

Correct Method for Aerial Cable Trays



Article Overview

Aerial cable trays should be installed using proper support spans, secure mounting methods, correct cable fill, and adherence to NEC and industry standards to ensure safety and reliability.

Planning and Preparation

Before installation, review the approved shop drawings to determine tray layout, lengths, and routing in the building or facility. Inspect all materials, including trays, ladders, and fittings, for damage or discrepancies, and remove unsuitable items from the site . Store trays horizontally on a flat surface with timber supports at regular intervals to prevent warping or moisture damage . Select the appropriate tray type (ladder, ventilated trough, or wire mesh) based on cable type, environmental conditions, and load requirements .

Support and Mounting

Aerial cable trays require secure structural support. Common methods include:

- Trapeze hangers for ceiling suspensions
 - Cantilever wall brackets for vertical or side-mounted runs
- Support spans must be calculated according to the manufacturer's load capacity and the total anticipated cable weight. Overloading or exceeding support spans can lead to tray deformation or failure . Ensure all supports are level and aligned to maintain a straight tray path.

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