



**UniStar C**  
**Intelligent True On-Line UPS**

**User Manual**

**1K/2K/3K**

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# **1. Important Safety Instruction**

## **1.1 An Important Notice**

1. Do not open the case, as there are no serviceable parts inside. Your Warranty will be void.
2. Do not try to repair the unit yourself; contact your local supplier or your warranty will be void.
3. If liquids are split onto the UPS or foreign objects dropped into the unit, the warranty will be null and void.
4. Do not install the UPS in an environment with sparks, smoke or gas.
5. This UPS is equipped with an EMI filter. To prevent potential leakage current hazard, ensure that the AC main supply is securely grounded.
6. This UPS is designed to be installed and commissioned in a sheltered, controlled environment as follows:
  - Operating temperature 0-40°C and 30-90% non-condensing humidity.
  - Always avoid contact with direct sunlight.
  - Do not install the UPS in a flammable or hazardous environment.
  - Dusty, corrosive and salty environments can do damage to any UPS.
  - Install the UPS indoors as it is not designed for installation outdoors.
7. To prevent any overheating of the UPS, keep all ventilation openings free from obstruction, and do not place anything on top of the UPS. Keep the UPS rear panel 20 cm away from the wall or other obstructions.
8. The battery will discharge naturally if the system is unused for any length of time.
9. Install the UPS away from objects that give off excessive heat and areas that are excessively wet.
10. Always switch off the UPS and disconnect the batteries when relocating the UPS.
11. The batteries should be recharged every 2-3 months if unused. If this is not done, then the warranty will be null and void. When installed and being used, the batteries will be automatically recharged and kept in top condition.
12. Make sure that the AC Utility outlet is correctly grounded.
13. Please ensure that the input voltage of the UPS matches the utility supply voltage. Use a certified input power cable with the correct plugs and sockets for the appropriate voltage system.

## **1.2 Storage Instruction**

For extended storage in moderate climate, the batteries should be charged for 12 hours every 3 months interval by connecting the UPS to the utility supply and switch on input breaker located at UPS rear panel. Repeat this procedure every 2 months if the storage ambient temperature is above 30°C.

## **2. Product Introduction**

### **2.1 General Characteristics**

True online technology continuously supplies your critical device with a stable, regulated, transient-free pure sine wave AC Power.

1. High-efficiency PWM sine-wave topology yields an excellent overall performance. The high crest factor of the inverter handles all high in-rush current loads without the need to upgrade the power rating.
2. User-friendly Plug-and-Play design allows hassle-free installation. All units up to 3Kva are supplied with input cables and output receptacles as standard.
3. Built-in Maintenance-free sealed-type batteries.
4. To protect the unit from overloading, the UPS will automatically switch to bypass mode in 30 seconds if loading is at 105%~ 120% of rated capacity. It will automatically switch back to inverter mode once overload condition ceases.
5. Should the output become short-circuited, the UPS puts the system on stand-by mode, provides a visual & audible alarm, and cuts the output supply automatically until the short circuit situation is resolved manually.

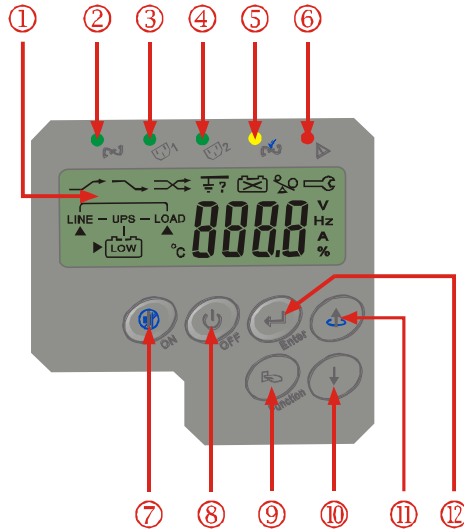
## 2.2 Special Features

1. High Frequency Transformer-less technology with rack/tower convertible enclosure allows the UPS to be installed in the most difficult of environments with space constraints.
2. This UPS is equipped with digital control logic for greater functionality and enhanced high level power protection. Digital signal processing (DSP) also provides the UPS with powerful communication capability, which enhances the flexibility for easy remote control and monitoring
3. Wide input voltage tolerance from 60V ~ 144V (120V version) or 120V~288V (230V version) allows under-voltage or over-voltage correction without unnecessary battery drain and helps extend the battery life.
4. DC-start function allows start-up of the UPS during power outages.
5. Revolutionary battery management circuit analyzes battery discharging status to adjust battery cut-off point and extend battery life.
6. Active Power Factor Correction (PFC) control function constantly maintains the UPS Input Power Factor (PF) at > 0.99 for superb energy efficiency.
7. Software Selectable Bypass input voltage tolerance (Sensitivity low/high) to prevent under or over voltage being supplied to the load in Bypass mode. The selectable Voltage ranges are (i) Sensitivity: Low: 92/184~130/260V & (ii) Sensitivity High: 97/194~130/260V.
8. Software Selectable Output Voltages (100/110/115/120/127V on 120V models or 200/208/220/230/240) on 230V models to meet various voltage systems.
9. The UPS is designed to comply with various stringent international standards for Electromagnetic Interference & protection (EMC).

### 3. UPS Functional Descriptions

#### 3.1 UPS Front Panel Display Descriptions









##### 3.1.1 LCD panel



- ① LCD Display
- ② Green LED steadily lights up to indicate that the Utility input voltage is within the window (160Vac~288Vac); the LED flashes to indicate that the Utility input voltage is within the acceptable window (120Vac~159Vac).
- ③、④ Green LED lights up to indicate there is an output available at the Programmable Outlet 1 & Programmable Outlet 2.
- ⑤ Amber LED lights up to indicate the Bypass Input is normal.
- ⑥ UPS Fault LED
- ⑦ UPS On/Alarm Silence
- ⑧ UPS OFF Switch
- ⑨ Special functions log in/out

- ⑩ Go to next page
- ⑪ Go to previous page or change the setting of the UPS.
- ⑫ To confirm the change of UPS Setting
- © Manual Bypass : Press "⑦ ON-KEY " and "⑪ Up-KEY" key simultaneously for approx. 3 seconds to transfer from "Inverter to Bypass" (the bypass led continuously "blinks" and audio alarm will beep) or "Bypass to Inverter", when the UPS is on Line Mode and the Bypass Voltage Window is Normal.

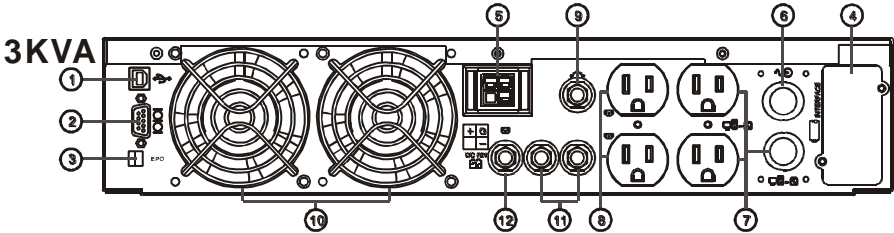
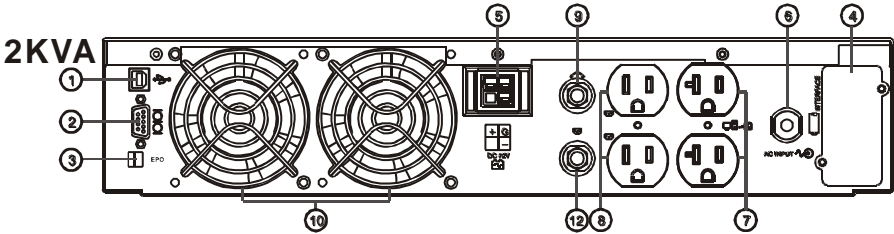
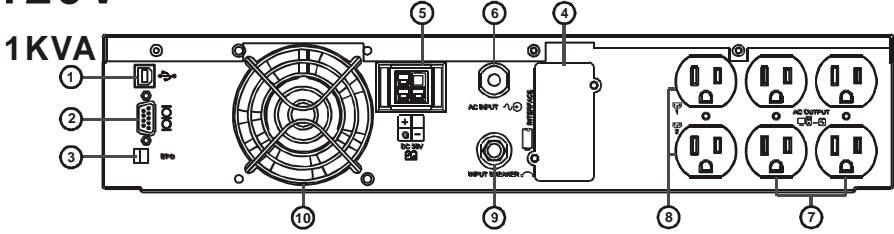
### 3.1.2.1 Symbols on the LCD Display Panel

Item	Symbol	Description
1	<b>LINE</b>	Utility or Bypass Source
2		Battery Low
3		Battery Abnormal
4		UPS Overloading
5		Site Wiring Fault
6		UPS Working in Service Mode
7	<b>OFF</b>	UPS Shutoff
8	<b>FAIL</b>	UPS Abnormal Lock
9		UPS Flow Chart
10		4 Digits Measurement Display
11		Indicate the item desired to be measured
22	<b>Er05</b>	Battery Weak or Dead
23	<b>Er06</b>	Output Short Circuit
24	<b>Er10</b>	Inverter Over-current
25	<b>Er11</b>	UPS Overheat
26	<b>Er12</b>	UPS Output Overloading
27	<b>Er**</b>	Other Error Code

