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# 31.1 Registration and Deletion of Entry Nodes

To use 'Pro-Server EX', you must first register the PC and GP connected on the network as entry nodes. You set the node name, communication information like IP addresses, and Device/PLC type as registration information.

This section describes the procedure to register and delete entry nodes.

# 31.1.1 Registration of Entry Nodes

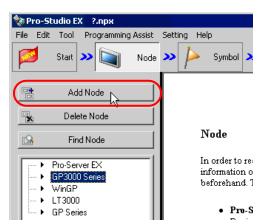
1 Click the [Node] icon on the status bar.

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|--|---|
| File Edit Tool Programming Assist  | Setting Help                            |
| Start 🗚 🟹 Node   | » 🔑 Symbol .                            |
| Sample Wizard<br>On the 2nd time or later,<br>samples will be added to the<br>network. |   |
| 🔂 New Form   | Construct                               |
| Recipe   | The "Pro-Se<br>application <sub>.</sub> |
| 🖧 Data Logging   | Various typ                             |
| Send Mail  | Various API                             |

2 Select a node type from the tree display on the left of the screen: "Pro-Server EX", "GP3000 Series", "WinGP", "LT3000" or "GP Series".

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| Add Node   |  |
| 🙀 Delete Node  |  |
| 🕰 Find Node  | Node   |
| Pro Server EX<br>GP3000 Series<br>WinGP<br>LT3000<br>GP Series | In order to rea<br>information of<br>beforehand. T<br>• <b>Pro-S</b><br>Regist |

**3** Click the [Add Node] button.

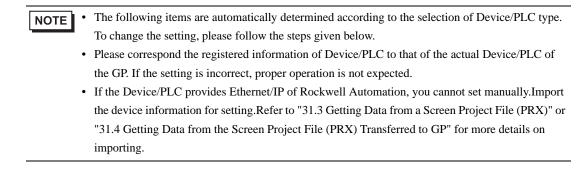


4 Enter [Node Name] and [IP Address]. (Enter [Node Name], [IP Address], and [Subnet Mask] in the GP Series. Also enter [Gateway], if required.)

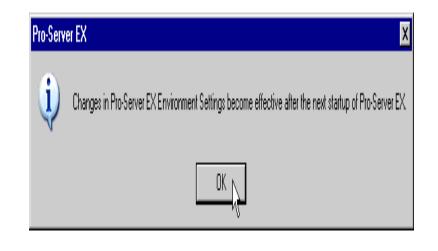
| Add Node  | ×                 |
|---|-------------------|
| Node Type   |                   |
| C Pro-Server EX  © GP3000 Series C WinGP C LT3000 | C GP Series       |
| <br>[]  |                   |
| Node Name IP Address                              |                   |
| AGP1 192,168, 0,100                               |                   |
| Link between Device Info and Symbol Info          |                   |
| Project File     Brows                            | e 🗖 Auto Update   |
| C Read Info Online Update                         |                   |
|   |                   |
| Add Device/PLC                                    | Delete Device/PLC |
| Device/PLC 1                                      |                   |
| Maker   |                   |
| Port Type Set Port Max Text Mode                  | 그 -               |
|   | _                 |
| Device Name Device Configuration                  |                   |
|   |                   |
|   |                   |
| Custor Area                                       |                   |
| System Area System Area Start Device              | H                 |
| Register  | Cancel            |
|   | Lancer            |

5 Click the list buttons of [Maker], [Device Type] and [Port Type], and set these items related to Device/PLC.(When you select "GP Series" as the node type, set [Device Type] only.)

| Pro-Serv   | er EX Environment Settings 🛛 🛛 🔀 |  |  |  |  |
|--|----------------------------------|--|--|--|--|
| Pro-Server EX start-up mode has been changed.<br>To change the start-up mode, the currently running Pro-Server EX must be t<br>Are you sure to close it? |                                  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Yes No                           |  |  |  |  |



6 Click the [  $\blacktriangle$  ] or [  $\blacktriangledown$  ] button of [Text Mode] to specify the text mode adopted by Device/PLC.



• Text mode is automatically set when [Device Type] or [Port Type] is selected. This step is necessary only when you wish to change this setting.

7 Click the [Device Name] field and enter a Device/PLC name. (GP3000 Series/WinGP/LT3000 only)

| Services           |   |                        |               |         | _ [          | ×   |
|--------------------|---|------------------------|---------------|---------|--------------|-----|
| File Action View   | Help                                    |                        |               |         |              |     |
|                    | ) 🖪 😰 🕨 = 🗉 =>                          |                        |               |         |              |     |
| 🎭 Services (Local) | 🍇 Services (Local)                      |                        |               |         |              |     |
|                    | Pro-Server EX                           | Name 🛆                 | Description   | Status  | Startup Type |     |
|                    |   | NT LM Security Sup     | Provides se   |         | Manual       |     |
|                    | Start the service                       | 🗞 NVIDIA Display Driv  | Provides sy   | Started | Automatic    |     |
|                    |   | 🖏 OpcEnum              |               |         | Manual       |     |
|                    | Description:                            | 🍓 Performance Logs a   | Collects per  |         | Manual       |     |
|                    | Pro-Server EX Runtime Service           | 🍓 Plug and Play        | Enables a c   | Started | Automatic    |     |
|                    |   | 🍓 Portable Media Seria | Retrieves th  |         | Manual       |     |
|                    |   | 🍓 Print Spooler        | Loads files t | Started | Automatic    |     |
|                    |   | 🎭 Pro-Server EX        | Pro-Server    |         | Automatic    |     |
|                    |   | 🍓 Protected Storage    | Provides pr   | Started | Automatic    |     |
|                    |   | 🍓 QoS RSVP             | Provides ne   |         | Manual       |     |
|                    |   | 🍓 Remote Access Aut    | Creates a c   |         | Manual       |     |
|                    |   | 🍓 Remote Access Con    |               | Started | Manual       |     |
|                    |   | 🍓 Remote Desktop Hel   | Manages a     |         | Manual       |     |
|                    |   | 🍓 Remote Procedure C   |               | Started | Automatic    |     |
|                    |   | Remote Procedure C     |               |         | Manual       | -   |
|                    |   | (*) · · · · ·          |               | o       | A. 1         | • 🗖 |
|                    | Extended Standard                       | - I.                   |               |         |              |     |
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• Please make sure to totally conform the device name, type and setting to the data specified in 'GP-Pro EX'. Inconsistency may cause access to unauthorized devices.

**8** Click the [Device Configuration] field to set a device. (GP3000 Series/WinGP/LT3000 only)

| Device Co  | nfiguration       |       |  |
|------------|-------------------|-------|--|
| Series=An4 | \ Series          |       | Series 🕜 AnA Series 🔿 AnN Series   |
| T          | System Area D0000 |       | The range of the address is different according to the series.<br>Please reconfirm all of address settings that you are using<br>if you have changed the series. |
|            | Register Ca       | incel | OK Cancel  |

**9** Click the list button of [System Area Device] to select the Device/PLC to which the system address is assigned. (GP3000 Series/WinGP/LT3000 only)

| Device   | /PLC1    |                        | Add Device/PLC Delete Device/PLC         |  |  |  |
|--|----------|------------------------|--|--|--|--|
| Make   | r        | Mitsubishi Electric Co | Ca 💌 Device Type 🛛 A Series CPU Direct 💌 |  |  |  |
| Port T   | уре      | СОМ 💌 😒                | Set Port Max 1 Text Mode 2 🔆             |  |  |  |
| D  | elete    |                        |  |  |  |  |
|  | Device N | ame                    | Device Configuration                     |  |  |  |
| •  | PLC1     |                        | Series=AnA Series                        |  |  |  |
| 1  |          |                        | Þ  |  |  |  |
| System Area PLC1<br>System Area D0000<br>PLC1<br>Register Cancel |          |                        |  |  |  |  |

10 Enter the first device address of the assigned system area in [System Area Start Device]. (GP3000 Series/WinGP/ LT3000 only)

Enter the address directly or click the Calculator icon to enter it on the device address input screen.

| Device/PLC 1      |           |                  | Add I                    | Device/PLC                  | Delete Dev | /ice/PLC | :  |     |   |      |     |      |    |
|-------------------|-----------|------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------|------------|----------|----|-----|---|------|-----|------|----|
| Maker             | Mitsubisł | hi Electric Cc 💌 | ] Devic                  | e Type 🛛 A Series           | CPU Direct |          | •  |     |   |      |     |      |    |
| Port Type         | СОМ       | ▼ Set            | Port                     | Max 1 Text M                | /lode      | 2        | -  |     |   |      |     |      |    |
| Delete            |           |                  |                          |                             |            |          |    |     |   |      |     |      |    |
| Device I          | Name      |                  | ) evice Co<br>ieries=An/ | onfiguration<br>A Series    |            |          |    |     |   |      |     |      |    |
|                   |           |                  | 0103-016                 | 5 56163                     |            |          | Þ  |     |   |      |     |      |    |
|                   |           |                  |                          |                             |            |          | _  |     |   |      |     |      |    |
| System Ar<br>Devi | ea PLC1   | - A              | 2                        | System Area<br>Start Device | D0000      |          | D  |     | - | 0000 |     |      |    |
|                   |           |                  |                          | <b>D</b> 11                 | 1          |          | Ba | ick |   |      |     | C    | lr |
|                   |           |                  |                          | Register                    |            | Cancel   | Α  | В   | С |      | 7   | 8    | 9  |
|                   |           |                  |                          |                             |            |          | D  | Ε   | F |      | 4   | 5    | θ  |
|                   |           |                  |                          |                             |            |          |    |     |   |      | 1   | 2    | 3  |
|                   |           |                  |                          |                             |            |          |    |     |   |      | 0   | E    | nt |
|                   |           |                  |                          |                             |            |          |    | ОК  |   |      | Car | ncel |    |

• To enter the Ethernet/IP device address of Rockwell Automation using the calculator button, select the Device/PLC to which you connect the Ethernet/IP of Rockwell Automation, and select the device address, and then click the [Ent] button.

