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Rackmount PowerView Language Files

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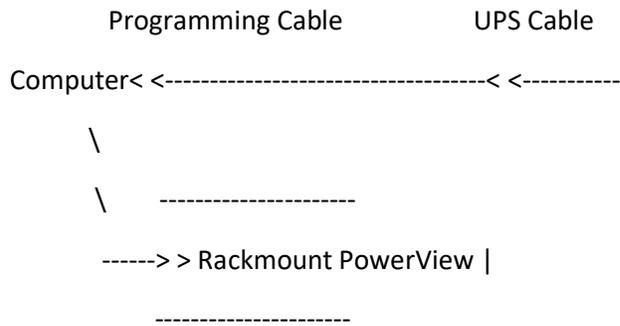
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## Changing the Language of the Rackmount PowerView Interface

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The factory-default language of the interface is English. You can change the language by downloading new code into the Rackmount PowerView interface. To change the language of the interface:

1. Remove the Rackmount PowerView from the UPS.
2. Disconnect the UPS cable from the Rackmount PowerView.
3. Connect the programming cable (included, APC part number 940-0082) between the Rackmount PowerView and the UPS cable:
  - a. Attach the programming cable to the Rackmount PowerView.
  - b. Connect the DB-9 connector of the programming cable to the serial port on the computer.
  - c. Attach the UPS cable to the programming cable. The Rackmount PowerView will now have power.



4. Locate the language program file you need to download into the Rackmount PowerView. Language program files can be obtained from the download page of the APC Web site ([www.apc.com/tools/download](http://www.apc.com/tools/download)) or from the language subdirectory on your installation CD-ROM (if supplied).
5. Place the Rackmount PowerView into programming mode by pressing, simultaneously, the three keys on the right (ESCAPE, HELP, and ENTER) until the Rackmount PowerView emits a single long beep. The Rackmount PowerView display will read "Programming..." when in programming mode.
6. Start a terminal emulation program that supports XMODEM file transfers (for example, HyperTerminal or ProComm). If such a program is not available, skip to step 9.
7. Set the communication parameters to 19200 bps, 8 data bits, no parity, 1 stop bit, and no flow control
8. After establishing a connection, use the XMODEM protocol to transfer the language program file to the Rackmount PowerView and

skip to step 10.

9. Perform this step if a terminal emulation program is not available:

Use the DOS Rackmount PowerView down-loader utility. Obtain the down-loader utility (PV\_DnLdr.exe) at the APC web site ([www.apc.com](http://www.apc.com)) or from the utility subdirectory on your installation CD-ROM (if supplied). Open a DOS window and execute the down-loader utility with the language program file as the first parameter.

Example:

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c:\My Documents> pv_dnldr filename.bin
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The down-loader utility defaults to COM1. If COM1 is unavailable, you must add a second parameter to indicate which COM port to use.

Example using COM2:

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c:\My Documents> pv_dnldr filename.bin -p2
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10. When the file transfer is complete, the Rackmount PowerView will reset itself and display the Startup screen in the new language.

Note: If the file transfer fails, the Rackmount PowerView will reset itself. Retry the file transfer by repeating steps 5

through 9.

11. Quit the terminal session (if you used a terminal emulation program). Disconnect the programming cable and reconnect the UPS cable to the Rackmount PowerView.