

How to fix the cable trays on the exterior wall



AI Overview

Cable trays on external walls are typically fixed using wall-mounted brackets, cantilever supports, or slotted channels, ensuring proper spacing, load support, and corrosion protection.

Wall-Mounted Support Systems

- 1. Cantilever Wall Brackets:** These are L-shaped or slotted metal brackets attached directly to the wall to support horizontal or vertical cable tray runs. They provide rigid support and are ideal for long tray sections or heavy cable loads.
- 2. Slotted 'C' Channels or 'L' Angles:** Fixed to the wall using threaded rods, metal plugs, or anchors, these channels allow adjustable mounting of cable trays and ladders. They are particularly useful for accommodating bends, offsets, or changes in tray height.
- 3. Prefabricated Wall Flanges or Sleeves:** Some systems, like Legrand's wall sleeves, offer rigid, aesthetically pleasing support for cable trays passing through walls, ensuring safe and secure attachment.

.Installation Considerations

Support Spacing: Maintain a maximum distance of 1.2 meters between supports to prevent sagging. Additional supports are required at bends, branches, or offsets.

.Load Capacity: Ensure the wall and mounting hardware can withstand the combined weight of the tray, cables, and environmental loads such as wind, ice, or snow.

.Material Selection: For external walls, use corrosion-resistant materials such as galvanized steel, stainless steel, or fiberglass-reinforced plastic (FRP) to withstand moisture and chemical exposure.

.Alignment and Clearance: Mark the tray route according to approved shop drawings, keeping horizontal and vertical runs straight, and maintain clearance for cable pulling and future maintenance.

.Custom Fitting: Flexible trays like the Wall Snake can be bent by hand to match wall contours, ensuring proper cable bending radii and alignment.

.Safety and Compliance Follow standards such as BS EN 61537 for cable tray systems and BS 69...

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