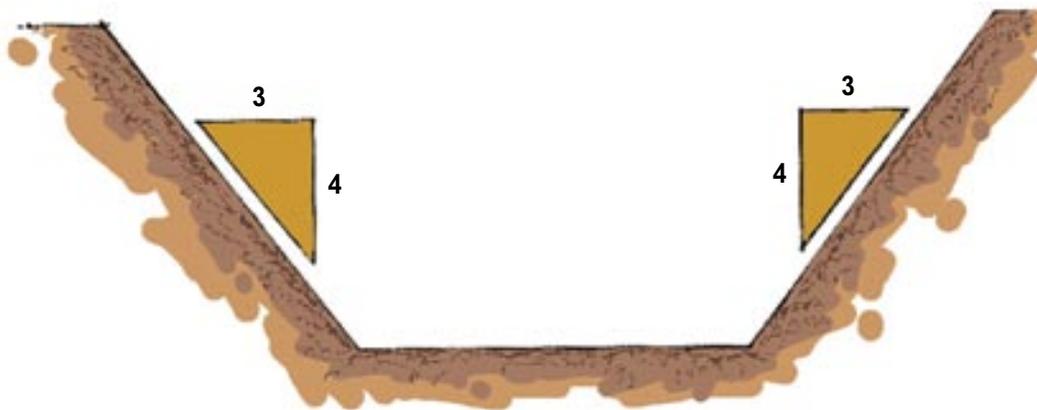




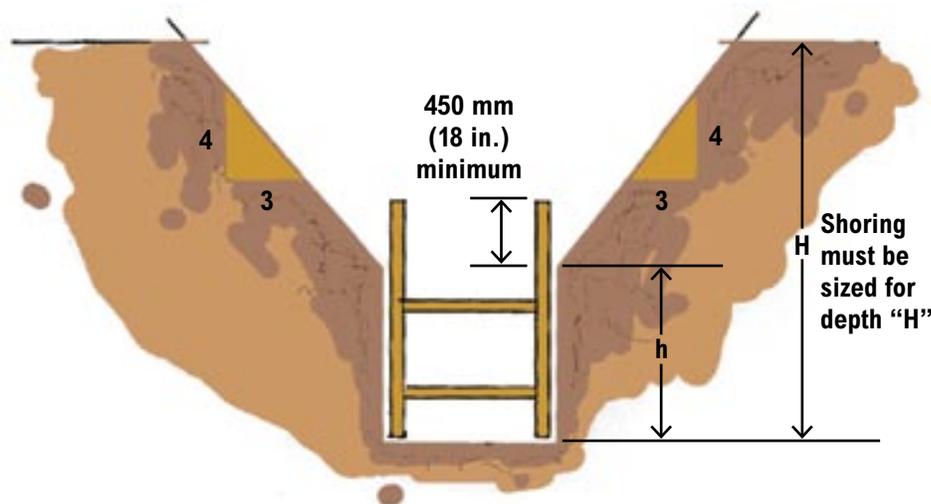
Sloping and shoring requirements

No worker may enter an excavation more than 1.2 m (4 ft.) in depth unless:

- The sides of the excavation are sloped to a safe angle no steeper than three horizontal to four vertical, OR
- The sides have been supported by use of sheet piling or shoring and bracing, OR
- A combination of both sloping and shoring is used, OR
- The sides of the excavation have been sloped or supported in accordance with the written instructions of a professional engineer



Unshored trench and excavation walls must be sloped flatter than the angle of repose, but in no case steeper than three horizontal to four vertical unless specified in writing by a professional engineer.



This is an example of combined sloping and shoring.

Project: _____ Address: _____

Employer: _____ Supervisor: _____

Date: _____ Time: _____ Shift: _____

Number in crew: _____ Number attending: _____

Other safety issues or suggestions made by crew members:

Record of those attending:

Name: (please print)	Signature:	Company:
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Manager's remarks: _____

Manager: _____ Supervisor: _____

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