Control Server

To configure communication between Agent of Control and Control Server:

1. Go to the configuration panel for the **Partition Of Control** object.



2. Click the **Transmitting...** button. A dialog box opens with settings for configuring the communication method between Agent of Control and Control Server.



3. In the **Connect to Control Server** drop-down list select the **Client mode** as the methods for connecting Agent of Control to Control Server (**1**).

> **Note.**
> The **Server mode** is not used.

4. In the **Link type** drop-down list, select one of the possible values for the transport level (**2**): **TCP/IP** or **RS232**.
5. If **RS232** is selected in the **Link type** field, specify values in the **Number**, **Bit rate**, and **COM port shorthand notations** fields (**3**).
6. If **Client mode** is used to connect to Control Server and **TCP/IP** is selected in the **Link type** field, in this dialog box you should indicate the **IP address** and **TCP port** of Control Server (**4**).
7. When still frames or video is sent to Control Server, the data is transferred in packets. The packet size is specified by the setting named **Transfer buffer (bytes)** (**5**). For maximum data transfer speed, you are advised to use the value 4096. For poor connections, such as if a GSM modem is used, you are advised to use the value 800.
8. In the **Ping frequency (sec.)** field, enter the time interval at which Agent of Control will send messages about its technical state to Control Server (if **Client mode** is selected) (**6**). Minimal possible value is 10 sec. The value in the **Ping frequency (sec.)** field does not affect short-term alarms. Messages about short-term alarms are transmitted from *Agent of Control* to *Server of Control* immediately after corresponding sensors triggering. Some long-term alarms can also be an exception: for more info see the document Monitoring. Operator's Guide, section Appendix 1. Data update periods summary
9. Click **OK** (**7**).

Configuration of communication between Agent of Control and Control Server is now complete.

Configuring sensors

The system supports use of four fixed sensors (vibration sensor, lock sensor, temperature sensor, and additional sensor) as well as 12 expansion sensors. There is also a separate additional device, "temperature array".

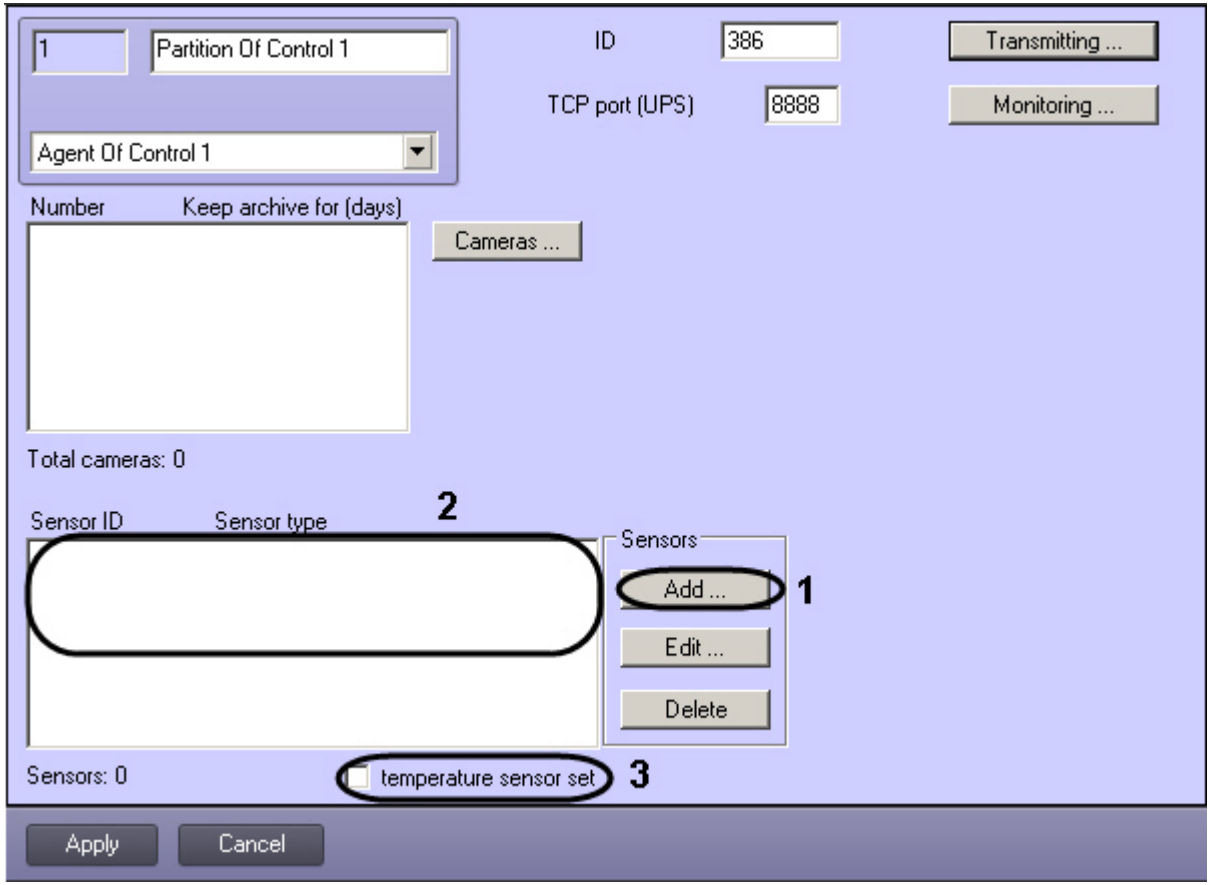
Note.
Before configuring a list of sensors for a protected site, you must create and configure the necessary **Sensor** objects in Intellect first. Creation and configuration of these objects is described in the document Guide to Installation and Configuration of Security System Components.

Attention!
Sensor IDs must be whole numbers.

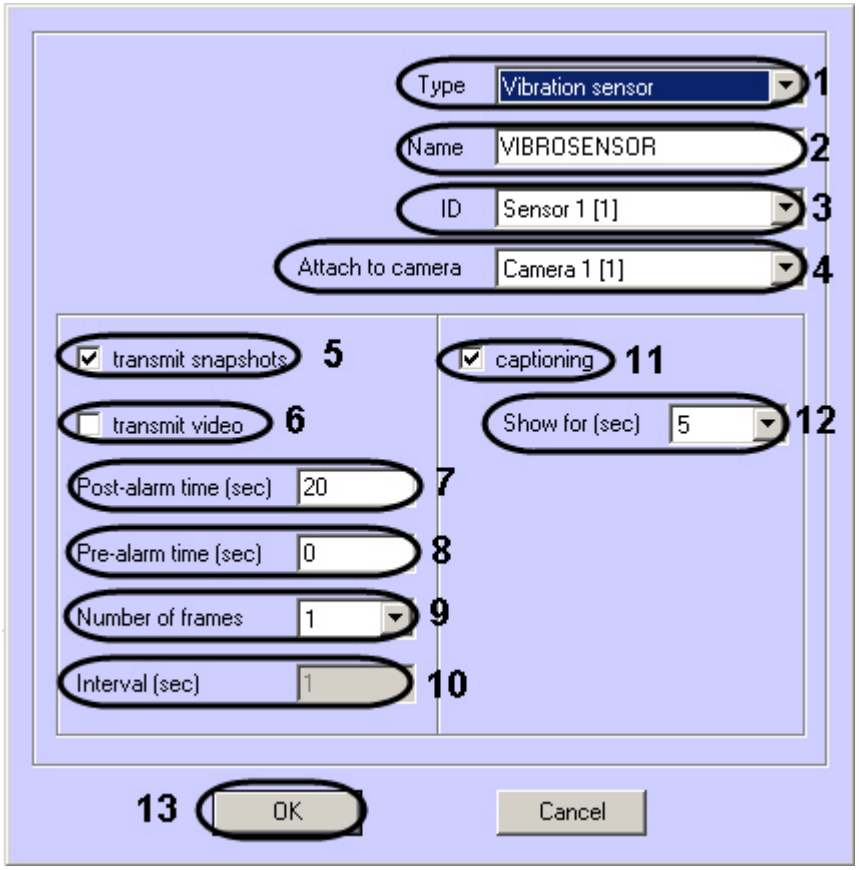
Attention!
If video data (i.e. clips or snapshots) are attached to the alarms, it is necessary to create a script for stopping recording on camera (see Appendix 2. Sample script for stopping camera recording).

To configure the list of sensors in use:

1. Go to the configuration panel for the **Partition Of Control** object.



2. Click the **Add** button (**1**). A dialog box for adding a sensor appears.



3. In the **Type** drop-down list, select the type of sensor from the sixteen types described previously (**1**).
4. In the **Name** field, enter the text that will be sent to Control Server together with the alarm message. This text will be overlaid on the video during the captioning process (**2**).
5. In the **ID** drop-down list, select a **Sensor** object that has been previously created in the Intellect device tree (**3**).
6. In the **Attach to camera** drop-down list, select a **Camera** object that has been previously created in the Intellect device tree (**4**).
7. To enable sending video frames to Control Server when a sensor is activated, select the **transmit snapshots** check box (**5**). In the **Attach to camera** field, specify the camera from which you want video frames to be sent (**4**).

> **Note.**
> The settings for sending video frames and for sending video fragments are different.

8. If you want for a video fragment to be sent to Control Server when a sensor is triggered, select the **transmit video** check box (**6**). In the **Attach to camera** field, specify the camera from which you want video frames to be sent (**4**).
9. In the **Post-alarm time (sec.)** field, enter the time delay between when a sensor is triggered and the time of access to the video archives, in seconds (**7**). The default value is 20 seconds.
10. In the **Pre-alarm time (sec.)** field, specify the amount of time for which you want to pre-record before sensor triggering, in seconds (**8**). This allows obtaining video frames depicting not only the very moment at which an alarm occurs, but a short time before.
11. In the **Number of frames** drop-down list, select the quantity of video frames to be transferred when a sensor is triggered (for **video frame transmission** mode) (**9**).

12. In the **Interval (sec.)** field, enter the length of time, in seconds, between video frames if more than one frame is to be sent (**10**). Thus when an alarm occurs, it is possible to send to Control Server an entire sequence of frames that represent different points in time, which increases the chance of viewing the most valuable frames (for **video frame transmission** mode).

> **Attention!**
> For snapshots transmitting more, as well as for video clips transmitting, it is necessary to create a script for stopping video recording on camera (see Appendix 2. Sample script for stopping camera recording).

> **Attention!**
> When specifying the Lookback, Number of frames, and Interval settings, keep an eye on the configuration of the camera from which video frames are to be sent, and particularly on the Pre-Alarm time setting.

13. In the **Length (sec.)** field, specify the length of the video fragment to send (for **video fragment transmission** mode).

Attention!
This setting is unavailable in the current version (**1**). The length will be determined by the size of the video fragment file in the video archive. To limit the length of the video fragment to be sent, use a script to stop recording on the camera (a sample script is found in the Appendix 2. Sample script for stopping camera recording).

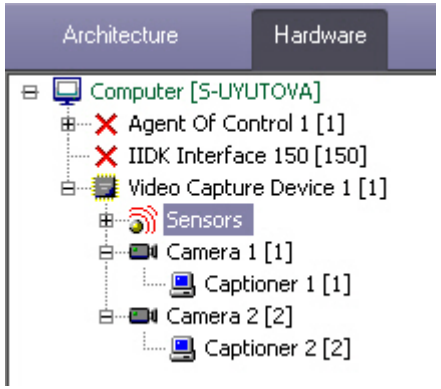
14. In the **Rate (KB/sec.)** field, enter the transmission rate for the video fragment (for **video fragment transmission** mode) (**2**).
15. To overlay captions on video when a sensor is triggered, select the **captioning** check box (). In the **Attach to camera** field, specify the camera on whose video you want to overlay captions (**11**).
16. In the **Show (sec.)** drop-down list, select the amount of time for which you want captions to be displayed on video, in seconds (**12**).
17. Click **OK** (**13**).
18. To perform monitoring to ensure that temperatures do not deviate from an allowed range, select the **Temperature array** check box (**3**). A set of DS18S20-type temperature sensors is used for temperature monitoring. Temperature sensors are connected via a two-wire MicroLAN to a MicroLAN network adapter, which in turn connects to the COM port of the computer on which Agent of Control is installed. The MicroLAN network adapter can be connected to the USB port of the computer on which Agent of Control is installed, by adding a RS232–USB adapter.

Configuration of the list of used sensors is now complete.

Configuring captions

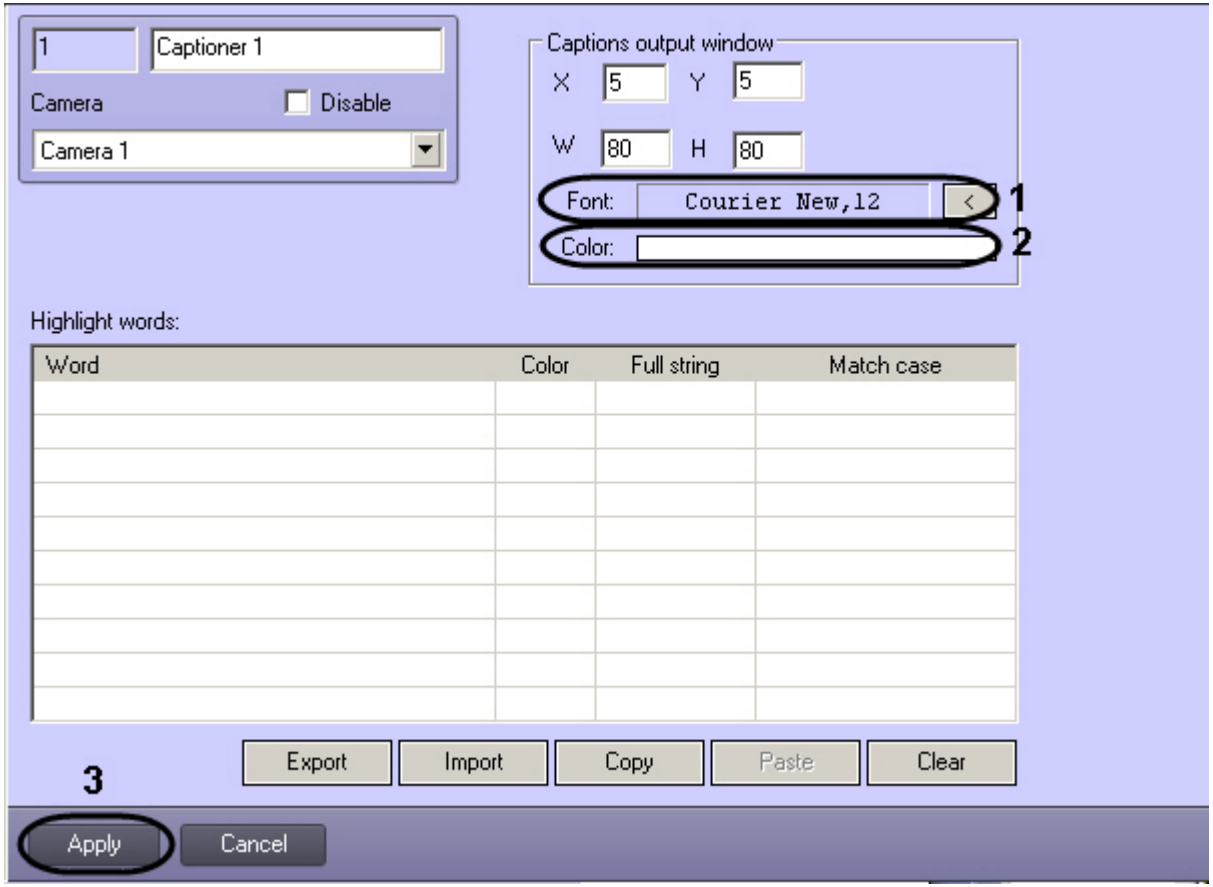
To use and configure captions, for each camera on which you want to use captions you must create a **Captioner** object.

Attention!
If multiple captioners have been created for a single camera, Agent of Control uses the captioner with the lowest ID number.

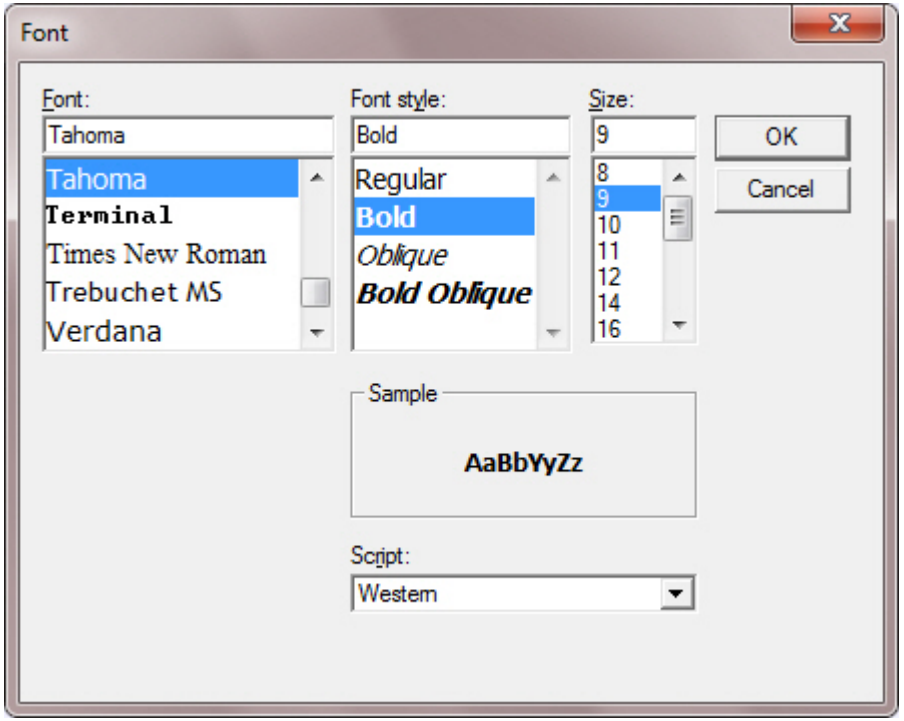


To configure the font and display area used for captions:

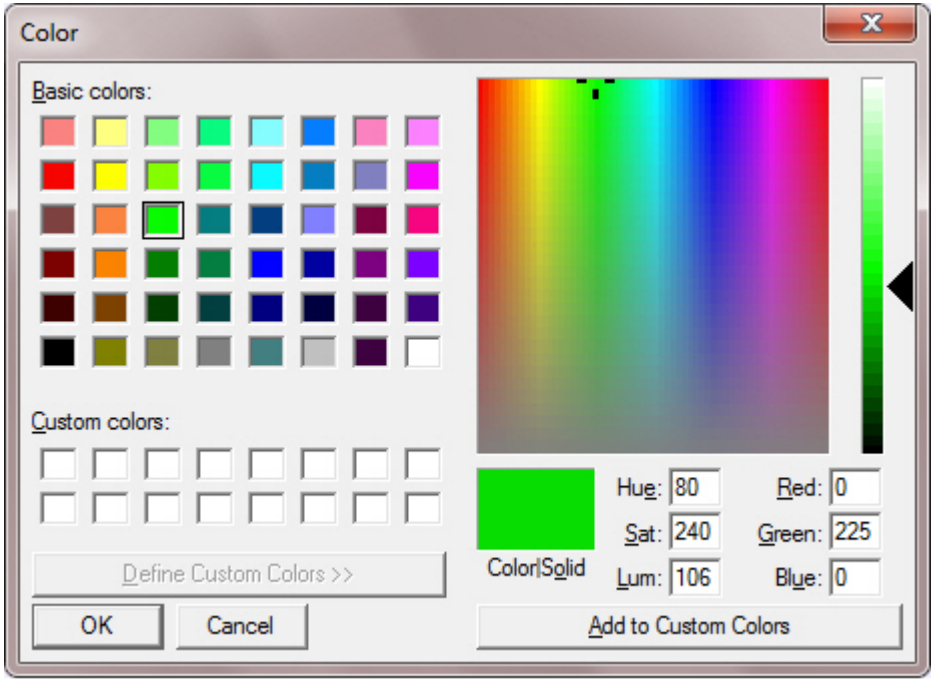
1. In the device tree, click the relevant **Captioner** object. On the right side of the **System settings** dialog box, the configuration panel of the **Captioner** object is displayed.



2. If you click the button to the right of **Font**, a dialog box appears in which you can configure the font face and size (**1**).



3. To configure the color of captions, double-click the area to the right of **Color**. A dialog box for configuring color appears (**2**).



Configuration of the **Captioner** object is now complete.

Configuring the camera list

The list of cameras specified in the configuration panel for the **Partition Of Control** object defines the cameras whose archives can be accessed through the **Search in Archive** interface object (see the document Monitoring Software Package: Operator's Guide). In addition, this list defines the cameras whose state and archives are monitored by Agent of Control.

