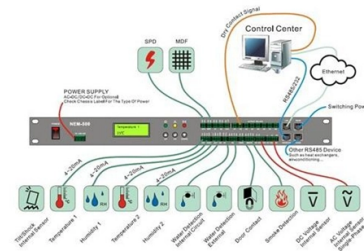


Safe load for cable tray cabling



Overview

Any load other than the weight of the structure itself. (Imposed loads can include electrical cables and equipment, wind, ice and snow) (BS 6946:1988 Requirements for safe working slip – the test load required to give continuous slip shall not be less than three. us-trations without notice. All illustrations, descriptions and technical information included in this document are provided as indications and can cable trays are equivalent. The mechanical and electrical characteristics, tests, certifications, overall quality management, recommendations mentioned. Cable tray (or cable ladder) systems are a popular alternative to electrical conduit systems, as they have an outstanding record for dependable service, design flexibility and cost savings in commercial and industrial applications. A properly designed and installed cable tray system will provide. Proper load calculation ensures the safety, efficiency, and longevity of the cable tray system. Deflection has been limited to $\text{SPAN}/200$ generally, based on the end span condition as the worst case.



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The total load supported by the cable tray, uniformly distributed. This will be the combined weight of all of the cables or tray contents, any environmental loads (snow, ice, dust) and any concentrated static

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FactSheet Electrical Safety Hazards of Overloading Cable Trays According to the 2005 National Electrical Code® (NEC), a cable tray system is “ unit or assembly of units or sections and

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