



Error muting function

1. Introduction

The Error Muting Functionality has been implemented in the eWON since firmware v11.1s0.

This functionality recognizes error patterns in order to prevent the flood of repetitive information in the Event log. All types of event (errors, warnings and traces) are included in this feature.

2. General behavior

A pattern is defined by a repetition of the same set of 1 to 10 events appearing in the same order (for simplicity purpose, only a single pattern is recognized).

The first two repetitions of the pattern will be shown but the subsequent ones from the same pattern will be muted.

Whenever an event that does not match the current pattern occurs, a message with the amount of muted repetitions will be added to the Event log.

The elapsed time between the two latest occurrences of a pattern is recorded as Δt . If a pattern does not appear for more than $10 \Delta t + 1$ minute, the pattern will be un-muted and subsequently re-muted as needed.

2.1. Enabling / Disabling the Error muting

The Error mute functionality can be active or disabled depending on your actions. By default it will be:

- disabled when a user upgrades an existing configuration.
- enabled when a user makes a new configuration.

It is possible to disable/enable the functionality by editing the SYSTEM cfg. To access the parameter, browse to

Configuration > System Setup > Storage > Edit SYSTEM Cfg

and double-click on "ErrorMuteEnabled" in the list.

As a Boolean, 2 values are possible:

- 0 = disable the feature
- 1 = enable the feature



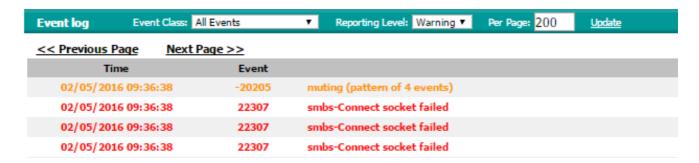
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It is not necessary to restart the eWON after changing the "ErrorMuteEnabled" parameter.

2.2. Interface

When the Error Mute is enabled, repetitive error patterns will be muted.



Whenever an Event that is not in the recorded pattern occurs, the muting stops.

The count of times the pattern was muted is reported (at "Warning level").



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Event log Event Class:	All Events	▼ Reporting Level: Warning ▼ Per Page: 200 <u>Update</u>		
<< Previous Page Next Page >>				
Time	Event			
02/05/2016 09:36:38	-20205	muting (pattern of 4 events)		
02/05/2016 09:36:38	22307	smbs-Connect socket failed		
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02/05/2016 09:34:53	-20205	muting (pattern of 8 events)		
02/05/2016 09:34:53	22307	smbs-Connect socket failed		
02/05/2016 09:34:35	22307	smbs-Connect socket failed		
02/05/2016 09:34:18	-22510	mbsios-Modbus Enter slow poll mode (Address 20 - 50.50.52.52)		
02/05/2016 09:34:18	-20205	pattern of 1 event muted 5 times		
02/05/2016 09:33:57	-20205	muting (pattern of 1 event)		
02/05/2016 09:33:57	22307	smbs-Connect socket failed		
02/05/2016 09:33:39	22307	smbs-Connect socket failed		
02/05/2016 09:33:20	-22510	mbsios-Modbus Enter slow poll mode (Address 20 - 50.50.52.52)		
02/05/2016 09:33:20	-20205	pattern of 1 event muted 3 times		
02/05/2016 09:33:10	-20205	muting (pattern of 1 event)		

When the ongoing pattern occurs again after more than 10 * the last Δt + 1 minute, an unmute message is added to the event log¹.

¹ The timings shown here are for illustration purposes and do not reflect the actual values at runtime.





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