Instructions for Use of Anti-Static Rating System in Server Racks Cold Aisle



Overview

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Key Takeaways

Implementing an anti-static rating system in cold aisle server racks involves proper grounding, installation of conductive surfaces, and integration with containment airflow management to prevent electrostatic discharge (ESD) and protect sensitive equipment. 1.

Understand Anti-

Static RequirementsAnti-static systems in data centers are designed to prevent static electricity buildup and provide a path to ground for charged objects, including personnel, equipment, and materials. For server racks in cold aisles, this typically involves: ESD flooring or conductive mats under racks to dissipate static charges. Anti-static strip curtains or panels at aisle entrances to reduce static accumulation while allowing access.

Rack grounding using conductive connections to the facility ground to ensure all equipment is at the same electrical potential. 2.

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Installation in Cold Aisle Containment

Cold aisle containment (CAC) systems enclose the cold air supply zones to maintain consistent intake temperatures and prevent hot air mixing. When integrating anti-static systems: Measure the aisle dimensions accurately to fit anti-static curtains or panels without obstructing airflow. Install anti-static strip curtains at the ends of the cold aisle or around access points, ensuring they are properly grounded.

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C strips can be trimmed to fit and mounted using universal hangers. Maintain airflow integrity: Ensure that anti-static materials do not block the cold air supply to server intakes, preserving the efficiency of the containment system. 3.

Grounding and Safety Procedures

Connect all conductive surfaces (flooring, curtains, racks) to a verified grounding point. Verify anti-static ratings of materials to ensure they meet ANSI/ESD S20. 20 standards for electronic equipment protection.

Regularly inspect grounding connections and anti-static surfaces for wear or damage. Coordinate with fire suppression systems: Anti-static installations should not interfere with fire detection or suppression, and thermal drop-out panels may be used to maintain safety. 4.

Operational Considerations

Access control: Use containment doors with emergency breakout capabilities to allow safe entry without compromising ESD protection. Environmental monitoring: Track temperature, humidity, and static levels within the cold aisle to ensure optimal conditions. Low humidity can increase static risk, so anti-static measures are critical.

Maintenance: Front-serviceable equipment reduces the need to enter the contained space frequently, minimizing disruption to anti-static protection. 5.

Verification and Compliance

Test anti-static surfaces periodically using a static meter to confirm proper dissipation. Document installation and maintenance procedures to comply with ESD standards and local safety codes. Integrate with data center management systems to monitor both thermal and static conditions for proactive risk management.

By following these steps, server racks in cold aisle containment can maintain both thermal efficiency and ESD protection, ensuring equipment longevity and operational reliability.

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ESD Compliance in a Server Room

One significant question when selecting an ESD floor for a server room as opposed to a manufacturing environment is whether or not the floor can mitigate static charges without ESD footwear.

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Utilize Containment/Enclosures

Containment refers to physical barriers used in a hot aisle/cold aisle layout that further eliminate the mixing of cold ("supply") air and hot exhaust air. Containment barriers include plastic curtains and

7 Ways to Shield Server Racks From ESD

To protect your server racks from ESD damage, you''ll need a thorough defense strategy. Start with proper grounding techniques using copper jumpers and verified connections to earth.

Move to a Hot Aisle/Cold Aisle Layout

A Time-tested Technique The hot aisle /cold aisle data center layout was originated by IBM in 1992 and it is one of the oldest ways to save energy in the data center. 1 Hot aisle/cold aisle layout involves

Explore hot and cold aisle containment for your data center

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Hot and cold aisle containment can help you maintain the best air flow, temperature and humidity in the data center to keep servers running efficiently.

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