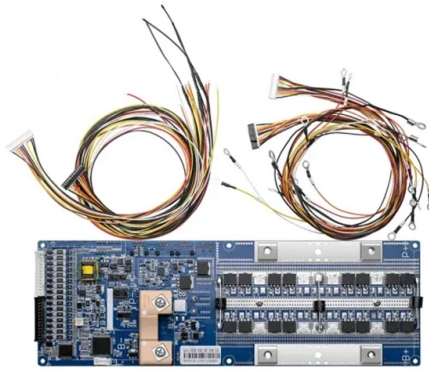


Connecting the cable tray to the ground wire



Overview

First, you need to attach the terminal to the side wall of the tray, then pass the cable through its hole. In the place where the wire is in contact with the hole, insulation must be removed in the terminal. The metal in cable trays may be used as the EGC as per the limitations. Cable tray grounding wire is the safety connection that links your electrical system's cable tray to the ground. The main purpose of. Cable tray systems have become an essential component in the infrastructure of modern commercial buildings, smart offices, data centers, and various industrial facilities. In accordance with National Electrical Code (NEC) Article 392 "Cable trays" first determine the Maximum Fuse Ampere Rating or Circuit Breaker Ampere Trip Setting or Circuit Breaker Protective Relay Ampere Trip Setting for Ground-Fault Protection s the minimum. The intent of this article is to review grounding practices for cable tray wiring systems.



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