

Spacing of seismic bracing for cable trays in the Maldives



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For seismic bracing of cable trays in high-seismicity regions like the Maldives, rigid trays should have supports spaced no more than 12 meters apart longitudinally, with lateral supports at both ends and at critical points such as turns, while flexible trays require roughly half these spacings.

Longitudinal Support Spacing

For rigid cable trays, the maximum spacing between seismic supports along the tray should not exceed 12 meters, while flexible trays should have supports spaced at no more than 6 meters to account for increased movement during seismic events. If the distance between supports exceeds these limits, additional mid-span supports are required to maintain stability and prevent tray deformation during an earthquake .

Lateral Bracing Requirements

Lateral supports are critical for stabilizing cable trays. They should be installed:

- At both ends of the tray
- Within 0.6 meters of any horizontal turns or bends
- At midpoints if the tray span is long or exceeds maximum support spacing
- Using gate-type braces that incorporate at least one lateral or two longitudinal supports to distribute seismic loads effectively .

Special Considerations

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Westinghouse AP1000 Design Control Document Rev. 19

The AP1000 cable tray system design requires no sprayed-on material for fire protection. Cable ties are provided at spacing greater

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Seismic Bracing Ensures Stability and Safety of Cable Trays

Seismic Bracing – Enhancing System Stability and Seismic Resistance Seismic bracing, typically made of high-strength metal, is key

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