# **USER'S MANUAL**

PowerWalker VFI 1000 / 3000VA



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**Uninterruptible Power Supply** 

#### 1. INTRODUCTION

#### 1.1 General Description

The continuity of electrical power is an essential requirement for critical load operations. The Uninterruptible Power System (UPS) is designed to meet the user's need of present computer, server and the equipment of office automation that make the UPS more compact and less noisy.

To choose the UPS as your equipment protector is a wise investment because it supplies reliable, pure and stable power at affordable price.

## 1.2 Key features

- 1. Multiple microprocessor and double-conversion design base.
- 2. Wide input range designed to operate under harsh environment.
- 3. High input power factor and DC-start function.
- 4. LED and LCD display for detail status and data; real-time alarm silence.
- 5. Enhanced protections against light, surges, and disturbance etc.
- 6. Remote monitoring with SNMP intelligent slot and RS-232 interface.
- 7. Light weight and compact size, easy to transport and place.

## 1.3 Important Notices

To be sure that the UPS will be operated correctly, the following items should be noticed:

- Read instructions carefully before operating the UPS.
- 2. UPS power connect instruction should be followed.
- 3. Please don't open the case to prevent danger.
- 4. If the UPS will be stored for long period, the battery must be charged once every 90 days.
- 5. Retain the load within the rating of UPS to prevent faults.
- 6. Handle unusual events according to the trouble-shooting guide.
- 7. Keep the UPS clean and dry.

#### 2. SAFTY INSTRUCTION

#### 2.1 Transporting

- 1. Disconnect all power cables if necessary.
- 2. Be careful not to damage the UPS while transporting.
- 3. Don't move the UPS upside down.
- 4. Please transport the UPS system only in the original packaging (to protect against shock and impact).

#### 2.2 Positioning

- 1.Do not put the UPS on rugged or declined surface.
- 2.Do not install the UPS system near water or in damp environments.
- 3.Do not install the UPS system where it would be exposed to direct sunlight or near heat.
- 4.Do not block off ventilation openings in the UPS system's housing and don't leave objects on the top of the UPS.
- 2.Allow a minimum distance of 10 cm in the rear and two sides of the UPS for ventilation.
- 4. Keep the UPS far away from heat emitting sources.
- 6.Do not expose it to corrosive gas.
- 7.Ambient temperature: 0°C 40°C

#### 2.3 Installation

- 1. Connect the UPS system only to an earthed shockproof socket outlet.
- Do not connect domestic appliances such as hair dryers or office equipment which would overload the UPS system (e.g. laser printers) to UPS output sockets.
- 3. Place cables in such a way that no one can step on or trip over them.

## 2.4 Operation

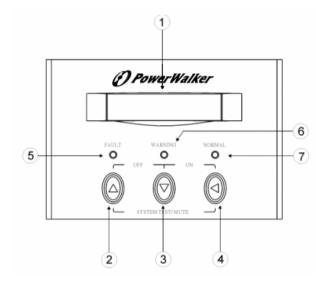
- 1. Do not disconnect the mains cable on the UPS system or the building wiring socket outlet during operations since this would cancel the protective earthing of the UPS system and of all connected loads.
- 2. The UPS has its own internal power source (batteries). The output terminals may be live even when the UPS is not connected to the AC supply.
- 3. Ensure that no fluids or other foreign objects can enter the UPS system.

#### 2.5 Maintenance and Service

- 1. Caution risk of electric shock.
- Even after the unit is disconnected from the mains power supply (building wiring socket outlet), components inside the UPS system are still connected to the battery and are still electrically live and dangerous. Before carrying out any kind of servicing and/or maintenance, disconnect the batteries and verify that no current is present.
- Only persons adequately familiar with batteries and with the required precautionary measures may exchange batteries and supervise operations.
   Unauthorised persons must be kept well away from the batteries.
- 3. Batteries may cause electric shock and have a high short-circuit current. Please take the precautionary measures specified below and any other measures necessary when working with batteries:
  - remove wristwatches, rings and other metal objects
  - use only tools with insulated grips and handles.
- 4. When changing batteries, install the same number and same type of batteries.
- 5. Do not attempt to dispose of batteries by burning them. This could cause battery explosion.
- 6. Do not open or destroy batteries. Escaping electrolyte can cause injury to the skin and eyes.

