

Single-circuit wiring in the distribution box



Article Overview

To wire a single circuit in a distribution box, connect the main supply to the main MCB, route through an RCCB for protection, then connect the output to a single-pole MCB and finally to the load, ensuring proper neutral and earth connections.

Step-by-Step Wiring Process

1. **Identify Components:** A typical single-phase distribution box includes a main switch (double-pole MCB), residual current device (RCCB), single-pole MCBs for individual circuits, neutral bus bar, and earth bus bar .
2. **Connect the Main Supply:** Connect the phase (live) and neutral wires from the incoming power supply to the input terminals of the main MCB. This MCB acts as the main switch controlling the entire distribution box .
3. **Connect the RCCB:** The output of the main MCB is connected to the input of the RCCB. The RCCB provides protection against leakage currents and electric shocks. Ensure the RCCB rating matches or slightly exceeds the main MCB rating, typically 30mA for domestic installations .
4. **Connect the Circuit MCB:** For a single circuit, use a single-pole MCB. Connect the phase wire from the output of the RCCB to the input of the MCB. The neutral wire from the RCCB output is connected to the neutral bus bar, which distributes neutral to all circuits .

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Distribution board

A distribution board (also known as panelboard, circuit breaker panel, breaker panel, circuit breaker, electric panel, fuse box or DB

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3.3 Features of Electrical Wiring Electrical wiring composes of electrical equipment such as cables, switch boards, main switches,

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