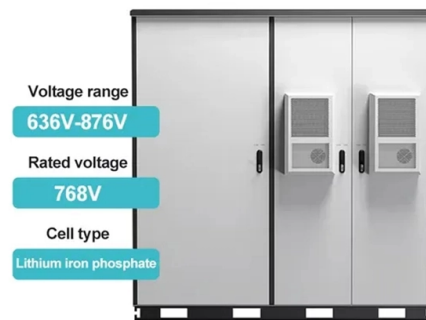


Costa Rica Outdoor Distribution Box Explosion-proof Standards



Article Overview

Outdoor distribution boxes in Costa Rica must comply with NEC 2020 (RTCR 458:2011) and international explosion-proof standards such as IECEx and ATEX, with appropriate IP/NEMA ratings for hazardous locations.

Local Regulatory Requirements

Costa Rica officially adopted the NFPA-70, NEC 2020, as part of its national electrical code under RTCR 458:2011 (Decreto Ejecutivo N° 36979-MEIC) for life and property safety . This code governs the installation of electrical equipment, including outdoor distribution boxes, and mandates that enclosures in hazardous or outdoor areas must be accessible, safe, and compliant with specified protection standards. Sections relevant to enclosures include requirements for overcurrent protection, grounding, and emergency access.

Explosion-Proof Standards

Explosion-proof enclosures are designed to contain internal explosions and prevent ignition of surrounding flammable gases or dust . Key international standards applicable in Costa Rica include:

- IECEx: International certification for equipment in explosive atmospheres, based on IEC 60079 series standards .
- ATEX: European directive for equipment in potentially explosive atmospheres, har...

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Costa Rica Electrical Code Decree 36979

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