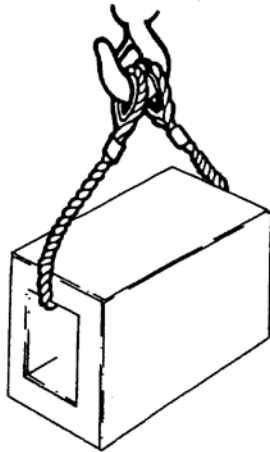


SAFE WORK PRACTICES

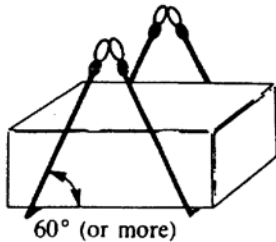
BASKET & BRIDLE SLING HITCHES

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BASKET HITCH

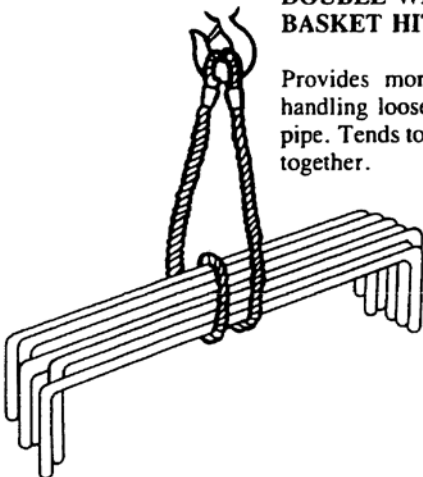
Provides relatively good control and eliminates the tendency of the load to twist compared to vertical hitch. Do not use on a load that is difficult to balance.



DOUBLE BASKET HITCH

Balance loads by keeping slings apart. Prevent sling slippage by keeping the angle between load and sling 60° or more.

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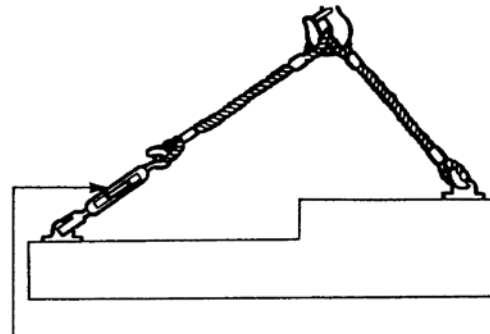


DOUBLE WRAP BASKET HITCH

Provides more contact for handling loose material and pipe. Tends to draw the load together.

BRIDLE HITCH

Made up of 2, 3 or 4 single leg hitches. For hoisting an object that has lifting lugs or attachments. Position hook over load centre of gravity.



Adjust sling leg lengths with turnbuckles to level raised load.

Check each sling leg angle to ensure sling is not overloaded.

SLING ANGLES

The angle affects the working load limit.

