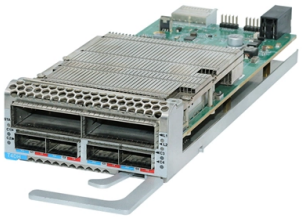
Construction steps for sealing explosion-proof distribution boxes



Article Overview

Sealing explosion-proof distribution boxes requires precise material selection, grounding, gasket or foam application, and adherence to manufacturer and IEC/ATEX standards to prevent flame propagation and ensure safety.

1. Material Selection and Box Preparation

• Use stainless steel (grade 304 or higher) for the distribution box housing, with a minimum wall thickness of 4 mm to meet explosion-proof requirements .

• Ensure all components, including doors, panels, and ventilation grilles, are compatible with explosion-proof standards and resistant to corrosion, UV, and environmental stress .

• Prepare surfaces by plasma treatment or primer application to improve adhesion of sealing compounds .

2. Grounding and Electrical Connections

• Connect the grounding wire inside the box to a dedicated grounding screw and extend it to the connected galvanized pipe, ensuring a secure, uninterrupted grounding path .

• Use threaded connections for pipes and junctions, but note that threading alone does not provide sufficient sealing .

3. Sealing Methods

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