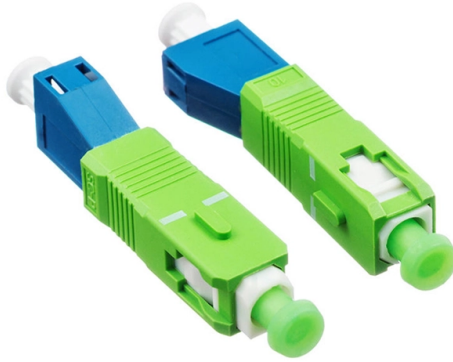


Common Angles for Cable Trays



AI Overview

Cable trays typically use standard angles of 30°, 45°, 60°, and 90° for horizontal and vertical bends to ensure smooth cable routing and minimize stress.

Standard Bend Angles

Horizontal and vertical bends in cable tray systems are designed to allow cables to change direction without sharp turns that could damage insulation or reduce performance. The most commonly used angles include:

- 30° bends: Used for gradual directional changes, minimizing stress on cables and allowing easier installation in tight spaces .
- 45° bends: The most frequently used angle for both horizontal and vertical changes, providing a balance between space efficiency and cable protection .
- 60° bends: Occasionally used when a sharper turn is required but still smoother than a 90° bend .
- 90° bends: Used for right-angle turns, often in corners or when routing along walls or ceilings. These bends may require radius fittings to prevent cable damage .

Other Fittings and Configurations

- T-pieces and crossovers: Allow branching of cable trays at standard angles, typically 90° or 45°, depending on the layout .
- Reductions and expansions: Adjust the width of the tray while maintaining smooth cable flow, often integrated with angled transitions .
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