**11** Click the [Register] button.

| Device/PLC 1                       |                        | Add Device/PLC Delete                                  | Device/PLC |  |  |  |
|------------------------------------|------------------------|--|------------|--|--|--|
|                                    | litsubishi Electric Cc | Device Type     A Series CPU Dir     Max     Text Mode | ect V      |  |  |  |
| Device Name                        | e                      | Device Configuration                                   |            |  |  |  |
| PLC1                               |                        | Series=AnA Series                                      |            |  |  |  |
| <u>र</u>                           |                        |  | F          |  |  |  |
| System Area PLC1 System Area D0000 |                        |  |            |  |  |  |
|                                    |                        | Register   | Cancel     |  |  |  |

The entry node is now registered with the set contents.

# 31.1.2 Deletion of Entry Nodes

1 Select the entry node you wish to delete from the node list on the left of the screen.

| 💱 Pro-Studio EX 🛛 ?.npx   |   |
|---|---|
| File Edit Tool Programming Assist   | Setting Help  |
| Start 🔉 🔪 Node  | >> 🔑 Symbol >   |
| Add Node  | Node Type   |
| 🕱 Delete Node   | Node Name   |
| 💁 Find Node   | AGP1  |
| <ul> <li>Pro-Server EX</li> <li>GP3000 Series</li> <li>GP1 (132 168 0 100)</li> <li>WinGP</li> <li>L13000</li> <li>GP Series</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Link between Device</li> <li>Project File</li> <li>Read Info Online</li> </ul> |

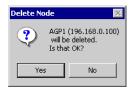
2 Click the [Delete Node] button.

| 💱 Pro-Studio EX 🛛 ?.npx  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| File Edit Tool Programming Assist  | <u>k</u>   |  |  |  |  |  |
| <ul> <li>▶ Pro-Server EX</li> <li>➡ GP3000 Series</li> <li>➡ AGP1 (192.168.0.100)</li> <li>▶ WinGP</li> <li>▶ LT3000</li> <li>➡ GP Series</li> </ul> | AGP1 Link between Device Project File Read Info Online |  |  |  |  |  |

The following message appears confirming the deletion.

| Delete Node 🛛 🔀 |   |  |
|-----------------|---|--|
| ?               | AGP1 (196.168.0.100)<br>will be deleted.<br>Is that OK? |  |
| Ye              | s No  |  |

3 Click the [Yes] button.



The selected node is now deleted.



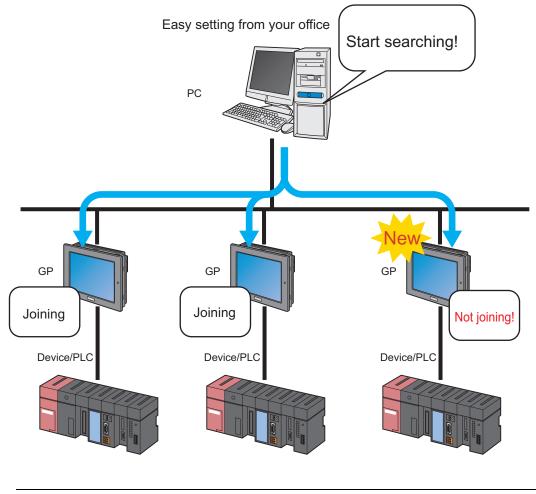
• Node deletion may cause inconsistency in the contents specified on the feature screen. Please check the contents of a network project file to confirm the consistency before reloading and transferring it.

# 31.2 Searching Nodes

### 31.2.1 What is "Searching Nodes"?

You can register the PC and GPs that are active on the network, individually as a node, and also detect and register any node that is not in the network project file by using the search function.

It allows you to register network nodes easily, without confirming on the spot the Ethernet setting of each GP.



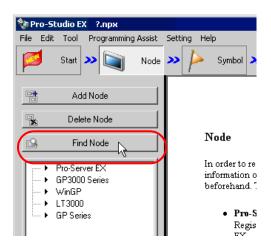
• The search area (where nodes can be found) covers the nodes having the same class ID as that of the IP address of the PC to search. You cannot search the nodes located in the different class or over the router.

This section describes how to use the search function and register entry nodes.

1 Click the [Node] icon on the status bar.

| 💱 Pro-Studio EX 🛛 ?.npx                                |                             |
|--|-----------------------------|
| File Edit Tool Programming Assist                      | Setting Help                |
| Start 💫 🔪 Node   | 🍑 🕨 Symbol                  |
| Sample Wizard  |                             |
| A new network will be<br>constructed. Select a sample. |                             |
| New Form   | New Forn                    |
| Necipe   | The Pro-Ser<br>Excel forma  |
| 🚱 Data Logging   | The "New F                  |
| 🖂 Send Mail  | in Excel for<br>items and c |
|  |                             |

**2** Click the [Find Node] button.



The search of entry nodes now starts and the "Find Node" screen appears.

The "Find Node" screen shows the number of the entry nodes currently connected on the network (detected nodes) and the number of those not registered (Non-Prticipant nodes).

|      | Node                      | Find Node          | _           |                    | おたす                 | rt <b>-D</b> ro      |                   |
|------|---------------------------|--------------------|-------------|--------------------|---------------------|----------------------|-------------------|
| -1   | In order to               | Participan         | IP Address  | Node Name          | Device Type         | Node he              |                   |
|      | information<br>beforehand | I NUTE ALCOL       | 172.21.1.82 | PC1                |                     | Pro-S                |                   |
| - 1  | • Prr                     |                    |             |                    |                     |                      |                   |
| - 1  | Reg                       |                    |             |                    |                     | er                   |                   |
| - 1  | EX                        |                    |             |                    |                     |                      |                   |
| - II | Find Node                 |                    |             |                    |                     |                      | ×                 |
|      | 🛛 🖳 🛛 To add an r         | ionparticipation n |             | rk project, select | the node and click  |                      |                   |
|      | Caution An properly.      |                    |             | OK                 | : type is Pro-Serve | r EX. To add it, cha | inge the settings |
| -    |                           |                    |             | -                  |                     | r EX. To add it, cha | inge the settings |

**NOTE** • To perform the node search function, 'Pro-Server EX' should be operated. If 'Pro-Server EX' is not running, the following dialog message appears.



Clicking the [Yes] button activates 'Pro-Server EX' and starts searching entry nodes. Clicking the [No] button stops the node search.

**3** Click the [OK] button after checking the message.

| Find Node | X  |
|-----------|--|
| į)        | Search Complete Found Nodes: 1, nonparticipation Nodes: 1<br>To add an nonparticipation node to the network project, select the node and click the [Add] button.<br>Caution An unknown node has a node name of _GP? and its PLC type is Pro-Server EX. To add it, change the settings<br>properly. |

4 Select [NonParticipant Status] on the "Find Node" screen, and then click the [Add] button.

| F | ind Node    |                  |                  |             | ×        |
|---|-------------|------------------|------------------|-------------|----------|
|   | Participan  | IP Address       | Node Name        | Device Type | Node     |
|   | NonParticip | 172.21.1.82      | PC1              |             | Pro-Si   |
|   |             |                  |                  |             |          |
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|   |             |                  |                  |             |          |
|   |             |                  |                  | Elap:       | sed Time |
|   | Select a    | node you want to | add to the netwo | rk.         | 00:07    |
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| 1 | n           |                  |                  |             | ///      |

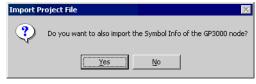
The selected non-participant node is registered as an entry node and indicated in the node list with a temporary name.

