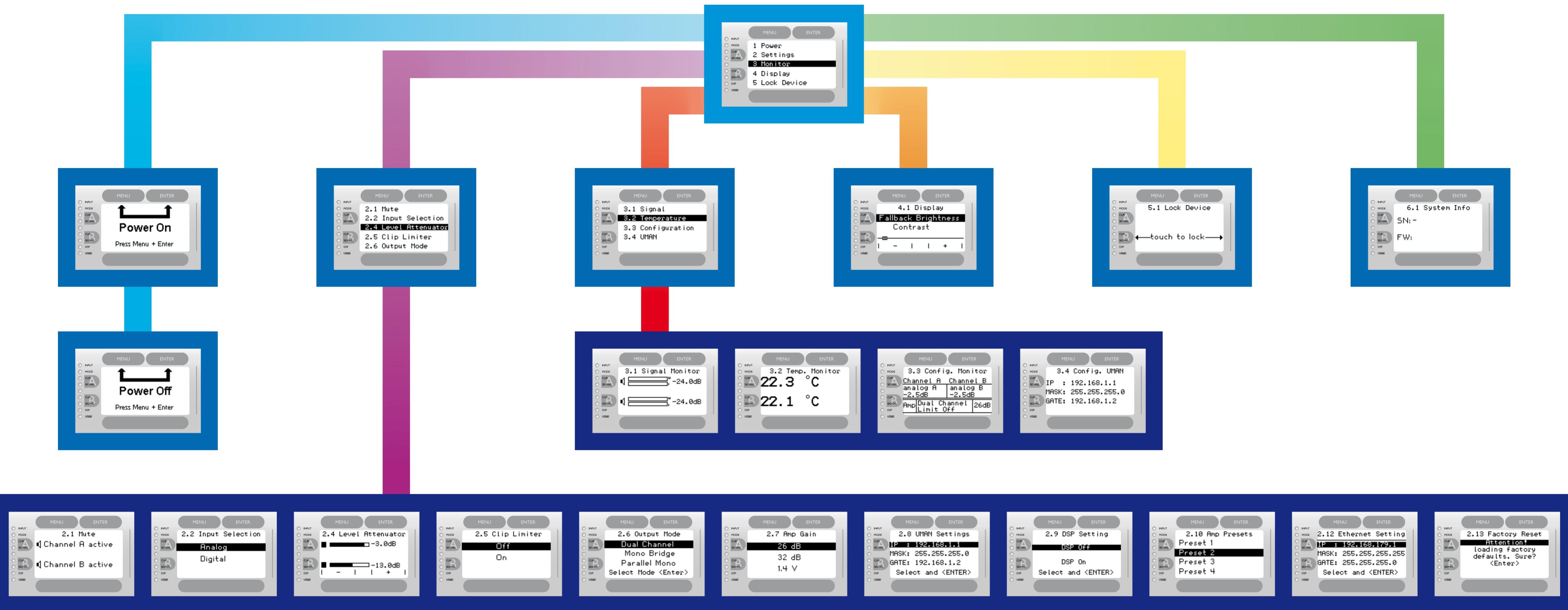


V8 Navigation Guide

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4.1 Screen User Interface
Due to the advanced approach with the absence of any control knobs or switches, control of all parameters is done via the screen user interface.

4.1.1 Screen User Interface Elements
The screen user interface consists of four buttons and two selection bars.

1 MENU button (green)
- Touch to leave the current screen without changes
- Hot key: touch and hold (=2 s) to navigate to the Signal Monitor

2 ENTER button (blue)
- navigate to the selected menu item, confirm changes

3 A button (blue)
- select channel A

4 B button (blue)
- select channel B

5 Horizontal Selection Bar (HSB)
- increase/decrease values

6 Vertical Selection Bar (VSB)
- scrolls through menu items

4.1.2 Handle the Selection Bars

- Tip the VSB at the upper half to scroll upwards.
- Tip the VSB at the lower half to scroll downwards.

4.1.3 Hot key Functions
The Hot key functions give you a quick access to important setting screens. The Power On key is accessible from all menu levels and screens.

Power On Hot key:
Touch and hold **MENU** and **ENTER** simultaneously (≈3 s). The Power On Sequence will start.

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Level Attenuator Hot key (from monitor screens 3.1-3.4):
Touching the HSB opens the Level Attenuator Screen for a quick access to level adjustments. After adjustment you can step back to the previous screen by touching the **MENU** button.

Signal Monitor Hot key:
Touch and hold **A** or **B** let you directly jump to the Signal Monitor. You can step back to the previous screen by touching the **MENU** button.

NOTE: Turning the Amplifier off does NOT disconnect the amplifier from mains.

The switch initiates start up by activating the current limiting function. As soon as the power amplifier is connected to the mains power supply, a voltage is supplied to both the line-filter and the fused input of the control-lab board. Disconnecting the line-filter from the power supply can only be performed by physically separating the amplifier from the mains by pulling the mains plug. The mains plug therefore has to be freely accessible. Disconnect the mains plug from the mains during a lightning storm or when the amplifier is not used or unsupervised for a prolonged period of time. In this case, you can disconnect the amplifier from the mains via an external all-pole disconnection.

If a power cut occurs while the amplifier is switched on, it will restart automatically once the power supply has been restored. All settings prior to the loss of power will be maintained.

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This is the screen used to switch the amplifier on/off. Please touch **MENU** and **ENTER** simultaneously to switch on the amplifier or touch any of the touch-sensitive elements to activate the display backlight.

4.2 Power On Sequence
As soon as the V8 amplifier is connected to the mains power supply, it will start the Power On Sequence. The display will show the V8 logo followed by the Power On Screen.

4.3 Indicators

4.3.1 Input Selection LED
The status of the bi-coloured (green/red) LED changes between off, green, and red depending on the selected Input Selection (see 4.5.1).

4.3.2 Output Mode LED
The status of the bi-coloured (green/orange) LED changes between off, green, and orange depending on the selected Output Mode (see 3.3 & 4.5.2).

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