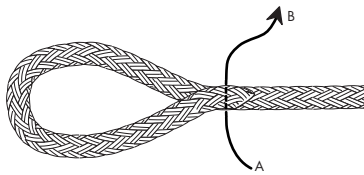


LOCK STITCH PROCEDURE

Material Required: Approximately 1/2 fid length of nylon or polyester whipping twine or rope approximately the same size of the strands in the rope you are stitch-locking.

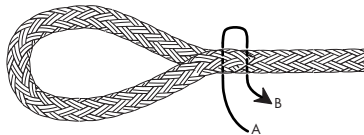
Step 1

Pass stitching through spliced area near throat of eye as shown.



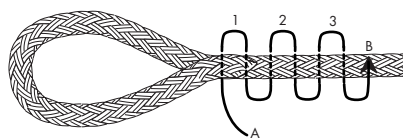
Step 2

Reinsert as shown pulling snug but not tight.



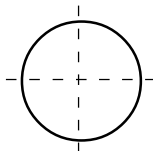
Step 3

Continue to reinsert as shown until you have at least 3 complete stitches.



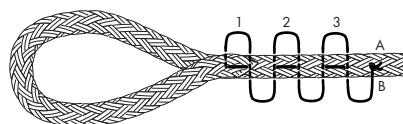
Step 4

After completing Step 3, rotate spliced part of rope 90° and reinsert end **A** into spliced area in the same area and in the same fashion as in Steps 1, 2 and 3. The splice will now be stitched on two planes perpendicular to each other.



Step 5

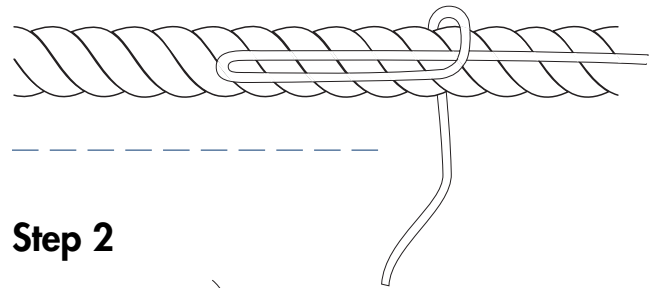
After stitching at least three complete stitches as in Step 3, extract both ends **A** and **B** together through the same opening in the braid. Tie them together with a square knot and reinsert back into braid.



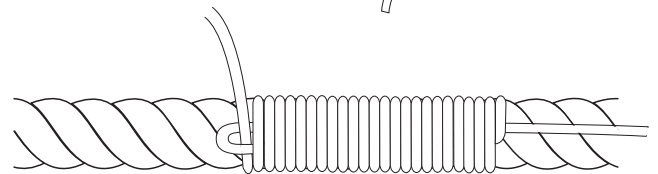
WHIPPING FINISHED SPLICE

Whip or seize the end of the spliced area with whipping twine for extra security and a professional touch.

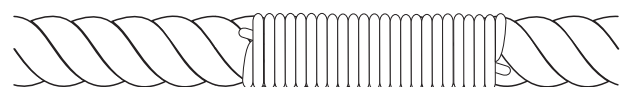
Step 1



Step 2



Step 3



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