Depending on whether the list of cameras has been specified or not, the following situations are possible:

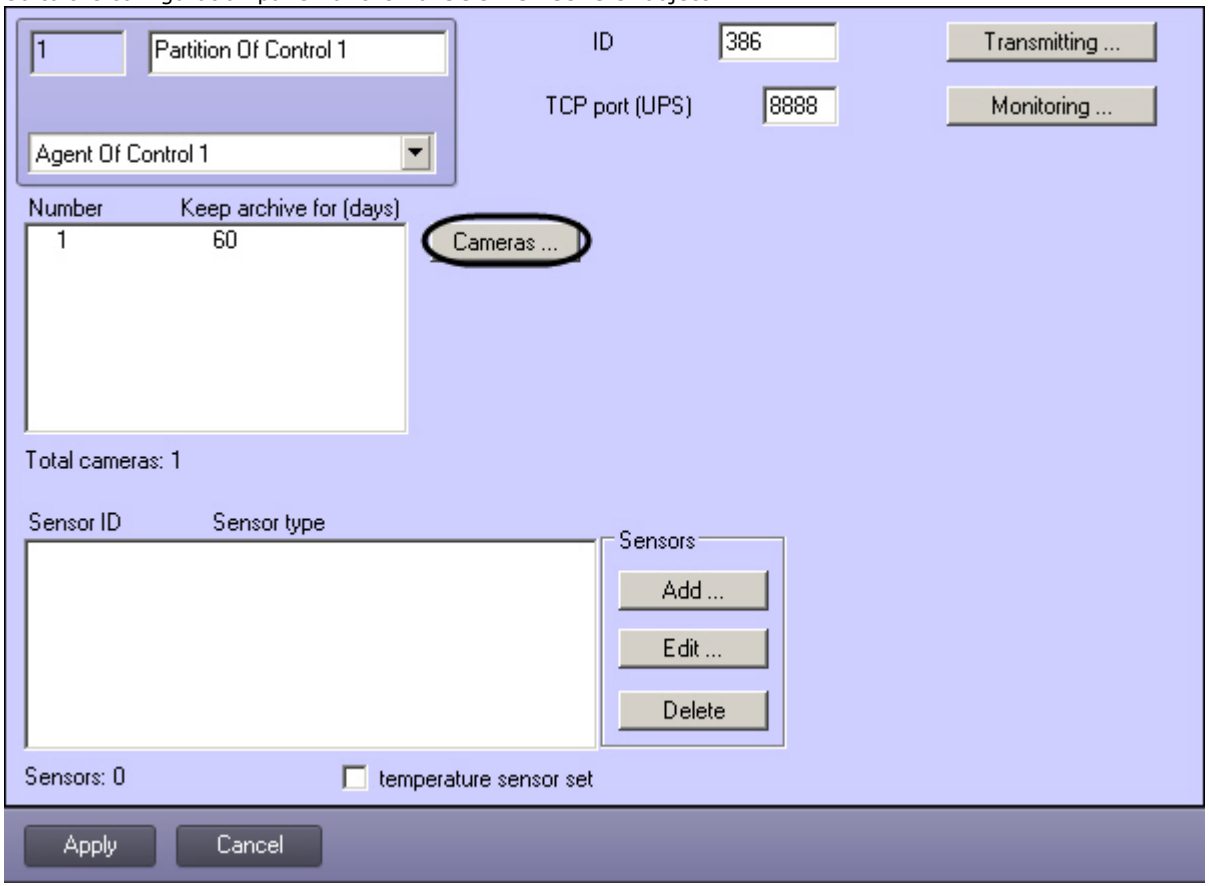
1. If cameras are specified in the list, Agent of Control works in normal mode: it monitors the state of cameras and their archives. Control Server receives information about the number of cameras, disks, disk volume, etc.
2. If no cameras are specified in the list, Agent of Control checks for the presence of a **Long-term Archive** object in the system and gets information about disks from this object. In this case, Control Server will receive information only for the disks marked in the **Long-term Archive** object. Access to the archive is not performed from the **Search in Archive** interface object during this process.
3. If no cameras are indicated in Agent of Control settings and there is no **Long-term Archive** object in the configuration, information about disks is taken from the **Computer** object; the disks indicated for storage of the main archive are taken into account. Access to the archive is not performed from the **Search in Archive** interface object during this process.

In the second and third cases, monitoring is performed of the state of the system (network functioning, restarts, etc.) and disks (their number and free space). The state of cameras and their archives is not available for monitoring.

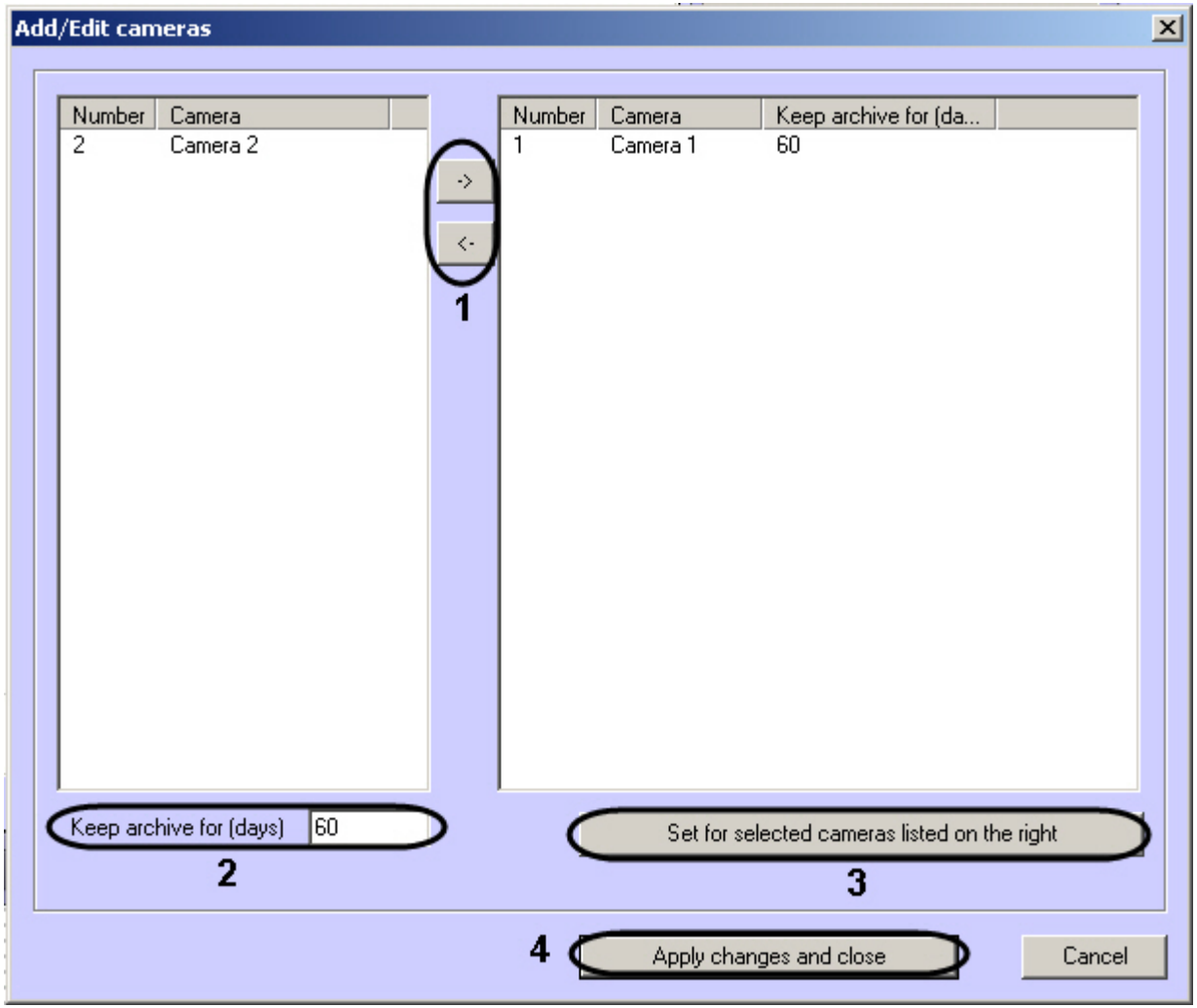
> **Note.**
> Creation and configuration of the **Long-term Archive** object is described in the document Intellect Software Package: Administrator's Guide.

To configure the list of cameras in use:

1. Go to the configuration panel for the **Partition Of Control** object.



2. Click the **Cameras...** button. The **Add/edit cameras** window opens.



3. Configure the necessary cameras by clicking the -> and <- buttons to move cameras from the left list to the one on the right (**1**).
4. Select cameras in the list on the right.
5. Specify the time for video archive storage, in days (**2**).
6. Click the **Set for cameras selected in the right list** button.
7. Repeat steps 4 to 6 for all necessary cameras.
8. Click the **Apply changes and close** button (**3**). The selected cameras will be added to the list on the configuration panel of the **Security Site** object.
9. Click the **Apply** button.

Note.

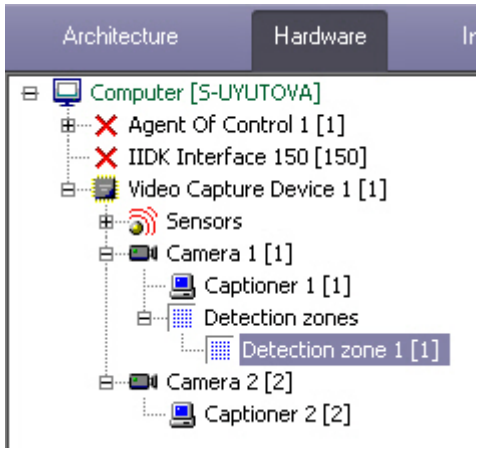
The ID numbers of cameras and captioners must be whole numbers.

Configuration of the camera list is now complete.

Configuring alarm groups

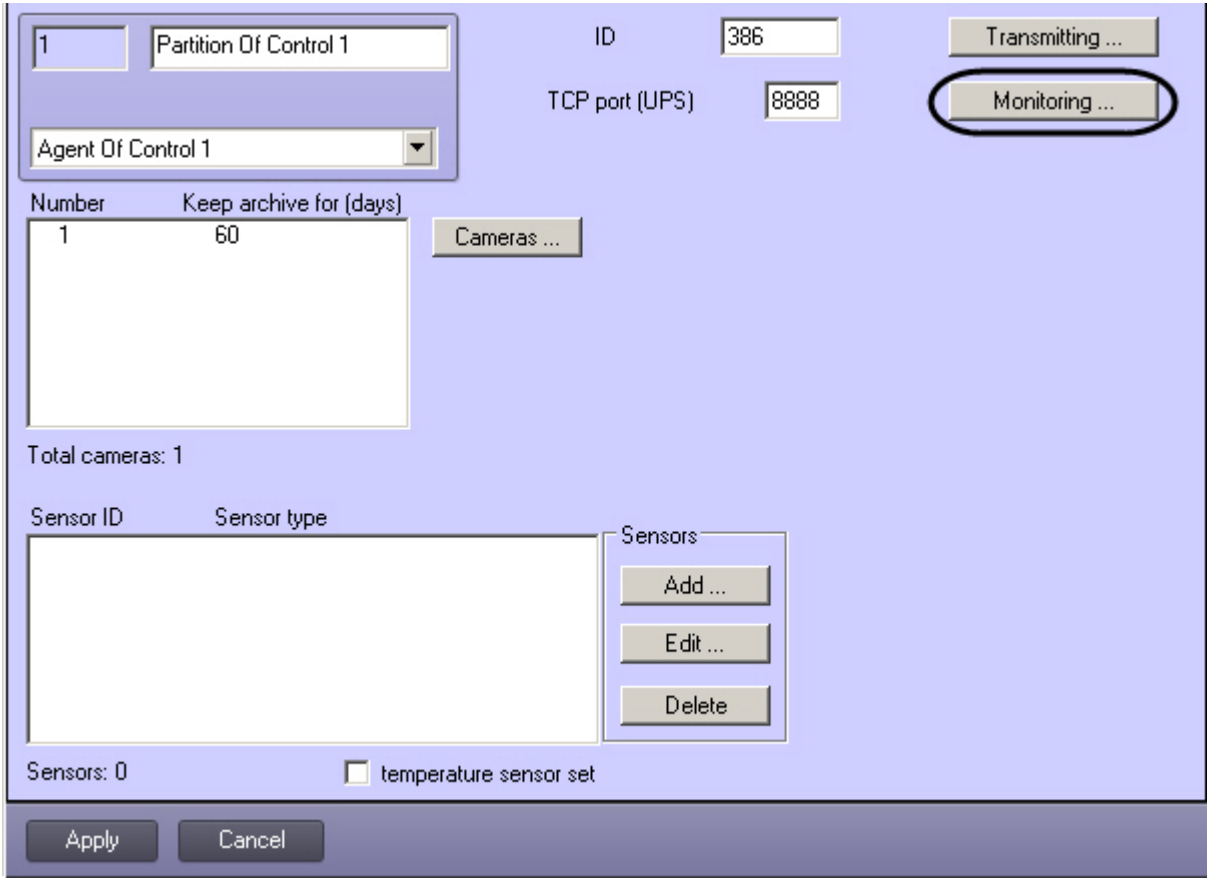
For the **Access Control** and **Detection Tools** alarm groups, by default no data is sent from Agent of Control. These alarm groups, as well as **Hardware** and **Fire/Security System**, can be used for designating their respective alarm types.

To classify events of an object as belonging to a particular alarm group, create an object (if it does not exist already) in the device tree. For example, if you want for the signal from the **Abandoned Object Detection Tool** to be displayed in Monitoring in the **Detection Tools** alarm group, create a **Detector Zone** object and configure it (select the **Abandoned Object Detection Tool** type, specify the detection area and sensitivity, etc.; for more details, see the document Intellect Software Package: Administrator's Guide.

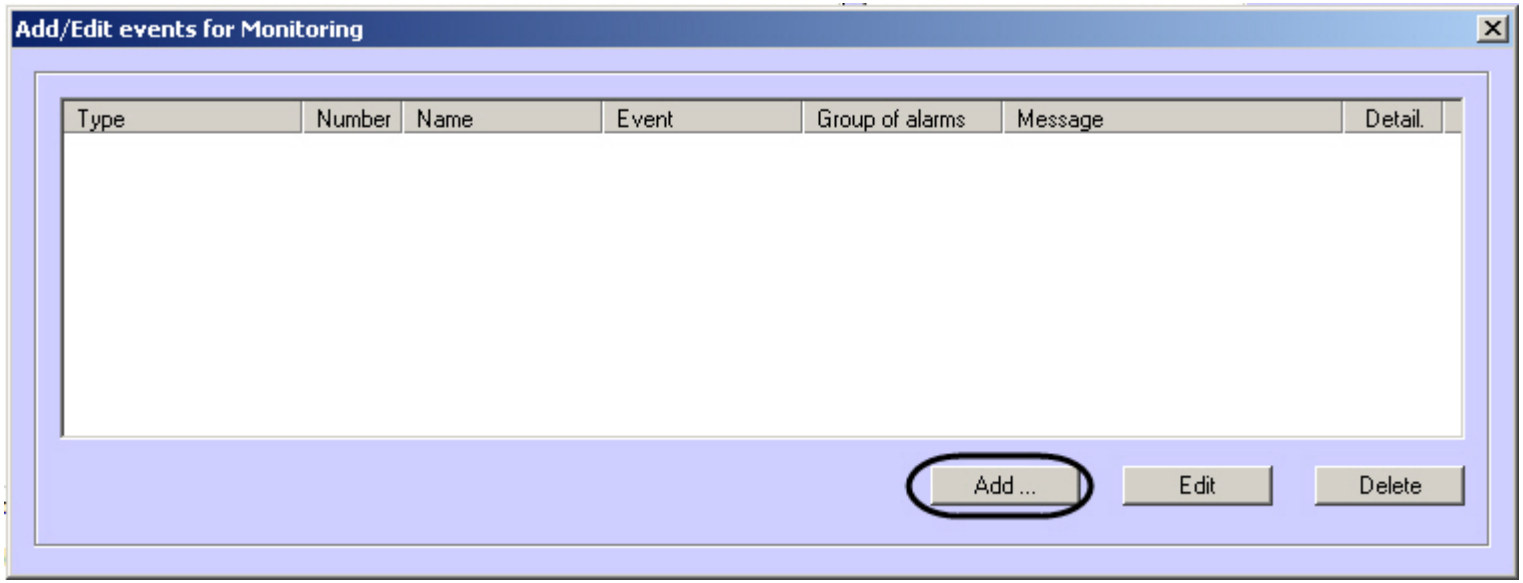


To associate various events with particular alarm groups:

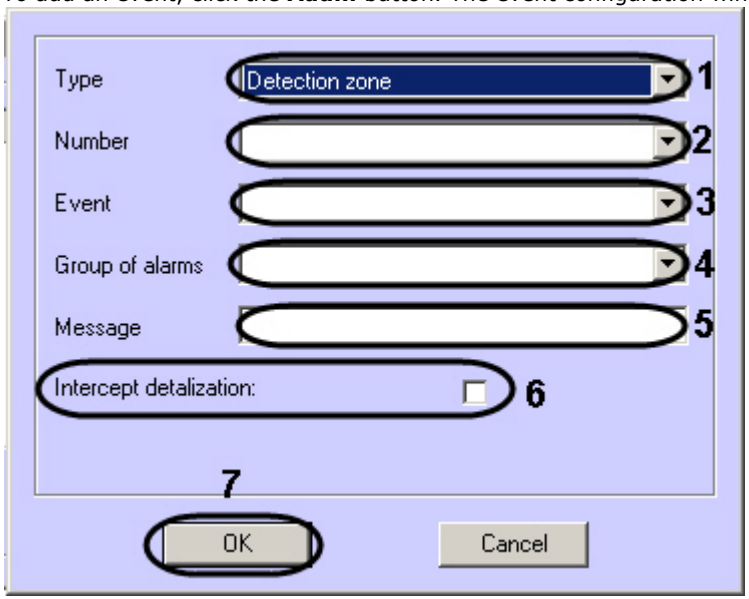
1. Go to the configuration panel for the **Partition Of Control** object.



2. Click the **Monitoring** button. The **Add/Remove Monitoring Events** window opens.



3. To add an event, click the **Add...** button. The event configuration window opens.

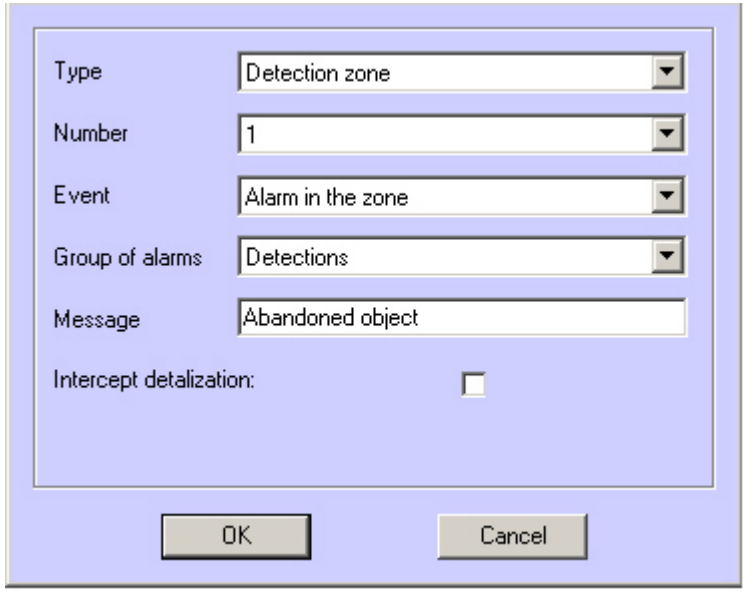


4. In the form that appears, in the **Type** drop-down list, select the type of device (**1**). This list contains the types of all objects created on the **Hardware** tab of the **System settings** window that have recorded events.
   Example: In the case of the Abandoned Object Detection Tool, select the **Detector Zone** type.
5. Select an ID number for the object of the selected type from which you want to get events (**2**). If you want to get events from all devices of this type, leave this field blank.

6. In the **Event** drop-down list, select an event type (**3**). The available event types depend on the selected object type.
7. In the **Alarm group** drop-down list, select an alarm group and indicate in which alarm group you want for Monitoring to display alarms for this event (**4**).
8. Enter text in the **Message** field (**5**). The text entered in this field will appear in the **Device** column of the **Alarm Reaction** dialog form (see the document Monitoring Software Package: Operator's Guide).
9. To search for additional information in messages from a device of this type (for the substring "param0<>"), select the **Intercept detail** check box (**6**).

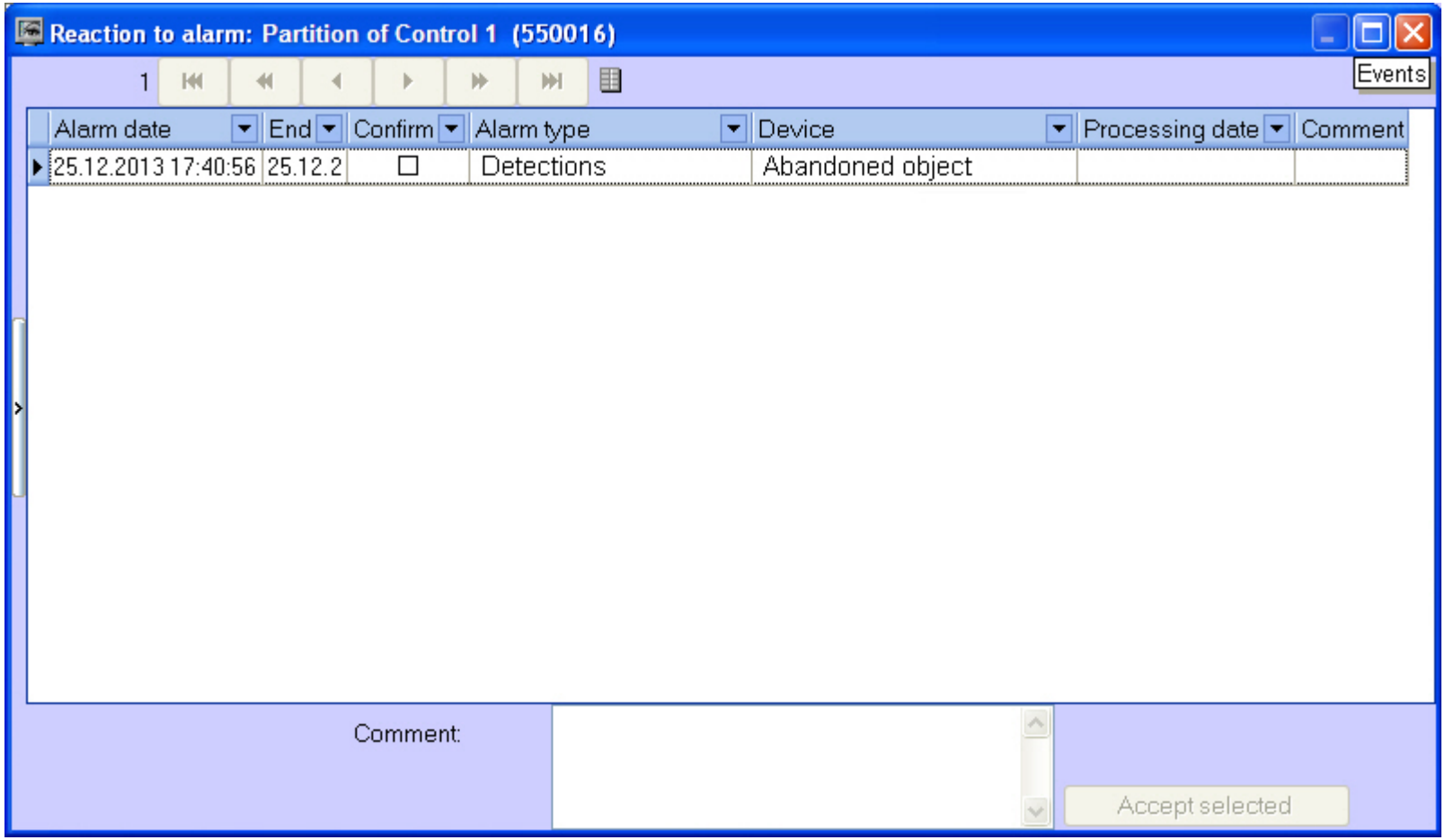
This means that when integrating a new device into Intellect, if a developer wants to be able to send more detailed information to Monitoring, when generating an event from the device, the developer should add detail in the param0<> parameter. For example, if there is a Motherboard Control module that has the Alarm event, the following values could be included in param0<>: "processor cooler", "BIOS battery", etc. If you enter "Motherboard" in the **Message** field and select **Intercept detail**, the following text may appear in the **Devi ce** column of the **Alarm Reaction** dialog form: "Motherboard (CPU cooler)".

