Quick-Connect method vs. traditional wireway connector time study

Tests conclude the B-Line series Quick-Connect method is the efficient choice to help increase hinge cover wireway installation productivity.





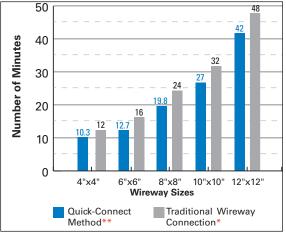


Traditional Wireway Connection

Testing methods

- 1 RSMeans data was collected to determine the installation time.
- Number of installers required to install various sizes of traditional wireway were determined.
- 3 Time studies were conducted to determine the time required to install hinge cover wireway utilizing the Quick-Connect

Time chart*



^{* &}quot;Electrical Cost Data" RSMeans

Savings calculation using Quick-Connect wireway systems

Labor \$/Piece	Labor % Savings ⁺	Savings \$/Piece	Savings \$/100 Pieces
10.3	14.2	1.70	170
25.4	20.6	6.60	660
39.6	17.5	8.40	840
54.0	15.6	10.00	1000
84.0	12.5	12.00	1200

The time saved using the Quick-Connect method was subtracted from the RSMeans data. The savings in % labor, (\$) per piece, and (\$) per hundred pieces was calculated to provide an estimate of total installed cost savings.

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RSMeans Number of Installers: 4" x 4" = 1 installer, all other sizes noted = 2 installers.