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|-----------------------------------|---|
| File Edit Tool Programming Assist | Setting Help  |
| Start 🔉 🟹 Node                    | >> 🔑 Symbol >   |
| Add Node                          | Node Type   |
| 🙀 Delete Node                     | Node Name   |
| 🖾 Find Node                       | _AGP1   |
|                                   | <ul> <li>Link between Device</li> <li>Project File</li> <li>Read Info Online</li> </ul> |

NOTE

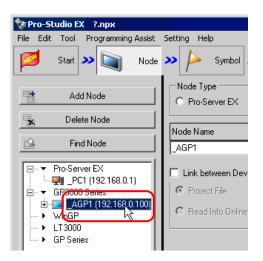
To select more than one node at one time, click the non-entry nodes with pressing the [Shift] key.
 When you attempt to register GP2000 Series (WinGP/LT2000 (or long on a petwork presset file because)

 When you attempt to register GP3000 Series/WinGP/LT3000 (as long as a network project file has already been transferred to that node), the following screen appears.



To import the symbol data of the network project file simultaneously, click the [Yes] button. If you wish not, click the [No] button.

5 Click a node name in the node list.



The details of the selected entry node are displayed on the right of the screen.

| 🃚 Pro-Studio EX 🛛 ?.npx               |   |
|---------------------------------------|---|
| File Edit Tool Programming Assist Se  | etting Help   |
| Start 🔉 🟹 Node 🔉                      | > ≽ Symbol >> ≷ Feature >> 📄 Save >> 🖄 Transfer   |
| Add Node                              | Node Type<br>C Pro-Server EX C GP3000 Series C WinGP C LT3000 C GP Series   |
| 🗙 Delete Node                         |   |
|                                       | Node Name         IP Address           _AGP1         192,168, 0, 100  |
|                                       | Link between Device Info and Symbol Info     Project File     Drowse     Auto Update     Read Info Online                                 |
| → LT3000<br>→ GP Series               | Add Device/PLC Delete Device/PLC Device/PLC1  |
|                                       | Maker     Mitsubishi Electric Ccl     Device Type     A Series CPU Direct       Port Type     CDM     Set Port     Max     1       Delete |
| I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I | System Area PLC1 System Area D0000 a  |

6 Set the items related to Device/PLC.

Refer to "31.1.1 Registration of Entry Nodes" for more details about the setting items.

**NOTE** • To change the node name, move the cursor to the text box of [Node Name] and enter a new name.

7 Click the [Register] button.

|           | PLU              | beries≒AnA beries |                   |
|-----------|------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
|           | System Area PLC1 | T                 | System Area D0000 |
| Tree List |                  |                   | Register Cancel   |

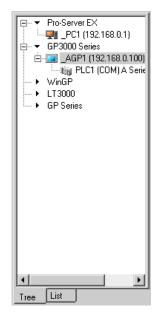
The entry node is now registered with the set contents.

#### NOTE

• There are 2 types of display formats of a node list: "Tree format" and "List format". (Normally, nodes are displayed in a tree format.)

In a tree format, the top layer shows a node type ("Pro-Server EX", "GP3000 Series", "WinGP", "LT3000" or "GP Series") and the lower layers indicate a node name and a Device/PLC name respectively.

In a list format, node names and IP addresses are indicated .



| Node      | IP Address    |  |
|-----------|---------------|--|
| _AGP1     | 192.168.0.100 |  |
| PC1       | 192.168.0.1   |  |
|           | 102.100.0.1   |  |
|           |               |  |
|           |               |  |
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|           |               |  |
| Tree List | ,             |  |

Tree format

List format

• You can change the display format by clicking the tab at the bottom of the node list.

### 31.2.2 Countermeasure Against Unrecognized Nodes

When no entry node is recognized by the search function, please check the following items.

(1) Cable and LAN hub

Check if the Ethernet cable is not disconnected.

(2) Network setting on the PC and GP side

Check if the IP address and subnet mask are specified properly.

• Confirmation of GP setting

"2.4 Setting GP Network"

Confirmation of PC setting

"2.3 Setting PC Network"

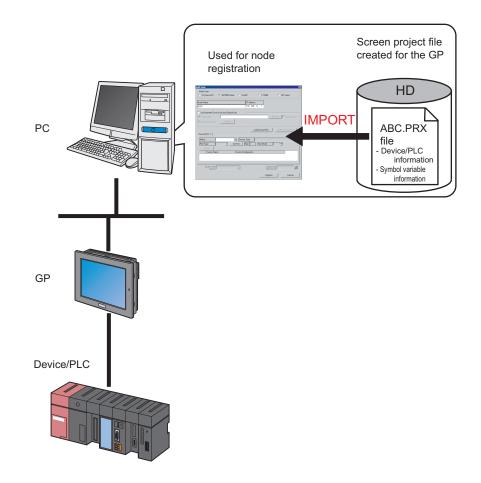
**NOTE** • You can check the setting of the IP address and subnet mask by the following method.

- (1) From the [Start] button in Windows, select [All Programs] [Accessory] [Command Prompt].(2) Enter "ipconfig" on the command prompt screen.
- (3) The following screen appears, displaying [IP Address] and [Subnet Mask].

# 31.3 Getting Data from a Screen Project File (PRX)

This feature allows you to obtain (import) the Device/PLC information and symbol information from a screen project file (\*.PRX) made by a screen creation application like 'GP-Pro EX'.

By utilizing a screen project file made by a screen creation application, it is possible to register the accurate data of entry nodes for a short time.



- The information that can be imported from a screen project file is that of Device/PLC and of symbols. Import of data saves the effort of inputting the same data to 'Pro-Studio EX'. You can also import data from a screen project file (\*.PRW) made by the old version of the screen creation application as well.
  - When you import a screen project file of 'GP-Pro EX' or 'GP-PRO/PBIII for Windows', the data type of word symbol is "Unknown". Please set the data type on 'Pro-Studio EX' again.
  - When specifying "Unknown" one more time, you cannot set the bit type.

1 Click the [Node] icon on the status bar.

| 🂱 Pro-Studio EX 🛛 ?.npx                                |                             |
|--|-----------------------------|
| File Edit Tool Programming Assist                      | Setting Help                |
| Start 🗡 🐚 Node   | >> 🔑 Symbol .               |
| Sample Wizard  |                             |
| A new network will be<br>constructed. Select a sample. |                             |
| New Form   | New Form                    |
| ** Recipe  | The Pro-Ser<br>Excel format |
| 🚱 Data Logging   | The "New F                  |
| 🖂 Send Mail  | in Excel form               |
|  | nomis and co                |

2 Select a node type from the tree display on the left of the screen: 'GP3000 Series', 'WinGP', 'LT3000' or 'GP Series'.

| 💱 Pro-Studio EX 🛛 ?.npx                 |   |
|---|---|
| File Edit Tool Programming Assist       | Setting Help                                      |
| Start 🔉 🔪 Node                          | » 🕨 symbol »                                      |
| Add Node                                |   |
| 🖳 Delete Node                           |   |
| 🕞 Find Node                             | Node  |
| Bro-Server EX<br>GP3000 Series<br>WinGP | In order to rea<br>information o<br>beforehand. T |
| GP Series                               | Pro-S     Regist                                  |
|   | Regist  |

3 Click the [Add Node] button.

| 黎 Pro-Studio EX 🛛 ?.npx  |   |
|--|---|
| File Edit Tool Programming Assist                                  | Setting Help  |
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| Add Node   |   |
| 🛣 Delete Node  |   |
| 🕞 Find Node  | Node  |
| Pro-Server EX     GP3000 Series     WinGP     LT3000     GP Series | In order to re<br>information o<br>beforehand. T<br>• Pro-S |
|  | Regis   |

4 Enter [Node Name] and [IP Address]. (Enter [Node Name], [IP Address], and [Subnet Mask] in the GP Series. Also enter [Gateway], if required.)

| Add Node                  |                    |            |               | ×                    |
|---------------------------|--------------------|------------|---------------|----------------------|
| Node Type                 |                    |            |               |                      |
| C Pro-Server EX 📀         | GP3000 Series      | ⊂ WinGP    | C LT3000      | C GP Series          |
| Node Name                 |                    | IP Address |               |                      |
| AGP1                      |                    | 192,168,   | 0 . 100       |                      |
| 🔲 Link between Device Int | fo and Symbol Info |            |               |                      |
| C Project File            |                    |            |               | Browse 🗖 Auto Update |
| C Read Info Online        | Update             |            |               |                      |
|                           |                    | А          | dd Device/PLC | Delete Device/PLC    |
| Device/PLC 1              |                    |            |               |                      |

5 Check [Link between Device Info and Symbol Info].

| O Pro-Server EX     | GP3000 Series          | C WinGP    | C LT3000     | C GP Series   |
|---------------------|------------------------|------------|--------------|---------------|
| Node Name           |                        | IP Address |              |               |
| AGP1                |                        | 192_168_ 0 | 0_100        |               |
| E Link haters Davis | - lafe and Combellate  |            |              |               |
| Link between Devic  | e Info and Symbol Info | _)         |              |               |
| 1 inject lie        |                        |            |              | rowse 🔽 Auto  |
|                     | Update                 |            |              |               |
| C Read Info Online  | opuoro                 |            |              |               |
| C Read Info Online  | 00000                  |            |              |               |
| C Read Info Online  |                        | Add        | d Device/PLC | Delete Device |

• When [Auto Update] is checked, the screen project file that has been imported is automatically updated if there is any change to it.

