

Distribution box grounding connection outdoors



Summary of Content

The grounding connection for outdoor distribution boxes should be made to a dedicated ground bar inside the metal enclosure, which is then bonded to the main grounding electrode system.

Proper Connection Points

For metal outdoor distribution boxes, the grounding wire should be attached to a dedicated grounding terminal or ground bar inside the box. These terminals are usually located on the base plate or side walls and are often marked with grounding symbols for easy identification . If the box has a door panel, a braided copper tape should connect the door to the box body to maintain continuity and prevent corrosion . Use serrated or anti-loosening washers to pierce oxide layers and ensure a low-resistance connection .

Materials and Conductors

- Copper conductors are recommended for buried or outdoor runs; avoid aluminum as it corrodes over time .
- The wire size should match the overcurrent protection rating; oversizing can cause bonding issues .
- Use high-quality, certified materials from reputable suppliers to prevent premature corrosion or failure .

Bonding to the Grounding Electrode System

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