#### 3. SYSTEM DESCRIPTION

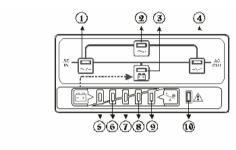
3.1 LCD Display(Includes detachable LCD function with connecting from remote control port to RS-232)

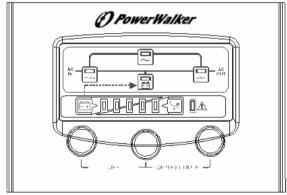


- LCD Display: This indicates the UPS operation information, including UPS status, input/output voltage, input/output frequency, battery voltage, battery capacity left, output load, inside temperature, and the times of history events.
- 2. LCD Select Up-key: It is pressed to select upward the UPS status on LCD Display.
- 3. LCD Select Down-key: It is pressed to select downward the UPS status on LCD Display. When UPS is in operation press this key and the LCD Select Up-key simultaneously for 3 seconds, the UPS will be switched off after two beeps.
- 4. Control Key: When this key is pressed with the LCD Select Down-key simultaneously for 3 seconds, the UPS will be switched on after two beeps. Similarly. Beside, in battery operation mode, press both of this key and LCD Select Up-key at the same time to disable the buzzer.

- 5. Fault LED (red): To indicate the UPS is in fault condition because of inverter shutdown or over-temperature.
- 6. Warning LED (yellow): To indicate the UPS is in the status of overload, bypass and battery back-up.
- 7. Normal LED (green): To indicate the UPS is operating normally.

### 3.2 LED Display





- Line LED (green): To indicate the AC power is applied to the UPS input.
   In case this LED blinks, it means the main AC source is out of tolerance.
- 2. Bypass LED (yellow): To indicate the load is powered via the bypass.
- 3. Battery LED (yellow): To indicate the UPS is in battery backup mode when the mains power has failed.
- 4. Inverter LED (green): To indicate the UPS is powered through inverter.

- 5~9. Load & Battery Capacity LEDs:
  - (a) No. 5 to 8 LED is green color and No. 9 (used as warning LED for overload or battery low) is yellow.
  - (b) These LEDs show the load % of the UPS if the mains power is available (in normal operation). LEDs light up to indicate the following information.

No. 5 LED: 0-35 % No. 5&6&7&8 LEDs: 76-95 %

No. 5&6 LEDs: 36-55 % No. 5&6&7&8&9 LEDs: 96-105%

No. 5&6&7 LEDs: 56-75 %

(c) In the battery operation, the LEDs indicate the capacity (%) of the batteries. LEDs light up to indicate the following information.

No. 9 LED: 0%-25 % (battery low level)

No. 8&9LEDs: 26%-50 % No. 6&7&8&9 LEDs: 76%-95 %

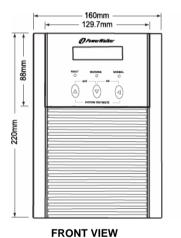
No. 7&8&9 LEDs: 51%-75 % No. 5&6&7&8&9 LEDs: 96-100 %

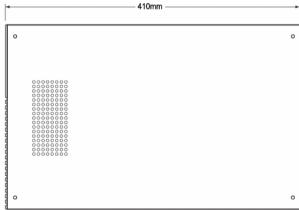
- 10. Fault LED (red): To indicate the UPS is in fault condition because of inverter shutdown or over-temperature
- 11. On/Test/Mute key: It should be pressed with the control key (see the following item 12) simultaneously to do UPS auto test and turn off the buzzer when in battery operation.
- 12. Control Key:
- (a) When this key is pressed with the On/Test/Mute key simultaneously for 3 seconds, the UPS will be switched on after two beeps.
- (b) When UPS is in operation, press this key and On/Test/Mute/ key simultaneously, the UPS will do auto battery test. And the Battery LED will blink if the battery may have problem. Besides, in battery operation

- (buzzer beeps), press this key and the On/Test/Mute key at the same time to disable the buzzer.
- (c) When UPS is in operation this key is pressed with the Off key simultaneously for 3 seconds, the UPS will be switched off after two beeps
- 13. Off key: It should be pressed with the control key (see the above item 12) simultaneously to switch off the UPS.

