

USER MANUAL

# FERRUPS

0800-2000 - 0800-7500



# FERRUPS<sup>®</sup> User Manual

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2 kVA-7.5 kVA 50 and 60 Hz  
Uninterruptible Power Systems

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## 100 Introduction

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This manual explains how to start your FERRUPS, interpret its status lights, use its display and communication features, and get assistance if you have a FERRUPS problem. This manual also includes specifications and warranty information. If your FERRUPS is not a soft-wired (plug-in) model, your electrician should install the FERRUPS using the *Installation Manual* included with your unit. If your UPS has one or more separate battery cabinets, you should also use the instructions in the *Installation Manual* to connect the cabinet(s) to the FERRUPS.

To find information in this manual, use the contents above.

Best Power is committed to outstanding customer service. If you have a problem or question, our Worldwide Service center is happy to help you. Simply refer to the list of Best Power offices at the beginning of this manual to contact the office nearest you. Please have your unit's serial number available when you contact Best Power. (In the United States and Canada, you can call Worldwide Service toll-free at 1-800-356-5737.)

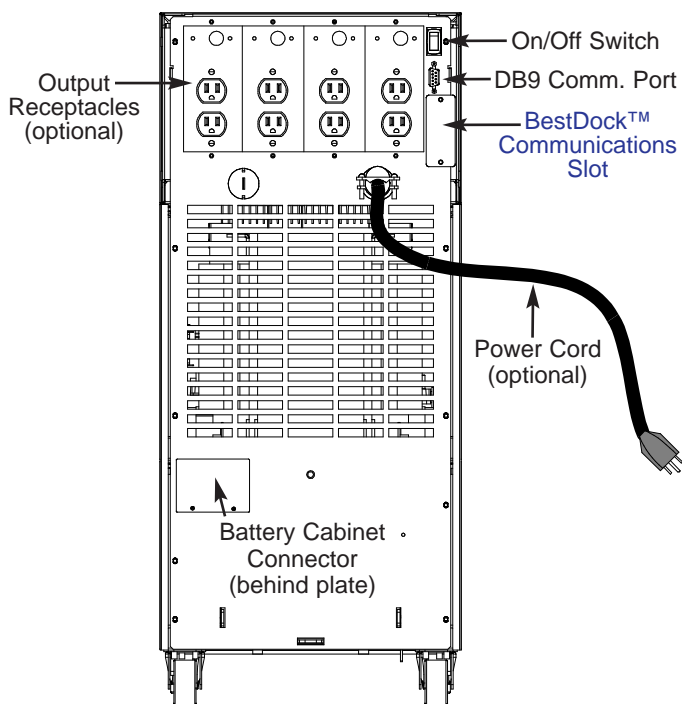
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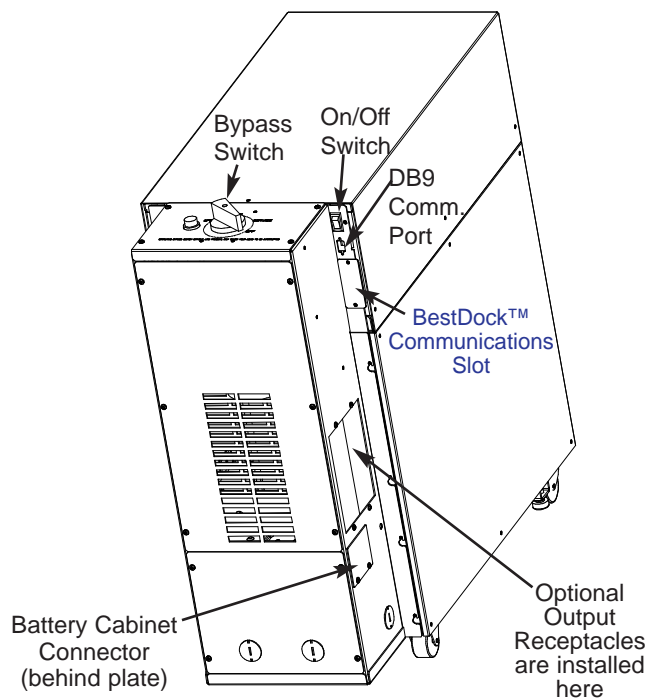
# 200 UPS Features

The drawings below will help you identify the features on your UPS and separate battery cabinets.

**Back Panel of Standard Units\***

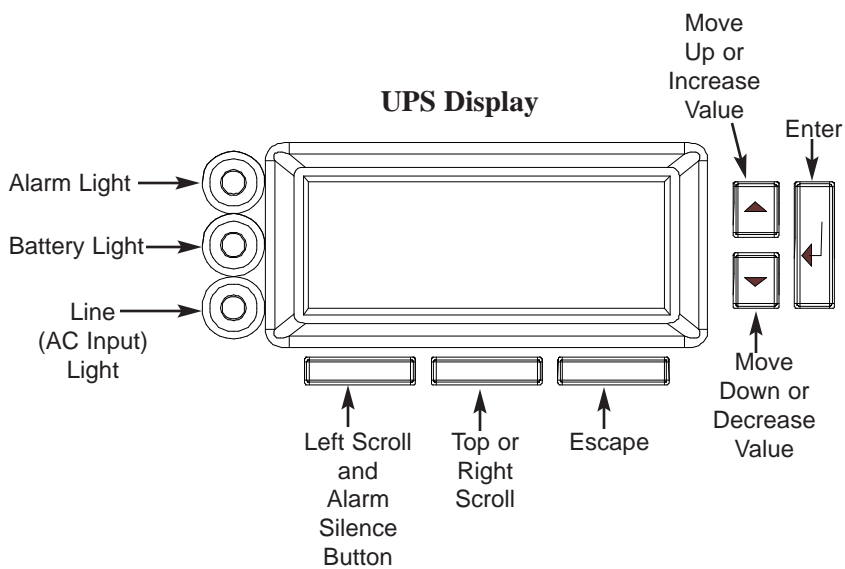
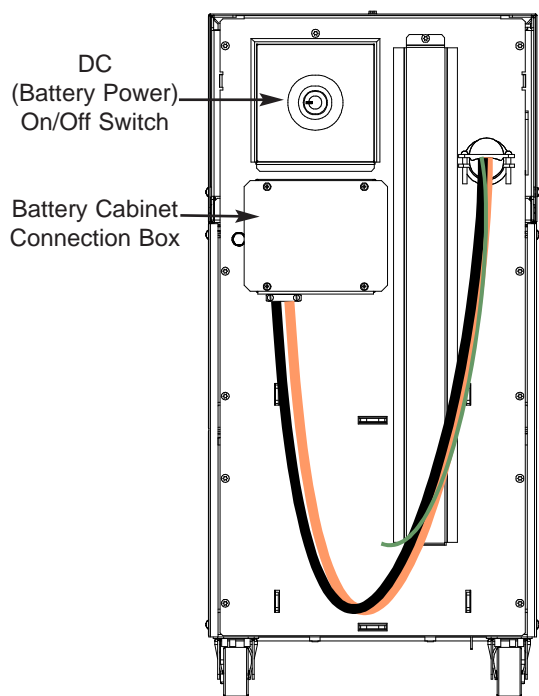


**Back Panel with Optional Internal Bypass**



\* Only one FERRUPS model is shown; sizes vary. The unit shown is a soft-wired (plug-in) model with output receptacles; some units do not have a power cord, plug, or output receptacles.

**Battery Cabinet Back Panel**



# 300 Starting the UPS

**Note:** If you plan to store your UPS, the storage temperature must be between  $-20^{\circ}$  and  $+40^{\circ}$  Celsius ( $-4^{\circ}$  and  $+104^{\circ}$  Fahrenheit). If the UPS does not have internal batteries, you can store it at  $-20^{\circ}$  to  $+60^{\circ}$  C ( $-4^{\circ}$  to  $+140^{\circ}$  F). **The batteries must be recharged every 90-120 days. To recharge the batteries, start the UPS and let it operate for 8 hours. (If the batteries are in a separate cabinet, make sure the cabinet is connected to the UPS.)**

Before you start the UPS, make sure the temperature is  $0^{\circ}$  to  $40^{\circ}$  Celsius ( $32^{\circ}$  to  $104^{\circ}$  Fahrenheit). The relative humidity must be 0-95% without condensation. The air must be free of dust, chemicals that corrode, or other contaminants, and it must be free to move around the UPS.



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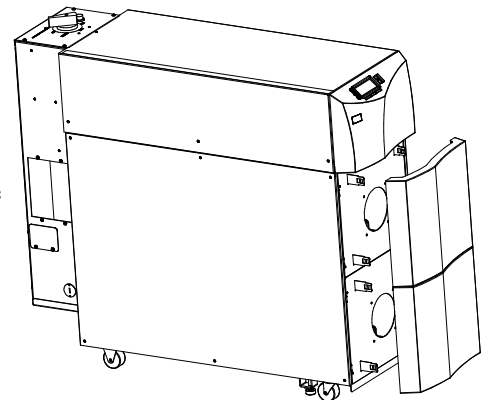
To avoid possible equipment damage or personal injury, assume that the FERRUPS terminals or receptacles (outlets) may have AC voltage present whenever AC input voltage or DC battery voltage is supplied. FERRUPS can provide output voltage from its batteries even when there is no AC input voltage. When AC input voltage is available, FERRUPS can provide output voltage even when its batteries are disconnected. To make sure there will be no UPS output voltage, always disconnect the AC input source; if you have a separate battery cabinet, you must also shut off the DC switch or disconnect the battery cabinet from the UPS.

