

Tip of the month - October 2019

Layout wiring – an extra thought

Our last Area Group meeting discussed layout wiring and had looked at various ways to secure wiring under the baseboard.

So there I was, sitting drinking coffee with Chic and his mate Ian one Sunday night. While munching through my caramel wavers, Ian produced some cable tie mounts he had bought.

It struck me that this would be an additional method to add to those wiring methods previously discussed.

The plastic base is screwed to the baseboard and a standard cable tie is passed through it. The loop can accommodate multiple wires.

Trouble is, once you have tightened a tie you have trouble getting it loose again and usually resort to cutting the tie.



Chic then came up with a great suggestion. If you look at the picture, you will see that the band has been inserted the 'wrong' way round. This still provides a secure grip on the wires but is easily adjusted or removed.

I have ordered these up and will have them available at our meetings (a bag of 20 for 30p).



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