Example of how to configure the message for the Abandoned Object Detection Tool.



In the example shown with the Abandoned Object Detection Tool, when the detection tool is triggered a indicator corresponding to the **Detection Tools** alarm group becomes red in the Control Panel.

Click this indicator to view the **Alarm Reaction** window, which indicates that the Abandoned Object Detection Tool has been triggered.



Similarly, it is possible to monitor messages from other objects created in the *Intellect* device tree, on the **Hardware** tab.

Configuration for associating different events with certain alarm groups is now complete.

Connecting to uninterrupted power supplies

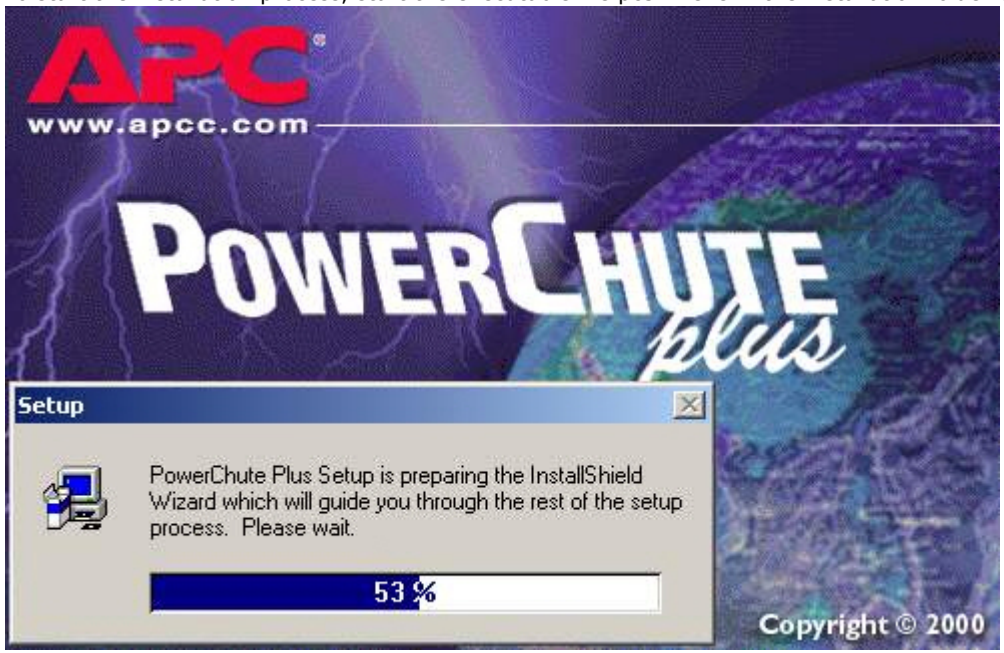
If your computer has a Smart-UPS uninterrupted power supply unit made by APS, messages from the UPS can be sent to Control Server. Configuration of a UPS is performed in the following order:

1. Install the StateUPS utility.
2. Configure the PowerChute plus utility.

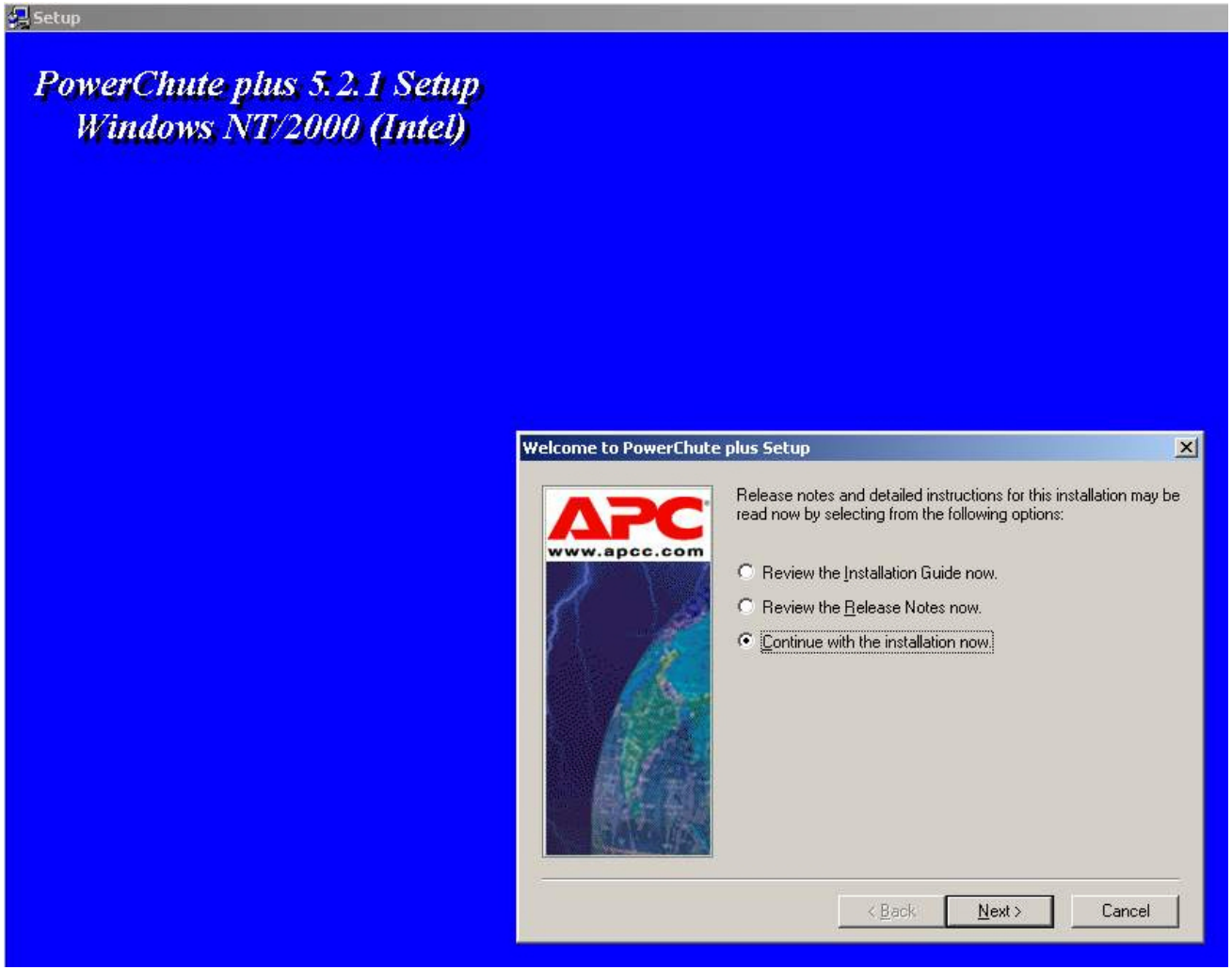
Installing StateUPS

To start, configure the StateUPS auxiliary utility.

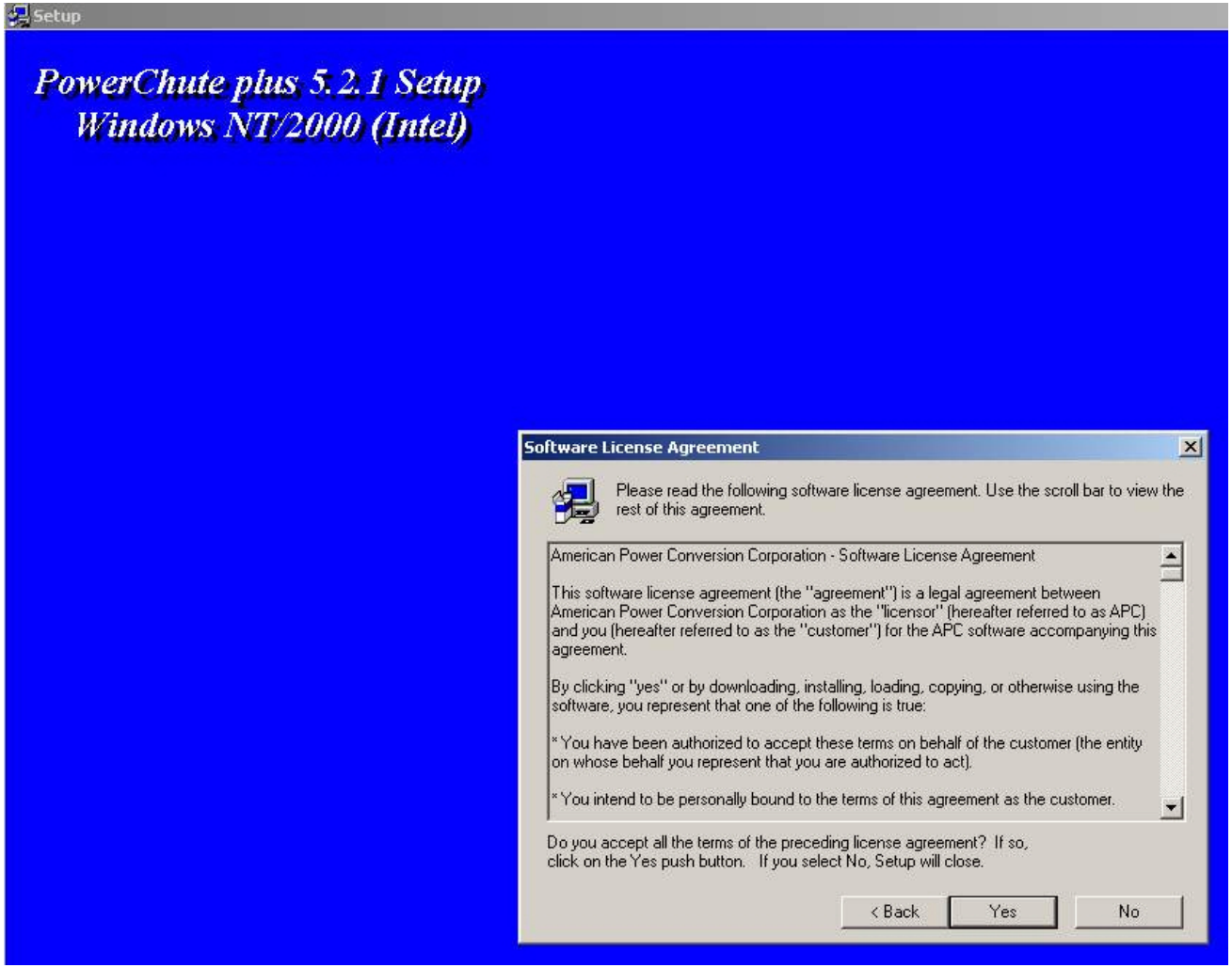
1. Create a folder on disk, such as C:\EVUPS. To this same location, copy the file StateUPS.exe from the UPS folder in the installation kit.
2. Configure the file StateUPS.ini, which is also in the UPS folder of the installation kit:
    a. Address – address of the machine on which Agent of Control is running. The default value of this parameter is 127.0.0.1. If you install StateUPS on the same computer on which Agent of Control is installed, it is not necessary to change this parameter.
    b. Port – TCP port to which StateUPS sends messages from the UPS. The value of this parameter must match the corresponding setting of Agent of Control, TCP port (UPS) (see the section Configuring a port for incoming UPS messages).
3. After the file StateUPS.ini is configured, it must be copied to the system folder of the operating system (OS). For example, if Windows is installed in the folder C:\WINNT, the file StateUPS.ini must be copied to the folder C:\WINNT\System32\.
4. Then install the software from the UPS vendor. Before starting installation, make sure that the interface cable is connected to the UPS.
    a. To start the installation process, start the executable file pc521.exe in the installation folder UPS\PowerChutePlus. A window opens to inform of the start of installation.



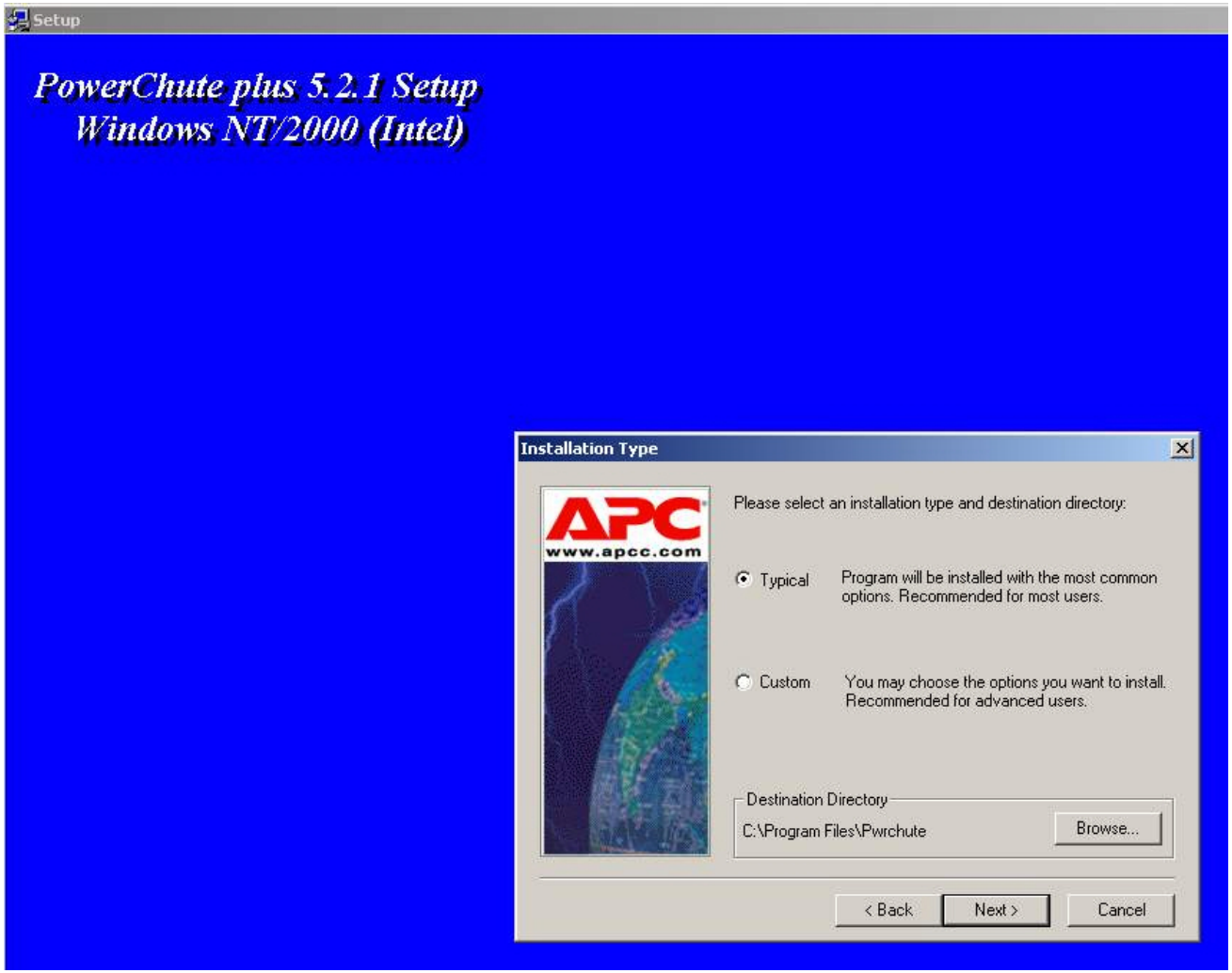
    b. On the following wizard page, select the option **Continue with the installation now** and click the **Next** button.



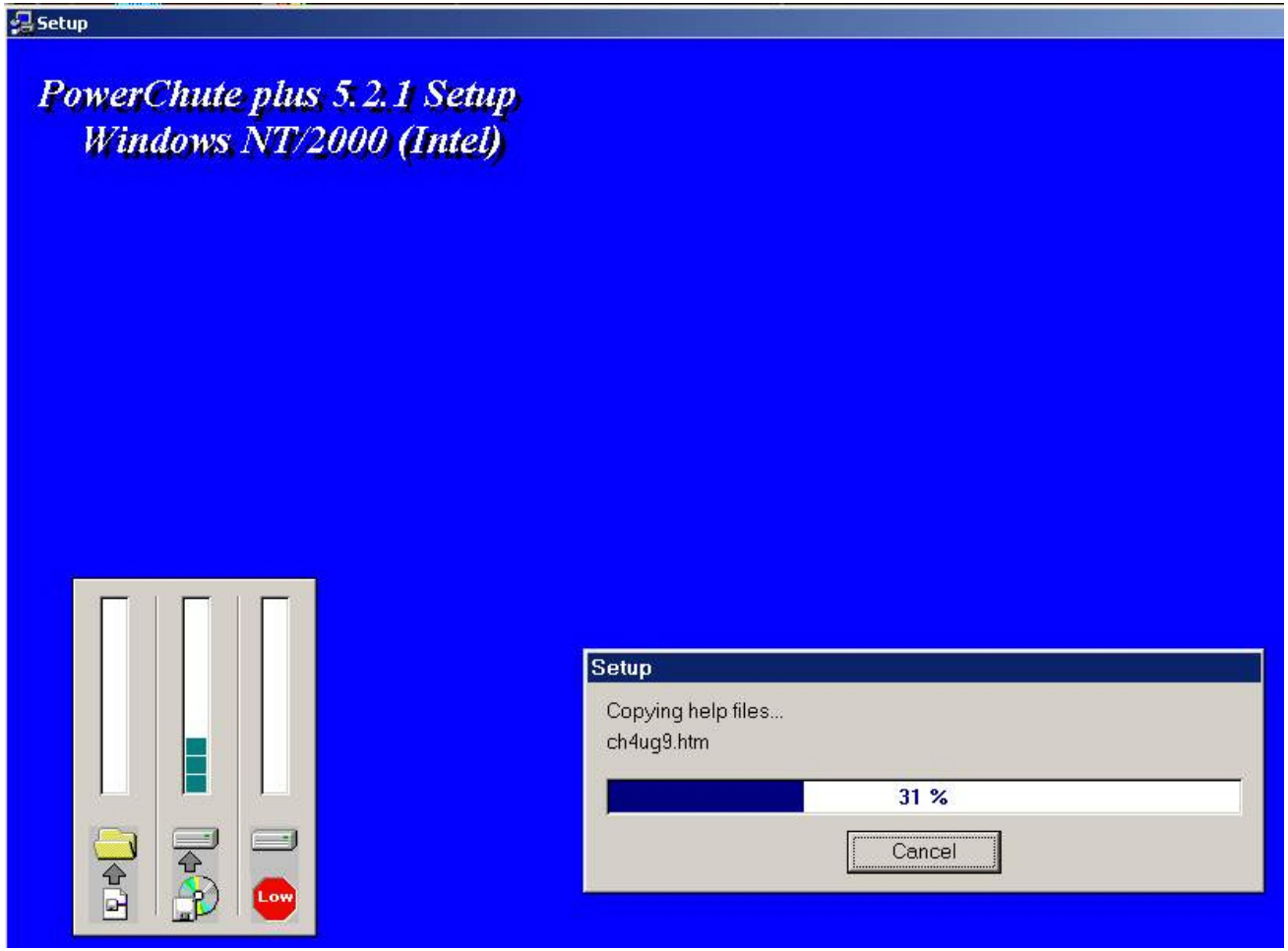
c. On the following wizard page, click the **Yes** button to accept the license agreement.



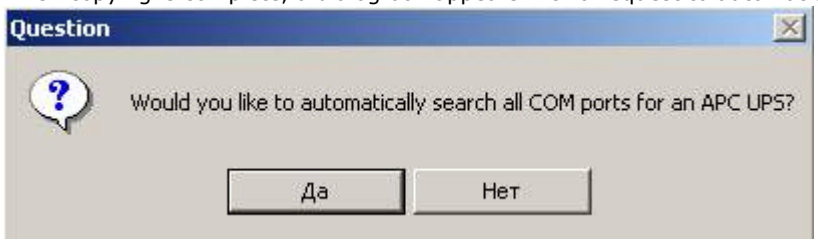
d. On the following wizard page, select the **Typical** installation type and indicate the path at which you want to install the software.



e. Copying begins of the necessary files.

