

How to ground a high-altitude distribution box



Overview

Attach a ground wire from one of the threaded studs (A) at the bottom of the housing, to the mounting plate (B). The ground resistance between all system parts shall be $<$. Power from factory ground must be installed by a qualified electrician. Each DISTRIBUTION BOX and controller must be grounded. 26 mm² (10 AWG) ground wire must be used, and in all other markets a 6 mm² must be used. The purpose of a grounding system is to establish a low impedance path to earth. GROUNDING DESIGN THEORY. 150kV will most likely warrant a tower, with one or two lightning ground wires run with it. Depending on the physical construction of the circuit. I don't know of any neutral (4 wire) system. Since organizations and responsibilities can change, you should verify the currency of the information above using the ASSIST Online database at mil _____ DISTRIBUTION STATEMENT A: Approved for public release; distribution is unlimited.

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The tolerance of plotted ground elevations to the actual ground profile will depend on photogrammetric equipment, flying height, and accuracy of control points.

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DISTRIBUTION BOX

Each DISTRIBUTION BOX and controller must be grounded. On the US market, a 5.26 mm² (10 AWG) ground wire must be used, and in all other markets a 6 mm² must be used.

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MIL-STD-188-125-1, High-Altitude EMP Protection for Fixed ...

Ground straps or cables used to connect the facility shield (equipotential ground plane) to the earth electrode subsystem shall be electrically bonded to the outside surface of the shield, and at least one ...

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The high-voltage transmission line is not provided with neutral but with static wire grounded at each tower and at both ends.

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