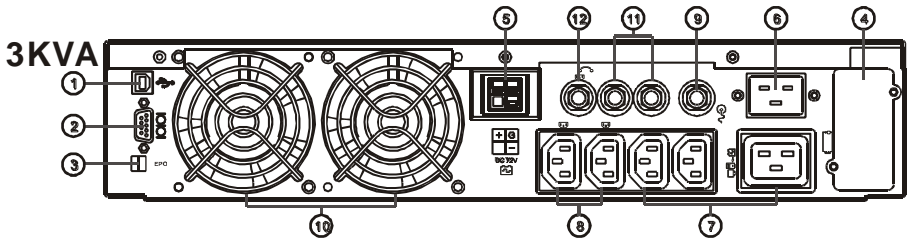
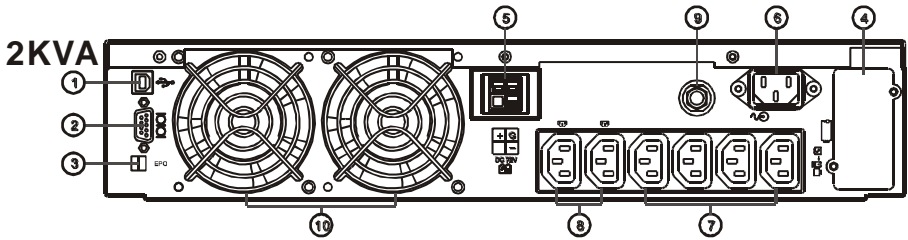
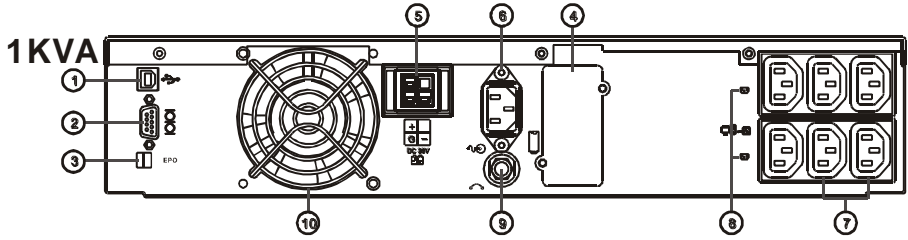


## 3.2 Rear Panel Descriptions

### 120V



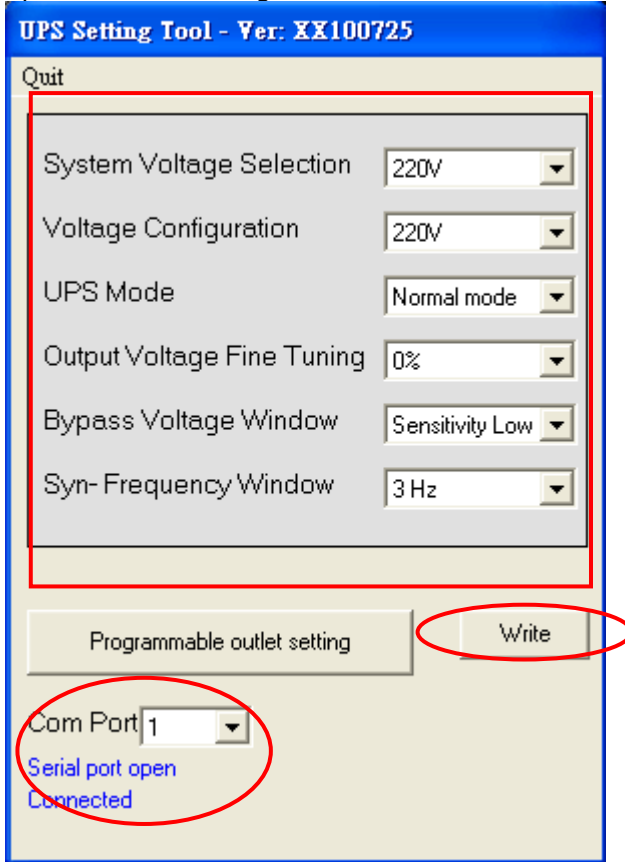
# 230V



1. USB Port
2. RS232 Port
3. Emergency Power Off (EPO) Dry Contact Signal inputs
4. Communication Card Options Slot
5. External Battery Connector
6. AC power connection socket
7. AC Outlets
8. Two programmable outlets
9. Utility Input circuit breaker
10. Cooling Fans
11. Output circuit breaker for two outlets
12. Output circuit breaker for two programmable outlets

### 3.3 Operating Modes & Voltage System Configurations

Download and open the “UPS Setting Tool” Software to see the screen as below



#### 3.3.1 System Configuration Settings

1. System Voltage Selection : Select Input Voltage 110V or 220V
2. Voltage Configurations : Select UPS Output Voltage  
200V/208V/220V/230V/240V or 100V/110V/115V/120V/127V
3. UPS Modes : Select Normal/CF50\*/CF60\* Mode
4. Output Voltage Fine Tuning : Output Voltage Regulation from 0 ~  $\pm 3\%$

5. Bypass Voltage Windows : Sensitivity: Select Sensitivity Low/Sensitivity High\*\*

	Sensitivity Low	Sensitivity High
120V System	92V ~ 130V	97V ~ 130V
230V System	184V ~ 260V	194V ~ 260V

6. Syn-Frequency Window : Select 3Hz/1Hz Inverter Freq synchronizing range
7. Com Port : Select the Com Port of PC
8. Click on “Write” to confirm the configuration settings. The UPS will beep twice to acknowledge setting is successful.
9. Turn off the UPS after setting is complete to make sure that all the new setting values are written into EEPROM successfully, then re-start the UPS to enable the new settings.

**Note:**

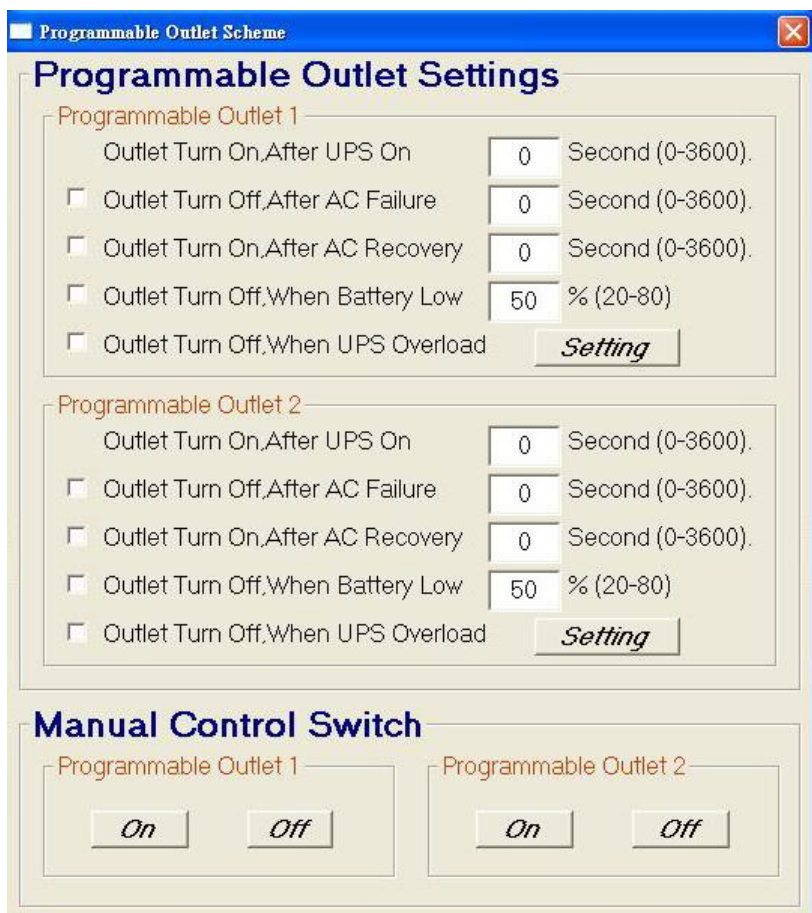
**\*CF50/CF60 = Frequency Converter mode 50 to 60Hz or vice versa**

**\*\*Sensitivity Low : 92/184~130/260V, High: 97/194~130/260V**

### 3.3.2 Software programmable outlet setting

The UPS is equipped with 2 programmable outlets for use to supply to less critical loads. These outlets can be disabled to shed the less critical loads during back-up modes or overload conditions to maintain quality power supply to the more critical loads connected to the UPS.

Click on the “Programmable outlet setting” bar to enter to the setting screen as shown below.



1. Outlet Turn On After UPS On– *select the time to automatically enable this outlet within the specified time when the UPS is powered on. If “0” sec is selected, the outlet will be enabled once the UPS is powered on.*
2. Outlet Turn Off After AC Failure – *select this option to automatically disable the outlet within the specified time after utility outage to shed the less critical loads to provide longer battery back-up time for the other more critical loads connected to the UPS.*
3. Outlet Turn On After AC Recovery – *select this option to automatically enable the outlet within the specified time after the utility is restored.*
4. Outlet Turn Off When Battery Low - *select this option to automatically disable the outlet at the specified remaining battery power capacity(%) during battery mode to shed the less critical loads to prolong battery back-up time for the other more critical loads connected to the UPS.*
5. Outlet Turn Off When UPS Overload – *select this option to automatically disable the outlet during overload condition (bypass mode) to possibly allow the more critical loads:*
  - a) *To be continually supplied via Bypass without shut down*
6. You have to select the "Setting" menu to configure new parameters. The calibration is confirmed successfully after the UPS beeps twice. Turn off the UPS and remove the input source to make sure that those new parameters are written into EEPROM successfully, then re-start the UPS to enable the new settings.

### 3.4 Communication Port Explanation

The UPS is equipped with EPO dry contacts input, true RS232 & USB Communication port as standard to provide communication with bundled UPS monitoring software for remote monitoring of UPS status via PC.

There are 4 other optional interface cards available to meet various communication needs, i.e. DCE (dry contact relay card) 、 R2E、 USE and SNMP/WEB card (Please consult Chapter 8).

The bundled software of the UPS is compatible with many operating systems such as Windows 98, & 2000, ME, NT, XP and Vista. For other applications such as Novell, NetWare, Unix, Linux, please contact your local dealer for suitable software.