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• When the Device/PLC in the node provides Ethernet/IP of Rockwell Automation, be sure to check [Auto Update] to always synchronize with the 'GP-Pro EX' settings.

The confirmation screen for data import appears. Click the [OK] button.



The mode is switched to the link mode that allows the data import.

• When [Link between Device Info and Symbol Info] is unchecked, the confirmation screen of linkmode cancellation appears.

Click the [OK] button to cancel the link mode.



• When the Device/PLC in the node provides Ethernet/IP of Rockwell Automation, you cannot edit the device information manually even if unchecking [Link between Device Info and Symbol Info].

6 Select [Project File] and click the [Browse] button.

| Add Node                                 |         |                | ×                  |
|--|---------|----------------|--------------------|
| Node Type                                |         |                |                    |
| C Pro-Server EX  © GP3000 Series         | C WinGP | ○ LT3000       | C GP Series        |
| Node Name                                | IP Addr |                |                    |
| AGP1                                     |         | 8 0 100        |                    |
|  |         |                |                    |
| Link between Device Info and Symbol Info |         |                |                    |
| Project File                             |         | (              | Browse Auto Update |
| C Read Info Online Update                |         |                |                    |
|  |         |                |                    |
|  | _       | Add Device/PLC | Delete Device/PLC  |
| Device/PLC 1                             |         |                | 1                  |

The "Open" dialog box appears.

| Look in: NPXDataBase<br>Kistory<br>Desktop<br>Carlos  | Open                    |                                       |   |           | ? × |
|---|-------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|-----------|-----|
| History<br>Desktop  | Look in:                | NPXDataBase                           | • | 🗢 🗈 💣 🎟 • |     |
| My Documents  | Desktop<br>My Documents | monitor.prx                           |   |           |     |
| My Network P     File name:     monitor.prx     Open       Files of type:     Project File (*.prx)     Cancel | My Network P            | · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · | - | •         |     |

7 Select your target screen project file (\*.prx) and click the [Open] button.

| Open         |                |                      |   |     |       | ? ×  |
|--------------|----------------|----------------------|---|-----|-------|------|
| Look in:     | 🔁 NPXDataBase  | 3                    | • | 🗢 🔁 | r 🖬 📩 |      |
|              | monitor.prx    |                      |   |     |       |      |
| History      |                |                      |   |     |       |      |
| Desktop      |                |                      |   |     |       |      |
| My Documents |                |                      |   |     |       |      |
| My Computer  |                |                      |   |     |       |      |
| <u> </u>     | 1              |                      |   |     |       |      |
| My Network P | File name:     | monitor.prx          |   |     | -     | Open |
| My HOWOIK T  | Files of type: | Project File (*.prx) |   |     | •     |      |

The "Import Project File" screen appears. Click the [OK] button.



The Device/PLC data set in the screen project file is displayed in each item in the [Device/PLC] tab.

| Link between Device Info and Symbol I                                 | nfo  |  |  |  |  |  |
|---|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| Project File     C:\Program File                                      | s\Pro-face\Pro-Server EX\NPXDataBas Browse 🗖 Auto Update |  |  |  |  |  |
| C Read Info Online Update Last Link Date and Time 2005-10-14 14:44:42 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|   | Add Device/PLC Delete Device/PLC                         |  |  |  |  |  |
| Device/PLC 1  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Maker Mitsubishi Electric Co  | Device Type     A Series CPU Direct                      |  |  |  |  |  |
| Port Type COM 💌 S   | et Port Max 1 Text Mode 2 🐳                              |  |  |  |  |  |
| Delete  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Device Name   | Device Configuration                                     |  |  |  |  |  |
| PLC1  | Series=AnA Series  |  |  |  |  |  |
|   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| System Area<br>Device   | System Area D0000  |  |  |  |  |  |
|   | Register Cancel  |  |  |  |  |  |

#### 8 Click the [Register] button.

| Device | e/PLC 1                    |                                  |
|--------|----------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Make   | er Mitsubishi Electric (   | Correct Type A Series CPU Direct |
| Port   | Туре СОМ 💌                 | Set Port Max 1 Text Mode 2       |
|        | Delete                     |                                  |
|        | Device Name                | Device Configuration             |
| •      | PLC1                       | Series=AnA Series                |
|        |                            |                                  |
|        |                            |                                  |
|        | Sustem Area los or         | Sustem área popos                |
|        | System Area<br>Device PLC1 | System Area D0000 E              |
|        |                            | Register Cancel                  |

The entry node is now registered with the set contents.



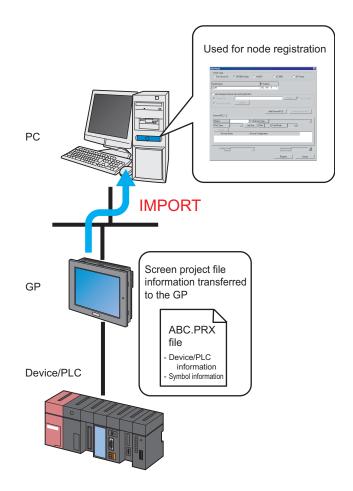
• Imported variables (variable format) of the logic program are registered in a new symbol sheet named "Node name\_LOGIC".

| e Edit Tool Programming Assist Settin | g Help               |               |                                 |               |            |
|---------------------------------------|----------------------|---------------|---------------------------------|---------------|------------|
| 🌌 Start ン 🟹 Node ン                    | 庈 Symbol ン 🍝         | 🕈 Feature ン 🔡 | Save ン 🆄 Tra                    | insfer 🛛 😺    | Mor<br>Sta |
| Symbol                                | Node Name _AG        | P1            | Device Name #INTERN             | AL            |            |
| Group Ungroup                         | Sheet Name _AG       | P1 LOGIC      | et it as a global symbol sheet. |               |            |
| Insert Delete                         |                      | -             |                                 |               |            |
| Copy Cut Paste                        | Symbol               | Data Type     | Consec<br>utive Device Addres   | s No. of Data | Com        |
| Symbol Sheet                          | Switch               | Bit           | M_0000                          | 1             |            |
| Add Delete                            | Lamp_01              | Bit           | M_0001                          | 1             |            |
|                                       | Switch_01            | Bit           | M_0002                          | 1             |            |
| Check Duplication/List Used Addresses | Switch_02            | Bit           | M_0003                          | 1             |            |
|                                       | Lamp_02              | Bit           | M_0004                          | 1             |            |
| Global Constant Setting Screen        | Switch_03            | Bit           | M_0005                          | 1             |            |
| ∃ ▼ Pro-Server EX                     | Lamp_03              | Bit           | M_0006                          | 1             |            |
| E ₩ PC1 (192.168.0.1)                 | Switch_04            | Bit           | M_0007                          |               |            |
| #INTERNAL:Sheet1                      | Lamp_04              | Bit           | M_0008                          | 1             |            |
| GP3000 Series                         | Switch_05            | Bit           | M_0009                          |               |            |
|                                       | Lamp_05              | Bit           | M_0010                          |               |            |
| #MEMLINK:Sheet3 Memory Li             | Switch_06            | Bit           | M_0011<br>M_0012                |               |            |
| #INTERNAL:_AGP1_LOGIC                 | Lamp_06<br>Switch 07 | Bit           | M 0013                          |               |            |
| ··· ► WinGP                           | Lamp 07              | Bit           | M 0014                          | -             |            |
| LT3000     GP Series                  | Stop 01              | Bit           | M 0015                          | -             |            |
| Global Symbol                         | Stop_02              | Bit           | M 0016                          | 1             |            |
|                                       | Stop_03              | Bit           | M_0017                          | 1             |            |
|                                       | Stop 04              | Bit           | M 0018                          | 1             |            |
|                                       | Stop 05              | Bit           | M 0019                          | 1             |            |

# 31.4 Getting Data from the Screen Project File (PRX) Transferred to GP

You can obtain (import) via the network the Device/PLC data and symbol data from the screen project file (\*.PRX) transferred to the GP.

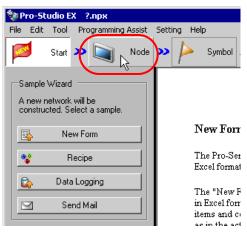
By utilizing a screen project file made by a screen creation application, it is possible to register the accurate data of entry nodes for a short time.



• The information that can be imported from a screen project file in the GP is that of Device/PLC and of symbols. Import of data saves the effort of inputting the same data to 'Pro-Studio EX'. However, this function is available only for GP3000 Series/WinGP/LT3000.

