

Precise Dimensions Standards for Distribution Box Enclosures

Article Overview

Distribution box enclosures are typically fabricated from steel or insulating materials, with dimensions and mounting heights standardized for safety, accessibility, and compliance with electrical codes.

Enclosure Materials and Construction

Distribution boxes are generally made from cold-rolled steel plates or insulating plates, with wooden materials not recommended for safety reasons. The steel thickness for the cabinet body should be at least 2.0 mm, doors and panels 2.0 mm, and back panels 3.0 mm for power distribution cabinets. The structure must be firm, with sturdy guide rails and welded mounting lugs for non-floor-standing boxes (40×4 mm, 10 cm length) to ensure secure installation .

Standard Dimensions

While exact dimensions vary depending on capacity and manufacturer, typical enclosure sizes for low-voltage distribution boxes range from 65×65 mm up to 361×254 mm, with multiple cover heights available . For larger distribution boxes (e.g., 63–315 kVA), busbar and dropper dimensions are standardized, such as 72×50×8 mm for 63/100 kVA and 112×50×15 mm for 160/315 kVA boxes . The roof is often slightly slanted with a 50 mm overhang to prevent water ingress .

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