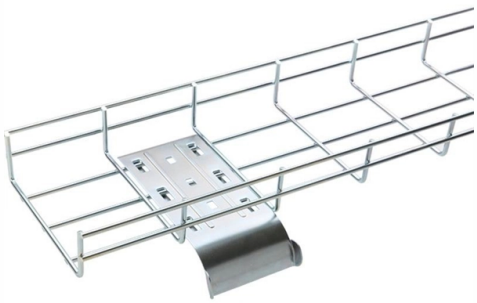
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Calculation of Electrical Cable Tray Supports and Hangers



Overview

Cable tray support quantity can be calculated using a simple formula: Support Quantity = Total Length ÷ Support Spacing + 1 20 ÷ 2 + 1 = 11 supports In a typical project, a 20-meter cable tray with 2-meter spacing requires 11 supports. Unlike a simple wire trough, which is typically a covered channel for shorter runs, cable trays provide a comprehensive support system for complex wiring paths over long. In this guide, you will learn how to calculate cable tray size step by step using a practical formula, tray selection rules, and a real example. Selecting the appropriate cable tray dimensions and size is essential for many kinds of reasons: The size of the cable tray has to be suitable on account. Our free calculator helps you determine the correct tray size based on NEC and IEC standards. Select Fill Standard: Choose 40% for power cables (NEC compliant) or 50% for. This publication is intended as a practical guide for the proper and safe* installation of cable ladder systems, cable tray systems, channel support systems and associated supports. With our many years of experience, we are one of the leading manufacturers in this field.



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