All the communication ports (including optional cards) can be active & used simultaneously to monitor the UPS status. However only 1 communication interface at any one time with the highest priority has the ability to command & control the UPS. The priority of these communication interfaces are as follow:

Highest Priority (in descending order),

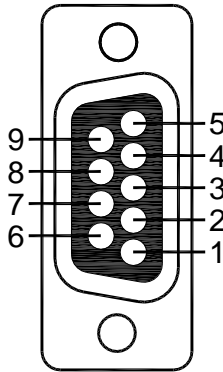
- 1) EPO input port
- 2) Optional Interface card
- 3) USB
- 4) RS232

#### 3.4.1 True RS232 Port Descriptions

The RS232 interface shall be set as follows :

<b>Baud Rate</b>	<b>2400 bps</b>
<b>Data Length</b>	<b>8 bits</b>
<b>Stop Bit</b>	<b>1 bit</b>
<b>Parity</b>	<b>None</b>

The Pin Assignments of the true RS232 port are illustrated as follows :

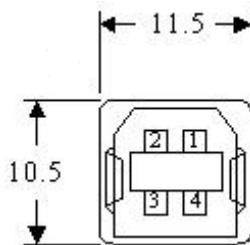


Pin 3: RS232 Rx  
 Pin 2: RS232 Tx  
 Pin 5: Ground

### 3.4.2 USB Port Descriptions

The USB communication protocol definition as below:

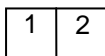
1. Complies with USB version 1.0, 1.5Mbps
2. Complies with USB HID Version 1.0.
3. The Pin Assignments of the USB port:



1 → VCC (+5V)  
 2 → D -  
 3 → D +  
 4 → Ground

### 3.4.3 EPO

The Pin assignments of the EPO Input port are:



1 → EPO+  
 2 → Ground

To enable the EPO function, please short Pin 1 & 2.



## 4. Installation and Operation

Read the Safety Instruction guide (page 2 to 3) before installing the UPS

### 4.1 Unpacking

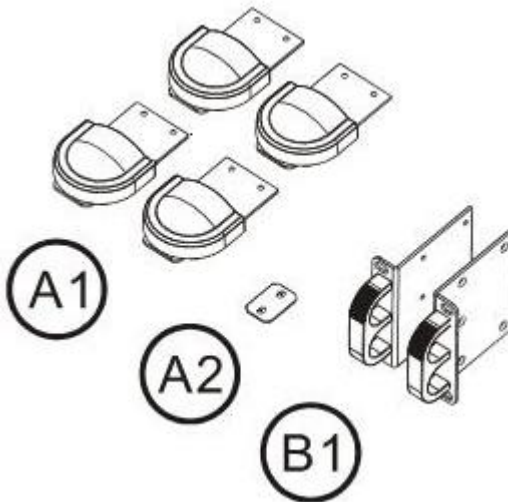
Inspect the UPS upon receipt. Staco has designed robust packaging for your product. However, accidents and damage may occur during shipment. Notify the forwarder and dealer if there is damage.

The packaging is recyclable; save it for reuse or dispose of it properly.

Remove the UPS from the carton box.

Check the package contents. Standard content shall includes :

- **1 set of User's Manual**
- **2 pcs of IEC output cables (for UPS with IEC sockets only)**
- **1 pc of AC Input Power Cord**
- **1 set of UPS communication software with RS232 cable**
- **1 set of Tower/Rack Accessories Kit as below:**

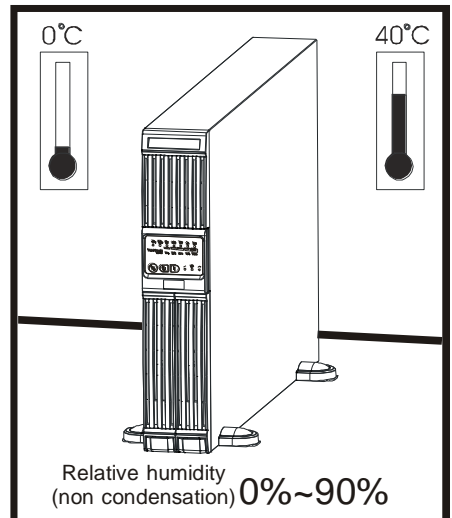
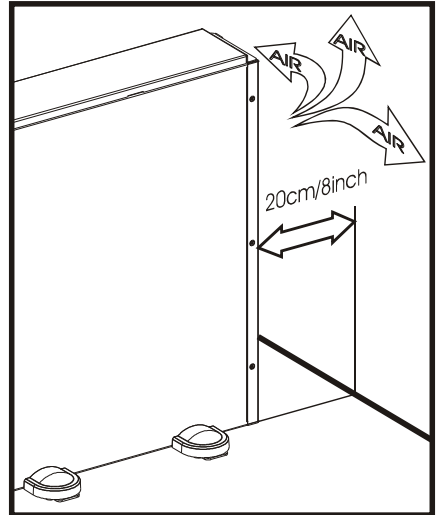


## 4.2 Selecting Installation Position

**The UPS is heavy. Select a location sturdy enough to handle the UPS weight.**

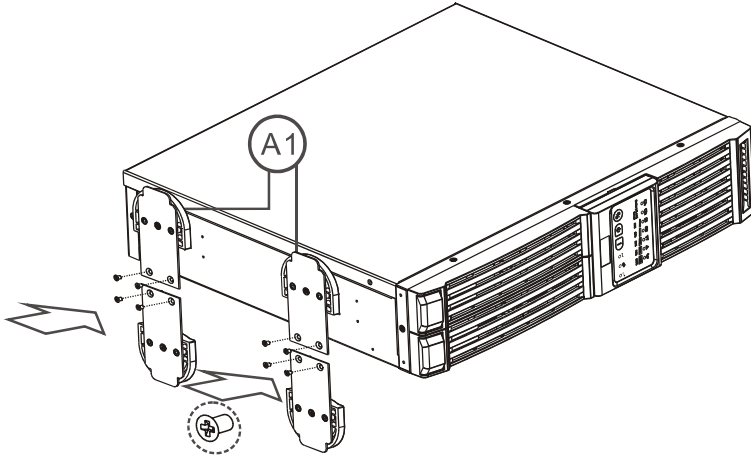
To ensure proper operation and long operating life, always position the UPS according to the following requirement :

1. Keep minimum 20cm (8 inches) distance clearance from the rear panel of the UPS to avoid any obstructions.
2. Do not block the air-flow to the ventilation louvers of the unit.
3. Please ensure the installation site is free from excessive dust and the ambient temperature and humidity should be within the specified limits.
4. Do not place the UPS in a dusty or corrosive environment or near any flammable objects.
5. This UPS is not designed for outdoor use.



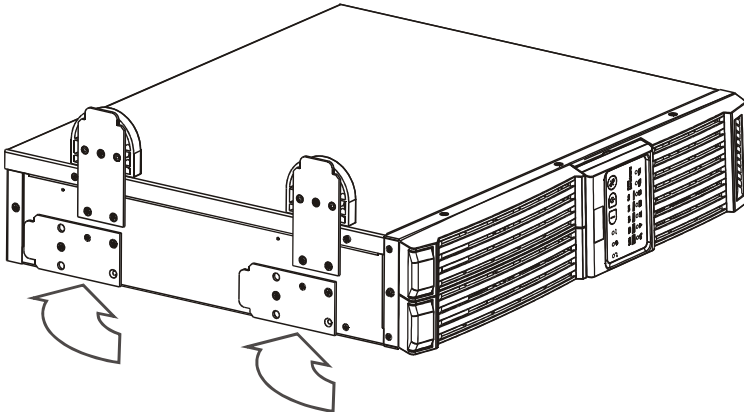
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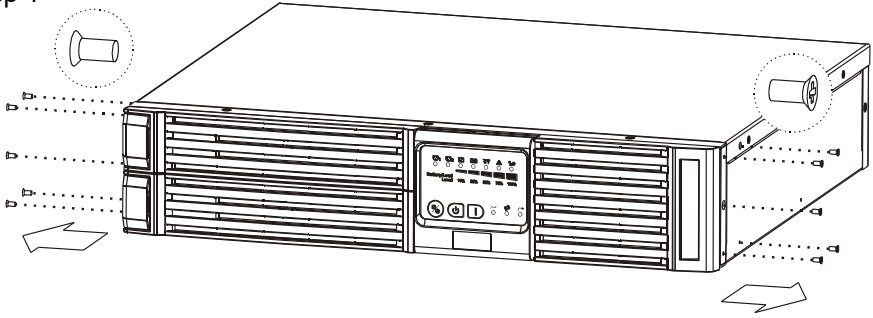
### Power Module + Battery Module

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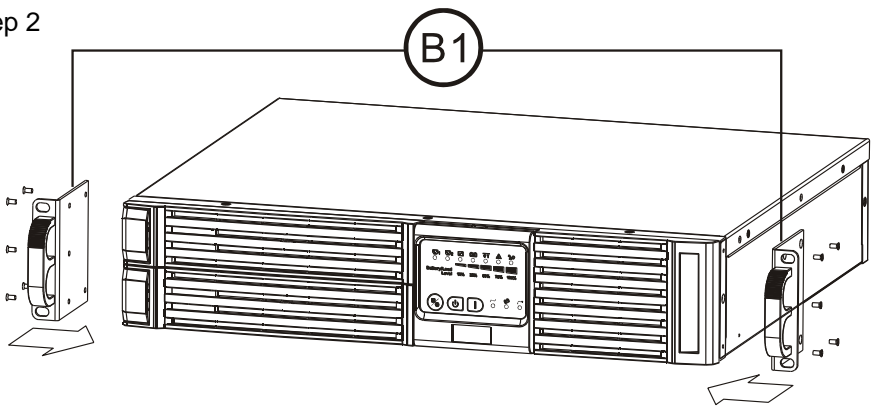