This section describes the setting required for importing the data of a screen project file (PRX) from each GP on the network.

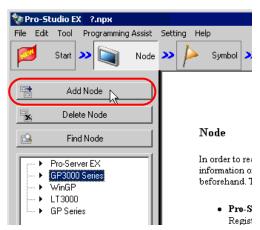
1 Click the [Node] icon on the status bar.



 $2\,$  Select 'GP3000 Series', 'WinGP' or 'LT3000' from the tree display on the left of the screen.

| 🎨 Pro-Studio EX 🛛 ?.npx                 |   |
|---|---|
| File Edit Tool Programming Assist       | Setting Help                                      |
| Start 🔉 🔪 Node                          | » 🕨 Symbol »                                      |
| Add Node                                |   |
| 🙀 Delete Node                           |   |
| 🚱 Find Node                             | Node  |
| Pro-Server EX<br>GP3000 Series<br>WinGP | In order to re-<br>information o<br>beforehand. 7 |
| GP Series                               | • Pro-S<br>Regis                                  |

**3** Click the [Add Node] button.



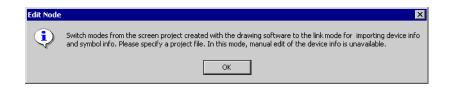
4 Enter [Node Name] and [IP Address]. (Enter [Node Name], [IP Address], and [Subnet Mask] in the GP Series. Also enter [Gateway], if required.)

| Add Node              |                      |           |                | ×                    |
|-----------------------|----------------------|-----------|----------------|----------------------|
| Node Type             | GP3000 Series        | C WinGP   | C LT3000       | C GP Series          |
| Node Name             |                      | IP Addre: | 35             |                      |
| AGP1                  |                      | 192,168   | . 0 . 100      |                      |
| Link between Device I | Info and Symbol Info |           |                |                      |
| Project File          |                      |           | E              | Browse 🗖 Auto Update |
| C Read Info Online    | Update               |           |                |                      |
|                       |                      |           | Add Device/PLC | Delete Device/PLC    |
| Device/PLC 1          |                      |           |                | 1                    |

5 Check [Link between Device Info and Symbol Info].



The confirmation screen for data import appears. Click the [OK] button.



The mode is switched to the link mode that allows the data import.

• When [Link between Device Info and Symbol Info] is unchecked, the confirmation screen of linkmode cancellation appears. Click the [OK] button to cancel the link mode.





• When the Device/PLC in the node provides Ethernet/IP of Rockwell Automation, you cannot edit the device information manually even if unchecking [Link between Device Info and Symbol Info].

| Add Node                                 |            |                | د                    |
|--|------------|----------------|----------------------|
| Node Type                                |            |                |                      |
| C Pro-Server EX © GP3000 Series C        | WinGP      | C LT3000       | C GP Series          |
|  |            |                |                      |
| Node Name                                | IP Address |                |                      |
| AGP1                                     | 192_168_   | J_100          |                      |
|  |            |                |                      |
| Link between Device Info and Symbol Info |            |                |                      |
| C Project File                           |            | E              | Browse 🔽 Auto Update |
| Read Info Online     Update              |            |                |                      |
|  |            |                |                      |
|  | ۵d         | d Device/PLC   | Delete Device/PLC    |
| Device/PLC 1                             |            | 1 D C 11 C C 1 | D 01010 D 0710071 E0 |
| Device/FLC 1                             |            |                |                      |
| Maker - De                               | uioo Turoo |                |                      |

The "Read Info Online" dialog box appears and starts communication with the GP whose IP address you entered in Step 4. Online read is carried out without GP3000 switching to offline mode.

| ead Info Online                               |  |
|---|--|
| Retrieving PLC and symbol info of Node(AGP1). |  |
|   |  |
|   |  |
|   |  |
|   |  |

**NOTE** • If "Transfer password" is set for GP3000 Series, WinGP or LT3000, the "Transfer password entry" screen appears.

Enter the password and click the [OK] button.

7 When the communication is completed, the Device/PLC data set in the screen project file is displayed in each item in the [Device/PLC] tab.

| Link between Device Info and Symbols | pol Info             |                                   |             |
|--------------------------------------|----------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------|
| C Project File                       |                      | Browse                            | Auto Update |
| Read Info Online Update              |                      |                                   |             |
|                                      | Ad                   | d Device/PLC Delete               | Device/PLC  |
| Device/PLC 1                         |                      |                                   |             |
| Maker Mitsubishi Electric            | Device Type          | Series CPU Direct                 | <b>T</b>    |
| Port Type COM 💌                      | Set Port Max 1       | Text Mode 2                       |             |
| Delete                               |                      |                                   |             |
| Device Name                          | Device Configuration |                                   |             |
| PLC1                                 | Series=AnA Series    |                                   |             |
|                                      |                      |                                   |             |
|                                      |                      |                                   |             |
| System Area<br>Device                |                      | System Area D0000<br>Start Device |             |
|                                      |                      | Register                          | Cancel      |

## 8 Click the [Register] button.

| Device/PLC 1                 |                        |                         | Add Device/PLC       | Delete D           | evice/PLC |
|------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------|--------------------|-----------|
| Maker<br>Port Type<br>Delete | Mitsubishi Electric Cc | Device Type et Port Max | A Series CPU Direct  | 2                  | <b>_</b>  |
| Device N                     | lame                   | Device Configuratio     | on                   |                    |           |
| PLC1                         |                        | Series=AnA Series       |                      |                    |           |
|                              |                        |                         |                      |                    | _         |
| System Are<br>Devic          | PLC1                   | 7                       | System A<br>Start De | Area D0000<br>vice |           |
|                              |                        |                         | Register             |                    | Cancel    |

The entry node is now registered with the set contents.

• You can click the [Confirm Nodes online] button on the transfer setting screen to confirm if the screen project file (PRX) transferred to the GP matches the imported information.Refer to "26.1 Setting Guide" for more details.

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#### 31.5.1 Pro-Server EX Node

This section explains the settings on the screen displayed on the conditions below:

- 1) When you select "Pro-Server EX" from the node list and click the [Add Node]; or
- 2) When you click a node name from the node list.

| Add Node      |                 |          |          | د           |
|---------------|-----------------|----------|----------|-------------|
| Node Type     |                 |          |          |             |
| Pro-Server EX | C GP3000 Series | O WinGP  | C LT3000 | C GP Series |
| Node Name     |                 | IP Addre | 225      |             |
| PC1           |                 |          | 8.0.1    |             |
| ,             |                 |          |          |             |
|               |                 |          |          |             |
|               |                 |          |          |             |
|               |                 |          |          |             |
|               |                 |          |          |             |
|               |                 |          |          |             |
|               |                 |          |          |             |
|               |                 |          |          |             |
|               |                 |          |          |             |
|               |                 |          |          |             |
|               |                 |          |          |             |
|               |                 |          |          |             |
|               |                 |          |          |             |
|               |                 |          |          |             |
|               |                 |          |          |             |
|               |                 |          | Register | Cancel      |

| Setting item | Setting content  |  |  |
|--------------|--|--|--|
| Node Type    | <ul> <li>"Pro-Server EX" is selected.</li> <li>NOTE</li> <li>When the node type is changed, the following dialog box appears.</li> <li>Change Node Type Change the node type. Is that OK?</li> <li>Yes No</li> <li>Clicking the [Yes] button deletes the set data of the Device/PLC and of symbols.</li> </ul> |  |  |

| Setting item | Setting content   |
|--------------|---|
| Node Name    | Enter the node name to be registered.<br>Example) PC_1  |
|              | <ul><li>NOTE</li><li>Restrictions on a node name are as follows:</li></ul>                                  |
|              | <ul><li>Must be entered at maximum 32 single-byte characters.</li><li>Cannot begin with a number.</li></ul> |
|              | • Is distinguished between uppercase and lowercase letters, hiragana and katakana.                          |
| IP Address   | Enter the IP address of the entry node.   |

# 31.5.2 GP3000 Series Node

This section explains the settings on the screen displayed on the conditions below:

- 1) When you select "GP3000 Series" from the node list and click the [Add Node]; or
- 2) When you click a node name from the node list.

