Application No. 655: Clever needle threading

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Magnet as threading aid

A valuable tip

I am surprised that no one else shared this tip already: I had to get a thread through a seamed sail, for which I used a not too sharp needle. But how do I get the needle through the seam? Previously, I managed to do it with a lot of patience and effort by pushing together the fabric.



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But then I had a better idea: Why not use a magnet to pull the needle through the seam? I always have a few super magnets on the wall of my workshop, so I had the right one handy: a disc magnet S-15-08-N (www.supermagnete.fr/eng/S-15-08-N). It worked right away.



Other applications

This clever trick does not only work with sails, but also with clothing when, for instance, a waist band has been pulled out.



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Articles used

1 x S-15-08-N: Disc magnet Ø 15 mm, height 8 mm (www.supermagnete.fr/eng/S-15-08-N)

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