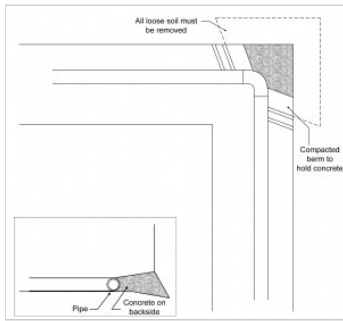


thrust block

rough pore of concrete installed on the outside of an angled fitting (tee, cross, elbow or valve) that extends back to the native soil to provide a greater bearing surface and prevent loosening of joints due to stress created in pressurized applications.

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