## SHIPBOARD CABLE TRAYS

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### MISSION STATEMENT

Determine and demonstrate how cable tray technologies can be integrated into ship design to expedite cable installation, reduce safety incidents, and improve first time quality



### PROJECT PARTICIPANTS

- BIW
  - Dave Breton Project Technical Lead
  - Andrew Trueworthy
- ATI
  - Nick Laney Business Manager
- NASSCO
  - Paul Hengst TPOC
- HII
  - Jason Farmer PTR
- Laboratory
  - AeroNav Laboratories
- NAVSEA
  - Christopher Nemarich

#### PRIMARY ACTIVITY LIST COMPLETION SUMMARY

- Collect cable installation data 100% complete
- Assess cable tray products 100% complete
- Design demonstrator units 100% complete
- Construct demonstrator units 100% complete
- Conduct a pilot demonstration of a cable tray installation and corresponding cable installation – 100% complete
- Conduct time study by measuring the performance of a cable installation –
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- Conduct demonstrator shock testing 0% complete
- ◆ Perform a cost benefit assessment 0% complete
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## COLLECT CABLE INSTALLATION DATA

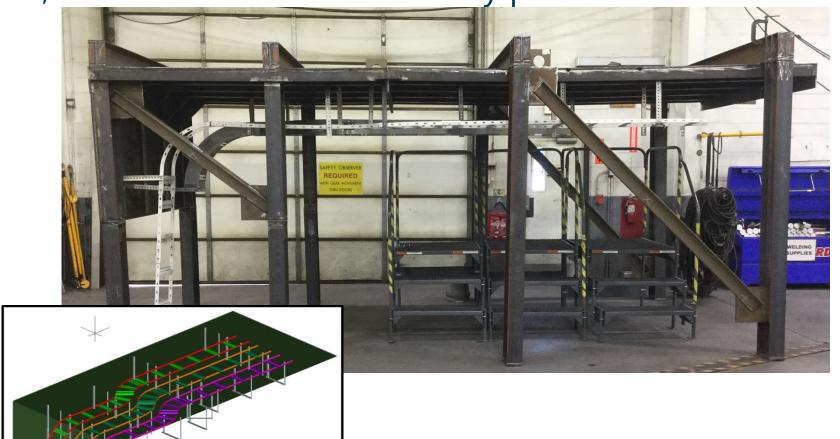
- Cable hangar, cable pulling injury data
  - BIW Shipyard Electrician related injury & ergonomic data
    - Injury data has been reviewed and summarized into major categories
    - Researching industry averages for comparison
- Cable installation data
  - Shipyard data has been collected, and is being organized for report presentation
  - Shipyard data being reviewed
    - Navy Standard cable hanging systems
    - Commercial cable hanging systems
  - Differences in installation being considered to support data analysis and comparison
    - Complexity of installation
    - Performance needs

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## ASSESS CABLE TRAY PRODUCTS

• We have chosen, purchased, and installed three cable tray products from:

- MP Husky
  - I-Beam Configuration
  - C-Flange Configuration
- Research Tool & Die
  - Rack-Style Configuration
- Installed beside Navy standard hangers for comparison
  - Trapeze Style

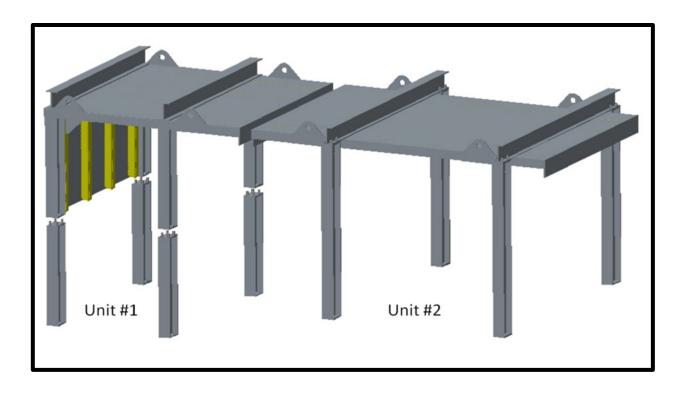


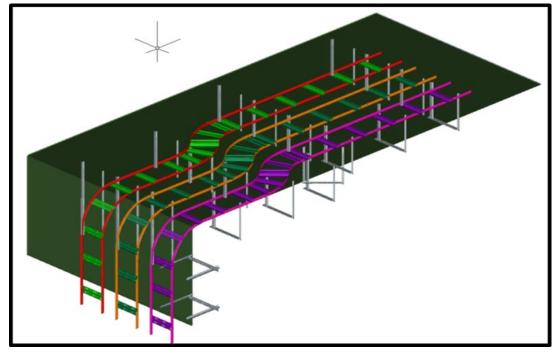
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## CONSTRUCT DEMONSTRATOR UNITS

