

Trapezoidal Vertical Cable Tray Fixing



Overview

Ladder fixing method: Arrange the cables along a trapezoidal track, and then fix them on the track with binding tape.

Key Takeaways

Properly fixing a vertical trapezoidal cable tray requires secure support, correct cable attachment, and consideration of load and heat dissipation.

Structural Support

Vertical cable trays must be firmly supported along their entire height to prevent sagging or detachment. Use center-hung supports, vertical rails, or brackets designed for vertical stacking, ensuring that the tray is anchored to walls or structural members at regular intervals. Maximum support spacing typically ranges around 3.

6 meters, with a load capacity of 318–340 kg per hanger depending on the tray type. Avoid simply turning a horizontal tray on its side, as this can compromise cable stability and heat dissipation.

Cable Fixing Methods

Cables inside a vertical trapezoidal tray can be secured using several methods:

Binding Tape Method: Thread binding tape through the cables and attach to the tray's inner wall. Suitable for smaller cables but not recommended for large or heavy cables. **Hook Method:** Install hooks along the tray's inner wall and hang cables.

This is ideal for large cables but requires additional hook processing. **Ladder Track**

Method: Arrange cables along the trapezoidal track and secure with binding tape.

This method is effective for heavy cables but may require custom track modifications.

Spiral Track Method: Cables are arranged along a spiral track and fixed with tape, suitable for large bundles. Ensure that all cables are firmly fixed, neatly arranged, and not loose, to prevent detachment or safety hazards.

Accessories and Best Practices

Use cable separators, organizers, or internal collars to prevent tangling and maintain airflow. Avoid overtightening cable ties, which can damage insulation and reduce cable lifespan. Consider heat dissipation, as vertical stacking can increase cable temperature; allow spacing between cables when possible.

Choose U

L, NEMA, or IEC-compliant accessories and materials suitable for the environment, such as stainless steel, galvanized steel, or PVC.

Installation Tips

Follow a pre-determined layout plan and consult the system designer or engineer for structural and clearance requirements. Offload and handle trays carefully to avoid crushing or bending the trapezoidal sides. Modular accessories can simplify future revisions or retrofitting.

By combining secure vertical support, appropriate cable fixing methods, and proper accessories, a vertical trapezoidal cable tray can be safely and effectively installed while maintaining cable integrity and system performance.

Article Content

Vertical Fixing of Trapezoidal Cable Trays

This guide covers the critical steps, from selecting the right electrical cable tray and performing accurate cable fill calculations to managing a safe cable pull through and ensuring all bonding and grounding

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General Installation Guidelines: For more information refer to the latest NEMA standards and local building codes. Trough tray field support and frequency depends on the weight and construction

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2. Hook fixing method: Install hooks on the inner wall of the bridge and hang the cables on the hooks. This method is suitable for large cables, but requires additional processing of hooks. 3. Ladder fixing

Best practice guide to cable ladder and cable tray systems

Cable ladder and cable tray systems The following recommendations are intended to be a practical guide to ensure the safe and proper installation of cable ladder and cable tray systems

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Best Practice Guide to Cable Ladder and Cable Tray Systems

This guide covers cable ladder systems, cable tray systems, channel support systems and associated supports intended for the support and accommodation of cables and possibly other electrical

EzyTray Cable Tray Installation

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