### Rack-Mount Configuration Setup

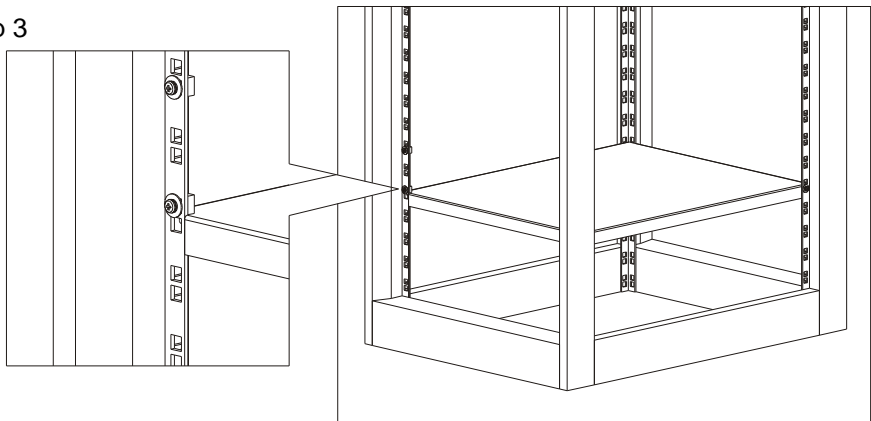
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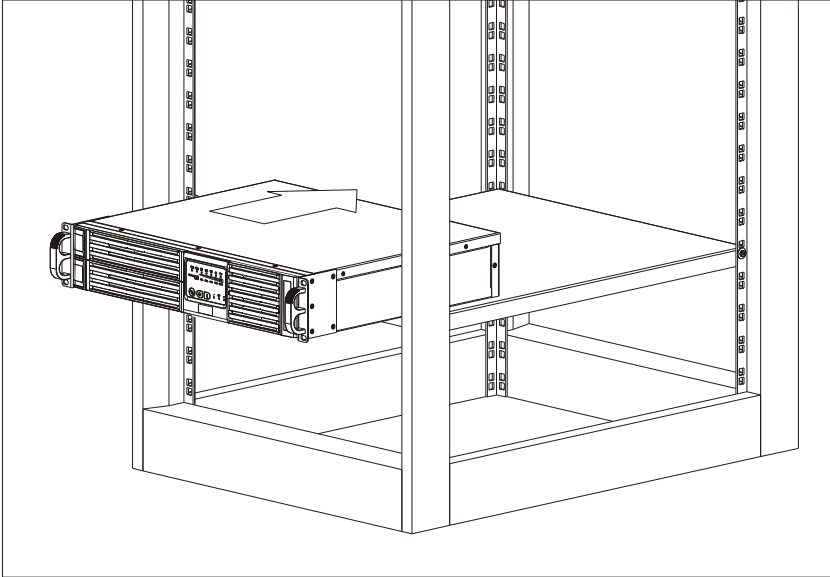
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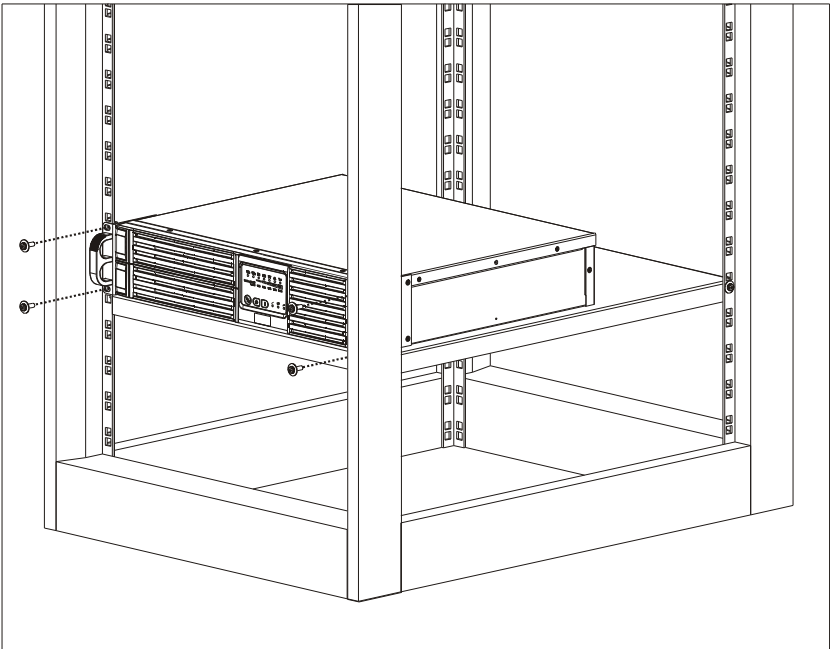
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Step 4





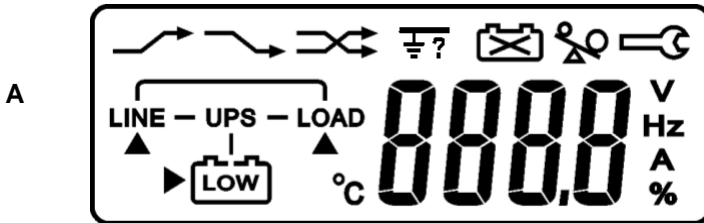
Step 5



## 4.4 Operation

### 4.4.1 Start Up In Normal Mode

- (1) Make sure the voltage of Utility matches with the input voltage window of the UPS.
- (2) Connect the UPS to the wall Receptacle of the Utility. After a short delay the UPS will automatically start. LED  and  light up to indicate the Utility and the Bypass are normal. The LCD will change from drawing A to drawing B.

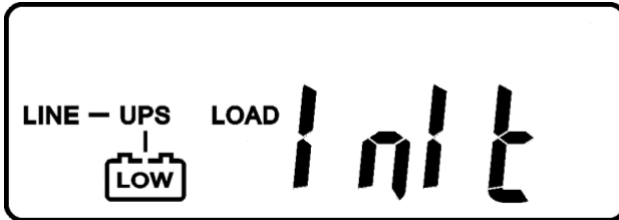


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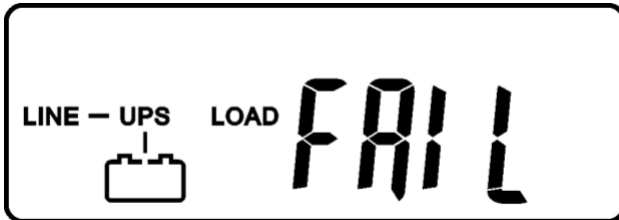
- (3) The UPS is on Bypass Mode now and will proceed to self-test automatically. If there is no abnormal message then the pre-start-up of the UPS was successful and the charger begins to charge the batteries.
- (4) Press the UPS On Switch' (ⓘ) 'for approx. 3 seconds, until the unit beeps twice. If the UPS start-up is successful, the LCD display changes from drawing B to drawing C.

C

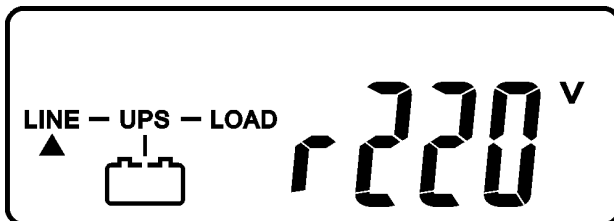


- (5) In case of failure in self-test, the LCD display will illustrate as drawing D, then, an error code or error status will be shown on the screen.

D



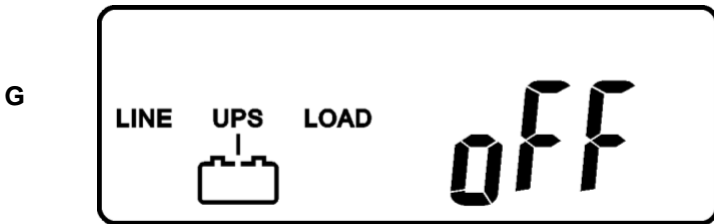
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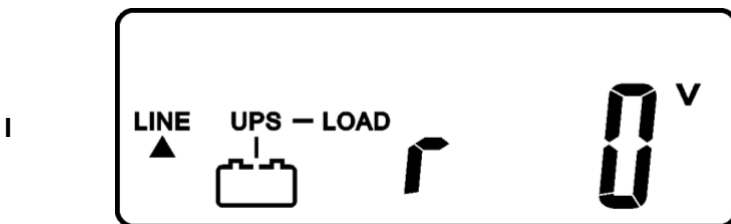
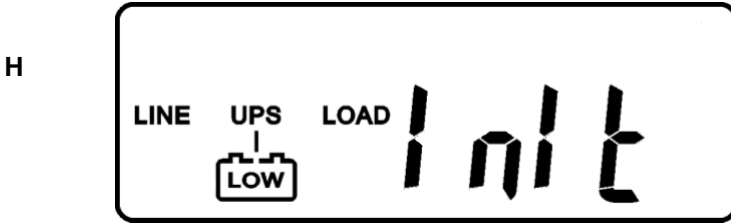
- (6) The start-up sequence of the UPS is complete as illustrated as drawing E. Make sure the UPS is plugged onto the wall receptacle for at least 8 hours to ensure the batteries are fully charged. To **turn off** the UPS press and hold the Off switch until the alarm beeps twice, then release the switch. The UPS will shut down a few seconds later.

**4.4.1.1 Start-up in Battery Mode (Cold Start)**

- (1) Make sure the UPS has fully charged batteries installed.
- (2) Press the UPS On switch for approx. 3 seconds until the audible alarm sounds twice, then release the On switch. The LCD display will change from Drawing A to drawing G.





- (3) Press the UPS On switch of the UPS a second time for approx. 3 seconds until the audible alarm sounds twice, then release the On switch. Failure to press the On switch a second time within 10seconds will cause the UPS to shut off. The LCD display changes from drawing G to drawing H, then the UPS will be in self-test Mode. The Inverter will supply voltage to the output within 1 minute, and the LCD display changes to drawing I.

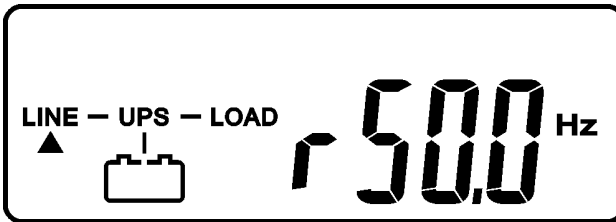




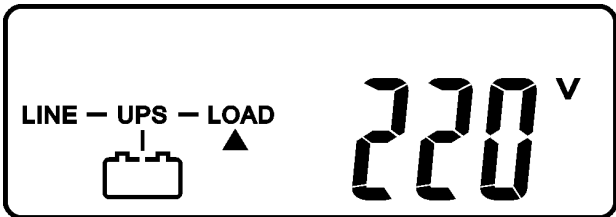
#### 4.4.1.2 Check Measured Values & Figures detected by UPS

(1) If you would like to check the measured values & messages, please use scroll up  and scroll down  key pads. When you use the scroll down key pad, the LCD display will change in sequence from Drawing E(Input Voltage) → Drawing J(Input Frequency)→ Drawing K(UPS Output Voltage) → Drawing L(UPS Output Frequency)→ Drawing M(UPS Output Load percentage)→ Drawing N(UPS Battery Voltage) →Drawing O(UPS interior temperature).