To reduce the risk of electric shock, install the UPS in a temperature-controlled indoor area free of conductive contaminants.

**When the UPS is shipped, two sections of the front panel are not attached. Attach the front panel sections before starting the UPS.**

**1** When you receive the FERRUPS, two sections of the front panel are not attached. You will find the panel sections in the packing material on the top of the UPS.

Attach the smaller of the two panels to the middle section. To do this, fit the slots on the back of the panel over the metal tabs on the front of the UPS. Then, push the panel in until it snaps in place. Make sure the panel is completely attached with no gaps between the panel and the UPS. Attach the larger of the two panels to the bottom section of the UPS.



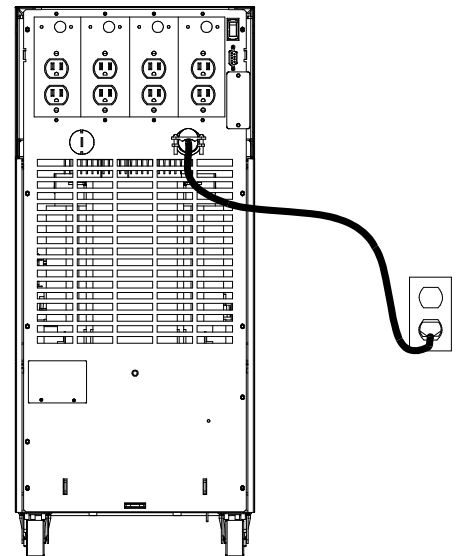
**2** If your UPS is **not** a soft-wired (plug-in) model, an electrician must install the UPS and connect the equipment you want to protect. See the *FERRUPS Installation Manual*. After the UPS has been installed, make sure the bypass switch is turned to “LINE,” skip step 3, and go to [step 4](#) below.

If your UPS is a soft-wired (plug-in) model, turn off the equipment you want to protect.

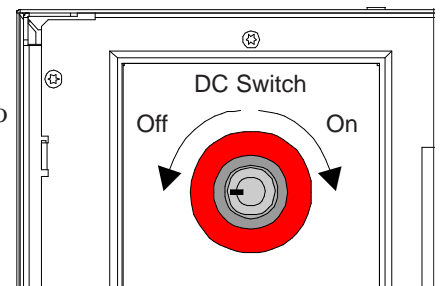
- 3 *Models with permanently attached power cords (shown):*  
 Plug in the UPS. If the plug on the UPS' power cord does not match your outlet (receptacle), an electrician must install the proper outlet.

*Models with power cords that must be plugged in:*

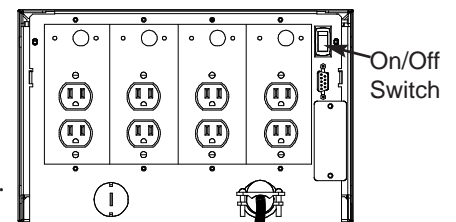
Do not use the cord that came with your UPS to plug it in; this cord is for connecting your equipment to the UPS. Your computer, or the equipment that you want to protect, should have a power cord that you can unplug or disconnect. Disconnect this cord from your equipment, connect the cord to the back of your UPS, and use it to plug in the UPS. Once you have plugged in the UPS, the green light on the front panel should be on. (If you need to order a UPS power cord, call [the nearest Best Power office.](#))



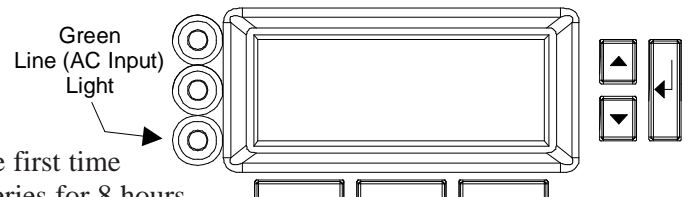
- 4 If your FERRUPS has one or more separate battery cabinets, the battery packs should already be installed. (See the *Installation Manual.*) Find the red DC switch on the back of each battery cabinet. Insert the key into the DC switch and turn it all the way to the right (clockwise); then, pull the switch out to turn the DC on. When you want to turn the switch off, simply push it in — you do not need the key to turn DC off.



- 5 At the UPS back panel, press and hold the On/Off switch until the unit starts. **AC input power must be present for the FERRUPS to start.** When the unit starts, it runs on battery power briefly; then, the green light on the FERRUPS front panel will be on to show the unit is running on AC line input. Whenever the yellow light is on, the unit is running on battery power because of a power outage or power problem. When the green light is on, the display will show the following:

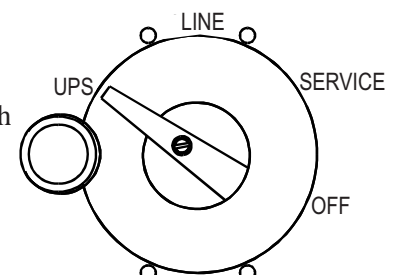


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 System Mode Auto  
 Charger On



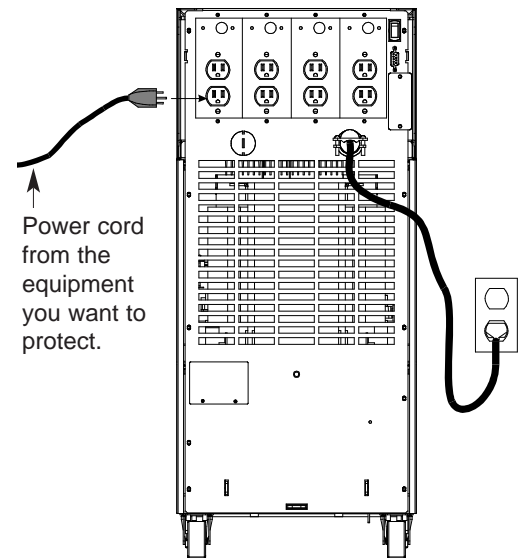
FERRUPS automatically charges the batteries whenever AC input power is available. If this is the first time you've started the FERRUPS, let it charge the batteries for 8 hours before you go on. You can use the UPS right away, but its battery backup time (runtime) will be shorter until the batteries are fully charged.

- 6 If your unit has a bypass switch, check for a red button next to the switch (shown). If the bypass switch has a red button, press it, then turn the switch to "UPS." If not, simply turn the switch to "UPS."



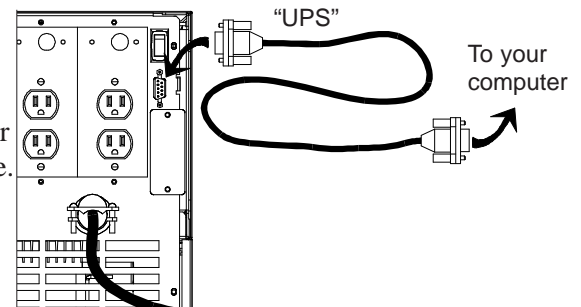
7 If your UPS has output receptacles/outlets on the back panel (shown) or on an attached internal bypass switch, plug the equipment you want to protect into the UPS' receptacles.

If you used the cord from your own equipment to plug in the UPS (see [step 2](#)), use the cord provided with the FERRUPS to plug your equipment into the FERRUPS. If the power cord for the equipment you want to protect is permanently attached to the equipment, you may have an electrician wire the provided plug to the cord.



8 Switch on the equipment connected to the FERRUPS.  
**Note:** If the UPS sounds an alarm and the display shows "Output Overload," the equipment needs more power than the FERRUPS is designed to provide. See the [Alarm Table in Section 600](#).

9 FERRUPS comes with a CheckUPS software package that lets you connect the FERRUPS to your computer and monitor UPS operation and power conditions. During longer power outages, CheckUPS also can shut down your computer automatically before the UPS runs out of battery backup time. To start using CheckUPS, find the interface cable packed with your CheckUPS software. Connect the "UPS" end of this cable to the FERRUPS' port, and connect the other end of the cable to your computer.



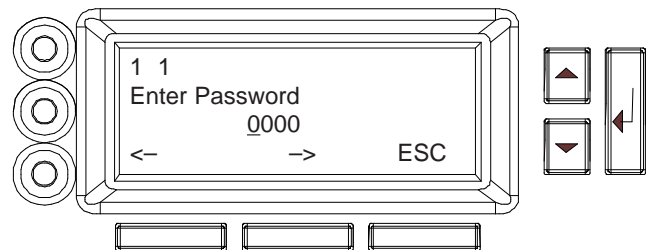
To install the CheckUPS software, see the instructions in the CheckUPS CD case.

10 The FERRUPS is now providing continuous, computer-grade power to your equipment. It is ready to provide battery backup power when needed. Please fill out the warranty registration card in this manual and return it to Best Power within ten days of installation.

