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While the plug-in for a particular type of product is specific to that type, there are some configuration features that are generic across all plug-ins.

Device Info



The Device Info panel is shown at the top of any plug-in and is usually accompanied with an image of the device. It contains information about the selected Dante™ device.

There is also a checkbox to enable or disable a latching identify function. Unlike the Identify function on the device context menu of the device list, this Identify function is a toggle and will continue to perform until either manually disabled by the user, the plug-in is closed, or by power cycling and resetting the device.

*Note: On Synapse devices, the front panel controls will not operate until the Identify function is disabled.

Dante[™] Lock - The Dante[™] lock status is indicated by a padlock icon. If the icon and text are not shown, the device is not programmed with a version of firmware that supports this feature. (*Note: Firmware updates are available that support this feature for all Attero Tech devices*). If the Dante[™] lock is active, the padlock icon will be shown locked and no changes to the audio routing or Dante[™] network settings can be made. If the Dante[™] lock is not active, the padlock will be shown unlocked.

*Note: The Dante™ lock can only be removed or applied using Dante™ Controller.

Parameter Lock - When the parameter lock is active, device settings such as gain and phantom power are locked and cannot be altered. the parameter lock also blocks the firmware update and preset load functionality as well. to allow changes to be made, the parameter lock checkbox must be unchecked. However, if the Dante™ lock is active, the parameter lock state itself will be locked and cannot be changed. The only way to unlock the device is to remove the Dante™ lock first.

Identify - The identify feature is used to indicate which physical device's configuration is currently being examined in unIFY.

Exactly how the identification manifests itself depends on the type device of but is usually involves flashing an indicator or LED (on many devices its the power LED for example). Checking the identify check box turns the indicator function on. Clear the check box will turn the function off.

*Note: Once activated, the identify function will continue to operate until it is manually turned off. Closing the devices plug-in in unIFY *WILL NOT* turn off the identify feature.

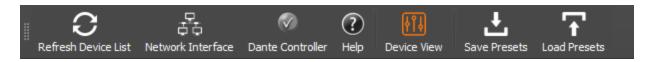
Refresh - The Refresh button is used to refresh the on-screen settings of the device that is being configured. This is useful if there is an external system or device such as a 3rd party control system that is communicating with the device and altering settings after the settings on the device have been read by the unIFY software.



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Preset Configuration

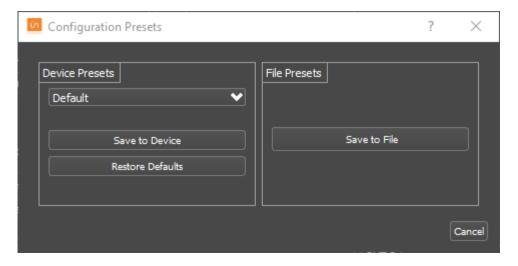
Most devices feature preset capabilities for recalling a previously saved set of settings either from a file on the PC or from non-volatile memory on the target device. When a device is selected for configuration, if the device supports presets, a *Save Presets* button and *Load Presets* button will be added to the tool bar.



Save Presets

When the Save Presets button is pressed, the Configuration Presets dialog will open in save mode.

*Note: If the parameter lock is active, the device preset side will be greyed out as the parameter lock prevents any change to device settings. This lock must be removed before a preset can be saved to the device. This may require the DanteTM lock be removed first if that is also active.



Save: Device Presets

Current settings can be saved to a preset in non-volatile memory on the selected device. Use the drop-down list to select which preset the current settings will be stored to, then click the *Save to Device* button. On all Attero Tech devices, preset 0 is used to store the power-on defaults.

The power-on defaults can be reset back to factory settings with the Restore Defaults button.

*WARNING: Use this with care!

Save: File Presets

Current settings can also be stored off to a file. The file created can be used to apply the same settings to multiple devices. It can also be stored off as a backup and recalled later if needed.

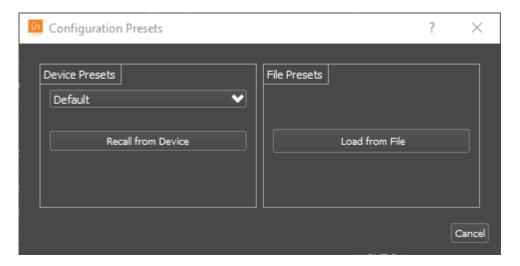


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Load Presets

When the Load Presets button is pressed, the Configuration Presets dialog will open in save mode.

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Recall: Device Presets

Update the current settings from a previously stored preset in non-volatile memory on the device. Use the drop-down list to select the desired preset, then click the *Recall from Device* button.

Recall: File Presets

Use the Load from File button to update the current device settings from a file which was previously saved using the Save Preset to File feature.

Refer to the specific device configuration details for information on the preset capabilities of each device.