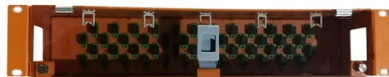


# Purpose of cable tray holes



## Article Overview

Cable tray holes are primarily used for ventilation, cable support, and providing exit points for small cables.

### Purpose of Cable Tray Holes

Cable tray holes, often found in perforated or ventilated trays, serve multiple functions in electrical installations. They allow air circulation around cables, which helps dissipate heat generated by power cables, reducing the risk of overheating and maintaining cable performance. The holes also enable water drainage and allow dust or debris to fall through, keeping the tray cleaner and safer.

### Cable Support and Securing

Holes in cable trays provide convenient points for tying down or securing cables, especially in horizontal or vertical runs. This helps maintain proper cable spacing, prevents sagging, and ensures that the minimum bend radius of cables is respected, which is critical for fiber-optic and coaxial cables. Small-diameter cables, such as control, instrumentation, and communication cables, can exit the tray through these holes without cutting the tray, simplifying installation and maintenance.

### Practical Applications

- Perforated trays: Offer continuous support with ventilation holes, ideal for mixed cable systems where both power and signal cables are present.
- Ventilated trays: Allow small cables to exit through slots or holes, providing flexibi...

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