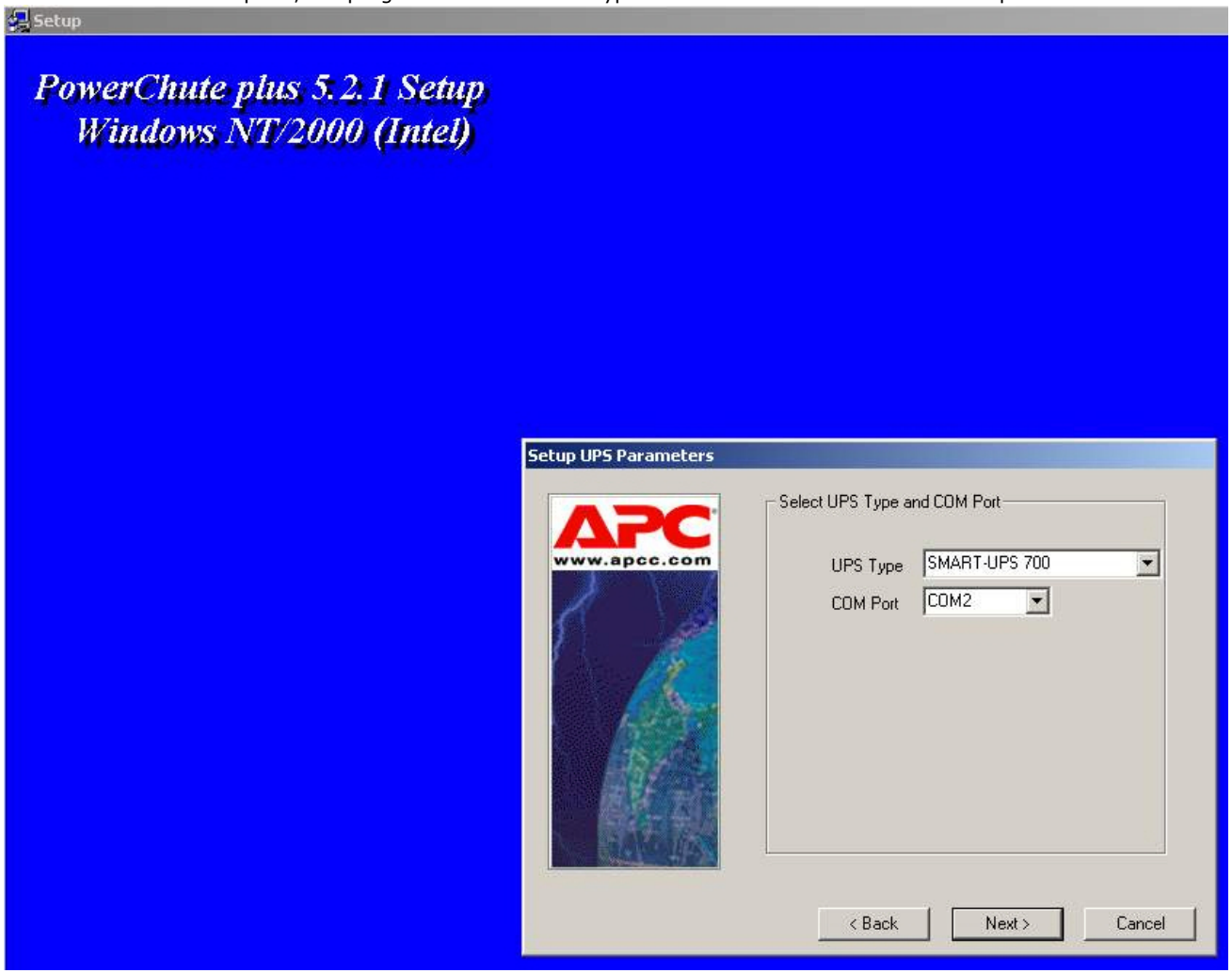


f. When copying is complete, a dialog box appears with a request to automatically determine the COM port on which the UPS is located. Click the **Yes** button.

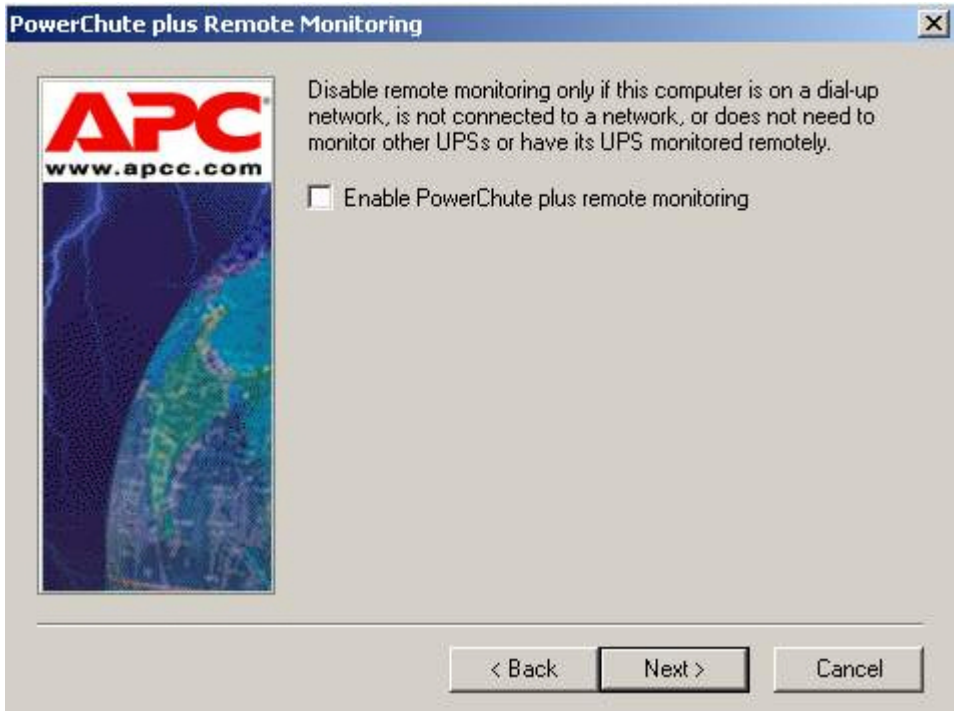


g. The search process begins.

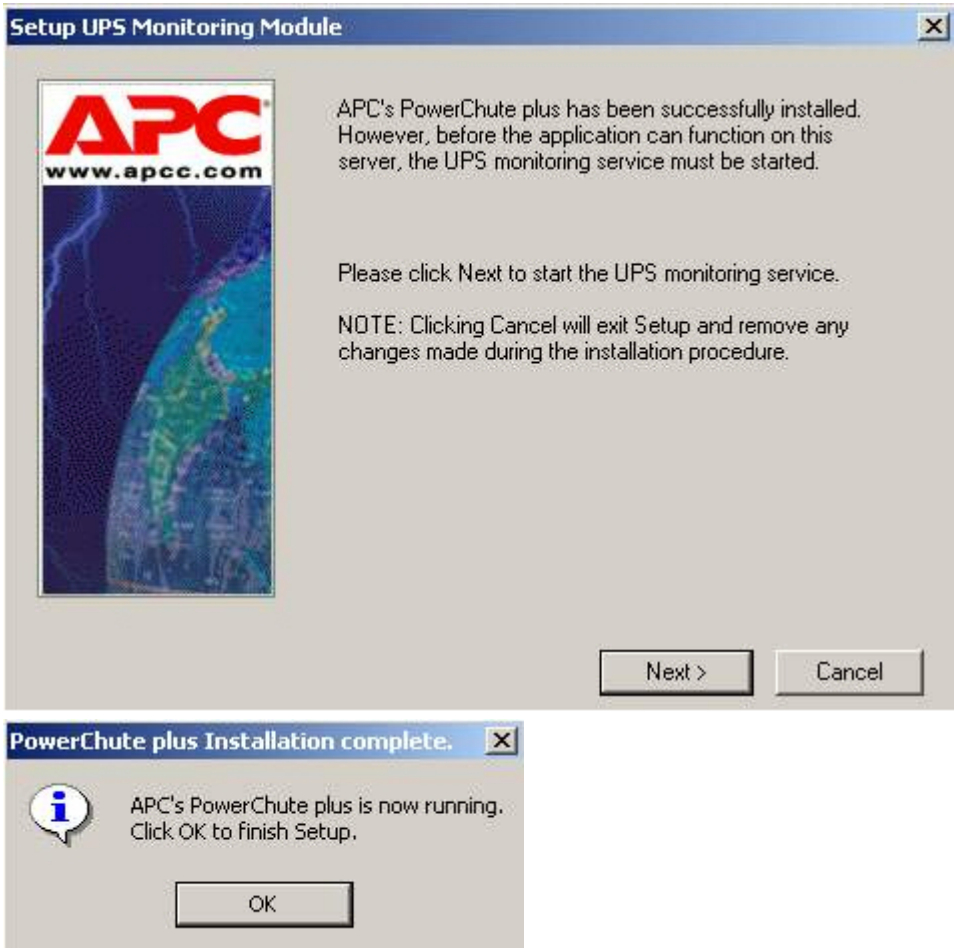
h. When the search is complete, the program will show what type of UPS it found and on which COM port. Click the **Next** button.



i. On the next wizard page, clear the **Enable PowerChute plus remote monitoring** check box and click the **Next** button.



j. The two following wizard pages complete the installation process.



Installation of the StateUPS utility is now complete.

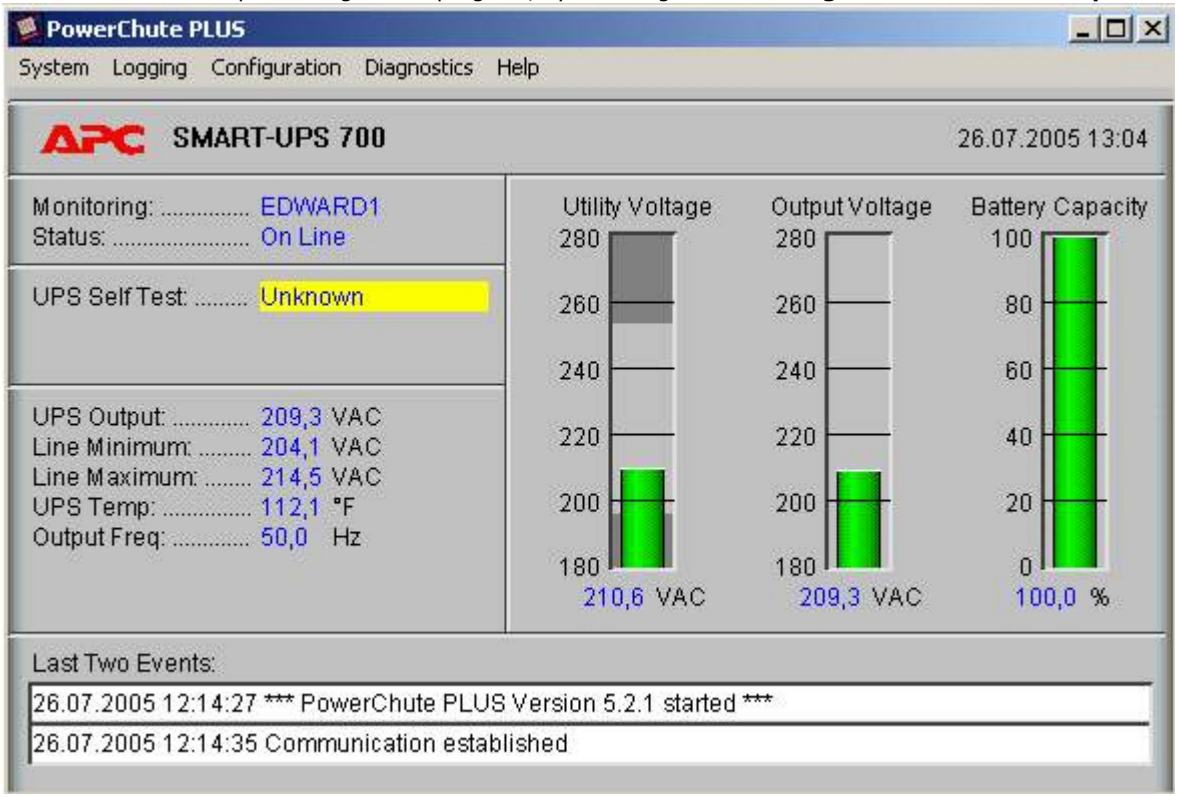
Installing the PowerChute plus utility

Note.
The PowerChute utility configuring process is given in this document as an example. Alternative software can have different settings.

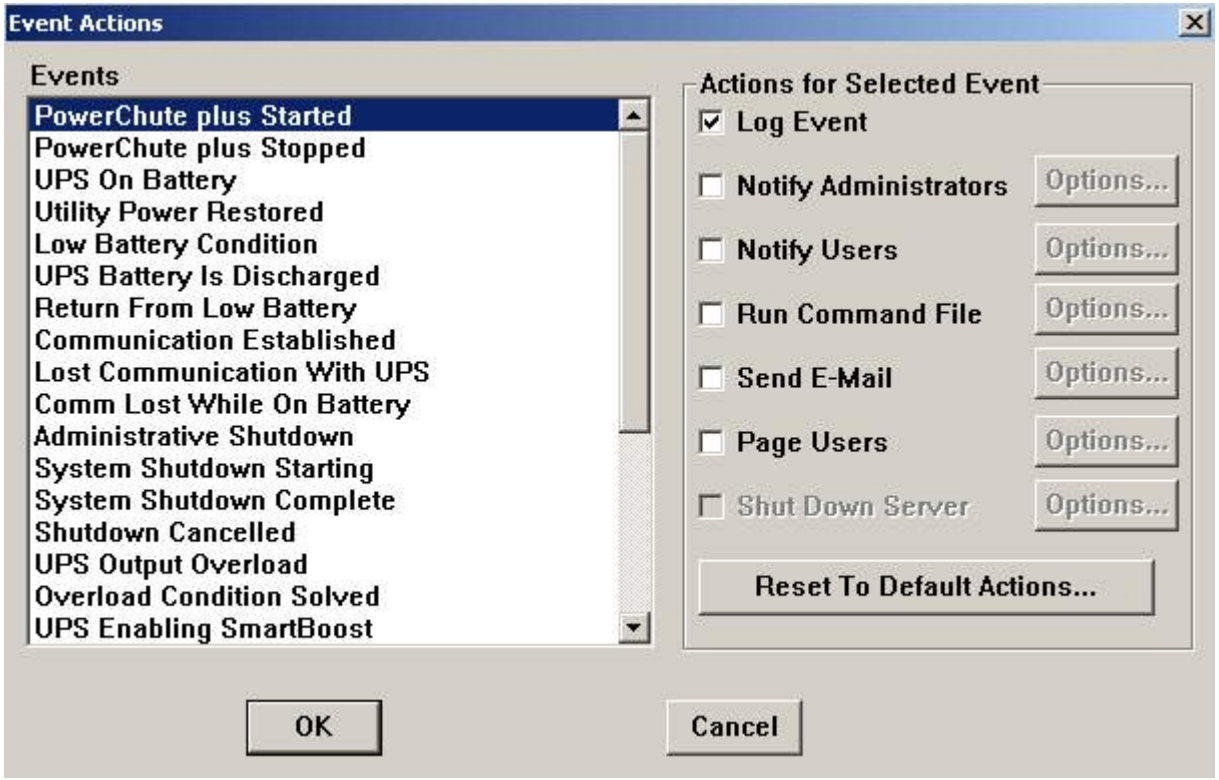
Alternative software must allow binding certain reactions with UPS events.

To set up the PowerChute plus utility:

1. Start the PowerChute plus configuration program, by selecting **Start -> Programs** -> **PowerChute plus** -> **PowerChute plus**.



2. Select the menu item **Configuration -> Event Actions...** A dialog box appears, in the left part of which there is a list of events for which different reactions can be assigned (right part of the window). It is recommended to disable the **Notify Users** option for all events unless there is a need for it; otherwise, messages are sent to the entire domain on which the computer is located.



A more detailed list of events is given in the table.

ID Code	Event Name	Description
1000	PowerChute Started	PowerChute service started
1001	PowerChute Stopped	PowerChute service stopped
1002	Communication Established	Communication restored
1003	Utility Power Restored	Electricity restored
1004	UPS Self-Test Passed	Self-Test passed
1005	Administrative Shutdown	Administrative shutdown
1006	Shutdown Cancelled	Shutdown cancelled
1007	Returned From Low Battery	Battey charged
1009	UPS Battery Replaced	Battery replaced

1013	Overload Condition Solved	Overload is back to normal
1014	Runtime Calibration Started	Runtime Calibration Started
1015	Runtime Calibration Finished	Runtime Calibration Finished
1016	System Shutdown Starting	System is shutting down
1102	UPS Internal Temperature In Bounds	Internal temperature is in bounds
2000	UPS On Battery	Electricity turned off
2001	System Shutdown Complete	System performed shutdown
2002	UPS Enabling SmartBoost	Low-voltage mode
2003	Low Battery Condition	Battery is running low
2004	Runtime Calibration Aborted	Runtime Calibration Aborted
2007	UPS Enabling SmartTrim	High-voltage mode
3000	Lost Communication With UPS	Communication lost
3001	UPS Output Overload	Overload
3002	UPS Self-Test Failed	Self-Test failed
3003	UPS Battery Is Discharged	Battery discharged
3004	Comm Lost While On Battery	Comm Lost While On Battery
3016	Battery Needs Replacing	Must replace battery
3107	Maximum Internal Temperature Exceeded	High internal temperature

PowerChute plus can be configured so that any of the events listed previously can be sent to the Control Server.

Events marked in green are highly recommended for sending to Control Server.

The installation package also includes three executables that have been created for specific events:

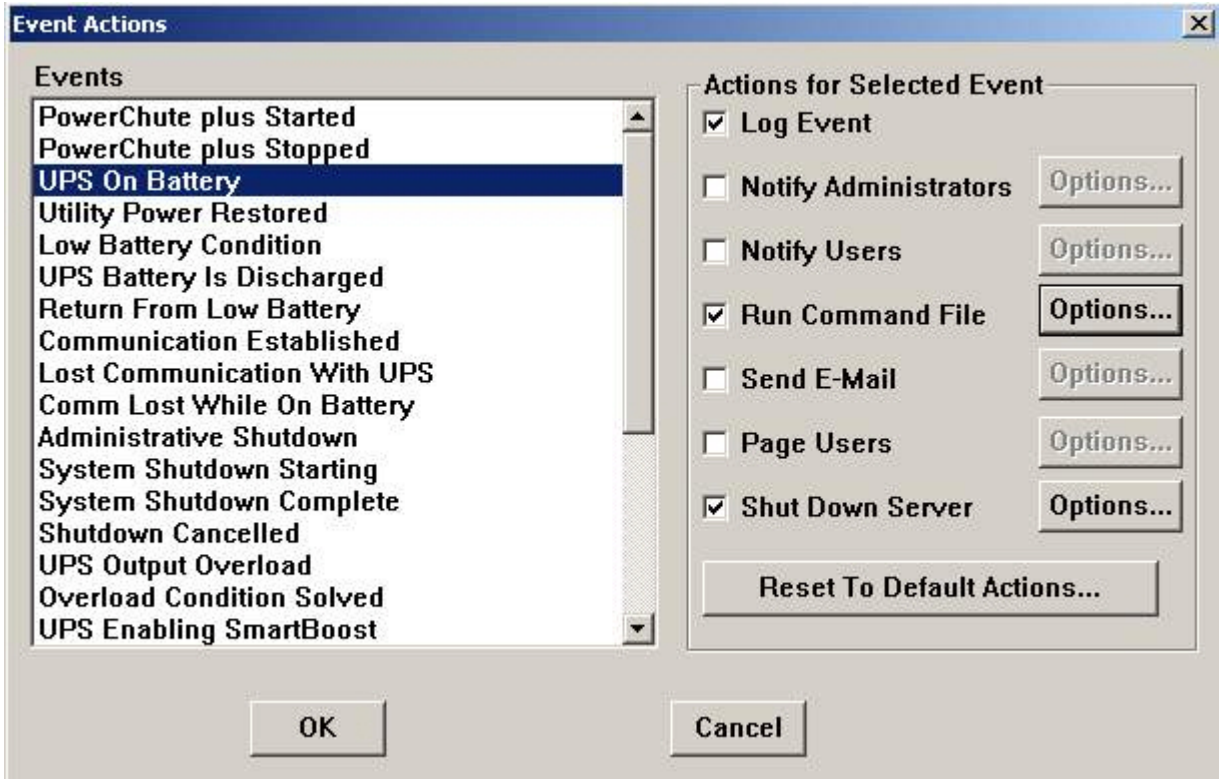
- PowerOff.exe (electricity is off)
- PowerOn.exe (electricity is restored)
- BatDisch.exe (battery is discharged)

This minimal set can be used with different series of Back-UPS that do not support calling third-party subprograms from from the command line.