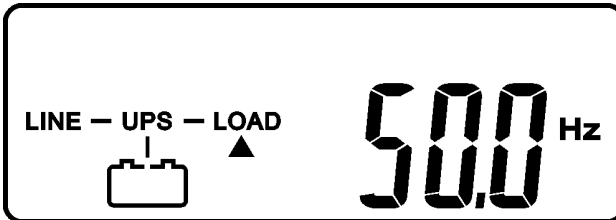
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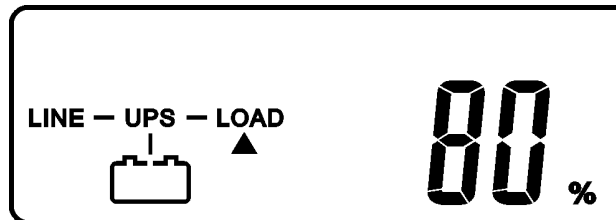
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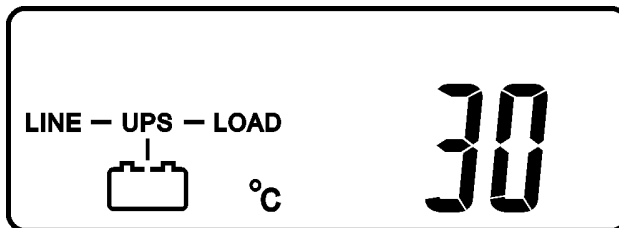
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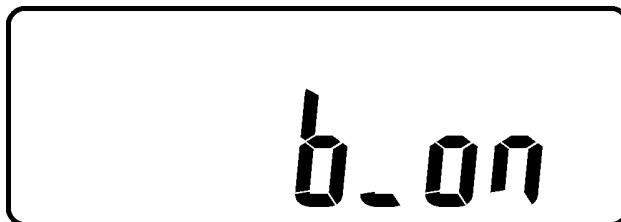
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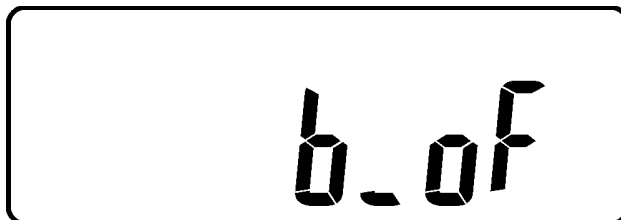
#### 4.4.1.3 UPS Default Data and Special Function Execution


- (1) After UPS is turned on successfully, use  key pad to change the LCD Display screen to drawing P1.

P1



P2



- (2) Press  key pad to scroll down the LCD screen, then check the UPS settings. The LCD display will show in sequence: Drawing P1(audible alarm)→Drawing Q1(self test)→Drawing R1(Bypass Voltage)→Drawing S(Output Frequency Synchronized Window)→Drawing T(Inverter Output Voltage)→Drawing U1(UPS Operation Mode)→Drawing V(Output Voltage Fine Tuning)

Q1

brun

Q2

bnon

R1

5.L0

R2

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U1

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U2


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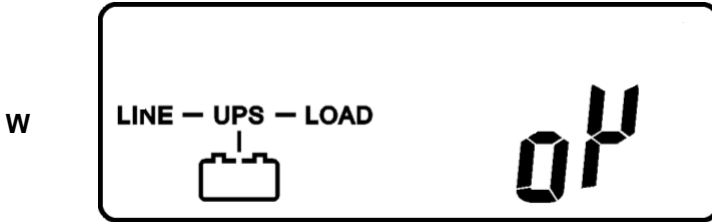
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




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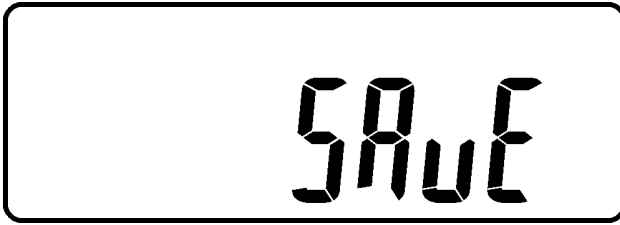
- (3) Press scroll up  key pad, to execute special functions. The functions include enunciators ON (as drawing Q1) or enunciators OFF (as drawing Q2, Alarm silence for UPS warning) and self-test OFF (as Drawing R2). UPS will execute battery test for 10 seconds, if the self-test is successful, it displays as Drawing W; otherwise, it will display as Drawing D & error message at the same time.



#### 4.4.1.4 UPS Default Settings and Their Alternatives

- (1) Begin with the UPS Off and disconnected from the utility. Connect the UPS to the utility and immediately proceed with the following, before the UPS starts to self test. Make sure the UPS is not "ON" yet, which means it is not in Line Mode or Backup Mode. Press the ON Switch  and scroll down  key pads simultaneously for approx. 3 seconds, the audible alarm will sound twice, the LCD display screen displays as drawing P1. The UPS is now in setup mode.
- (2) To scroll down the LCD screen press the scroll down  key pad.
- (3) Except audible alarm (as Drawing P1 & P2) and self-test (Q1 & Q2), all of the default settings may be changed by pressing scroll up  key pad.
- (4) Use caution if adjusting the bypass input acceptable window. It can be 176Vac~ 264Vac for 220Vac system, 88Vac~132Vac for 110Vac system or 187Vac~264Vac for 220Vac system, 93.5Vac~132Vac for 110Vac system.
- (5) Drawing S indicates the bypass frequency window of the inverter output. The acceptable setting values are +/-3Hz and +/-1Hz.
- (6) Drawing T indicates the acceptable Inverter Output Voltage, of which voltage is 200V, 208V, 220V, 230V, or 240V for 220Vac system , or 100V, 110V, 115V, 120V and 127V.
- (7) Drawings U1, U2 and U3 indicate the operating modes of the UPS, of which the alternatives are Online, fixed 50Hz Output or fixed 60Hz Output.
- (8) Drawing V indicates the adjustments of the Inverter Output, which may be calibrated as 0%, +1%, -1%, +2%, -2%, +3%, or -3%.
- (9) When all the setting changes are done, you have to save the changes. Press the scroll down  key pad until the display show as drawing X. Now press the enter key pad  to save all the changes. The changes will be activated only when the UPS is re-started.

X



- (10) Turn off the UPS and disconnect from the Utility.
- (11) Your Setting changes are complete.

#### 4.4.1.5 UPS Is Off Due to Unknown Reason and Trouble Shooting

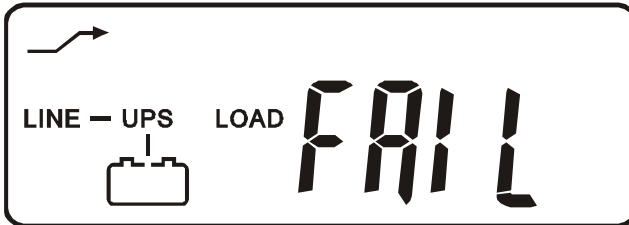
- (1) If a serious abnormal condition occurs, the UPS will lock itself in "OFF" position as shown in the drawing Y and an abnormal message will show in the LCD screen.


Y




- (2) For some special conditions, the UPS will lock itself; however, it is still allowed to have bypass output in most conditions and the LCD screens will show as drawing Z and an error message will be shown on the screen.

Z



- (3) To release the UPS lock, proceed as follows:
  - (a) Check those error messages recorded
  - (b) See Chapter 6.2 to trouble shoot the problem. Otherwise, consult your local distributor for service.
  - (c) Press  key pad for 5 seconds and the audible alarm will sound twice.
  - (d) Disconnect the UPS from the Utility Input.
  - (e) The UPS lock problem is now cleared.

#### 4.4.1.6 Shut Off

- (1) Press  key pad for about 5 seconds, the Inverter output will be turned off, the output load is supplied by Bypass loop and the LCD screen displays as drawing B.
- (2) Disconnect the UPS from the utility.
- (3) The UPS is turned off completely.

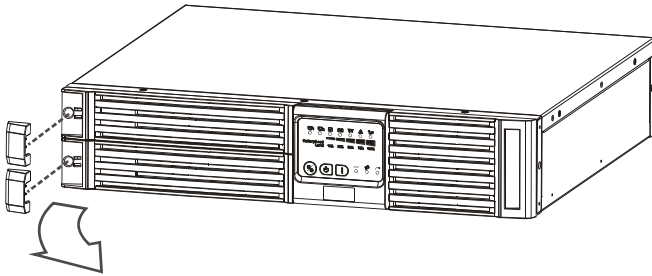
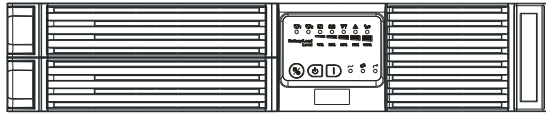
#### 4.4.2 Status & Audible Alarm

The following table helps to define some of the common UPS statuses with respect to their audible alarm descriptions.

