

Pre-reserved depth for distribution boxes



Article Overview

The pre-reserved depth for a distribution box is typically the thickness of the box plus the plastering or wall finish, ensuring proper installation and wiring space.

Standard Depth Guidelines

For concealed or wall-mounted distribution boxes, the reserved depth is calculated as the sum of the box thickness and the plastering layer on the inner wall of the installation hole. This ensures the box sits flush with the finished wall surface and allows for secure fixing with concrete or other materials around the box edges . During installation, the box should be firmly fixed, horizontal and vertical, with vertical deviation not exceeding 3mm, and edges closely aligned with the wall . In industrial or commercial applications, distribution boards may require deeper mounting areas to accommodate larger switchgear, conductors, and heat dissipation. Typical industrial distribution boards with IP54 protection may have a maximum depth of 0.50 meters, while residential boxes are shallower, often ranging from 2 to 3.5 inches (50–90 mm) depending on the number of devices and wiring requirements .

Installation Considerations

- Clearance and access: Adequate working space should be provided around the box for safe operation and maintenance, as specified in IEC 61439 and BS 7671 standards .
- Material protection: Contact surfaces between the box and wall should be coated with anti-corrosion paint, and no gaps should remain around the box

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