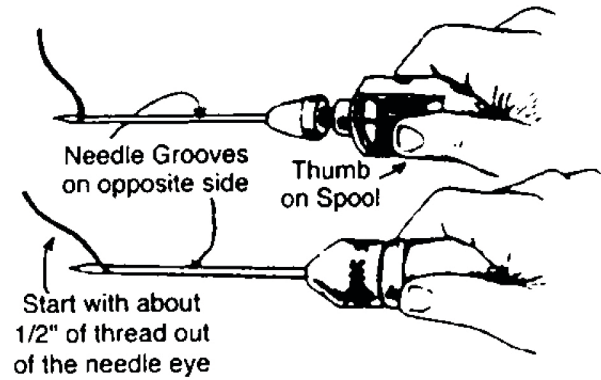


INSTRUCTIONS FOR LOCKSTITCH SEWING AWL KIT

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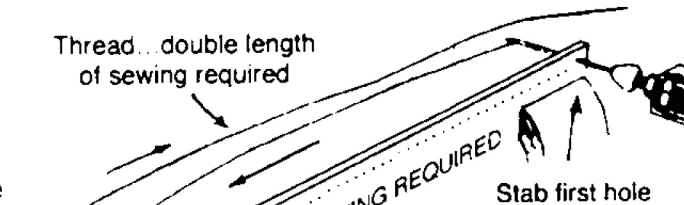
How to Thread Sewing Awl:

Remove screw holding thread spool. Remove spool and run end of thread through awl opening. Replace thread spool. Put needle in shank with groove on same side that thread comes off reel. Tighten shank with awl wrench while holding needle. When threading needle, be sure that thread follows groove on needle. Store awl wrench, needles and instructions in handle.

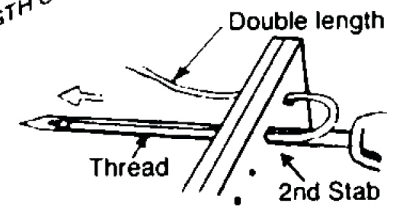


How to Stitch:

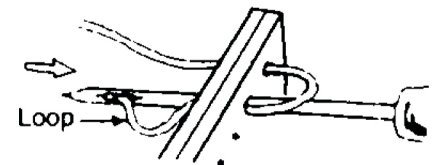
1. Pull about 1" of thread through needle. Hold forefinger firmly on reel so it will not turn, insert needle through material. You will notice a short thread end on the opposite side of material. Pull this thread out about 18" or twice the distance you will be sewing.



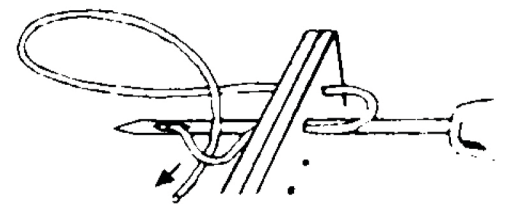
2. With loose thread end in one hand, grasp awl firmly with the other (Hold reel firmly with forefinger so it will not turn). Withdraw awl until there is about 1" of thread between the material and the needle point. In this position you will begin the second stitch.



3. Release awl and insert needle through at proper distance for width of stitch desired. Slowly withdraw needle partway holding finger on reel. This will form a loop on the opposite side of material.



Step 4. Insert loose thread end through loop holding reel firmly so it will not turn. Pull needle and thread with equal force in opposite directions to form the stitch. Sew with needle in the same position at all times. You have just completed the second stitch.



Step 5. Repeat Steps 3 and 4 until finished. Cut thread, knot and tuck loose ends from sight.