11 When you first start the FERRUPS, you should set the time and date so that the unit's logs keep an accurate record of FERRUPS operation. After you set the time and date once, FERRUPS' real-time clock keeps time even when the the UPS has been completely shut down. To set the time and date, follow these steps:

a. First you must enter the User password (377). To do this, follow these steps:

- Press the bottom right button (below "Menu" on the display) to switch from the standard display to the menus. The display will show "1 Enter Password."
- Press  $\downarrow$ . The display will show "0000" in the third line.
- Notice the blinking cursor under the first 0. Press the button under " $\rightarrow$ " once so the cursor is under the second 0. (" $\rightarrow$ " is on the bottom line of the display.) Then, press the  $\blacktriangle$  button until this number increases to 3.
- Press " $\rightarrow$ " again to move to the third digit, and press the  $\blacktriangle$  button until this digit increases to 7. Change the final digit to 7 as well.
- The final display should show "0377"; once it does, press  $\downarrow$ . "User" will appear in the upper right corner of the display to show that you have entered the User password.



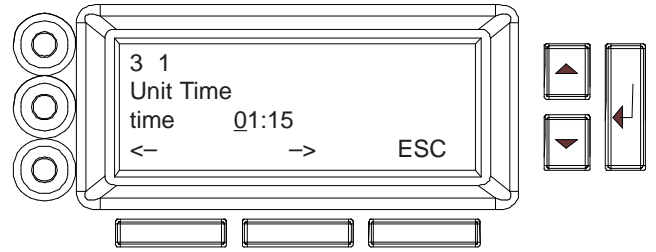


b. Press the ▼ button twice until the display shows “3 System Status Info.”

c. Press ↵ once. The display will now show “3 1 Unit Time.”

d. Press ↵. A cursor will appear in the time shown.

e. Notice that the bottom line of the display has changed to “<- -> ESC” to show you that you can now use the bottom three buttons to move left, move right, or escape. Use these buttons to move the cursor to each digit you need to change, and use the ▲ and ▼ buttons to increase or decrease each digit. Use 24-hour time (add 12 to the hour if the time is after noon). Press ↵ to save the setting.

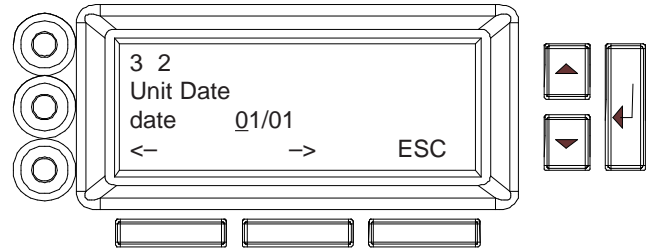


Example: If the time shown is 12:07, and the actual time is 3:15 PM, enter 15:15. Start by pressing the button below → to move to the “2,” and press ▲ three times to increase this to “5.” The third line of the display is now “Time 15:07.” Press the button below → to move to the third digit (after the :), and press ▲ once to increase this to “1.” Next, press the button below → again to move to the next digit, and press ▼ twice to decrease this to “5.” When you have finished, press ↵ to save the setting.

f. Now, press ▼ once to scroll down to “Unit Date.”

g. Press ↵. A cursor will appear in the line “Date 01/01”. (This line may show a different date.)

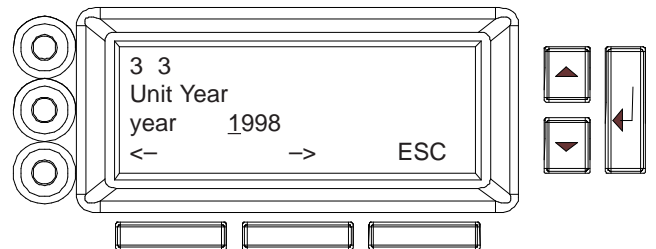
h. As you did with the time, use the buttons below <- and -> to move to the left and right, and use the ▲ and ▼ buttons to increase or decrease the value of each digit in the date.



Example: If the date now shown is 01/01, and you would like to change it to 07/06/98, you would use → to move to the second digit and press ▲ six times to increase it from “1” to “7.” Then, you would move to the fourth digit and change that to “6.” Since the other digits match the date you want to enter, you do not need to change the other digits.

i. When the display shows the correct date, press ↵, and the FERRUPS date will change.

j. Now, press ▼ once to scroll down to “Set Unit Year.” Press ↵. A cursor will appear in the year. As you did with the time and date, use the buttons below <- and -> to move to the left and right, and use the ▲ and ▼ buttons to increase or decrease the value of each digit in the year.



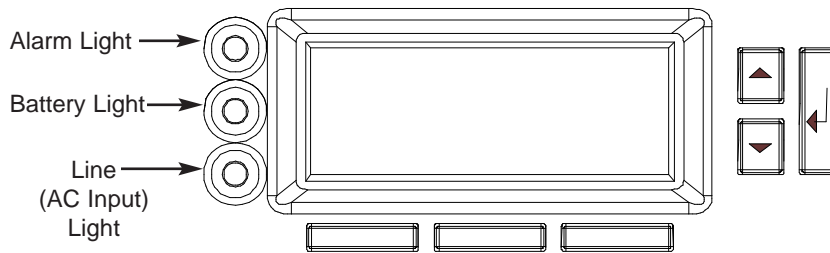
k. When the display shows the correct date, press ↵, and the FERRUPS year will change.

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# 400 Using the FERRUPS' Front Panel Lights

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The FERRUPS display includes three lights that show you the status of FERRUPS operation.



The **red Alarm light** means the UPS has detected a problem. When this happens, the display shows an alarm message, and the UPS beeps the Morse Code for the alarm. See [Section 600](#).

The **yellow Battery light** means the UPS is operating on battery power, either because there is a power outage or because the available AC input power is not usable. When this happens, the display shows “On Battery,” the runtime, and the battery voltage. (You can press the bottom right button to switch to the menu display; see [Section 501](#).) The UPS will continue to run on battery power until the power problem ends or the UPS' batteries discharge. If the batteries discharge, the UPS will sound alarms shortly before shutting down.

The **green AC Line light** means the UPS is using the available AC input power. The UPS conditions the power before providing output to your equipment. While the FERRUPS is using AC input power, it displays “System Mode Auto” and whether the battery charger is on or off. You can press the bottom right button to switch to the menu display; see [Section 501](#) for more information.

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## 500 Using the Display

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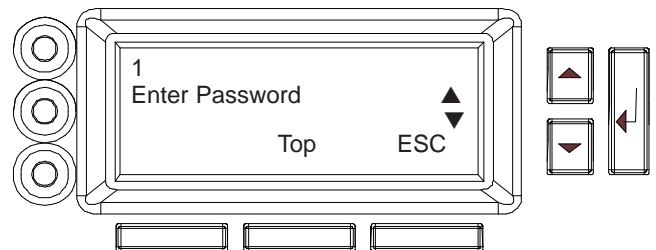
This section explains how you can use the FERRUPS' front panel display to get more information about FERRUPS operation or to change settings. You can use the display to enter a password, display and change system settings (parameters), and display system logs.

### 501 Displaying and Moving through the Menus

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The FERRUPS display groups information in 7 different menus. See the [Menu Map](#) on page 11; the items numbered 1-7 in the left column of this diagram are the top-level menus. For example, 2 System Status is the System Status menu. To the right of this menu in the Menu Map, you will notice a list of items that are part of this menu. Some menus, like menu 5, System Config, have submenus (Gen Sensitivity; Sys Test, Inv, Chg; System Mode Control; Alarm and Shutdown; and Calibration Factors). Others simply have lists of items directly below the top level menu.

When you start the UPS, the display shows “Best Power,” the mode, and whether the charger is on or off. To change to the menu display, press the bottom right button (below the word “Menu” on the bottom line of the display). The display will show the top level in the first menu (1, Enter password) as shown in the drawing. Ten minutes after you last press a button, the display will switch out of menu mode and show the normal display (see [Section 400](#)).



### To scroll down through menus or menu items in the same level:

Press the ▼ button on the right side of the display.

### To scroll up through menus or menu items in the same level:

Press the ▲ button. You can also look at the bottom line of the display, which includes the words “Top” and “ESC.” The button under the word “Top” will take you to the top of the list of items in the menu level.

Example: When you switch to the menu display, the display shows the top item in the top level (1, Enter password). To scroll down to menu 2 (System Status), press the ▼ button. Press this button again to scroll down to menu 3 (System Status Info), and so forth. To scroll back up to menu 1, press ▲ twice or press the button below “Top.”

### To display the items in a menu or submenu:

Go to the display that represents the menu or submenu, and press the ↵ button.

Example: The interface starts at the top item in the top level (1, Enter password). If you scroll down to menu 2, the display shows “System Status.” To display the items in the System Status menu, press ↵. You can then scroll down and back up through the items in this menu.

### To move back up a menu level:

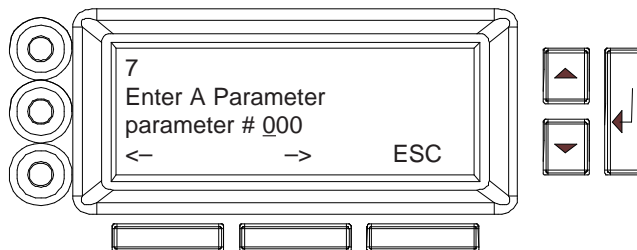
Notice that the bottom line of the display shows “Top” and “ESC.” If you press the button under “ESC” (the right button below the display), the display goes back to the next higher menu level.

## 502 Displaying a Parameter by Entering the Parameter Number

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For service purposes, parameters are also assigned sequential numbers (1-337). If you know a parameter number and want to go directly to that parameter, you can use menu 7 in the top level menus (Parameters) to display the parameter. Simply follow these steps:

1. Scroll down to menu 7, and press ↵. The third line of the display will change to “parameter = 000,” and the bottom line of the display will change to “<- -> ESC” to show the functions of the three buttons below the display.



