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About GammaCompMD QA Client

GammaCompMD QA is a Display Maintenance and Quality Assurance system specifically developed to maintain Diagnostic Imaging Displays in a Medical Environment and ensure compliance with *Digital Imaging and Communications in Medicine Grayscale Standard Display Function (DICOM GSDF)*.

GammaCompMD QA Client is the part of this system which is installed and used on workstations with NEC diagnostic imaging displays and review display in PACS environments. **GammaCompMD QA Client** can be used stand-alone as well as in a networked Display Maintenance and Quality Assurance environment and allows a user to:

- ➤ Check display status current luminance, active backlight hours and remaining backlight lifetime, display temperature and other hardware status information
- ➤ Check PACS display information serial number and asset ID, DICOM conformance and historical status data of the connected displays
- Perform conformance check and re-calibration to DICOM
- Check luminance uniformity across the display surface
- Match pairs of displays Luminance and Color matching to other displays in the field
- Copy display performance settings from one display to another
- ➤ Automate maintenance schedule calibrations and conformance tests
- ➤ Generate reports of QC tests performed following AAPM TG18, ACR AAPM SIIM, DIN 6868-57 and JESRA X-0093 guidelines

Different user levels

GammaCompMD QA Client features an intuitive user interface with three different customizable user levels. The **Advanced** user level contains access to the complete menu and configuration structure, and is aimed at expert users, PACS administrators and Service Providers. A second **Technician** user level has slightly restricted menu options, which are suited to medical physicists and radiographers who need to carry out conformance checks and QA tests. The final **Radiologist** user level is aimed at Radiologists with visual tests, to confirm the DICOM compliance of the display quickly.

Automated Procedures

Users of **GammaCompMD QA Client** appreciate the high level of automated procedures. While the **Auto Mode** for a simplified calibration routine and **Scheduled Tests** ensure a more productive work process, automated data backup increases data safety and QA peace of mind.

Full network capability

With various supported network protocols, NEC displays can be easily integrated and configured into a PACS network infrastructure. The GammaCompMD QA network system performs network communication between **GammaCompMD QA Server** and associated **GammaCompMD QA Client** workstations. These workstations can be either diagnostic imaging workstations or client clinical referral workstations as part of a PACS system.

The GammaCompMD QA network system uses a low bandwidth TCP/ IP socket protocol for communication between Client workstations (maximum 1000) and the Server for display status information, remotely initiated calibrations and conformance tests and central retrieval of calibration and QA test results.

The control center of the GammaCompMD QA Server is HTTP web browser based and therefore the server can be managed from any workplace within the LAN environment on the same site. VPN concepts may be used to manage a network over several physical sites, as long as routing schemes as well as Network Security policies allow the communication.

The following drawing shows the structure of the **GammaCompMD QA Client** software, when installed on a workstation.

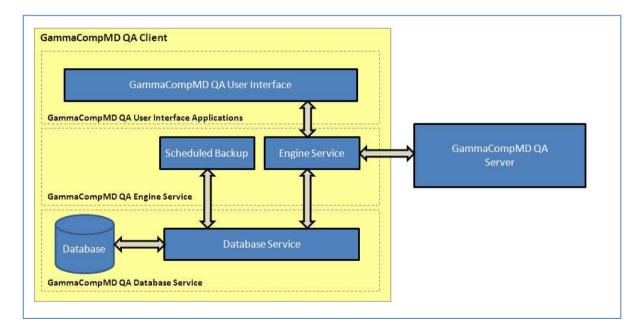


Figure 1: GammaCompMD QA Client software structure

GammaCompMD QA Client consists of several Graphical User Interface (GUI) **Applications** and several **System Services** running in the background, even when no user is logged in.

The **Applications** are called up from a taskbar icon, where a user - depending on user level - checks display status, does calibrations, conformance tests, QA tests or visual tests.

The three most important **System Services** are:

The QAEngine Service

Communicating with the connected displays and sensors, the **Applications**, the **Database Service** and - when connected - with the **GammaCompMD QA Server**.

The Database Service

Controlling a local database system to save all events and results and communicating with the **Applications** via the **QAEngine Service.**

The Scheduled Backup Service

Taking care of automated backups of the database contents, when enabled and maintained active schedules. During installation of **GammaCompMD QA**, a **GCMDQABackupUser** account is created to manage the background operation of this service.

The communication of these system services with the **Applications** and the **GammaCompMD QA Server** is managed using different IP addresses and different TCP Port addresses. **Therefore it is crucial** for successful installation and operation of **GammaCompMD QA Client** that these addresses are not blocked, firewalled or run in conflict with other applications on the workstation. **GammaCompMD QA Client** is installed with the following IP addresses and TCP Port addresses (numbers) by default:

- **System Service** (including QAEngine service and Backup service):

- IP: Localhost, TCP Port: 53250

Database Service:

IP: Localhost, TCP Port: 5432

If required, these TCP Port addresses may be modified later with the **7.7.1.2 Reinitialize System Configuration** (page 108) menu.

NOTE: An additional Event Logger system service will be used to communicate with the **GammaCompMD QA Server**, using the server's target IP address and HTTPS protocol with default TCP Port address: 443. This service however is not enabled during Installation. See **7.7.1.2 Reinitialize System Configuration** (page 108) to configure the server connection.

1. System Environment

1.1. Before you start

This manual contains instructions for using GammaCompMD QA Client software.

GammaCompMD QA Client is designed to run in the following operating environment.

Please check the system environment before installing **GammaCompMD QA Client** software.

1.2. Operating System Environment

- Windows XP professional SP2 or later, 32/64bit (32-bit compatibility mode)
 Japanese/English/German/French/Spanish/Italian
- Windows 7 professional SP1 or later, 32/64bit (32-bit compatibility mode)
 Japanese/English/German/French/Spanish/Italian
- Windows 8 / 8.1 professional , 32/64bit (32-bit compatibility mode)
 Japanese/English/German/French/Spanish/Italian
- An IPv4 / IPv6 based network

1.3. Workstation Hardware

CPU Minimum: Pentium 4, 1.6 GHz

Recommended: Core2Duo, 2.1 GHz or greater

HDD 300MB+ of free space

Memory Minimum: 512MB

Recommended: 1GB or greater

LAN Minimum: 100 Mbps

Recommended: 1000 Mbps or above

1.4. Display Sensors

Front Sensors: MD212MC, MD213MC, MD211C2, MD211C3, MD210C2, MD213MG, MD215MG, MD211G3, MD242C2, MD211G5, MD302C4, MD302C6, MD212G3, MD210C3

Retractable Sensor: MD-N2M5B

1.5. External Sensors

- MDSVSENSOR3 by NEC (USB)
- i1 Display version 2 by X-Rite (GretagMacbeth) (USB)
- Chroma 5 Colorimeter by X-Rite (USB)
- i1Display Pro by X-Rite (USB)
- ColorMunki by X-Rite (USB)

- i1Pro by X-Rite (USB)
- Spyder3 by Colorvision (USB)
- Konica Minolta CA-210 (RS-232C/USB)

IBA LXplus (RS-232C) - Color measurement not supported
 Unfors Luxi (RS-232C) - Color measurement not supported
 IBA LXcan(USB) - Color measurement not supported

IBA LXchroma(USB)

1.6. Pre-requisite Software

- Adobe Reader (Version 7.0 or later) To display the Help file
- An internet browser To read exported QA Test HTML files and to use the QAXRAY function (i.e. Internet Explorer 7 or later, Firefox 6 or later).

1.7. Supported Display Models

GammaCompMD QA Client supports the following display models

Supported Display Models		
NEC MultiSync 90 Series	LCD1990SXi	
	LCD1990SX	
	LCD2090UXi	
	LCD2190UXi	
	LCD2190UXp	
	LCD2190UXi	
	LCD2490WUXi	
	LCD2490WUXi2	
	LCD2690WUXi	
	LCD2690WUXi2	
	LCD3090WQXi	
	LCD1990SXp	
NEC MD Series (Grayscale)	MD21GS-2MP	
	MD21GS-3MP	
	MD205MG	
	MD205MG-1	
NEC MD Series (Display	MD213MG	
Sensor Model / Grayscale)	MD215MG (USB cable required)	
	MD211G3	
	MD211G5 (USB cable required)	
	MD212G3 (USB cable required)	

NEC MD Series (Color)	MD21M
	MD304MC
	MD301C4
	MD322C8
NEC MD Series (Display	MD212MC
Sensor Model / Color)	MD213MC
	MD211C2
	MD211C3
	MD242C2
	MD210C2
	MD302C4
	MD302C6 (USB cable required)
	MD210C3
NEC EA Series	EA244WMi
	EA294WMi
	EA234WMi
	EA193Mi
	EA224WMi
	EA273WMi
	EA274WMi
	EA244UHD
	EA304WMi
NEC MultiSync PA Series	PA231W
	PA241W
	PA271W
	PA301W
	PA242W
	PA272W
	PA302W
	PA322UHD
NEC MultiSync P Series	P241W
	P232W
	P242W
NEC large format models	Multeos M40
	Multeos M46

Gamma correction only,	Multeos LCD M461
manual adjustment of	LCD 4020
luminance is required	LCD 4620
	LCD 5220
	LCD 6520L
	LCD 6520P
	LCD X461UN
	LCD X461HB
	LCD P401
	LCD P461
	LCD S401
	LCD S461
	LCD S521
	LCD P521
	LCD P402 *Using DVI connection only
	LCD P462 *Using DVI connection only
	X841UHD

2. Checking System Dependencies

2.1. External Sensors

External sensor drivers are included with the GammaCompMD QA Client. Please install GammaCompMD QA Client before connecting external sensors to the system. If multiple external sensors are connected simultaneously, they will not be correctly identified. Please connect only one external sensor.

2.2. Attaching MD-N2M5B Sensors and External Sensors

The NEC MD-N2M5B external sensor can be used to perform automated calibrations on some display models. Some MD-N2M5B sensors and external sensors cannot be stopped by the operating system (the **[Safely Remove Hardware]** icon is not shown in the taskbar). To remove a sensor that does not have this icon, only remove it after checking that the sensor is not in use. It is recommended that the sensor be removed after stopping the GammaCompMD QA Client.

2.3. Updating GammaCompMD QA Client with MD-N2M5B sensor(s)

If updating from GammaCompMD QA Client Version 4.0.10, the settings of MD-N2M5B sensor will be discarded. Set it up again after upgrading. For more information about sensor settings, refer to **7.2.6 Sensor Setup** (page 77).

2.4. Using the CA-210 Color Analyzer

If connecting with serial communication, set the baud rate for the sensor unit to 9600bps. The sensor will not be detected if it is set at another baud rate. Settings are not necessary when connecting with USB communications. Also, special modes set at the CA-210 (MEAS or 0-CAL) will not be recognized by GammaCompMD QA Client. Please follow the instructions displayed at the start of calibration and startup to properly set the mode. You cannot use a CA-210 which supports two or more measuring probes. Only one probe connection is supported. Please refer to detailed instructions how to use this instrument in the CA-210 user manual.

2.5. Using the IBA LXplus instrument

For ambient light measurement, the optional needs to be attached to the LXplus instrument. Please turn the LXplus power to OFF when attaching / detaching the Lux sensor. At this time, be careful to not pull out the USB cable when performing USB communications with a USB - serial conversion adapter. Please refer to detailed instructions how to use this instrument in the LXplus user manual.

2.6. Using the IBA LXcan or LXchroma instrument

For ambient light measurement, the optional needs to be attached to the LXcan or LXchroma instrument. Please turn the LXcan or LXchroma power to OFF when attaching / detaching the Lux sensor. Please refer to detailed instructions how to use this instrument in the LXcan or LXchroma user manual.

The screen contact mask is needed for measuring directly on screens.

The distance mode requires a distance of about 50 cm for measuring, an ultrasound range finder is integrated in the LXcan or LXchroma. On the display, the distance is shown as an arrow indicating in which direction the device must be moved to reach the right measurement distance.

2.7. Using the Unfors Luxi instrument

It must be equipped with a light detector at the time of calibration and measurement with Luxi. Please turn the sensor's power OFF when attaching / detaching the Light Detector. Be careful to not pull out the USB cable when performing USB communications with a USB - serial conversion cable.

NOTE: Only Luxi instruments equipped with firmware version 5.05 or later are supported by GammaCompMD QA Client software. Please refer to detailed instructions in the Luxi User Manual.

2.8. Using the Windows Power Management Option

When the power management option is used in Windows XP (or when the Microsoft "Windows PC Automatic Energy-Saving Program" is used), an external sensor may not be recognized after the system returns from standby or sleep mode. If a sensor is not recognized, remove it, reconnect it, and check that the external sensor automatic detection and calibration are working normally.

2.9. Using PIP Disabled Displays

With a PIP MODE unsupported display, GammaCompMD QA Client cannot be used when the display is connected to multiple inputs (e.g. DVI input) through cables. Please make sure that only one input is connected to the display before using GammaCompMD QA Client. Also, please perform re-initialization of the display configuration when you reconnect display cables to change connection.

2.10. Calibration, Test, Level Measurements, and QA Testing

Do not turn off power, enter the power management manually (from OS side), unplug cables, or remove external sensors' USB cables during calibration, conformance test, uniformity test, white/black level measurements or QA tests, as doing so will have a negative effect on accuracy. If re-initialization is necessary, follow the instructions in **7.7.1.1 Re-initialization Display Configuration** (page 105).

2.11. Lost Password

User passwords must be set by a user with (local) administrator rights.

GammaCompMD QA will need to be reinstalled if the **Advanced User** password is lost.

2.12. Using NEC MD215MG

When using the MD215MG model, some additional action is required to support this model within GammaCompMD QA Client, including connecting a USB cable from the computer to the monitor. Please refer to **13 MD215MG EDID Serial Number Update Tool** (page 167).

2.13. Using NEC MD211G5

When using the MD211G5 model, connecting a USB cable from the computer to the monitor is required.

2.14. Using NEC MD302C6

- ➤ When using the MD302C6 model, connecting a USB cable from the computer to the monitor is required.
- When you use external sensor, use a color sensor.
- ➤ If a signal cable is changed after installation or calibration, please execute re-initialization of the display configuration and execute re-calibration. Regarding how to operate, refer to 7.7.1.1 Re-initialization Display Configuration (page 105) and 7.2 Calibration(page 57).
- ➤ If an external sensor was used for the calibration, a brightness becomes slightly lower than the target.
 - ♦ Environment which this phenomenon produces:
 - OS: Windows7 or later
 - Graphics Card: The graphics card in which a Display Port 10bit output is possible.

2.15. Using NEC X841UHD

- ➤ If GCMDQA has not recognized X841UHD model, check the followings by the OSD menu.
 - SPECTRAVIEW ENGINE is' ON'.
 - DDC/CI is 'ENABLE'.

(Refer to the display's documentation for details.)

2.16. Using NEC MD212G3

When using the MD212G3 model, connecting a USB cable from the computer to the monitor is required.

2.17. Using M-Series Display Controllers from Matrox

When using M-Series display controllers from Matrox while the system is logged off, any scheduled executions will not function. Also, when logging on to Windows after it was once logged off, there can be a case where the displays are not correctly recognized by GammaCompMD QA Client. In this case, please execute re-initialization of the display configuration. Regarding how to operate, refer to **7.7.1.1 Re-initialization Display Configuration** (page 105).

2.18. ECO mode, Auto brightness, and Human sensing function

Please turn off the above functions manually before the calibration. (Refer to the display's documentation for details.)

2.19. Using Windows 8 / 8.1

- If you will upgrade to Windows 8 / 8.1 from Windows 7 in which GammaCompMD QA was installed, GammaCompMD QA has not guaranteed subsequent operation. For this case following operation is recommend.
- (1) Backup data before upgrade to Windows 8 / 8.1. Refer to **3.6 Database Backup** (page 34).
- (2) Uninstall GammaCompMD QA.
- (3) Upgrade to Windows 8 / 8.1.
- (4) Re-Install GammaCompMD QA.
- (5) Restore Backup data. Refer to **7.7.1.2 Reinitialize System Configuration** (page 108). If there is no Backup data, perform step (2), (3) and (4).
- GammaCompMD QA Client performs as Desktop Application.
 If Start Screen (Figure 2) and/or Modern UI Application is showing, the execution of

network and/or schedule test are suspended. You need to close Start Screen or Modern UI Application. If Desktop is shown, the execution of network and/or schedule tests starts.

While the schedule test and/or the execution of network performs, a Main Screen can't be started. If you need to operate a Main Screen, complete, cancel or postpone the execution of network and/or the schedule test before operating a Main Screen.



Figure 2: Start Screen of Windows 8 / 8.1

- Do not change to a start screen and modern UI application during execution of GammaCompMD QA Client.
- Do not show the charm bar during execution of GammaCompMD QA Client.
- Launch GammaCompMD QA Client after canceling a snap view.
- LXcan and LXchroma are not supported on Windows8.1.
- When using MD215MG,MD211G5,MD212G3 or MD302C6 on Windows8.1, it may cause GammaCompMD QA Client to malfunction. In that case, disable USB Selective Suspend.

2.20. Common Dialog Box Conventions

GammaCompMD QA Client displays separate dialog boxes for each its features. The following describes the function of buttons and checkboxes in the dialog boxes.

Dialog boxes with only an OK button

Clicking **OK** closes the dialog box. When displaying a dialog box with display selection buttons again, the previous selections are cleared. Make the selections again.

Dialog boxes with OK and Cancel buttons

Clicking **OK** performs the intended action (enables setting / start calibration / view report). Clicking **Cancel** closes dialog box without applying any changes.

Dialog boxes with OK, Cancel, and Apply buttons

Clicking **OK** enables settings and closes the dialog box. Clicking **Cancel** cancels changes and closes the dialog box. However, the settings that were applied by clicking the

Apply button will not be changed back. Clicking **Apply** applies settings but does not close the dialog box.

Dialog boxes with OK and View buttons

Clicking **OK** closes the dialog box. Clicking **View** will cause all changes to be lost in dialog boxes with checkboxes. Clicking **View** will show the test pattern.

Checkboxes

Select All/Deselect All Checkboxes

Checking these will check all available items in dialog box.

Un-checking this will deselect all available items in the dialog box.

NOTE: When the checkbox is in a tab such as in **7.7.1.5** Alert Setup (page 117), it affects only those checkboxes in the currently selected tab.

Windows Commands, Menus and Messages

All instructions and menu references related to the Windows operating system are shown within brackets.

Example: Select the [General] tab on the [Windows Firewall] screen.

2.21. Using PIP Enabled Displays

PIP MODE supported display models are able to display more than one inputs on one screen at the same time (refer to the display's user manual for details).

A GammaCompMD QA client is performed where two or more inputs are displayed on one screen. Set up according to the correct example of a setting.

Correct example

Screen order in Windows setting view and actual display screen should be the same.

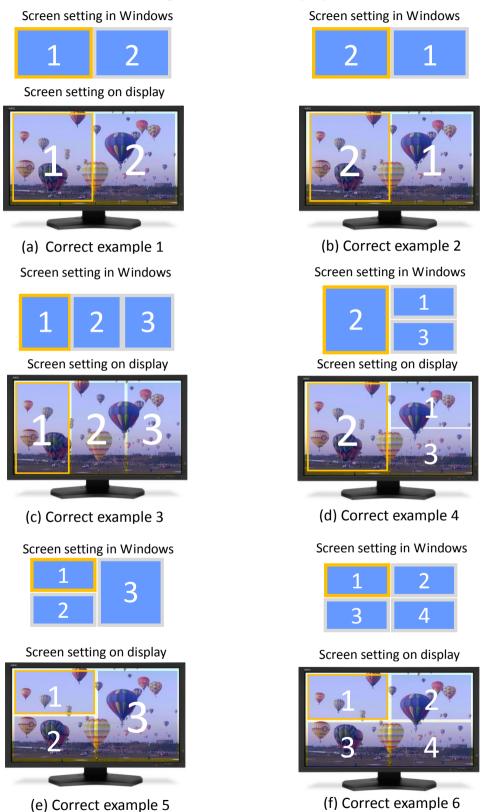


Figure 3: Example of correct display setting when using PIP MODE

When you perform the Calibration, Level Measurement or QA Test, PIP MODE will be turned off automatically. For this case, you can setup the correct input by the following instruction.

- 1. Turn OFF "PIP MODE"
- 2. For case (a), (c), (e) and (f), you have to see #1 image otherwise some changes are required. For case (b) and (d), you have to change some setting so as to see #2 image as well.
- 3. Turn ON "PIP MODE (PbP) (hereinafter referred to as PbP)" and reconfirm the screen order.
- 4. Refer to the display's documentation for PIP MODE. The identify of the display on Windows can be changed by settings of screen resolution. Perform procedure 1 to 3 if you changed settings.
- Incorrect example(If you changed the settings on the SWAP function)

 Screen order in Windows setting view and actual display screen are the mismatch.

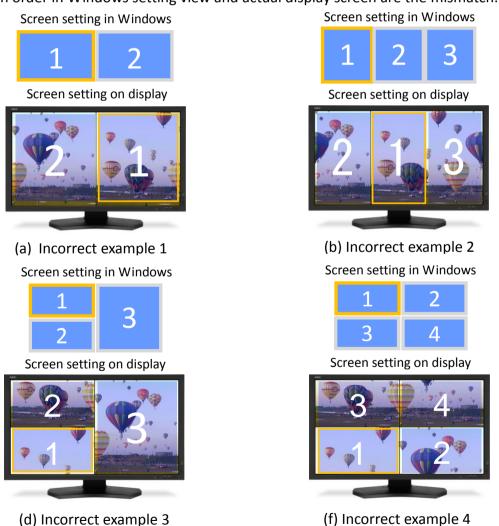


Figure 4: Example of incorrect display setting when using PIP MODE

If the main screen setting is correctly done, **Sensor Contact Position Guide**(**Figure 57**) will be shown before calibration or taking other measurements starts. If QA Test starts, the following message (**Figure 5**) will be shown before calibration or taking other measurements starts.

When the circle and the rectangle are displayed correctly related to the center of screen, the user is allowed to continue the operation.

If the circle and the rectangle are displayed incorrectly, click the cancel button. In this case, execute **7.7.1.1 Re-initialization Display Configuration** (page 105) after setting according to the correct example.

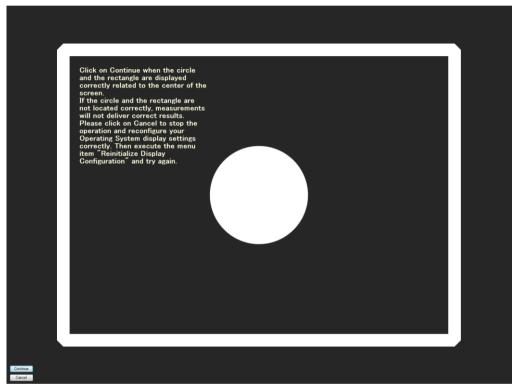


Figure 5: Continue Operation dialog

When the main screen setting is not correctly done, the following message (Figure 6) may be shown. In this case, please check and redo the setting.



Figure 6: Abort Operation dialog

WARNING:

- •Unlike other sensors, retractable sensor executes calibration automatically when connected to the system. As long as PIP MODE main screen setting is correctly done, calibration will be completed properly without showing **Sensor Contact Position Guide** (**Figure 57**) or **Continue Operation dialog** (**Figure 5**). If the screen is not correctly set, calibration will end with an error. Please set correctly again for PIP MODE and re-execute calibration.
- If the buttons of **Sensor Contact Position Guide** (Figure 57) or **Continue Operation dialog** (Figure 5) are not shown, push the ESC key for cancelling the operation.
- •When displaying two or more inputs on one screen, it is necessary that both inputs are connected to the same video card. Display cannot be managed properly when each input is connected to a different video card.
- •When displaying two or more inputs on one screen, please connect the signal cables of same connector type (Display Port/DVI/HDMI) to the display.
- •Changing Windows display setting/video card/input after using GammaCompMD QA Client, may require redoing its setting. In such a case, please execute "Re-initialization of the Display Configuration".
- Executing QA Test with PIP MODE equipped displays will always show **Continue Operation dialog** (Figure 5) regardless of PIP MODE setting (ON/OFF). If the screen configuration is correct, press "Continue" to continue your operation.
- If using this function on a display with PIP MODE (PbP), you need to input the appropriate resolution on the screen to perform correctly the visual test. When you change the resolution manually, please return to the original settings after the visual test.
- When the display sensor (Front sensor model or Retractable sensor) is used, be sure to set the EXPANSION mode and PIP MODE to "FULL" in the OSD of the display.
- Please set up to the PIP MODE not "Picture in Picture" but "Picture by Picture".
- If the operation with the PIP MODE (PbP) goes wrong, connect PC with a display by USB.(Refer to the display's documentation for details.)
- If restoration of PIP MODE (PbP) takes time, connect PC with a display by USB.(Refer to the display's documentation for details.)
- •After the calibration, the value of BLACK LEVEL may return to the value before the calibration when PIP MODE (PbP) is set to OFF or ON. In this case, please set the value of BLACK LEVEL to 50.0% by the OSD menu.
- •In MD302C6, when two inputs of INPUT1+INPUT2 will be displayed, both inputs should be same type of connector, and set up the same resolution. Set up coordinates according to correct example.
- If the calibration with the PIP MODE(PbP) goes wrong, execute 7.7.1.1 Re-initialization

Display Configuration after setting PIP MODE to OFF. Execute calibration again after re-initialization.

- When displaying two or more inputs on one screen, please unify Picture Mode setting, Luminance setting, Contrast setting, and Black level setting by OSD menu. (Refer to the display's documentation for details.)
- •When upgrade installation was done while PIP MODE (PbP) has been in the state of ON, please execute **7.7.1.1 Re-initialization Display Configuration** (page 105).

3. Installation

Administrator privileges are required in order to install this software. If the user does not have administrator rights, a prompt will appear requesting an administrator's username and password. Follow the on-screen instructions to continue with the installation.

Selecting Only for me in Select Options dialog box (Figure 8) will set the input ID as the current user and a desktop shortcut will be created for the [Administrator] account.

Selecting the Anyone who uses this computer (all users) option will allow also [Standard User] accounts to run GammaCompMD QA Client.

External sensor drivers are included in the **GammaCompMD QA Client** package as described in **1.5 External Sensors** (page 10). Install GammaCompMD QA Client before connecting sensors to the computer. GammaCompMD QA Client can be installed by double clicking **setup.exe** from your **GammaCompMD QA Client** installation media or download package.

NOTE:

•GammaCompMD QA Version 5 cannot be installed on a system which has GammaCompMD Version 2, GammaCompMD QA Version 3, or SpectraView II installed as well. The installation will stop, notifying the user of the conflicting software.

Un-install these applications, as required.