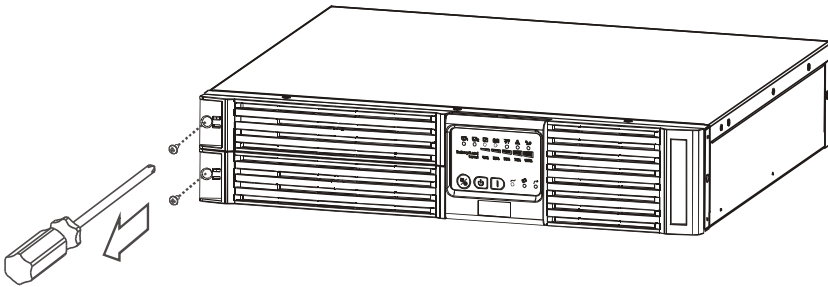
Status Definitions	Audible Alarm Descriptions
UPS faulty, Inverter shutdown. All functions inhabited.	Long Continuous Beep
UPS faulty, loads continue to be supplied via Inverter or Bypass.	Single successive beep with ~ 2 sec interval
battery mode	Single short successive beep with ~1 sec interval
battery low	Very quick and short successive beep
confirm/RS232 port receiving	2 quick & short beeps
service mode ok	1 quick & short beep
UPS initial start-up with self test	2 successive quick & short beeps, repeating per ~2 sec interval.

### 4.4.3 Battery Replacement

Step 1

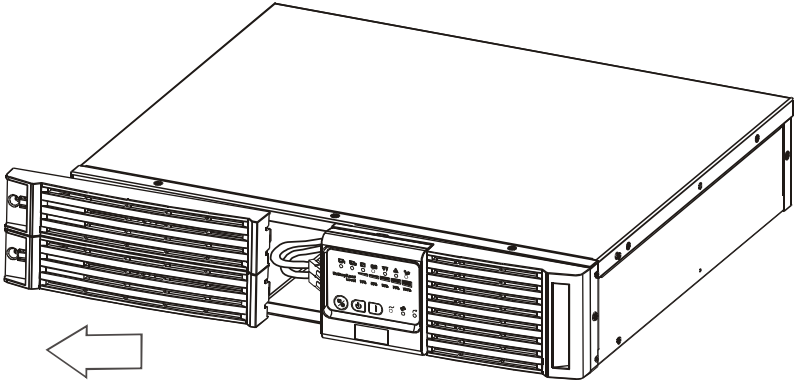


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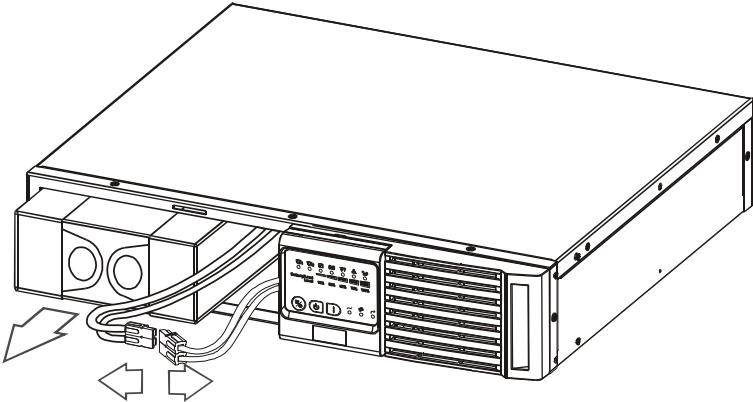




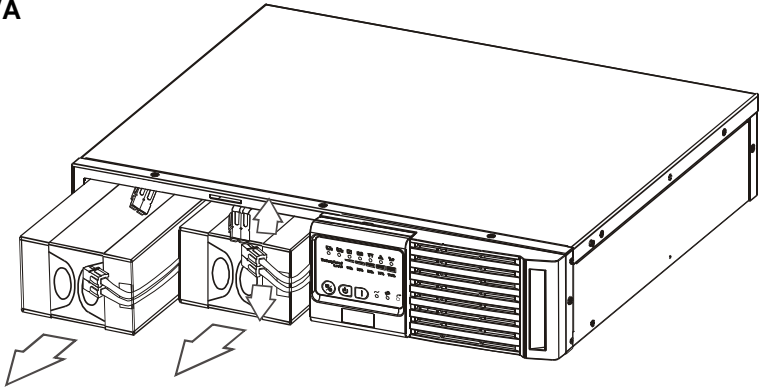
Step 3



Step 4  
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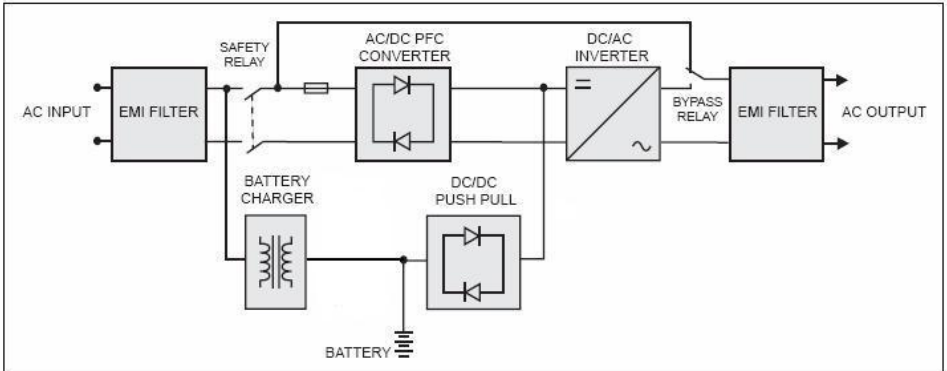


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## 5. UPS Working Principle

### 5.1. UPS System Block Diagram



(fig 5.1)

Figure 5.1 above illustrates the True On-Line Double Conversion architecture of the UPS system. The major modules consist of :

- 1) An AC to DC power converter (Rectifier) with PFC control circuit
- 2) A DC to AC power high frequency inverter
- 3) An Intelligent Battery Charger
- 4) A bank of stationary maintenance-free batteries
- 5) A DC to DC push/pull converter control circuit
- 6) A Static Bypass Loop
- 7) Input & Output EMI Filter

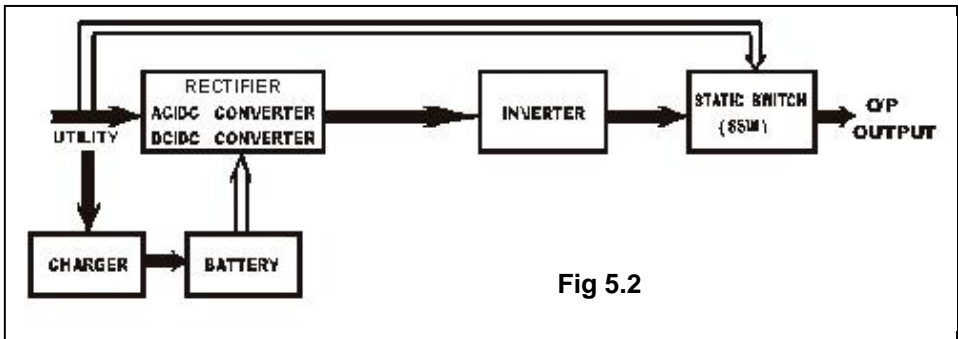
The table below provides a summary guide to the UPS operating modes against the Utility AC Power Source conditions

Utility Conditions	UPS Operating Modes	LEDs Display indications
Utility Normal	Rectifier convert AC to DC, battery charging, Inverter convert DC to AC and supply to loads with clean & stable power.	~ , U1, U2 LEDs remain illuminated
Utility Abnormal (under or over voltage) / Absent	Rectifier and charger stop operating , Battery discharge via DC~DC boost circuit and supply to Inverter. Loads continue to receive supply from Inverter. Alarm beeps, UPS now on battery mode.	~ LED off, U LED illuminated
Utility Abnormal/Absent, Battery low voltage	Rectifier and charger stop operating , Battery discharge via DC~DC boost circuit and supply to Inverter. Alarm beeps with quick & short succession, indicating battery power low and Inverter may stop supply soon.	~ LED off, U & U LED illuminated.

Paragraph 5.2 ~ 5.7 below provide detailed descriptions of the UPS operating principle

### 5.2 When Utility is Normal

The working principle of the UPS under Utility normal condition is illustrated as follows :



When Utility is normal, the AC source is rectified to DC, partially fed into the charger to charge battery and partially fed into the inverter. The inverter converts the DC to a clean and pure AC to supply energy to the connected load. The ~ , U1, U2 LED's are illuminated.

### 5.3 When Utility is Abnormal/Absent

The working principle of the UPS under Utility abnormal condition is illustrated as follows :

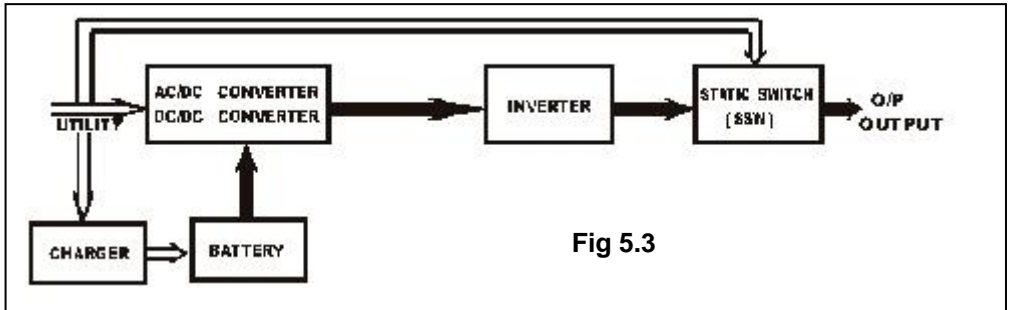



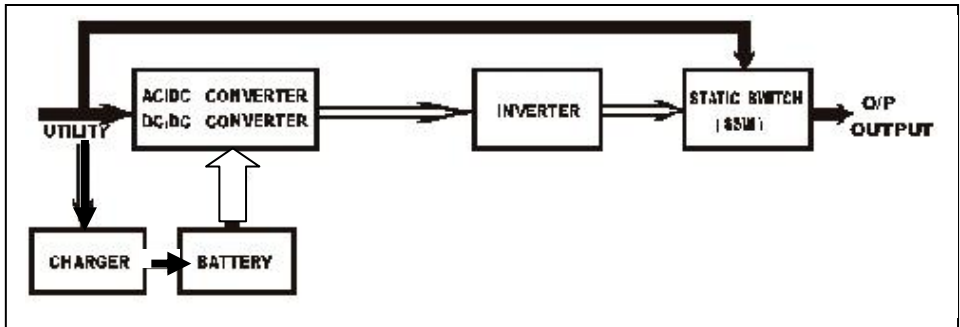


Fig 5.3

1. When Utility is abnormal, the UPS will direct the battery energy automatically to the Inverter without delay, and turn off the charger and AC/DC converter. The inverter converts the DC to AC to supply energy to the output connected load without interruption. The  LED will be illuminated.
2. When Utility is back to Normal, the UPS will turn on the AC/DC converter, turn off the DC/DC converter and switch the charger to charging mode. It has the same working principle as figure 5.2.
3. During a utility outage, the UPS will work as illustrated in figure 5.2. When Battery is low, the audible alarm will beep continuously until the battery reaches low battery cut off. The battery low protection of the UPS will cut off battery supply after a preset threshold to avoid the battery from over-drain. The  &  (Battery Low) LED's will light up until the UPS is completely cut off. The UPS will re-start automatically when Utility is available.

