Product End of Life Instructions

APC Back-UPS ES 8 Outlet 550VA 120V



Potential disassembly risks

The information provided in this document assumes that the product is completely de-energized and uninstalled (refer to the instructions provided in the appropriate product manuals).

Dismantling/disassembling the product may entail hazards caused by, for example, sharp edges, chemical aggression or ejected parts.

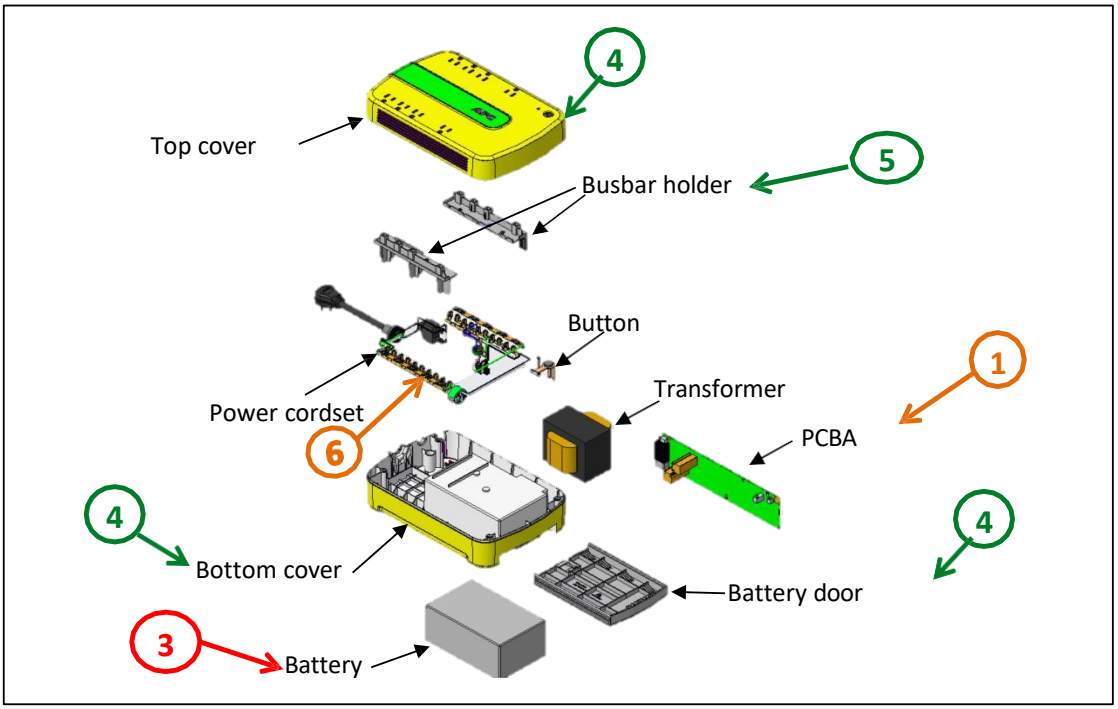
⚠ WARNING

HAZARD OF ARC FLASH OR FIRE

- Disconnect battery terminals before disassembly
- Avoid any electrical connection between the terminals

Failure to follow these instructions can result in death or serious injury.

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Recommendation	Number on drawing	Component / Material	Weight (in g)	Comment
To be depolluted	1	Electronic Communication Board	96.8	1 X PCBA > 10 cm2
To be depolluted	2	Cable	259.2	Cable (high current)
Potential hazards	3	Batteries	2200	Lead acid Battery
To be depolluted	4	ABS with brominates flame retardants	755.21	Plastics with brominates flame
To be depolluted	5	Metal	161. 1	Heat sink, screw, bus bar
To be depolluted	6	Others	2656.09	Other eletronic, plastic components

Product description

Manufacturer identification	Schneider Electric Industries SAS
Brand name	APC
Product function	BE550G (APC Back-UPS ES) is a standby Uninterruptible Power Supply (UPS) by APC / Schneider Electric. It provides battery backup and surge protection for home and small-office electronics like computers, routers, and modems. During power cuts or voltage fluctuations, it automatically supplies short-term battery power and protects equipment from surges and spikes.
Product reference	BE550G
Additional similar product references	BE550MC, BE550G-UKQ, BE700G-SPQ, BR1000G, BR1000GQ, BR1200G-FR, BR1200G-FRQ, BR1200G-GR, BR1200G-GRQ, BR1200GI, BR1200GIQ, BR1300G, BR1300GQ, BR1500G, BR1500G-CN, BR1500G-FR, BR1500G-FRQ, BR1500G-GR, BR1500G-GRQ, BR1500GI, BR1500GIQ, BR1500GQ, BR550G-AR, BR550G-CN, BR550GI, BR550GIQ, BR700G-TWQ, BR700GQ, BR900G-AR, BR900G-FR, BR900G-FRQ, BR900G-GR, BR900G-GRQ, BR900GI, BR900GIQ, BN1080G, BN1350G, BX1000G, BX1000G-CA, BX1000GQ, BX1300G, BX1300G-CA, BX1300GQ, BX1500G, BX1500G-CA, BX1500GQ, BE550G, BE550G-AZ, BE550G-CP, BE550G-CPQ, BE550G-FR, BE550G-FRQ, BE550G-GR, BE550G-GRQ, BE550G-IT, BE550G-ITQ, BE550G-RS, BE550G-SP, BE550G-SPQ, BE550G-UK, BE700G-CP, BE700G-CPQ, BE700G-FR, BE700G-FRQ, BE700G-GR, BE700G-GRQ, BE700G-IT, BE700G-ITQ, BE700G-RS, BE700G-SP, BE700G-UK, BE700G-UKQ, BN600MC, BN700MC Above may not list all applicable products
Total representative product mass	5500 g
Representative product dimensions	88mmx180mmx302mm
Accessories	No special accessories needed
Date of information release	16-11-2026

Additional information

Legal information		This product family is in the scope of European Union directive 2012/19/EU on Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment (WEEE). 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.
In case of special transportation: transportation method		No special transportation is required
Recyclability potential	**52%**	The recyclability rate was calculated from the recycling rates of each material making up the product based on REEECY'LAB tool developed by Ecosystem, for components/materials not covered by the tool, data from the EIME database and the related PSR was taken. If no data was found a conservative assumption was used (0% recyclability).

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