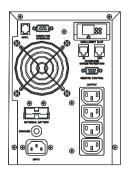
## 3.3 Outline Description

## **1KVA Tower Case**



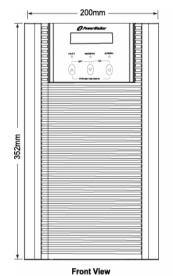


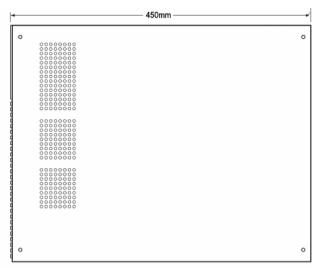
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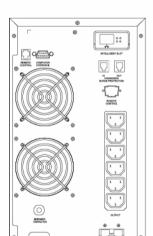


**BACK VIEW** 

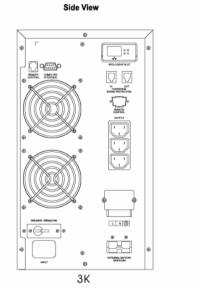
## 2KVA / 3KVA Tower Case







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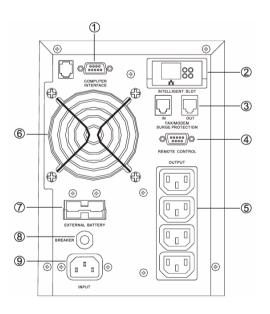
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Back View

## 3.4 Back View Description

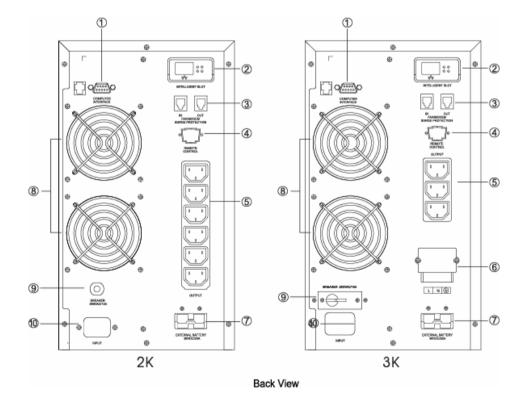
## **1KVA Tower Case**

1. DB 9 (RS-232) Interface Port	6. Fan	
2. SNMP Intelligent Slot (Option)	7. External Battery Socket	
3. Fax / Modem (Surge Protection)	8. Breaker	
Remote Control     (Detachable LCD Panel)	9. Input Socket	
5. Output Socket (NEMA or IEC)		



## 2KVA / 3KVA Tower Case

1. DB 9 (RS-232) Interface Port	7. External Battery Socket	
2. SNMP Intelligent Slot (Option)	8. Fan	
3. Fax / Modem (Surge Protection)	9 Breaker	
Remote Control     (Detachable LCD Panel)	10. Input Terminal	
5. Output Socket (NEMA or IEC)		
6. Output Terminal		



#### 4. CABLE CONNECTION

## 4.1 Inspection

- 1. The system may be installed and wired only by qualified electricians in accordance with applicable safety regulations.
- 2. When installing the electrical wiring, please note the nominal amperage of your incoming feeder.
- 3. Inspect the packaging carton and its contents for damage. Please inform the transport agency immediately should you find signs of damage. Please keep the packaging in a safe place for future use.
- 4. Please ensure that the incoming feeder is isolated and secured to prevent it from being switched back on again.

#### 4.2 Connection

- 1. UPS Input Connection
  - If the UPS is connected via the power cord, please use a proper socket with protection against electric current, and pay attention to the capacity of the socket.
- 2. UPS Output Connection
  - The output of this model is with socket-types only (NEMA or IEC). Simply plug the load power cord to the output sockets to complete connection.

#### 5. OPERATION

#### 5.1 Check Prior to Start Up

- 1. Ensure the UPS is in a suitable positioning.
- Check input cord is secured.
- 3. Make sure the load is disconnected or in the "OFF" position.
- 4. Check if input voltage meets the UPS rating required.

#### 5.2 Operation Procedure

Please follow the instructions below for the UPS operation.

 Once the AC source is connected, the LCD Display shall light up immediately to display first the main menu of greeting context and the Normal LED is blinking to indicate ready to switch on the inverter.



- By pressing the UPS on/off Control Key and the LCD Select Down-key simultaneously for 3 seconds until the buzzer beeps twice, the UPS will start up and Normal LED lights up to indicate the power is from its inverter to the load.
- 3. When the LCD Select Down-key and the LCD Select Up-key are pressed simultaneously for 3 seconds until the buzzer beeps twice, the inverter will be turned off and the UPS is on the standby status (LCD display illuminates and Normal LED is blinking) until AC source is disconnected.