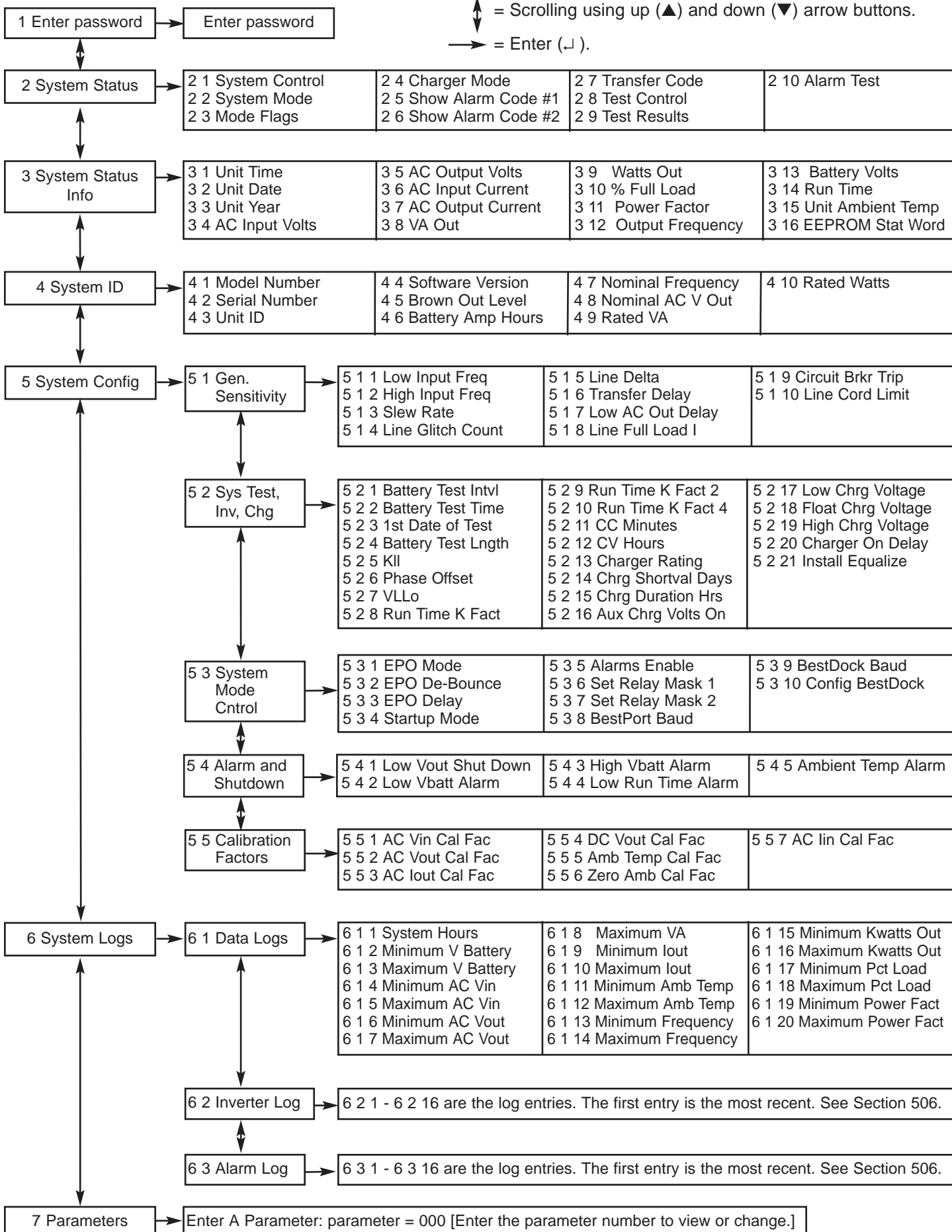
2. Use the <- and -> buttons to scroll through the digits to the left and right, and use the ▲ and ▼ buttons to increase or decrease the value of each digit. When the three digits show the number of the parameter you wish to display, press ↵.

Example: To display parameter 32, you need to change the three digits (000) to “032.” Since you do not need to change the first digit, press the button below -> to move the cursor to the second digit. Then, press ▲ three times to increase the second digit to “3.” Next, move to the third digit, and press ▲ twice to increase this digit to “2.” Now, the display shows “parameter = 032.” Press ↵. The parameter’s short name and value will appear on the third line of the display.

# Menu map for the User Interface

## Key

↑ = Scrolling using up (▲) and down (▼) arrow buttons.  
 → = Enter (↵).

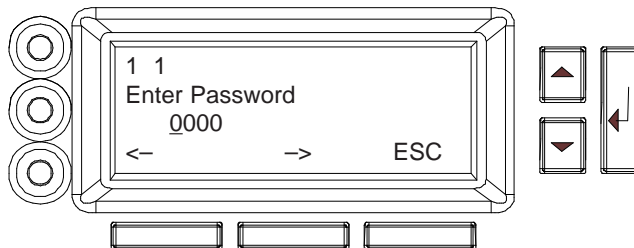


## 503 Entering a Password

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Before you can change the setting of some FERRUPS parameters or menu items, you must enter a password. To do this, follow the steps below. **The User password is 0377.**

1. If the display is not already showing the menus, press the bottom right button (below the word “Menu” on the bottom line of the display). Go to the top item in the top menu level, “Enter Password.” (If you are not sure how to do this, see [Section 502](#) and the [Menu Map](#) on page 11.)
2. Press ↵. The display will show the following:



A cursor will appear in the “0000” line of the display.

3. The bottom line of the display will show you which buttons to use to move through the password’s digits (0000) to the left (<-) and to the right (->). Move the cursor to the first digit you want to change, and use the ▲ and ▼ buttons to increase or decrease the number. Repeat this step for each digit that needs to be changed.
4. When the number matches the password you want to enter, press ↵. The password name (such as “User”) will appear in the upper right corner of the display to remind you which password has been entered. If you begin entering a password and decide not to enter it, press the bottom right button on the display (the button under “ESC” for escape).

Example: To enter the User password (377), use the button below “->” to move to the second digit in “0000”; then, press the ▲ button three times to increase this digit to “3.” Next, press -> to move to the third digit, and press ▲ seven times to increase this digit to “7.” Then, press -> again to move to the last digit, and press ▲ seven times to increase this digit to “7.” The display should now show “0377.” This is the User password. Press ↵. “User” will appear in the upper right corner of the display to show you the User password has been entered.

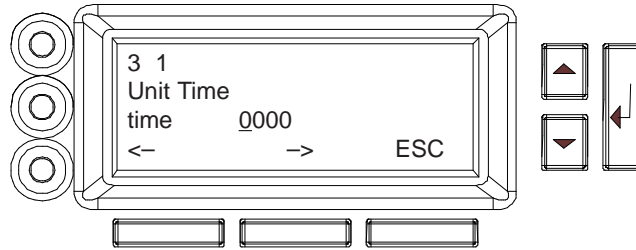
## 504 Changing a Parameter Setting

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Some of the items that you can view on the front panel display can be programmed (such as the time, date, and year). To do this, follow the steps below. (If you are changing the time and date, see step 10 in [Section 200](#).)

**Note:** You must enter a password before programming many of the menu items. To find out which password is required, see [Section 505](#). To enter the password, see [Section 503](#).

1. If the display is not already showing the menus, press the bottom right button. Find the item you want to change in the [Menu Map](#) (page 11). This tells you where the item is in the menu structure. Next, use the ▲, ▼, and ↵ buttons to move to the item you wish to change. If you are not sure how to do this, see [Section 501](#).
2. Press ↵. If you can change the item without a password (or with the password you have already entered), a cursor will appear in the value that you can change. The bottom line of the display will change to “<- -> ESC”. Use the buttons below “<-” and “->” to move the cursor to the left and right, and use the button below “ESC” to escape and discard any changes you have made. See the drawing on the next page, which shows what the display would look like if you were changing the time.



3. Move the cursor to the first digit you want to change, and use the ▲ and ▼ buttons to increase or decrease the number. Repeat this step for each digit that needs to be changed.
4. When you have finished, press ↵ to save the new setting. If you decide not to change the setting, press the bottom right button below the word “ESC” on the display.

## 505 Parameters

The tables below provide a brief description of the parameters in the first four menus (Enter password, System Status, System Status Info, and System ID). The tables also list the range of each parameter and the password required to change its settings. Menu 5 (System Config) is mainly for service use. [Section 506](#) explains the logs in menu 6, and [Section 503](#) explains how to use menu 7.

### Menu 1: Enter Password

Item and Sample Display	Password to Change	Range	Explanation
1 Enter Password 0000	None	0000-9999	The password level. Passwords are required to change the settings of some parameters. See the “Password to Change” column in this table to determine which parameters require passwords for changes and which passwords are required. Once you enter a password, the password name appears in the upper right corner of the display. See <a href="#">Section 503</a> .

