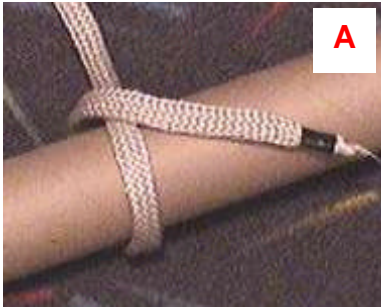


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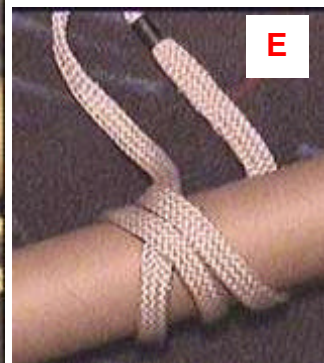
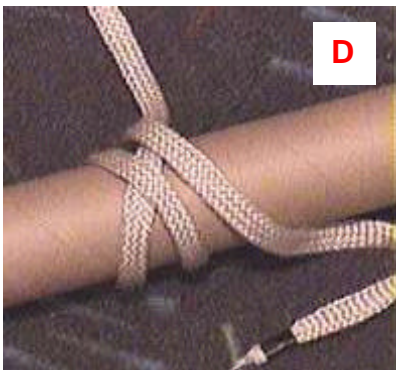
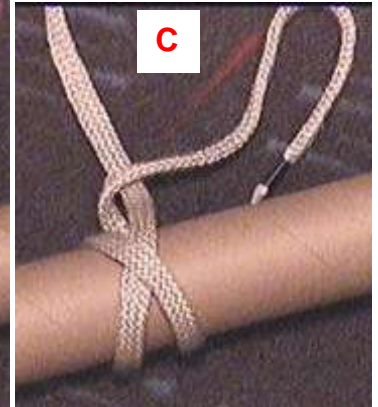
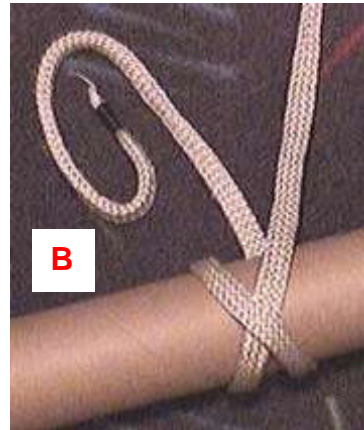
This is a useful knot for tying a rope to a pole. It can also be used to put a thin line around a much thicker piece of rope. This can be useful as it can allow several people to haul on the thin rope to free the thick rope that may be jammed in a winch or such like.

How to tie a Rolling Hitch



(A) Make a turn around a pole and bring the end up on the right side of the long standing part.

(B) - (C) Now take the end across the standing part and make another turn around the pole.

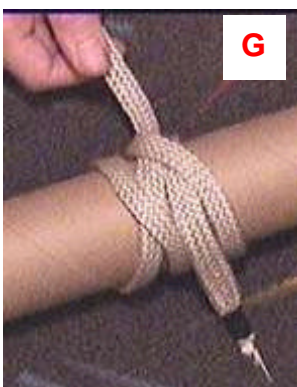


(D) - (E) Make the third turn beside the second and across the first.

(F) Tuck the working end under the third turn.



(G) - (H) Pull on the working end and the standing part to tighten the knot. Take the standing part over the first and second turns before applying strain to the rope. Note that it will only take strain in this direction.



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