You may re-install GammaCompMD QA Version 3 or SpectraView II to use them after GammaCompMD QA Client Version 5 has been installed.

Please do not use GammaCompMD QA Client Version 5, GammaCompMD QA Client Version 3 and SpectraView II concurrently, because connected displays may not be set up correctly, as these programs work with the same access method to control the displays, resulting in access conflicts.

3.1. Setup

NOTE: If GammaCompMD Version 2 or GammaCompMD QA Version 3 Client is still installed on the system, these need to be un-installed manually before this setup.

When installation begins, a **Choose Setup Language** (Figure 7) and then an **Options Selection** (Figure 8) dialog box will be displayed. Follow the instructions accordingly for any other dialog boxes that may appear. In addition, a Readme file is shown. After reading the contents, click on the x to exit.

Language Selection



Figure 7: Choose Setup Language dialog box

Select your language for the installation from the **Choose Setup Language** dialog box.

NOTE:

- If you select Japanese during installation in other than Japanese version of Windows XP, you need to insert "East Asian languages" in advance. Please set up "East Asian Languages" from the "Region and Language" in "Control Panel" before the installation.
- It is executed in the language that you selected during installation when you upgrade.

GammaCompMD QA Client - InstallShield Wizard Click Next to install to this folder, or click Change to install to a different folder Create shortcut in Start Menu Creation of shortcuts on desktop ▼ Create program group in Start Menu ☑ Display Maintenance Create shortcut in Startup folder Quality Assurance Show Test Pattern Start of System Service Automatically Manually with GammaCompMD QA QA Standard Setup To start the service, administrator privileges are required. AAPM TG18 (2005) O ACR AAPM SIIM (2012) Install this application DIN V 6868-57 Anyone who uses this computer (all users) JESRA X-0093 Only for me Install to folder: C:\Program Files (x86)\NECDS\QA_Client\ Change(C).. InstallShield < Back Next> Cancel

Options Selection

Figure 8: Options Selection dialog box

This box is available to select the following installation options.

- Creation of desktop shortcuts
 Display Maintenance / Quality Assurance / Show Test Pattern)
- QA Standard Setup
 (AAPM TG18 / ACR AAPM SIIM / DIN 6868-57 / JESRA X-0093)
- Create shortcut in Start Menu (Start Menu / Startup Menu)
- Start of System Service (Automatically / Manually)

NOTE: System Service refers to installed Windows System Services. These system services access the database, control the display and communicate with a **GammaCompMD QA Server**.

If Automatically is selected, these services are started at boot up time of the system and run

permanently in the background, even if no user is logged in.

If **Manually with GammaCompMDQA** is selected, these services must be manually started, using the following steps: Open **Display Maintenance** menu, then enter:

→ System Setup → Reinitialize System Configuration

Install this application

(Anyone who uses this computer (all users) / Only for me)

Install to folder:

By default, GammaCompMD QA will be installed in the following folder:

Windows 32-bit versions C:\[Program Files]\NECDS\QA_Client

Windows 64-bit versions C:\[Program Files(x86)]\NECDS\QA_Client

NOTE: In the following, this user manual refers to these folders as [Installation Folder].

EU Limited Edition:

If you are using GammaCompMD QA Client for EU, you can select QAXRAY at installation. (Figure 9). When you select QAXRAY, installation dialog box for QAXRAY will be displayed during the installation. Install QAXRAY according to the message of the dialog box. In addition, please note that it will be canceled also the installation of GammaCompMD QA Client when the installation of QAXRAY is canceled.

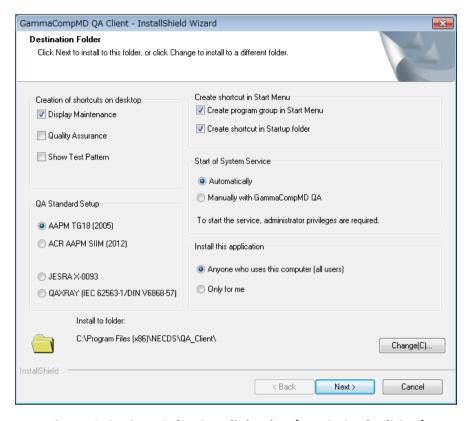


Figure 9:Options Selection dialog box(EU Limited Edition)

3.2. Installation of the internal database

During the installation process, GammaCompMD QA also installs a PostgreSQL database, as shown in Figure 10.

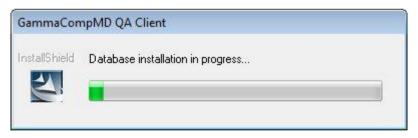


Figure 10: Database installation in progress...

This database is used to save all calibration actions, measurement data, QA tests and alerts, to build a history of the status of the connected display over time.

In addition, the database is used for providing actual and historical data, when the Client communicates with a **GammaCompMD QA Server** in a networked environment.

In case that a problem occurs during database installation or initialization, a message pops up with an error code. Below find a small list of error codes and a short description related to the installation/initialization of the **GammaCompMD QA Client** internal database during

installation.

Error Code	Description
8	Database connection error
13	Cancelled by another process
26	Database initialization error
33	Exceptional error in database

- GammaCompMD QA Client assumes that the user installing this application has full (local) administration rights.
- The database communicates with the main application and with other system services via IP address (127.0.0.1; localhost) and TCP port number: 5432.

To find the cause of an installation failure, please check (among other possible causes):

- Are there any limitations to the local administrator rights, or is an automatic creation of an account blocked, i.e. via Microsoft's advanced group policy management?
- Any TCP port conflicts with other applications, or any firewall port blocking?
- Does the system run another PostgreSQL or other database installation?

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3.3. Finishing the installation

A dialog box will appear indicating the installation has finished, **Installation Complete** dialog box (**Figure 11**) is displayed.

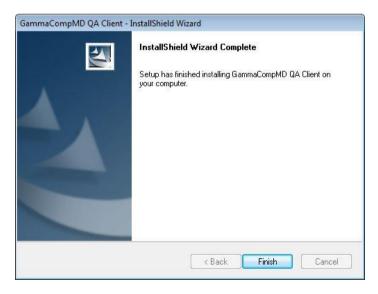


Figure 11: Installation Complete dialog box

3.4. Options to consider during installation

Backup User Account

GammaCompMD QA Client automatically creates the following account:

"GCMDQABackupUser"

account for backup features

[WARNING] Do not edit the account. It may cause GammaCompMD QA Client to malfunction.

Installation Location for Sensor Drivers

Sensor models, which are connected via USB and are not listed below, will use the standard USB driver included in the OS.

Sensor Model	Driver Install Location
ColorMunki	[Installation Folder]\drivers\ColorMunki
Chroma5	[Installation Folder]\drivers\GretagMacbeth
Spyder3	[Installation Folder]\drivers\Spyder3
Xrite i1 Series	[Installation Folder]\drivers\XriteEyeone
CA-210	[Installation Folder]\drivers\CA-210

Installation Confirmation Dialog for Sensor Drivers

The software installation confirmation dialog in Figure 12 may be displayed during the **GammaCompMD QA Client** installation. If this dialog is displayed, click on the Continue button.



Figure 12: Software Installation confirmation dialog

3.5. Un-installation

This application can be un-installed in two different ways:

Using the Windows Control Panel

Windows XP: [Start Menu] → [Control Panel] → [Add or Remove Programs] and

double-click on GammaCompMD QA Client to un-install.

Windows 7: [Start Menu] → [Control Panel] → [Category View] → [Uninstall a

program] and double-click on GammaCompMD QA Client to un-install.

Windows 8/8.1: The [windows key] and the [X key] are pressed simultaneously.

[Control Panel] → [Category View] → [Uninstall a program] and

double-click on GammaCompMD QA Client to un-install.

Using the GammaCompMD QA Installer

Double-click on **setup.exe** in your **GammaCompMD QA Client** Installer source (CD-ROM, DVD-ROM, stored locally or on a network drive.

3.6. Database Backup

Backup display information, calibration, and QA test results can be viewed by re-installing GammaCompMD QA Client and restoring from the backup, using the **7.7.1.2 Reinitialize System Configuration** (page 108) option.

During un-installation, a dialog box will be displayed, asking if existing QA data should be backed up, as shown in Figure 13.



Figure 13: Backup confirmation

Click **Yes** to create a backup. Click **No** to continue without making a backup. Backed up files are saved as follows:

Windows XP: C:\[Documents and Settings]\[ALL Users]\[Documents]
Windows 7 and windows 8 / 8.1: C:\[Users]\[Public]\[Documents]

NOTE:

> The backup filename is created in the following format:

[Computer Name] Year Month Day Hour Minute Second.gcmddat

Example: The filename for a backup made at 1:15:30 p.m. on September 1, 2011 under the computer name Medical would be: *MEDICAL20110901131530.gcmddat*.

Database restoration is only possible using the **same GammaCompMD QA Client** version which was used to create the backup. Restoration with a newer version leads to inconsistent data in the database. The restore operation with a newer version will actually be aborted.

An installation folder may not be deleted after un-installation. If necessary, you can delete it manually.

3.7. Version Updates

Older versions of GammaCompMD QA Client will be updated when installing a newer version. **Do not un-install the previously installed version of GammaCompMD QA before an update, if you want to keep history data.** All database content (history data) of the previous version will be converted (if required) and then read into the new version's database to keep all history data.

NOTE:

If you connected a NEC display that is not supported by GammaCompMD QA, it will be recognized as "StdDisplay". In that case, Initial target luminance will be set to 200cd/m2, and the grade of quality assurance test will be set to match to the target luminance. If this display is supported by future version of GammaCompMD QA and you Install it for update, a part of following configurations will be kept.

- Calibration configurations
- Alert configurations
- A grade of quality assurance test

Please check and re-configure them manually if required.

Refer to 15.2 Saved Settings for Upgrade(Page 176) for the saved settings by update installation.

4. Firewall Settings

An active firewall may block network communication between a **GammaCompMD QA Client** and a **GammaCompMD QA Server**, if a firewall is enabled.

4.1. Windows XP

Opening the Windows Firewall

Click [Start] on the task bar, then click [Control Panel] → [Windows Firewall]. The [Windows Firewall] screen is displayed.

Enabling the Firewall

Select the [General] tab on the [Windows Firewall] screen. The Windows Firewall general screen, as shown in Figure 14, is displayed. Select [ON] and do not check the [Do Not Allow Exceptions] box.



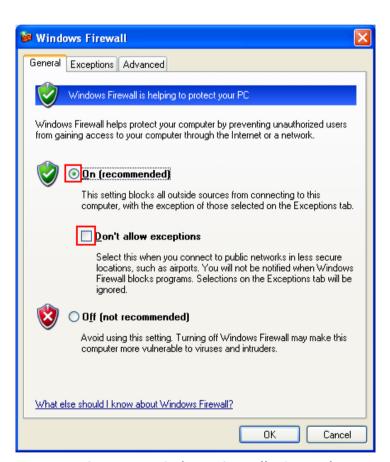


Figure 14: Windows Firewall - General

Setting Firewall Exceptions

Select the [Exceptions] tab on the [Windows Firewall] screen. The [Windows Firewall Exception Program List] menu, see Figure 17, is shown. If QAInitialize and QAEngineService have already been added to the Exception Program List, the following procedure is

unnecessary. If it has not yet been added, click [Add a Program].

The [Add a Program] menu, see Figure 15, is displayed. Click [Browse].

The [Browse] menu, see Figure 16, is displayed. Select the following applications in the installation folder and click [Open]. Set for every applications.

- [Installation Folder]\QAInitialize.exe (initialization of application)
- ➤ [Installation Folder]\ QAEngineService.exe (Service)

The screen returns to the [Windows Firewall Exception Program List] screen, see Figure 17. Verify that the tick box for QAInitialize and QAEngineService, which now has been added to the Exception List, are checked, and click [OK].

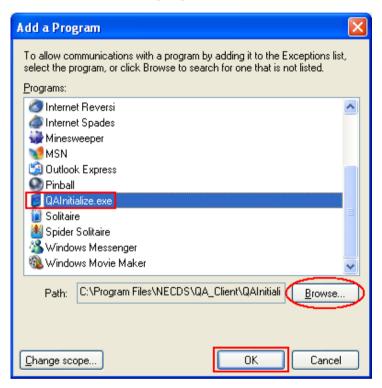


Figure 15: Add a Program

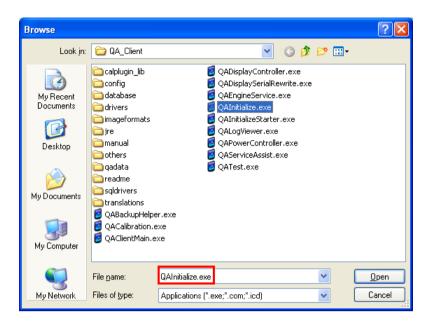


Figure 16: Browse programs to add

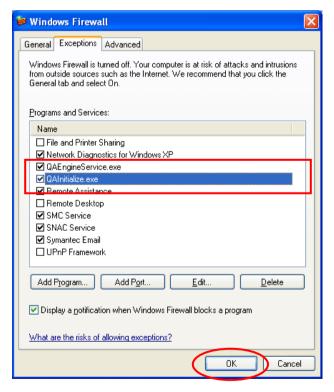


Figure 17: Windows Firewall - Exceptions program list

Setting Firewall Advanced

Select the [Advanced] tab on the [Windows Firewall] screen. The [Windows Firewall – Advanced], see Figure 18, is shown. Choose from a [Network Connection Settings] list the connection used for communication with a server, and click a [Settings...] button.

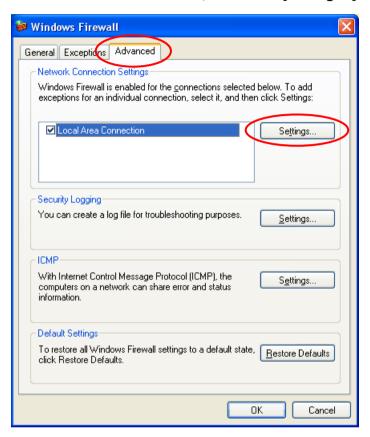


Figure 18 Windows Firewall – Advanced

Select the [ICMP] tab on the [Advanced Settings] screen, see Figure 19, is shown. Select tick box [Allow incoming echo request], and click a [OK] button.

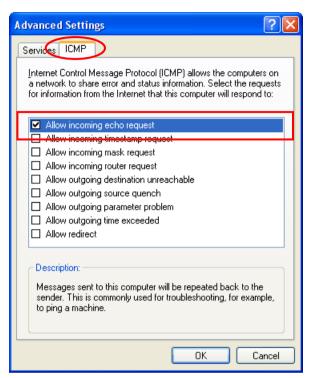


Figure 19 Windows Firewall - Advanced - Advanced Settings

4.2. Windows 7 and Windows 8 / 8.1

Opening the Windows Firewall

Click on [Start] in the taskbar, and select [Control Panel].(Windows 7)

The [windows key] and the [X key] are pressed simultaneously, and select [Control Panel].(Windows 8 / 8.1)

Click on [System and Security] → [Windows Firewall].

The [Help protect your computer with Windows Firewall] menu, see Figure 20, will appear.



Figure 20: Help protect your computer with Windows Firewall

Enabling the Firewall

Click [Turn Windows Firewall on or off] on the left side of this menu, see Figure 20. The [Customize settings for each type of network] menu, see Figure 21, will now be shown. Select [Turn on Windows Firewall] and uncheck [Block all incoming connections, including those in the list of allowed programs]. Repeat this action in the [Public network location settings] area.

Click on the **[OK]** button to return to **the [Help protect your computer with Windows Firewall]** menu, see **Figure 20**.

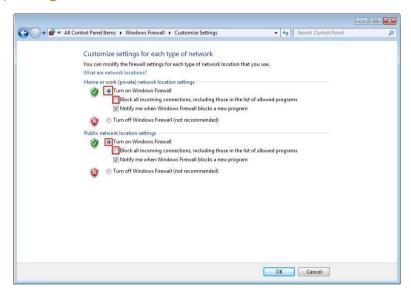


Figure 21: Customize settings for each type of network

Setting Firewall Exceptions

Click on [Allow a program or feature through Windows Firewall] on the left side of this menu, see Figure 20. The [Allowed programs to communicate through Windows Firewall] menu, see Figure 24, is displayed. If QAInitialize and QAEngineService are already added, the procedures below are unnecessary. If it is not added, click on [Allow another program...]. The [Add a Program] menu, see Figure 22, is displayed. Click on [Browse...].

The [Browse] menu, see Figure 23, is displayed. Select the following applications in the Installation Folder, and then click [Open]. Set for every applications.

- ➤ [Installation Folder]\QAInitialize.exe (initialization of application).
- [Installation Folder]\ QAEngineService.exe (Service)

The screen returns to Figure 22. Click on QAInitialize with the mouse (select it) and then click [Add].



Figure 22: Add a Program menu

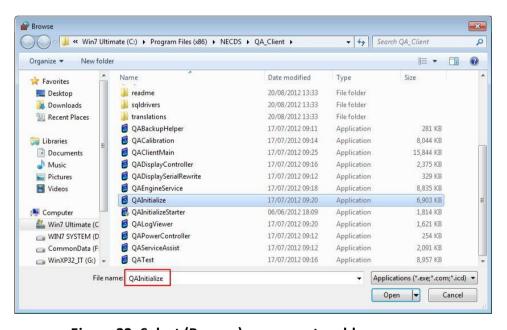


Figure 23: Select (Browse) programs to add screen

The Menu, as shown in Figure 24, allows programs to communicate through the Windows Firewall. Verify that the **QAInitialize** and **QAEngineService** are checked.

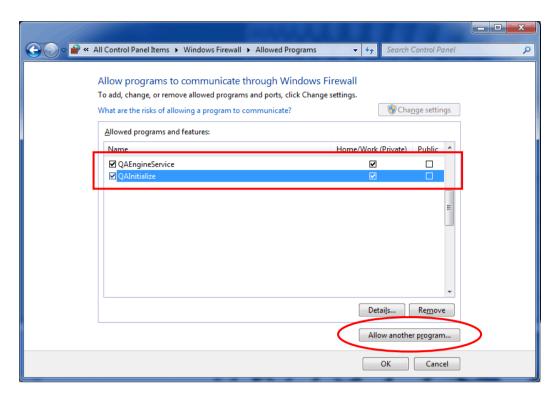


Figure 24: Allow programs to communicate through Windows Firewall Screen

• Inbound Rules of the Firewall

Click [Advanced Setting] on the left side of the [Help protect your computer with Windows Firewall] menu, see Figure 20.

The [Windows Firewall with Advanced Security] menu, see Figure 25, will now be shown.

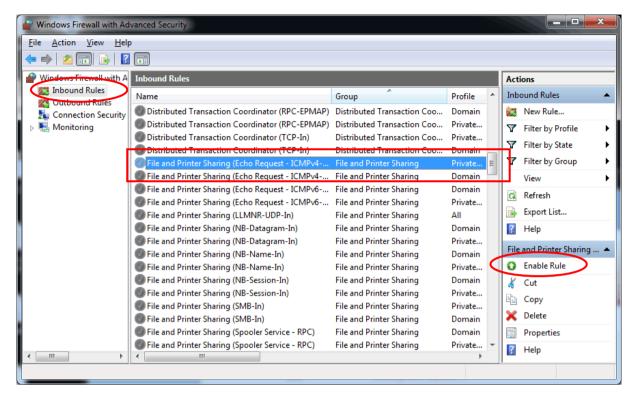


Figure 25 Windows Firewall with Advanced Security

Select [Inbound Rules] from the tree on the left, and select [File and Printer Sharing (Echo Request - ICMPv4-In)] and [File and Printer Sharing (Echo Request - ICMPv6-In)] in the center pane. Two or more [File and Printer Sharing (Echo Request - ICMPv4-In)] and [File and Printer Sharing (Echo Request - ICMPv6-In)] are listed, please see the "Profile" column of the "Inbound Rules" and choose a profile (Public, Private, or Domain) suitable for network composition.

Then please click the right column [Enable Rule]. If [File and Printer Sharing (Echo Request - ICMPv4-In)] and [File and Printer Sharing (Echo Request - ICMPv6-In)]'s icon is changed to green, the operation is complete.

NOTE: Be sure to adjust security settings when behind a software firewall.

5. First Start

5.1. Start-up and shutdown of GammaCompMD QA Client

If you selected **Create shortcut in Startup folder** during installation, GammaCompMD QA Client is started automatically when you start Windows. If you do not have created a shortcut on the Startup menu or the user have terminated GammaCompMD QA Client manually, please select **GammaCompMD QA Client** in the startup menu then active GammaCompMD QA Client manually.

All four methods actually place the **GammaCompMD QA Client** icon into the taskbar. With a mouse right-click on this icon, a Popup Menu is displayed, see **Figure 26**.

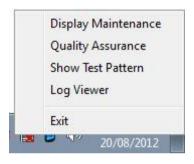


Figure 26: Popup Menu

The Popup Menu and **User Levels** are related to the user levels as follows:

Display Maintenance = Advanced Mode (Expert level)

Quality Assurance = Technician Mode (Standard level)

Show Test Pattern = Radiologist Mode (Visual test level)

Log Viewer

If you double click **GammaCompMD QA Client** icon, you can perform one of the three (**Display Maintenance**, **Quality Assurance** or **Show Test Pattern**) directly.

NOTE: If you see a communication failure message during the start of the **Display Maintenance** menu, it is likely due to a change in the Display configuration that was made between the GammaCompMD QA installation and first start of the application.
GammaCompMD QA retrieves the display configuration from the Windows registry, therefore may not identify the displays correctly anymore. The following actions may solve the issue:

- Rebooting the system will read in the latest display configuration, which is then used by GammaCompMD QA.
- If this does not help, re-install GammaCompMD QA.

5.2. User Password Setup

As shown in **User levels**, **GammaCompMD QA Client** provides the following three user levels:

Advanced Mode Display Maintenance (Expert level)

■ Technician Mode Quality Assurance (Standard level)

Radiologist Mode Show Test Patterns (Visual test level)

The functionality is different for each level. <u>By default</u>, all users can execute operations at all levels from Advanced to Radiologist without a password, as no passwords are initially set. To place restrictions on features that can be used in **Technician** and **Radiologist** level, an **Advanced** user must set passwords within **5.2 User Password Setup** (page 48).

Level	Description
Advanced Mode	Assumes a user who is typically a PACS system administrator or
(Expert level)	third party Service Provider. All features of Display Maintenance
	are available. Since the user at this level can set password and/or
	access rights for the Technician Mode level, this level may also be
	able to execute all Display Maintenance functions.
	The Advanced Mode user should have local system administrator
	rights, to be able to restart system services and set backup
	schedules.
Technician Mode	Assumes a user who is typically a Medical Physicist or Biomedical
(Standard level)	Engineer who does not make any adjustments to the displays.
	Depending on the password setting, only Quality Assurance may be
	executed. The available features are limited to the items as
	specified with 7.7.2.1 Access Rights Setup for Quality Assurance
	(page 127). (Note: The Access Rights Setup for Quality Assurance
	can only be modified by an Advanced Mode user.)
Radiologist Mode	Assumes a user who performs visual tests. Typically this is a
(Visual test level)	Radiologist or a Radiographer. Depending on the password setting,
	only viewing of test patterns may be executed.

It is recommended that for the **Advanced Mode** (Expert level), a password should be set to operate **GammaCompMD QA Client** in a secure way. For further information about setting passwords, refer to **7.7.2.2 User Password Setup** (page 131).

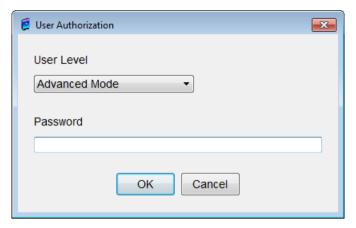


Figure 27: User authentication dialog

5.3. Changing the Display Configuration

If the screen orientation, resolution, logical display position, the number of connected displays or PIP MODE has changed, the **Reinitialize Display Configuration** is required. See **7.7.1.1 Re-initialization Display Configuration** (page 105) for the re-initialization procedure.

5.4. Changing the Sensor

When clicking on **Auto-Detect**, the sensor connection is recognized. Also, a display sensor or external sensor can be selected from the **Preferred Sensor Selection** list box. This function is only active for either a display with a front sensor or a display for which a retractable sensor has been set up.

5.5. Change of Installation Location or Ambient Light Environment

If the location or indoor lighting environment has changed, please complete the **Ambient** light Measurement. Then execute the described in **7.4.1 QA Test Start** (page 88).

GammaCompMD QA - Display Maintenance Display Overview 2 1 Calibration MD212MC 890MT021YW * Rearrange Displays Serial Number Conformance Test Display Status Good Alert Log Target Display Setting 🥥 400.0 Current Luminance [cd/m2] Refresh Display Information Backlight Hours [Hrs] Estimated Backlight Lifetime [Hrs] 1273.2 Over 10,000 Last Calibration Date No data available Calibration Reports No data available Last Conformance Test Date Result No data available Conformance Test Reports No data available No data available Last QA Test Date QA Test Reports Advanced Mode ▼

6. Main Display

Figure 28: Main Display and each Information Area

Main Menu Area
 It shows the main menu. It will switch the contents of **4Display Information Area** and
 5Sub Menu by selecting each menu.

2 User Level Area

It shows the User Level that you are currently working. It will switch the User Level by selecting each User Level in the list box. You are prompted to enter the password if you have been set the User Password.

3 Display Icon Area

The various types of display icons are shown below.

Icon	Description
	A color display is being used in landscape mode
	A color display is being used in portrait mode

	A monochrome display is being used in landscape mode
	A monochrome display is being used in portrait mode
	A large screen display (example: Multeos) is being used in landscape mode
	A large screen display (example: Multeos) is being used in portrait mode
nav 	A navigation display (display that is not subject to any action) is being used in landscape mode
SPARY	A navigation display (display that is not subject to any action) is being used in portrait mode
0	Display is correctly recognized.
A	If any errors are detected on the connected display. • Display has not been recognized correctly. • An error occurred in the connected display at the QA test or calibration. • Different display is detected if before and after re-initialization of display configurations.

4 Display Information Area

It shows the display information according to the selected item in the main menu.

⑤ Sub Menu Area

It shows the sub menu according to the selected item in the main menu. You will be able to perform each function by selecting a sub menu.

