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List of 16 Bearing Capacity for Strip Footing for C-Φ Soils Formulas

Bearing Capacity for Strip Footing for C-Φ Soils

General Shear Failure

1) Bearing Capacity Factor Dependent on Cohesion for General Shear Failure

$$f_x N_c = \frac{q_{nu} - ((\sigma_s \cdot (N_q - 1)) + (0.5 \cdot B \cdot \gamma \cdot N_\gamma))}{C}$$

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$$ex \ 9.685039 = \frac{87\text{kN/m}^2 - ((45.9\text{kN/m}^2 \cdot (2.0 - 1)) + (0.5 \cdot 2\text{m} \cdot 18\text{kN/m}^3 \cdot 1.6))}{1.27\text{kPa}}$$

2) Bearing Capacity Factor Dependent on Surcharge for General Shear Failure

$$f_x N_q = \left(\frac{q_{nu} - ((c \cdot N_c) + (0.5 \cdot B \cdot \gamma \cdot N_\gamma))}{\sigma_s} \right) + 1$$

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$$ex \ 2.267572 = \left(\frac{87\text{kN/m}^2 - ((2.05\text{Pa} \cdot 9) + (0.5 \cdot 2\text{m} \cdot 18\text{kN/m}^3 \cdot 1.6))}{45.9\text{kN/m}^2} \right) + 1$$

3) Bearing Capacity Factor Dependent on Unit Weight for General Shear Failure

$$f_x N_\gamma = \frac{q_{nu} - ((c \cdot N_c) + (\sigma_s \cdot (N_q - 1)))}{0.5 \cdot B \cdot \gamma}$$

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$$ex \ 2.282308 = \frac{87\text{kN/m}^2 - ((2.05\text{Pa} \cdot 9) + (45.9\text{kN/m}^2 \cdot (2.0 - 1)))}{0.5 \cdot 2\text{m} \cdot 18\text{kN/m}^3}$$



4) Cohesion of Soil given Net Ultimate Bearing Capacity for General Shear Failure 

$$fx \quad C = \frac{q_{nu} - ((\sigma_s \cdot (N_q - 1)) + (0.5 \cdot B \cdot \gamma \cdot N_\gamma))}{N_c}$$

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$$ex \quad 1.366667kPa = \frac{87kN/m^2 - ((45.9kN/m^2 \cdot (2.0 - 1)) + (0.5 \cdot 2m \cdot 18kN/m^3 \cdot 1.6))}{9}$$

5) Effective Surcharge given Net Ultimate Bearing Capacity for General Shear Failure 

$$fx \quad \sigma_s = \frac{q_{nu} - ((C \cdot N_c) + (0.5 \cdot B \cdot \gamma \cdot N_\gamma))}{N_q - 1}$$

Open Calculator 

$$ex \quad 46.77kN/m^2 = \frac{87kN/m^2 - ((1.27kPa \cdot 9) + (0.5 \cdot 2m \cdot 18kN/m^3 \cdot 1.6))}{2.0 - 1}$$

6) Net Ultimate Bearing Capacity for General Shear Failure 

$$fx \quad q_{nu} = (C \cdot N_c) + (\sigma_s \cdot (N_q - 1)) + (0.5 \cdot B \cdot \gamma \cdot N_\gamma)$$

Open Calculator 

$$ex \quad 86.13kN/m^2 = (1.27kPa \cdot 9) + (45.9kN/m^2 \cdot (2.0 - 1)) + (0.5 \cdot 2m \cdot 18kN/m^3 \cdot 1.6)$$

7) Unit Weight of Soil under Strip Footing for General Shear Failure 

$$fx \quad \gamma = \frac{q_{nu} - ((C \cdot N_c) + (\sigma_s \cdot (N_q - 1)))}{0.5 \cdot B \cdot N_\gamma}$$

Open Calculator 

$$ex \quad 18.54375kN/m^3 = \frac{87kN/m^2 - ((1.27kPa \cdot 9) + (45.9kN/m^2 \cdot (2.0 - 1)))}{0.5 \cdot 2m \cdot 1.6}$$

8) Width of Strip Footing given Net Ultimate Bearing Capacity 

$$fx \quad B = \frac{q_{nu} - ((C \cdot N_c) + (\sigma_s \cdot (N_q - 1)))}{0.5 \cdot \gamma \cdot N_\gamma}$$

Open Calculator 

$$ex \quad 2.060417m = \frac{87kN/m^2 - ((1.27kPa \cdot 9) + (45.9kN/m^2 \cdot (2.0 - 1)))}{0.5 \cdot 18kN/m^3 \cdot 1.6}$$



Local Shear Failure

9) Bearing Capacity Factor Dependent on Cohesion for Case of Local Shear Failure

$$fx \quad N_c = \frac{q_{nu} - ((\sigma_s \cdot (N_q - 1)) + (0.5 \cdot B \cdot \gamma \cdot N_\gamma))}{\left(\frac{2}{3}\right) \cdot C}$$

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$$ex \quad 14.52756 = \frac{87\text{kN/m}^2 - ((45.9\text{kN/m}^2 \cdot (2.0 - 1)) + (0.5 \cdot 2\text{m} \cdot 18\text{kN/m}^3 \cdot 1.6))}{\left(\frac{2}{3}\right) \cdot 1.27\text{kPa}}$$

10) Bearing Capacity Factor Dependent on Surcharge for Case of Local Shear Failure

$$fx \quad N_q = \left(\frac{q_{nu} - (((\frac{2}{3}) \cdot C \cdot N_c) + (0.5 \cdot B \cdot \gamma \cdot N_\gamma))}{\sigma_s} \right) + 1$$