### Menu 2: System Status

Item and Sample Display	Password to Change	Range	Explanation
2 1 System Control syscon	User	List	<i>On</i> : The UPS is on and operating normally. <i>Off (Normal) and Off (Low Power)</i> : Both modes turn the UPS off, but Off (Normal) allows communication with the UPS. <i>Reboot</i> : This turns the UPS off. If AC input is available, the UPS restarts after a brief delay. During a power outage, the UPS remains off until AC input power is available. <i>Sleep (Normal) and Sleep (Low Power)</i> : Both modes turn the UPS off, but Sleep (Normal) allows communication with the UPS.
2 2 System Mode sysmode	User	List	<i>Auto</i> : Normal operating mode. <i>Off</i> : The UPS is off, but you can use the display panel. <i>Line Cond</i> : The UPS is on but cannot switch to battery power. <i>Batt Power</i> : The unit is using battery power. <i>Batt Maint</i> : The unit is on but cannot switch to battery power (used for battery replacement).
2 3 Mode Flags modeflags	User	0-0XFFFF	This is a hexadecimal system mode value used by CheckUPS software.
2 4 Charger Mode chgmode Const	No change allowed.	List (see explanation).	The charger mode This may be periodic (Period), constant current (Const), constant voltage (Const V), or maintenance (Maint).
2 5 Show Alarm Code #1 almcode1 0000 hex	No change allowed.	0-0XFFFF	This is a hexadecimal alarm status value used by CheckUPS software.

## Menu 2: System Status (continued)

Item and Sample Display	Password to Change	Range	Explanation
2 6 Show Alarm Code #2 almcode2 0000 hex	No change allowed.	0-0XFFFF	This is a hexadecimal alarm status value used by CheckUPS software.
2 7 Transfer Code xfercode	No change allowed.	List	This parameter shows why the UPS transferred from AC input power to battery power. (Possible causes are system/battery test, brownout, line loss, manual, frequency, or reset.)
2 8 Test Control testcon	User	List	This parameter provides control of the system test.
2 9 Test Results tresults	No change allowed.	List	This parameter shows the results of the last system test.
2 10 Test Alarm testalarm	None	Not applicable.	By pressing ↵ while displaying this parameter, you can start a User Test alarm to make sure the FERRUPS alarms properly or to test alarm contacts at the DB9 communication port. By pressing ↵ again, you can stop the User Test alarm.

## Menu 3: System Status Info

Item and Sample Display	Password to Change	Range	Explanation
3 1 Unit Time time 01:15	User	0001-2459	Time (displayed in 24-hour time). The FERRUPS uses this time to record alarms and battery power operation in its logs. (See <a href="#">Section 506</a> .)
3 2 Unit Date date = 07/08	User	0101-1231	Date. The FERRUPS uses this date to record alarms and battery power operation in its logs. (See <a href="#">Section 506</a> .)
3 3 Unit Year year 1998	User	1994-2130	Year.
3 4 AC Input Volts acvin 120 V	No change allowed.	65-300	The input voltage the FERRUPS is receiving. When this value drops below the brownout voltage, the FERRUPS switches to battery power.
3 5 AC Output Volts acvout 120 V	No change allowed.	65-300	The voltage the FERRUPS is providing to your equipment.
3 6 AC Input Current aciin 16.7 A	No change allowed.	1.0-900.0	The current the FERRUPS is drawing from the AC input source.
3 7 AC Output Current aciout 16.7	No change allowed.	1.0-900.0	The current your equipment is drawing from the FERRUPS.
3 8 VA Out vaout 2 KVA	No change allowed.	Not applicable.	Volt-amperes out. The total apparent power your equipment is drawing from the FERRUPS. This value is based on parameter 3 4 multiplied by parameter 3 6.
3 9 Watts Out watts 1.4 kW	No change allowed.	Not applicable.	Watts out. The total real power your equipment is drawing from the FERRUPS.

### Menu 3: System Status Info (continued)

Item and Sample Display	Password to Change	Range	Explanation
3 10 % Full Load pctload 90 %	No change allowed.	Not applicable.	Percent of Full Load. The percentage of the FERRUPS' total capacity that your equipment is using.
3 11 Power Factor powerfact 0.70	No change allowed.	Not applicable.	The power factor of your equipment; the difference in the way it draws voltage and current. Power factor equals Watts Out (parameter 3 8) divided by VA Out (parameter 3 7).
3 12 Output Frequency freqout 60.4 Hz	No change allowed.	Not applicable.	During normal operation, this is the frequency of power the FERRUPS is receiving from the AC input source. If this value falls outside preset limits, the FERRUPS goes to battery power. When the FERRUPS is running on battery power, this is the frequency the FERRUPS is supplying to your equipment.
3 13 Battery Volts vbatt 48.51 V	No change allowed.	10.00-70.00	The FERRUPS battery voltage. the FERRUPS will alarm if this value is too low or too high.
3 14 Run Time runtime 12 m	No change allowed.	Not applicable.	The estimated runtime remaining, that is, the amount of time the FERRUPS will continue to support your equipment when the FERRUPS switches to battery power. The FERRUPS will alarm if this value falls below a preset limit.
3 15 Unit Ambient Temp ambtemp 23.0 c	No change allowed.	0.0-150.0	The temperature (in Celsius) inside the FERRUPS. The FERRUPS will alarm and shut down if this value is too high.
3 16 EEPROM Stat Word eeword 0000 hex	No change allowed.	Not applicable.	A code used to identify the EEPROM configuration of parameters and logs.

### Menu 4: System ID

Item and Sample Display	Password to Change	Range	Explanation
4 1 Model Number mdlnum	No change allowed.	5-9999	The FERRUPS model number.
4 2 Serial Number serialno 12345678	No change allowed.	0-99999999	Your FERRUPS unit's serial number.
4 3 Unit ID unitid 0002	No change allowed.	0-9999	This value is used by CheckUPS software.
4 4 Software Version sftwver 1.15	No change allowed.	0-9999	The version of unit software that your FERRUPS is using.
4 5 Brown Out Level brownlvl 79.8 V	Service	74.4-192.0	The AC input voltage at which the FERRUPS will switch to battery power.
4 6 Batt Amp Hours batamphr 31.0 hrs	User	10.0-1000.0	The AC input voltage at which the FERRUPS will switch to battery power.



## Menu 4: System ID (continued)

Item and Sample Display	Password to Change	Range	Explanation
4 7 Nominal Frequency nomfreq 60 Hz	User	50 Hz or 60 Hz	The FERRUPS unit's nominal input and output frequency.
4 8 Nominal AC V Out nomacvo 120 V	User	200-260	The nominal AC output voltage the FERRUPS supplies to your equipment.
4 9 Rated VA ratedva 2 KVA	Service	.30-30.00	The apparent power (VA or volt-amperes) that your FERRUPS is capable of supplying.
4 10 Rated Watts ratedwts 1.4 KW	Service	2-20	The real power (watts) that your FERRUPS is capable of supplying.

## 506 Reading the FERRUPS Logs

Your FERRUPS makes an entry in its logs every time it sounds an alarm or runs on inverter (battery power). This information can help diagnose power problems. You can display both the Alarm and Inverter logs at the unit's display panel; both logs are in menu 6.

### Inverter Log

The Inverter Log is in menu 6, submenu 2. To display the log, follow these steps:

1. Press the bottom right button (below "Menu" on the display) to switch from the normal display to the menus. The display will show the top menu, "1 Enter Password."
2. Press ▼ five times (until the display shows "6 System Logs").
3. Press ↵. The display will show "6 1 Data Log."
4. Press ▼ once. The display will show "6 2 Inverter Log."
5. Press ↵. The display will show the first entry in the inverter log.

The log stores up to 16 entries. You can use the ▲ and ▼ buttons to scroll up and down through the log entries. Each entry shows the inverter code, then the date the unit ran on inverter, the time it ran on inverter (in 24-hour time), and the duration (in hours, minutes, and seconds.) For example, one entry might look like this:

1 0205 0951 001505

In this example, "1" means the FERRUPS went to battery power because it lost AC input power. (See the table on the next page.) If the unit was still running on inverter (battery power), there would be an asterisk (\*) after the "1." "0205" means the date of the battery power operation was February 5 (2/5). "0951" means the inverter ran at 9:51 a.m. "001505" means the inverter ran for 0 hours, 15 minutes, and 5 seconds.

These are the inverter codes:

Inverter Code	Meaning	Explanation
t	System Test	The FERRUPS went to inverter to test the batteries.
b	Brownout	AC input voltage was too low.
l	Line Loss	AC input power was lost.
m	Manual	The inverter was started manually (by changing the system mode, parameter 2 3).
f	Frequency	Input frequency was too high or too low.
r	Reset	The FERRUPS system was reset.

## Alarm Log

The Alarm Log is in menu 6, submenu 3.

If you have already displayed inverter log entries, press the bottom right button to display “6 2 Inverter Log,” and press ▼ once to scroll down to the alarm log. Then press ↵.

If not, follow the steps below to display the log, follow these steps:

1. Press the bottom right button (below “Menu” on the display) to switch from the normal display to the menus. The display will show the top menu, “1 Enter Password.”
2. Press ▼ five times (until the display shows “6 System Logs”).
3. Press ↵. The display will show “6 1 Data Log.”
4. Press ▼ twice. The display will show “6 3 Alarm Log.”
5. Press ↵. The display will show the first entry in the alarm log.

The log stores up to 16 entries. You can use the ▲ and ▼ buttons to scroll up and down through the log entries. Each entry shows the alarm code, then the alarm date, the alarm time (in 24-hour time), and the duration (in hours, minutes, and seconds.) For example, one entry might look like this:

a 0205 0951 001505

In this example, “a” means the FERRUPS sounded alarm A (Low Battery). (See the alarm table in Section 600.) If the alarm was still active, there would be an asterisk (\*) after the “a.” “0205” means the alarm sounded on February 5 (2/5). “0951” means the alarm sounded at 9:51 a.m. “001505” means the alarm was active for 0 hours, 15 minutes, and 5 seconds.

