

How to secure cables in the cable tray below the wall

Article Overview

Cables in a cable tray below a wall should be secured using appropriate ties or straps at recommended intervals, anchored to the tray's rungs or transverse members to prevent sagging, maintain spacing, and comply with NEC standards.

Key Steps for Securing Cables

1. Determine Cable Tie Conditions For cable trays that are not horizontal, such as vertical or angled runs below a wall, cables must be tied down to prevent them from hanging away from the tray and potentially causing damage or stress on connections. Smaller diameter cables are more flexible and require more frequent tie-downs than larger, stiffer cables ().
2. Select Appropriate Fasteners Use cable ties, straps, or stainless steel ties suitable for the cable type and environment. For metal trays, stainless steel ties are recommended for durability and corrosion resistance. Ensure ties are strong enough to hold the cable weight without damaging the insulation ().
3. Tie-Down Frequency

- Small diameter cables (



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