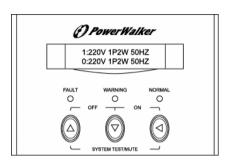
## 5.3 Storage Instruction

Disconnect input power in rear panel if you will not use it for long period. If the UPS is stored over 3 months, please keep supplying power to the UPS for at least 24 hours to ensure battery fully recharged.

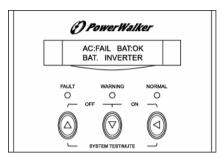
## 5.4 LCD Display

Use Up/Down key to select menu-displays of the LCD described below. This screen will refresh once the system power is enabled.

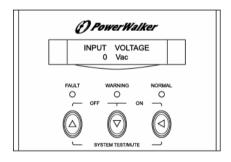
1. Rated Spec Menu

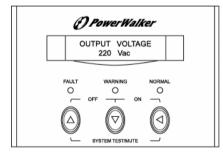


2. Status Menu

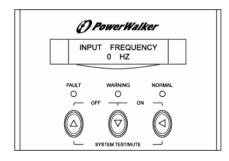


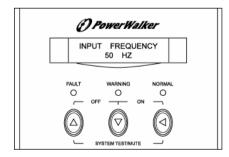
3. Voltage Menu



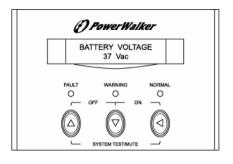


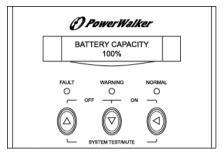
4. Frequency Menu



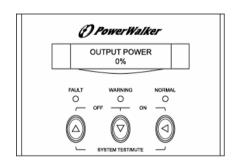


5. Battery Status Menu

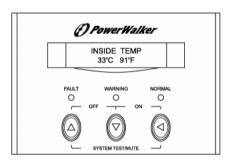




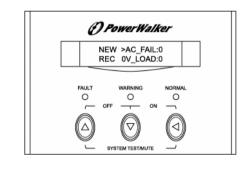
6. Output Power Menu

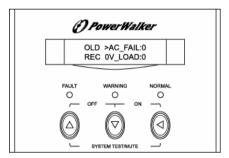


7. Temperature Menu



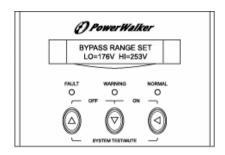
8. History Record Menu





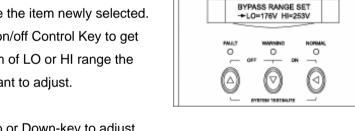
## 9. Bypass Range Set Menu

A. To protect the load, the function of bypass auto-transfer is activated only when the AC main voltage is within the range of LO (low) and HI(high). In this screen, press on/off Control Key to enter the following steps for LO/HI voltage setting.

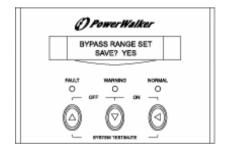


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B. The cursor (→) will pop up to indicate the item newly selected. Press on/off Control Key to get the item of LO or HI range the user want to adjust.

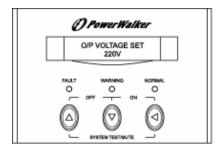


C. Use Up or Down-key to adjust the voltage (changing 1V by every press). LO (low rang):176V+/- 20V, HI(high range):253V+/- 20V).

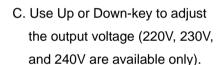


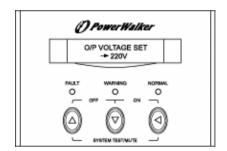
D. Once the value is confirmed, press on/off Control Key again to save the data.

- 10. Output Voltage Set Menu
  - A. In this screen, press on/off Control Key to enter the following steps for output voltage setting.

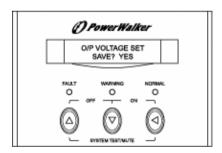


B. The cursor (→) will pop up to indicate the output voltage newly selected.





D. Once the correct voltage is selected, press on/off Control Key again to save the data.

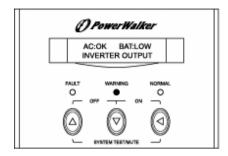


#### 6. TROUBLE SHOOTING GUIDE

#### 6.1 UPS Status and Action

The description of the following guideline may be helpful in problem solving.

