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Thrust Restraint Design for Ductile Iron Pipe

Type of Fitting:	
Combined Vertical Offset (Under Object)	•
Angle of Bends:	
22.5	▼ deg.
Diameter of Bends:	
8	▼ in.
Known Length (L):	
2	ft.
Laying Condition: Type 5	•
Soil Designation:	
Coh-gran	•
Depth Cover:	
5.5	ft.
Design Pressure:	
150	psi
Safety Factor:	
1.5	•

Combined Vertical Offset (Under Object)

Unit Frictional Force: 276 lbs/ft

Required restrained length for each side of outermost bends:

L1 = 19 ft

Polyethylene Encased L1 = 28 ft

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Type of Fitting:	
Combined Vertical Offset (Under Object)	v
Angle of Bends:	
22.5	▼ deg.
Diameter of Bends:	
12	▼ in.
Known Length (L):	
2.2	ft.
Laying Condition: Type 5	•
Soil Designation:	
Coh-gran	•
Depth Cover:	, ,
5.5	ft.
Design Pressure:	
150	psi
Safety Factor:	
1.5	•

Combined Vertical Offset (Under Object)

Unit Frictional Force: 410 lbs/ft

Required restrained length for each side of outermost bends:

L1 = 28 ft

Polyethylene Encased L1 = 41 ft

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Combined Vertical Offset (Under Object)	•
Angle of Bends:	
45	▼ deg.
Diameter of Bends:	
8	▼ in.
Known Length (L):	
2	ft.
Laying Condition:	
Type 5	•
Type 5 Soil Designation:	
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Combined Vertical Offset (Under Object)

Unit Frictional Force: 276 lbs/ft

Required restrained length for each side of outermost bends:

L1 = 42 ft

Polyethylene Encased L1 = 60 ft

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45	▼ deg.
Diameter of Bends:	
12	▼ in.
Known Length (L):	
2.2	ft.



Combined Vertical Offset (Under Object)

Unit Frictional Force: 410 lbs/ft

Required restrained length for each side of outermost bends:

L1 = 61 ft

Polyethylene Encased L1 = 87 ft



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Type of Fitting:	
Tee	▼
Diameter of Run:	
12	in.
Diameter of Branch:	
12	▼ in.
Run Length (first joints):	
10	ft.
Laying Condition:	
Type 5	•
Soil Designation:	
Coh-gran	•
Depth Cover:	
5.5	ft.
Design Pressure:	
150	psi
Safety Factor:	
1.5	•

Tee

Unit Frictional Force: 549 lbs/ft
Unit Bearing Resistance: 1,850 lbs/ft
Required restrained length for Tee Branch:

L = 40 ft

Polyethylene Encased L = 57 ft