

Integrated Cable Trays for Pipelines



Overview

Cable Tray for Oil & Gas Facilities TechLine Manufacturing provides engineered cable tray systems and electrical/instrumentation supports for the full spec.

Key Takeaways

Integrated cable trays and piping systems provide organized, safe, and efficient support for electrical, instrumentation, and mechanical installations in industrial and commercial projects.

Overview

Integrated cable tray and piping systems are designed to support electrical cables, instrumentation wiring, and piping in a single, coordinated framework. These systems improve safety, reduce installation time, and allow for easier maintenance and future modifications. They are commonly used in industrial plants, energy facilities, offshore and onshore projects, and large commercial buildings.

Materials and Types

Cable trays and piping supports are typically made from steel, stainless steel, aluminum, or fiberglass composites (FRP/GRP), with galvanization or other corrosion-resistant coatings for durability. Common cable tray types include: Ladder trays: Ideal for heavy cables and good ventilation. Perforated trays: Lightweight, allow airflow, and prevent overheating.



Wire mesh trays: Flexible routing and easy access for cable ties. Closed-bottom trays: Protect cables in environments requiring insulation or contamination control. Piping supports can be integrated using modular support systems, which allow both pipes and cable trays to be mounted on the same framework, reducing the need for separate hangers or brackets.

Design and Installation

Integrated systems use support elements such as wall brackets, suspended supports, and center suspensions to secure trays and piping to ceilings, walls, or floors. Fittings like bends, T-pieces, crossovers, and reductions allow for horizontal and vertical routing changes while maintaining structural integrity. Modular systems, such as Hilti's MT System, provide pre-engineered components, design software, and on-site testing to simplify planning and installation.

Key considerations include: Load capacity: Ensure trays and supports can handle the combined weight of cables and pipes. Thermal expansion: Use joints and flexible fittings to accommodate expansion without damage. Electrical continuity and grounding: Properly bonded trays prevent electrical hazards.

Accessibility: Slot patterns and open designs allow easy attachment of clamps, ties, and instrumentation.

Benefits

Organized routing: Keeps cables and pipes separated and clearly arranged. Safety: Reduces risk of overheating, mechanical damage, and electrical faults. Efficiency: Speeds up installation and simplifies maintenance.

Flexibility: Modular systems allow future expansion or reconfiguration.

Standards and Compliance

Integrated cable tray and piping systems are designed according to DIN EN 61537 and other international standards, ensuring mechanical strength, corrosion resistance, and compatibility with electrical and mechanical installations.

Conclusion

Using integrated cable trays and piping systems provides a robust, flexible, and safe solution for managing complex MEP installations. By selecting appropriate materials, modular supports, and fittings, engineers can optimize space, reduce installation time, and ensure long-term reliability in industrial and commercial projects.

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Tray Installations The placement of cables, ducts, and conduits can be done using cable trays – for both outside plant (OSP) and interior spaces (ISP). This allows cables and ducts to be installed quickly

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