Cable tray bends with narrower sections



Overview

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Key Takeaways

Cable tray bends with narrower sections can be achieved using adjustable or pre-fabricated flat bends, allowing flexible routing without cutting the tray.

Adjustable and Pre-

Fabricated Bends

Cable tray systems offer adjustable bends that can accommodate various angles (30°, 45°, 60°, 75°, and 90°) and widths, making it possible to create narrower sections where needed. For example, medium and heavy-duty trays up to 300mm wide can use adjustable bends to reduce width while maintaining structural integrity and cable support. Pre-fabricated flat bends are also available in 45° and 90° configurations for light, medium, and heavy-duty trays, with widths ranging from 50mm to 900mm.

Material and Finish Options

Bends can be manufactured from mild steel (pre-galvanized or hot-dip galvanized) or stainless steel (grade 1. 4404/316L), depending on environmental requirements and corrosion resistance needs. Closed or ventilated covers are available to protect cables and maintain airflow, which is particularly important in data centers or industrial installations.

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Design Considerations

When designing narrower bends, it is important to: Maintain the minimum bend radius for cables to prevent damage and signal interference. Ensure proper support spacing to avoid sagging or excessive stress on the tray. Use rigidity clips or splice plates to fasten sections together for added strength, especially in vertical or horizontal bends.

Consider thermal expansion and contraction, particularly in long runs or outdoor installations.

Benefits of Adjustable Bends

Using adjustable bends or systems like CabloBend EZ allows installers to: Create bends and drops without cutting the tray, saving time and reducing labor. Flexibly adjust vertical and horizontal angles up to 90° to fit complex layouts. Prefabricate sections for faster installation and safer work at elevated areas.

Summary

For cable tray bends with narrower sections, adjustable or pre-fabricated flat bends provide flexibility, maintain cable integrity, and support a range of widths and angles. Selecting the appropriate material, ensuring proper support, and using rigidity clips or splice plates are key to a safe and efficient installation. These solutions are widely used in data centers, industrial facilities, and commercial applications to optimize cable routing and reduce installation time.

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Cable Trays

A cable tray bend is a connecting element used at points where the cable tray changes direction. It ensures that the cable trays smoothly change face at

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Cable Trays

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