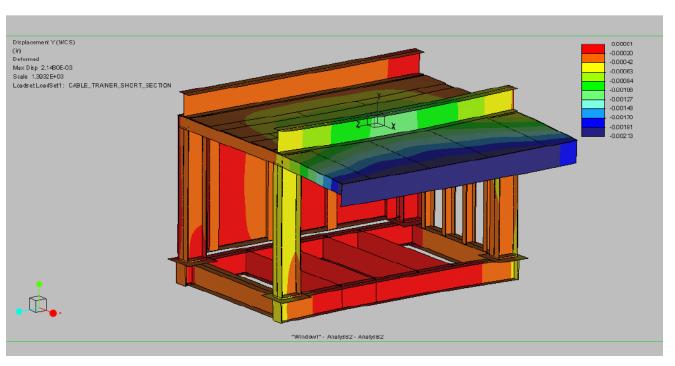
- Build In-Process
  - The Unit #1 'Short' vertical section is complete
  - The Unit #2 'Long' section is complete
  - They were installed together for the time trials and taken apart to send the short section for shock testing



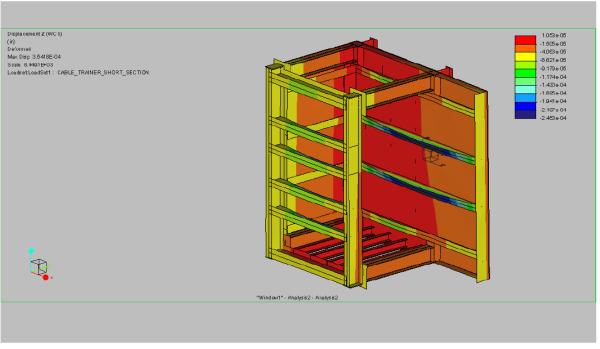


# Conducted FEA on Design

50 G Vertical Shock Load
Total Mass of structure and cable ways = 5,257 lbs.
Total Load on Egg Crate = 262,863 lbs.
Static Deflection = 0.002 inch



15 G Side Shock Load
Total Mass of structure and cable ways = 5,257 lbs.
Total Load on Egg Crate = 78,866 lbs.
Static Deflection = 0.001 inch



Small deflection, but no issues with shock loading

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## Demonstrators



Both Demonstrator Units (pre cable population); elevated to simulate installation space

Shock demonstrator removed (pre foundation) Ready for shipment to shock lab

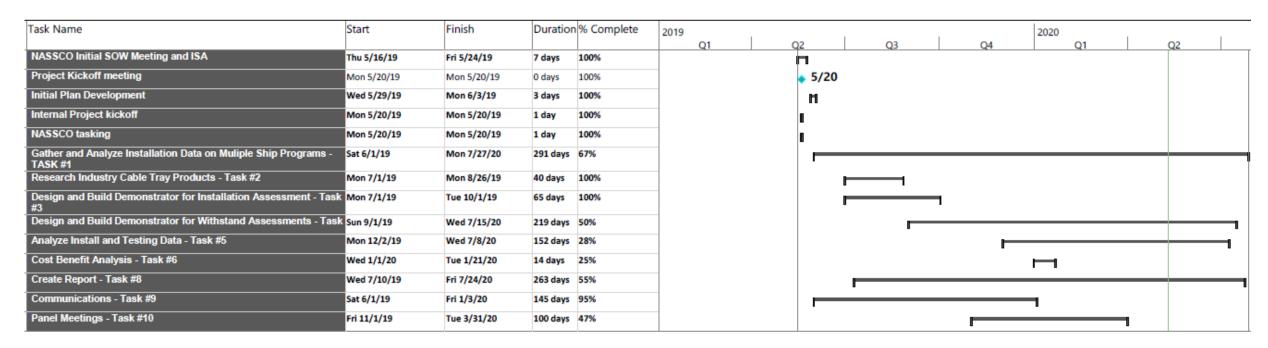


# Shock Testing Demonstrator Section





## PROJECT SCHEDULE – OVERVIEW



- Project schedule updated to reflect contract extension approved on 3/18/2020
- Period of performance ends 7/30/2020

# THIRD QUARTER STATUS

- Project is about 60 days behind the original schedule
- BIW received a contract modification for a no cost extension to finish with testing and inspection
- The unit has shipped to the test lab (5/11)
  - Testing will occur within the month
- Recent COVID-19 issues have caused some delay in the testing schedule
- The test schedule not expected to negatively impact the new projected project completion

## **NEXT STEPS**

- Complete shock testing
- Conduct inspections of the unit
- Review test report
- Complete the draft of the final report and distribute for review, and a delivery of 7/15/20



#### GENERAL DYNAMICS

#### SHIPBOARD CABLE TRAYS

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