Cable tray widening solution



Overview

Learn how to easily extend a wire mesh basket or cable tray system with tips on bends, risers, dividers, covers, and support solutions.

Key Takeaways

Flexible and modular cable trays, such as width-adjustable trays or wire basket systems, provide practical solutions for widening cable management pathways.

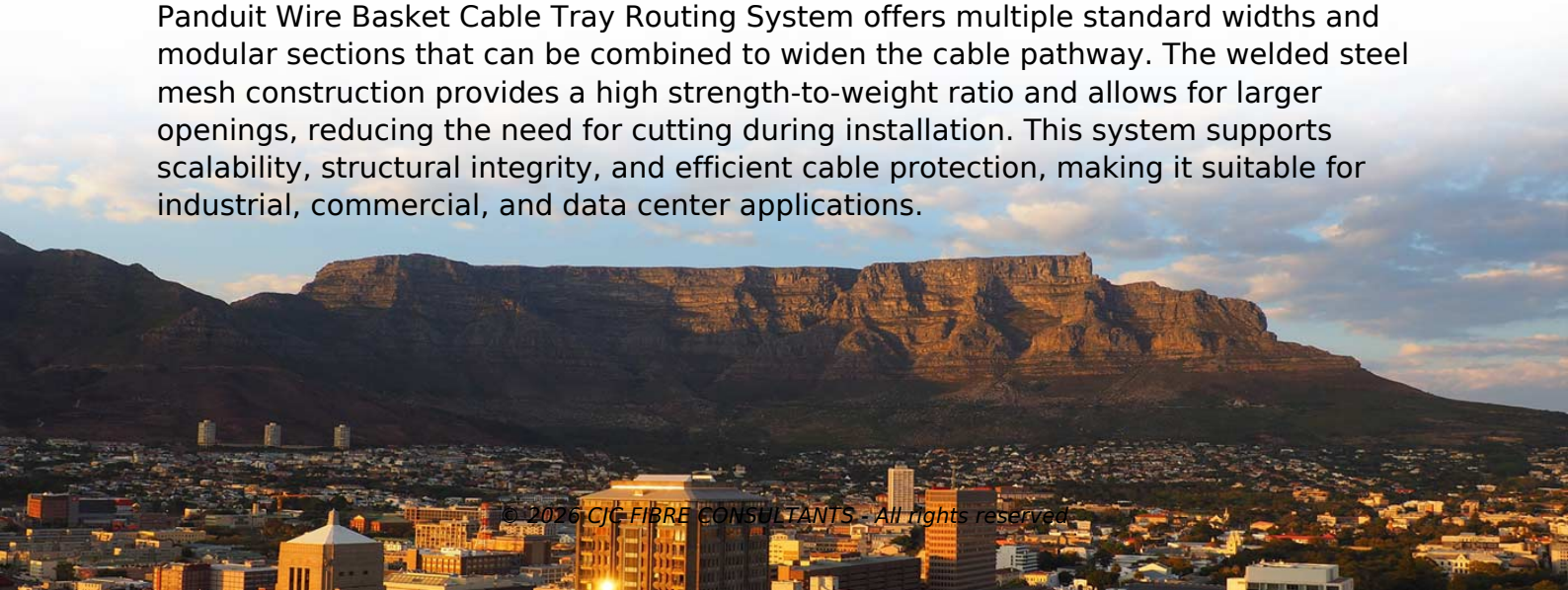
Adjustable Cable Trays

Actiforce Stretch Cable Tray is a prime example of a width-adjustable solution. It consists of two interlocking parts that can be pulled apart or pushed together, allowing the tray to fit a range of desk or installation widths without precise pre-measurement. This system is robust, made of high-quality metal, and maintains stability even when fully loaded.

Its open design ensures easy access, proper ventilation, and safe cable storage, making it ideal for dynamic or evolving installations.

Modular Wire Basket Systems

Panduit Wire Basket Cable Tray Routing System offers multiple standard widths and modular sections that can be combined to widen the cable pathway. The welded steel mesh construction provides a high strength-to-weight ratio and allows for larger openings, reducing the need for cutting during installation. This system supports scalability, structural integrity, and efficient cable protection, making it suitable for industrial, commercial, and data center applications.



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Key Considerations for Widening

Load Capacity: Ensure the widened tray can support the total weight of cables and accessories. Both adjustable and modular systems provide specifications for maximum load. Support Spacing: Wider trays may require additional supports or brackets to maintain stability and prevent sagging.

Thermal Management: Adequate spacing between cables is essential to prevent overheating, especially in power or high-density data installations. Compatibility: Verify that the chosen system integrates with existing trays, ladders, or mounting structures. Ease of Installation: Adjustable trays like the Stretch system allow on-site width modification, reducing downtime and labor costs.

Summary

For widening cable trays, width-adjustable trays and modular wire basket systems provide flexible, scalable, and safe solutions. Adjustable trays are ideal for environments where dimensions may change or precise measurements are difficult, while modular wire baskets offer robust, industrial-grade options with multiple width configurations. Both approaches ensure reliable cable management while maintaining structural integrity and accessibility.

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