

Calibration

New transmitters are always delivered factory-calibrated by AP. This is stated by the calibration label indicating date and calibration gas. Calibration is not necessary during commissioning if the calibration doesn't date back more than 6 months for CO transmitters and 3 months for all other gases.

For the calibration of the bus transmitter (MP X.1) an automatic routine is deposited in the menu "Calibration" of the service tool LTS. The measured value of the analog transmitter (MP X.2) for the calibration with the zero/gain potentiometer is also displayed in this menu.

While the calibration menu is open, the bus transmitter doesn't transmit any measured values to the controller. Therefore applying the calibration gas to the sensor of bus or analog transmitter doesn't release any alarm. As facilities you only need a zero gas and a calibration gas, the calibration adapter and an extraction set.

Prior to calibration the sensor must be connected continuously to the power supply for a running-in period. The running-in period of the different sensors can be taken from the following table:

	Sensor type	t _{in}
01	со	1 h
02	Ex	1 h
03	NO	4 h
04	NO ₂	6 h
05	NH ₃	18 h
06	0,	1 h
07	Semi-conductor sensors	8 days

Project protection

To avoid unwanted access to the sensitive calibration data by a third party, every customer gets a project key. All projects of the customer are delivered with this key. This key is also deposited in each LTS bought by that customer.

After opening of the menu "Calibration", the LTS asks first of all for the project key of the central control. Only if the key is approved in the LTS, calibration will be possible.

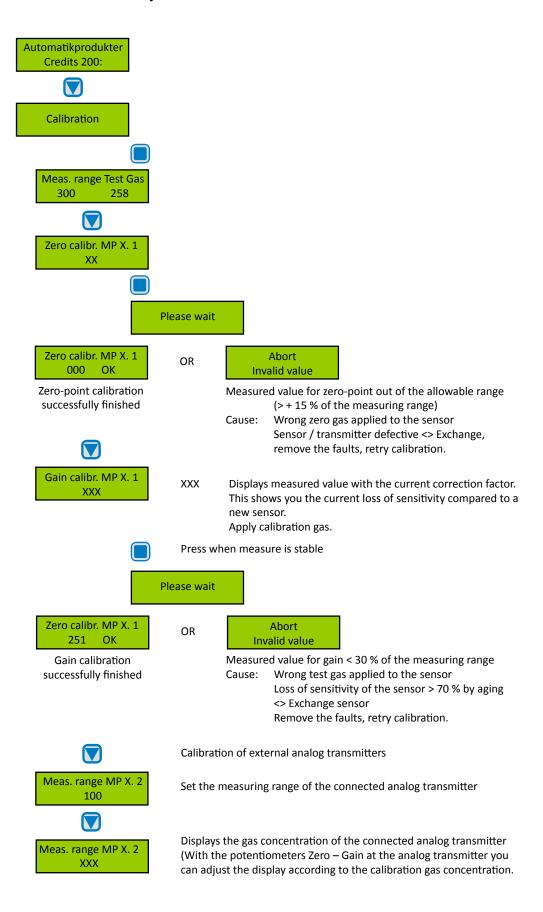
If the keys do not correspond to each other, the following message will appear:

NO ACCESS AUTHORISATION

Prior to calibration please read also the section "Credit system". The calibration procedure is described on the next page.



Connect LTS to the service tool jack of the transmitter.





Credit system

A credit system for the calibration of the gas transmitters, MP X.1, is integrated in the LTS. For each successful calibration of a bus transmitter the credit account is reduced by one credit point. As long as the communication "bus transmitter < > LTS" hasn't been interrupted, gain calibration is possible several times with only one credit. No credits are necessary for the zero point calibrations as well as for the calibration of analog transmitters.

In the starting menu of the LTS the number of the actual credit points is displayed. Due to this information it is possible to load new credits in time.

In delivery status 200 credit points are already activated in the LTS.

Reloading credit points

New credit points can be loaded by entering a 4-digit code without laborious returning of the LTS device to AP.

By stating the 6-digit LTS serial number, you can ask AP about this code by phone. A block of 100 new credit points is released with each code number. Due to the telephone transit of the code, reloading new credits even can be done directly by the service technician during maintenance.

The LTS serial number can be read from the type label and is deposited in the menu "Credit".

Menu "Credit"

