

Distribution wires for distribution boxes



Summary of Content

Wires in distribution boxes must be selected based on load capacity, insulation type, and compliance with safety standards to ensure safe and efficient power distribution.

Types of Wires

- **Incoming Main Wires:** These carry power from the main supply to the distribution box. Typically, live (phase) wires are brown or red, neutral wires are blue, and ground/earth wires are green/yellow striped. They should be rated for the total current of the system and have proper insulation for the environment (indoor/outdoor) .
- **Branch Circuit Wires:** These connect individual circuit breakers to outlets, lighting, or equipment. The wire gauge depends on the load:
 - 14 AWG for lighting circuits (15A)
 - 12 AWG for general outlets (20A)
 - 10 AWG or higher for heavy appliances or industrial equipment .
- **Grounding Wires:** Essential for safety, these connect the distribution box to the earth bar and provide a path for fault currents. They are usually green or green/yellow and must be continuous and securely fastened .

Wiring Practices

- **Proper Termination:** Connect wires securely to the main terminal, circuit breakers, neutral bars, and earth bars. Loose connections can cause overheating or short circuits .

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