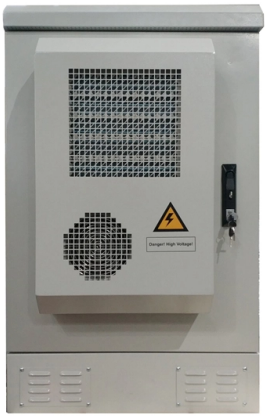
How to make a horizontal tee for cable trays



Overview

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Key Takeaways

You can fabricate a horizontal tee for cable trays by cutting, bending, and assembling straight tray sections with precise measurements and gussets or splices.Tools and Materials Needed

• Straight cable tray sections (wire mesh or solid)

• Bolt cutter or metal saw for cutting

• Screwdriver or drill for fastening

• Gussets or splice plates for reinforcement

• Measuring tape, marker, and square

• Rubber caps for cut ends (optional for safety)

Step-by-Step Fabrication Process

1. Measure and Mark

• Determine the location where the tee will branch off.

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• Measure the width of the main tray and the branch tray.

• Mark the cut lines for the branch opening on the main tray, ensuring alignment with the branch tray. 2. Cut the Main Tray

• Use a bolt cutter or metal saw to cut the side rails and bottom wires of the main tray where the branch will connect.

• For wire mesh trays, remove side wires back to the first complete grid to maintain structural integrity . 3. Prepare the Branch Tray

• Cut the branch tray to the required length.

• If needed, bend the edges slightly to match the contour of the main tray opening. Some tutorials suggest using a 22.5° or 45° bend for smoother transitions . 4. Assemble the Tee

• Insert the branch tray into the cut opening of the main tray.

• Use gussets or splice plates to reinforce the connection. Gussets can be calculated and cut to fit perfectly for a strong joint .

• Secure the trays together with screws or bolts, ensuring the branch is level and aligned with the main tray. 5. Finish and Protect

• Cover sharp edges with rubber caps to prevent cable damage.

• Check that the tee is stable and properly supported before running cables.
Tips for Accuracy and Safety
• Always double-check measurements before cutting.

• For wire mesh trays, ensure that the cut edges maintain the protective zinc layer to prevent corrosion .

• Use clamps or temporary supports to hold trays in place during assembly.

• If the tee is part of a larger system, verify that the branch does not interfere with existing supports or bends. By following these steps, you can create a custom horizontal tee on-site without needing pre-fabricated fittings, saving time and allowing flexibility in cable tray routing .

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Place horizontal tee supports within 600 mm (2 ft.) of each of the three openings connected to other cable tray items for the 300 mm

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