

Fixing the cable tray cover plate on the roof



Article Overview

Cable tray cover plates on rooftops can be securely fixed using pressing plates, screws, clasps, padlocks, or seven-shaped buckles, depending on installation type and environmental conditions.

Common Fixing Methods

- **Pressing Plate Fixing:** Punch holes in the cover plate, place a pressing plate over it, and secure with screws through the perforations. This method works for both horizontal and vertical installations and provides strong, stable attachment .
- **Screw Fastening:** Punch the cover plate and use screw buckles to attach it to the tray. Suitable for horizontal or vertical installations, this method ensures a tight and durable connection .
- **Buckle Fixing:** Bend folds at both ends of the cover plate to clip it onto the tray. This method does not require punching but is mainly suitable for horizontal installations, as vertical setups may allow the cover to slip .
- **Padlock Fixing:** Provides additional security for sensitive or high-risk areas, preventing unauthorized removal of the cover plate .
- **Seven-Shaped Buckle Fixing:** A specialized method for quick attachment and removal, often used in modular or frequently accessed systems .

Rooftop Installation Considerations

- **Support Systems:** Ensure the cable tray is properly supported to prevent sagging, misalignment, or damage from wind and thermal expansion . Supports should main...

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Ladder tray should be mounted far enough off the floor or roof to allow the cables to exit through the bottom of the tray. If strut is

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