

# How is labor cost calculated for cable tray installation



## Overview

Labor units are based on favorable working conditions, production rates, and complete installation, including furnishing all equipment, connectors, anchors, cable ties, etc. Using a labor rate of \$60/hour. For 100 ft of cable installation the labor in hours is: 9 hours for THHN; 6. Support Systems: Overhead Tray for Tray II & VNTC is \$10/ft. The most important factors. The MLU provides an experience-based reference for estimating the electrical construction labor required to install typical electrical and communications systems. What's new to the MLU?

Updates to this edition include updated labor units for electric vehicle supply equipment, cable lashing, pull. Below are the list for cable tray installation man hour which include cable tray, cable tray cover; cable tray fittings such as 90 degree horizontal elbow, 90 degree vertical elbow, horizontal tee, horizontal cross, and reducer. Accurate budget control starts with clear specifications. This document will help you benchmark your labor productivity and efficiency against fellow NSCA members, as well as successfully and accurately prepare.



## Article Content

### Cable Tray Installation Cost per Meter – Price Estimator

On average, the cable tray installation cost per meter increases by approximately \$10 to \$30 per meter depending on the complexity of the installation and the labor rates in the area.

### Best Bid: Electrical Man-Hour Estimating Guide (2025)

By analyzing labor performance metrics from past projects, companies can refine their man-hour benchmarks and adjust for variables like weather, regional labor availability, and project type.

### Lapp Tray Calculator

For 100 ft of cable installation the labor in hours is: 9 hours for THHN; 6.5 hours for VNTC; 4.5 hours for Tray II. 7. Support Systems: Overhead Tray for Tray II & VNTC is \$10/ft. Conduit System for THHN is ...

### LABOR INSTALLATION STANDARD

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### How to Control Cable Tray Project Budget

Why Cable Tray Project Cost Control Matters for Buyers As a cable tray manufacturer working closely with EPC contractors, electrical installers, and distributors, we often see cable tray ...

### Calculating Manpower for Cable Tray Installation | PDF

The document outlines the process of estimating manpower requirements for cable tray installation in construction. It emphasizes the lack of free, universally accepted man-hour data, recommending paid ...

### Electrical Contractors Labor Units Manual

This "Labor Unit Manual" is a guide for determining the labor hours required for a given work assignment. Before using this guide, you should understand that there are many variables that may ...

### NECA Manual of Labor Units (MLU)

The MLU provides an experience-based reference for estimating the electrical construction labor required to install typical electrical and communications systems.

How Much Do Cable Trays Cost? A 2026 Comparison vs. Conduit ...

Discover the 2026 cost breakdown for cable trays compared to conduit and wire mesh. Compare material prices, labor savings, and performance to find your best value.

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