

Installation Tutorial for Galvanized Cable Trays



Article Overview

Installing galvanized cable trays involves careful planning, proper support placement, precise alignment, secure connections, and adherence to safety and grounding standards.

1. Planning the Route

Before installation, plan the cable tray route based on your electrical design and site layout. Consider clearance, load capacity, cable separation, and future expansion (at least 30% extra capacity recommended) to accommodate additional cables later. Mark the path using a laser level or chalk line to ensure straight and level alignment.

2. Selecting Tray Type and Size

Choose the appropriate galvanized tray type (ladder, perforated, or solid-bottom) based on airflow, load, and cable type. Calculate tray width and depth according to the number and type of cables to prevent overcrowding and overheating. Ensure the galvanized coating is handled carefully to avoid scratches that could compromise corrosion resistance.

3. Installing Supports

Install mounting supports (wall arms, ceiling trapeze hangers, or floor brackets) at standard intervals, typically 1.5 to 3 meters, depending on tray load and type. For bends, place supports maximum 600 mm from the bend outputs. Ensure supports are level and securely anchored using appropriate fasteners for the building material (steel anchors for concrete, clamps for steel structures).

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Cable tray length is selected based on the load to be supported, the distance between the supports (also referred to as the span),

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