

Revit Specification Section of Cable Tray



Overview

BIM objects Technical specification Unique ref. Niedax_Cable_Trays Product family Niedax Modeling and Coordinating Cable Tray Systems in Revit for Electric.

Key Takeaways

Revit MEP allows detailed configuration of cable tray types, sizes, fittings, offsets, and routing preferences to ensure accurate electrical system design.

Cable Tray Types and Sizes

Revit supports various cable tray types such as Ladder, Solid Bottom, Perforated, Wire Mesh, and Basket. Each type can be customized with specific height, width, and material properties. You can define the default sizes or add custom sizes via Manage > MEP Settings > Electrical Settings > Cable Trays > Size, where you can activate, deactivate, or create new sizes and adjust height and width parameters.

Fittings and Routing Preferences

Cable tray fittings, including elbows, tees, crosses, and reducers, are automatically generated when trays change direction or intersect. You can configure these by selecting Cable Tray with Fittings, then using Edit Type to set parameters such as bend radius, vertical inside/outside bends, and cross radius. Ensure the correct fitting families are loaded into the project to enable proper routing.



Annotation and Display Settings

The Cable Tray Settings pane allows you to control how trays and fittings are displayed: Use Annot. Scale for Single Line Fittings: Determines if fittings follow the annotation size. Cable Tray Fitting Annotation Size: Sets the plotted size in single-line views.

Cable Tray Size Separator and Suffix: Defines symbols for displaying tray dimensions (e.g., 12" x 4") and units. Cable Tray Connector Separator: Specifies symbols between connectors. Offset, Elevation, and Placement When placing trays, you can set offsets and elevations in the properties palette to coordinate with other MEP systems.

The Options Bar allows adjustments to default height and width, which are remembered for future placements using Create Similar. Proper elevation and offset settings help avoid clashes with lighting, HVAC, or structural elements.

Project Setup and Best Practices

Start with the correct MEP template to ensure all tray families and fittings are available. Configure project defaults in MEP Settings for automatic behavior, including angle defaults and routing preferences. Load all necessary fitting families before starting design to enable clean, automated routing.

Use schedules and reports to manage tray networks, track sizes, and coordinate with other disciplines. By carefully setting up these parameters, Revit MEP enables efficient design, accurate documentation, and smooth coordination of cable tray systems in building projects.

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Modeling and Coordinating Cable Tray Systems in Revit for Electrical ...

Understand how to model a cable tray using the systems tab in the electrical section for effective coordination, especially in the electrical room. Learn how to set the middle elevation, draw

Cable Tray and Conduit

Add Cable Tray Fittings As you draw cable tray, Revit automatically adds fittings. Use the following procedure to manually add cable tray fittings to an existing segment or run.

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Section 16135

Work covered under this section consists of the furnishing of all necessary labor, supervision, materials, equipment, tests and services to completely execute a complete wire basket cable tray system

Draw Cable Tray

On the ribbon, select placement options. In the drawing area, click to specify the start of the cable tray run, then move the cursor and click to specify points along the run. A bend is automatically added to

Details on Cable Trays / Conduits

If you continue a conduit or cable tray, the dimensions of the existing design are adopted, regardless of the dimension settings. If this behavior is not desired, the Apply dimension option can be disabled in

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How to create a vertical cable tray in Revit to match the one shown in the image: This can be done with the free Revit MEP Fabrication extension. Use Revit's built-in cable tray: Draw cable

Creating a Cable Tray

Procedure Select the reference level and offset in the Construction level/ Offset (+/-) section. If the datum level conforms to the reference level, select Current storey. If necessary, enter an offset to the

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Dimension of cable trays above floor

Hello all, I am lost with something. I want to place dimension of cable tray above floor in section view. The dimension is being placed properly when I see the top and bottom of the tray as in

Revit Workflow: Managing Cable Tray Dimensions and Cable Paths

Hello everyone, I'm new to Revit and still learning, so if I'm making any mistakes, I kindly ask you to let me know. I'm trying to follow my workflow, which involves creating single-line diagrams

Solved: Re: Cable tray in section views

We are wanting to see a more accurate depiction of cable trays in our section views. Currently the cable tray appears similar to a duct or opening, (a rectangle with an "X" across it. We

Revit MEP: How to Dimension Cable Tray in Section #revitmep #bim #revit ...

Revit Cable Trays don't look to pretty out of the box, this little trick makes them not only function better, but look a little cleaner too.

Revit Electrical Cable Tray & Conduits Training

By the end of the training, participants will have a solid understanding of how to efficiently use Revit for designing and managing cable trays and conduits in an electrical system, ensuring ...

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