

Replacing the distribution box with a new one



Article Overview

Replacing a distribution box requires careful preparation, proper safety measures, and precise wiring to ensure safe and reliable operation.

Safety and Preparation

- **Power Off:** Turn off the main power supply to the household or facility. For concealed boxes, also cut off the incoming power at the meter box to ensure complete isolation of electricity .
- **Tools and Materials:** Gather a new distribution box (same or larger size), insulated gloves, screwdrivers, electrical tape, label paper, wire strippers, and a multimeter .
- **Circuit Labeling:** Before removing the old box, label each wire according to its circuit (e.g., "Living Room Socket", "Kitchen Lighting") and take photos of the wiring layout for reference .

Removing the Old Box

- **Surface-mounted Box:** Unscrew the fixing screws and carefully disconnect all wires.
- **Concealed-mounted Box:** Chip away the surrounding cement if necessary, preserve or replace the pre-embedded base box, and expand the hole if the new box is larger .

Installing the New Distribution Box

- **Positioning:** Choose a dry, ventilated, and accessible location, ideally 1.5 meters above the ground for residential boxes. Ensure it is away from water, flammable, or corrosive substances

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