7. GammaCompMD QA Main Menu Structure

Main Menu		Sub Menu
Display Overview	Rearrange Displays	
	Alert Log	
	Refreshing Display Information	
	Calibration Repo	orts
	Conformance Te	st Reports
	QA Test Reports	
Calibration	Rearrange Displ	ays
	Calibration Reports	
	Schedule Setup	
	Calibration Setup	
	Sensor Setup	
Conformance Tests	Rearrange Displays	
	Conformance Test Reports	
	Schedule Setup	
	Sensor Setup	
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	QA Test Reports	
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Test Pattern	Rearrange Displays	
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		Reinitialize System Configuration
		Language Setup
		Asset ID Setup (Optional)
		Alert Setup
		Network Execution Setup
		Backup Schedule Setup
	User Setup	Access Rights Setup for Quality Assurance
		User Password Setup
		Startup User Level
	Extra Features	White Luminance Measurement
		Black Luminance Measurement
		Uniformity Test

		Display Matching
		Create Modification Log Entry
		Display Control Button Lock
	Special Reports	White and Black Luminance Measurement
		Reports
		Uniformity Test Reports
		Latest Results List
		Display Information
		System Information
Help	_	

7.1. Display Overview

Click **Display Overview** in the **Display Maintenance** screen to display **Figure 29**, **Display Overview screen** is displayed.

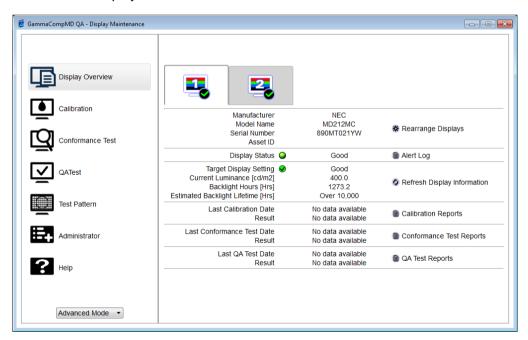


Figure 29: Display Overview screen

7.1.1. Rearrange Displays

Click Rearrange Display in Display Overview to display the Rearrange Display dialog box.

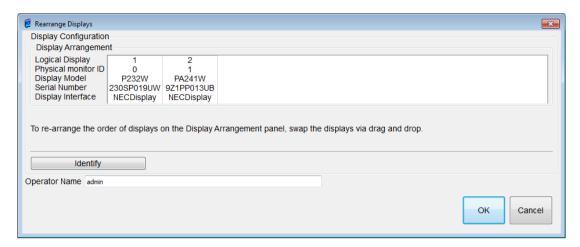


Figure 30: Rearrange Display dialog box

Display Arrangement

You can rearrange the display by dragging and dropping with the mouse to the display information that is displayed in the **Display Arrangement.** Please use when you want to rearrange the information that is displayed on the display information area.

Identify

Click the **Identify** button to display the **Logical Display** Number that is currently connected on each display.

OK button

The changes will be reflected and then window is closed. (You must enter the Operator Name).

Cancel button

The window is closed without saving changes.

7.1.2. Alert Log

The selected display status (occurrence of errors and warnings for each test) is displayed by the icon in the middle of the screen of display information area.

If flashing red or yellow icons are displayed, click the **Alert Log** in the sub menu to display the Log Viewer **10 Log Viewer** (page 153) and then check the contents of the alert.

Icon	Description
O	The following errors or warnings has occurred.
(Flashing Red)	Display Communication Error
	Temperature Alert

	Backlight Time Alert
	Backlight Brightness Alert
	See 7.7.1.5 Alert Setup (page 117) for a description of the error or
	Alert.
0	The following errors or warnings has occurred.
(Flashing Orange)	White Luminance Test Error
	LUM Test Error
	FIT Test Error
	GSDF Error
	QA Test Error
	See 7.7.1.5 Alert Setup (page 117) for a description of the error.
•	Normal status without any alerts.
(Green)	
•	The display is not enabled in Windows, or the interface mode is set
(Gray)	to NAVDisplay.
	See 7.7.1.1 Re-initialization Display Configuration (page
	105) for setting display.

NOTE: The occurrence of an error or warning is shown in the display status area, regardless of whether checkboxes in 7.7.1.5 Alert Setup (page 117) are checked or not.

7.1.3. Refreshing Display Information

Display status that is selected will be indicated by an icon in the middle of the screen of display information area. When "x" or "?" is displayed, you must reinitialize the display configuration. See **7.7.1.1 Re-initialization Display Configuration** (page 105).

Icon	Description
(Display cannot be detected.
8	Connected display power is not turned on or settings have been
	changed on the way.
⊘	Display is correctly recognized.

7.1.4. Calibration Reports

Click **Calibration Reports** in **Display Overview** to display the results that was conducted the calibration in the past. See **7.2.3 Calibration Reports** (page 59).

7.1.5. Conformance Test Reports

Click **Conformance Test Reports** in **Display Overview** to display the results that was conducted the conformance test in the past. See **7.3.3 Conformance Test Reports** (page 84).

7.1.6. QA Test Reports

Click **QA Test Reports** in **Display Overview** to display the results that was conducted the QA Test in the past. See **7.4.3 QA Test Reports** (page 95).

7.2. Calibration

Click Calibration in the Display Maintenance screen to display Figure 31, Calibration screen is displayed.

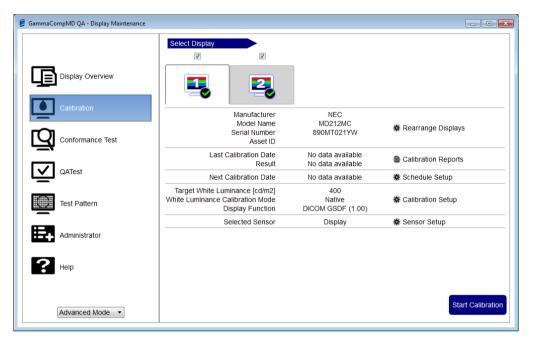


Figure 31: Calibration screen

7.2.1. Perform the Calibration

Select the display to select the check box at the top of the display icons (Multiple displays can be selected.). And then click **Start Calibration** at the bottom right of this screen, the calibration will start for the selected display. Please follow the instructions on the screen. If both display sensors and external sensors have been set for various displays, calibration starts with the displays for which display sensors are set and then starts for displays for which external sensors are set. Although calibration is executed simultaneously for multiple display sensors, it is executed in ascending order of display numbers for external sensors. The calibration process includes:

- > White Luminance Calibration
- Grayscale Calibration
- Conformance Tests

Calibration status screen is displayed, as shown in Figure 32. "Overall Progress" becomes 100%, it will complete the calibration. Running calibration can be interrupted by Cancel button.

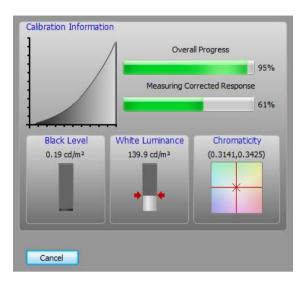


Figure 32: Status screen on target display calibration

Once calibration is completed, the **Calibration Report** dialog box is shown on each target display, as shown in **Figure 33**. See **7.2.3 Calibration Reports** (page 59).

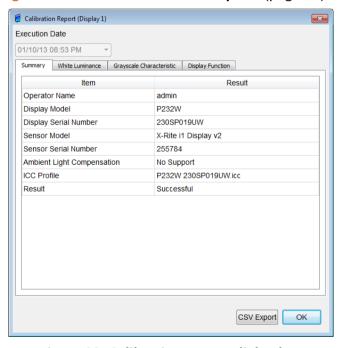


Figure 33: Calibration Report dialog box

NOTE:

- When **Native** was selected as the target curve, a grayscale calibration will not be performed. Only the luminance response curve of the display will be measured. In addition, calculation for the conformance test will be performed when "DICOM GSDF" or "L*" custom curve is selected. For more information about setting the target curve, refer to **7.2.5 Calibration Setup** (page 65).

- Calibration may not be performed when using an external sensor without color support. Please refer to **Using sensor models without color measurement capability** in **7.2.6 Sensor Setup** (page 77). **Additional considerations** for details.
- After Calibration, a display of some models automatically overwrites "GCMDQA" to the name of PictureMode in OSD menu. There are cases that the name cannot be rewritten though, it does not affect the calibration.
- There is a case where the Black Luminance Measurement fails depending on a sensor condition. If it fails to measure the Black Luminance Level, please try the other sensor.

7.2.2. Rearrange Displays

Click **Rearrange Display** in **Calibration** to rearrange display. See **7.1.1 Rearrange Display** (page 53).

7.2.3. Calibration Reports

Click **Calibration Reports** in **Display Overview** to display the **Calibration Reports Display Selection** dialog box, as shown in **Figure 34**.

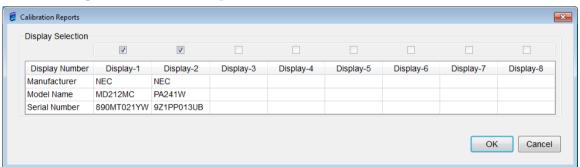


Figure 34: Calibration Reports Display Selection dialog box

The **Summary** tab will be displayed when the **OK** button is clicked. Click the **White Luminance** (**Figure 36**), **Grayscale** (**Figure 37**) or **Display Function** (**Figure 38**) tabs to display the corresponding dialog boxes. The **OK** button cannot be clicked if no display is selected.

Common settings for each tab

Execution Date	If the list box under Execution Date is clicked, the latest report will be displayed at the top, with previous reports underneath in order of date and time. Click the date you wish to view and that day's
CSV Export button	measurement report will be displayed. Shows Save Report in CSV Format dialog box. Reports can be
OK button	saved as a CSV file. Show the Calibration Report dialog box for the display selected, see Figure 34.

Summary(tab)

Display the **Calibration Report: Summary** dialog box. The list contains the following items: Operator Name, Display Model, Display Serial Number, Sensor Model, Sensor Serial Number, ICC Profile and Result (Successful/Failed).

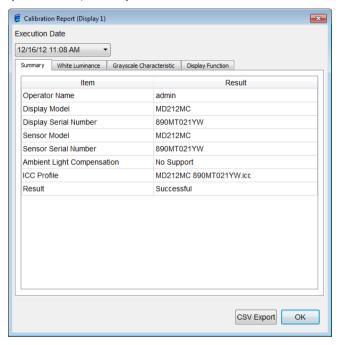


Figure 35: Calibration Report: Summary dialog box

White Luminance(tab)

The list contains the following items: White Luminance Calibration Mode, Chromaticity Target x and y, Chromaticity Tolerance x and y, Chromaticity Actual x and y, Luminance Target (cd/m^2) , Luminance Tolerance (cd/m^2) and Luminance Actual (cd/m^2) .

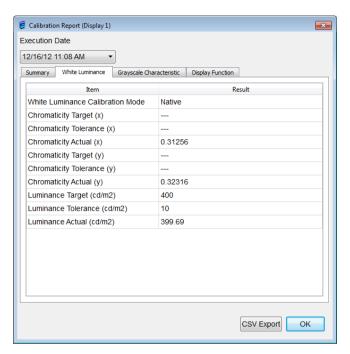


Figure 36: Calibration Report: White Luminance dialog box

Grayscale Characteristic (tab)

The list contains the following items: Display Function, Number tab of Measurement Points, Maximum Luminance Actual (cd/m^2), Minimum Luminance Target (cd/m^2), Minimum Luminance Actual (cd/m^2), Maximum DDL Value, Number of LUT Entries and Maximum LUT Value.

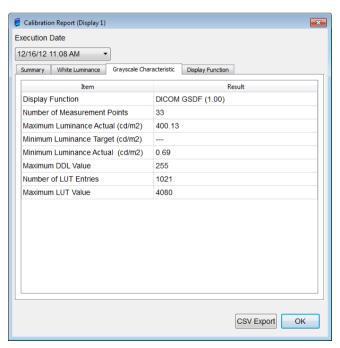


Figure 37: Calibration Report: Grayscale dialog box

Display Function(tab)

Reports luminance characteristics measured in graph form. Gamma curves can be shown or hidden by checking or un-checking the boxes. The curve for a specific color can also be shown by selecting that color.

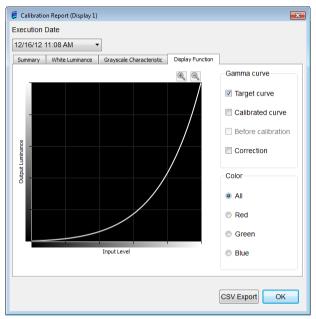


Figure 38: Calibration Report: Display Function dialog box

7.2.4. Schedule Setup

Click Schedule Setup in Calibration to display the Schedule Setup dialog box, see Figure 39.

NOTE: Scheduled actions require a **Display Sensor**. External sensors cannot be used. If both of the display sensor and the external sensor are connected, regardless of the Preferred Sensor Selection Settings, it will schedule by using the display sensor. When it performs the schedule by display without the Display Sensor, it will display a pop-up window of the start and end notice. However, it does not processing such as the calibration.

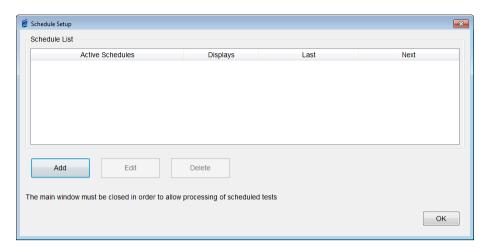


Figure 39: Schedule Setup dialog box

Schedule List (Time Table)

If the list box under Execution Date is clicked, the latest report will be displayed at the top, with previous reports underneath in order of date and time. Click the date you wish to view and that day's

Add button

Displays the Add new schedule dialog box Figure 40 to add scheduled tasks as well as start date and interval.

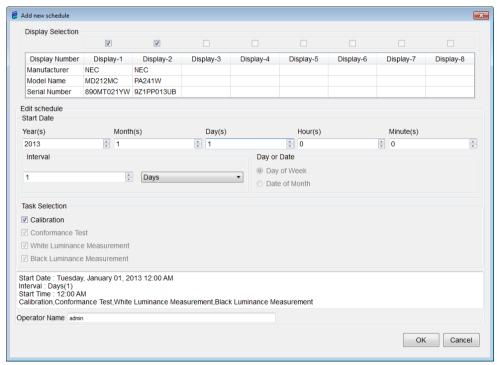


Figure 40: Add new schedule dialog box

Interval

Set the frequency with which the schedule will be executed (days, weeks, months, years). Enter a number from 1 to 1000. Example: If "6 months" is selected, the schedule will be executed on the schedule start date and then every 6 months after that.

Day or Date

A preferred day of the week or month can be set for the next schedule execution date onwards. Date of Month cannot be used for daily or weekly settings.

Task Selection

Check the boxes Calibration, Conformance Test, White Luminance Measurement and/or Black Luminance Measurement. The tasks will be executed in the following ranking: If the Calibration box is checked, all other boxes will automatically be checked. If the Calibration box is un-checked, Conformance Test and the other tasks will automatically stay checked. White Luminance Measurement and Black Luminance Measurement can be selected by un-checking both the Calibration and the Conformance Test boxes.

OK button

Closes the dialog box and applies the schedule information set. Check that it has been added to the schedule list on **Figure 39: Schedule Setup** dialog box. The **OK** button cannot be clicked if no **Operator Name** is entered or if no display is selected.

• Cancel button

Closes the dialog box without applying any settings.

Edit Schedule

Select the schedule that you want to edit then click the Edit button. Display the Edit saved schedule dialog box Figure 41. The content that is displayed in the dialog is registered schedule.

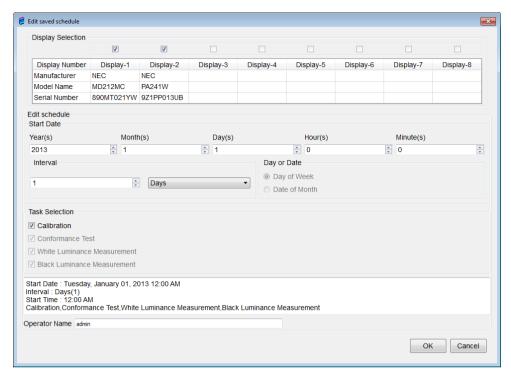


Figure 41: Edit saved schedule dialog box

•OK button

Closes the dialog box and saves changes of the schedule. Check the changes in the **Schedule Setup** dialog box on (**Figure 39**).

• Cancel button

Closes the dialog box without any action.

Delete button

Click on the schedule which you wish to delete. Then click the delete button. Multiple schedules cannot be deleted at once.

OK button

Closes the Schedule Setup dialog box.

7.2.5. Calibration Setup

When **Calibration Setup** is clicked in **Calibration**, the Calibration Setup dialog box, shown in **Figure 42**, is displayed. This dialog box is used to define parameters and various settings for each display which are used during the calibration. Since the actual calibration operation is executed sequentially in the order of **White luminance calibration** followed by **Grayscale calibration**, these settings are required before calibration.

Immediately after Calibration Setup is clicked in Calibration, the White Luminance tab is displayed. The other setup dialog boxes are shown by clicking on the other available tabs - Grayscale Function - Minimum Black Level - Ambient Light Compensation and ICC Profile.

Common settings for each tab

Display Selection Displays are selected one at a time by clicking the radio buttons

above the display numbers.

Restore Defaults Change values to the default values which are defined for the

specific display model. All items within each dialog box for White Luminance, Grayscale and Black Level are reset to their initial values. The function switch, the illumination value and reflected luminance value for the ambient light compensation are read out from the display again. The Restore Defaults button may not affect any changes made to the Ambient Light Compensation function, measured Ambient Light values and Reflected Luminance values.

Apply to same display models

When multiple displays with the same model name are connected, copy all defined parameters from one display to the other displays.

OK button Applies the calibration parameter settings to each display and

closes the dialog box. The **OK** button cannot be clicked unless the

Operator Name is entered.

Cancel button Cancels the settings and closes the dialog box. Any settings which

were applied by clicking the **Apply** button cannot be returned to

its previous state

Apply button Applies the calibration parameter settings to each display but does

not close the dialog box. The **Apply** button cannot be clicked

unless the **Operator Name** is entered.

Calibration Setup Display Selection Display Number Display-1 Display-2 Display-3 Display-4 Display-5 Display-6 Display-7 Display-8 Manufacturer NEC NEC Model Name MD212MC PA241W White Luminance Grayscale Function | Minimum Black Level | Ambient Light Compensation | ICC profile Chromaticity Target White Luminance Calibration Mode Native Color Temp Chromaticity Target (x,v) v = Chromaticity Tolerance Limits +/- (x,y) cd/m2 Target White Luminance 400.0 Luminance Tolerance Limits +/-10 cd/m2 Uniformity Control OFF ON Chromaticity Feedback OFF ON Operator Name adm OK Cancel Apply Restore Defaults Apply to same display models

White Luminance tab

Figure 42: Calibration Setup – White Luminance dialog box

White Luminance Calibration mode

Select the mode for setting the calibration target from the list box. Depending of type of display, not all modes will be selectable. For most color displays the calibration mode is selectable in a List box

Color Temp and Chromaticity Target (x, y)

Shows the target color temperature (K) and color chromaticity (x, y), when executing calibration. The optimum value is displayed according to the selected calibration mode. The optimum settings depend on the display model. If an individual color temperature or chromaticity target (x, y) setting is required, click the **Edit** button. The **Custom Chromaticity** dialog box, as shown in **Figure 43**, will

be displayed

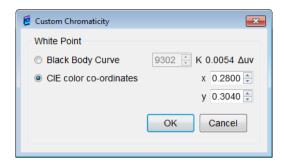


Figure 43: Custom Chromaticity dialog box

Chromaticity Tolerance Limits +/- (x,y)

Define the calibration chromaticity (x, y) tolerance limits. The default value and range that can be set depends on the display model. When **Native** or **No Change** is selected for the calibration mode, "- - -" is displayed for this item. **No Change** may not be selectable, depending on the connected display model.

Target White Luminance Define the calibration target white luminance. The default value and range that can be selected depends on the display model.

Luminance Tolerance Limits +/- (x,y)

Define the calibration luminance tolerance limits. The default value and range that can be selected depends on the display model.

Uniformity Control

Switch the uniformity correction capability of the display between ON and OFF. This is applied immediately by clicking the **Apply** or **OK** button regardless of whether or not calibration is executed. This option is grayed out for display models which do not support this feature.

Chromaticity Feedback

Enable or disable the chromaticity feedback feature, which runs independently after a calibration has finished. This option is grayed out for display models which do not support this feature.

Grayscale Function

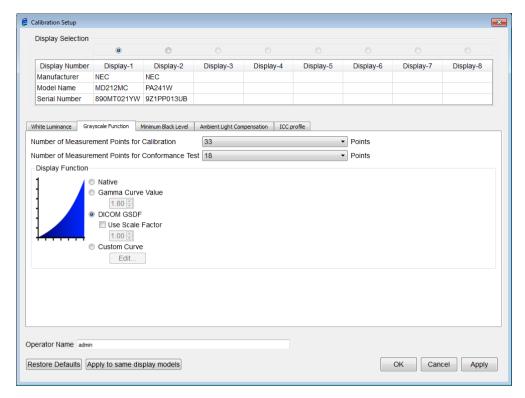


Figure 44: Calibration Setup – Grayscale dialog box

Number of Measurement Points for Calibration

Select the number of measurement points for measuring the luminance characteristics of the display during a grayscale calibration. When a **Display Sensor** was selected, the selected number of measurement points here is ignored.

NOTE: The number of measurement points may not be selectable depending on the display model.

Number of Measurement Points for Conformance Test

Select the number of measurement points for measuring the luminance characteristics of the display during a conformance test between 8, 18, 32, and 52 points. When a Display Sensor was selected, the selected number of measurement points here is ignored.

NOTE: The number of measurement points may not be selectable depending on the display model.

Display Function

Native

The display function can be selected from the following four types When Native is selected as the target curve, a grayscale calibration is not performed. The luminance characteristics of the display are only measured.

Gamma Curve Value

DICOM GSDF

Fixed Gamma correction values from 1.00 to 3.00 may be selected. Default setting for DICOM Grayscale Standard Display Function calibration (DICOM Standard, Part 14). Values from 0.50 to 1.00 may set when the **Use Scale Factor** checkbox is checked.

Custom Curve

When the **Edit** button is clicked, the Custom Gamma Curve dialog box, as shown in **Figure 45**, is displayed. This shows a graphical representation the luminance characteristics of the display.

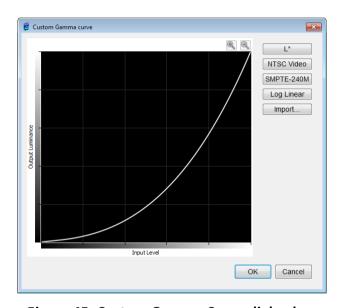


Figure 45: Custom Gamma Curve dialog box

> huttons

After dragging the mouse to specify a range on the graph in a rectangle, these buttons can be used to zoom in or out on the curve.

- ➤ L*, NTSC Video, SMPTE-240M and Log Liner buttons
 Select pre-defined custom curves with these buttons.
- > Import button

When the Import button is clicked, the Import Custom Curve Points Text File dialog box, as shown in Figure 46, is displayed.

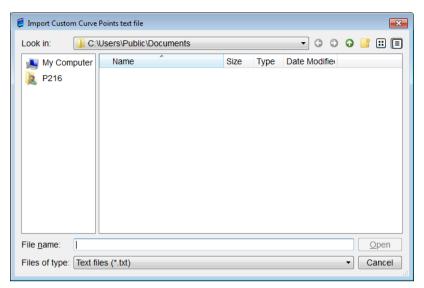


Figure 46: Import Custom Curve Points Text File dialog box

Minimum Black Level tab

When the **Minimum Black Level** tab is clicked, the minimum black level setup dialog box, as shown in **Figure 47**, is displayed. When the checkbox is checked, the minimum black level can be set within a range from 0.00 to 4.99 cd/m2. This option is grayed out for display models which do not support this feature.

NOTE: This function is useful to lift the black level and make the dark portions of a typical DICOM image more visible against reflections of the ambient light (veil luminance) on the LCD panel of a display. Due to this reason, regional/national obligations as well as recommendations from clinical studies may require artificially raising the black level of diagnostic imaging displays.

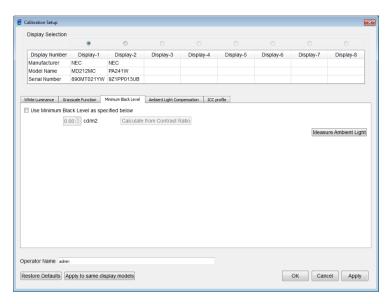


Figure 47: Calibration Setup – Minimum Black Level dialog box

Calculate from Contrast Ratio button

Displays the Custom Black Luminance Level dialog box, as shown in Figure 48.

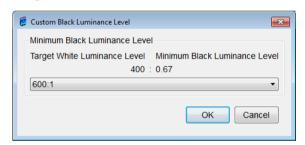


Figure 48: Custom Black Luminance Level selection

Measure Ambient Light button

When an external sensor capable of ambient light measuring is connected to the system, the **Ambient Light Measurement** screen, as shown in **Figure 49**, is displayed.

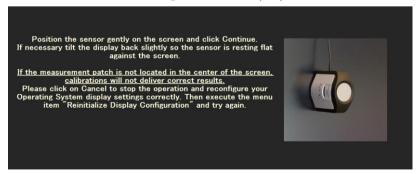


Figure 49: Ambient Light Measurement Screen

Screen that describes the purpose of measure the Ambient Light is displayed when you click the **Continue** button at the bottom left of the screen. Please follow the instructions on the screen. After the measurement,

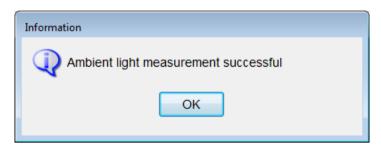


Figure 50: Success the Ambient light Measurement of pop-up window

NOTE: Display that can measure the Ambient Light are i1 Display2,ColorMunki,i1 Pro,Spyder3, i1Display Pro,LXPlus,Luxi,MD-N2M5B,LXcan or LXchroma. Please make sure to measure that you connect the external sensor when you measured to using the display of the front sensor model.

Ambient Light Compensation tab

Click the tab **Ambient Light Compensation** to display the **Calibration Setup - Ambient Light Compensation** dialog box, as shown in **Figure 51**. If this tab is active and **Use Ambient Light Compensation** has been selected, it is possible to capture the ambient light and edit the captured value.

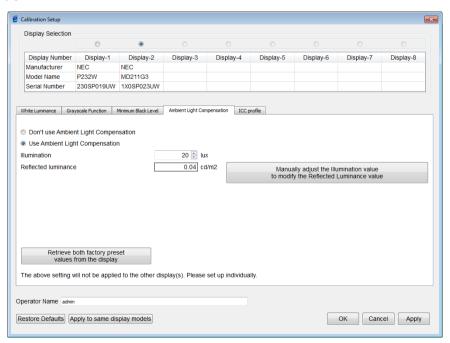


Figure 51: Calibration Setup - Ambient Light Compensation dialog box

Use/Don't use Ambient Light Compensation

You can select **Don't use Ambient Light Compensation/Use Ambient Light Compensation** during Calibration, Conformance

Test, White/Black Luminance Measurement and Uniformity Test. It is possible to edit the value of the acquisition or get the ambient light if you select **Use Ambient Light Compensation**.

