Product End-of-Life Instructions

Product Range: **Battery Modules**

Marketing Model/Name: (List of multiple models if applicable)


**Purpose:**
The product family must be disposed according to the legislation of the country. This document is intended for use by end of life recyclers or treatment facilities. It provides the basic information to assure an appropriate end of life treatment for the components and materials of the product.

**Note:**
This product range is in the scope of EU directive 2006/66/EC of 26 September 2006 (Battery Directive). This product is not in the scope of EU directive 2002/96/EC, Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment (WEEE). However, this product range may be subject to the WEEE directive if the product is contained within another product, such as an uninterruptible power supply (UPS) that is subject to the WEEE directive.

Size in mm: **159 x 107 x 700**

Weight in kg: between 23 and 157 including packaging.
Operations recommended for the end of life treatment

There are several steps to process the products at the end of life so as to recover components, materials or energy:

Reuse → Separation for special treatment → Other dismantling → Shredding.

The components of the products that optimize the recycling performances are listed, identified and located hereunder.

Disassembly Instructions:

1. Remove the Battery Modules from the product per the instructions provided. Be careful, the modules are heavy.

2. Battery Modules are recommended to be shipped to recyclers as whole units. The batteries within modules carry an electrical charge that represents a safety hazard that can result in severe injury. Only personnel with appropriate training should disassemble Battery Modules.

3. Disassemble the Battery Module housing by removing fasteners and remove the batteries, wire harnesses and printed wiring board. Shear the wire harnesses and circuitry from the batteries and place into appropriate recycling waste stream.

4. Batteries should be shipped to an authorized battery recycler for further processing.

The Battery Module product range consist of the following typical parts: (1) Sealed lead-acid Batteries, (2) Wire Harnesses, (3) small printed wiring board, (4) metal and plastic housing pieces, (5) labels, and (6) miscellaneous hardware.

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<td>Special treatment</td>
<td>(1)</td>
<td>Sealed Lead acid Batteries</td>
<td>0.675 – 4.50</td>
<td>Use authorized battery recycler&lt;br&gt;See: Material Safety Data Sheet Available at <a href="http://www.APC.com">www.APC.com</a>&lt;br&gt;Caution: Batteries may contain an electrical charge – avoid creating short across terminals. Caution: Cracked or bloated batteries may be hazardous and represent a lead(Pb) exposure.</td>
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<td>(2)</td>
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<td>Wire Harnesses</td>
<td>0.05 – 0.15 each</td>
<td>Brominated flame retarded (BFR) nylon moulded connectors.</td>
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<td>Printed Circuit Board</td>
<td>0.50 – 2.5 each</td>
<td>Brominated flame retarded (BFR) FR4 laminate with tin-lead (SnPb) solder and miscellaneous electronic components. Note: No capacitors in this product range have a height greater than 2.5 cm.</td>
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For more information please go to: [http://www.apc.com/recycle/](http://www.apc.com/recycle/)

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