| Add Node                   |                         |                | x                    |
|----------------------------|-------------------------|----------------|----------------------|
| Node Type                  |                         |                |                      |
| C Pro-Server EX 📀 (        | GP3000 Series 💿 🔿 WinGP | C LT3000       | C GP Series          |
|                            |                         |                |                      |
| Node Name                  |                         | Address        |                      |
| AGP1                       | 19                      | 2.168.0.1      |                      |
| 🔲 Link between Device Info | and Symbol Info         |                |                      |
| C Project File             |                         |                | Browse 🗖 Auto Update |
| C Read Info Online         | Update                  |                |                      |
| Head Info Unline           | opasio                  |                |                      |
|                            |                         | Add Device/PLC | Delete Device/PLC    |
| Device/PLC 1               |                         |                | Delete Devidevil Le  |
|                            |                         |                |                      |
| Maker                      | Device Typ              |                |                      |
| Port Type                  | Set Port Max            | Text Mode      |                      |
| Delete                     |                         |                |                      |
| Device Name                | Device Configu          | ration         |                      |
|                            |                         |                |                      |
|                            |                         |                |                      |
| System Area                |                         | Suster         | m Area               |
| Device                     |                         | Start [        | n Area<br>Device     |
|                            |                         | Regist         | er Cancel            |
|                            |                         |                |                      |

| Setting item | Setting content   |
|--------------|---|
| Node Type    | <ul> <li>"GP3000 Series" is selected.</li> <li>NOTE</li> <li>• When the node type except WinGP/LT3000 is changed, the following dialog box appears.</li> <li>Change Node Type Change the node type. Is that OK?</li> <li>Change the node type. Is that OK?</li> <li>Clicking the [Yes] button deletes the set information of the Device/PLC and of symbol variables.</li> </ul> |

| Setting item                                | Setting content  |  |  |
|---|--|--|--|
| Node Name                                   | Enter the node name to be registered.<br>Example) AGP_1  NOTE   Restrictions on a node name are as follows:  Must be entered at maximum 32 Unicode characters.  Cannot begin with a number.  Is distinguished between uppercase and lowercase letters.   |  |  |
| IP Address                                  | Enter the IP address of the entry node.  |  |  |
| Link between Device<br>Info and Symbol Info | Import the Device/PLC information or symbol variable information from a screen project file (*.PRX).           NOTE           • Import of data saves the effort of inputting the same data to 'Pro-Studio EX'.   |  |  |
| Project File                                | Select a screen project file in a folder on the PC.  |  |  |
| Browse                                      | The "Open" screen appears.<br>Select the screen project file you wish to use on this screen.   |  |  |
| Auto Update                                 | Select the screen project file you wish to use on this screen.         The screen project file that has been imported is automatically updated if there is any change to it.         The following dialog box appears to indicate updating occurrence, if any.         Automatic Update of Device/PLC Info/Symbol Info         Image: AGP1         Device/PLC Info/Symbol Info         Image: AGP1         Device/PLC Info/Symbol Info         Image: Click the [Yes] button when you want to import the updated data.         The following messages also appear indicating the link status.         • When Auto Update has been successful:         "The link has been updated. The latest link date: yyyy/mm/dd hh:mm:ss"         • When a link error has occurred:         "Failed to update. The latest link date: yyyy/mm/dd hh:mm:ss"         • When [Cancel] has been selected in the Update dialog box:         "Canceled to update. The latest link date: yyyy/mm/dd hh:mm:ss" |  |  |
| Read Info Online                            | Select this to import the Device/PLC information or symbol variable information in the screen project file that has been transferred online from GP3000 Series which is registered as a entry node.  |  |  |
| Update                                      | Read the data of a screen project file online.   |  |  |

| Setting item         | Setting content  |  |  |
|----------------------|--|--|--|
|                      | Add Device/PLCs.<br>You can add Device/PLCs up to 4 drivers. Added Device/PLCs are displayed in each tab.  |  |  |
| Add Device/PLC       | Add Device/PLC     Delete Device/PLC       Device/PLC 1     Maker     Mitsubishi Electric Cc      Device Type     A Series CPU Direct       Port Type     CDM      Set Port     Max     1     Text Mode     2::       Delete   |  |  |
|                      | System Area PLC1 System Area D0000 Start Device PLC1 Register Cancel   |  |  |
| Delete Device/PLC    | Delete the Device/PLC currently displayed.<br>The message "Delete xxx (Device/PLC name). Continue?" appears. Click the [Yes] button<br>to delete it.   |  |  |
| Maker                | Select the name of the manufacturer of Device/PLC.   |  |  |
| Device Type          | Select the type of Device/PLC.   |  |  |
| Port Type            | Select the type of port that connects GP3000 Series and Device/PLC.  |  |  |
| Set Port             | Set the details of communication.<br>For further information, please refer to "Communication Setup" for the corresponding<br>manufacturer in 'GP-Pro EX Device/PLC Connection Manual'.   |  |  |
| Max.                 | Displays the maximum number of Device/PLCs that can be connected.           NOTE           • No change can be made.  |  |  |
| Text Mode            | Specify the text mode of Device/PLC.<br>Refer to "■ Text Mode" for more details.   |  |  |
| Device Name          | <ul> <li>Enter the name of Device/PLC which is connected. Restrictions on its name are as follows:</li> <li>Must be entered at maximum 32 Unicode characters.</li> <li>Cannot begin with a number.</li> <li><b>NOTE</b></li> <li>As for the Device/PLC data, please confirm the contents set on 'GP-Pro EX', and specify the set items to meet such contents. If there is inconsistency in the set contents like the device name, communication is not established.</li> </ul> |  |  |
| Device Configuration | Set up the Device/PLC.         NOTE         • The set contents may vary according to the Device/PLC. For further information, please refer to "Communication Setup" for the corresponding manufacturer in 'GP-Pro EX Device/PLC Connection Manual'.  |  |  |

| Setting item                | Setting content   |
|-----------------------------|---|
| System Area Device          | <ul> <li>Select the Device/PLC where the system area is assigned.</li> <li>NOTE</li> <li>By default, displays the device name set in [System Area Device] on the "System Area Setting" screen (accessible from [Main Unit Setting] on "System setup window" in 'GP-Pro EX').</li> <li>'GP-Pro EX Reference Manual'</li> </ul>   |
| System Area Start<br>Device | <ul> <li>Enter the device address where system area is assigned. Enter the address directly or click the Calculator icon to enter it on the device address input screen.</li> <li>NOTE</li> <li>By default, displays the device set in [System Data Area] on the "System Area Setting" screen (accessible from [Main Unit Setting] on "System setup window" in 'GP-Pro EX').</li> <li>'GP-Pro EX Reference Manual'</li> </ul> |
| Register                    | An entry node is registered with the set contents.  |

# 31.5.3 WinGP Node

This section explains the settings on the screen displayed on the conditions below:

- 1) When you select "WinGP" from the node list and click the [Add Node]; or
- 2) When you click a node name from the node list.

| Add Node              |                        |                 |                         | ×                  |
|-----------------------|------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------|--------------------|
| Node Type             |                        |                 |                         |                    |
| C Pro-Server EX       | C GP3000 Series •      | WinGP           | C LT3000                | O GP Series        |
|                       |                        | lin i i i       |                         |                    |
| Node Name             |                        | IP Address      |                         |                    |
| WGP1                  |                        | 192,168, 0      | . 1                     |                    |
| 🔲 Link between Devic  | e Info and Symbol Info |                 |                         |                    |
| C Project File        |                        |                 | Br                      | owse 🔽 Auto Update |
| C Read Info Online    | Update                 |                 |                         |                    |
|                       |                        |                 |                         |                    |
|                       |                        | Add             | Device/PLC              | Delete Device/PLC  |
| Device/PLC 1          |                        |                 |                         |                    |
| Maker                 | <b>T</b>               | evice Type      |                         |                    |
| Port Type             | Set Port               | Max             | Text Mode               |                    |
| Delete                |                        |                 | Textinidae              |                    |
| Device Name           | a Devic                | e Configuration |                         |                    |
|                       | 122.12                 | <u>-</u>        |                         |                    |
|                       |                        |                 |                         |                    |
|                       |                        |                 |                         |                    |
| System Area<br>Device | <b>~</b>               |                 | System Ar<br>Start Devi | ea 🗾               |
| DOVICE                |                        |                 | oran Devi               |                    |
|                       |                        |                 | Register                | Cancel             |

| Setting item | Setting content   |
|--------------|---|
| Node Type    | <ul> <li>"WinGP" is selected.</li> <li>NOTE</li> <li>When the node type except GP3000 Series/LT3000 is changed, the following dialog box appears.</li> <li>Change Node Type Change the node type. Is that OK?</li> <li>Change the node type. Is that OK?</li> <li>Clicking the [Yes] button deletes the set information of the Device/PLC and of symbol variables.</li> </ul> |

| Setting item                                | Setting content   |  |
|---|---|--|
| Node Name                                   | Enter the node name to be registered.<br>Example) HMI_1<br>NOTE<br>• Restrictions on a node name are as follows:<br>• Must be entered at maximum 32 Unicode characters.<br>• Cannot begin with a number.<br>• Is distinguished between uppercase and lowercase letters. |  |
| IP Address                                  | Enter the IP address of the entry node.   |  |
| Link between Device<br>Info and Symbol Info | Import the Device/PLC information or symbol variable information from a screen project file (*.PRX).           NOTE           • Import of data saves the effort of inputting the same data to 'Pro-Studio EX'.  |  |
| Project File                                | Select a screen project file in a folder on the PC.   |  |
| Browse                                      | The "Open" screen appears.<br>Select the screen project file you wish to use on this screen.  |  |
| Auto Update                                 |   |  |
| Read Info Online                            | Select this to import the Device/PLC data or symbol data in the screen project file that has been transferred online from WinGP which is registered as a entry node.  |  |
| Update                                      | Read the data of a screen project file online.  |  |

