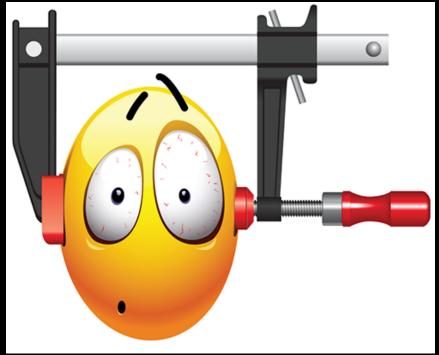


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# Can you Handle the Pressure?



#### What we are going to discuss today:

- What are 1, 2', 3', 4', 5', & 6'?
- The truth about dirt.
- The 3 S's

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# CTOSHA, VOSHA, MEOSHA, NYOSHA all have adopted OSHA Standards.

MA: Chapter 14 Section 6

RI: RI Gen. Laws Sec. 28-20-1 to 28-20-34)

NH: NH Stat. 281-A:64 and NH Regulations
-Labor (Lab) 603

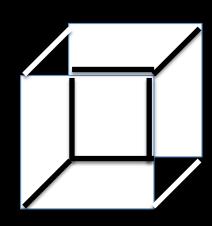


#### What are the 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, &6?

- 1. One Chance. One mistake will take your ONE LIFE.
- 2. Distance of the Spoil Pile from edge OSHA
- 3. Distance of the Spoil Pile from edge DAVE
- 4. Check Atmosphere for Hazards & Ladder REQUIRED.
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  - Slope It!, Shore It!, Shield It!
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#### Truth about Dirt!

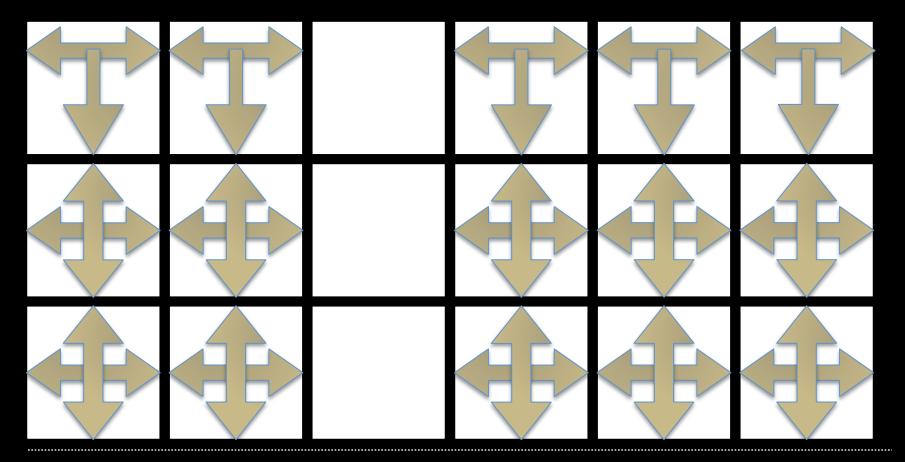
## On average:



1 cubic foot of soil weighs between 100-120 lbs.

1 cubic yard of soil weights between 2,700-3,240 lbs.

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#### A Cave In Usually Involves 2-3.5 Cubic Yards of Soil

Equal to dropping an F-150 pickup trucks on a worker.

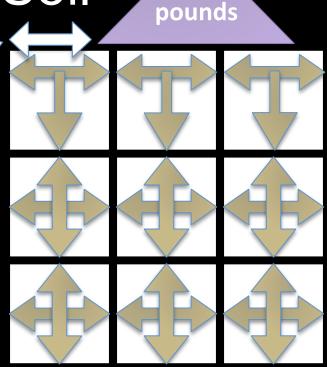
People don't die from being smothered they die from being crushed. Mechanics of Soil

## Mechanics of Soil

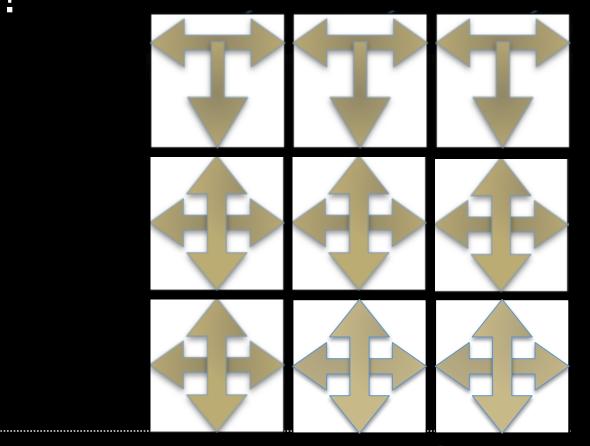
Spoil Pile:

-OSHA = 2

-Dave = 3'



# The Cave In!



## What causes a collapse?

- Stand Time
- Vibration
  - Traffic
  - Pile Driving
  - Blasting
  - Compaction
- Previously Disturbed

- Water
  - To Much
  - To Little
- Weight
  - Spoil Pile
  - Equipment
  - Traffic



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