

Connection of the small busbar of the 10kV high-voltage switchgear



Article Overview

The small busbar in 10kV switchgear is typically connected using rigid or laminated copper/aluminum bars, linking incoming feeders, circuit breakers, and outgoing circuits while ensuring proper insulation, spacing, and mechanical support.

Busbar Types and Materials

Small busbars in 10kV switchgear are usually rigid, laminated, or flat copper/aluminum bars. Copper is preferred for high conductivity and thermal stability, while aluminum is lighter and cost-effective but requires larger cross-sections to carry the same current. Busbars may be bare or insulated, depending on the switchgear design and safety requirements. Tin or silver plating is often applied to improve contact reliability and reduce oxidation.

Connection Configuration

The small busbar serves as a link between high-voltage incoming feeders, circuit breakers, and outgoing feeders. In typical 10kV switchgear:

- Incoming feeders from transformers or the grid connect to the busbar through high-voltage circuit breakers or load switches ().
- Outgoing feeders are connected via draw-out or fixed circuit breakers, allowing sectional isolation for maintenance without interrupting the entire system ().
- Busbar sectionalizing may be used in larger installations to split the bus into secti...

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