Illumination

It will display the value of illumination (Unit: lux). The displayed value ($1 \sim 1000$ lux) can be edited.

Reflected luminance

It will convert the **Illumination**, and then display the **Reflected luminance** (Unit: cd/m²). If you want to edit **Reflected luminance**, click **Manually adjust the Illumination value to modify the Reflected Luminance** button to display the **Reflected luminance Setup** dialog box , as shown in **Figure 52**.

Manually adjust the Illumination value to modify the Reflected Luminance

In order to update the candela value, click this button to modify the value of reflected luminance. Illumination (Unit: lux) and Reflected luminance (Unit: cd/m²) that was converted the Illumination are displayed in the Reflected Luminance Setup dialog box, as shown in Figure 52. Reflected luminance value can be edited (0.01~9.99cd/m²) if you select the check box. It will write the edited value to display when you click the OK button. (If the check box is unchecked, the edited value is not written to the display.)

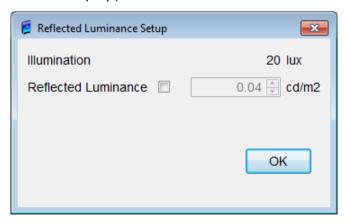


Figure 52: Reflected Luminance Setup dialog box

Retrieve both factory preset values from the display

The reflected luminance coefficient, converting the illumination value to a reflective luminance value, is set back to the initial factory shipment value.

NOTE:

- •The display that Ambient Light Settings are already adjusted at the time of installation or factory preset and you can get these states, it will display the status of "Ambient Light Compensation Status" to the top of the **Ambient Light Compensation** tab. You cannot change the settings if it is displayed the "adjusted" here because Ambient Light settings are already adjusted. Please get the status of the display to open the calibration setting screen again after close the calibration setting screen.
- •The last value uploaded to the display is used to compensate ambient light changes by correction of the DICOM curve.
- •Therefore be very careful and do not change the ambient light conditions drastically around the display during this whole process. Otherwise an incorrect reflected luminance coefficient will be stored in the display and the Ambient Light Compensation function will not work correctly.

ICC profile tab

The **Calibration Setup - ICC profile** dialog box is displayed by clicking on the ICC Profile tab. Any changes in this tab are only possible when a color display is selected.

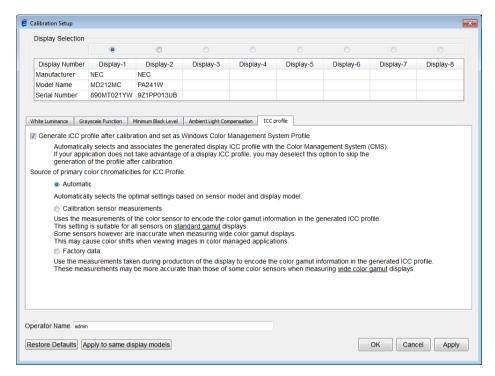


Figure 53: Calibration Setup - ICC profile dialog box

Generate ICC profile after calibration and set as Windows Color Management System Profile

If this checkbox is checked, an ICC profile will be created after the calibration and will be automatically added to the Windows Color Management System.

However, if you are logged in as a user without administrative rights, an ICC profile will not be created. Also depending on the workstation environment, the ICC profile may not be recognized automatically by the Windows Color Management System (CMS). In this case, you need to set it up manually.

NOTE: For most current applications in the medical environment, an ICC profile is not required, therefore this box can be unchecked.

Source of primary color chromaticities for ICC Profile

Select from the following three options for the value to use when creating the ICC profile.

NOTE: You cannot change any settings if the **Generate ICC profile after calibration and set as Windows Color Management System Profile** check is OFF.

Automatic

When creating the ICC profile, a suitable value is automatically selected between sensor measurement values and measured values from the factory.

Calibration sensor measurements

Use the values of the sensor to create the ICC profile.

Factory data

Use the values from the factory to create the ICC profile.

7.2.6. Sensor Setup

When **Sensor Setup** is clicked in **Calibration** or **Conformance Test**, the Sensor Setup dialog box, as shown in **Figure 54**, is displayed. This dialog box is used to set up the optical calibration sensor which is used for each display.

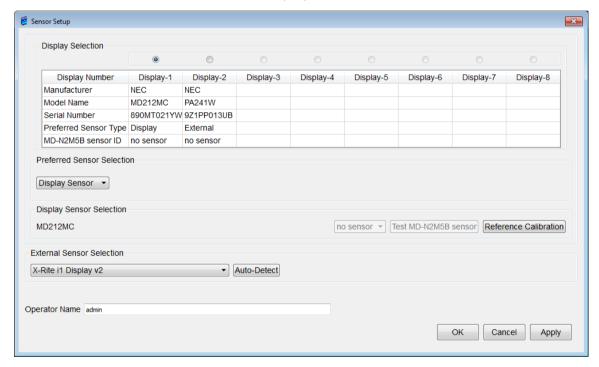


Figure 54: Sensor Setup dialog box

Display Selection

Displays can be selected one at a time by clicking the radio button above the display.

Preferred Sensor Selection

A list box to select the principal type of sensor which is used for the selected display, see Figure 55.

NOTE:

For scheduled execution or test from the network, the display sensor is used regardless of the sensor selection.

When a **display sensor** is used with a wide format display, be sure to set the EXPANSION mode to "FULL" in the OSD of the display.

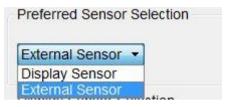


Figure 55: Preferred Sensor Selection List Box

Display Sensor Selection

A display in which a front sensor is installed shows the model name of the display, and a display in which a front sensor is not installed shows "MD-N2M5B". To select a **Display Sensor** as a **Preferred Sensor** with a display in which a front sensor is not installed, it is necessary to **select a serial number** for the retractable sensor model **MD-N2M5B** to be used. If a display model sensor is shown, then a serial number cannot be selected.

NOTE:

 The following Serial Number Selection Dialog box will not be displayed. Instead, an inactive (grayed out) "No sensor" field is visible.

Serial Number Selection

It is possible to select the serial number of the retractable sensor in use. If a certain serial number has already been used for a different display, and the **OK** or **Apply** button is clicked, the last setting becomes effective, and then a retractable sensor is no longer set up for previously specified display.

Test MD-N2M5B Sensor button

This starts a test by swinging the arm of the MD-N2M5B sensor out and back in. After selecting the serial number from the Serial Number Selection list box, click the MD-N2M5B Sensor Test button to check the operation of the MD-N2M5B sensor assigned to the

selected display. If a serial number has not been selected, it is not possible to click the **Test MD-N2M5B Sensor** button.

Reference Calibration button

Reference Calibration is used to re-adjust either the integrated front sensor of a display or a MD-N2M5B mounted on top of the display. To re-adjust a display sensor, both the display sensor and an external sensor need to be connected. Click the **Reference Calibration** button and perform the re-adjustment by following the displayed messages.

NOTE:

- The **Reference Calibration** button is inactive (grayed out) if the selected display does not have a front sensor or a serial number of a MD-N2M5B sensor was not selected.
- MD215MG/MD211G5 does not support Reference Calibration. This button is inactive (grayed out) if MD215MG or MD211G5 is selected. During a calibration using an External Sensor, the integrated front sensor of this model is re-adjusted automatically.
- Luminance Offset: An integrated front sensor or MD-N2M5B sensor can only measure luminance in the periphery of the display screen surface. However, due to the characteristics of an LCD display, there are differences in luminance and color between the central region and the periphery of the display screen surface. When a front sensor or MD-N2M5B sensor is being used, it is necessary to re-adjust such differences (offset) in comparison with an external sensor. In case of integrated front sensors, the offset is stored in the display itself. In case of the MD-N2M5B sensor, the offset is stored in GammaCompMD QA Client.
- Special care using MD-N25B: After the OK button is clicked in the Initialize Display Configuration dialog box, as shown in Figure 90, it is necessary to specify the serial number again. If the new specification causes the combination of the display and the MD-N2M5B sensor to change then it is necessary to repeat the reference calibration. Reference calibration cannot be done with an external sensor without color support.
- Please also refer to Additional considerations Using sensor models without color measurement capability below for details.

External Sensor Selection

The external sensor can be selected from the External Sensor Selection list box, as shown in Figure 56.

NOTE: Only one external sensor is supported at time and it will be the last selected sensor model.

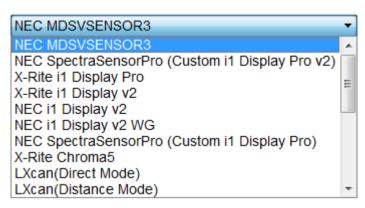


Figure 56: External Sensor Selection List box

automatically detected, even if no sensor was selected from the

External Sensor Selection list box described above.

OK button Applies the sensor setting to the selected display and closes the

dialog box. The **OK** button cannot be clicked unless the **Operator**

Name is entered.

Cancel button Closes the dialog box without applying any changes. However, any

settings that were applied by clicking the Apply button cannot be

returned to its previous state.

Apply button Applies the settings but does not close the dialog box. The **Apply**

button cannot be clicked unless the **Operator Name** is entered.

Additional considerations

Using external sensors

When a calibration or test is executed, the sensor contact position guide, as shown in **Figure 57**, is displayed. Position the sensor on the display according to the guidance and click the **Continue** button at the bottom left of the screen. The measurement will begin.

A LCD display is fragile and may be damaged if the external sensor is forcefully pressed against it. Never attach a sensor with suction cups to the display. Always use the supplied cable and suspend the

sensor with a weight so that the sensor is stationary in front of the display.

If the external sensor is separated from the screen during calibrations or tests (i.e. by falling off), the process may fail. Be sure to keep the external sensor from becoming separated from the screen until the process is completed. If it is separated from the screen, position the sensor on the screen again and continue or restart the process.

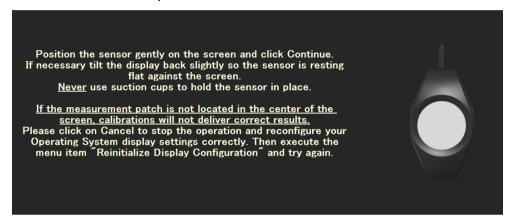


Figure 57: Sensor Contact Position Guide

Black Level setup

Some supported external sensor models require to adjust the Black Level (Dark Current) to be measured and stored for improved accuracy. Black Level measurement is performed automatically before calibrations and tests.



Figure 58: X-Rite Chroma 5 during black level adjustment (Example)

Sensor selection rules

Although the sensor selected here basically is used for tests, an external sensor is not used for some operations. The display sensor is used for scheduled display calibrations or remote

calibrations and DICOM conformance tests. On the other hand, some sensor models are unable to be used for Display Quality Assurance (QA), depending on regional/national regulations.

NOTE: If an external sensor was selected for a display model equipped with a Display Sensor, but the external sensor is not connected during a measurement or calibration activity, GammaCompMD QA will automatically change to the display sensor.

Using sensor models without color measurement capability

Typical instruments used for Quality Assurance, i.e. LXplus, LXcan or Luxi do not support color measurements. White luminance calibration modes, other than **Native** and **No Change**, as well as **Reference Calibration** of a color display front sensor are not supported. Please refer to **7.2.5 Calibration Setup** (page 65) regarding the White Luminance Calibration mode and **Reference Calibration** button in this chapter regarding reference calibration.

7.3. Conformance Tests

Click **Conformance Tests** in the **Display Maintenance** screen to display **Figure 59**, **Conformance Test screen** is displayed.

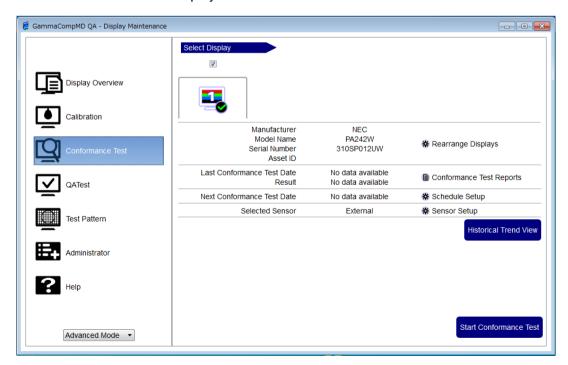


Figure 59: Conformance Test Screen

7.3.1. Perform the Conformance Test

Select the display to select the check box at the top of the display icons (Multiple displays can be selected.). And then click **Start Conformance Test** at the bottom right of this screen, the calibration will start for the selected display. Please follow the instructions on the screen. If both display sensors and external sensors have been set for various displays, a conformance test starts with the displays for which display sensors are set and then starts for displays for which external sensors are set. Although a conformance test is executed simultaneously for multiple display sensors, it is executed in ascending order of display numbers for external sensors.

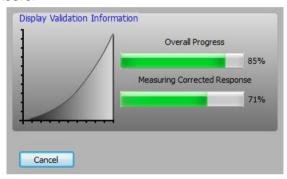


Figure 60: Status screen on target display during conformance test

Conformance Test is completed, Conformance Test Report dialog box (Figure 61) and White & Black Luminance Measurement Report dialog box (Figure 62) are displayed.

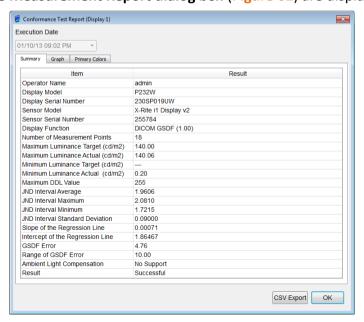


Figure 61: Conformance Test Report dialog box

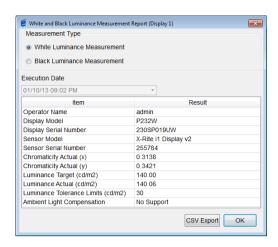


Figure 62: White & Black Luminance Measurement Report dialog box

7.3.2. Rearrange Displays

Click **Rearrange Display** in **Conformance test** to rearrange display. See **7.1.1 Rearrange Display** (page 53).

7.3.3. Conformance Test Reports

Click **Conformance Test Reports** in **Conformance test** to display the **Conformance Test Reports** dialog box, see **Figure 63**.

NOTE: Conformance test reports are shown based on a DICOM standard Grayscale Display Function (GSDF). This function can only be used if the file selected has been set with a DICOM standard Grayscale Display Function (GSDF) in **Calibration Setup**.

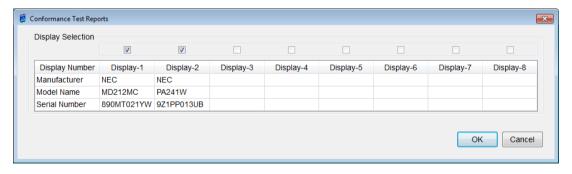


Figure 63: Conformance Test Reports dialog box

Show the **Conformance Test Report: Summary** dialog box for the selected display, see **Figure 64**. The **Summary** tab will be shown first when the **OK** button is clicked. Click the **Graph** (**Figure 65**) or **Primary Colors** (**Figure 66**) tabs to display the corresponding dialog boxes. The **OK** button cannot be clicked if no display is selected.

Common settings for each tab

Execution Date If the list box under **Execution Date** is clicked, the latest report will

be displayed at the top, with previous reports underneath in order of date and time. Click the date you wish to view and that day's

measurement report will be displayed.

CSV Export button Shows **Save Report in CSV Format** dialog box. Reports can be

saved as a CSV file.

OK button Close the dialog.

Summary tab

Shows the **Conformance Test Report: Summary** dialog box, see **Figure 64**. The list contains the following items: Operator Name, Display Model, Display Serial Number, Sensor Model, Sensor Serial Number, Display Function, Number of Measurement Points, Maximum Luminance Target (cd/m²), Maximum Luminance Actual (cd/m²), Minimum Luminance Target (cd/m²), Minimum Luminance Actual (cd/m²), Maximum DDL Value, JND Interval Average, JND Interval Maximum, JND Interval Minimum, JND Interval Standard Deviation, Slope of the Regression Line, Intercept of the Regression Line, GSDF Error, Range of GSDF Error and Result (Successful/Failed).

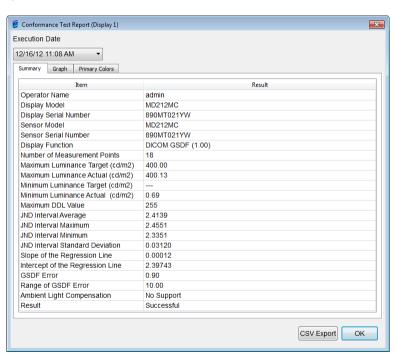


Figure 64: Conformance Test Report: Summary dialog box

Graph tab

Shows the **Conformance Test Report: Graph** dialog box.

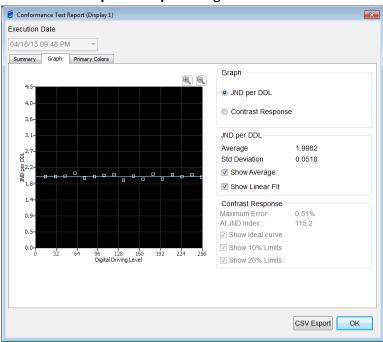


Figure 65: Conformance Test Report: Graph dialog box

Graph

JND per DDL Shows the graph of the JND interval per DDL calculated from the

luminance characteristics after calibration in the conformance test.

Contrast Response Reports the contrast response calculated from the luminance characteristics after calibration in the conformance

test (contrast response is a logarithm with a base of 10.)

JND per DDL Click within the graph to display JND per DDL for a selected time

Average and linear fit can be shown or hidden by checking or

un-checking the **Show Average** and **Show Linear Fit** boxes.

Contrast Response Click within the graph to display contrast response for a selected

time. Theoretical curve, 10% limits and 20% limits can be shown or hidden by checking or un-checking the **Show ideal curve**, **Show**

10% Limits and Show 20% Limits boxes.

buttons Click and drag to draw a rectangle around a certain section, then

use these buttons to zoom in or out.

Primary Colors tab

Shows the Conformance Test Report: Primary Colors dialog box, see Figure 66. This shows

Execution Date

12/16/12 11.08 AM

Summary Graph Primary Colors

Primary Colors

CIE x y

Red: 0.6482 0.3357

Green: 0.2847 0.6041

Blue: 0.1442 0.0699

the CIE x and y values measured for each primary color (red, green and blue).

Figure 66: Conformance Test Report: Primary Colors dialog box

7.3.4. Schedule Setup

Click **Schedule Setup** in **Conformance Test** to rearrange display. See **7.2.4 Schedule Setup** (page 62).

7.3.5. Sensor Setup

Click **Sensor Setup** in **Conformance Test** to rearrange display. See **7.2.6 Sensor Setup** (page 77).

7.3.6. Historical Trend View

A trend graph is created and displayed from various measurement results. See **11 Trend Viewer** (page **156**).

7.4. QA Test

Click QA Test in the Display Maintenance to display Figure 67, QA Test screen is displayed.

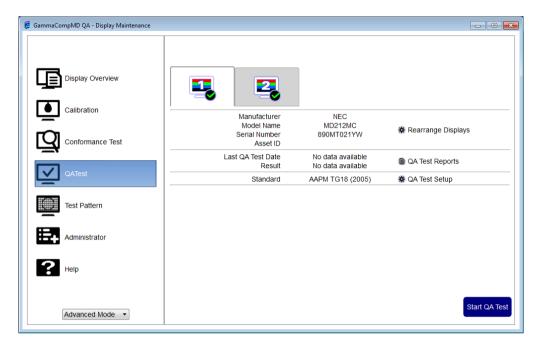


Figure 67: QA Test screen

7.4.1. QA Test Start

Click **Start QA Test** to display **Select Target Display(s) for QA Test** dialog box, as shown in **Figure 68**. Verify that the **Standard** at the top left is correct. If not correct, change the test standard with **7.4.4 QA Test Setup** (page 97). You can click **OK** button after entering the **Tester Name**.

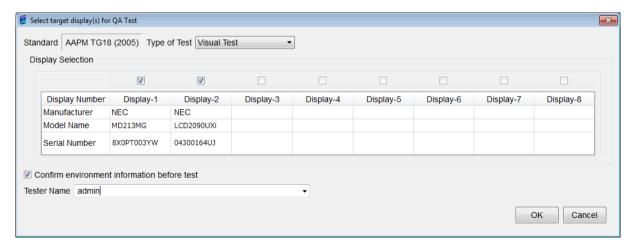


Figure 68: Select Target Display for QA Test dialog box

Select the type of test to be performed. The selection varies with the selected QA standard. The following test variants are available:

AAPM TG18 (2005)	DIN V6868-57	JESRA X-0093	ACR AAPM
			SIIM (2012)
Visual Test	Visual Test	Daily constancy test	Daily Visual Test
Acceptance Test	Acceptance Test	Acceptance test	Full Visual Test
	(SMPTE pattern)		
Monthly/Quarterly	Acceptance Test (DIN	Comprehensive	Acceptance Test
Test	test pattern)	constancy test	
Annual Test			Monthly Test
			Quarterly Test
			Annual Test

NOTE:

Please perform a calibration with recommended maximum & minimum luminance value before performing the test of ACR AAPM SIIM. Refer to 7.2.1 Perform the Calibration (page 57) and 15 Appendix for the category of ACR AAPM SIIM (2012) (page 172).

If **Confirm environment information before test** checkbox is checked, it will display the **Test Environment** dialog box (**Figure 69**) after select the **Type of Test** then click **OK** button. Please enter each item if necessary.

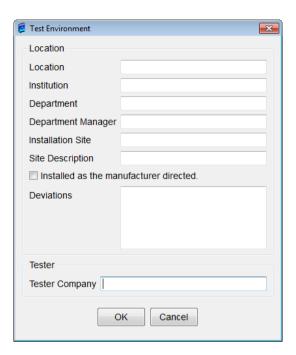


Figure 69: Test Environment dialog box

It will display the **QA Test** dialog box (**Figure 70**) on the upper left of the selected display if you click **OK** button. In case of ACR AAPM SIIM (2012), it will show the **QA Test** dialog box (**Figure 71**). Please continue the operation if **Standard** and **Type of Test** are correct.

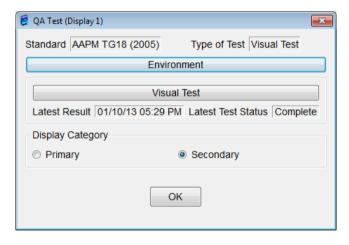


Figure 70: QA Test dialog box

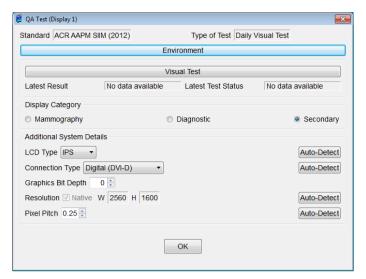


Figure 71: QA Test dialog box(ACR AAPM SIIM)

• Environment button

Opens the Image Processing Environment dialog box.

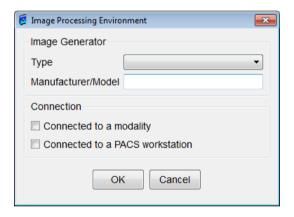


Figure 72: Image Processing Environment dialog box

Image Generator

Select the type (CT/MR/PACS) from the list box. If required for documentation, enter the manufacturer and model name of the Image Generator.

Connection

Check the applicable connection status. In most cases, it will be a connection to PACS workstation.

Visual Test button

Starts the visual test part of the QA test. Follow the instruction in the QA Visual Test Verification dialog box and visually verify the screen. Depending on selected QA test standard, a series of QA test images will be displayed sequentially for your visual assessment. Click **Passed**, if there are no problems and **Failed** if you recognize any problem or **Abort** to exit the test.

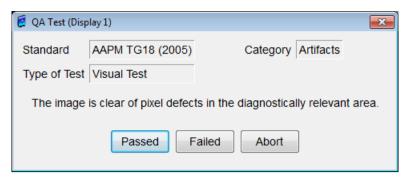


Figure 73: QA Visual Test dialog

※Dialog Box Showing a Clinical Reference Image

Depending on QA standard requirements, an additional dialog box to call up a Clinical Reference Image is displayed in the **QA Test**, see **Figure 74**. The clinical reference image should be viewed and approved by a radiologist or other trained personnel. Click the **Edit...** button in the dialog box showing this clinical reference image to display the **Test Image Selection** dialog box, as shown in **Figure 75**.

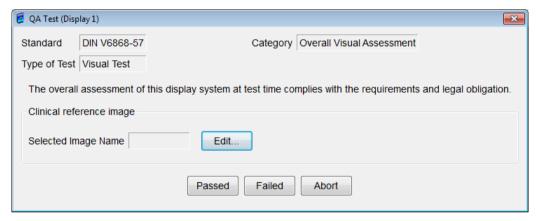


Figure 74: Dialog Box Showing the Clinical Reference Image

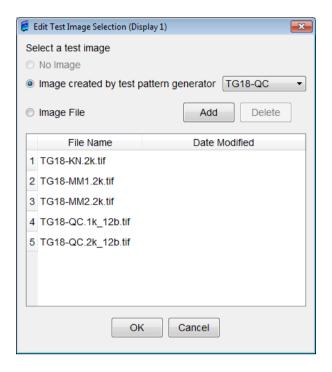


Figure 75: Edit Test Image Selection dialog box

Image created by test pattern

Select an image file from the list box on the right.

· Image File button

The list of the image files used for visual tests which are stored in the following specific folder: [Installation Folder]\qadata. User created image files are placed in this folder, and can be used for the visual test.

Add button

This Select a test image dialog box is displayed after moving to the folder. Select a file then click the **Open** button to return to the **Figure 75.**The selected file is added to the list of file names and the date modified is also displayed.

Delete button

It is possible to click on a file in the list of file names only, when the selected file has a modified date. After clicking, a pop up window to confirm the deletion appears. When clicking on the **OK** button, it is deleted from the list of file names. If the **Cancel** button was clicked, no action was applied. After clicking both buttons, **Figure 75** is shown again.

It goes back to the **QA Test** dialog, as shown in **Figure 70** when all the visual tests are done. In the measurement test, the measurement button is displayed, and then it will continue to operate after press the button. **Sensor Contact Position Guide** (**Figure 57**) will be displayed, please put the external sensor on the screen. It will start the measurement test when you

click the Continue button.

NOTE: If an external sensor is not connected to the PC, you cannot click the measurement button. Click the **OK** button once, then connect an external sensor to the PC and then after the recognition in sensor setup, please perform the QA Test again.