1. LED and LCD status as below:

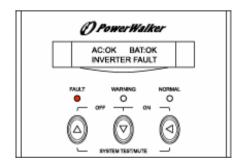


#### **UPS STATUS:**

AC utility power is normal. UPS is running normally, but battery capacity is low (referring to Battery Status Menu). Buzzer beeps once every second for battery low.

ACTION: Charger may broke down. Please replace charger board.

2. LED and LCD status as below:

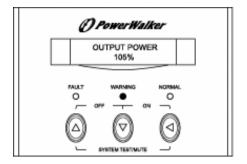


#### **UPS STATUS:**

AC utility power is normal. The output load is supplied through bypass of AC utility. Fault LED lits up and buzzer beeps continuously.

**ACTION:** Please contact your agent for service.

3. LED and LCD status as below:

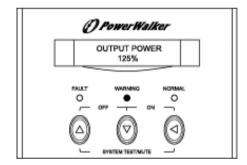


#### **UPS STATUS:**

AC utility power is normal but UPS is overloaded. Warning LED lits up and buzzer beeps per second.

**ACTION:** Please reduce the critical load to POWER(%)<100%.

4. LED and LCD status as below:

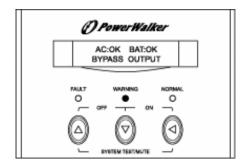


#### **UPS STATUS:**

AC utility power is normal but UPS is overloaded up to 125%. Warning LED does not fade out and buzzer beeps per 0.5 second.

**ACTION:** Please reduce the critical load to POWER(%)<100%.

#### 5. LED and LCD status as below:

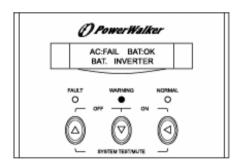


#### **UPS STATUS:**

AC utility power is normal, but the load is supplied by AC utility power via bypass. Output power is more than 150% (referring to the Output Power Menu). Warning LED lits up and buzzer beeps continuously.

**ACTION:** Please reduce the critical load to POWER(%)<100%.

#### 6. LED and LCD status as below:

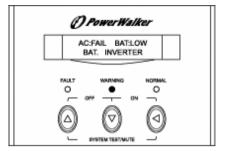


#### **UPS STATUS:**

AC utility power fails .The full load is supplied by battery power in UPS. Buzzer alarm sounds every 4 seconds.

**ACTION:** If AC utility power fails, reduce the less critical load in order to extend backup time. If it is not abnormal power failure, please check the rated input or connected line.

## 7. LED and LCD status as below:

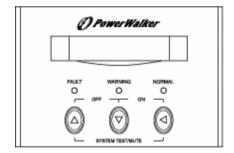


#### **UPS STATUS:**

AC utility fails. The load is supplied by UPS in backup mode, and battery power is approaching low level. Buzzer alarm beeps every second.

ACTION: UPS will shut down automatically. Please save data soon.

#### 8. LED and LCD status as below:



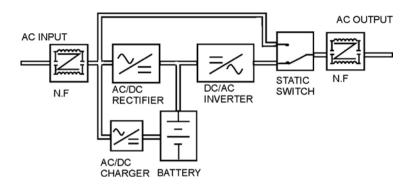
#### **UPS STATUS:**

AC utility power fails and battery runs out. UPS has shut down automatically.

**ACTION:** UPS will restart up when AC utility power is restored. If AC utility power failure is more than 6 hours, please follow storage instruction.

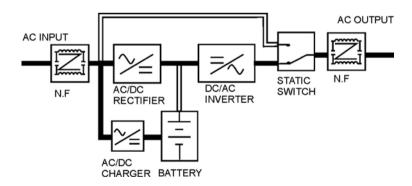
## 7. OPERATION MODES OF THE UPS

## 7.1 UPS System Block Diagram



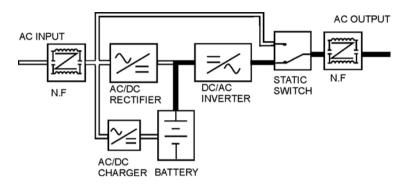
## 7.2 Normal Operation

There are two main loops when AC utility is normal: the AC loop and the battery charging loop. The AC output power comes from AC utility input and passes through AC/DC rectifier, DC/AC inverter and static switch to support power to load. The battery charging voltage comes from AC utility input and converted by AC/DC charger to support battery-charging power.



