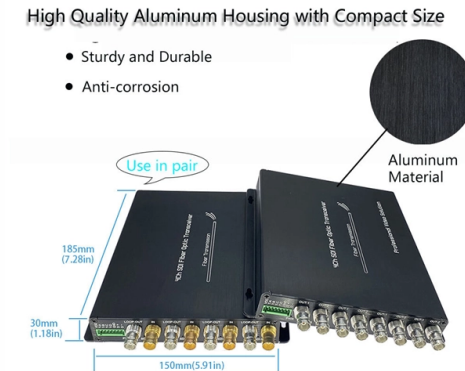


Cable tray climbing curvature



Article Overview

Cable tray climbing curvature should be gradual to prevent cable damage, maintain mechanical support, and comply with design standards.

Understanding Climbing Curvature

When a cable tray system changes elevation—commonly referred to as a climbing or inclined run—it is essential to maintain a smooth, gradual curvature. Sharp bends or steep angles can stress cables, reduce their lifespan, and compromise electrical performance. Cable trays are designed to support cables mechanically and provide strain relief, not to act as ladders or walkways .

Design Considerations

- **Bend Radius:** The curvature of the tray should respect the minimum bend radius of the cables it carries. Exceeding this radius can damage insulation or conductors .
- **Gradual Incline:** For vertical or inclined runs, the slope should be gentle enough to allow cables to rest naturally without excessive tension. Modular ladder trays often provide pre-engineered fittings for bends and inclines .
- **Support Spacing:** Supports must be installed at intervals recommended by the manufacturer to prevent sagging or excessive deflection, especially on inclined sections .
- **Load Capacity:** Ensure the tray can handle the weight of cables along the climb, including future additions, without exceeding deflection limits .
- **Thermal Expansion:** Consider expansion and contraction along long inclined runs, particularly in industrial environments, to avoid stress on cables

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