• **Display Category** The category is determined by required minimum luminance levels

(measured in cd/m²).

These are fixed in the AAPM or ACR AAPM SIIM or DIN or JESRA

standard.

AAPM TG18 (2005) Primary Class	Min. 170 cd/m2
AAPM TG18 (2005) Secondary Class	Min. 90 cd/m2
ACR AAPM SIIM (2012) Mammography	Min. 420cd/m2
ACR AAPM SIIM (2012) Diagnostic	Min. 350cd/m2
ACR AAPM SIIM (2012) Secondary	Min. 250cd/m2
DIN V 6868-57 Category A	Min. 200 cd/m2
DIN V 6868-57 Category A	Min. 120 cd/m2
JESRA X-0093 Grade 1	Min. 170 cd/m2
JESRA X-0093 Grade 2	Min. 100 cd/m2

Select the appropriate one for the display under test.

Refer to 15 Appendix for the category of ACR AAPM SIIM(2012).

•OK button Displays the QA Test Report. If performing tests on two or more

displays, these reports are shown after the **OK** button is clicked on

all of the displays. Refer to **7.4.3 QA Test Reports** (page 95) for

details on this **QA Test Report** dialog box.

In case of ACR AAPM SIIM (2012), you will be able to operate the following functions.

• LCD Type Select the LCD Type from the list box. If it is unknown, press

Auto-Detect button.

• Connection Type Select the Connection Type from the list box. If it is unknown,

press Auto-Detect button.

• Graphics Bit Depth Enter the Graphics Bit Depth of a video channel which connects to

the target display. If True color is specified, it should be 8 bit.

• **Resolution** The **Resolution** of the display. In case of support model, it will be

detected automatically. For non-support model, select or deselect

the native resolution checkbox manually.

• Pixel Pitch Enter the Pixel Pitch of the display. If it is unknown, press

Auto-Detect button.

NOTE: An **Acceptance Test** should be the first QA test completed before any other QA Test is made. When trying to perform any QA test before **an Acceptance Test** was performed a **Warning** dialog box is displayed, as shown in **Figure 76**.

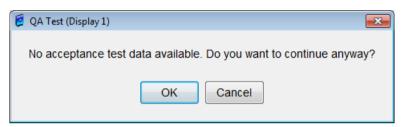


Figure 76: Warning dialog box

7.4.2. Rearrange Displays

Click **Rearrange Display** in **Calibration** to rearrange display. See **7.1.1 Rearrange Display** (page 53).

7.4.3. QA Test Reports

Click QA Test Reports in QA Test to display the QA Test Report Display Selection dialog box.

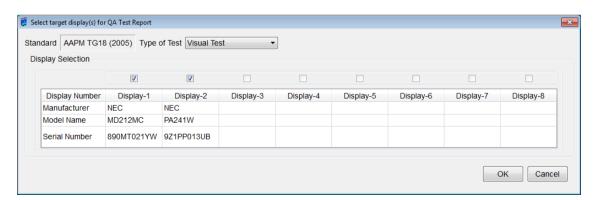


Figure 77: QA Test Report Display Selection dialog box

Standard and **Type of Test** has confirmed to correct, then it will display the **QA Test Report** dialog box (**Figure 78**) of the selected display when you click the **OK** button to select the display. You can select the multiple displays. Also the display is not selected even one, you cannot click the **OK** button.

It will switch to the **QA Test Report (if Monthly box is checked)** dialog box (**Figure 79**) by checking the **Monthly** box in the upper right corner of the dialog.

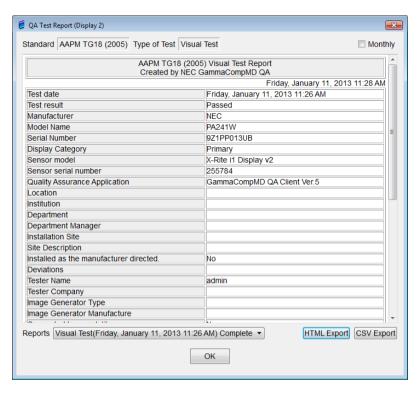


Figure 78: QA Test Report dialog box

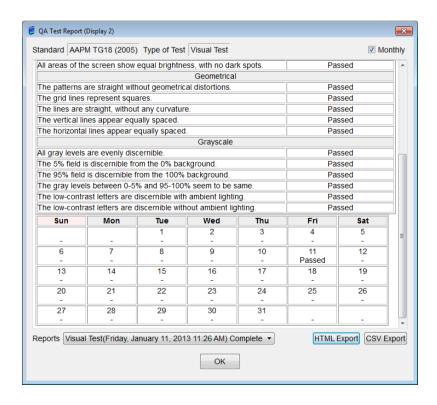


Figure 79: QA Test Report dialog box (if Monthly box is checked)

•Reports List Box

If the list box in the bottom left hand corner of the dialog box is clicked, the latest report will be displayed at the top with previous reports underneath in order of date and time. Click the date you wish to view and that day's content will be displayed.

•HTML Export button

Reports will be saved in HTML file format.

CSV Export button

Report will be saved in CSV file format.

•OK button

Closes the dialog box.

7.4.4. QA Test Setup

Select **QA Test Setup** in **QA Test** to display the **QA Test Setup** dialog box (**Figure 80**). Select the name of the test standard to be used in the QA test.

Click the list box to the right of **Standard** and choose from one of the following three standards to use in the QA test.

- > AAPM TG18 (2005)
- > ACR AAPM SIIM (2012)
- > DIN V6868-57
- > JESRA X-0093

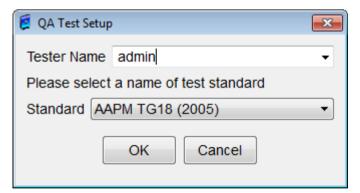


Figure 80: QA Test Setup dialog box

EU Limited Edition:

If you are using GammaCompMD QA Client for EU and selected the QAXRAY during the installation, QAXRAY execution screen is displayed when executing the functions of QA test.

(They differ from the above-mentioned screens.) Please refer to the Help file which is displayed by pressing the button "?" on the QAXRAY screen for details.

7.5. Test Pattern

Click **Test Pattern** in the **Display Maintenance** screen to display **Figure 81**, **Test Pattern screen** is displayed.

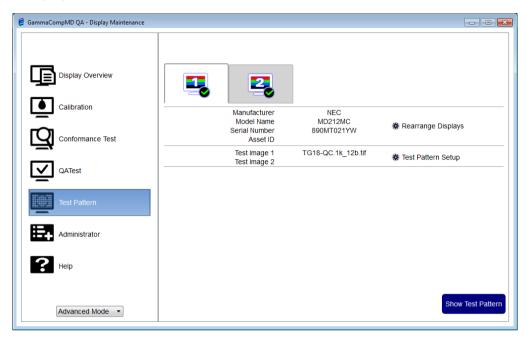


Figure 81: Test Pattern screen

7.5.1. Display the Test pattern

Click **Show Test Pattern** in **Test Pattern** to display the **Selected display(s) for Test Pattern Viewing** screen.

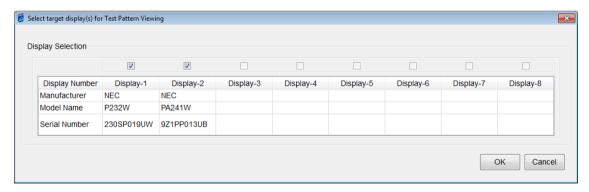


Figure 82: Selected display(s) for Test Pattern Viewing screen

Select a display on this screen and click the **OK** button to display the **Show Test Pattern dialog box**, as shown in **Figure 83**. Multiple displays can be selected. The **OK** button cannot be clicked if no display is selected.

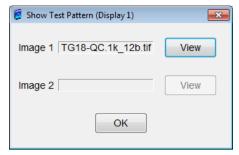


Figure 83: Show Test Pattern dialog

Clicking **View** button right of each **Image** opens a full screen test pattern with the filename entered in the image file field. The **Show Test Pattern** dialog box is shown as well.

NOTE: By default, the image file name field for **Image 2** is empty (not defined state). To include, add, or change **Image 1**, set the file name as described in **7.5.3 Test Pattern Setup** (page 100).

However, when operating a **GammaCompMD QA Client** system in which passwords have been set, a Radiologist cannot use **Test Pattern Setup**. A Radiologist should ask an **Advanced** user to set up **Image 1** (and **Image 2**, if required).

Image files are installed in the following location: [Installation folder]\qa data. Additional image files in .TIFF format may be added in this folder for selection.

7.5.2. Rearrange Displays

Click **Rearrange Display** in **Calibration** to rearrange display. See **7.1.1 Rearrange Display** (page 53).

7.5.3. Test Pattern Setup

Click **Test Pattern Setup** in **Test Pattern** to show the **Test Pattern Setup** dialog box (**Figure 84**). Select the image file to be displayed as a test image.

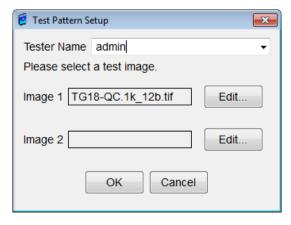


Figure 84: Test Pattern Setup dialog box

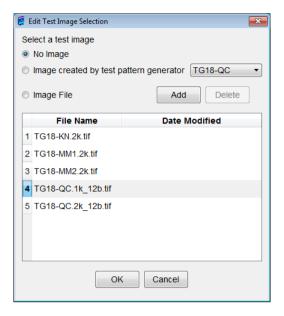


Figure 85: Edit Test Image Selection dialog box

No Image radio button

Click to select no image.

•Image created by test pattern generator radio button

Select an image file from those in the list box on the right.

· Image File radio button

The list of file names below the dialog is a list of visual test images.

Add button

After copying a file into the above folder and selecting it, click the **Open** button to return to **Figure 85** (page 101). The file selected from the list will be added and the modify date will be displayed.

• Delete button

Only files in the list with a **Date Modified** can be clicked. After clicking this button, a popup window will appear confirming the deletion. Click **OK** to delete the file from the list. Click **Cancel** if you do not wish to delete it.

7.6. Stand Alone Calibration

Stand Alone Calibration can recalibrate the display without a computer by the integrated front sensor.

When you start a Main Screen of GammaCompMD QA Client, the result of **Gamma Adjust** and/or **DICOM Measurement** will be merged to the database of GammaCompMD QA. You can browse and export the result of **Gamma Adjust** and **DICOM Measurement** as report of GammaCompMD QA Client.

The following models are equipped with **Stand Alone Calibration**.

MD211G3, MD211C2, MD211C3, MD210C2 ,MD242C2, MD302C4,MD210C3 AVM3N2N, AVC2N1N, AVC3N1N

7.6.1. How to get the result of Stand Alone Calibration.

- 1 Perform **Gamma Adjust** or **DICOM Measurement**.
 - X Refer to the display's documentation for details.
- 2 Start a Main Screen of GammaCompMD QA Client.
- You can browse the result of **Gamma Adjust** and/or **DICOM Measurement**. For browsing results, refer to 7.2.3 Calibration Reports (page 59) and 7.3.3 Conformance Test Reports (page 84). Model name and serial number are shown on the 'Operator Name'.

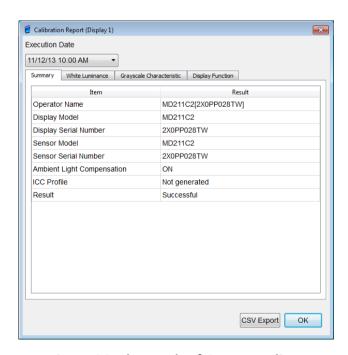


Figure 86: The result of Gamma Adjust

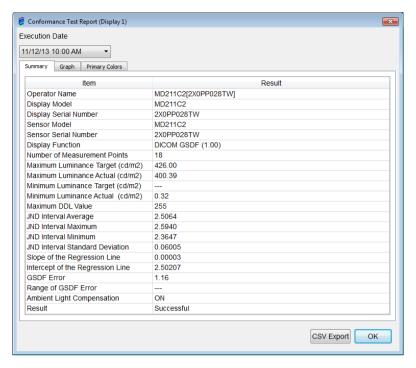


Figure 87: The result of DICOM Measurement

Using this function:

If you use this function, the following methods are required.

- (1) Open the StandaloneCalibration.ini file in the same folder as installer setup.exe.
- (2) Change StandAloneCalibration=0 into StandAloneCalibration=1 and overwrite it.
- (3) Install GammaCompMD QA.

This function can set up validity and invalidity only at the time of installation.

If you modify this function, the following methods are required.

- (1) Open the StandaloneCalibration.ini file in the same folder as installer setup.exe.
- (2) Change StandAloneCalibration=1 into StandAloneCalibration=0 and overwrite it.
- (3) Backup data when you uninstall, restore it after the reinstallation.

NOTE:

- Do not perform **Stand Alone Calibration** when you using the Main Screen of GammaCompMD QA Client. The results could be corrupted if you perform above both functions simultaneously.
- •If the date-time value of **Stand Alone Calibration** has future time-stamp, a warning dialog(**Figure 88**) is displayed at the start-up of a Main screen of GammaCompMD QA Client, and a result cannot be merged. Register the correct time when **Stand Alone Calibration** was performed.

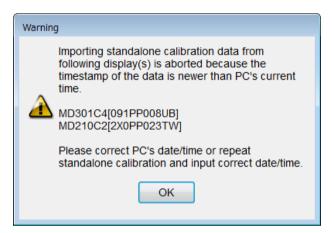


Figure 88: Warning Dialog

•When **Gamma Adjust** is performed, both the result of **Gamma Adjust** and the result of **DICOM Measurement** are merged to database of GammaCompMD QA. When **DICOM Measurement** is performed, only the result of **DICOM Measurement** are merged.

7.7. Administrator GammaCompMD QA - Display Maintenance

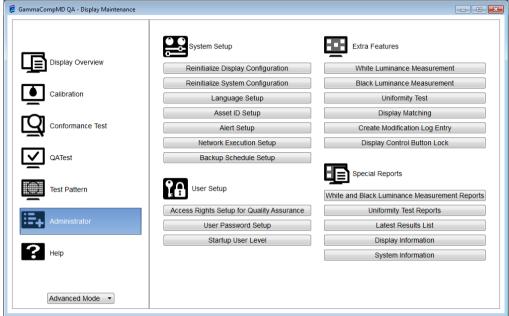


Figure 89: Administrator screen

7.7.1. System Setup

7.7.1.1. Re-initialization Display Configuration

In Figure 90, the Initialize Display Configuration dialog box is displayed. Confirm that the display arrangement and the display interface mode are set properly.

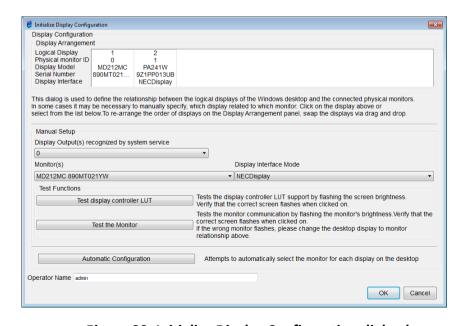


Figure 90: Initialize Display Configuration dialog box

Display Arrangement

The displays shown in **Display Arrangement** can be dragged and dropped to change the display arrangement. Use this method to re-order the logical display configuration to match the physical display arrangement on the work desk.

Display Interface Mode

This is used to classify each display. Three **Display Interface Modes** are available:

- ➤ **NECDisplay:** A NEC display, fully managed and targeted for calibration.
- > **StdDisplay:** Other displays where measurements are possible but calibration is not.
- ➤ NAVDisplay: Other displays like a Navigation or RIS monitor of a PACS system.

 This type of monitor is not selectable for any action at all.

Change the **Display Interface Mode** within the **Manual Setup** area in the following sequence:

- (1) Select the display targeted for change in the **Display Output(s) recognized by system service** pull-down menu.
- (2) Change the Display Interface Mode according to your requirements.

 Repeat these steps for subsequent displays and confirm the correct assignment of the
 Display Interface Mode to each display in the Display Arrangement area.

Automatic Configuration If the Display Arrangement was changed and therefore the relation with the Display Output(s) recognized by system service was changed, problems may occur with measurements on the correct target display. If this was changed unintentionally, an Automatic Configuration may help to correct this situation. By clicking the Automatic Configuration button, the currently connected displays and their Physical Monitor ID are automatically detected, and the appropriate display interface mode is set.

NOTE: Automatic Configuration will follow the arrangement as detected by Windows. In case of a non-standard display arrangement in Windows, as shown in **Figure 91**, a **Manual Setup** is required to match the logical display configuration with the physical display arrangement on the work desk.



Figure 91: Example of a non-standard Display Arrangement in Windows

NOTE: If Asset IDs were entered for the previously connected displays, these will be re-initialized. The Asset ID field for each display in the **Display Information Area** is shown blank.

OK button Applies the settings and closes the dialog box. If no **Operator Name**

is entered, this button is inactive.

Cancel button Closes the dialog box without applying the settings.

Test Functions

Test display controller LUT

There are occasions when the **Logical Display** and the **Physical Monitor ID** are switched with Windows identification, specifically with dual display controller arrangements, as shown in the example in **Figure 91**. In such cases, the measurement and calibration operations may not be performed on the correct target display, and proper results cannot be achieved. Use the following procedure to confirm the correct display connection:

- (1) Select the ID number in **Display Output(s) recognized by system service.**
- (2) Select the target display in Monitor(s).
- (3) Click the **Test Display Controller LUT** button in the **Test Functions** area, and confirm that the display, which was selected in step (2), quickly reduces brightness.

The Test Display Controller LUT function is performed on the Monitor(s) selected.

Test the Monitor

Now click the **Test the Monitor** button and confirm that the display, which was selected in step (2), slowly reduced brightness, and then comes back to normal. The **Test the Monitor** function is performed on the **Display Output(s)** recognized by system service selection. If the tested **NECDisplay** displays are the same as selected with (2) in both tests, then the change was successful. Enter the **Operator Name** and click **OK**.

If however if the tested **NECDisplay** displays were different in both tests, then the change was not successful. Perform these again with step (1).

In case of confusion, the **Automatic Configuration** feature may be used to restore the original settings and then to start the tests again with a defined display arrangement.

NOTE: The **Automatic Configuration** function cannot detect whether one of the connected displays is the Navigation or RIS monitor of a PACS system. Any display which cannot be detected as a **NECDisplay** will automatically be shown as a **StdDisplay**.



However, it is helpful to manually change the **Display Interface Mode** for the Navigation- or RIS-monitor to **NAVDisplay** within this **Initialize Display Configuration** process, in order to avoid operator mistakes.



Benefit: In GammaCompMD QA Client, a NAVDisplay cannot be selected for any action.

Using GammaCompMD QA Server, any NAVDisplay can be treated as non-addressable for any remote controlled action or retrieval of display status information.

7.7.1.2. Reinitialize System Configuration

When **Reinitialize System Configuration** is clicked in **Administrator**, the Information dialog box, as shown in **Figure 92**, is displayed. (Local) System Administrator access rights are required to initialize the system configuration.



Figure 92: Information dialog box

Clicking the OK button will either display a confirmation dialog box reminding about system administrator access rights, or a dialog box for raising the access rights level, depending on the operating system. Follow the instructions to complete this step. Then the **Initialize System Configuration** dialog box, as shown in **Figure 93**, will be displayed.

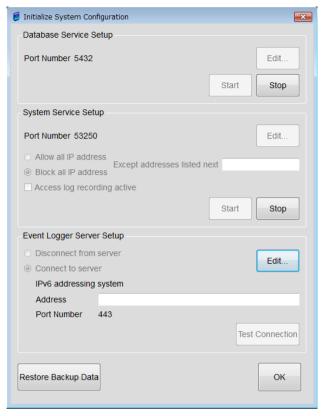


Figure 93: Initialize System Configuration dialog box

This dialog box is used to set up **Database Service**, **System Service** and **Event Logger Server** as well as to restore database content that was backed up when the **GammaCompMD QA Client** system was un-installed. Starting **System Service** also enables a connection to be established with **GammaCompMD QA Server** via network.

Database Service Setup

Any change of the port number for the Database service - called GCMDQADBService - is made here. The sequence of operation for a port number change is: $Stop \rightarrow Edit \rightarrow Start$.

Use the **Database Service Setup** dialog box shown in **Figure 94** to change the port number.

• Edit button

Click the **Edit** button to display the Database Service Setup dialog box, as shown in **Figure 94**.

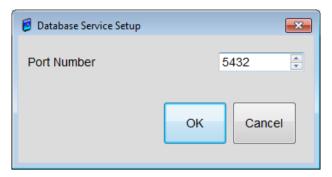


Figure 94: Database Service Setup dialog box

•Start button

Click the Start button to start the GCMDQA Database Service.

Stop button

Click the **Stop** button to stop the GCMDQA Database Service.

NOTE: The Database system service restarts operation when **Start** is clicked in the **Initialize System Configuration** dialog box. The value shown in **Figure 93** was initially defined during installation of **GammaCompMD QA client**. The main reason to change this port number is to avoid conflicts with other applications using the same port number on the same system.

System Service Setup

The system service referred to is called GCMDQA Engine Service.

This system service communicates with both the GammaCompMD

QA Client application on the local system and an active

GammaCompMD QA Server in the same network. The sequence of operation to set up or change this service is: Stop → Edit → Start.

All system service setting changes are performed with the System

Service Setup dialog box, as shown in Figure 95.

• Edit button

Click the **Edit** button to display the System Service Setup dialog box, as shown in **Figure 95**.

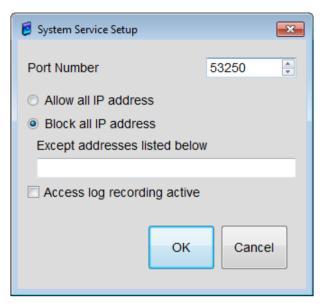


Figure 95: System Service Setup dialog box

> Allow All IP Addresses

If **Allow All IP Addresses** is selected, access is allowed from all addresses other than those specified as exception addresses.

Block All IP Addresses

If **Block All IP Addresses** is selected, access is blocked from all addresses other than those specified as exception addresses.

Except addresses listed below

Enter any IP address exceptions to the selected rule.

NOTE:

- When Allow All IP Addresses is selected, any IP address exceptions are not allowed.
- When **Block All IP Addresses** is selected, any IP address exceptions are allowed.
- Valid IP address exceptions are: Individual IP Version 4 addresses, IP Version 4
 wildcard address, IP Version 6, NetBIOS names or Windows host names. Multiple
 specifications are possible when separated by commas. IP addresses must not contain
 any leading zeros (0).
- When you select "Block all IP address" on the IPv6 addressing system which do not have temporary IPv6 address, Enter the all available IPv6 address include Link-Local address on the "Except addresses listed next" field.
- Select "Allow all IP addresses" on the IPv6 addressing system which have a temporary address.

- IP address examples:

- (1) Incorrect IPv4 address entry: "010.125.172.029", correct entry: "10.125.172.29".
- (2) IPv4 wildcard addresses: "192.168.4.*", "10.125.*".

> Access log recording active

If this box is checked, an access log is stored in the GammaCompMD QA database.

Start button

Click the **Start** button to start the QCMDQA Engine Service.

Stop button

Click the **Stop** button to stop the QCMDQA Engine Service.

Reference: The system service restarts operation when **Start** is clicked in the **Initialize System Configuration** dialog box. The settings shown in **Figure 95** were initially defined during installation of **GammaCompMD QA Client**. The main reason to change IP address settings is to connect the **GammaCompMD QA Client** with a **GammaCompMD QA Server** within the actual network installation.

Setting Up the Event Log Server

Event logs may be transmitted to the **GammaCompMD QA Server**, such as events specified for alerts or completion notices. These settings are made with the **Event Log Server Setup** dialog box, as shown in **Figure 96**.

• Edit button

Click the Edit button to display the Event Logger Server Setup dialog box, shown in Figure 96.

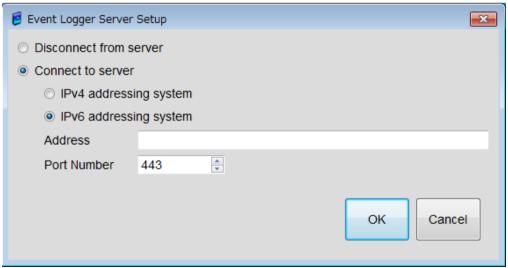


Figure 96: Event Logger Server Setup dialog box

Disconnect from Server

If selected, **GammaCompMD QA Client** does not connect to the server for the Event Logger Server.

Connect to Server

If selected, **GammaCompMD QA Client** connects to the server for the Event Logger Server. If **Connect to Server** is selected then it is possible to specify addresses and port numbers. Select IPv4 addressing system or IPv6 addressing system.

Address

Specifies the IP address of the server. Valid IP addresses are: The server's IP Version 4 address, IP Version 6 address, a NetBIOS name or Windows host name. An IP address must not contain any leading zero (0). Do not input a temporary IPv6 address.

Port Number

To specify the port number of the Event Logger Server

Test Connection button

After **Connect to server** is selected and set up the **Event Logger Server Setup** dialog box, shown in **Figure 96**. **Test Connection** is used to confirm the communication with the Event Logger Server. The button cannot be clicked if **Disconnect from Server** is selected or if no address has been entered.

NOTE: After a successful connection test a success message is displayed. If the connection test is not successful, please wait at least for two minutes until the connection test times out and returns with an error message.

NOTE: All Port address (number) settings, as shown in **Figure 96**, were initially defined during installation of **GammaCompMD QA Client**.

Restore Backup Data

Restores history data, which was either:

Backed up during a scheduled backup or A database backup during un-installation of **GammaCompMD QA Client**.

When **Restore Backup Data** is clicked, the **Select a backup file to be restored** dialog box, as shown in **Figure 97**, is displayed.

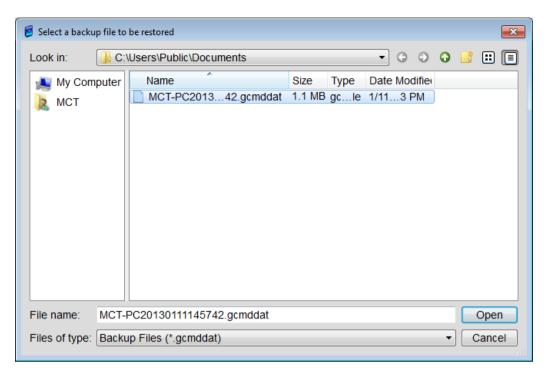


Figure 97: Select a backup file to be restored dialog box

When the file to be restored is selected in this dialog box and the **Open** button at the bottom right is clicked, a **Restoring Backup Data...** popup window is displayed until the restore process is completed.

