

Sri Lanka electrical distribution box markings



Article Overview

Electrical distribution boxes in Sri Lanka are typically marked with voltage ratings, circuit identifiers, safety symbols, and IP protection codes to ensure safe and standardized operation.

Common Markings on Distribution Boxes

Voltage and Current Ratings: Most distribution boxes display the nominal voltage (e.g., 230V for single-phase or 400V for three-phase systems) and the maximum current rating of the main switch or circuit breakers. This helps users and electricians identify the capacity of the box and avoid overloading.

Circuit Identification: Each outgoing circuit is usually labeled with a number or code corresponding to the connected load or area, such as "Lighting 1," "Socket 2," or "AC 3." This facilitates maintenance and troubleshooting.

Safety Symbols: Boxes often include warning symbols such as the high-voltage triangle ⚡, grounding symbols, and instructions like "Do Not Open While Energized" to comply with safety standards.

Ingress Protection (IP) Rating: Outdoor or industrial boxes are marked with an IP code (e.g., IP65) indicating protection against dust and water ingress, which is critical for durability in Sri Lanka's humid climate.

Manufacturer and Standard Compliance: Local manufacturers like Magline Switchboards produce panels according to international standards and may include markings for ISO or IEC compliance, serial numbers, and manufacturing dates.

Regulatory Information: Distribution boxes may also carry labels referencing the Public Utilities Commission of Sri Lanka (PUCSL) regulations or the utility company, such as Electricity Distribution Lanka (EDL), to indicate authorization.

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