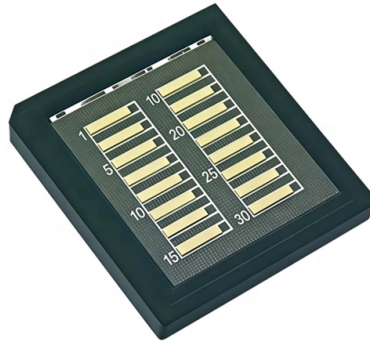


Installation of Tunnel Lighting Cable Tray Supports



Overview

PohlCon supports you in efficiently planning and professionally implementing cable trays in tunnels.

Key Takeaways

Proper tunnel lighting cable tray installation ensures safe, organized, and corrosion-resistant support for electrical systems in harsh underground environments.

Cable Tray Selection

For tunnel lighting, corrosion-resistant materials are essential due to humidity, dust, and vibration. Common options include: Stainless steel (AISI 316L): High corrosion resistance, suitable for humid or chemically aggressive environments. Aluminum: Lightweight, corrosion-resistant, and easy to form, ideal for long runs with minimal heat buildup.

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P (Glass Reinforced Polyester): Non-metallic, corrosion-resistant, and electrically insulating, suitable for tunnels with high moisture or chemical exposure. Tray types include perforated trays, cable ladders, and solid-bottom trays, chosen based on cable type, heat dissipation needs, and accessibility for maintenance.



Layout and Design Considerations

Continuous support: Ensure no breaks in the tray system to maintain cable integrity and safety. Spacing and bend radius: Maintain proper rung spacing (150–230 mm) and minimum bend radius to prevent cable damage. Segregation: Separate power, lighting, and control cables to reduce electromagnetic interference and facilitate maintenance.

Accessibility: Design trays for easy inspection, maintenance, and future expansion.

Installation Practices

Support systems: Use vibration-resistant brackets and hangers to secure trays in tunnels with dynamic loads or rail vibrations. Corrosion protection: Apply galvanization or select inherently corrosion-resistant materials to extend service life. Covers: Use solid or ventilated covers to protect cables from dust, water, and mechanical damage while allowing heat dissipation.

Emergency power integration: Ensure trays support cables connected to UPS or generator systems for tunnel lighting and safety equipment.

Safety and Standards

Comply with national and international standards (e.g., NEMA, UL, CE marking) for cable tray systems. Ensure fire safety by selecting trays and materials that minimize fire propagation and allow safe cable routing. Regular inspection and maintenance are critical to detect corrosion, mechanical damage, or cable displacement.

Summary

Effective tunnel lighting cable tray installation requires selecting the right material, designing for continuous support and accessibility, and following safety standards. Using corrosion-resistant trays, proper support systems, and protective covers ensures reliable operation of tunnel lighting and emergency systems in challenging underground environments.

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d) Cable tray supports are to be spaced to ensure that the deflection of the fully loaded trays or do not exceed the spacing and no distortion will occur when supporting erection staff during

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