NOTE:

Perform 7.7.1.1Re-initialization Display Configuration (page 105) after restoration.

Open button

Close the dialog box. The main window is closed at this time and the taskbar icon will disappear, please opens the main screen again.

7.7.1.3. Language Setup

Click Language Setup in Administrator to display Figure 98.



Figure 98: Language Setup dialog box

Language Six languages are available: English, Japanese, German, French,

Italian and Spanish.

Country Select your country from the list box. The [**Date and time formats**],

as well as [Numbers] format, as set in Windows [system locale]

will be used in GammaCompMD QA Client.

Cancel button Closes the dialog box without changing any language or country

settings

OK button Closes the dialog box and applies the language and country

selected. The **Information** dialog box will be displayed when the

dialog box closes (Figure 99).



Figure 99: Information dialog box

Clicking the OK button will close the main window and the taskbar icon will also disappear. You will need to reopen the main window, see **5.1 Start-up and shutdown of GammaCompMD QA Client** (page 47).

NOTE: The Information dialog box will be displayed even if no changes were made to the

language or country settings.

7.7.1.4. Asset ID Setup (Optional)

When **Asset ID Setup** is clicked in **Administrator**, the **Asset ID Setup** dialog box, as shown in **Figure 100**, is displayed. This dialog box may be used to enter a unique asset ID of the display for asset management purposes.

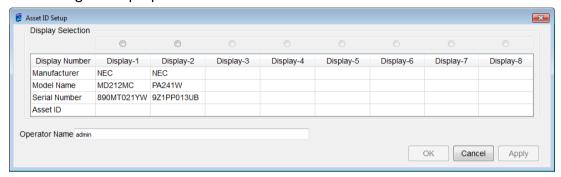


Figure 100: Asset ID Setup dialog box

Display Selection

Select the display, one at a time, by clicking the radio buttons above the display numbers. A cursor is then displayed in the **Asset ID** input field at the same time. If no asset ID is set, this field will be blank.

Asset ID input field

Enter an ID in the Asset ID field of the selected display. Any ID consisting of a maximum of 12 upper case or lower case alphanumeric characters can be created.

NOTE: As no duplicate check is performed for asset IDs, the same ID may be used for multiple displays such as using a group name. However, care should be taken, since it will be more difficult to distinguish these IDs in log information which is collected by the **GammaCompMD QA server**.

OK button Applies any c

Applies any changes and closes the dialog box. The **OK** button cannot be clicked unless the **Operator Name** is entered.

Cancel button

Closes the dialog box without applying the setting. However, any changes that were applied by clicking the **Apply** button cannot be returned to their previous state.

Apply button

Applies any changes but does not close the dialog box. The **Apply** button cannot be clicked unless the **Operator Name** is entered

7.7.1.5. Alert Setup

This dialog box is used to set error limits for measured values compared to predefined target values. You can also select whether to issue an alert (warning) when a preset limit is exceeded during the measurement.

When **Alert Setup** is clicked in **Administrator**, the **Alert Setup** dialog box, as shown in **Figure 101**, is displayed.

For every alert item, there is a checkbox option:

- To display a dialog box to the related display of the local workstation.
- To send alert information to the server in a GammaCompMD QA network environment when an alert is issued.

NOTE: Set the required preset values before executing a white luminance measurement, conformance test, or QA test.

Immediately after **Alert Setup** is clicked in **Administrator**, the White Luminance tab is displayed. The other setup dialog boxes can be displayed by clicking the tabs where **Conformance (1)**, **Conformance (2)** and **Others** appear.

Common settings for each tab

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Change all alert settings to their default values. Also uncheck all **Send to client workstation** checkboxes.

Apply to same display models

When operating a system with multiple connected displays of the same model, clicking this button copies the values that were set for the selected display to the other displays of the same model.

OK button Applies the settings and closes the dialog box. The **OK** button

cannot be clicked unless the **Operator Name** is entered.

Cancel button Cancels the settings and closes the dialog box. However, any setting

that was applied by clicking the **Apply** button cannot be returned to

its previous state.

Apply button Applies the settings but does not close the dialog box. The **Apply**

button cannot be clicked unless the **Operator Name** is entered.

Alert Setup Display Selection Display Number Di Display-1 D Display-2 Display-3 Display-4 Display-5 Display-6 Display-7 Display-8 MD212MC Model Name 890MT021YW 9Z1PP013UB Serial Number White Luminance Conformance (1) Conformance (2) Others Type of Alert Send to client workstation Send to Server White Luminance Test Error If White Luminance value exceeds the preset limit, activate the alert +/- 30.0 🖨 cd/m2 Operator Name admir OK Cancel Apply Restore Defaults Apply to same display models

White Luminance tab.

Figure 101: Alert Setup dialog box

White Luminance Test Error

Define the maximum deviation from the target value when the White Luminance value is measured. The target luminance value for white luminance calibration is used as the target value. The maximum deviation can be set in a range from $\pm 10.0 \, \text{cd/m}^2$ to $\pm 100.0 \, \text{cd/m}^2$.

Send to client workstation

To display a dialog box on the selected display when the preset limit is exceeded during measurement, check this checkbox.

Send to Server

Check this box to send an alert to the GammaCompMD QA Server when the preset limit is exceeded during measurement.

Select All/Deselect All

Select or deselect all tick boxes for both Send to client workstation **and** Send to Server.

Conformance (1) tab

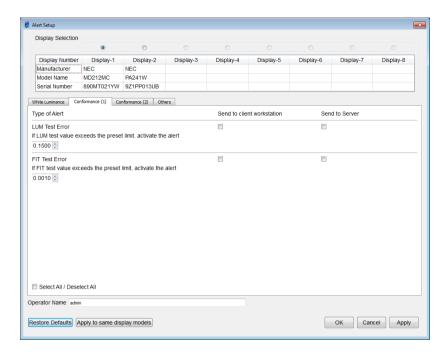


Figure 102: Alert Setup – Conformance (1) dialog box

LUM Test Error

Define the maximum permissible value for the standard deviation of the JND-Index intervals, which is back calculated from the luminance characteristics after grayscale calibration. This can be set in a range from 0.0001 to 0.9900.

FIT Test Error

Define the maximum permissible range for the slope of the straight line that was calculated when executing a linear regression analysis for the JND-Index interval data, which is back calculated from the luminance characteristics after grayscale calibration. This can be set in a range from 0.0001 to 0.9900.

Send to client workstation

To display a dialog box on the selected display when the preset limit is exceeded during measurement, check this checkbox.

Send to Server

Check this box to send an alert to the GammaCompMD QA Server when the preset limit is exceeded during measurement.

Select All/Deselect All

Select or deselect all tick boxes for both Send to client workstation **and** Send to Server.

Conformance (2) tab

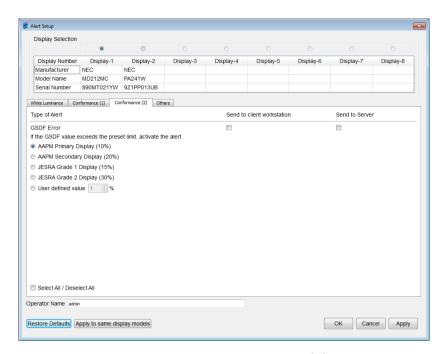


Figure 103: Alert Setup – Conformance (2) dialog box

GSDF Error (If the GSDF value exceeds the preset limit, activate the alert)

Define the reset limit when the conformance test is performed. If **User defined value** is selected, the preset limit can be selected or entered.

- > AAPM Primary Display (10%)
- > AAPM Secondary Display (20%)
- > JESRA Grade 1 Display (15%)
- JESRA Grade 2 Display (30%)
- ➤ User defined value: This can be set in a range from 1% to 50%

Send to client workstation

To display a dialog box on the selected display when the preset limit is exceeded during measurement, check this checkbox.

Send to Server

Check this box to send an alert to the GammaCompMD QA Server when the preset limit is exceeded during measurement.

Select All/Deselect All

Select or deselect all tick boxes for both Send to client workstation **and** Send to Server.

Other tab

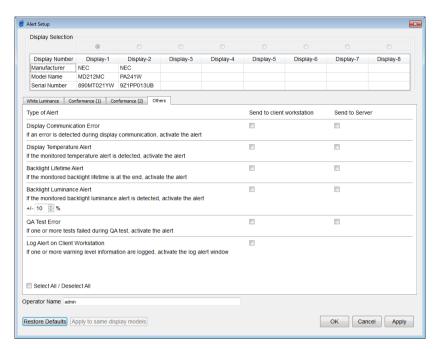


Figure 104: Alert Setup – Others dialog box

When the Others tab is clicked, the Alert Setup – Others dialog box, as shown in Figure 104, is displayed. This dialog box is used to select those alerts which need to be activated on all connected displays when a preset value is exceeded and an alert is activated.

NOTE: These settings apply to all displays and therefore a display cannot be selected.

Display Communication Error

Activates an alert when an error is detected while communicating with the display. To ignore the alert, uncheck the Send to client workstation checkbox.

Display Temperature Alert

Activates an alert when an abnormal temperature is detected during routine monitoring. To ignore the alert, uncheck the Send to client workstation checkbox.

Backlight Lifetime Alert Activates an alert when an abnormal expected backlight lifetime is detected during routine monitoring. To ignore the alert, uncheck the Send to client workstation checkbox.

Backlight Luminance Alert

Activates an alert when an abnormal backlight luminance is

detected during routine monitoring. A value from 0 to +/- 50(%) can be entered. To ignore the alert, uncheck the Send to client workstation checkbox.

QA Test Error

Activates an alert when a failure is detected in a QA test. To ignore the alert, uncheck the Send to client workstation checkbox.

Log Alert on Client Workstation

Displays a log alert popup window when a warning level log entry is created. To ignore the alert, uncheck the Send to client workstation checkbox.

Send to client workstation

To display a dialog box on the selected display when the preset limit is exceeded during measurement, check this checkbox.

Send to Server

Check this box to send an alert to the GammaCompMD QA Server

when the preset limit is exceeded during measurement.

Select All/Deselect All

Select or deselect all tick boxes for both Send to client

workstation and Send to Server.

NOTE: When multiple alerts in the **Alert Setup - Others** dialog box are activated at the same time, only the alert that was activated first is displayed to the **GammaCompMD QA Client**. To check whether multiple alerts were activated, refer to **10 Log Viewer** (page 153).

7.7.1.6. Network Execution Setup

Click **Network Execution Setup** in **Administrator** to display the **Network Execution Setup** dialog box, see **Figure 105**. This shows the status of network requests sent from the **GammaCompMD QA** server and can be used to suspend execution of tests. The network executions can only work with **Display sensors** (integrated front sensors or retractable sensors). An external sensor cannot be used.

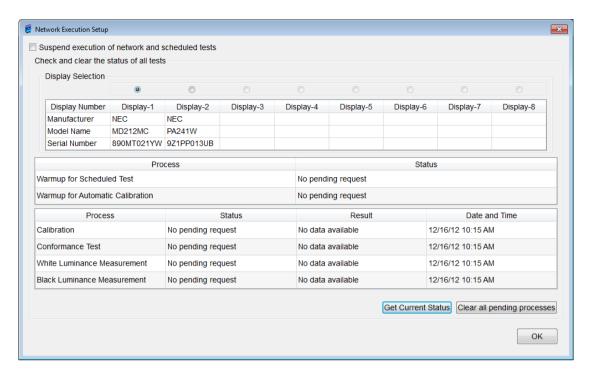


Figure 105: Network Execution Setup dialog box

Suspend execution of network and schedule tests

When this box is checked, no scheduled tests or network tests will be performed. They will be resumed when the box is unchecked.

NOTE: Scheduled tests will be performed when no user is logged into the system

Display selection

Check the box above a display to select the display. Only one display is selectable at a time.

Process, Status and Result

The Status column shows the status of each display. See **Guide to Status Information and Results** for information on the types of
statuses and results that can be displayed. Status information is
listed for the following processes. Results, date and time are
shown:

- Warm-up for Scheduled Test
- Warm-up for Automatic Calibration
- Calibrations
- Conformance Test
- White level measurement
- > Black level measurement

Status Information	Explanation	
No execution command	No execution command was provided.	
Command suspended	When it was time for execution to start,	
	either the Display Maintenance or Quality	
	Assurance or Visual Test main menu was	
	active. Or, when at time for execution to	
	start, the box to Suspend execution of	
	network and schedule tests was checked.	
	In the case of using Windows 8/8.1, a Start	
	Menu or Modern UI Application is showing.	
Command postponed	The operation was suspended by the user.	
Successful	The command was executed successfully.	
	This refers to an execution instruction	
	being provided successfully, but does not	
	mean that the activity has been completed	
	successfully.	
Needs to be executed	The display sensor is not correctly assigned	
manually	to the display, and/or an external sensor	
	has been selected.	
Command cancelled	The operation was cancelled.	
Command completed with	The operation failed.	
errors		
No Data	Execution of the process has not been	
	completed. This message is also displayed,	
	when the Clear Pending Processes button	
	was clicked.	

OK button Closes the dialog box.

Get Current Status Shows latest status for the display selected.

Clear all pending processes

For pending processes, scheduled tests postponed by the user will be shown. These can be cleared by clicking this button. The date and time will change as the statuses are updated internally.

NOTE: The Result column also reflects execution of commands by GammaCompMD QA

Client (Calibrations, etc.), when the system is not connected to GammaCompMD QA Server.

7.7.1.7. Backup Schedule Setup

Click **Backup Schedule Setup** in **Administrator** to display the **Backup Schedule Setup** dialog box (**Figure 106**). This function is used to back up the database. This database contains **GammaCompMD QA Client** setup and calibration, QA test reports and schedule entries, which will be backed up.

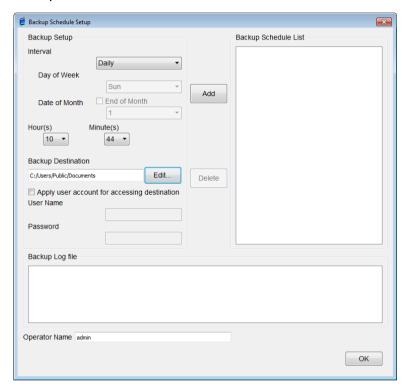


Figure 106: Backup Schedule Setup dialog box

Backup Setup

Interval

Set the frequency of backup execution (Daily, Weekly, Monthly).

Day of Week

Set the day of the week on which the backup will be executed. This is used when **Interval** is set as Weekly.

Date of Month

Set the date of the month on which the backup will be executed. This is used when **Interval** is set as Monthly.

• End of Month

Sets backup to be executed on the last day of each month. This is used when **Interval** is set as Monthly. If this box is checked, Date of Month selections are not possible.

Hour(s), Minute(s)

Set the time at which the backup will be executed. This can be set with any Interval setting.

Backup Destination

Indicate the directory (local or on a network disk) to which the backup file will be saved. The following is set as the Default destination when the program is installed.

- ➤ Windows XP:
 - C:\[Documents and Settings\ALL Users\Documents]
- ➤ Windows 7 and Windows8 / 8.1:
 - C:\[Users\Public\Documents]

To change the destination, click the Edit button. This will display the **Backup Destination** dialog box (Figure 107). The backup file will be saved as:

[Computer name] Year Month Day Hour Minute Second.gcmddat

(Example: If the computer name is Medical and the backup was done at 1:15:30pm on September 1, 2011, the file name will be MEDICAL20110901131530.gcmddat)

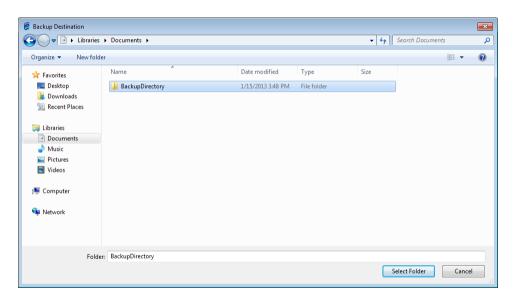


Figure 107: Backup Destination dialog box

Apply user account for

Sets the destination as a network folder requiring verification. If **accessing destination** is checked, an operator name and password can be entered. The password must consist of alphanumeric characters.

Add button

Adds the backup schedule to the list. The schedule will be shown in the **Backup Schedule List** on the right hand side of **Figure 106** (page 125). The schedule will be effective immediately upon entry in the list. This button cannot be clicked if no **Operator Name** is

entered.

Delete button Deletes a schedule from the Backup Schedule List on the right

hand side of Figure 106 (page 125). Select the schedule you wish to delete from the list and click the **Delete** button to delete the

schedule. Multiple schedules cannot be deleted at once.

OK button Closes the dialog box. The **OK** button cannot be clicked if no

Operator Name is entered.

Backup Log File Shows backup history with Successful or Failed.

7.7.2. User Setup

7.7.2.1. Access Rights Setup for Quality Assurance

This setup is only possible when the **Display Maintenance** menu has been opened. If it has been opened with the **Quality Assurance** menu, the item **Access Rights Setup for Quality Assurance** will not be listed in the **Tools** menu.

Click Access Rights Setup for Quality Assurance in Administrator to display the Access Rights Setup for Quality Assurance dialog box, see Figure 108. This function can allow or prevent access to various functions in the Quality Assurance in Technician level (Standard User level). Access to functions can be allowed or prevented by checking or un-checking the boxes. Figure 108 to Figure 113, show the checked and un-checked boxes by default when the program is installed.

Main Window tab (Figure 108)

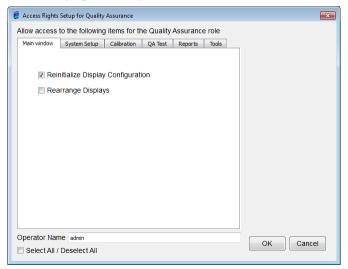


Figure 108: Access Rights Setup for Quality Assurance dialog box (Main window)

Allows or prevents access of a **Technician Mode** User to the following on the **Quality**

Assurance - main menu:

- ➤ Reinitialize Display Configuration
- Active Display Setup (A check box right of the display icon)
- System Setup tab (Figure 109)



Figure 109: Access Rights Setup for Quality Assurance dialog box (System Setup)

Allows or prevents access of a **Technician Mode** User to the following on the **Quality Assurance - System Setup** menu:

- > Display information
- System information
- Asset ID Setup
- Create Modification Log Entry
- Reinitialize System Configuration
- Sensor Setup
- Calibration Setup
- > Alert Setup
- Calibration tab (Figure 110)

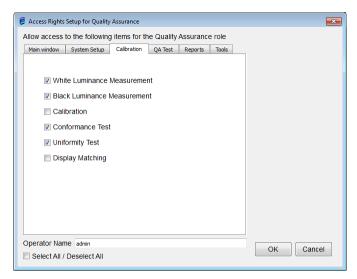


Figure 110: Access Rights Setup for Quality Assurance dialog box (Calibration)

Allows or prevents access of a **Technician Mode** User to the following on the **Quality Assurance - Calibration** menu:

- ➤ White Level Measurement
- ➤ Black Level Measurement
- Calibration
- Conformance Test
- ➤ Uniformity Test
- Display Matching

QA Test tab (Figure 111)



Figure 111: Access Rights Setup for Quality Assurance dialog box (QA Test)

Allows or prevents access of a **Technician Mode** User to the following on the **Quality Assurance - QA Test** menu:

- QA Test Start
- QA Test Setup
- > Test Pattern Setup
- Reports tab (Figure 112)

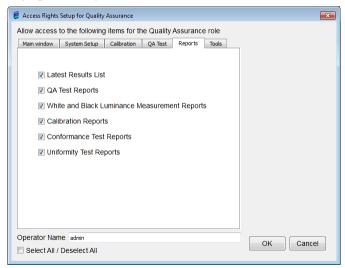


Figure 112: Access Rights Setup for Quality Assurance dialog box (Reports)

Allows or prevents access of a **Technician Mode** User to the following on the **Quality Assurance - Reports** menu:

➤ Latest Results List

- ➤ QA Test Reports
- White and Black Luminance Measurement Reports
- Calibration Reports
- Conformance Test Reports
- Uniformity Test Reports
- Tools tab (Figure 113)



Figure 113: Access Rights Setup for Quality Assurance dialog box (Tools)

Allows or prevents access of a **Technician Mode** User to the following on the **Quality Assurance - Tools** menu:

- ➤ Network Execution Setup
- Schedule Setup
- Display Control Button Lock
- Language Setup
- Backup Schedule Setup

7.7.2.2. User Password Setup

This setup is only possible when the **Display Maintenance** menu has been opened. If it has been opened with the **Quality Assurance** menu, the item **User Password Setup** will not be listed in the **Tools** menu. Click **User Password Setup** in **Administrator** to display the **User Password Setup** dialog box (Figure 114).

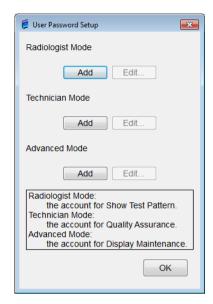


Figure 114: User Password Setup dialog box

Here you can define passwords for **Radiologist**, **Technician** or **Advanced** (expert) users to access certain levels and functions.

Add button

Shows the **Password Registration** dialog box (**Figure 115**) for each user level. This cannot be clicked if a password has already been set for that user level.



Figure 115: Password Registration dialog box

Edit button

Shows the **Password Modification** dialog box (**Figure 116**) for each user level. This cannot be clicked if no password has been set for that user level.



Figure 116: Password Modification dialog box

OK button

Closes the dialog box.

NOTE: The **Advanced Mode** user must make sure not to lose any user passwords. See **2.11 Lost Password** (page 16).

7.7.2.3. Startup User Level

When **Startup User Level** button is click in **Administrator**, the **Startup User Level** dialog box, as shown in **Figure 117**, is displayed. It is set the User Level that is executed when you double-click the **GammaCompMD QA Client** icon in the taskbar. It is not affected by this setting when you perform a function in other than double clicking GammaCompMD QA Client icon.

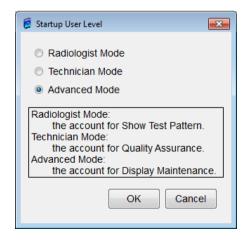


Figure 117: Startup User Level dialog

7.7.3. Extra Features

7.7.3.1. White Luminance Measurement

When **White Luminance Measurement** is click in **Administrator**, the White Luminance Measurement Start dialog box, as shown in **Figure 118**, is displayed.

If both display sensors and external sensors have been set for various displays, measurement starts with the displays for which display sensors are set and then starts for displays for which external sensors are set. Although measurement is executed simultaneously for multiple display sensors, it is executed in ascending order of display numbers for external sensors.

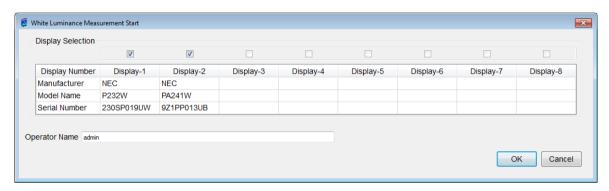


Figure 118: White Luminance Measurement Start dialog box

Display Selection Displays can be selected by checking the checkboxes above the

display numbers. Multiple displays can be selected.

Cancel button Cancel the settings and close the dialog box.

OK button When the **OK** button is clicked, measurement is started for the

selected displays.

When an external sensor is used, the sensor contact position guide, as shown in Figure 57 (page 81), is displayed. Click the **Continue** button to switch to the Measurement Start screen.

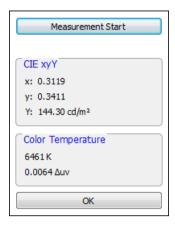


Figure 119: White Luminance Measurement Start screen

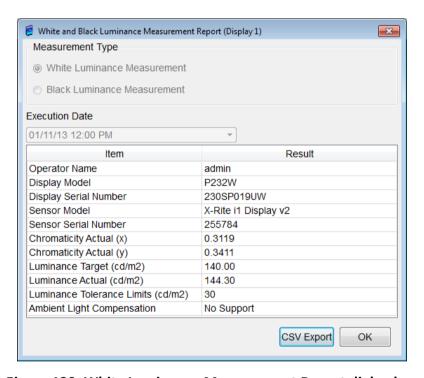


Figure 120: White Luminance Measurement Report dialog box

7.7.3.2. Black Luminance Measurement

Click the **Black Luminance Measurement** in **Administrator** to display the **Black Luminance Measurement** dialog box, as shown in **Figure 121**.

If both display sensors and external sensors have been set for various displays, measurement starts with the displays for which display sensors are set and then starts for displays for which external sensors are set. Although measurement is executed simultaneously for multiple display sensors, it is executed in ascending order of display numbers for external sensors.

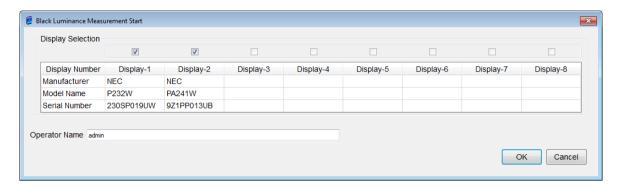


Figure 121: Black Luminance Measurement dialog box

Display Selection Check the box above the display number to select the display.

Multiple displays may be selected.

Closes the dialog box. The checks in the Display Selection and

Operator Name are not applied.

OK button When the **OK** button is clicked, measurement is started for the

selected displays.

When an external sensor is used, the sensor contact position guide shown in Figure 57 (page 81) will be displayed. Click on the **Next** button to proceed to the **Measurement Start** Screen.

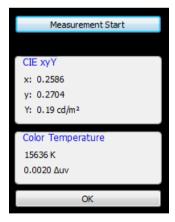


Figure 122: Black Luminance Measurement Start screen

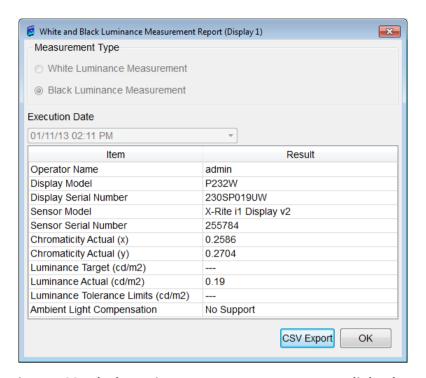


Figure 123: Black Luminance Measurement Report dialog box

7.7.3.3. Uniformity Test

Click the **Uniformity Test** in **Administrator** to display **Figure 124**, **Uniformity Test Start** dialog box.

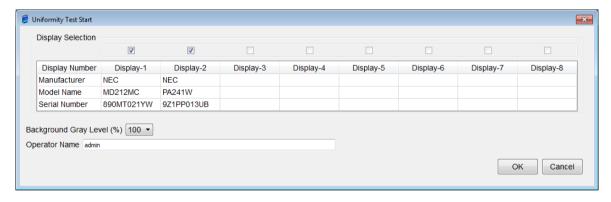


Figure 124: Uniformity Test Start dialog box

Display Selection

Check the box above the display number to select the display. Multiple displays are selectable.

