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Square Lashing (Surrey Way)



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Tie a Constrictor Knot
round vertical spar



Take 3 turns round spars
keeping inside horizontal
rope



and outside vertical rope



Frap 3 times round middle
of lashing to tighten



(Finish off with a Rolling
Hitch reversed tied), take 1
rap through lashing rope



Take another turn through
lashing



Finish off with 1 more
locking turn outside knot

Notes

Used when tying one spar to another
Spars are not necessarily at 90 degrees to each other
Tighten lashing as you go, as very hard to tighten afterwards
The Surrey way was developed for using with synthetic ropes
which are more slippery than natural rope.

Chart No.
Square 1

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