

Fireproofing and Sealing Methods for Vertical Shaft Cable Trays



AI Overview

Effective fireproof sealing for vertical shaft cable trays requires modular firestop systems, fire-resistant mineral wool, intumescent caulks, and proper installation to prevent fire and smoke spread.

Key Considerations

Fireproof sealing in vertical cable shafts is critical to prevent the rapid spread of fire and smoke, especially in high-rise buildings where the chimney effect can accelerate fire propagation . Openings around cable trays must be tightly sealed, with no visible cracks or voids, and gaps should not exceed 1 cm^2 . Large openings may require fire-resistant backing plates or support plates to ensure structural integrity and fire resistance.

Recommended Materials

- **Firestop Packs and Mineral Wool:** Fire-resistant mineral wool or firestop packs are commonly used to fill gaps around cables and trays. Packing thickness should be sufficient (typically $\geq 24 \text{ cm}$) to maintain fire integrity .
- **Intumescent Caulks:** Products like IC 15WB Caulk expand under heat to seal gaps and prevent smoke and flame penetration .
- **Modular Firestop Systems:** Systems such as FIRSTO provide modular, easy-to-install solutions for multi-cable and cable tray penetrations. They allow for later cable additions or removals while maintaining fire and smoke protection .

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Fireproof sealing requirements for vertical cable trays

This document outlines the key requirements for cable tray layout, installation, and fireproofing in industrial and commercial

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