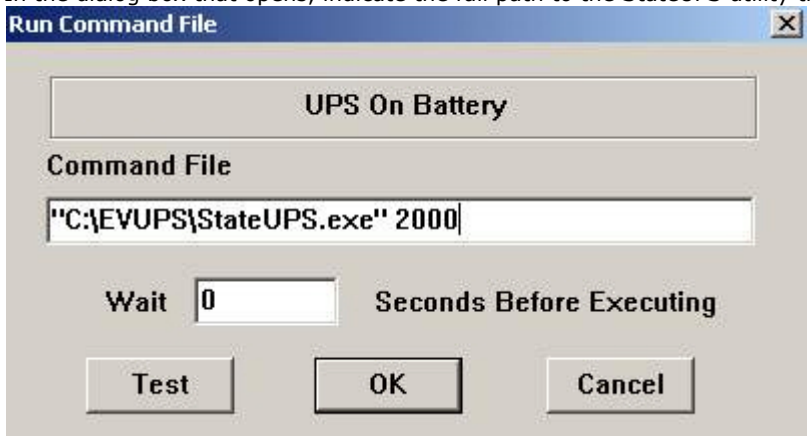
Example of configuration of event distribution

Let us imagine that we are interested in situations when electricity has turned off and the UPS began to work in battery mode (ID Code = 2000), and after a time electrical supply was restored (ID Code = 1003).

1. In the list of events, select the event **UPS On Battery** and, for this event, select the **Run Command File** check box.

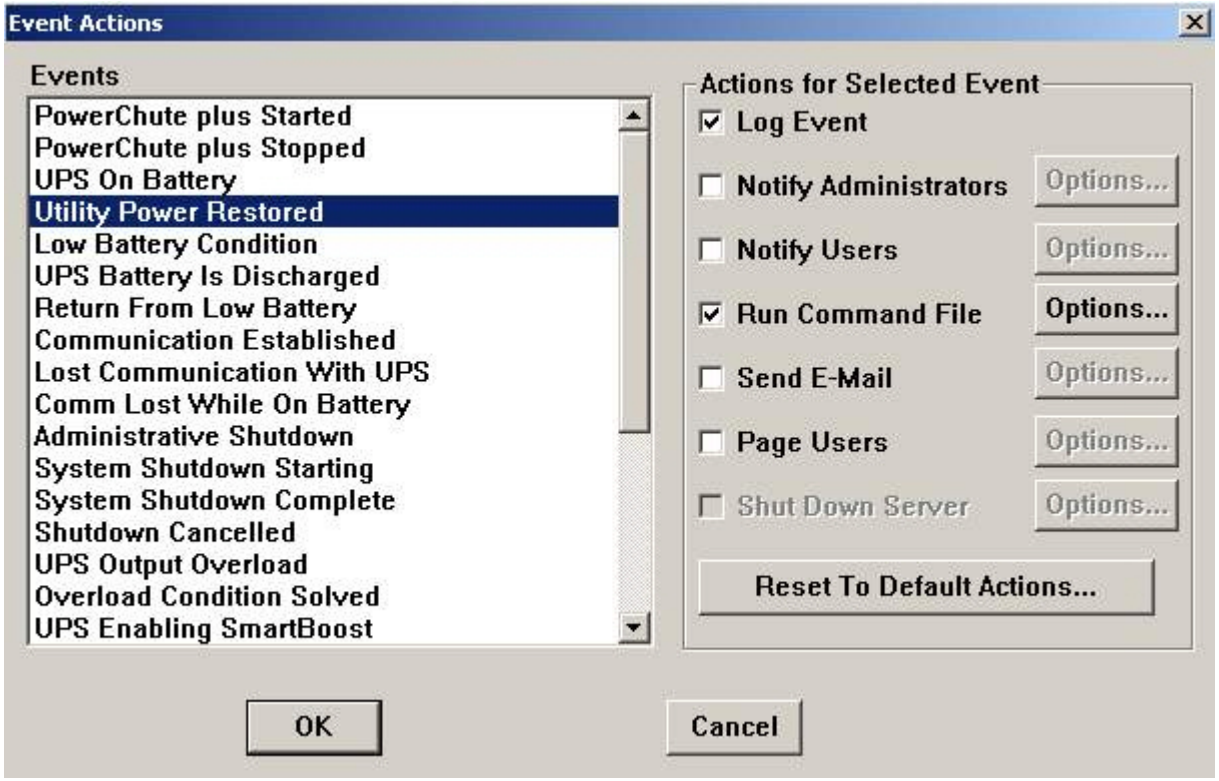


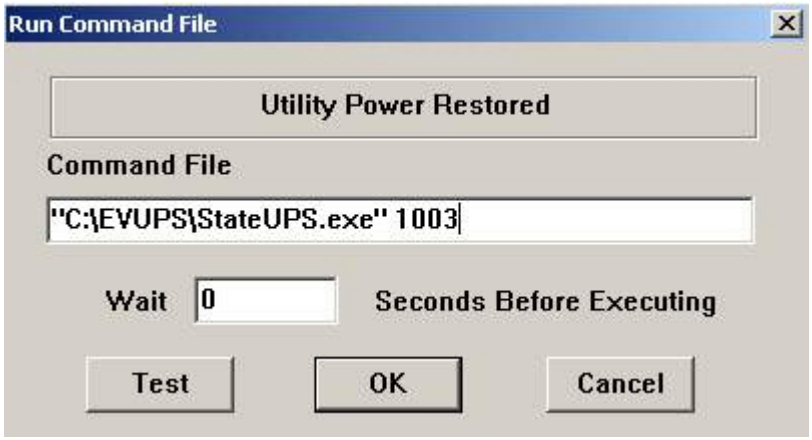
2. To the right of **Run Command File**, click the **Options...** button.
3. In the dialog box that opens, indicate the full path to the StateUPS utility that you want to be started when the event occurs.



This path should be surrounded by double quotation marks (one at the beginning of the path and one at the end). Leave a space and then indicate the ID code; for the **UPS On Battery** event, the ID code is 2000.

4. Similar actions for the **Utility Power Restored** event are shown in the following figures.





You should also remember that after utility power is restored, the UPS does not always generate the **Utility Power Restored** event; sometimes, it generates the **UPS Enabling SmartBoost** or **UPS Enabling SmartTrim** events. In order to not "miss" the moment at which utility power is restored, it is advisable to also handle the **UPS Enabling SmartBoost**

and **UPS Enabling SmartTrim** events.

Each time the StateUPS utility is called, a log file is created in the OS system folder (System32) with a name of the following format:

upslog_<state><*date*><time>.log

Working with Agent of Control without Windows administration rights

To allow the user not added to the Administrators group in the Windows operating system to work correctly with *Agent of Control*, make sure the following conditions are fulfilled:

1. The user must have full access to the *Agent of Control* registry section:
   HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\Software\BitSoft for 32-bit system
   (HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\Software\Wow6432Node\BitSoft for 64-bit).
2. The user must have full rights for the folder <DISK>:\Backup, where <DISK> is the logical disc where Intellect software is installed.

Configuring Server of Control

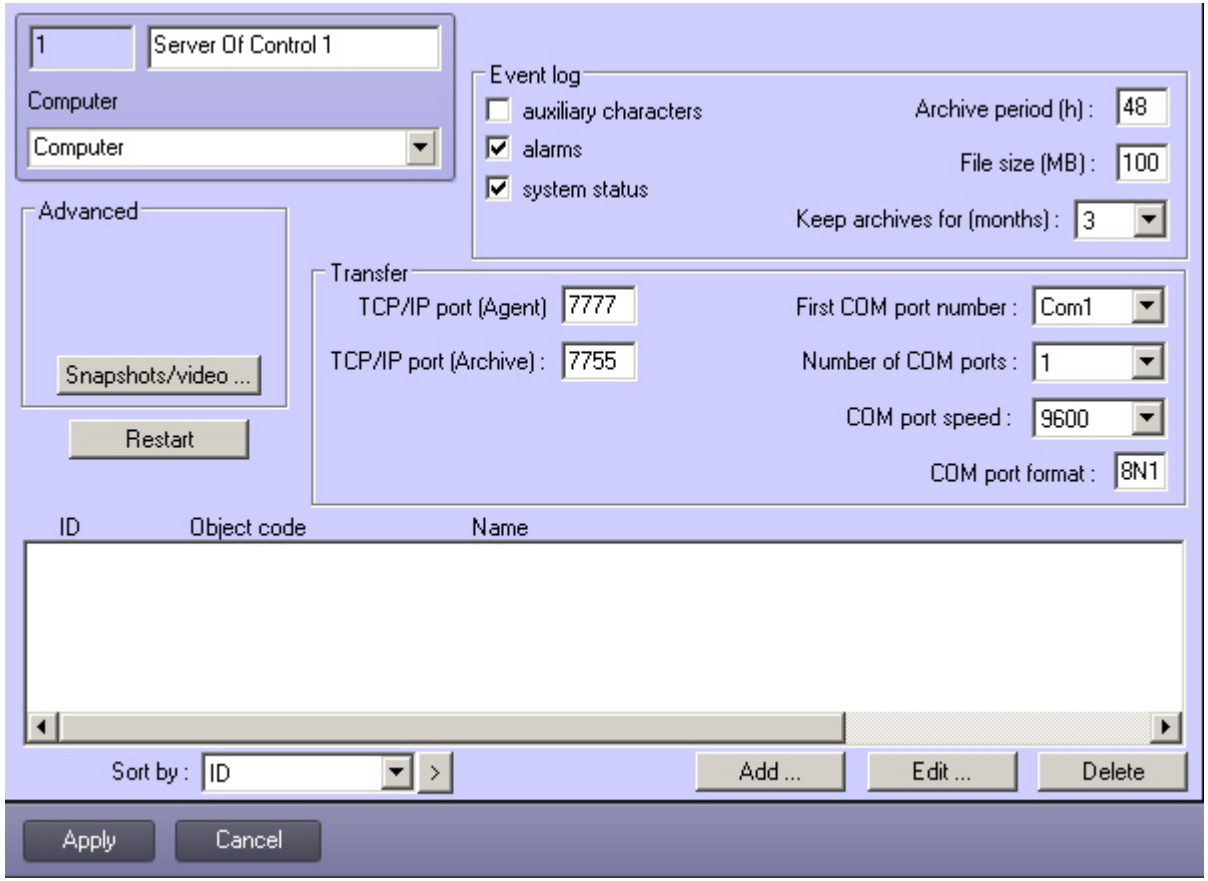
To configure *Server of Control*, go to the **System settings** window. Use of this window is described in Intellect Software Package: Administrator's Guide.

Creating a Server of Control object

> **Note.**
> Server of Control, as well as Agent of Control, can operate in distributed architecture of the digital video surveillance system. In this case both Server of Control and Agent of Control shall be configured locally, not remotely. Agents of Control can view each other in the distributed configuration but cannot change each other's settings. Agents of Control cannot view Servers of Control.

A **Server of Control** object is created based on a **Computer** object, on the **Hardware** tab of the **System settings** window.

After a **Server of Control** object is created in the right part of the **System settings** window, a panel appears for configuring the object.

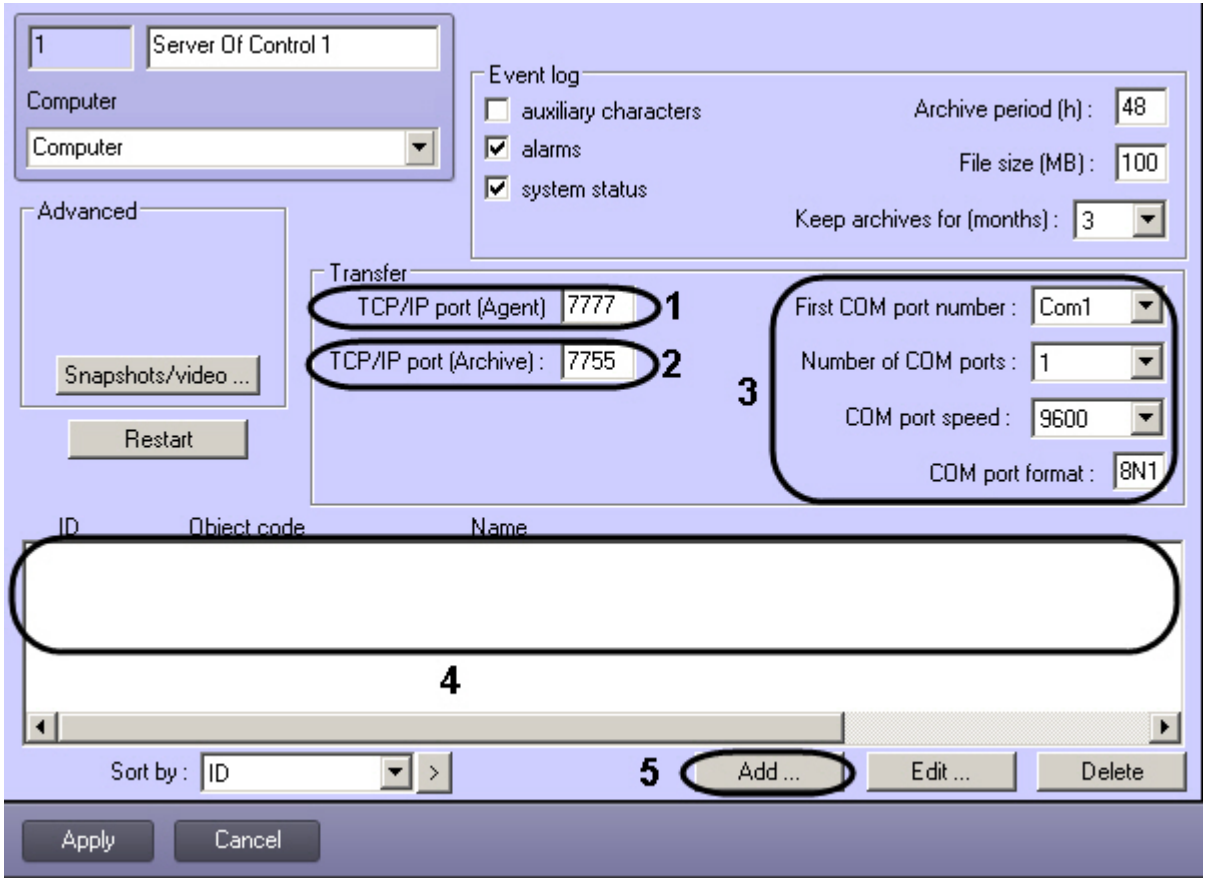


Configuring a connection

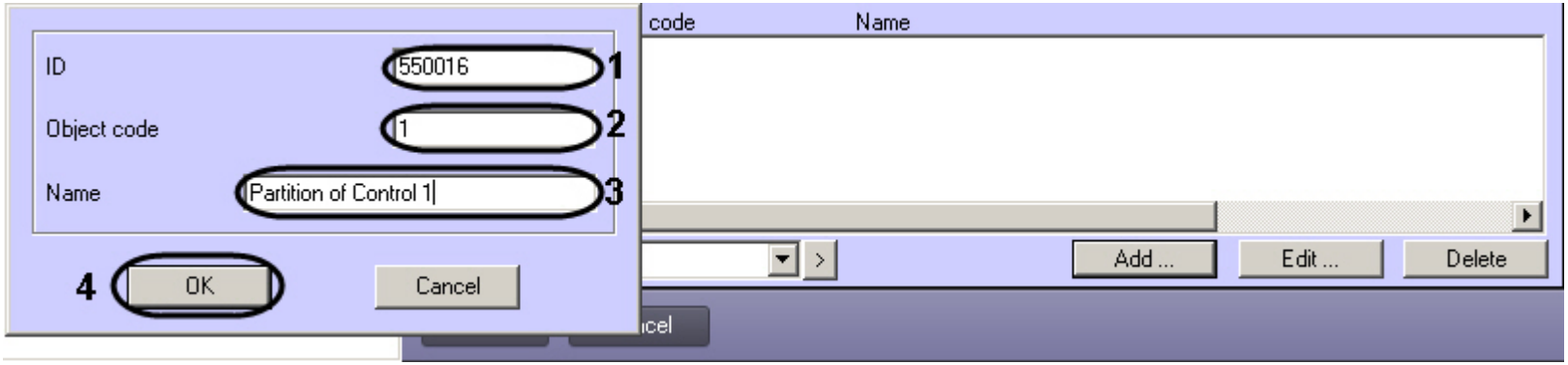
A Server of Control can simultaneously interface with objects over both the TCP/IP and RS232 protocols.

To configure a connection between Server of Control and Control Agent/Archive:

1. Go to the configuration pane for the **Server of Control** object.



2. In the **TCP/IP port (Agent)** field, enter the port number for TCP/IP communication with remote objects (**1**).
3. In the **TCP/IP port (Archive)** field, enter the port number for TCP/IP communication with the Archive Search module (**2**).
4. For the RS232 protocol, indicate the following parameters: **First COM port number, Number of COM ports, COM port speed,** and **COM port format** (**3**).
5. All objects connected to Server of Control must be specified in the settings for the **Server of Control** object (**4**). To add an object:
    a. Click the **Add** button (**5**). A dialog box for adding an object appears.



b. In the **ID** field, enter the object's ID. The value in this field must match the **ID** field in the Control Agent settings (**1**).
c. In the **Object code** field, enter the object's sequence number (**2**).
d. In the **Name** field, enter the object's name (**3**). The address of the object's location can be used as the name.
e. To add the object, click **OK** (**4**).
f. Repeat steps 5.1 to 5.5 for all objects that you want to add.

6. **Click the** Apply **button.**

Connection configuration is complete.

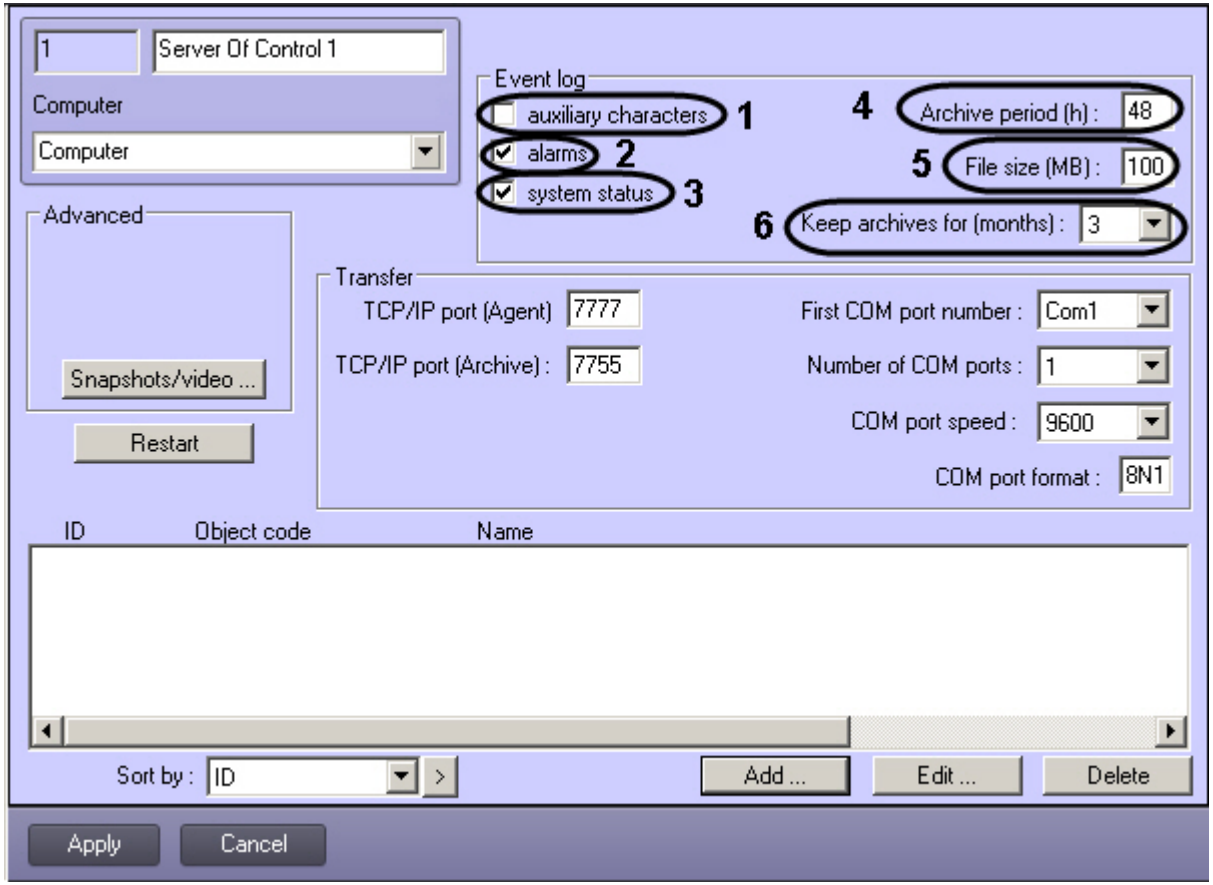
Configuring the event log

The event log allows configuring the detail level at which Server of Control activities are logged.

The main event log is located in the <Intellect software installation folder>\VHost folder, in the file vsrvYYMMDD.log, where YY is the year, MM the month, and DD the day.

To configure the event log:

1. Go to the configuration pane for the **Server of Control** object.



2. To log auxiliary characters at the transport level, select the **Auxiliary characters** check box (**1**).
3. To log alarms (activation of a vibration sensor, temperature sensor, or Door-Forced-Open (DFO) sensor), select the **Alarms** check box (**2**).
4. To log events related to system status, select the **System status** check box (**3**).
5. In the **Archive period (hrs.)** field, enter the frequency, in hours, at which the event log is to be archived (**4**). Archives are saved in the DATA subfolder, with the following name format: namelog_yymmddhhmmss.gz, where
    a. namelog is the name of the event log being archived
    b. yy is the year of archive creation
    c. mm is the month of archive creation
    d. dd is the day of archive creation
    e. hh is the hour of archive creation
    f. mm is the minute of archive creation
    g. ss is the second of archive creation
6. In the **File size (MB)** field, enter the file size threshold, in megabytes, upon which the event log is archived (**5**). This setting overrides the value in the **Archive frequency** field .
7. In the **Keep archives for (months)** drop-down list, select the length of time, in months, for which you want to store archived event logs. This value must be between 1 and 24 (**6**). Archives that are older than the specified number of months are deleted.