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$$ex \quad 2.101961 = \left(\frac{87\text{kN/m}^2 - (((\frac{2}{3}) \cdot 1.27\text{kPa} \cdot 9) + (0.5 \cdot 2\text{m} \cdot 18\text{kN/m}^3 \cdot 1.6))}{45.9\text{kN/m}^2} \right) + 1$$

11) Bearing Capacity Factor Dependent on Unit Weight for Case of Local Shear Failure

$$fx \quad N_\gamma = \frac{q_{nu} - (((\frac{2}{3}) \cdot C \cdot N_c) + (\sigma_s \cdot (N_q - 1)))}{0.5 \cdot B \cdot \gamma}$$

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$$ex \quad 1.86 = \frac{87\text{kN/m}^2 - (((\frac{2}{3}) \cdot 1.27\text{kPa} \cdot 9) + (45.9\text{kN/m}^2 \cdot (2.0 - 1)))}{0.5 \cdot 2\text{m} \cdot 18\text{kN/m}^3}$$

12) Cohesion of Soil given Net Ultimate Bearing Capacity for Local Shear Failure

$$fx \quad C = \frac{q_{nu} - ((\sigma_s \cdot (N_q - 1)) + (0.5 \cdot B \cdot \gamma \cdot N_\gamma))}{\left(\frac{2}{3}\right) \cdot N_c}$$

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$$ex \quad 2.05\text{kPa} = \frac{87\text{kN/m}^2 - ((45.9\text{kN/m}^2 \cdot (2.0 - 1)) + (0.5 \cdot 2\text{m} \cdot 18\text{kN/m}^3 \cdot 1.6))}{\left(\frac{2}{3}\right) \cdot 9}$$




13) Effective Surcharge given Net Ultimate Bearing Capacity for Local Shear Failure 

$$fx \quad \sigma_s = \frac{q_{nu} - \left(\left(\frac{2}{3} \right) \cdot C \cdot N_c \right) + (0.5 \cdot B \cdot \gamma \cdot N_\gamma)}{N_q - 1}$$

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$$ex \quad 50.58 \text{ kN/m}^2 = \frac{87 \text{ kN/m}^2 - \left(\left(\frac{2}{3} \right) \cdot 1.27 \text{ kPa} \cdot 9 \right) + (0.5 \cdot 2 \text{ m} \cdot 18 \text{ kN/m}^3 \cdot 1.6)}{2.0 - 1}$$

14) Net Ultimate Bearing Capacity for Local Shear Failure 

$$fx \quad q_{nu} = \left(\left(\frac{2}{3} \right) \cdot C \cdot N_c \right) + (\sigma_s \cdot (N_q - 1)) + (0.5 \cdot B \cdot \gamma \cdot N_\gamma)$$

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$$ex \quad 82.32 \text{ kN/m}^2 = \left(\left(\frac{2}{3} \right) \cdot 1.27 \text{ kPa} \cdot 9 \right) + (45.9 \text{ kN/m}^2 \cdot (2.0 - 1)) + (0.5 \cdot 2 \text{ m} \cdot 18 \text{ kN/m}^3 \cdot 1.6)$$

15) Unit Weight of Soil under Strip Footing for Case of Local Shear Failure 

$$fx \quad \gamma = \frac{q_{nu} - \left(\left(\frac{2}{3} \right) \cdot C \cdot N_c \right) + (\sigma_s \cdot (N_q - 1))}{0.5 \cdot B \cdot N_\gamma}$$

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$$ex \quad 20.925 \text{ kN/m}^3 = \frac{87 \text{ kN/m}^2 - \left(\left(\frac{2}{3} \right) \cdot 1.27 \text{ kPa} \cdot 9 \right) + (45.9 \text{ kN/m}^2 \cdot (2.0 - 1))}{0.5 \cdot 2 \text{ m} \cdot 1.6}$$

16) Width of Footing given Net Ultimate Bearing Capacity for Local Shear Failure 

$$fx \quad B = \frac{q_{nu} - \left(\left(\frac{2}{3} \right) \cdot C \cdot N_c \right) + (\sigma_s \cdot (N_q - 1))}{0.5 \cdot \gamma \cdot N_\gamma}$$

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$$ex \quad 2.325 \text{ m} = \frac{87 \text{ kN/m}^2 - \left(\left(\frac{2}{3} \right) \cdot 1.27 \text{ kPa} \cdot 9 \right) + (45.9 \text{ kN/m}^2 \cdot (2.0 - 1))}{0.5 \cdot 18 \text{ kN/m}^3 \cdot 1.6}$$






Variables Used

- **B** Width of Footing (*Meter*)
- **c** Cohesion in Soil (*Pascal*)
- **C** Cohesion in Soil as Kilopascal (*Kilopascal*)
- **N_c** Bearing Capacity Factor dependent on Cohesion
- **N_q** Bearing Capacity Factor dependent on Surcharge
- **N_γ** Bearing Capacity Factor dependent on Unit Weight
- **q_{nu}** Net Ultimate BC (*Kilonewton per Square Meter*)
- **γ** Unit Weight of Soil (*Kilonewton per Cubic Meter*)
- **σ_s** Effective Surcharge in KiloPascal (*Kilonewton per Square Meter*)



Constants, Functions, Measurements used

- **Measurement: Length** in Meter (m)
Length Unit Conversion 
- **Measurement: Pressure** in Kilonewton per Square Meter (kN/m²), Kilopascal (kPa), Pascal (Pa)
Pressure Unit Conversion 
- **Measurement: Specific Weight** in Kilonewton per Cubic Meter (kN/m³)
Specific Weight Unit Conversion 



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