## 7.3 AC Utility Failure

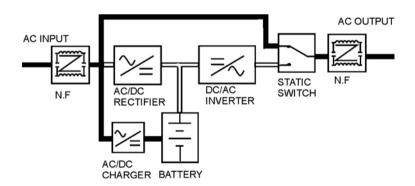
The AC output comes from battery, passing through DC/AC inverter and static switch within the battery backup time.



## 7.4 Bypass Enable

Under the following conditions, the bypass will be enabled:

- 1.Overload.
- 2.Inverter failure.
- 3.Over-temperature



## 8. COMPUTER INTERFACE

#### 8.1 communication interface

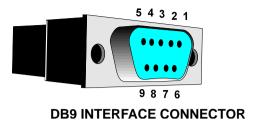
The communication interface (DB9 port) on the back of the UPS may be connected to a host computer. The port provides communicating with the computer like below.

## Supply RS-232 for monitoring software of **UPSilon 2000**

The UPS communicates with the computer by sending out RS-232 data streams to one of the serial ports. By this method the user is able to monitor the following parameters.

Input Voltage	Indicates the present input voltage to the UPS system when AC power is present.
Output Voltage	Indicates the present output voltage of the UPS.
AC Frequency	Indicates the actual output frequency of the UPS.
Battery Voltage	Indicates the present DC voltage of the UPS battery.
Temperature	Indicates the actual temperature inside the UPS.

#### 8.2 DB9 Interface Connector



## **DB9 PIN Assignment**

PIN 2: RS232 RXD

PIN 3: RS232 TXD

PIN 5: GND

The other PINs have no function.

## 9. SPECIFICATIONS

Rated Power	Capacity	1KVA / 700W	2KVA / 1400W	3KVA / 2100W	
	V-II	Single phase 220Vac, 160~300Vac at 70~100% load			
	Voltage	140~300Vac at 50~70% load, 118~300Vac at 0~50% load			
Input	Frequency		50Hz or 60Hz +/- 4Hz		
	Power Factor	≧ 0.95			
	Voltage, Frequency	Single phase 220Vac +/- 2% (230V or 240V re-settable via LCD panel), 50Hz or 60Hz			
Output	Transient Response	+/- 3% (100% load variation)			
·	Waveform / Distortion	Sine wave, THD < 3% at 0-100% linear load			
	Crest Ratio	3:1			
Battery	Voltage (longer backup time is available upon request)	7Ah / 12V * 3pcs	7Ah / 12	2V * 8pcs	
	Charger	5 hrs to 90% of full capacity after full load discharge			
Transfer Time	AC fail 0 ms; 2.5	.5ms typical from inverter to bypass and vice versa			
	Battery	Batt	ery low shutdown ar	nd Fuse	
Protection	Overload	125~150% 30sec, then switch to bypass and auto re-transfer; >150% for 200ms			
	Short Circuit	Current Limited and cut-off and fuse and breaker			
	EMI/EMC	EN50091-2			
	Mains Failure	Beeping every 4 seconds			
Audible Alarm	Battery Low	Beeping once every second			
	Fault, Overload	Continuously			
Indicator	LCD	UPS status, I/P&O/P voltage& frequency, Battery voltage, Battery capacity, Loading %, Temperature, History record			
mulcator	LED	Normal (green), Warning (yellow), Fault (red) LED			
	DB9 Connector	RS-232 Interface; Power monitoring software (Option)		g software (Option)	
Communications	SNMP Intelligent Slot	Power management from SNMP manager and Web browser (Option)			
Network	Surge Protection	RJ11 I/O port available for 10 base-T network or Fax / Modem			
	Temperature	0-40 degree C; 32-104 degree F 0-95% non-condensing			
Environment	Relative Humidity				
	Acoustic Noise	Less than 45dBA (at 1 meter)			
Physical	Net Weight (w/o batt.)	7kgs	13.5kgs	14.5kgs	
	Net Weight (w/ batt.)	14kgs	34kgs	35kgs	
	Dimension (WxHxD)mm	160x220x400 200x352x450			

 $<sup>\</sup>ensuremath{\, imes\,}$  Specifications are subject to change without notice.