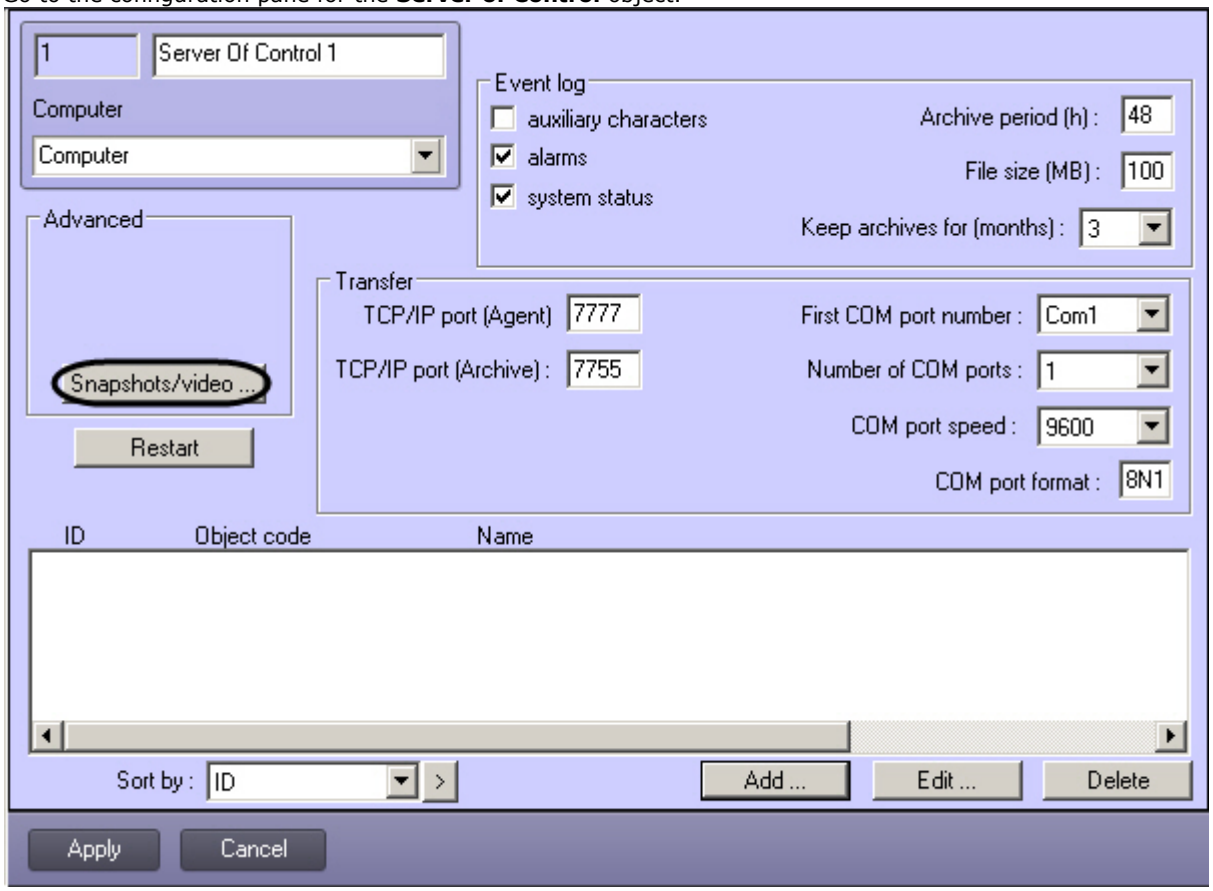
To save settings, click the **Apply** button.

Configuring reaction to snapshots and videos

Monitoring allows configuring how the application reacts after receiving still frames or video that are sent when alarm sensors are triggered.

To configure the reaction to receipt of still frames and video:

1. Go to the configuration pane for the **Server of Control** object.



2. Click the Snapshot**/Video** button. A window opens, allowing configuration of the application response to receipt of still frames and video.

3. If you want for received still frames to be opened:
    a. Select the **Show received image** check box (**1**).
    b. Specify the path to a program for viewing JPEG files (**2**).
4. If you want for received video to be played back:
    a. Select the **Play back received clip** check box (**3**).
    b. Specify the path to a program for playing back video files (**4**).

> **Note.**
> AVI-files player setting is only used for compatibility with Monitoring older versions which transmitted avi-files. Newer versions transmit files in the Intellect video archive format, which are opened with the Axxon Player utility.

5. Click **OK** (**5**).

Configuration of the application reaction to receipt of video or still frames is now complete.

Working with Server of Control without Windows administration rights

To allow the user not added to the Administrators group in the Windows operating system to work correctly with *Server of Control*, make sure the following conditions are fulfilled:

1. The user must have full access to the *Server of Control* registry section:
   HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\Software\BitSoft for 32-bit system
   (HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\Software\Wow6432Node\BitSoft for 64-bit).
2. The user must have full right on the **Export** folder. The path to this folder is stored in the ExportPath parameter in the following registry section:
   HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\Software\BitSoft\VHOST\VHostService for 32-bit system
   (HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\Software\Wow6432Node\BitSoft\VHOST\VHostService for 64-bit).

Working with Monitoring Light without Windows administration rights

To allow the user not added to the Administrators group in the Windows operating system to work correctly with *Monitoring Light*, make sure the user has the full access to the *Monitor*

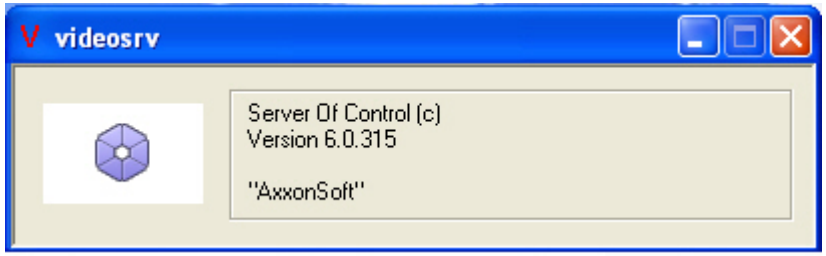
ing Light registry section:
HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\Software\BitSoft for 32-bit system
(HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\Software\Wow6432Node\BitSoft for 64-bit).

Data Loader for Monitoring

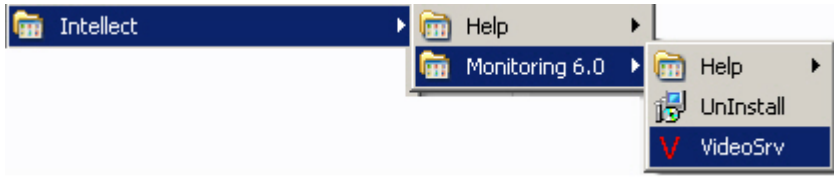
Server of Control

Server of *Control* is a communication module that is responsible for receiving information from objects. The icon of the module (a red "V" symbol) is shown in the toolbar, in the lower-right corner of the screen.

If you double click on the icon, the window shown in the following figure opens.

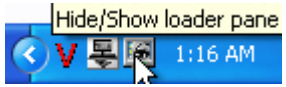


Server of *Control* starts automatically. If *Server* of *Control* has been stopped by mistake or any other reason, it can be restarted from **Start** – **All programs** – **Intellect** – **Monitoring** – **VideoSrv** menu.

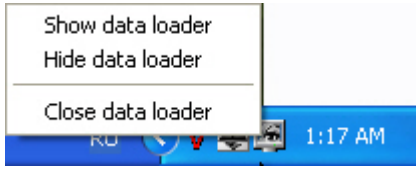


Data Loader for Monitoring

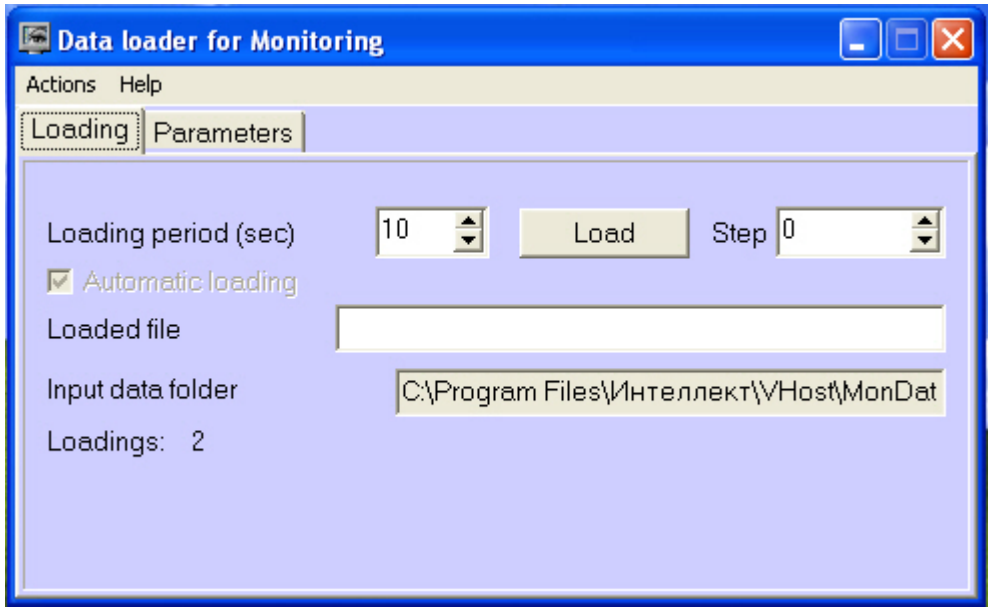
Control Server creates files that contain object status information and puts them in the exchange folder. The files are then loaded from the folder to the database by the *Data loader for Monitoring* module. The icon of the module (a "monitor" symbol) is shown in the toolbar, in the lower-right corner of the screen.



If you right-click on this icon, a context menu opens.



If you select the **Show data loader** menu item, the **Data loader for Monitoring** window opens.

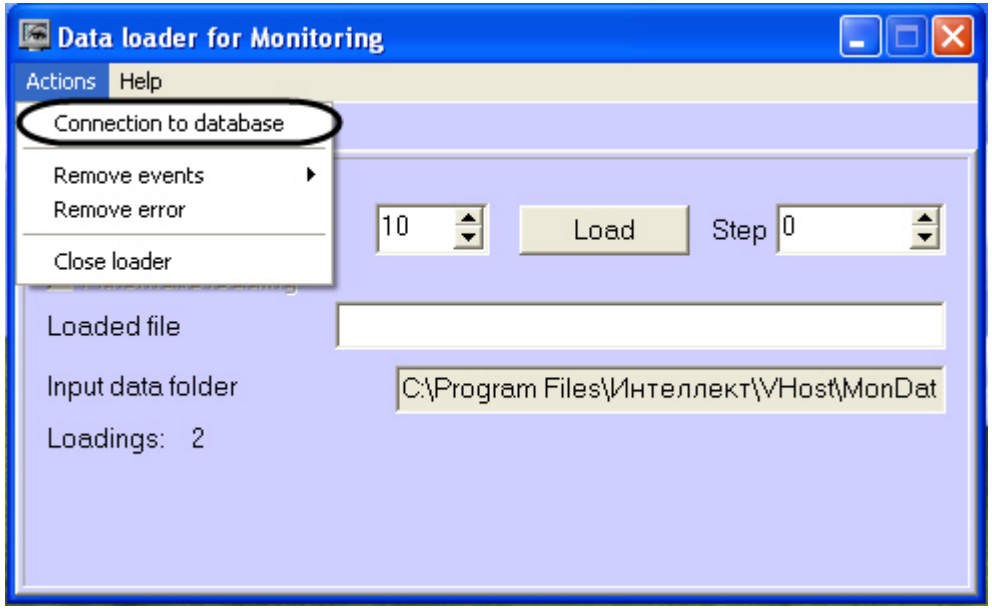


This window contains the following parameters:

1. **Input data folder**: The path to the folder that contains incoming files from *Control Server*.
2. **Loading period (sec)**: The time (in seconds) between two consecutive loads of incoming files from *Control Server* into the database. This parameter applies to non-alarm messages. Alarm messages are recorded to the database immediately. Each time after data is loaded into the database, the system sends to the **Log Panel** interface component a data update request. The Log Panel refreshes the information from the database every minute.
3. **Automatic loading**: if you select this check box, data is loaded automatically . Otherwise, the load starts only when you click **Load**.
4. **Loaded file**: This field shows the name of the file being processed, or an error message if an error occurred while loading the data.
5. Message files received from *Control Server* are processed in several steps. The curent step is shown in the **Step** field.

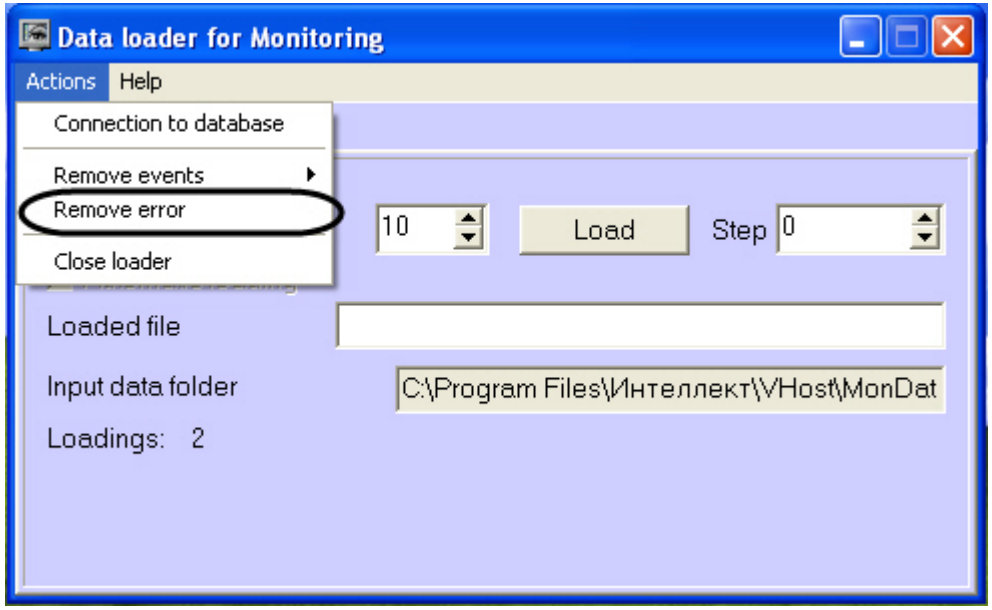
Connecting to the database

In the **Action** menu, select the **Database connection** item. It allows you to configure the database connection line.



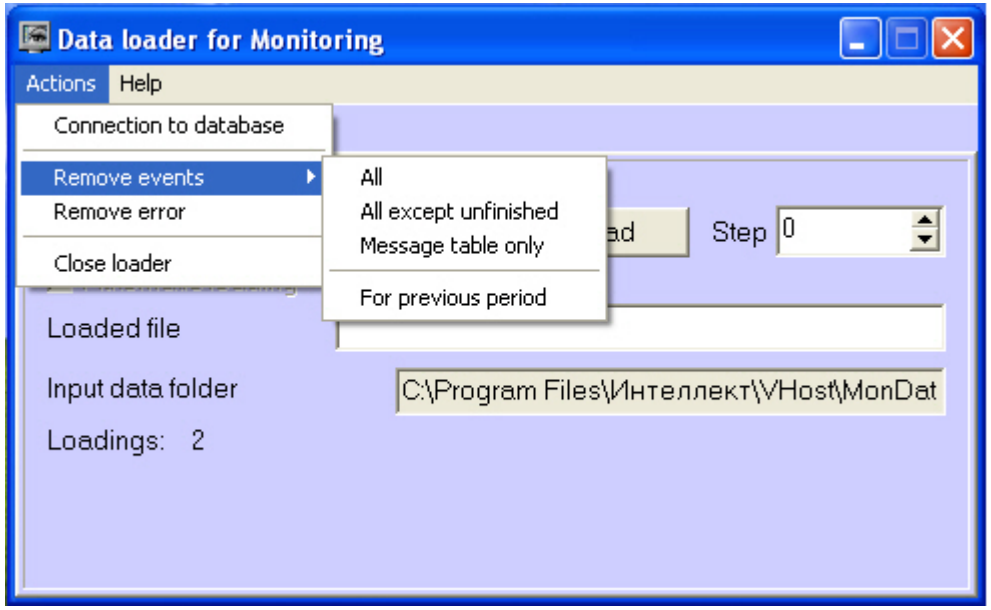
Clearing errors

If there was a failure while loading data, you cannot close the program in a usual way, because the loading process cannot be interrupted. To close the program, use the **Clear error** m enu item.



Removing events from the database

The **Remove events** menu item allows you to clear database. You can use the following modes:

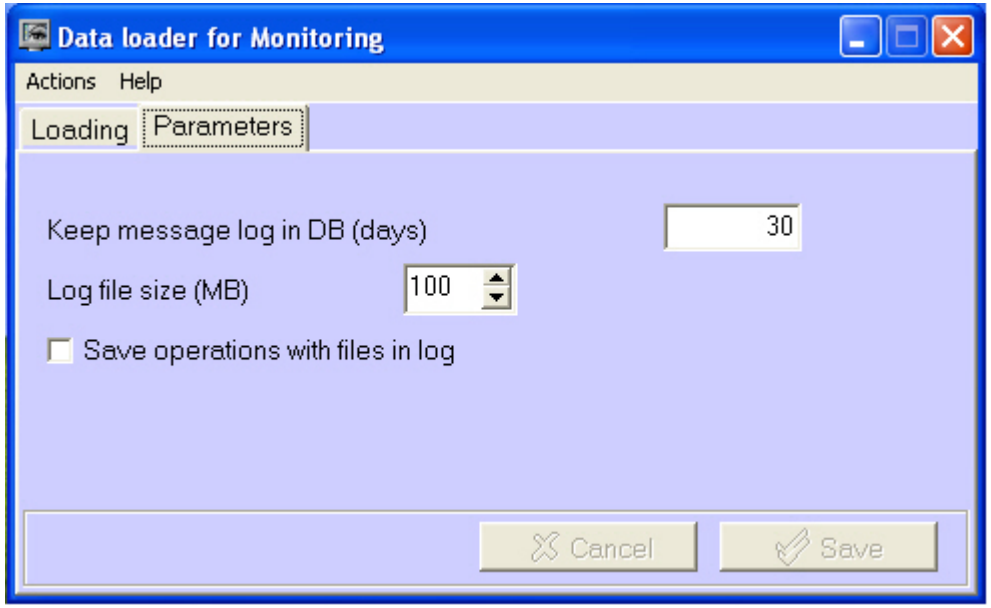


1. **Full** – Clears the database from alarms completely.
2. **All except incomplete** – Clears the database from alarms completely, but leaves the information on the start of the alarm for those alarms that did not yet end (long-term alarms).
3. **Message table only** - Clears the message log. This allows you to decrease the size of the database. In **Settings** tab, you can specify how long messages are kept in the log (see Setting the log storage period).
4. **For the period** – Clears the data for a specified period.

Setting the log storage period

If you want to specify how long the Data loader messages are kept in the log (event log), go to the **Data loader for Monitoring** window and then to the **Settings** tab.

The data loader's event log is stored in the <Intellect software installation folder>VHost\MONITOR\LOADER\LoaderSSTV_L_M.log, where M is a month.



1. **Keep messages log in DB (days)**: You can specify for how long will the data be kept in the MonitorSSTV database tables.
2. **Log file size (MB)** *:* You can specify the file size for the data loader's event log (in megabytes), After this limit is reached, the log file is archived.
3. **Save file operations in log**: This allows you to save details for the data loader's file operations in the data loader's event log.

Configuration of the Monitoring interface

General information about the Monitoring interface

The Monitoring interface is accessible through the following interface elements

1. **Monitoring**
2. **Search in archive**
3. **Monitoring Reports**

These objects are created based on the **Screen** object, in the **Interfaces** tab of the **System settings** dialog box. It is recommended to create these objects on the basis of different **S creen** objects.

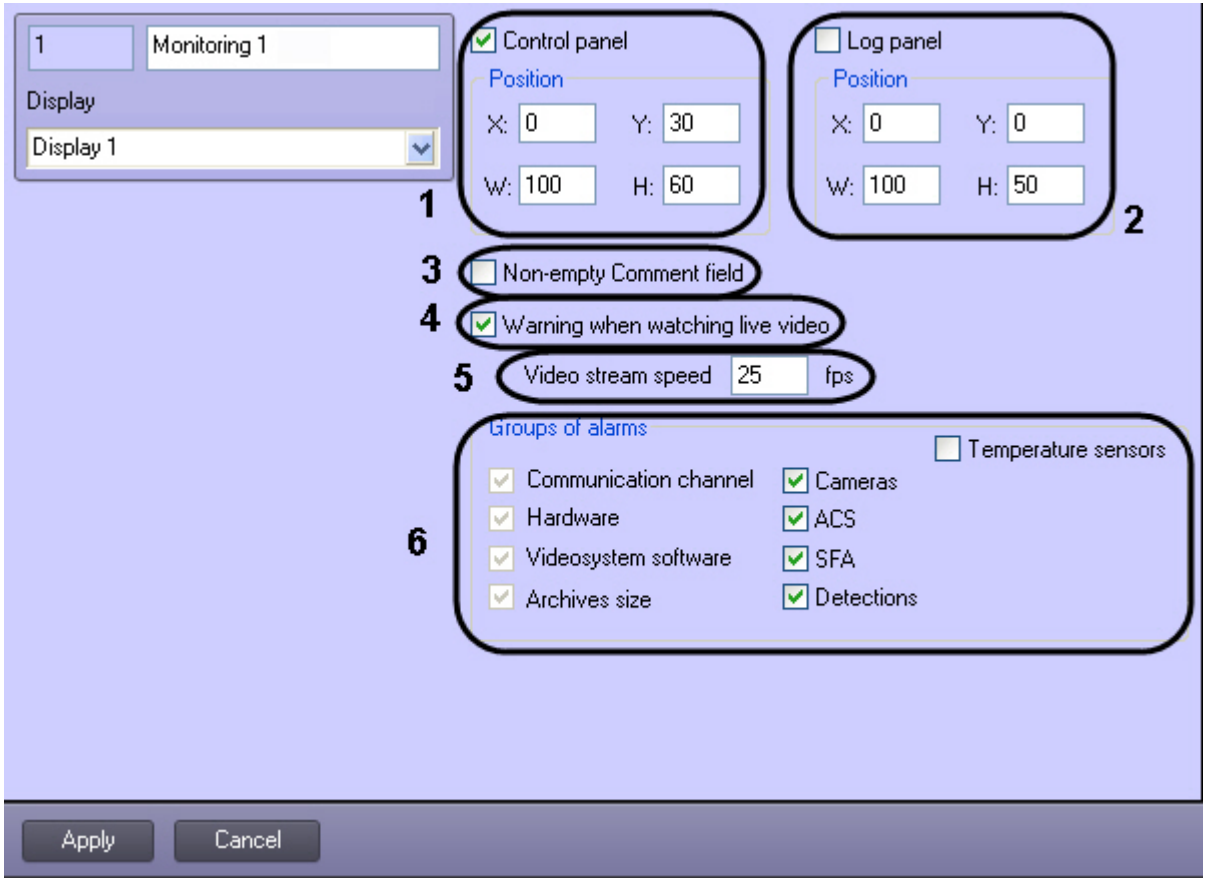
Interface objecs are available at the following Monitoring installation types: Server of Control, Monitoring light.

