



# SEWING TECHNIQUES



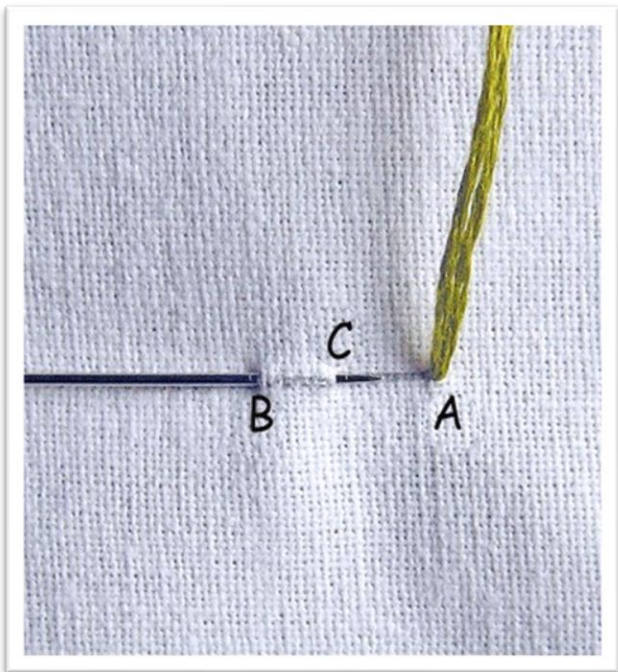
# Split Stitch

**Stitch Category:** Line stitch, Looped stitch, Woven stitch

**Used in:** Surface embroidery - outlining and filling, Needlepoint

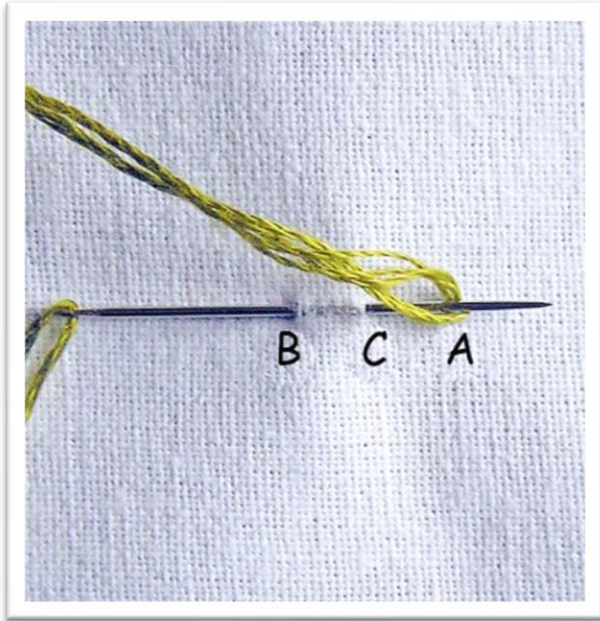
**You need to know:** Stem Stitch, Outline Stitch

**T**his stitch is more or less similar to the Split Back Stitch. The Split Stitch was very popular during the medieval ages in England and was used to filling patterns. More layers of thread were used and split through during each stitch making it a quicker way to fill. So, use more strands of thread for this

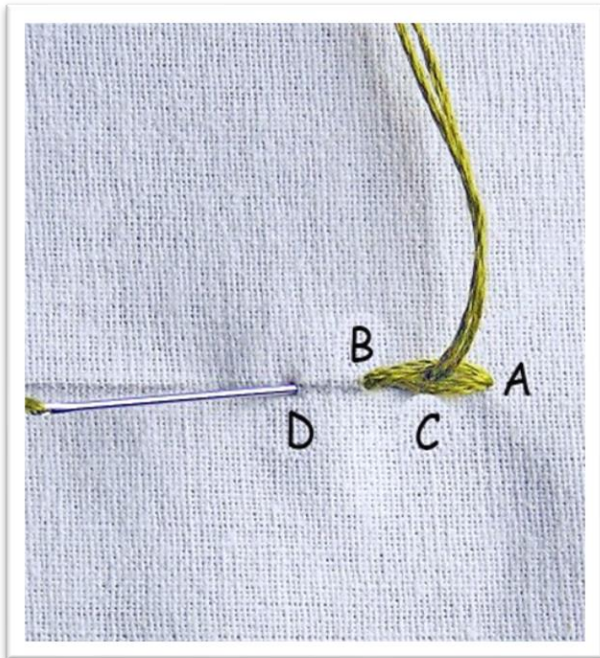


1. Bring out the needle out through **A** and put it in through **B**, and out through.

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2. While pulling out the thread through **C**, take it in between the thread, splitting it into two.



3. Again, put the needle in through **D** to bring it out through **B**, splitting the thread.

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4. Continue this procedure to finish the stitch. The only thing to keep in mind is to split the thread when bringing the needle out.

## REFERENCES:

- <https://www.embroidery.rocksea.org/images/embroidery/Lesson2-Printable-resource.pdf>