Wiring of the lighting module distribution box



Overview

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Key Takeaways

Lighting modules in a distribution box are wired by connecting phase lines through MCBs, distributing neutral and earth lines separately, and ensuring proper wire sizing and cable management.

Key Wiring Principles

Phase and Neutral Connections: The phase (live) lines from the main isolator or RCCB are connected to the MCBs that protect each lighting circuit. Neutral lines are distributed individually to each circuit breaker's neutral terminal and should not be shared between circuits to prevent overloads or faults. The earth line is connected to the earth bus and then to the building's earthing system.

Wire Sizing: For lighting circuits, use 2. 5mm² wires, ensuring that no more than three circuit breakers are connected in series per wire. Socket circuits also typically use 2.

5mm², while air conditioning circuits may require 2. 5mm² or 4. 0mm² wires, each protected by a dedicated breaker.

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Cable Management: Wires should be neatly tied with plastic cable ties, spaced approximately 100mm apart, and avoid sharp bends to prevent insulation damage. Cut off any excess wire after tying to maintain a clean layout. Lighting Module Integration: In modular or bus-controlled systems, lighting modules may include a data bus for control.

From the Master Distribution Box (MDB), multi-core “home run” cables connect to Light Control Modules (LCMs), which then distribute power to lighting circuits. Each conductor is marked for identification, and the system may include shielded (STP) or unshielded (UTP) bus cables for integration with building management systems. Switching Terminals: For dual-circuit lighting modules, remove any copper link to separate circuits.

Terminal SW(A) controls Circuit A, and SW(B) controls Circuit B. Flexible cords should be connected to a dedicated terminal block rated for up to 10A, not the main terminal block. Mounting and Conduit Entry: Remove appropriate knockouts to allow cable entry, attach the distribution box to trunking or ceiling channels using M6 bolts, and run cables through conduit fittings before terminating at the terminals.

Safety and Standards

Always follow BS7671 IEE Wiring Regulations or local electrical codes. Ensure proper earthing to protect against electric shock. Only qualified electricians should perform connections involving mains power.

Verify that circuit breakers and wiring are rated appropriately for the connected load. By following these guidelines, the lighting module in a distribution box can be safely and efficiently wired, ensuring proper circuit protection, clear cable management, and compatibility with both traditional and bus-controlled lighting systems.

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The MDB takes power and lighting circuits from a distribution board and extends them out onto the ceiling space. The MDB generally comprises 6 or 9 SPN circuits and may include a data BUS input.

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Drill a 20mm dia hole in the base of the lighting trunking at the position where cable entry to the LDS box will be.Drill second hole 6mm dia clear to line up with the xing hole at the non terminal end of the

Distribution Box and Selection Guide: Internal Structure, Components ...

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What are the requirements for lighting distribution box wiring?

In short, when wiring the lighting distribution box, appropriate wires and terminals should be selected, and the wiring should be carried out in strict accordance with the national electrical safety standards.

INSTALLATION MANUAL REMOTE POWER SYSTEM:

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