| Setting item         | Setting content   |  |  |
|----------------------|---|--|--|
|                      | Add Device/PLCs.<br>You can add Device/PLCs up to 4 drivers. Added Device/PLCs are displayed in each tab.   |  |  |
| Add Device/PLC       | Add Device/PLC     Delete Device/PLC       Device/PLC 1   |  |  |
|                      | System Area PLC1 System Area D0000 Start Device Cancel  |  |  |
| Delete Device/PLC    | Delete the Device/PLC currently displayed.<br>The message "Delete xxx (Device/PLC name). Continue?" appears. Click the [Yes] button<br>to delete it.  |  |  |
| Maker                | Select the name of the manufacturer of Device/PLC.  |  |  |
| Device Type          | Select the type of Device/PLC.  |  |  |
| Port Type            | Select the type of port that connects WinGP and Device/PLC.   |  |  |
| Set Port             | Set the details of communication.<br>For further information, please refer to "Communication Setup" for the corresponding<br>manufacturer in 'GP-Pro EX Device/PLC Connection Manual'.  |  |  |
| Max.                 | Displays the maximum number of Device/PLCs that can be connected.           NOTE           • No change can be made.   |  |  |
| Text Mode            | Specify the text mode of Device/PLC.<br>Refer to "■ Text Mode" for more details.  |  |  |
| Device Name          | <ul> <li>Enter the name of Device/PLC which is connected. Restrictions on its name are as follows:</li> <li>Must be entered at maximum 32 Unicode characters.</li> <li>Cannot begin with a number.</li> <li>NOTE</li> <li>As for the Device/PLC data, please confirm the contents set on 'GP-Pro EX', and specify the set items to meet such contents. If there is inconsistency in the set contents like the device name, communication is not established.</li> </ul> |  |  |
| Device Configuration | <ul> <li>Set up the Device/PLC.</li> <li>NOTE</li> <li>The set contents may vary according to the Device/PLC. For further information, please refer to "Communication Setup" for the corresponding manufacturer in 'GP-Pro EX Device/PLC Connection Manual'.</li> </ul>   |  |  |

| Setting item                | Setting content   |
|-----------------------------|---|
| System Area Device          | <ul> <li>Select the Device/PLC where the system area is assigned.</li> <li>NOTE</li> <li>By default, displays the device name set in [System Area Device] on the "System Area Setting" screen (accessible from [Main Unit Setting] on "System setup window" in 'GP-Pro EX').</li> <li>'GP-Pro EX Reference Manual'</li> </ul>   |
| System Area Start<br>Device | <ul> <li>Enter the device address where system area is assigned. Enter the address directly or click the Calculator icon to enter it on the device address input screen.</li> <li>NOTE</li> <li>By default, displays the device set in [System Data Area] on the "System Area Setting" screen (accessible from [Main Unit Setting] on "System setup window" in 'GP-Pro EX').</li> <li>'GP-Pro EX Reference Manual'</li> </ul> |
| Register                    | An entry node is registered with the set contents.  |

## 31.5.4 LT3000 Node

This section explains the settings on the screen displayed on the conditions below:

- 1) When you select "LT3000" from the node list and click the [Add Node]; or
- 2) When you click a node name from the node list.

| dd Node  |
|--|
| Node Type  |
| C Pro-Server EX C GP3000 Series C WinGP C LT3000 C GP Series |
|  |
| Node Name IP Address   |
| LT1 192_168_0_1  |
| Link between Device Info and Symbol Info                     |
| 🕼 Project File 🛛 🖉 Auto Update                               |
| C Read Info Online Update                                    |
|  |
| Add Device/PLC Delete Device/PLC                             |
| Device/PLC1  |
| Maker  |
| Port Type Set Port Max Text Mode 1                           |
|  |
| Device Name Device Configuration                             |
|  |
|  |
|  |
| System Area System Area System Area                          |
|  |
| Register Cancel  |

| Setting item | Setting content  |  |
|--------------|--|--|
| Node Type    | <ul> <li>"LT3000" is selected.</li> <li>NOTE</li> <li>When the node type except GP3000 Series/WinGP is changed, the following dialog box appears.</li> <li>Change Node Type Change the node type. Is that OK?</li> <li>Change the lype No</li> <li>Clicking the [Yes] button deletes the set information of the Device/PLC and of symbol variables.</li> </ul> |  |

| Setting item                                | Setting content  |  |
|---|--|--|
| Node Name                                   | <ul> <li>Enter the node name to be registered.</li> <li>Example) AGP_1</li> <li>NOTE</li> <li>Restrictions on a node name are as follows: <ul> <li>Must be entered at maximum 32 Unicode characters.</li> <li>Cannot begin with a number.</li> <li>Is distinguished between uppercase and lowercase letters.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>  |  |
| IP Address                                  | Enter the IP address of the entry node.  |  |
| Link between Device<br>Info and Symbol Info | Import the Device/PLC information or symbol variable information from a screen project file (*.PRX).           NOTE           • Import of data saves the effort of inputting the same data to 'Pro-Studio EX'.   |  |
| Project File                                | Select a screen project file in a folder on the PC.  |  |
| Browse                                      | The "Open" screen appears.<br>Select the screen project file you wish to use on this screen.   |  |
| Auto Update                                 | Select the screen project file you wish to use on this screen.         The screen project file that has been imported is automatically updated if there is any change to it.         The following dialog box appears to indicate updating occurrence, if any.         Automatic Update of Device/PLC Info/Symbol Info         Image: Automatic Update Info |  |
| Read Info Online                            | Select this to import the Device/PLC information or symbol variable information in the screen project file that has been transferred online from LT3000 which is registered as a entry node.   |  |
| Update                                      | Read the data of a screen project file online.   |  |

| Setting item         | Setting content  |  |  |
|----------------------|--|--|--|
|                      | Add Device/PLCs.<br>You can add Device/PLCs up to 4 drivers. Added Device/PLCs are displayed in each tab.  |  |  |
| Add Device/PLC       | Device/PLC 1<br>Maker Mitsubishi Electric Cc Device Type A Series CPU Direct<br>Port Type COM Set Port Max 1 Text Mode 2<br>Delete<br>Device Name Device Configuration<br>PLC1 Series=AnA Series   |  |  |
|                      | System Area PLC1 System Area D0000   |  |  |
|                      | <ul><li>• Only one Device/PLC can be connected to one LT3000 node.</li></ul>   |  |  |
| Delete Device/PLC    | Delete the Device/PLC currently displayed.<br>The message "Delete xxx (Device/PLC name). Continue?" appears. Click the [Yes] button<br>to delete it.   |  |  |
| Maker                | Select the name of the manufacturer of Device/PLC.   |  |  |
| Device Type          | Select the type of Device/PLC.   |  |  |
| Port Type            | Select the type of port that connects LT3000 and Device/PLC.   |  |  |
| Set Port             | Set the details of communication.<br>For further information, please refer to "Communication Setup" for the corresponding<br>manufacturer in 'GP-Pro EX Device/PLC Connection Manual'.   |  |  |
| Max.                 | Displays the maximum number of Device/PLCs that can be connected.           NOTE           • No change can be made.  |  |  |
| Text Mode            | Specify the text mode of Device/PLC.<br>Refer to "■ Text Mode" for more details.   |  |  |
|                      | <ul><li>Enter the name of Device/PLC which is connected. Restrictions on its name are as follows:</li><li>Must be entered at maximum 32 Unicode characters.</li><li>Cannot begin with a number.</li></ul>  |  |  |
| Device Name          | <ul> <li>NOTE</li> <li>As for the Device/PLC data, please confirm the contents set on 'GP-Pro EX', and specify the set items to meet such contents. If there is inconsistency in the set contents like the device name, communication is not established.</li> </ul> |  |  |
|                      | Set up the Device/PLC.   |  |  |
| Device Configuration | NOTE<br>• The set contents may vary according to the Device/PLC. For further information, please<br>refer to "Communication Setup" for the corresponding manufacturer in 'GP-Pro EX<br>Device/PLC Connection Manual'.  |  |  |

| Setting item                | Setting content   |
|-----------------------------|---|
| System Area Device          | <ul> <li>Select the Device/PLC where the system area is assigned.</li> <li>NOTE</li> <li>By default, displays the device name set in [System Area Device] on the "System Area Setting" screen (accessible from [Main Unit Setting] on "System setup window" in 'GP-Pro EX').</li> <li>'GP-Pro EX Reference Manual'</li> </ul>   |
| System Area Start<br>Device | <ul> <li>Enter the device address where system area is assigned. Enter the address directly or click the Calculator icon to enter it on the device address input screen.</li> <li>NOTE</li> <li>By default, displays the device set in [System Data Area] on the "System Area Setting" screen (accessible from [Main Unit Setting] on "System setup window" in 'GP-Pro EX').</li> <li>'GP-Pro EX Reference Manual'</li> </ul> |
| Register                    | An entry node is registered with the set contents.  |