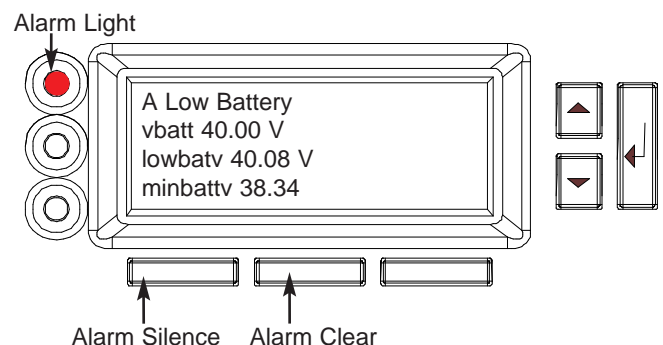
## 600 Alarms

When the FERRUPS detects an alarm condition, it

- sounds the Morse Code for the the alarm letter,
- lights up the red light on the front panel display,
- displays an alarm message.

When this happens, follow these steps:

1. Check the display to find out which alarm the FERRUPS is sounding. You can also listen to the Morse Code to determine which alarm the FERRUPS has detected. The parameters shown below the alarm message give you more information about the alarm condition. You can use the ▲ and ▼ buttons to scroll up and down through these parameters. **To find out if more than one alarm is active, press ↵. This switches the display between alarm messages. To silence an alarm, press the left button below the display.**



2. Find the alarm in the table below, and follow the instructions in the third column of the table. **To clear an alarm when the problem has been solved, press the middle button below the display. If the problem that caused the alarm is still present, the alarm will sound again after a short delay.**

Alarm Message	Morse Code	What It Means	How to React
<b>A Low Battery</b> vbatt 40.0 V lowbatv 41.0 V minbattv 38.34	• — (A)	The UPS has shut down because the battery voltage is too low for the UPS to continue operating on battery power. The battery charge is low because the UPS was running on battery power or because the DC switch on one or more separate battery cabinets was off.	Before this alarm sounded, you should have received a Low Runtime alarm (D) to warn you to shut down your equipment. Shortly after acceptable AC input power returns, the UPS will automatically restart and begin recharging the batteries. Once the UPS restarts, you can restart your equipment and resume normal operation.
<b>C High Battery</b> vbatt 60.01 V hibatv 59.6 V maxbattv 60.01 V	— • — • (C)	The battery voltage is too high. There may be a problem with the parameter settings, batteries, or charging circuit.	Phone <a href="#">Best Power's Worldwide Service</a> or the nearest Best Power office.
<b>D Low Runtime</b> runtime 0 m lowrunmt 3 m	— • • (D)	The unit is running on battery power, but the amount of time that it can continue to do this is low.	Shut down your equipment and the UPS to conserve battery power. When AC input power returns, turn the FERRUPS on again. If you leave the FERRUPS on after this alarm sounds, it will soon sound alarm A and shut down, and it will automatically restart when AC input power returns.
<b>E Low AC Out</b> acvout 220 V lowvoshdn 0 V maxva 0.00 KVA	• (E)	The UPS has shut down because AC output voltage is low.	Shut down your equipment or bypass the UPS, and turn the UPS off. Phone <a href="#">Best Power's Worldwide Service</a> or the nearest Best Power office.
<b>F High AC Out</b> acvout 250 V maxacvo 251 V	• • — • (F)	The UPS has shut down because AC output voltage is high.	Phone <a href="#">Best Power's Worldwide Service</a> or the nearest Best Power office.
<b>G Output Overload</b> pctfload 105 %	— — • (G)	Your equipment is drawing more power (watts) than the UPS is designed to provide. (See your model's watt rating.) The unit will shut down after 2 minutes.	The least important equipment should be disconnected from the UPS. To determine how much equipment needs to be disconnected, you can shut off the equipment <i>one device at a time</i> until the alarm stops.
<b>H High Ambient Temp</b> ambtemp 75.0 c atmpalrm 70.0 c	• • • • (H)	The temperature inside the unit is too high. If the temperature continues to rise, the UPS will eventually shut down.	If the UPS has shut down, call <a href="#">Best Power's Worldwide Service</a> or the nearest Best Power office. If not, correct the cause of the high temperature, and make sure nothing is blocking the UPS vents. If you cannot correct the problem, call <a href="#">Best Power's Worldwide Service</a> or the nearest Best Power office.
<b>I Check Power Supply</b>	• • (I)	There is a problem with the housekeeping supply inside the UPS. If the green light on the UPS front panel is blinking, the UPS has switched to Line Condition mode, which means it cannot operate on battery power. If this happens, the UPS will not be able to supply output power during a power outage.	Phone <a href="#">Best Power's Worldwide Service</a> or the nearest Best Power office.
<b>J User Test Alarm</b>	• — — — (J)	You can start a User Test alarm by displaying parameter (number 2 13) and pressing ↵.	To stop the User Test alarm, press any button on the front panel.

Alarm Message	Morse Code	What It Means	How to React
<b>K Circuit Breaker Warning Shutdown</b>	— • — (K)	Your equipment is drawing more current (amps) than the UPS is designed to provide. (See your model's output current rating.) The unit will shut down; the time until shutdown depends on the amount of overcurrent.	The least important equipment should be disconnected from the UPS. To determine how much equipment needs to be disconnected, you can shut off the equipment <i>one device at a time</i> until the alarm stops.
<b>M Check Battery</b> vbatt 50.00 V batamphr 85.0 hrs runtimek 0.55	— — (M)	The batteries have failed the automatic test.	If the UPS has separate battery cabinets, make sure the DC switch is on at each cabinet. If it is, or if the UPS has no separate battery cabinets, phone <a href="#">Best Power's Worldwide Service</a> or the nearest Best Power office.
<b>N Check Inverter</b> vbatt 50.00 V	— • (N)	The UPS has detected a problem in the inverter, which is the circuitry that allows the UPS to run on battery power. The UPS will not be able to run on battery power.	Phone <a href="#">Best Power's Worldwide Service</a> or the nearest Best Power office.
<b>O Memory Check</b> mdlnum 5	— — — (O)	The UPS has failed the automatic memory test. This problem could be caused by a microprocessor problem.	Shut down your equipment or bypass the UPS, and turn the UPS off. Phone <a href="#">Best Power's Worldwide Service</a> or the nearest Best Power office.
<b>P Emergency Power Off</b> EPO Mode = 2	• — — • (P)	The Emergency Power Off feature has been activated. (See <a href="#">Section 703</a> and the <i>Installation Manual</i> .)	To restart the UPS, press the On/Off button on the back of the FERRUPS. Then, press any button at the front panel.
<b>Q Check MOV's</b>	— — • — (Q)	The UPS has detected a problem with an MOV (Metal Oxide Varistor) inside the unit.	Phone <a href="#">Best Power's Worldwide Service</a> or the nearest Best Power office.
<b>R Check Fan</b>	• — • (R)	The UPS has detected a problem with the rotation of its internal fan.	Phone <a href="#">Best Power's Worldwide Service</a> or the nearest Best Power office.

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## 700 Communication

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### 701 Communication Options

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Best Power offers several methods of communicating with your FERRUPS:

**CheckUPS Software:** Each FERRUPS unit ships with CheckUPS power monitoring and unattended shutdown software. To begin installing CheckUPS, see the instructions in the CheckUPS CD case.

CheckUPS uses an RS-232 serial link to communicate with the FERRUPS, and it provides you with up-to-date graphics of UPS power and system data and power flow. CheckUPS also gives you a complete record of critical power events, and it notifies you of important UPS or power information. If there is a power outage and the FERRUPS battery power becomes low, CheckUPS can automatically shut down your computer system before the UPS Low Battery shutdown to protect your data.

#### RS232

##### Communication:

You can connect a terminal or a computer with terminal emulation software to the FERRUPS' communication port. This allows you to receive information from the FERRUPS or send commands in order to display and program parameters. For more information, call the nearest Best Power office.

**Optional Interface Kits:** For computer systems that already have UPS monitoring software, Best Power offers interface cable kits for connecting the FERRUPS to your computer system. The kit includes the cable, adapters, and instructions.

**Optional Internal Bestlink™ SNMP/Web Adapter:** Using Simple Network Management Protocol (SNMP), system administrators can easily monitor and manage remote UPS units that protect key network devices like servers, routers, and hubs. Best Power's SNMP Adapters provide a self-contained link between the FERRUPS and an Ethernet or Token Ring LAN/WAN. The adapters allow the system administrator to communicate with the FERRUPS even after the protected device goes down. The SNMP adapter displays over 60 Management Information Base (MIB) variables to give the system administrator information about UPS operation.

**BestDock™** FERRUPS has a communication slot that allows quick installation of an optional SNMP card.

**Emergency Power Off (EPO):** You can connect your FERRUPS to your Emergency Shutdown switch to provide a method for emergency FERRUPS shutdown. This connection shuts down the FERRUPS output. See the Installation Manual to make the connection.