Background Gray Level (%)

For uniformity testing, the gray level of the measurement patches (M1, E1 to E4) can be selected for luminance levels 10, 50, 80, and 100%.

Cancel button

Closes the dialog box without any action.

OK button

When the **OK** button is clicked, a uniformity test is started for the selected displays. Uniformity measurement patches similar to **Figure 125** are shown on each target display. The conformance test can be cancelled during execution using the **Cancel** button.

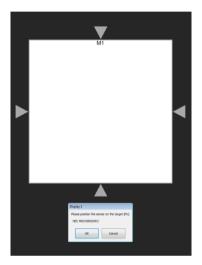


Figure 125: Uniformity Test dialog box

When the test is completed, the Uniformity Test Report dialog box similar to Figure 126 is shown on each target display.

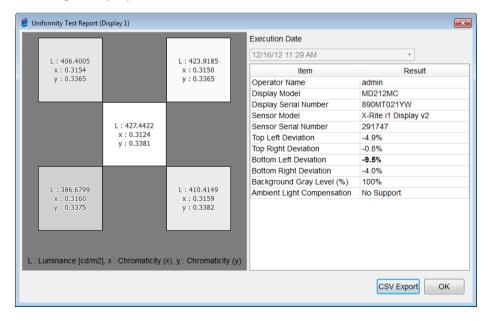


Figure 126: Uniformity Test Report dialog box

NOTE:

- •The luminance for the uniformity test reports refers to the output luminance for the target curve designated in the **Grayscale Function** tab within **7.2.5 Calibration Setup** (page 65).
- •An external sensor is required for uniformity testing. (Even if a display sensor was selected, the external sensor is automatically used.) If an external sensor is not connected or other application is using external sensor, the Figure 127 is displayed.

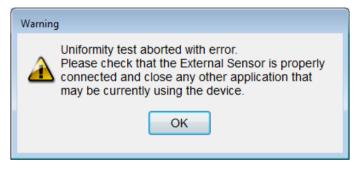


Figure 127: Warning dialog box

7.7.3.4. Display Matching

When you click on **Display Matching** in **Administrator**, the Display Matching dialog box **Figure 128** is displayed. Display matching is a function to adjust the luminance, color temperature and gamma correction curve from one display to one or more displays. The goal is that a target display has the same luminance, color temperature and gamma correction curve as the source display. An external sensor is required to perform display matching. Please refer to **7.2.6 Sensor Setup** (page 77) regarding correct sensor settings.

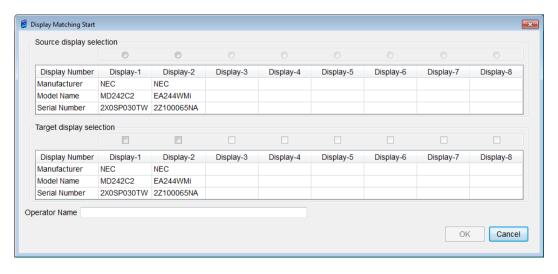


Figure 128: Display Matching dialog box

Source display selection The source display can be selected with the radio button above the

display number. Only one unit can be selected as the source

display.

Target display selection The target display can be selected with the check box above the

display number. Multiple target displays can be selected. You cannot select a target display if a source display has not been

selected.

Cancel button Closes the dialog box and cancels **Display Matching**.

OK button Start Display Matching with the OK button. If the Calibration Setup

dialog is displayed, it will automatically close when display matching starts. You can only click on **OK** if the source display and at least one target display are selected and the **Operator Name** is

entered.

NOTE:

• If you are using a sensor without color support or the target display is monochrome, color temperature cannot be adjusted.

- •You cannot select displays where the interface mode for both the source display and the target display is set as **NAVDisplay** as the interface mode. You cannot select the display either if **StdDisplay** is selected as the interface mode for the target display.
- •After all measurements on the source display have completed, all calibration parameters of the source display will be used to calibrate the target display(s). The calibration will not return to the previous parameters if the calibration of the target display is cancelled or interrupted.
- •It is necessary to do the calibration in either DICOM,L*or LogLinear to copy the display in advance if the display does not support the import feature custom curve. (Supported **Display Function** is depends on the display.) Please perform the calibration in **Grayscale**Characteristic or **Display Function**. And also it is not supported "NATIVE" curve.

7.7.3.5. Create Modification Log Entry

When Create Modification Log Entry is clicked in Administrator, the Create Modification Log Entry dialog box, as shown in Figure 129, is displayed. Enter any text (such as "change display" or "execute calibration") in the input field. The entered log name is shown as an Event in the Log Viewer (Level: Modification Log, Original: Operator).

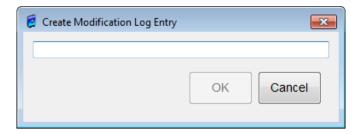


Figure 129: Create Modification Log Entry dialog box

Input field Up to 127 Upper case or lower case alphanumeric characters or

special characters (%, #, *, @, etc.) are valid.

OK button Applies the settings and closes the dialog box. The **OK** button

cannot be clicked unless any character is entered in the input field.

Cancel button The dialog box is closed without applying any settings.

7.7.3.6. Display Control Button Lock

When you click on **Display Control Button Lock** in **Administrator**, the **Display Control Button Lock** dialog box, see **Figure 130**, is displayed. This function is used to lock the buttons which are used to control the On-Screen-Display (**OSD**) function of a display. Locking the buttons of a calibrated display is very essential to prevent any changes of the display characteristics from intended or unintended tampering.

Displays other than those made by NEC and displays where the **Interface Mode** is set as **StdDisplay** or **NAVDisplay** cannot be selected. Also NEC models MD215MG, MD205MG, MD205MG-1 and Large Screen displays cannot be selected because they do not support the **Display Control Button Lock** function. Please refer to the list **1.7 Supported Display Models** (page 11).

NOTE: If one of the **Lock** commands is set, it will be applied **after the calibration is complete**. The **Lock** settings will not be applied if the calibration fails. If **Do not lock control buttons** is set, any **Lock** is released when the calibration starts.

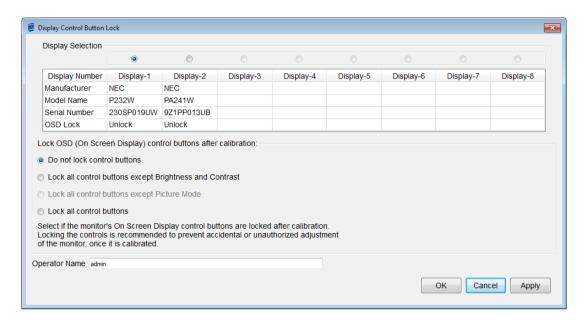


Figure 130: Display Control Button Lock dialog box

Display Selection

The display can be selected by changing the radio button above the display number to ON. Only one display can be selected at one time.

Lock OSD (On Screen Display) control buttons after calibration

Select one of the following three types for the lock status. The current settings will be selected when the display is selected.

Do not lock control buttons

Enable all OSD control buttons

➤ Lock all control buttons except Brightness and Contrast (Partial lock) Lock OSD control buttons except for Brightness and Contrast ratio. Only brightness changes will be possible on displays which do not support contrast ratio changes.

Lock all control buttons except Picture Mode Lock OSD control buttons except for Picture Mode.

Lock all control buttons

Lock all OSD control buttons. If all buttons are locked, **OSD LOCK OUT** will be displayed when an OSD control buttons is pressed on the blocked display.

OK button

Applies the settings and closes the screen. The **OK** button cannot be clicked if the **Operator Name** is not entered.

Cancel button

Closes the dialog screen without any action.

Apply button The settings are applied, but the dialog is not closed. The **Apply**

button cannot be clicked if the **Operator name** is not entered.

NOTE: For EA series, the following 2 lock types will get the same result:

"Lock all control buttons except Brightness and Contrast"

"Lock all control buttons".

7.7.4. Special Reports

7.7.4.1. White and Black Luminance Measurement Reports

Click White and Black Luminance Measurement Reports in **Administrator** menu to display the **White and Black Luminance Measurement Reports** dialog box.

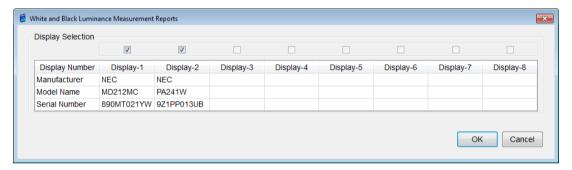


Figure 131: White and Black Luminance Measurement Reports dialog box

Display Selection Check the box above a display to select the display. Multiple

displays can be selected.

Cancel button Closes the dialog box.

OK button Show the White and Black Luminance Measurement Report

dialog box for the selected display. The OK button cannot be

clicked if no display is selected.

The list contains the following items: Operator Name, Display Model, Display Serial Number, Sensor Model, Sensor Serial Number, Chromaticity Actual (x, y), Luminance Target (cd/m^2) , Luminance Actual (cd/m^2) and Luminance Tolerance Limits (cd/m^2) .

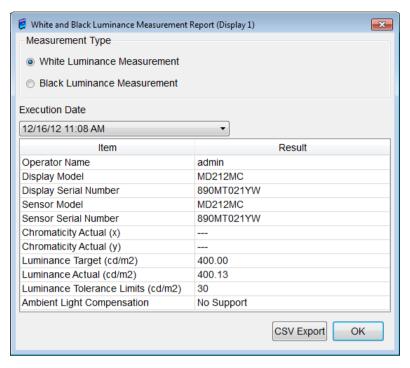


Figure 132: White and Black Luminance Measurement Report dialog box

Measurement Type Select White Level Measurement or Black Level Measurement to

display a list measurement reports for the item selected.

Execution Date If the list box under **Execution Date** is clicked, the latest report will

be displayed at the top, with previous reports underneath in order of date and time. Click the date you wish to view and that day's

measurement report will be displayed.

CSV Export button Reports can be saved as a CSV file.

OK button Closes the dialog box.

7.7.4.2. Uniformity Test Reports

Click **Uniformity Test Reports** in **Administrator** to display the **Uniformity Test Reports** dialog box.

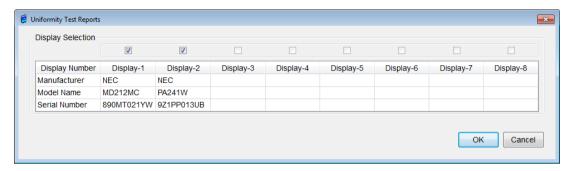


Figure 133: Uniformity Test Reports dialog box

Display Selection Check the box above a display to select the display. Multiple displays

can be selected.

Cancel button Closes the dialog box.

OK button Shows the **Uniformity Test Report** dialog box for the selected

display, see Figure 134. The OK button cannot be clicked if no

display is selected.

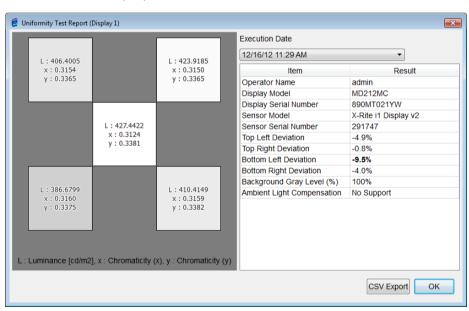


Figure 134: Uniformity Test Report dialog box

Execution Date If the list box under **Execution Date** is clicked, the latest report will

be displayed at the top, with previous reports underneath in order of date and time. Click the date you wish to view and that day's

measurement report will be displayed.

Graph

The graph on the left hand side displays the 5-point measurement graph. The graph shows the luminance and chromaticity (x, y) values for each screen area, and compares the luminance to the center area by lightening or darkening the area visually.

The list on the right hand side contains the following items: Operator Name, Display Model, Display Serial Number, Sensor Model, Sensor Serial Number, Top Left Deviation, Top Right Deviation, Bottom Left Deviation, Bottom Right Deviation and Background Gray Level (%).

CSV Export button Reports can be saved as a CSV file.

OK button Closes the dialog box.

7.7.4.3. Latest Results List

Click Latest Results List in Administrator to show the Latest Calibration Reports Display Selection dialog box.

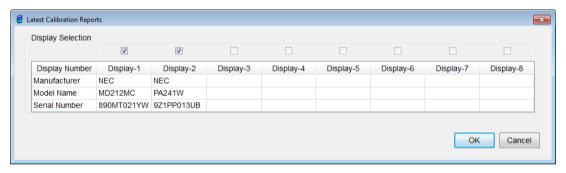


Figure 135: Latest Calibration Reports Display Selection dialog box

Display Selection Check the box above a display to select it. Multiple displays are

selectable.

Cancel button Closes the dialog box.

OK button Display Latest Report List (Display x) dialog box, for the selected

Display, see Figure 136. If no tests have been done, No Data will be displayed. The OK button cannot be clicked if no display is

selected.

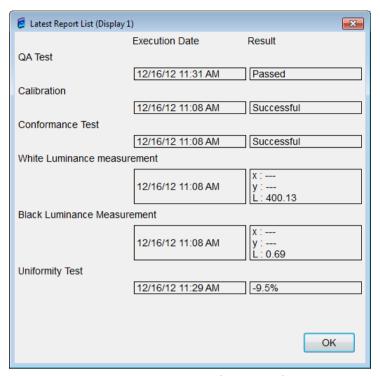


Figure 136: Latest Report List (Display x) dialog box

7.7.4.4. Display Information

When **Display Information** is clicked in **Administrator**, the **Display** Information dialog box, as shown in **Figure 137**, is displayed. This dialog box shows information about connected and supported displays.

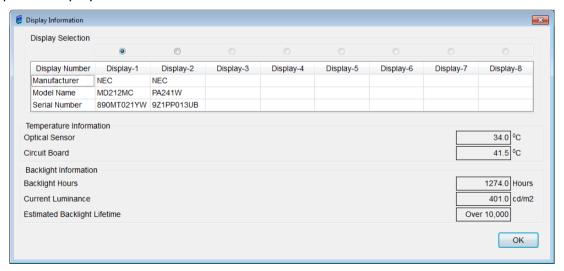


Figure 137: Display Information dialog box

Display Selection

Select a display, one at a time, by clicking the radio buttons above the display numbers.

Temperature Information and Backlight Information

Temperature and backlight information are displayed for the display whose radio button is selected in the Display Selection area. However, **No data** is displayed for any item where no information was received from the display.

Optical Sensor

Display the Celsius temperature of the optical sensor for the selected display.

Circuit Board

Display the Celsius temperature of the circuit board for the selected display.

> Backlight Hours

Display the number of hours that backlighting was active on for the selected display.

> Current Luminance

Display the current luminance value for the selected display.

> Estimated Backlight Lifetime

Display the estimated backlight lifetime for the selected display.

OK button

Closes the dialog box.

7.7.4.5. System Information

When **System Information** is clicked in **Administrator**, the **System Information** dialog box, as shown in **Figure 138**, is displayed. This dialog box shows information about displays that are connected. This dialog box shows display controller information and calibration schedule information for each supported display.

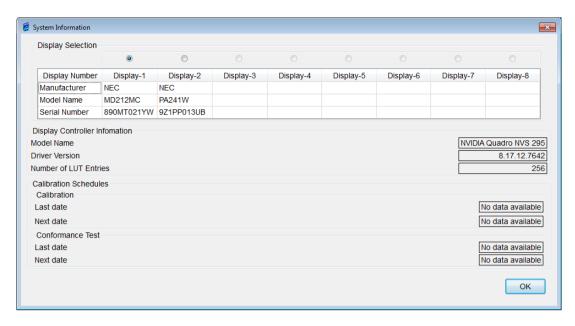


Figure 138: System Information dialog box

Display Selection

Select a display, one at a time, by clicking the radio buttons above the display numbers.

Display Controller Information

Information is displayed for the controller used by the display whose radio button is selected in the Display Selection area. "No Data" is displayed for any item where no information was received from the system.

Model Name

Displays the model name of the display controller with which the selected display is connected.

Driver Version

Displays the driver version of the display controller with which the selected display is connected.

Number of LUT Entries

Displays the number of lookup table (LUT) entries for the display controller with which the selected display is connected.

Calibration Schedules

Calibration and conformance test execution information is displayed for the display whose radio button is selected in the Display Selection area. "No Data" is displayed for any item where no information was received from the system.

Calibration (Last Date)

Shows the last date and time of when the selected display was calibrated. If there is no execution history, "No Data available" is displayed.

> Calibration (Next Date)

Displays the next date and time when the selected display is scheduled to be calibrated. If the next calibration is not scheduled, "No Data available" is displayed.

Conformance Test (Last Date)

Displays the last date and time when a conformance test was executed for the selected display. If there is no execution history, "No Data available" is displayed.

Conformance Test (Next Date)

Displays the next date and time a conformance test is scheduled for the selected display. If the next conformance test is not scheduled, "No Data" is displayed.

OK button

Closes the dialog box.

8. Help

This is a guide to the functions in the **Display Maintenance** displayed when **Help** is clicked on the menu bar.

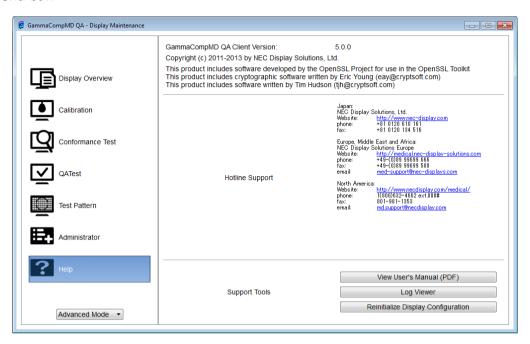


Figure 139: Help screen

Version Information Display such as Copyright and GammaCompMD QA Client Version.

Hotline Support Display the contact to support centre.

Support Tools

View User's Manual (PDF)

Display the User's Manual (PDF). Adobe Reader is required to read PDF File. (Recommended Ver7.0 or later)

Log Viewer

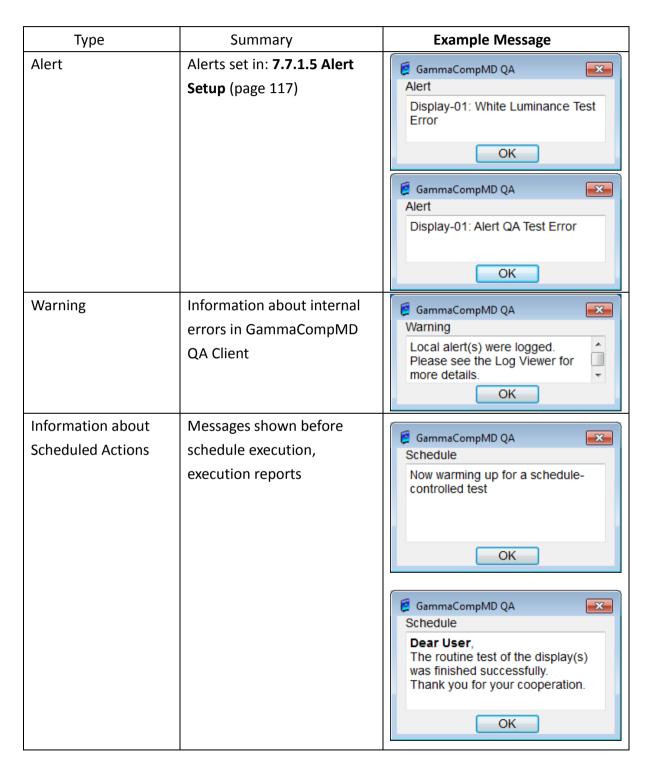
Display the Log Viewer, shown in 10 Log Viewer (page 153)

Reinitialize Display Configuration

Re-initialize the display, shown in 7.7.1.1 Re-initialization Display Configuration (page 105).

9. Alert and Warning Popup Windows

GammaCompMD QA Client displays popup windows with alerts, warnings and information on schedules actions. The popup windows appear in the bottom right hand corner of the display, which is configured as the **[main display]** in Windows. Here are the main types of messages.



10. Log Viewer

The **Log Viewer** (Figure 140) is a log in which operation logs, operation records, local alerts, warnings, application logs, network access logs, etc. can be viewed in chronological order.

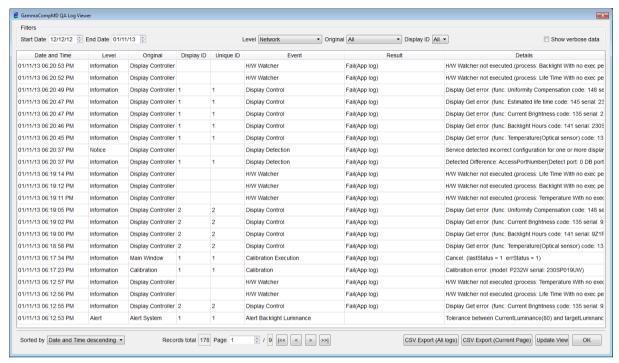


Figure 140: Log Viewer

Filters

The displayed information can be filtered by Start Date, End Date, Level, Origin and Display ID. Click Update View after choosing your Filters settings.

Start Date and End Date

Change the start and end date displayed using the ▲ ▼ buttons.

Start Date

When the log viewer is opened, all items with end dates in the last 30 days will be displayed. If the date is changed, the end date order may be automatically changed to accommodate the changes.

• End Date

When the log viewer is opened, the system date will be displayed. When changing this date, using the ▲ ▼ buttons, you cannot set a date later than the current system date. If the date is changed, the start date order may be automatically changed to accommodate the changes.

•Level

You can choose the log type (level).

Level	Explanation
Network	Server access log
Information (Level 2)	Application task log
Modification log	Operation record
Notice (Level 3)	Log of notices from applications
Alert	Alert record
Error (Level 4)	Application errors

Origin

You can choose the origin (source) of the logs which are displayed.

Origin	Explanation
All	All origins
Core Service	Shows GammaCompMD QA system service.
Display Controller	Shows display configuration modules.
Service Assistant	Shows popup window modules.
Initialization	Shows initialization modules.
Main Window	Shows the main window.
Calibration	Shows calibration execution modules.
QA	Shows QA Test execution modules.
Scheduler	Shows schedule execution modules.
Server	Shows the server.

Display ID

You can choose to view log related to a specific display.

Show verbose data

Check this box and click the **Update View** button to view logs that are not usually shown ("...Error" for events, Fail(AppLog) for reports, etc.)

Sorted by Change between descending and ascending orders.

Page buttons (|<<, >, >>|)

|<<: Go to first page <: Go to previous page
>: Go to next page >>|: Go to last page

Page Number box to select a certain page. Choose the page number by

clicking ▲ ▼ or typing a number then click the **Update View**

button to go to the page you wish to view.

CSV Export (All logs) Click CSV Export (All logs) to show the Log Viewer Save File dialog

box. Enter a file name for this .csv file and click the **Save** button to

save the complete log to a file.

CSV Export (Current Page) Click CSV Export (Current Page) to show the Log Viewer Save File

dialog box. Enter a file name for this .csv file and click the Save

button to save the current page to a file.

Update View button Updates log displayed according to your filter settings or other

choices.

OK button Closes the Log Viewer.

11. Trend Viewer

The trend viewer displays the history of the calibration, the conformance test, and the QA test in a graph.

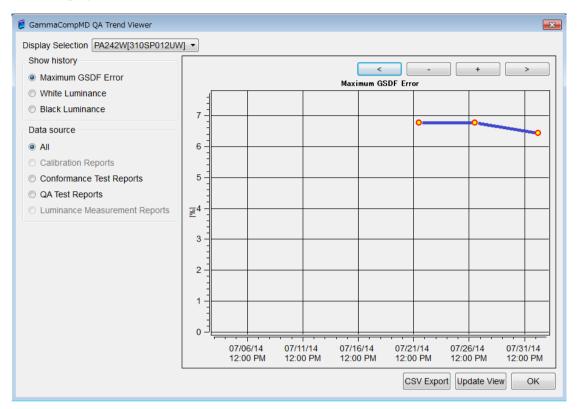


Figure 141: Trend Viewer

Display Selection

Select a display to make into a graph. A model name and serial number are displayed on a list.

Show history

Select the history to make into a graph. Select one from the following.

- o Maximum GSDF Error
- o White Luminance
- o Black Luminance

Data Source

Select a data source to make into a graph. The report without data cannot be selected. You can select as follows.

	Maximum GSDF Error	White Luminance	Black Luminance
All	Selectable	Selectable	Selectable
Calibration Reports	Not selectable	Selectable	Selectable
Conformance Test Reports	Selectable	Selectable	Selectable
QA Test Reports	Selectable	Selectable	Selectable
Luminance Measurement Reports	Not selectable	Selectable	Selectable

When "all" is selected, the measured value of all the reports is unified.

Graph area

A graph is drawn according to a user's selection.

'No data available' is displayed if there are no report data.

The default indication range is the past 30 days from the present.

You can move the range of a graph by the mouse dragging, also zoom-in and zoom-out by the mouse wheeling.

Buttons for graph operation. (<+->) The drawing range of a graph can be updated by button operation.

< button	The display range moves to the left.
> button	The display range moves to the right.
- button	Zoom out the graph.
+ button	Zoom in the graph.

CSV Export Button The graph data can be saved as a CSV file.

The graph data which is out of indication range will also be

saved.

Update View The graph is updated with the latest data.

OK Button Clicking OK closes the trend viewer.