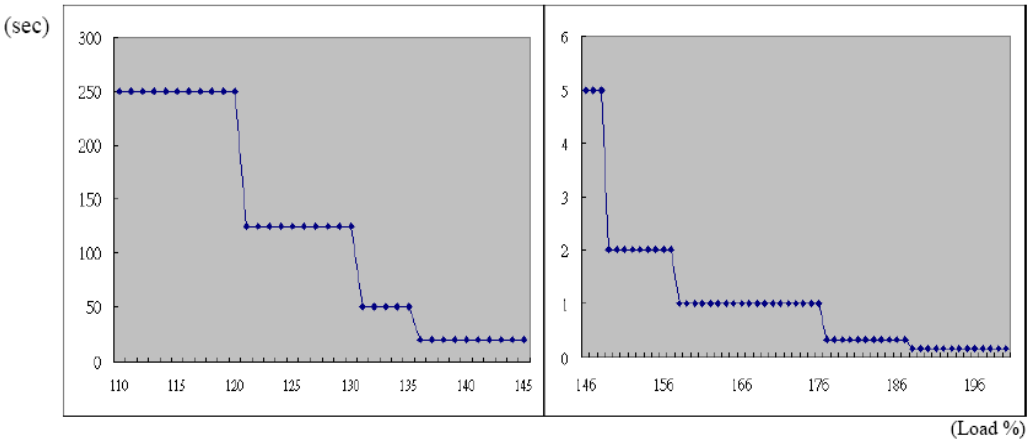
## 5.4 Overload Condition

The working principle of the UPS when overloading is illustrated as follows :



- (1) Generally, modern electronics & IT equipment generate an inrush current when switching on. The amount of inrush current varies from equipment to equipment, some can be as high as 6 times its rated capacity while others produce negligible inrush. To prevent severe damage to the Inverter, caused by inrush produced by loads, the UPS is equipped with an electronic overload protection feature. If the UPS load is  $>105\sim120\%$  of its capacity, it will switch to bypass mode in 30 seconds to protect the Inverter. If the overload condition is eliminated by reducing the load to  $<105\%$ , the UPS will switch back to Inverter mode automatically. If the UPS is over  $150\%$  loading, it inverter will shutdown immediately.

2. The UPS Bypass loop is also equipped with overload protection. Its overload capacity is illustrated by the graph & table below.



Load (%)	110~120	121~130	131~135	136~145	146~148	149~157	158~176	177~187	188 <
Delay Time (Sec)	250	125	50	20	5	2	1	0.32	0.16

### 5.5 Inverter Failure

#### **Output Load short circuit when being supplied from inverter**

If the output load is shorted while being supplied by the Inverter, the UPS will shutdown the Inverter automatically. The Fault LED lights up and the audio alarm beeps continuously. The UPS will not switch on automatically after a short circuit condition is eliminated. The UPS has to be re-start manually (refer to 4.4.1 'Start Up in Normal Mode').

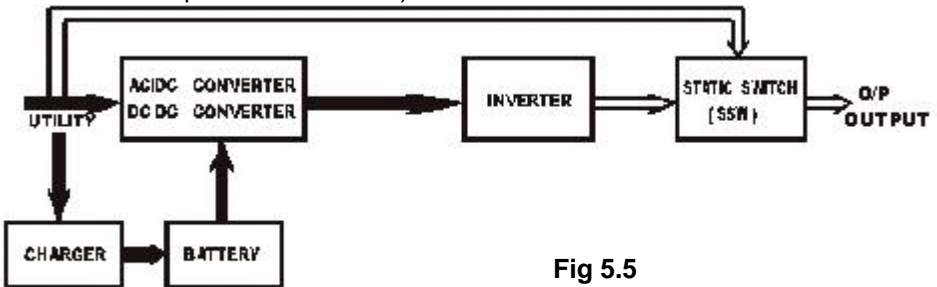






Fig 5.5

## 5.6 Inverter/Internal Over temperature

If the UPS experiences internal over-temperature while the Utility is normal, it will switch to bypass loop. The UPS will switch back to inverter mode when the over-temperature situation is eliminated. If over temperature occurs when Utility is abnormal, it will beep continuously and the Fault LED  will light up. The UPS will cut off supply to the loads.

## 5.7 Inverter Over Current and Inverter Output Voltage Out of Tolerance

If the UPS inverter delivers over-current and out-of-tolerance voltage to its outlets, the UPS has failed. The UPS will switch to bypass loop when Utility is normal. The Utility  LED, Bypass  LED and Fault  LED will light up.

If these two fault conditions occur when Utility is abnormal, the UPS will cut off the supply to its outlets and the Fault  LED will light up.

## 6. Maintenance Guide

### 6.1 Trouble Shooting

When the UPS becomes faulty or malfunctions during operation, you may check the fault lists below for possible solutions. Should the problem persist, please contact Staco for assistance.

### 6.2 Error Codes and Their Descriptions

Code	Descriptions
Er05	Battery weak or faulty
Er06	Output short-circuited
Er07	EPO mode
Er11	UPS over-temperature
Er12	Inverter overload
Er14	Fans out of order
Er18	EEPROM's data error
Er24	Utility Low ( <85/170V ) & Battery Disconnect
Er28	Bypass overload
Er31	EEPROM's data not conform to the Jumper Setting

### 6.3 Maintenance

Clean the dust from the ventilation openings and intakes on the rear panel.

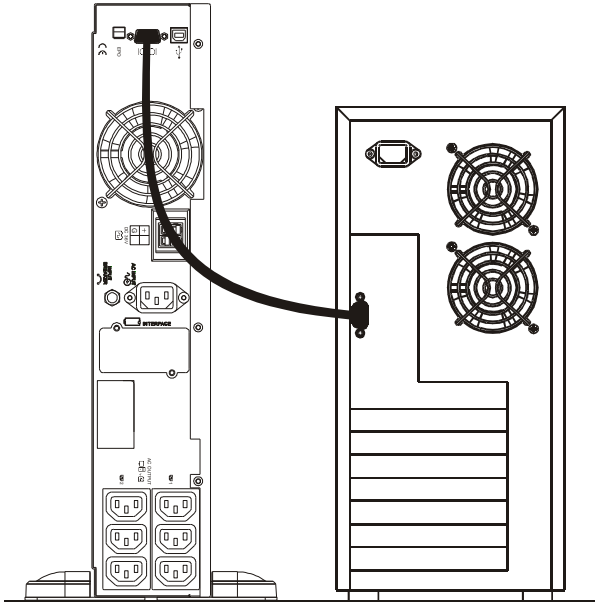
1. Turn off the UPS and wipe the casing with a damp cloth.
2. Periodically unplug the power cord of the UPS from the wall receptacle to test the batteries condition.
3. Be sure you have already saved your application before you proceed to the battery discharging capability test.



## 7. Bundled Software Installation Guide

### 7.1 Hardware Installation

1. Connect the male connector of RS232/USB\* cable to the UPS communication port.
2. Connect the female connector of the RS232/USB\* cable to a dedicated RS232 port of the Computer.
3. For optional interface cards, please refer to Chapter 8 for more details.

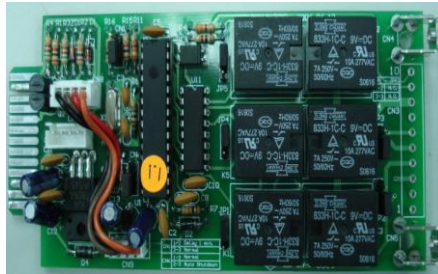


**\*Note: Only RS232 cable is provided with the UPS. USB cable is optional**

### 7.2 Software Installation

Please refer to the user's manual of the bundled software CD ROM for installation guide.

## 8. Dry Contact card SC-Relay (Optional)



### 8.1 The pin assignments of 10-Pin Terminal :

1	2	3	4	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
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- 1 → UPS on Bypass mode (Bypass)
- 2 → Utility Normal (Normal close contact)
- 3 → Utility Normal (Normal open contact)
- 4 → Inverter On
- 5 → Battery Low
- 6 → Battery Bad or abnormal
- 7 → UPS Alarm
- 8 → Common
- 9 → Shutdown UPS positive(+) signal
- 10 → Shutdown UPS negative(-) signal

The shutdown function will be activated, after a +6~+25Vdc is put between pin 9 and pin 10 for 5 seconds.

The capacity of each relay contact is 40Vdc/25mA.

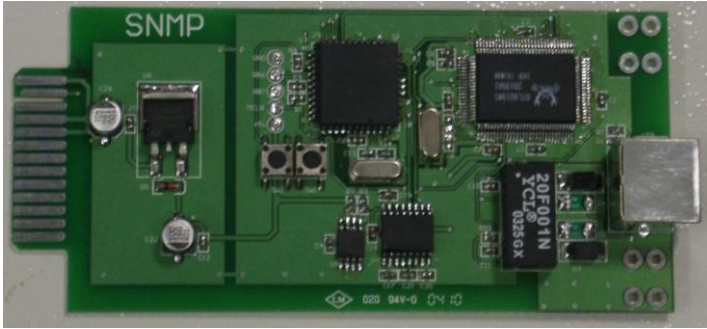
Installation Position : Optional Slot.