## 702 DB9 Port Pin Functions

The table below explains the functions of the pins on the FERRUPS' DB9 port. This port is on the FERRUPS' back panel. The functions of pins 1 and 2 change depending on the communication mode. When you receive the UPS, it is set up for RS232 mode. However, if you want to use the alternate functions of pins 1 and 2, you can change the mode by following the steps on the next page.

Pin	Function
1	In RS232 mode, this pin receives incoming RS232 communication data.  In Extended Contact Mode, this pin can cause a remote shutdown. If the UPS is using battery power and a +12-volt DC signal is applied to this pin for 5 seconds, the UPS will shut down 20 seconds later. When the power outage ends, the UPS will automatically restart after 15 seconds. Signal and shutdown times and automatic restart are programmable; for more information, call <a href="#">the nearest Best Power office</a> .
2	In RS232 mode, this pin sends outgoing RS232 communication data.  In Extended Signal mode, this pin indicates Inverter (On Battery) Status. When the UPS is using battery power, this pin produces a +12 VDC signal. When the UPS is not using battery power, this pin produces a -12 VDC signal.
3	Normally Open On Battery Contact. This is a normally open contact that closes (pulls to Common) 15 seconds after the UPS switches to battery power.
4	Common. This is the signal ground for all signal pins.
5	Normally Open Low Battery Alarm Contact. A normally open contact that closes (pulls to Common) during a Low Battery or Low Runtime alarm. The FERRUPS can be programmed to close this contact during other alarms. See the item 5 3 5 in the menu 5 3 System Mode Control.
6	PnP Sense. This pin senses the Microsoft Plug and Play (PnP) request from the PC.
7	Remote Shutdown. If this pin is shorted to common for at least 5 seconds while the UPS is operating on battery power, the UPS shuts down after 120 seconds (2 minutes).
8	Normally Closed On Battery Contact. A normally closed contact that opens (releases from Common) 15 seconds after the UPS switches to battery power.
9	Normally Open Bypass Switch Status Contact. A normally open contact that closes (pulls to Common) whenever the UPS is being bypassed through a bypass switch.

1.
  - a. Press the bottom right button (below “Menu” on the display) to switch from the normal display to the menus. The display will show the top menu, “1 Enter Password.”
  - b. Press ▼ four times (until the display shows “5 System Config”).
  - c. Press ↵. The display will show “5 1 System Config.”
  - d. Press ▼ twice. The display will show “5 3 System Mode Control.”
  - e. Press ▼ seven times. The display will show “5 8 Extend Signal Mode.”
  - f. Press ↵. A blinking cursor will appear in the setting.
2. A setting of 0 means the UPS is in RS232 communication mode. 1 means the UPS is in Extended Signal mode. The bottom line of the display shows “<- -> ESC”. Use the buttons below “<-” and “->” to move to the left and right, and use the button below “ESC” to escape and discard any changes you have made. Use the ▲ and ▼ buttons to increase or decrease the value of the digit.
3. When you have changed the setting, press ↵ to save the change.

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## 800 Maintenance and Service

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### 801 Regular Maintenance

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Best Power designed your FERRUPS to provide years of trouble-free operation. Its microprocessor will check the batteries and inverter at programmable intervals to ensure proper operation. In fact, you’ll probably find that your FERRUPS requires less maintenance than any of your other computer peripherals.

Nevertheless, your FERRUPS does require some attention in order to provide you with excellent service. Best Power recommends that you schedule a Preventative Maintenance check at least every six months. At this check, the service technician should follow Best Power’s Recommended Maintenance Schedule, which includes the following:

- Inspect and clean the unit.
- Inspect and record the alarm and inverter logs.
- Check the batteries.
- Check the AC and DC meter functions and recalibrate if necessary.
- Perform a system test.
- Check and record the values of the parameters in menu 3 on line and on inverter.

**The technician must observe important safety precautions while performing these checks.** For more information on what your technician should do in a Preventative Maintenance check, or to schedule Preventative Maintenance with a Best Power-authorized field service representative, [call Best Power’s Worldwide Service](#). We’ll be happy to help you.

### 802 Service and Support

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Best Power has an outstanding customer service department. Please feel free to call, write, or fax the nearest Best Power office if you have a problem or question about your FERRUPS. **Please have your model number and serial number when you call.** This information appears on a label on the FERRUPS back panel. You can also get this information by displaying the serial number on the front panel display. If you are requesting repair under warranty, please include proof of purchase and purchase date in your correspondence. Call Best Power for instructions before returning a unit or component. ([See the beginning of this manual for a list of Best Power offices.](#))

# 900 Specifications

Model	0800-2000 2 kVA/1.4 kW	0800-3000 3 kVA/2.1 kW	0800-4500 4.5 kVA/3.2 kW	0800-6000 6 kVA/4.2 kW	0800-7500 7.5 kVA/5.3 kW
AC Input Voltage and Current	110 = 22 amps 115 = 22 amps 120 = 22 amps 127 = 22 amps 208 = 12 amps 220 = 12 amps 230 = 12 amps 240 = 12 amps	110 = 30 amps 115 = 30 amps 120 = 30 amps 127 = 30 amps 208 = 16 amps 220 = 16 amps 230 = 16 amps 240 = 16 amps	110 = 40 amps 115 = 40 amps 120 = 40 amps 127 = 40 amps 208 = 20 amps 220 = 20 amps 230 = 20 amps 240 = 20 amps	208 = 28 amps 220 = 28 amps 230 = 28 amps 240 = 28 amps	208 = 36 amps 220 = 36 amps 230 = 36 amps 240 = 36 amps
Recommended Input Service for 60 Hz U.S. Models*	120 = 30-amp 208 = 15-amp 240 = 15-amp	120 = 40-amp 208 = 20-amp 240 = 20-amp	120 = 50-amp 208 = 25-amp 240 = 25-amp	208 = 35-amp 240 = 35-amp	208 = 45-amp 240 = 45-amp
Output Voltage and Maximum Output Current in Amps**	120 = 16 amps 127 = 15 amps 208 = 9 amps 220 = 9 amps 230 = 8 amps 240 = 8 amps	120 = 25 amps 127 = 23 amps 208 = 14 amps 220 = 13 amps 230 = 13 amps 240 = 12 amps	120 = 37 amps 127 = 35 amps 208 = 21 amps 220 = 20 amps 230 = 19 amps 240 = 18 amps	120 = 50 amps 127 = 47 amps 208 = 28 amps 220 = 27 amps 230 = 26 amps 240 = 25 amps	120 = 62 amps 127 = 59 amps 208 = 36 amps 220 = 34 amps 230 = 32 amps 240 = 31 amps
Efficiency on AC Line	90%	90%	90%	89%	89%
On Line BTU/hour: kW/hour:	703 0.206	1024 0.300	1427 0.418	1707 0.500	2116 0.620
Audible Noise (dB)	<45 dB	<45 dB	<45 dB	<45 dB	<45 dB
Typical Standard Runtime (minutes) Full Load: Half Load:	11 minutes 23 minutes	17 minutes 36 minutes	10 minutes 22 minutes	16 minutes 38 minutes	12 minutes 27 minutes
<b>Weights:</b>					
<b>No Internal Bypass, Standard Batteries:</b>	280 lbs. (127 kg)	327 lbs. (148.3 kg)	383 lbs. (173.7 kg)	563 lbs. (255.4 kg)	635 lbs. (288 kg)
<b>Internal Bypass, Standard Batteries:</b>	303 lbs. (137.4 kg)	350 lbs. (158.8 kg)	410 lbs. (186 kg)	590 lbs. (267.6 kg)	662 lbs. (300.3 kg)
<b>Battery Cabinet, Standard Batteries:</b>					
FBT21	235 lbs. (106.6 kg)	235 lbs. (106.6 kg)	235 lbs. (106.6 kg)	235 lbs. (106.6 kg)	235 lbs. (106.6 kg)
FBT22	355 lbs. (161 kg)	355 lbs. (161 kg)	355 lbs. (161 kg)	355 lbs. (161 kg)	355 lbs. (161 kg)
FBT31	418 lbs. (189.6 kg)	418 lbs. (189.6 kg)	418 lbs. (189.6 kg)	418 lbs. (189.6 kg)	418 lbs. (189.6 kg)
FBT32	660 lbs. (299.4 kg)	660 lbs. (299.4 kg)	660 lbs. (299.4 kg)	660 lbs. (299.4 kg)	660 lbs. (299.4 kg)
UPS Dimensions (without bypass) (H x W x D)	27.25 x 13.5 x 28.5 inches 695 x 345 x 725 mm		30.5 x 13.5 x 25 in 775 x 347 x 635 mm	38.75 x 13.5 x 32.5 inches 985 x 345 x 825 mm	
UPS Dimensions with Internal Bypass (H*** x W x D)	28.6 x 13.5 x 35 inches 730 x 345 x 890 mm		31.9 x 13.5 x 31.5 in 810 x 347 x 800 mm	40.1 x 13.5 x 39 inches 1020 x 345 x 990 mm	
Battery Cabinet Dimensions (H x W x D)	<b>FBT21, FBT22:</b> 27.25 x 13.5 x 28.5 in. (695 x 345 x 725 mm); add 2.6 in./66 mm to depth for connection box. <b>FBT31, FBT32:</b> 38.75 x 13.5 x 32.5 in. (985 x 345 x 825 mm); add 2.6 in./66 mm to depth for connection box.				

\* Size input protection according to all applicable local or national codes. Fuse and circuit breaker sizes vary. Sizes shown are for the U.S. and Canada.

