- Horizonal thrust at fittings are based on 150 psi of water pressure.
- Values from curves are for tees and dead ends, i.e. straight line thrust. For other fittings, multiply the bearing area obtained from curves by the following factors:

For 90° Bend, 1.4 For 40° Bend, 0.8 For 221/2° Bend, 0.4

Safe bearing loads on undisturbed soil are as follows:

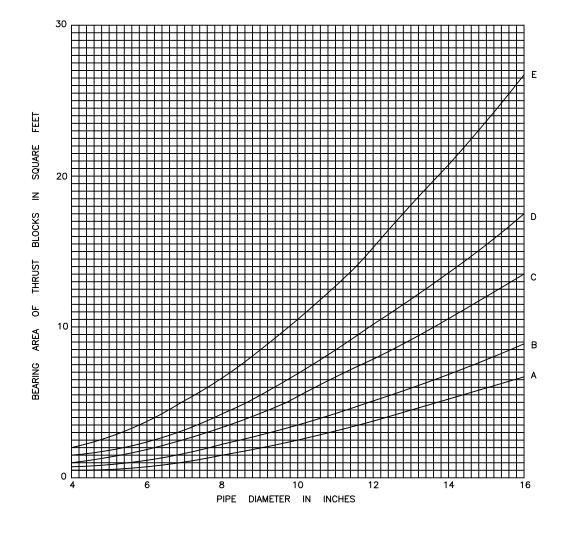
Curve A = 4,000 psf, Massive crystalline bedrock.

Curve B = 3,000 psf, Sedimentary and foliated bedrock.

Curve C = 2,000 psf, Sandy gravel and/or gravel. Curve D = 1,500 psf, Sand, silty sand or gravel and clayey sand or gravel.

Curve E = 1,000 psf, Clay, sandy clay, silty clay, and clayey silt.

Thrust blocks for conditions not covered by curves shall be approved by the County Engineer.



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