Note.
Operations wits interface objects are described in the Monitoring. Operator's Guide document.

Configuring the Monitoring interface object

To configure the **Monitoring** interface object:

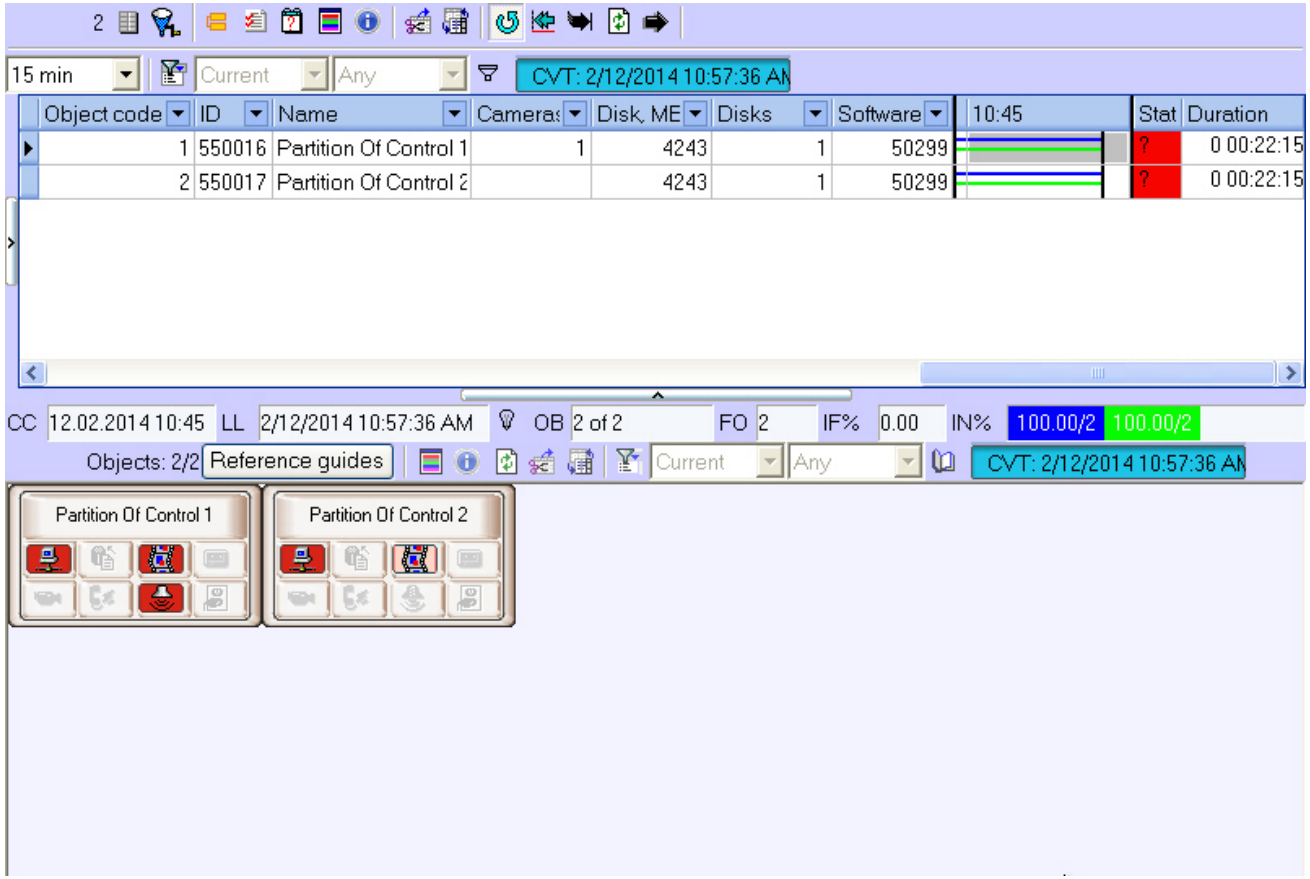
1. In the object tree, select the **Monitoring** object. On the right side of the **System settings** dialog box, the configuration panel for the relevant object is displayed.



2. If it is necessary to display the **Control Panel** component on the screen, select the **Control Panel** check box and indicate the on-screen coordinates of the component (**1**).
3. If it is necessary to display the **Log Panel** component on the screen, select the **Log Panel** check box and indicate the on-screen coordinates of the component (**2**).
4. To require that operators leave comments when accepting an alarm (to describe the alarm and/or their actions), select the **Non-empty Comments field** check box (**3**). These comments can later be reviewed in the event log, which also indicates the operator that accepted the alarm.
5. If when live video is attempted to be viewed from Control Panel it is necessary to display a warning that it can create the critical load per channel, set the **Warning when watching live video** checkbox (**4**).
6. In the **Video stream speed** field specify the frame rate for live video displaying in frames per second (**5**).
7. For the alarms that you want to visualize, select the corresponding check boxes (**6**).

Configuration of the **Monitoring** interface object is now complete.

When a screen for which the **Monitoring** object has been created is selected in Intellect, the **Monitoring** interface window is displayed.

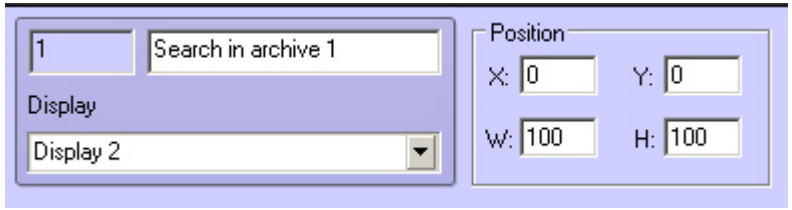


Configuration of the Search in archive and Monitoring Reports objects

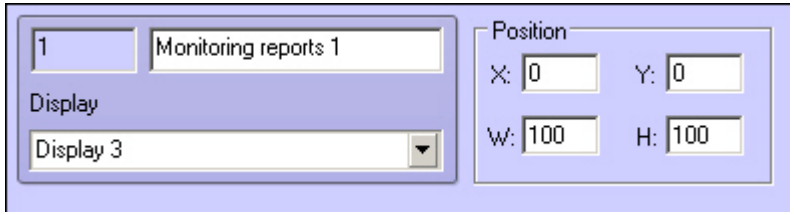
Note.
The **Search in archive** object is not available for Monitoring light installation type.

By configuring the **Search in archive** and **Monitoring Reports** interface objects, you can indicate the coordinates at which they are displayed on the screen.

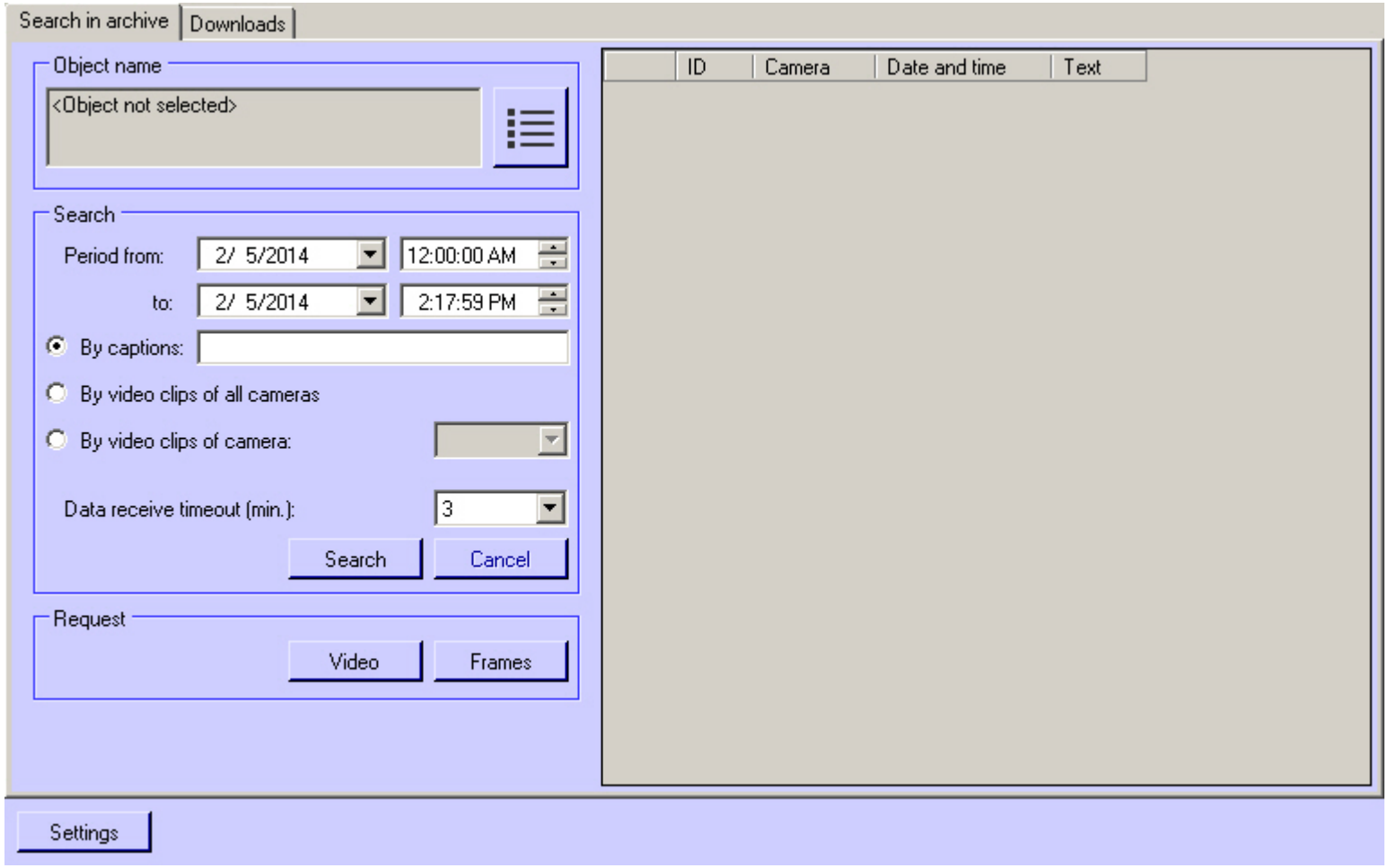
Configuration pane for the Search in archive object.



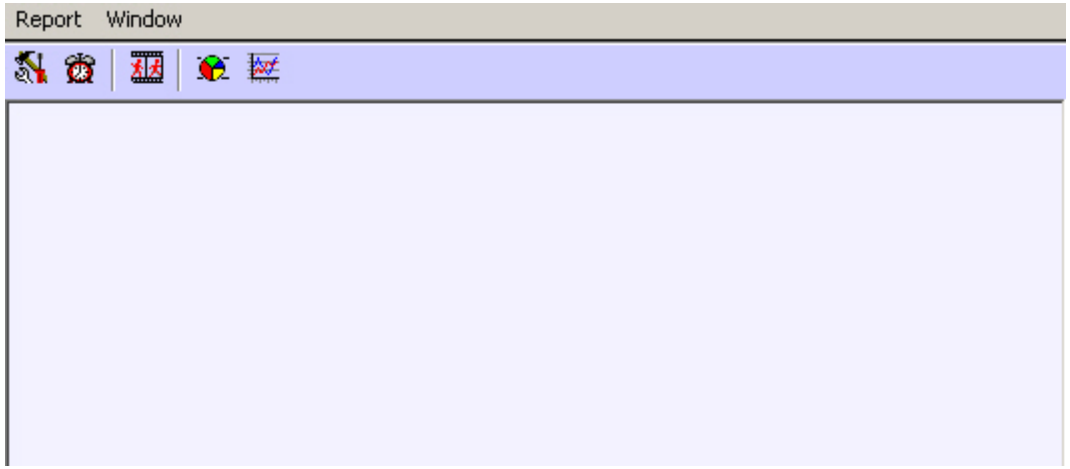
Configuration pane for the monitoring Reports object.



When a screen used to create the **Search in archive** object is selected in Intellect, the **Search in archive** interface window is visualized.



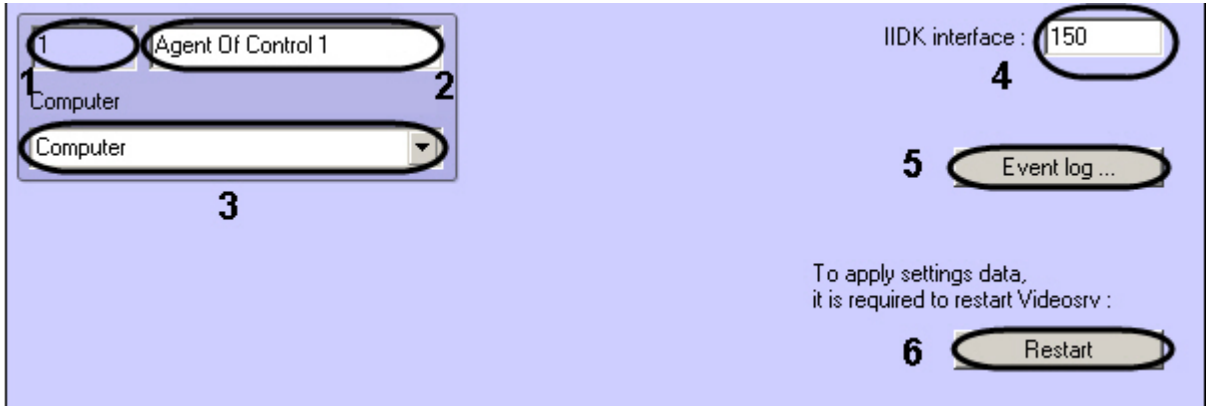
When a screen used to create the **Monitoring Reports** object is selected in Intellect, the **Monitoring Reports** interface window is visualized.



Appendix 1. Interfaces

Settings panel of the Agent of Control object

Settings panel of the **Agent of Control** object is given on figure.



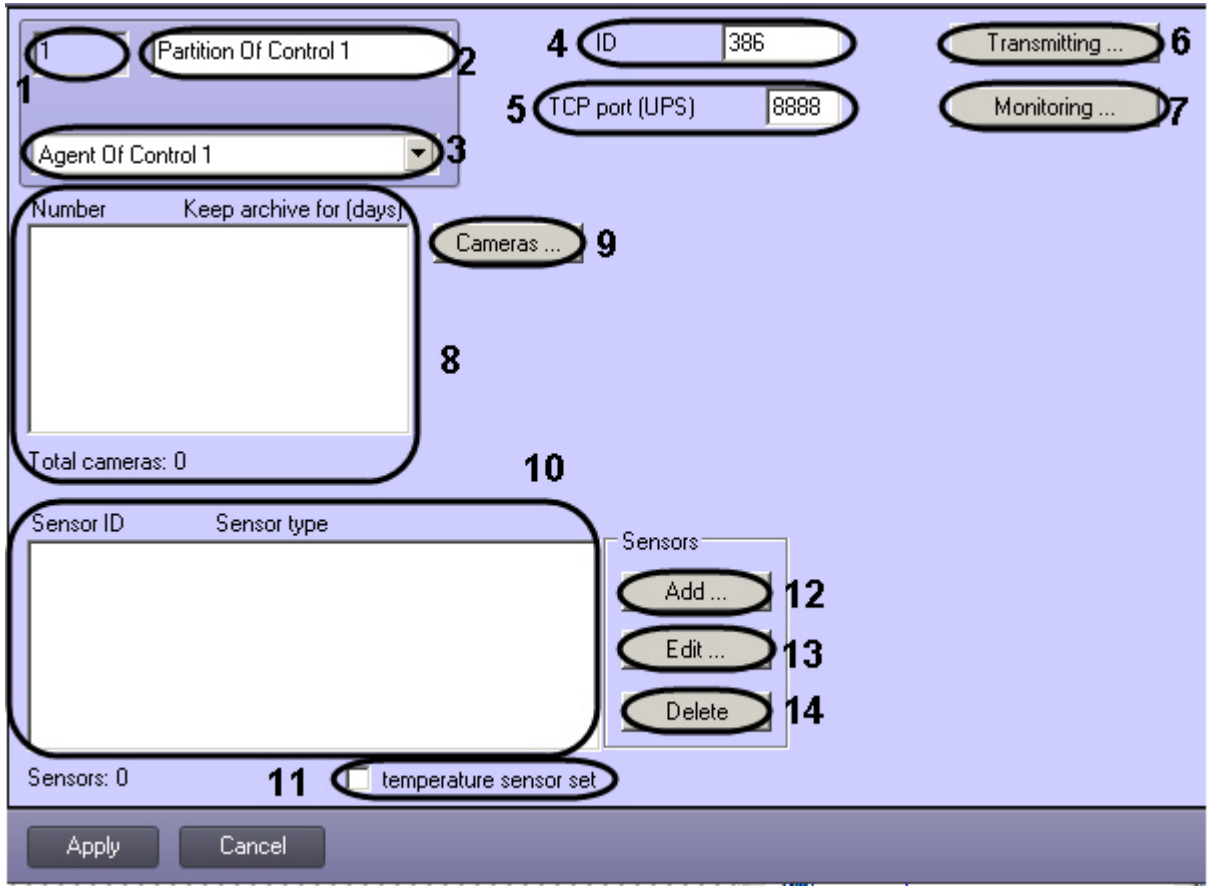
Description of the **Agent of Control** object settings panel elements is given in table.

#	Parameter	Method for setting the parameter value	Description	Type	Default value	Value range

1	Identifier	Automatically	Shows the identification number of the **Agent of Control** object in the system	Nonnegative integer	-	>=0
2	Name	Enter the value in the field	Shows the name of the **Agent of Control** object in the system	Latin, Cyrillic letters and service characters	Agent of Control	A line representing a sequence of any symbols (letters, digits, service characters apart from > and < symbols), not case-sensitive. Number of symbols – from 1 to 60.
3	**Computer**	Is selected in the list	Assigns the parent **Computer** obj ect for the **Agent of Control** obje ct	Name of the **Computer** objects registered in the system.	Name of the parent **Comput er** object	Depends on the number of the **Computer** objects in the system.
4	**IIDK interface**	Enter the value in the field	Sets the ID number of **IIDK interface** object used by the Agent of Control	Nonnegative integer	150	>=150
5	**Event log...**	Click the button	Opens a dialog box for setting event log parameters	-	-	-
6	**Restart**	Click the button	VideoSrv communication module restarting	-	-	-

Settings panel of the Partition of Control object

Settings panel of the **Partition of Control** object is given on figure.