\*\* At 0.7 leading or distortion power factor. Size output protection according to all applicable local or national codes.

\*\*\* Height includes switch.

## AC Output with Nominal Input Power and Loads (Protected Equipment)

*Voltage Regulation:*  $\pm 3\%$  load regulation. Total voltage regulation under any line, load, or battery condition to within  $-8.3\%$  and  $+5\%$  of nominal.

*Input Voltage Range:* At low voltages: 85-135 VAC. At high voltages: 165-275 VAC.

*Overload Capability:* 150% surge and 125% for 10 minutes.

*Sine-wave Power:* FERRUPS provides sine-wave, computer-grade power with 5% or less total harmonic distortion at rated load. It meets or exceeds CSA C22.2 No. 107.1.

*Output Frequency:* On line: 60 Hz or 50 Hz.

On inverter: 60 Hz or 50 Hz  $\pm 0.1$  Hz. Output frequency tracks input line frequency up to limit, which is adjustable from  $\pm 0.1$  Hz to  $\pm 5$  Hz. FERRUPS switches to battery power if line frequency exceeds the selected limit.

## Lightning and Surge Protection

Tested in accordance with ANSI/IEEE C62.41 Category A (6000 volt spike and 200 amp) and Category B (6000 volt spike and 3000 amp) test, and ANSI/IEEE C62.45 test procedures, and per EN61000-4-4 and EN 61000-4-5.

## Isolation and Noise Rejection

*Isolation, Including Output Neutral-to-Ground Bonding:*

FERRUPS provides a true separately derived power source as defined by National Electrical Code Article 250-5d, with output neutral bonded to ground. There is no direct connection between input and output.

*RF Noise Isolation:* Common Mode:  $\leq 120$  dB. Differential Mode:  $\geq 60$  dB.

## Environment

*Operating Temperature:* Operating:  $0^{\circ}$  to  $40^{\circ}$  Celsius ( $32^{\circ}$  to  $104^{\circ}$  F) and 95% relative humidity.

*Storage Temperature:* UPS with batteries inside:  $-20^{\circ}$  to  $+40^{\circ}$  Celsius ( $-4^{\circ}$  to  $104^{\circ}$  F).  
UPS without batteries:  $-20^{\circ}$  to  $+60^{\circ}$  Celsius ( $-4^{\circ}$  to  $140^{\circ}$  F).  
See Section 200.

*Relative Humidity:* 0-95% without condensation.

*High Altitude Operation:* The maximum operating ambient temperature drops  $1^{\circ}$  C per 300 m above sea level ( $2^{\circ}$ F per 1000 ft. above sea level). Maximum elevation is 3000 m (10,000 ft.).

*Ventilation:* The air around the UPS must be clean, dust-free, and free of corrosive chemicals or other contaminants. The FERRUPS uses internal fans to circulate the air for cooling. The air must be free to circulate around the UPS and battery cabinet(s).



## Protection

*DC Input:* DC fuse and battery charger overvoltage limit network.

*Output Protection:* The ferroresonant transformer inherently limits current and provides overload protection. FERRUPS has high AC and low AC output voltage alarms, as well as an overload alarm. If the AC output voltage falls below the low AC output voltage alarm setpoint, the unit will alarm after 5 seconds. If the AC output voltage falls below the low AC output **shutdown** setpoint, the unit will alarm and shut down.

## Batteries and Battery Charger

Standard batteries are sealed, gas recombinant, and lead-acid, especially designed for UPS use.

*2 kVA to 7.5 kVA:* Nominal battery voltage is 48 VDC. The standard battery charger is rated at 10 amperes at 48 VDC.

Optional battery chargers at higher current ratings are available. Call the nearest Best Power office for more information.

## Agency Listings and Compliance

*60 Hz Models:* UL and cUL listed, NOM certified. 2-3 kVA soft-wired (plug-in) models comply with FCC Class B and ICES Class B. Hard-wired 2-3 kVA models and all 4.5-7.5 kVA models comply with FCC Class A and ICES Class A.

*50 Hz Models:* TÜV certified, CE. 2-3 kVA models comply with EN 50091-2 Class B. 4.5-7.5 kVA models comply with EN 50091-2 Class A.

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# 1000 Warranty

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## LIMITED TWO YEAR WARRANTY Standard Warranty For All Purchases

BEST POWER, a division of General Signal Power Systems, Inc. (hereinafter called BEST POWER) warrants that each product sold by BEST POWER is compatible with existing commercially available computer equipment with enclosed power supplies and is free from defects in materials and workmanship under normal use and service. This warranty is applicable only to the initial retail purchaser (PURCHASER), and is not transferable. The duration of this warranty is two (2) years from the date of the first retail sale or the date of delivery to the PURCHASER, whichever occurs first, subject to the following conditions.

If the PURCHASER discovers within the duration of this warranty a failure of the product to perform compatibly with presently existing computer equipment or a defect in material or workmanship, the PURCHASER must promptly notify BEST POWER in writing within the duration of the warranty or not later than one month after expiration of the warranty. BEST POWER's obligation under this warranty is limited to the replacement or repair, subject to the conditions specified below, of such product returned intact to BEST POWER which shall appear to BEST POWER, upon inspection, to have been either

incompatible or defective. Replacement or repair will be made at BEST POWER's Worldwide Service, Highway 80, Necedah, Wisconsin 54646, U.S.A. Such repair or replacement shall be at BEST POWER's expense. This warranty does not cover any taxes which may be due in connection with replacement or repair, nor any installation, removal, transportation or postage costs. These expenses will be paid by PURCHASER. If BEST POWER is unable to repair or replace the product to conform to this warranty after a reasonable number of attempts, BEST POWER will refund the purchase price. Remedies under this warranty are expressly limited to those specified above.

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## **LIMITED WARRANTY**

### **Transient Voltage Surge Suppression Circuitry (For U.S. and Canadian Purchasers Only)**

BEST POWER, a division of General Signal Power Systems, Inc. ("BEST POWER") hereby warrants the transient voltage surge suppression circuitry in each FERRUPS®, FORTRESS®, PATRIOT®, UNITY/I™, CITADEL®, or SPIKEFREE product (hereinafter called "Product") sold by it for installation in the United States of America and Canada to be free from defects in material and workmanship under normal use and service for the lifetime of the Product, beginning with the date of sale to the initial retail purchaser, subject to the following conditions. This warranty is applicable only to the initial retail purchaser (hereinafter called PURCHASER), is not transferable, and is limited to the following remedies:

1. The replacement or repair of the transient voltage surge suppression circuitry in each Product that is returned intact to BEST POWER and which shall appear to BEST POWER upon inspection to have been defective in material or workmanship or to have been damaged through normal use;
2. The reimbursement to the PURCHASER of up to \$25,000 per occurrence of documented physical damage to specified computer equipment connected to a Product where such damage could have been prevented by transient voltage surge suppression circuitry as detailed in BEST POWER's specification for the Product sold.

This warranty is made in addition to BEST POWER's Limited Two Year Warranty.

This warranty does not include any taxes which may be due in connection with replacement or repair nor any installation, transportation or postage costs. These expenses will be paid by PURCHASER. Replacement or repair will be made at BEST POWER's Worldwide Service, Highway 80, Necedah, Wisconsin 54646, U.S.A.

This warranty does not cover repair or replacement because of damage from unreasonable use (damage from road hazards, accident, fire or other casualty, misuse, negligence, incorrect wiring) and any use or installation not in conformance with instructions furnished by BEST POWER, or repairs or replacements needed because of modifications or parts not authorized or supplied by BEST POWER.

This warranty is operable only upon the written acceptance by BEST POWER of an application by the PURCHASER on BEST POWER's standard form for the above warranty coverage for the Product sold. In such application, the PURCHASER shall represent that the Product sold has been properly installed and grounded in accordance with instructions received from BEST POWER, and the PURCHASER shall also specify the computer equipment to which the Product sold has been connected and the location of the computer equipment. This warranty will not apply to any equipment not specified in the application by the PURCHASER as protected equipment.

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# 1100 Notices

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## **2-3 kVA Soft-wired (Plug-in) and 50 Hz Models:**

This device complies with part 15 of the FCC rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) This device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference that may cause undesired operation.

Note: This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B device pursuant to part 15 of FCC rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference when this equipment is operated in a commercial environment. This equipment generates, uses, and can radiate radio frequency and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instruction manual, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one or more of the following measures:

- Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
- Increase the separation between the equipment and the receiver.
- Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.
- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help.

Changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

This Class B interference causing equipment meets all requirements of the Canadian Interference Causing Equipment Regulations ICES-003.

Cet appareil numerique de la Classe B respecte toutes les exigences du Reglement sur le materiel brouilleur du Canada.

## **4.5-7.5 kVA Models and Hard-wired 60 Hz 2-3 kVA Models:**

Note: This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class A digital device pursuant to Part 15 of FCC rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference when this equipment is operated in a commercial environment. This equipment generates, uses, and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instruction manual, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. Operation of this equipment in a residential area is likely to cause harmful interference, in which case the user will be required to correct the interference at his/her own expense.

Changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

This Class A interference causing equipment meets all requirements of the Canadian Interference Causing Equipment Regulations ICES-003.

Cet appareil numerique de la Classe A respecte toutes les exigences du Reglement sur le materiel brouilleur du Canada.

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