

Installation Guide Smart-UPS[™] X External Battery Pack SMX120BP

Inventory

Inspect the contents upon receipt. Notify the carrier and dealer if there is damage.





Safety and General Information

Read the safety information below before installing the external battery pack.

- This external battery pack (XLBP) is intended for indoor use only.
- Do not operate this XLBP in direct sunlight, in contact with fluids, or where there is excessive dust or humidity.
- The battery typically lasts for three to five years. Environmental factors impact battery life. Elevated ambient temperatures, poor quality AC power, and frequent short duration discharges will shorten battery life.
- Before installing or replacing the batteries, remove jewelry such as wrist watches and rings. High short circuit current through conductive materials could cause severe burns.
- The batteries are heavy. Remove the batteries prior to installing the unit in a rack.
- Use caution when closing and securing the battery compartment doors. Do not allow the battery cables to be pinched by the battery compartment doors.
- Always install the XLBPs at the bottom of the rack. The UPS must be installed above the XLBPs.
- The UPS display interface will recognize as many as 10 external battery packs connected to the UPS. However there is no limit to the number of XLBPs that can be used with the UPS.

Specifications

For additional specifications, refer to the APC web site at www.apc.com.

Environmental

Temperature	Operating	0° to 40° C (32° to 104° F)
	Storage	-15° to 45° C (5° to 113° F) charge UPS battery every six months
Maximum Elevation	Operating	3,000 m (10,000 ft)
	Storage	15,000 m (50,000 ft)
Humidity	0% to 95% relative humidity, non-condensing	

Remove the Batteries



Caution: Each battery weighs 23 kg (51 lbs). Remove the batteries before installation to prevent possible injury.

Use the battery handle to lift and slide each battery out of the XLBP.



Tower configuration



Warning: Two tie brackets must be installed between each unit.

Warning: The units are heavy. Prior to installing the tie brackets select a location sturdy enough for the combined weight of the units.

Do not move the units once the tie brackets are installed. Doing so can cause personal injury, or damage to the units. Remove the tie brackets prior to moving the units.











Rack-Mount Configuration

Tower to rack-mount conversion













Two-post rack installation









Four-post rack installation





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Connect the External Battery Packs



APC Worldwide Customer Support

Customer support for this or any other APC product is available at no charge in any of the following ways:

- Visit the APC Web site to access documents in the APC Knowledge Base and to submit customer support requests.
 - www.apc.com (Corporate Headquarters)
 Connect to localized APC Web sites for specific countries, each of which provides customer support information.
 - www.apc.com/support/ Global support searching APC Knowledge Base and using e-support.
- Contact the APC Customer Support Center by telephone or e-mail.
 - Local, country-specific centers: go to www.apc.com/support/contact for contact information.

For information on how to obtain local customer support, contact the APC representative or other distributors from whom you purchased your APC product.

Service

If the unit requires service, do not return it to the dealer. Follow these steps:

- 1. Review the *Troubleshooting* section of the manual to eliminate common problems.
- 2. If the problem persists, contact APC Customer Support through the APC Web site, www.apc.com.
 - a. Note the model number and serial number and the date of purchase. The model and serial numbers are located on the rear panel of the unit and are available through the LCD display on select models.
 - b. Call APC Customer Support and a technician will attempt to solve the problem over the phone. If this is not possible, the technician will issue a Returned Material Authorization Number (RMA#).
 - c. If the unit is under warranty, the repairs are free.
 - d. Service procedures and returns may vary internationally. Refer to the APC Web site for country specific instructions.
- 3. Pack the unit in the original packaging whenever possible to avoid damage in transit. Never use foam beads for packaging. Damage sustained in transit is not covered under warranty.
 - a. Always DISCONNECT THE UPS BATTERIES before shipping. The United States Department of Transportation (DOT), and the International Air Transport Association (IATA) regulations require that UPS batteries be disconnected before shipping. The internal batteries may remain in the UPS.
 - b. External Battery Pack products are de-energized when disconnected from the associated UPS product. It is not necessary to disconnect the internal batteries for shipping. Not all units utilize an external battery pack.
- 4. Write the RMA# provided by Customer Support on the outside of the package.
- 5. Return the unit by insured, pre-paid carrier to the address provided by Customer Support.

Transport the unit

- 1. Shut down and disconnect all connected equipment.
- 2. Disconnect the unit from utility power.
- 3. Disconnect all internal and external batteries (if applicable).
- 4. Follow the shipping instructions outlined in the *Service* section of this manual.

Two-Year Factory Warranty

This warranty applies only to the products you purchase for your use in accordance with this manual.

Terms of warranty

APC warrants its products to be free from defects in materials and workmanship for a period of two years from the date of purchase. APC will repair or replace defective products covered by this warranty. This warranty does not apply to equipment that has been damaged by accident, negligence or misapplication or has been altered or modified in any way. Repair or replacement of a defective product or part thereof does not extend the original warranty period. Any parts furnished under this warranty may be new or factory-remanufactured. For country specific warranty information, refer to the APC Web site, www.apc.com.

Non-transferable warranty

This warranty extends only to the original purchaser who must have properly registered the product. The product may be registered at the APC Web site, **www.apc.com**.

Exclusions

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