

# Octoplait (8-strand) Eye Splice

LIROS-Polyester	Ref. 01047-01049
LIROS-Polyamid	Ref. 01058
LIROS-Polypropylen	Ref. 01078-01081

Splicing instruction no. 2





Tools needed.





Open the rope by levering a pair of strands away from the main part of the rope. On completion the rope should divide into 4 pairs of 2.





The “opened” rope.





Unravel the 4 pairs of strands.





Divide the opened strands (2x2 and 2x2).





Measure the size of loop required. Then lay half the strand over and the other half under the rope.





Insert the fid under two strands and feed the first pair through.







Using the second pair of strands insert them from the left under the next two strands.





Pull both pairs all the way through.





Turn the rope over through 180°.





Using the fid insert the two strands from the left under the two strands.





Pull them all the way through.





Again using the fid insert the 2 strands from the right under two neighbouring strands.





Make sure that the 4 pairs of strands are positioned exactly as per the picture.





Make four further tucks down the rope with the first pair of strands. On the last tuck divide the pair into single strands so the splice becomes tapered.







Follow the same procedure as 2.14 with the second pair of strands.





Repeat the procedures shown in 2.14 and 2.15 with the third and fourth pair of strands.





Trim the strands with a hot knife leaving approx. 4 mm protruding.





Photo showing the finished splice. The protruding ends will disappear once the rope is used under tension.