Flexible signal output for N.C.(Normal Close) or N.O.(Normal Open) contact by shorting pin1-2 or pin2-3 form JP1-5.

The shutdown function will be enabled 1 minute after a blackout occurs if pins 1-2 of both CN1 and CN6 are shorted. Or, the shutdown function can only be enabled by pin9-10 of CN3 if the pin2-3 of both CN1 and CN6 are shorted.

## 8.2 SNMP Card

### 8.2.1 SNMP/WEB card SC-SNMPI (Optional)



For installation, please refer to the user's manual attached with the card.

Installation Position : Option slot

## 9. Specifications

Model		1KVA	2KVA	3KVA		
<b>VA Rating</b>						
Apparent Output Power		1000VA	2000VA	3000VA		
Active Output Power		700Watts	1400Watts	2100Watts		
Power Factor		0.7				
Topology		Double conversion On-Line				
Type		Rack/Tower				
Agency Approvals		120V Models: UL, cUL, FCC 230V Models: CE				
<b>Input</b>						
Voltage Window		120V	60/70/80 - 144Vac			
		230V	120/140/160 - 288Vac			
Voltage Range		Base on load percentage (0~33/33~66/66~100%)				
		Low Line Transfer	120V	60/70/80Vac		
			230V	120/140/160Vac		
		Low Line Comeback	120V	85Vac		
			230V	170Vac		
		High Line Transfer	120V	144Vac		
			230V	288Vac		
		High Line Comeback	120V	139Vac		
230V	278Vac					
Frequency		50/60 Hz auto-select, $\pm$ 5Hz				
Phase		Single phase with ground				
PF		> 0.99 at full rated linear load				
Typical Transfer Time		0 ms.				
AC Leakage current		115V	$\leq$ 5mA			
		230V	$\leq$ 3.5mA			
Surge Protection		115V	400 joules			
		230V	300 joules			
<b>Output</b>						
Output (INV. mode)		Voltage	120V	120V, software adjustable to 100/110/115/120/127		
			230V	230V, software adjustable to 200/208/220/230/240		
		Voltage Regulation		$\leq$ ± 1% until low battery warning		
		Frequency(Synchronized Range)		3Hz or 1Hz (setting by software)		
		Frequency(Battery Mode)		$\pm$ 0.1% (0.05~0.06Hz) unless synchronized to line		

	Current Crest Factor	3:1		
	Harmonic Distortion	$\leq 3\%$ THD(Linear Load) $\leq 7\%$ THD(Non-Linear Load)		
	Transient Response(ms)	< = 60ms/5%		
	Waveform	Pure Sine wave		
Efficiency	To AC Mode (Full load)	85%	85%	88%
	To Battery Mode (Full load)	83%	83%	85%
<b>Battery System</b>				
Type	12V/7.2Ah	12V/7.2Ah	12V/9Ah	
Numbers of Batteries	3	6	6	
Backup Time(Full Load)	>7min.	>7min.	>5min.	
Recharging Time	4 Hours to 90%			
Charging Current (Max.)	1.1A	2.16A	2.7A	
Charging Voltage	41.0Vdc $\pm$ 0.5V	82.0Vdc $\pm$ 0.5V	82.0Vdc $\pm$ 0.5V	
Hot Swappable Battery	Yes			
Internal battery	Yes			
DC leakage current	$\leq 30\mu\text{A}$ ( $\pm 10\mu\text{A}$ ) with no AC applied and the unit in the off position			
Battery type	Sealed, non-spillage, maintenance-free, lead acid			
<b>Transfer Time</b>				
AC to DC	Zero			
Inverter to Bypass	2.5ms(Typical)	Zero		
DC Start	Yes			
Self Diagnostics	By button of the front panel or Software Control			
<b>Front Panel</b>				
LCD	Load Level/Battery Level/ Battery Mode/ Normal Mode/Bypass Mode/ Self-Test/ Weak/Bad Battery/Site Wiring Fault/ Fault/ Overload/Programmable Outlet1//Programmable Outlet2			
Key	ON Button/ OFF Button/ (Test/Alarm Reset Button)			
<b>Protection</b>				
Overload	(AC Mode ) < 105% continuous > 106% ~ 120% for 30 seconds transfer to bypass > 121% ~ 150% for 10 seconds transfer to bypass > 150% for immediately transfer to bypass * Notification: r continuously alarm.			

		(Battery Mode) < 105% continuous > 106% ~ 120% for 30 seconds shuts down > 121% ~ 150% for 10 seconds shuts down > 150% for immediately shuts down * Notification: r continuously alarm.		
		(Bypass Mode) < 105% continuous > 106% ~ 120% for 250 seconds shuts down > 121% ~ 130% for 125 seconds shuts down > 131% ~ 135% for 50 seconds shuts down > 136% ~ 145% for 20 seconds shuts down > 146% ~ 148% for 5 seconds shuts down > 149% ~ 157% for 2 seconds shuts down > 158% ~ 176% for 1 seconds shuts down > 177% ~ 187% for 0.32 seconds shuts down > 188% for 0.16 seconds shuts down * Notification: r continuously alarm.		
Short Circuit		Bypass mode : Input Fuse/Input Breaker Normal Mode: Output Breaker/Electronic Circuit Battery Mode: Output Breaker/Electronic Circuit		
Battery		ABDM		
EPO - Standard		UPS shuts down immediately		
Over Temperature	Normal Mode	Transfer to Bypass Mode		
	Battery Mode	UPS shuts down immediately		
<b>Audible Alarm</b>				
Battery Mode		Sounding once every 1.5 seconds		
Low Battery		Sounding once every 0.2 seconds		
Overload		Sounding once every 3 second		
Fault		Continuously Sounding ( or Sounding once every 3 second )		
<b>Physical</b>				
Dimensions(HxWxD in mm)		3.5"(2U)x17.3"x16"	88(2U)x440x 25.6"	88.8(2U)x440x 650
Weights		34.5lb(15.7kg)	64.7lb(29.4kg)	65.3lb(29.7kg)
Input Connection	120V	NEMA 5-15P	NEMA 5-20P	NEMA L5-30P
	230V	10A, IEC 320-C14	10A, IEC 320-C14	16A, IEC 320-C20
Output Connection	120V	(6) 5-15R	(2) 5-15R (2) 5-20R	(4) 5-15R (1) L5-30R
	230V	(6) 10A,IEC 320-C13		(4) 10A,IEC 320-C13 (1) 16A,IEC 320-C19
<b>Environmental</b>				
Operation Temperature		0-40°C		
Noise Level		< 50dBA		

Relative Humidity	0 to 90% (Without condensation)
<b>Interface</b>	
Interface Type -Standard	1 *USB port+ 1*RS-232 port
SNMP (Optional)	Power management from SNMP manager and Web browser
Compatible platforms	Windows 95/98/NT/2000/XP Novell NetWare, Linux, etc.Vista
<b>Standards and Certification</b>	
Safety	IEC/EN 62040-1-1,IEC 60950-1
Performance	IEC/EN 62040-3
EMC	IEC/EN62040-2 Class A, FCC Part 15 Subpart B Class A, IEC/EN55011, CISPR11, IEC61000-4-2/-3/-4/-5, IEC61000-2-2, IEC61000-3-2/-3
Markings	CE,UL, cUL, FCC

## **10. WARRANTY**

### **LIMITED WARRANTY FOR TreStar, TreStar Sx and TreStar 924 UNINTERRUPTIBLE POWER SUPPLY**

This Warranty is given ONLY to purchasers who buy for commercial or industrial use in the ordinary course of each purchaser's business: USA & Canada

#### **General:**

Staco Energy Products Co. ("Staco") products and systems are in our opinion the finest available. We take pride in our products and are pleased that you have chosen them. Under certain circumstances we offer with our products the following Warranty Against Defects in Material and Workmanship. Warranty period is one (1) year from start-up (max 18 months from ship date) for TreStar 924 and two (2) years from start-up (max 30 months from ship date) for TreStar and TreStar Sx.

Please read your Warranty carefully. This Warranty sets forth our responsibilities in the unlikely event of defect and tells you how to obtain performance under this Warranty.

#### **Terms of Warranty:**

As provided herein, the Staco product is warranted to be free of defects in material and workmanship for a period defined above. If any part or portion of the Staco product fails to conform to the warranty within the warranty period, Staco, at its option, will furnish new or factory remanufactured part(s) for repair or replacement of that portion or part. Battery manufacturer provides a full, one year with 9 year prorated (total of 10 years) warranty. This warranty is passed-through to the purchaser.

#### **Warranty Extends to First Purchaser for Use, Non-transferable:**

This Warranty is extended to the first person, firm, association or corporation for whom the Staco product specified herein is originally installed for use in the United States (the "User"). This Warranty is not transferable or assignable without the prior written permission of Staco.

#### **Assignment of Warranties:**

Staco assigns to User any warranties which are made by manufacturers and suppliers of components of the Staco product and which are



assignable, but Staco makes NO REPRESENTATIONS as to the effectiveness or extent of such warranties, assumes NO RESPONSIBILITY for any matters which may be warranted by such manufacturers or suppliers and extends no coverage under this warranty to such components.

**Warranty Claims Procedure:**

Within a reasonable time, but in no case to exceed sixty (60) days, after User's discovery of a defect, User shall contact Staco Field Services at 1-866-261-1191. Subject to the limitations specified herein, an authorized Staco field service representative will repair the nonconforming Staco product warranted hereunder, without charge for material or labor. If replacement parts or components are shipped or caused to be shipped by Staco prior to inspection of the product claimed to be defective, the replacement part or portion shall be invoiced in the full current price amount and shipped freight collect F.O.B. the Staco facility. Warranty coverage will be extended only after Staco's inspection discloses the claimed defect and shows no signs of treatment or use which would void the coverage of this Warranty. Staco, at its option, may accept written reports and photographs supplied by User detailing a claimed defect as evidence to extend warranty coverage.