12. Troubleshooting

No	Occurrence/Error	Solution
1	An error dialog appears saying	The database service or system service could
	"Communication with system	not be accessed.
	service failed. Please check	1.) Go to 7.7.1.2 Reinitialize System
	System Configuration	Configuration (page 108) and restart the
	Initialization in Settings and try	database service or system service.
	again."	2.) Check that the port number is not being
		used in another application.
2	An error dialog appears saying	Display information could not be obtained from
	"Communication with display	the QAengine service. Go to 7.7.1.2 Reinitialize
	failed. Please check settings	System Configuration (page 108) and restart
	and try again."	the database service or system service.
3	An error dialog appears saying	The database service could not be accessed. 1.)
	"Communication with	Go to 7.7.1.2 Reinitialize System Configuration
	database failed. Please check	(page 108) and restart the database service or
	System Configuration	system service.
	Initialization in Settings and try	2.) Check with your IT Administrator to ensure
	again."	that all firewall exceptions are in place as noted
		in About GammaCompMD QA Client (page 7).
4	An error dialog appears saying	Data from an external sensor could not be
	"Communication with sensor	obtained during measurement. Check that the
	failed.	sensor is connected and set it again in Sensor
	Please check the connection	Setup. (Refer to 7.2.6 Sensor Setup , page 77).
	and try again."	
5	An error dialog appears saying	The image file selected for the test pattern may
	"Incorrect Image File"	be corrupted. Check that the image file is not
	meerreet mage riie	corrupted and that the image format and size
		are correct and try again.
6	An error dialog appears saying	A restart command was given to the engine
	"System service restart failed."	service enabling the database service but the
	2,0tem service restart ranea.	service could not start. Restart the system and
		try again.
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No	Occurrence/Error	Solution
7	An error dialog appears saying	A start command was given to the engine
	"System service start failed."	service enabling the database service but the
		service could not start. Restart the system and
		try again.
8	An error dialog appears saying	An unforeseen internal error occurred.
	"An unforeseen error was	Restart the system and try again.
	detected in communication	
	with the system service"	
9	An error dialog appears saying:	Check that the MD-N2M5B sensor is
	"The test using the specified	connected. If the sensor is connected, try again
	number failed. Try a different	with a different serial number. Refer to 7.2.6
	number."	Sensor Setup (page 77).
10	An error dialog appears saying:	Case 1: When using a display with integrated
	"Reference calibration failed."	front sensor: Check that an external sensor is
		connected.
		Case 2: When using a display without a front
		sensor: Check that the retractable sensor
		(MD-N2M5B) and an external sensor are
		connected. Refer to 7.2.6 Sensor Setup (page
		77). If the sensors are connected, check that
		the sensors are supported and try again. Refer
		to 1.5 External Sensors (page 10).
11	An error dialog appears saying	An external sensor that supports color
	"Reference Calibration can't be	measurements is required to run the reference
	performed with the selected	calibration for the color display's front sensor.
	external sensor. Please use	Confirm that the external sensor's settings are
	color sensor."	correct and retry. Refer to 7.2.6 Sensor Setup
		(page 77).
12	An error dialog appears saying	Check that the sensor is connected.
	"No enabled external sensor	If the sensor is connected, check that this
	found. Check the connection	sensor is supported by GammaCompMD QA
	and try again."	Client. Refer to 1.5 External Sensors (page 10).

No	Occurrence/Error	Solution
13	An error dialog appears saying	The import files were not found for the custom
	"Calibration parameters could	gamma curve. In Calibration Setup , go to the
	not be saved."	Grayscale Function tab → Custom Curve -> Edit
		-> Custom Gamma Curve -> Import and check
		that the file to be imported exists and try again.
		Refer to 7.2.5 Calibration Setup (page 65).
14	An error dialog appears saying	The curve data being imported in the custom
	"Set first point to zero."	gamma curve dialog is not suitable.
		Make sure that the data starts from zero and
		the figures do not decrease.
15	An error dialog appears saying	The curve data being imported in the custom
	"Irregular increase in curve file	gamma curve dialog is not suitable.
	figures".	Make sure that the data starts from zero and
		the figures do not decrease.
16	An error dialog appears saying	■ Check whether sensor and display are
	"White level measurement	connected.
	was stopped due to an error."	■ Close any other application which may use
		the sensor.
17	An error dialog appears saying	■ Check whether sensor and display are
	"Black level measurement was	connected.
	stopped due to an error."	■ Close any other application which may use
		the sensor.

No	Occurrence/Error	Solution
18	An error dialog appears saying	■ Check whether sensor and display are
	"Calibration was stopped due	connected.
	to an error."	■ Calibration may not be possible with the
		selected calibration target values.
		Open the Calibration Setup dialog box, check
		the selected calibration target values (refer to
		7.2.5 Calibration Setup , page 65) and start
		calibration again.
		■ Check that the correct preferred sensor is
		selected in Sensor Setup . Open the Sensor
		Setup dialog box, check the Preferred Sensor
		(refer to 7.2.6 Sensor Setup, page 77) and start
		calibration again.
		■ Close any other application which may use
		the sensor.
19	An error dialog appears saying	■ An external sensor that supports color is
	"Calibration can't be	necessary to run if the white luminance
	performed with the current	calibration mode is other than Native or No
	external sensor.	Change.
	Please change the White	■ Change the white luminance calibration
	Luminance Calibration Mode	(7.2.5 Calibration Setup , page 65), or change to
	or use a color sensor."	an external sensor which supports color (7.2.6
		Sensor Setup, page 77) and try again.
20	An error dialog appears saying	■ Check that the sensor and display are
	"Conformance test was	connected.
	stopped due to an error."	■ Close any other application which may use
		the sensor.
21	An error dialog appears saying	■ Check that the sensor and display are
	"Uniformity test was stopped	connected.
	due to an error."	■ Close any other application which may use
	Check that the external sensor	the sensor.
	is connected and close any	
	other applications using the	
	sensor."	

No	Occurrence/Error	Solution
22	An error dialog appears saying	■ Confirm that the external sensor and the
	"Display Matching aborted	display are connected.
	with error."	■ If there is another application using the
		sensor, close it.
		■ Ensure that the target display's luminance
		and color temperature can reach the same
		values as the source display. Confirm the range
		for each item in the user manual of each
		display model. Run Display Matching again
		with displays with the same capabilities and
		roughly the same usage hours.
23	An error dialog appears saying	■ Ensure that the target display's luminance
	"Display Matching failed.	and color temperature can reach the same
	White Luminance did not	values as the source display. Confirm the range
	reach the target or failed to set	for each item in the user manual of each
	the target curve."	display model. Run display matching again with
		displays which have the same capabilities and
		roughly the same usage hours.
		■ The target curve of the source display may
		not be appropriate. Call up the Calibration
		Start dialog with Calibration, and perform a
		separate calibration on each individual display.
		See 7.2 Calibration (page 57). Then start
		Display Matching again.
24	An error dialog appears saying	■ Confirm that the external sensor and the
	"No External Sensor	display are connected.
	detected."	■ If there is another application using the
		sensor, close it.
25	An error dialog appears saying	■ Check that the destination folder is not
	"CSV export failed. Check the	read-only and then try again.
	destination and try again."	
26	An error dialog appears saying	In the backup schedule dialog, the data could
	"Could not write test data.	not be written to the destination.
	Check access right."	■ Change the backup destination or check that
		the destination folder is not set as "read-only"
		and try again.

No	Occurrence/Error	Solution
27	An error dialog appears saying	HTML or CSV export failed in the QA Test
	"Could not open file."	Reports dialog box.
		■ Check that the destination folder is not set as
		"read-only" and then try again.
28	An error dialog appears saying	There was no response from the server.
	"Communication with the	■ Check that the client system and server
	Event Logger Server failed."	system were able to obtain IP addresses, and
		that the specified server address is correct.
		Refer to 7.7.1.2 Reinitialize System
		Configuration (page 108).
29	An error dialog appears saying	The number of available licenses in the
	"Communication with the	GammaCompMD QA Server is exhausted. ■
	Event Logger Server failed. No	Contact your GammaCompMD QA Server
	vacant license on the server	Manager.
	side."	
30	Communication with the Event	The software version of client(s) and server is
	Logger Server failed. Incorrect	different. Please update either all
	version of server found.	GammaCompMD QA Clients or the
		GammaCompMD QA Server to use the same
		Version to enable proper communication.
31	Schedule execution is not	■ Check that the Pause box is not checked for
	performed.	Network Test or Schedule Test in Network
		Setup. Uncheck the box for the schedule you
		wish to execute and try again. Refer to 7.7.1.6
		Network Execution Setup (page 122).
		■ Check that the main window and QA test
		dialog box are not open. If they are, close them
		and try again.
		■ If a password is needed to turn off the screen
		saver it cannot be turned off automatically.

No	Occurrence/Error	Solution
32	An "X" appears in Target	An "X" appears next to Target Display Setting if
	Display Setting in the display	a display is connected with a different display
	information area.	configuration compared last time, or if the
		display is disconnected.
		■ If the display has been changed back to the
		previous display configuration, click Update
		Display Information and check that the "X" has
		disappeared.
		■ If you wish to apply a new configuration, you
		will need to Reinitialize Display Configuration.
		Refer to 7.7.1.1 Re-initialization Display
		Configuration (page 105).
33	A "?" (question mark) appears	A "?" appears next to Target Display Setting if
	next to Target Display Setting	the resolution or coordinates of a display have
	in the display information	changed since the last time, or if the display is
	area.	not turned on.
		■ If the display has been changed back to the
		previous display configuration, click Update
		Display Information and check that the "?" has
		disappeared.
		■ If you wish to apply a new configuration, you
		will need to Reinitialize Display Configuration .
		Refer to 7.7.1.1 Re-initialization Display
		Configuration (page 105).
34	An error dialog appears saying	GammaCompMD QA Client cannot startup
	"Communication with the	because the engine service
	system service failed.	(GCMDQAEngineService) is disabled.
	The service may not have	Click OK to the error dialog to start the engine
	been started.	service. Then manually start GammaCompMD
	An administrator account for	QA Client.
	the Operating System is	
	required to start it manually.	
	If you want to start the	
	service, click OK."	

No	Occurrence/Error	Solution
35	An error dialog appears saying	Display matching failed.
	"Display Matching aborted	It may be that either the measured brightness
	with error.	or chromaticity of the source display is not
	The measurement results of	supported by the target display.
	the source display does not fit	Please prepare the target display that supports
	to the target"	brightness and chromaticity of the source
		display.
36	An error dialog appears saying	Display does not support GammaCompMD QA
	"The application was not able	Client.
	to automatically determine the	Select a suitable display from "Display
	technology of this display.	technology type:" list and continue the
	In order to achieve the best	operation.
	possible color accuracy, select	
	the display technology from	
	the list below.	
	Please refer to the display's	
	documentation or contact the	
	manufacturer if the display	
	technology is unknown."	
37	An error dialog appears saying	Display matching failed.
	"Display Matching aborted	There is a limit to the Display Function that can
	with error.	support the display of destination. Refer to
	Calibration not performed for	7.7.3.4 Display Matching (page 139).
	the source display, or it is	
	performed with the target	
	curve that can not apply to the	
	Display atching. Please check	
	the source display's target	
	curve and perform	
	Calibration."	

No	Occurrence/Error	Solution
38	The server can't	It may improve, if a system service's port of the
	communicate to client after	client is opened. Please check the port number
	setting of the firewall.	of the system service setup.
		See 7.7.1.2 Reinitialize System Configuration
		(page 108).
		Open a port by the windows firewall or your
		firewall setup tool.
39	When EA model is calibrated	Select the "SOUND INPUT" on OSD Menu.
	by connecting Display port	Touch the down key of UP-DOWN key and input
	HDMI, a luminosity is lower	key simultaneously.
	than target luminosity.	When displayed as EDID128, turn off and turn
		on a display again.
		* 音量 **SOUND INPUT **VIDEO DETECT **MULTI PICTURE **PICTURE PATTERN **ACTIVE PICTURE **オフタイマー **POWER SAVE TIMER **LEDブライトネス **DDC/CI **USB POWER **オールリセット

13. MD215MG EDID Serial Number Update Tool

13.1. Overview

The NEC model MD215MG is supported by GammaCompMD QA Client. All communication is performed via DCC/CI commands over a **USB cable**. Multiple MD215MG displays which are connected to the same system must be calibrated sequentially. The serial number of each unit is required to identify a MD215MG display. Normally it is stored in the EDID data of a display and retrieved and stored in the Windows registry during a system start. In case of the model MD215MG, the serial number is not stored within in the EDID, but in a different storage location inside the display. This chapter instructs on how to read the serial number from the MD215MG and to store it in the **GammaCompMD QA Client** database, using the **MD215MG EDID Serial Number Update Tool**.

Operating System Environment

Windows XP 32/64, Windows 7 32/64bit, Windows 8 / 8.1 32/64bit

Software Environment

GammaCompMD QA Client Version 4.0.40 or later

Hardware Environment

One or more MD215MG with connected USB cable(s) directly connected to the system.

NOTE:

- A daisy chain setup of the USB cables from display to display is not supported.
- USB 3.0 connections are not supported. Please use a USB 2.0 connector.
- Using this tool is a one-time action, as long as the display / display controller configuration is not changed.

13.2. Hardware Setup

Connect one or more MD215MG display(s) to the workstation, using the DVI and USB cables provided.

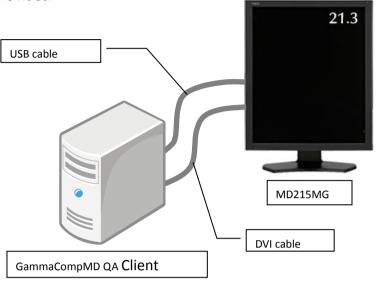


Figure 142: Connections

13.3. Software Installation

This tool is included in the **GammaCompMD QA Client** software package.

GammaCompMD QA Client must be installed prior to use.

13.4. Starting the Software

During the installation of **GammaCompMD QA Client**, this tool will be installed into the following default directory:

Windows 32-bit versions

C:\[Program Files]\NECDS\QA_Client\QADisplaySerialRewrite.exe

Windows 64-bit versions

C:\[Program Files(x86)]\NECDS\QA_Client\QADisplaySerialRewrite.exe

Double-click on this file name to start the software.

13.5. Writing Serial Number(s) to EDID Data

The software will start and show **Detecting connected display(s)** (Figure 143).

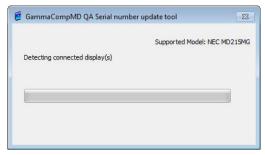


Figure 143: Detecting Connected Display(s)

The message **Start updating serial number** will appear after the display has been successfully detected (**Figure 144**). Click OK to update the serial number.

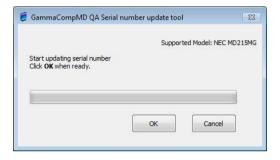


Figure 144: Serial Number Update Tool

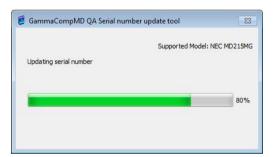


Figure 145: Updating Serial Numbers

Serial numbers will be updated for all displays currently connected. A dialog box will be displayed after a successful update (Figure 146).



Figure 146: Update Successful

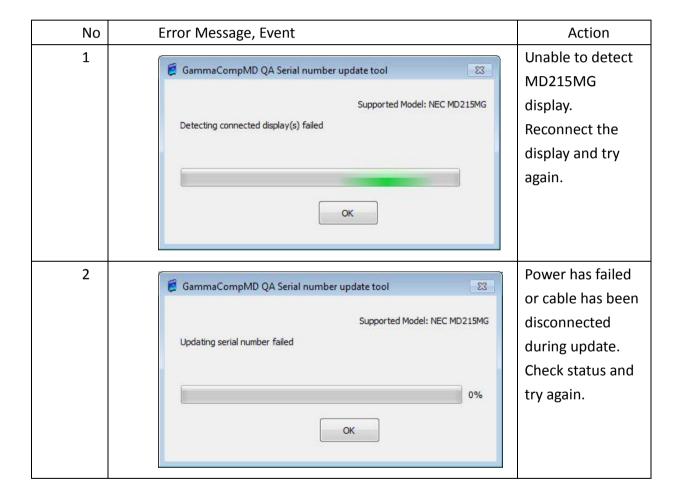
Update of N display(s) successful, Click OK when complete.

The value N will show the number of displays currently connected. (N=1 to 8)

13.6. Calibration

The model NEC MD215MG is now ready to be calibrated using GammaCompMD QA. Calibration can begin after GammaCompMD QA software has been started and the MD215MG display(s) have been identified.

13.7. Troubleshooting



14. Notes

14.1. Restrictions

If you are using **GammaCompMD QA Client** in multiple accounts, do not use the **[Windows]** [Switch User] function, but either **[Log off]** or restart your computer to change the login account.

14.2. Copyright Information

This product includes the following software:

- QT 4.7
- PostgreSQL 8.4.17
- The Java(TM) Runtime Environment (JRE) JRE SE 6 update 24

Use of the Commercial Features for any commercial or production purpose requires a separate license from Oracle. "Commercial Features" means those features identified Table 1-1 (Commercial Features In Java SE Product Editions) of the Java SE documentation accessible at

http://www.oracle.com/technetwork/java/javase/documentation/index.html

OpenSSL 1.0.0

This product includes software developed by the **OpenSSL Project** for use in the **OpenSSL Toolkit**.

This product includes cryptographic software written by Eric

Young.(eay@cryptsoft.com)

This product includes software written by Tim Hudson. (tjh@cryptsoft.com)

- Microsoft Visual C++ Runtime library 10.0.30319
- Apache Commons BeanUtils 1.7.0
- Apache Commons Collections 3.2
- Apache Commons Digester 1.8
- Apache Commons Lang 2.2
- Apache Commons Logging 1.1.1
- Apache Commons Math 1.1
- Apache Xerces-C++ XML Parser 2.7
- Apache Xerces-C++ XML Parser 3.0
- Apache Commons Daemon 1.0.5.0
- Qwt 6.1.0

This product is based in part on the work of the Qwt project (http://qwt.sf.net).

15. Appendix

15.1. ACR AAPM SIIM Default Rank

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Model	LCD Type (PVA / IPS)	Pixel Pitch(N.NNNN mm)	Native Resolution	PbP Native Resolution	ACR Default Rank	Luminance Default	Black Level Default	White Point Default
LCDEA193Mi	IPS	0.293	1280x1024		Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native
LCDEA224WMi	IPS	0.248	1920x1080		Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native
LCDEA234WMi	IPS	0.265	1920x1080		Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native
LCDEA244WMi	IPS	0.270	1920x1200		Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native
LCDEA273WMi	IPS	0.311	1920x1080		Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native
LCDEA294WMi	IPS	0.263	2560x1080		Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native
LCDEA244UHD	IPS	0.137	3480x2160	1920x2160 1280x2160 1920x1080	Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native
LCDEA304WMi	IPS	0.251	2560x1600	1280x1600	Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native
LCDP221W	PVA	0.282	1680x1050		Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native
LCD P402	PVA	0.461	1920x1080		Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native
LCD P462	PVA	0.530	1920x1080		Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native
LCD M401	PVA	0.461	1920x1080		Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native
LCD M461	PVA	0.530	1920×1080		Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native
LCD P401	PVA	0.461	1920x1080		Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native
LCD P461	PVA	0.530	1920x1080		Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native
LCD P521	PVA	0.600	1920x1080		Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native
LCD S401	PVA	0.461	1920x1080		Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native
LCD S461	PVA	0.530	1920x1080		Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native
LCD S521	PVA	0.600	1920x1080		Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native
LCD4020	PVA	0.648	1366x768		Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native
LCD4620	PVA	0.746	1366x768		Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native
LCD5220	PVA	0.600	1920x1080		Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native
LCD6520L	PVA	0.744	1920x1080		Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native
LCD6520P	PVA	0.744	1920x1080		Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native
LCDX461HB	PVA	0.746	1366x768		Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native

LCDX461UN	PVA	0.746	1366x768		Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native
Multeos M40	PVA	0.461	1920x1080		Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native
Multeos M46	PVA	0.530	1920x1080		Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native
X841UHD	IPS	0.485	3840x2160	1920x2160 1920x1080	Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native
MD21GS-2MP (Blue Base)	IPS	0.270	1200x1600		Diagnostic	350 cd/m2	1.2 cd/m2	
MD21GS-2MP (Clear Base)	IPS	0.270	1200x1600		Diagnostic	350 cd/m2	1.2 cd/m2	
MD21GS-3MP (Blue Base)	IPS	0.212	1536x2048		Diagnostic	350 cd/m2	1.2 cd/m2	
MD21GS-3MP (Clear Base)	IPS	0.212	1536x2048		Diagnostic	350 cd/m2	1.2 cd/m2	
MD21M (LCD2190UXi medical model)	IPS	0.270	1600x1200		Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native
MD210C2	IPS	0.270	1200x1600		Diagnostic	350 cd/m2	1.2 cd/m2	Native
MD210C3	IPS	0.216	1536x2048		Diagnostic	350 cd/m2	1.2 cd/m2	Native
MD211C2	IPS	0.270	1200x1600		Diagnostic	350 cd/m2	1.2 cd/m2	Native
MD211C3	IPS	0.212	1536x2048		Diagnostic	350 cd/m2	1.2 cd/m2	Native
MD242C2	IPS	0.270	1920x1200	960x1200	Diagnostic	350 cd/m2	1.2 cd/m2	Native
MD211G3	IPS	0.212	1536x2048		Diagnostic	350 cd/m2	1.2 cd/m2	
MD212MC	IPS	0.270	1600x1200		Diagnostic	350 cd/m2	1.2 cd/m2	Native
MD213MC	IPS	0.212	1536x2048		Diagnostic	350 cd/m2	1.2 cd/m2	Native
MD213MG	IPS	0.212	1536x2048		Diagnostic	350 cd/m2	1.2 cd/m2	
MD304MC (LCD3090WQXi medical model)	IPS	0.251	2560x1600		Secondary	250 cd/m2	1.2 cd/m2	Native
MD301C4	IPS	0.251	2560 × 1600	1280 × 1600	Diagnostic	350 cd/m2	1.2 cd/m2	Native
MD322C8	IPS	0.182	3840x2160	1920x2160 1920x1080	Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native
MD205MG	IPS	0.156	2048x2560		Mammography	420 cd/m2	1.2 cd/m2	
MD205MG-1	IPS	0.156	2048x2560		Mammography	420 cd/m2	1.2 cd/m2	
MD215MG	IPS	0.165	2048x2560		Mammography	420 cd/m2	1.2 cd/m2	
MD211G5	IPS	0.165	2048x2560		Mammography	420 cd/m2	1.2 cd/m2	
MD212G3	IPS	0.212	1536x2048		Diagnostic	350 cd/m2	1.2 cd/m2	Native

LCD1990SX	PVA	0.294	1280x1024		Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native
LCD1990SXi	IPS	0.294	1280x1024		Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native
LCD1990SXp	PVA	0.294	1280x1024		Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native
LCD2090UXi	IPS	0.255	1600x1200		Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native
LCD2190UXi	IPS	0.270	1600x1200		Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native
LCD2190UXp	PVA	0.270	1600x1200		Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native
LCD2490WUXi2	IPS	0.270	1920x1600		Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native
LCD2690WUXi2	IPS	0.287	1920x1200		Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native
LCD2490WUXi	IPS	0.270	1920x1200		Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native
LCD2690WUXi	IPS	0.287	1920x1200		Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native
LCD3090WQXi	IPS	0.251	2560x1600		Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native
P232W	IPS	0.265	1920x1080		Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native
P241W	IPS	0.270	1920x1200		Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native
P242W	IPS	0.270	1920x1200		Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native
PA231W	IPS	0.265	1920x1080		Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native
PA241W	IPS	0.270	1920x1200		Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native
PA242W	IPS	0.270	1920x1200	960x1200	Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native
PA271W	IPS	0.233	2560x1440		Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native
PA272W	IPS	0.233	2560x1440	1280x1440	Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native
PA301W	IPS	0.251	2560x1600		Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native
PA302W	IPS	0.251	2560x1600	1280x1600	Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native
PA322UHD	IPS	0.182	3840x2160	1920x2160 1920x1080	Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native
MD302C4	IPS	0.251	2560x1600	1280x1600	Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native
MD302C6	IPS	0.197	3280×2048 3072×2048	1640×2048 1536×2048	Diagnostic	350 cd/m2	1.2 cd/m2	
EA274WMi	IPS	0.233	2560x1440	1280x1440	Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native
AVC2N0N	IPS	0.270	1200x1600		Diagnostic	350 cd/m2	1.2 cd/m2	Native
AVC2N1N	IPS	0.270	1200x1600		Diagnostic	350 cd/m2	1.2 cd/m2	Native
AVC2N2N	IPS	0.270	1200x1600		Diagnostic	350 cd/m2	1.2 cd/m2	Native
AVC2N3N	IPS	0.270	1920x1200	960x1200	Diagnostic	350 cd/m2	1.2 cd/m2	Native
AVC3N0N	IPS	0.212	1536x2048		Diagnostic	350 cd/m2	1.2 cd/m2	Native
AVC3N1N	IPS	0.212	1536x2048		Diagnostic	350 cd/m2	1.2 cd/m2	Native
AVC4N0N	IPS	0.251	2560x1600		Secondary	350 cd/m2	1.2 cd/m2	Native
AVC4N1N	IPS	0.251	2560x1600	1280 × 1600	Diagnostic	350 cd/m2	1.2 cd/m2	Native
AVC4N2N	IPS	0.251	2560x1600	1280x1600	Secondary	250 cd/m2	0.8 cd/m2	Native

AVM2N0N	IPS	0.270	1200x1600	 Diagnostic	350 cd/m2	1.2 cd/m2	
AVM3N0N	IPS	0.212	1536x2048	 Diagnostic	350 cd/m2	1.2 cd/m2	
AVM3N1N	IPS	0.212	1536x2048	 Diagnostic	350 cd/m2	1.2 cd/m2	
AVM3N2N	IPS	0.212	1536x2048	 Diagnostic	350 cd/m2	1.2 cd/m2	
AVM5N0N	IPS	0.156	2048x2560	 Mammography	420 cd/m2	1.2 cd/m2	

15.2. Saved Settings for Upgrade

Section	Setting	Saved for	Issue
		upgrade?	
Display Overview	Display Models	Save	When there is a model previous GammaCompMD QA wasn't
			supporting, the information is saved.
Display Overview	Display Order	Save	If the composition is changed, warning is indicated.
	(Rearrange		
	Displays)		
Display Overview	Alert Log	Save	
Display Overview	Display Calibration	Save	
	Reports		
Display Overview	Display	Save	
	Conformance		
	Reports		
Display Overview	Display QA Test	Save	
	Reports		
Calibration	Calibration	Save	
	Schedules		
Calibration	Calibration Settings	Save	When there is a model previous GammaCompMD QA wasn't
	(Calibration Setup)		supporting, the information is saved.(Target is 200cd/m2)
Calibration	Sensor Setup	Save	
Calibration Sensor	Display Sensor	Save	Correction value for built-in sensor is saved on the display.
Setup	Reference		Correction value and assignment information for MD-N2M5B
	Calibration		are saved on GammaCompMD QA
Conformance Test	Conformance Test	Save	
	Reports		
QATest	QA Test Setup	Not Saved	Administrator must choose a QA Standard on upgrade
			installation.
Test Pattern	Test Pattern Setup	Save	
Administrator	System	Not Saved	DB port No. will be re-configured automatically. Server
	Configuration		connection settings (System service configuration / Event log
	(Initialize System		server configuration) must be re-configured manually.
	Configuration)		
Administrator	Language Setup	Save	
Administrator	Asset ID Setup	Save	

Administrator	Alert Setup	Save	
Administrator	Network Execution	Save	
	Setup		
Administrator	Backup Schedule	Save	
	Setup		
Administrator	Access Rights for	Save	
	Quality Assurance		
Administrator	User Password	Save	
	Setup		
Administrator	Startup User Level	Save	
Administrator	White & Black	Save	
	Luminance		
	Measurement		
	Reports		
Administrator	Uniformity Test	Save	
	Reports		

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