

Pot Cot Instructions

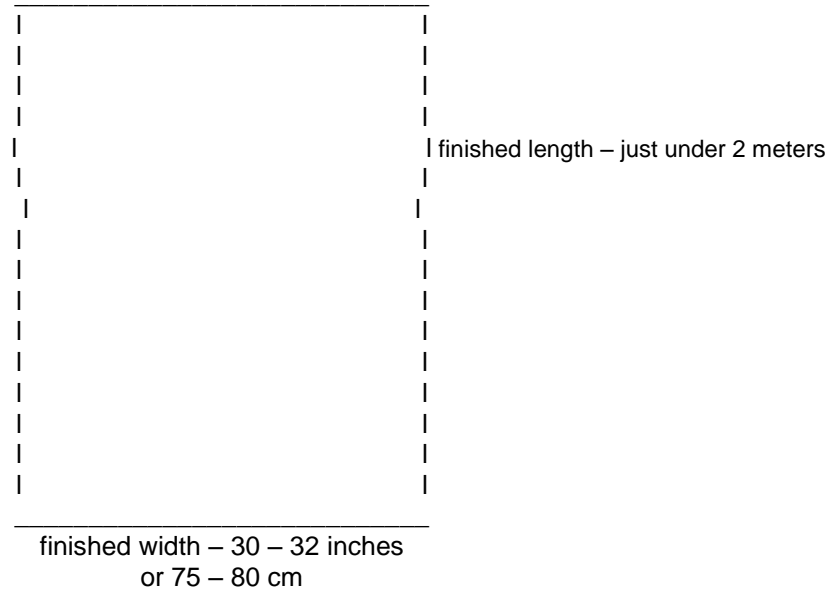
When camping, I use a pot cot, which looks like a hammock, for drying the pots and pans, and other kitchen utensils. It's instead of a dish bag for pots. I hang it between trees, or between posts of shelters, etc. It is made from nylon / polyester mesh which dries very quickly. Using a pot cot gives much more table room, and is a convenient place for big items to dry.

Materials needed:

2 meters nylon or polyester mesh fabric at least 1.5 m wide

8 to 10 meters poly rope – divided evenly into 2 parts

Thread



Directions

Fold the material in half lengthwise. Zigzag down both sides of the material. Zigzagging gives the pot cot stability. Fold over the ends of the material, about 2 cm or 1 inch, and sew to make a tube for the poly rope to go through. Seal the ends of the rope with heat. Thread the rope through the band created. This leaves long ends of rope available to tie the pot cot to trees, posts, etc.

Storage

After camp, I tie the ropes and put the pot cot in the washer and dryer. It comes out like new every time. I fold mine lengthwise into 4, and roll it, and wrap one end of rope around it. It condenses into a tube about 9 inches long by inches across. I have used the same pot cot for many years. It is still like new. Enjoy making and using one for yourself.

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