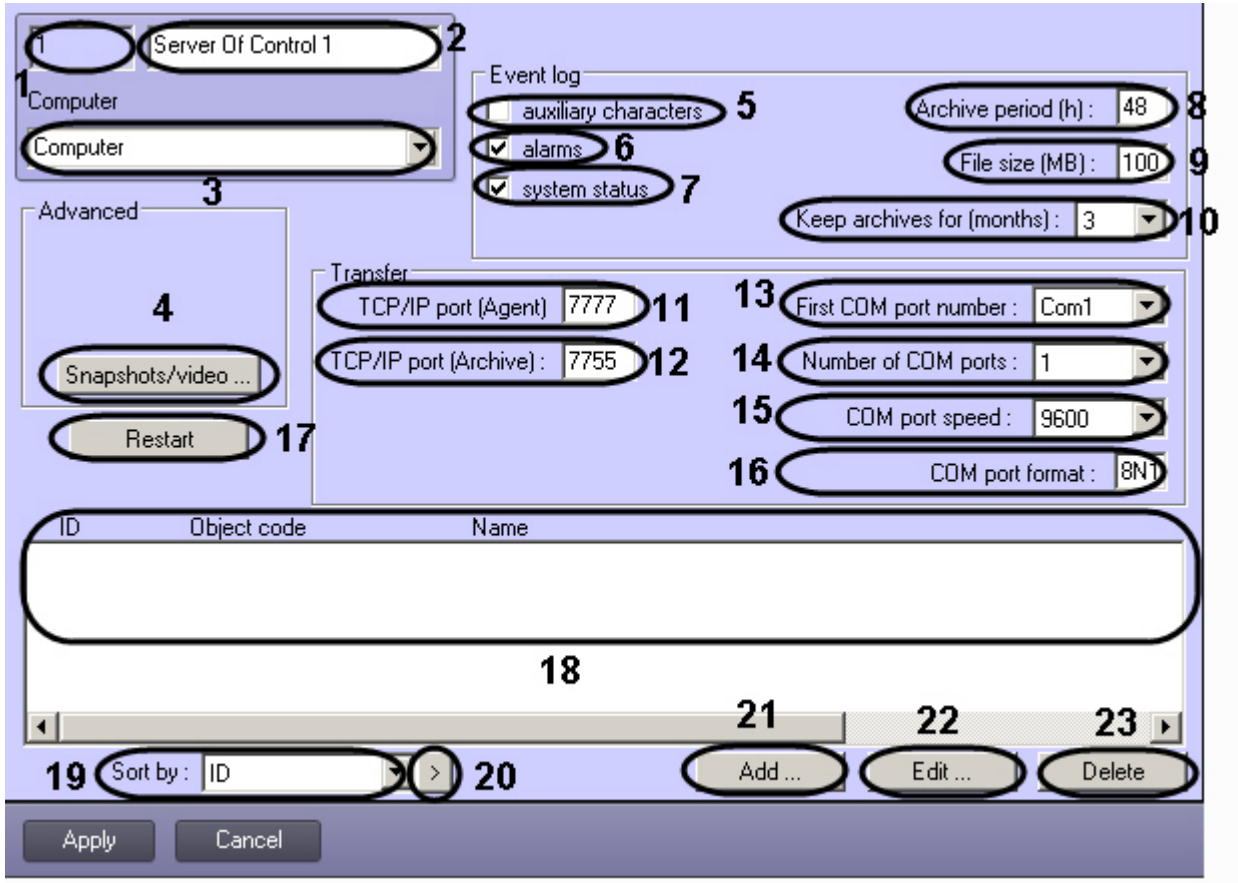
Description of the **Partition of Control** object settings panel elements is given in table.

#	Name	Method for setting the parameter value	Description	Type	Default value	Value range
1	Identifier	Automatically	Shows the identification number of the **Partition of Control** object in the system	Nonnegative integer	-	Depends on number of **Partition of Control** objects in the system
2	Name	Enter the value in the field	Shows the name of the **Partition of Control** object in the system	Latin, Cyrillic letters and service characters	Partition of Control	A line representing a sequence of any symbols (letters, digits, service characters apart from > and < symbols), not case-sensitive. Number of symbols – from 1 to 60.

3	Agent of Control	Is selected in the list	Assigns the parent **Agent of Control** object for the **Partition of Control** object	Names of **Agent of Control** objects registered in the system	Name of the parent **Agent of Control** object	Depends on the number of the **Agent of Control** objects in the system.
4	**ID**	Enter the value in the field	Sets the unique ID number for the object where *Agent of Control* is installed	Nonnegative integer	386	>=0
5	**TCP port (UPS)**	Enter the value in the field	Sets the port on which to "listen" for UPS messages	Nonnegative integer	8888	from 1 to 65535
6	**Transmitting...**	Click the button	Opens a dialog box with settings for configuring the communication method between *Agent of Control* and *Server of Control*	-	-	-
7	**Monitoring...**	Click the button	Opens a dialog box for configuring alarm groups	-	-	-
8	Cameras	Using the **Cameras...** button	Displays the list of cameras whose state and archives are monitored by *Agent of Control* and operating with which shall be available from *Monitoring* software interface.	-	-	-
9	**Cameras...**	Click the button	Opens a dialog box for adding cameras for monitoring	-	-	-
10	Sensors	Using the **Add, Edit** and **Delete** buttons	Displays IDs and types of sensors whose state is monitored by *Agent of Control* and on whose triggering video data are sent to the Server of Control.	-	-	-
11	**temperature sensor set**	Is set in a checkbox	specifies if monitoring to ensure that temperatures do not deviate from an allowed range is performed using temperature sensors	Boolean	False	True - temperature sensors set is in use False - temperature sensors set is not in use
12	**Add...**	Click the button	Opens a dialog box for adding a sensor. In this dialog box one can also setup video data sending on the sensor triggering	-	-	-
13	**Edit...**	Click the button	Opens a dialog box for editing the sensor. This dialog box is similar to the one for adding a sensor	-	-	-
14	**Delete**	Click the button	Deletes sensor from the list	-	-	-

Settings panel of the Server of Control object

Settings panel of the **Server of Control** object is given on figure.



Description of the **Server of Control** object settings panel elements is given in table.

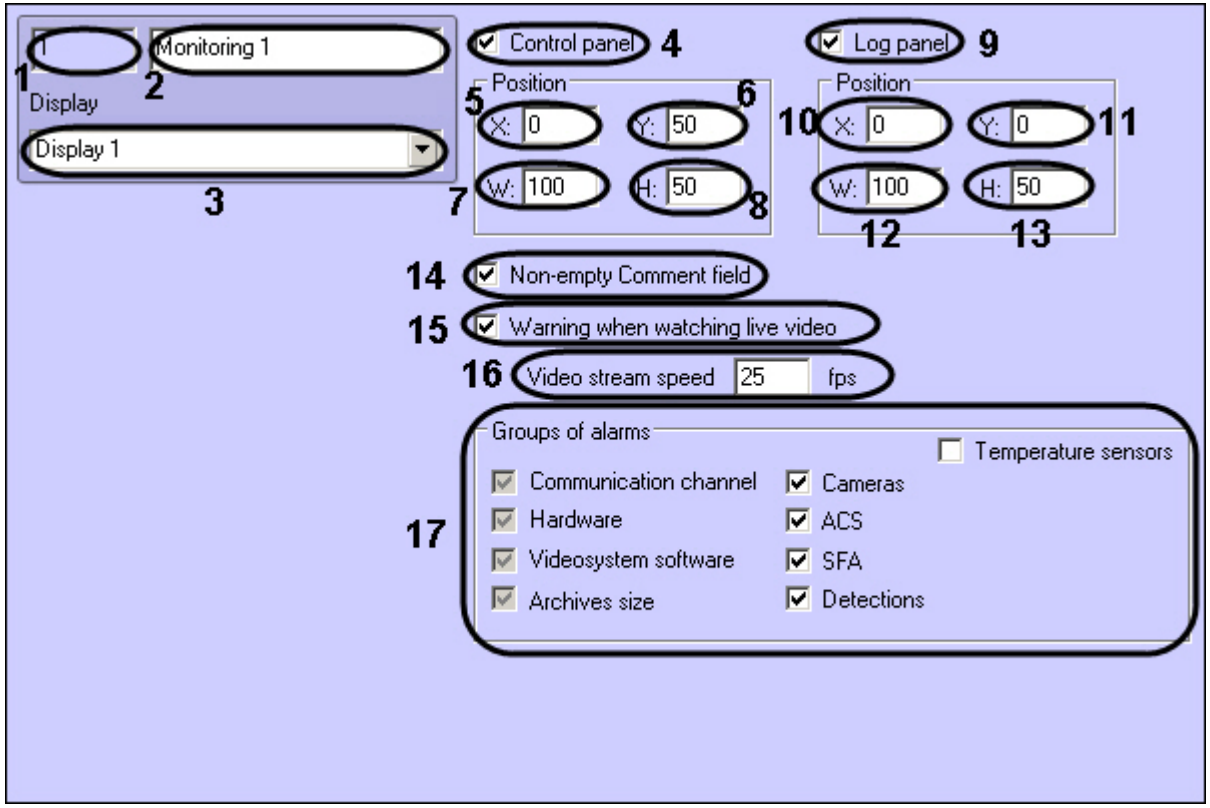
#	Name	Method for setting the parameter value	Description	Type	Default value	Value range	
1	Identifier	Automatically	Shows the identification number of the **Server of Control** object in the system	Nonnegative integer	-	>=0	
2	Name	Enter the value in the field	Shows the name of the **Server of Control** obj ect in the system	Latin, Cyrillic letters and service characters	Server of Control	A line representing a sequence of any symbols (letters, digits, service characters apart from > and < symbols), not case-sensitive. Number of symbols – from 1 to 60.	

3	**Computer**	Is selected in the list	Assigns the parent **Computer** object for the **Server of Control** object	Name of the **Computer** objects registered in the system.	Name of the parent **Computer** object	Depends on the number of the **Computer** objects in the system.	
Advanced group							
4	**Snapshots/video...**	Click the button	Opens a dialog box for configuring reaction to snapshots and videos receiving on sensors alarms at the *Agent of Control*	-	-	-	
Event log group							
5	**auxiliary characters**	Is set in a checkbox	Enables logging of auxiliary characters at the transport level into the event log	Boolean	False	True - logging of auxiliary characters is enabled False - logging of auxiliary characters is not performed	
6	**alarms**	Is set in a checkbox	Enables logging alarms into the event log	Boolean	True	True - logging of alarms is enabled False - logging of alarms is not performed	
7	**system status**	Is set in a checkbox	Enables logging of events related to system status	Boolean	True	True - logging of events related to system status is enabled False - logging of events related to system status is not performed	
8	**Archive period (h)**	Enter the value in the field	Sets the frequency at which the event log is to be archived	Hours	48	>0	
9	**File size (MB)**	Enter the value in the field	Sets the file size threshold upon which the event log is archived. This setting overrides the value in the **Archive frequency** field.	Megabytes	100	>0	
10	**Keep archives for (months)**	Enter the value in the field	Sets the length of time for which you want to store archived event logs.	Months	3	from 1 to 24	
Transfer group							
11	**TCP/IP port (Agent)**	Enter the value in the field	Sets the port number for TCP/IP communication with remote objects of **Agent of Control**	Nonnegative integer	7777	from 1 to 65535	
12	**TCP/IP port (Archive)**	Enter the value in the field	Sets the port number for TCP/IP communication with remote *Search in archive* module	Nonnegative integer	7755	from 1 to 65535	
13	**First COM port number**	Is selected in the list	Sets the first COM port number	COM-ports names	Com1	from Com1 to Com256	
14	**Number of COM ports**	Is selected in the list	Sets number of COM ports used	Nonnegative integer	1	from 1 to 256	

15	**COM port speed**	Is selected in the list	Sets the COM port speed	Baud	9600	110 300 1200 2400 4800 9600 19200 38400 57600	
16	**COM port format**	Enter the value in the field	Sets the COM port format	COM port format	8N1	• first digit: from 5 to 9 data bits; • second letter: **N** (No parity) - no parity bit, **E** (Even parity) - even parity bit, **O** (Odd parity) - odd parity bit; • third digit: 1 or 2 stop bits.	
Outside the groups							
17	**Restart**	Click the button	*VideoSrv* communication module restarting	-	-	-	
18	Partition of Control objects	Using the Add, Edit and Delete buttons	Displays the list of **Partition of Control** objec ts for which monitoring of status is performed from the *Server of Control*	-	-	-	
19	**Sort by**	Is selected in the list	Sets the sorting method for Partition of Control objects in the table	Sorting methods	ID	ID Object code Name	
20	**>**	Click the button	Apply the sorting method selected in the **Sort by** list	-	-	-	
21	**Add...**	Click the button	Opens a dialog box to add a Partition if control object into the list	-	-	-	
22	**Edit...**	Click the button	Opens a dialob box to change a Partition of control object in the list. The window is the same as for adding a Partition of control object	-	-	-	
23	**Delete**	Click the button	Deletes a Partition of control object from the list	-	-	-	

Settings panel of the Monitoring interface object

Settings panel of the **Monitoring** interface object is given on figure.



Description of the **Monitoring** object settings panel elements is given in table.

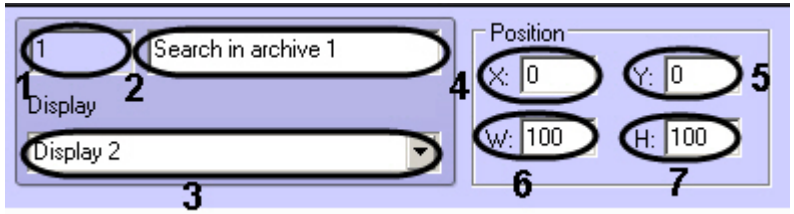
#	Name	Method for setting the parameter value	Description	Type	Default value	Value range
1	Identifier	Automatically	Shows the identification number of the **Monitoring** object in the system	Nonnegative integer	-	>=0
2	Name	Enter the value in the field	Shows the name of the **Monitoring** object in the system	Latin, Cyrillic letters and service characters	Monitoring	A line representing a sequence of any symbols (letters, digits, service characters apart from > and < symbols), not case-sensitive. Number of symbols – from 1 to 60.
3	**Display**	Is selected in the list	Assigns the parent **Display** object for the **Monitoring** object	Names of **Display** objects registered in the system	Name of the parent **Display** object	Depends on the number of the **Display** objects in the system.

4	**Control panel**	Is set in a checkbox	Enables Control panel displaying	Boolean	True	True - Control panel is displayed False - Control panel is hidden
5	**X:**	Enter the value in the field	Set the X coordinate in the horizontal axis for the upper-left corner of the Control panel interface box	% of the screen width	0	from 0 to 100. When more than one monitor is connected to the computer it is possible to use coordinates outside this range, but it is not recommended to use coordinates less than -200.
6	**Y:**	Enter the value in the field	Set the Y coordinate in the vertical axis for the upper-left corner of the Control panel interface box	% of the screen height	50	from 0 to 100. When more than one monitor is connected to the computer it is possible to use coordinates outside this range, but it is not recommended to use coordinates less than -200.
7	**W:**	Enter the value in the field	Set the width of the Control panel interface box	% of the screen width	100	from 0 to 100. When more than one monitor is connected to the computer it is possible to use coordinates outside this range, but it is not recommended to use coordinates less than -200.
8	**H:**	Enter the value in the field	Set the height of the Control panel interface box	% of the screen height	50	from 0 to 100. When more than one monitor is connected to the computer it is possible to use coordinates outside this range, but it is not recommended to use coordinates less than -200.
9	**Log panel**	Is set in a checkbox	Enables Log panel displaying	Boolean	True	True - Log panel is displayed False - Log panel is hidden
10	**X:**	Enter the value in the field	Set the X coordinate in the horizontal axis for the upper-left corner of the Log panel interface box	% of the screen width	0	from 0 to 100. When more than one monitor is connected to the computer it is possible to use coordinates outside this range, but it is not recommended to use coordinates less than -200.
11	**Y:**	Enter the value in the field	Set the Y coordinate in the vertical axis for the upper-left corner of the Log panel interface box	% of the screen height	0	from 0 to 100. When more than one monitor is connected to the computer it is possible to use coordinates outside this range, but it is not recommended to use coordinates less than -200.
12	**W:**	Enter the value in the field	Set the width of the Log panel interface box	% of the screen width	100	from 0 to 100. When more than one monitor is connected to the computer it is possible to use coordinates outside this range, but it is not recommended to use coordinates less than -200.
13	**H:**	Enter the value in the field	Set the height of the Log panel interface box	% of the screen width	50	from 0 to 100. When more than one monitor is connected to the computer it is possible to use coordinates outside this range, but it is not recommended to use coordinates less than -200.
14	**Non-empty Comment field**	Is set in a checkbox	Is set to require that operators leave comments when accepting an alarm to describe the alarm and/or their actions	Boolean	True	True - **Comment** field shall not be empty on alarm accepting False - alarm accepting can be done without a comment from Operator

15	**Warning when watching live video**	Is set in a checkbox	Is set if when live video is attempted to be viewed from Control Panel it is necessary to display a warning that it can create the critical load per data channel	Boolean	True	True - when live video is attempted to be viewed from Control Panel the warning is displayed False - when live video is attempted to be viewed from Control Panel the video is displayed with no warnings
16	**Video stream speed**	Enter the value in the field	Sets the frame rate for live video displaying	Frames per second	25	Depnds on the camera features
17	**Groups of alarms**	Is set in a checkbox	Sets alarms that one want to visualize on the Control panel	Boolean	All checkboxes except the **Tem perature sensors** are set	If checkbox is set next to the group of alarms, then alarm from the corresponding group will be displayed on the Control panel

Settings panel of the Monitoring reports interface object

Settings panel of the **Monitoring reports** interface object is given on figure.



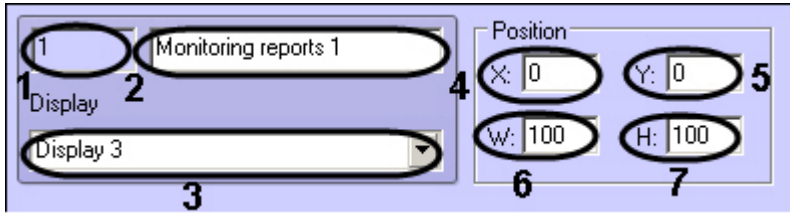
Description of the **Monitoring reports** object settings panel elements is given in table.

#	Name	Method for setting the parameter value	Description	Type	Default value	Value range
1	Identifier	Automatically	Shows the identification number of the **Monitoring reports** object in the system	Nonnegative integer	-	>=0
2	Name	Enter the value in the field	Shows the identification number of the **Monitoring reports** object in the system	Latin, Cyrillic letters and service characters	Monitoring	A line representing a sequence of any symbols (letters, digits, service characters apart from > and < symbols), not case-sensitive. Number of symbols – from 1 to 60.
3	**Display**	Is selected in the list	Assigns the parent **Display** object for the **Monitoring reports** object	Names of **Displa y** objects registered in the system	Name of the parent **Display** ob ject	Depends on the number of the **Display** objects in the system.
4	**X:**	Enter the value in the field	Set the X coordinate in the horizontal axis for the upper-left corner of the **Mo nitoring reports** interface box	% of the screen width	0	from 0 to 100. When more than one monitor is connected to the computer it is possible to use coordinates outside this range, but it is not recommended to use coordinates less than -200.

5	**Y:**	Enter the value in the field	Set the Y coordinate in the vertical axis for the upper-left corner of the **Monito ring reports** interface box	% of the screen height	50	from 0 to 100. When more than one monitor is connected to the computer it is possible to use coordinates outside this range, but it is not recommended to use coordinates less than -200.
6	**W:**	Enter the value in the field	Sets width of he **Monitoring reports** i nterface box	% of the screen width	100	from 0 to 100. When more than one monitor is connected to the computer it is possible to use coordinates outside this range, but it is not recommended to use coordinates less than -200.
7	**H:**	Enter the value in the field	Sets height of he **Monitoring reports** i nterface box	% of the screen height	50	from 0 to 100. When more than one monitor is connected to the computer it is possible to use coordinates outside this range, but it is not recommended to use coordinates less than -200.

Settings panel of the Search in archive interface object

Settings panel of the **Search in archive** interface object is given on figure.



Description of the **Search in archive** object settings panel elements is given in table.

#	Name	Method for setting the parameter value	Description	Type	Default value	Value range
1	Identifier	Automatically	Shows the identification number of the **Search in archive** object in the system	Nonnegative integer	-	>=0
2	Name	Enter the value in the field	Shows the name of the **Search in archive** object in the system	Latin, Cyrillic letters and service characters	Monitoring	A line representing a sequence of any symbols (letters, digits, service characters apart from > and < symbols), not case-sensitive. Number of symbols – from 1 to 60.
3	**Display**	Is selected in the list	Assigns the parent **Display** object for the **Search in archive** object	Names of **Displa y** objects registered in the system	Name of the parent **Display** ob ject	Depends on the number of the **Display** objects in the system.
4	**X:**	Enter the value in the field	Set the X coordinate in the horizontal axis for the upper-left corner of the **Se arch in archive** interface box	% of the screen width	0	from 0 to 100. When more than one monitor is connected to the computer it is possible to use coordinates outside this range, but it is not recommended to use coordinates less than -200.

5	**Y:**	Enter the value in the field	Set the Y coordinate in the vertical axis for the upper-left corner of the **Search in archive** interface box	% of the screen height	50	from 0 to 100. When more than one monitor is connected to the computer it is possible to use coordinates outside this range, but it is not recommended to use coordinates less than -200.
6	**W:**	Enter the value in the field	Sets width of he **Search in archive** int erface box	% of the screen width	100	from 0 to 100. When more than one monitor is connected to the computer it is possible to use coordinates outside this range, but it is not recommended to use coordinates less than -200.
7	**H:**	Enter the value in the field	Sets height of he **Search in archive** in terface box	% of the screen height	50	from 0 to 100. When more than one monitor is connected to the computer it is possible to use coordinates outside this range, but it is not recommended to use coordinates less than -200.

Appendix 2. Sample script for stopping camera recording

If you want for a JPEG still frame to be attached to an alarm message or video fragment when a sensor is activated (**Sensor** object), remember that this is possible only after the current archive file has been written to disk. To reduce the waiting time (the **Delay (sec.)** parameter, see the section Configuring sensors) and be assured of camera recording, you can create a program on the **Programming** tab of the **System settings** window in Intellect, based on the example below.

The program is written for a camera with an ID of 1 and for a **Sensor** object whose ID is also equal to 1. Thanks to this program, the value of the **Delay** parameter can be set equal to 7 seconds.

```
OnEvent("GRAY","1","ALARM")
{
[
DoReact("CAM","1","REC_ROLLBACK");
Wait(5);
DoReact("CAM","1","REC_STOP");
]
}
OnEvent("GRAY","1","ALARM")
{
[
Wait(2);
DoReact("GRAY","1","CONFIRM");
Wait(2);
DoReact("GRAY","1","ARM");
]
}
```

When continuous recording is in use, the following program should be used:

```
OnEvent("GRAY","1","ALARM")
{
[
Wait(5); // Specifies the time after which the recording should be stopped in order to get the required clip length or number of frames
DoReact("CAM","1","REC_STOP");
Wait(2); // Pre-alarm record time in the camera settings = 2 sec.
DoReact("CAM","1","REC_ROLLBACK"); // Start recording with pre-alarm recording of 2 seconds. This allows us not to lose data in the archive
]
}
```