

Standard Home Electrical Distribution Box Dimensions and Specifications



Article Overview

The standard residential electrical distribution box (main breaker panel) typically accommodates 200A service with 40-42 slots, and dimensions around 14-16 inches wide, 24-30 inches high, and 4-6 inches deep.

Typical Residential Distribution Box Sizes

Residential main panels in modern homes are designed to handle 200A service, which is now standard to support electric vehicles, HVAC systems, and smart home devices . Common physical dimensions for these panels are approximately:

- Width: 14-16 inches
- Height: 24-30 inches
- Depth: 4-6 inches These dimensions allow for 40-42 breaker slots, providing sufficient space for future circuit expansion and compliance with NEC 2026 regulations . Smaller panels for older homes or limited circuits may have fewer slots (20-30) and slightly smaller dimensions.

Junction and Device Boxes

For individual outlets, switches, or lighting fixtures, standard box sizes vary by type:

- Single-gang boxes: ~2" x 3" x 3.5", used for one switch or outlet .
- Multi-gang boxes: Wider boxes to accommodate multiple devices in one location,...

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