## 31.5.5 GP Series Node

This section explains the settings on the screen displayed on the conditions below:

- 1) When you select "GP Series" from the node list and click the [Add Node]; or
- 2) When you click a node name from the node list.

| Add Node                                   |             |                     | ×             |
|--|-------------|---------------------|---------------|
| Node Type                                  |             |                     |               |
| C Pro-Server EX C GP3000 Series C W        | ínGP CLT    | 3000 💿              | GP Series     |
|  | lin         |                     |               |
| Node Name                                  | IP Address  | Subnet Mask         | Gateway       |
| GP1  | 192,168,0,1 |                     |               |
| 🔲 Link between Device Info and Symbol Info |             |                     |               |
| Project File                               |             | Browse              | 🗖 Auto Update |
|  |             |                     |               |
|  |             |                     |               |
|  |             |                     |               |
| Device Type                                |             | ▼ Text Mode         | e 1 🕂         |
|  | Correct Ir  | consecutive Address | ses -1 🛫      |
|  |             |                     |               |
|  |             |                     |               |
|  |             |                     |               |
|  |             |                     |               |
|  |             |                     |               |
|  |             |                     |               |
|  |             |                     |               |
|  |             |                     |               |
|  |             |                     |               |
|  |             | Register            | Cancel        |

| Setting item | Setting content   |  |
|--------------|---|--|
| Node Type    | <ul> <li>"GP Series" is selected.</li> <li>NOTE</li> <li>When the node type is changed, the following dialog box appears.</li> <li>Change Node Type Change the node type. Is that OK?</li> <li>Use Variables is the set information of the Device/PLC and of symbol variables.</li> </ul> |  |

| Setting item                                | Setting content  |  |
|---|--|--|
|   | Enter the node name to be registered.<br>Example) GP_1   |  |
| Node Name                                   | <ul> <li>NOTE</li> <li>Restrictions on a node name are as follows: <ul> <li>Must be entered at maximum 32 Unicode characters.</li> <li>Cannot begin with a number.</li> <li>Is distinguished between uppercase and lowercase letters, hiragana and katakana.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>  |  |
| IP Address                                  | Enter the IP address of the entry node.  |  |
| Subnet Mask                                 | Enter the subnet mask value of the network on which the node is connected.   |  |
| Gateway                                     | Enter the IP address of the gateway when accessing the node via the gateway.   |  |
| Link between Device<br>Info and Symbol Info | <ul> <li>Import the Device/PLC information or symbol variable information from a screen project file (*.PRX).</li> <li>NOTE</li> <li>Import of data saves the effort of inputting the same data to Pro-Studio EX'.</li> <li>When Auto Update is not checked, a screen project file (*.PRX) needs to be updated manually after editing. Specify the edited file and click the [More] button to import the data again.</li> </ul>  |  |
| Screen Project File                         | Select a screen project file in a folder on the PC.  |  |
| Browse                                      | The "Open File" screen appears.<br>Select the screen project file you wish to use on this screen.  |  |
| Auto Update                                 | The screen project file that has been imported is automatically updated if there is any change to it. The following dialog box appears to indicate updating occurrence, if any.          Automatic Update of Device/PLC Info/Symbol Info         Image to it. The following dialog box appears to indicate updating occurrence, if any.         Automatic Update of Device/PLC Info/Symbol Info         Image to it. The following dialog box appears to indicate updated. Automatically import it?         Image to it. The following messages also appear indicating the link status.         Click the [Yes] button when you want to import the updated data.         The following messages also appear indicating the link status.         • When Auto Update has been successful:         "The link has been updated. The latest link date: yyyy/mm/dd hh:mm:ss"         • When a link error has occurred:         "Failed to update. The latest link date: yyyy/mm/dd hh:mm:ss"         • When [Cancel] has been selected in the Update dialog box:         "Canceled to update. The latest link date: yyyy/mm/dd hh:mm:ss" |  |
| Device Type                                 | Select the type of Device/PLC.   |  |
| Text Mode                                   | Specify the text mode of Device/PLC.<br>Refer to "■ Text Mode" for more details.   |  |

| Setting item                                | Setting content  |  |
|---|--|--|
| Correction of<br>Inconsecutive<br>Addresses | Specify the data number of protocol communication to be optimized.<br>In the case of "-1", the maximum data number supported by the protocol is adopted and optimization is executed.<br>In the case of "0", optimization is not performed. Address spaces having 1-address space between each other are regarded as non-sequential. Please use it under the circumstance that holds a device which causes trouble when accessed.<br>NOTE<br>• Enter the number in the range of -1 to 255. |  |
| Register                                    | An entry node is registered with the set contents.   |  |

### Text Mode

The order of the characters in a string can vary according to the manufacturer of Device/PLC.

Please check the Device/PLC you are using, and select the storage order of the characters in a string from the following table to set the text mode.

- (I) Device storage order of data
- (II) Byte LH/HL storage order in Word
- (III) Word LH/HL storage order in Double-Word

If the text mode of the GP display does not conform to that of 'Pro-Server EX', the read strings consequently differ and cannot be handled as character strings.
 Please set the text mode of the GP in the character string data mode on the "Device/PLC Setting" screen (accessible from [System Setup Window] in 'GP-Pro EX').

| (I) Device storage order<br>of data | (II) Byte LH/HL storage<br>order in Word | (III) Word LH/HL storage<br>order in Double-Word | Text mode |
|-------------------------------------|--|--|-----------|
| Store from the front data           | LH                                       | LH   | 4         |
|                                     |  | HL   | 2         |
|                                     | HL                                       | LH   | 5         |
|                                     |  | HL   | 1         |
| Store from the end data             | LH                                       | LH   | 6         |
|                                     |  | HL   | 7         |
|                                     | HL                                       | LH   | 8         |
|                                     | nL                                       | HL   | 3         |

List of Text Mode

Example) When the character string is "ABCDEFGHIJ", the following patterns are available.

Character string A B C D E F G H I J AB CD EF GH IJ ...... Text mode 4 BA DC FE HG JI ..... Text mode 2 CD AB GH EF IJ ..... Text mode 5 DC BA HG FE JI ..... Text mode 1 IJ GH EF CD AB ...... Text mode 6 JI HG FE DC BA ...... Text mode 7 GH IJ CD EF AB ...... Text mode 8 HG JI DC FE BA ...... Text mode 3

# 31.6 Restrictions

- Note on importing the symbol information from a screen project file, or the GP, to which a screen project file has been transferred
  - When you import a screen project file of 'GP-Pro EX' or 'GP-PRO/PBIII for Windows', the data type of word symbol is "Unknown". Please set the data type on 'Pro-Studio EX' again.
  - When specifying "Unknown" one more time, you cannot set the bit type.
  - The real variable R\_xxxx cannot be imported.
  - You cannot import if the character string of the device address exceeds 255.
- Notes on importing a variable created with a logic program
  - When you import a variable created with a logic program, you cannot edit the symbol sheet including the imported contents.

To edit them, copy the imported contents on the symbol sheet to another symbol sheet. You can edit the contents on the symbol sheet copied once.

- A timer variable, counter variable, date variable, time variable and PID variable are imported as a group.
- For an alignment variable, the number of alignment elements is replaced with the number of data.
- Maximum number of alignment elements is 4096. If it exceeds the number of symbol data specified by 'Pro-Server EX', symbols are divided and registered on a symbol sheet.

Variable categories and the maximum number of data that can be handled in 'Pro-Server EX' are follows:

| Variable category    | Maximum number of data |
|----------------------|------------------------|
| Bit variables        | 255                    |
| Integer<br>variables | 510                    |
| Float variables      | 510                    |

Example) When importing the integer valuable "Pump" including 2000 elements

| First symbol  | Pump           |
|---------------|----------------|
| Second symbol | Pump_510_1019  |
| Third symbol  | Pump_1020_1539 |
| Fourth symbol | Pump_1540_1999 |

#### Notes on importing

- All the preset Device/PLC information, symbol variable information and symbol variable information for searching the node are deleted, and replaced with the imported information.
- If you import a file with global constants settings, all the preset global constants are deleted, and replaced with the imported global constants.

### Notes on "Link between Device Info and Symbol Info"

Note that:

Under "Link between Device Info and Symbol Info" in the Node Settings, device and symbol information cannot be imported from a screen project file in the following cases:

- If a PRX file is set under the Device/PLC name that starts from the numeral value in 'GP-Pro EX'
- If a PRX file as mentioned above has been transferred to the GP

Please change the PRX file name using a Device/PLC name that starts from something other than the numeral value in 'GP-Pro EX'.