

Requirements for connecting to the primary distribution box

LoRa handheld portable base station



Article Overview

Connecting to a primary distribution box requires proper enclosure selection, secure wiring, correct breaker installation, grounding, and adherence to electrical codes for safety and reliability.

Selection and Placement of the Distribution Box

- **Enclosure Type:** Choose a box suitable for the environment—indoor boxes can be plastic or steel, while outdoor boxes require higher IP/NEMA ratings (e.g., IP66 or NEMA 4) for water and dust protection .
- **Material:** Steel is durable for industrial use; plastic or fiberglass is lightweight and corrosion-resistant for indoor or moderate environments .
- **Location:** Install in a dry, accessible area, away from water, flammable, or corrosive substances. Maintain proper ventilation and leave space around the box for maintenance .
- **Height:** Residential boxes are typically installed around 1.5 meters above the ground; industrial boxes may vary depending on surrounding equipment .

Wiring and Connection Requirements

- **Power Off:** Ensure the main power supply is completely turned off before starting any connection .
- **Main Incoming Connection:** Connect the incoming live wire (usually brown or red) to the main terminal. Connect neutral and earth conductors to their respective bars

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