

2.1 BRAID DOUBLE PIPING

Method 1

This method involves using only one strip of fabric for encasing both lengths of piping cord.

1. Cut a bias strip approx. 6 cms wide for a standard size piping cord, joining lengths as required
2. Fold the fabric strip over the first length of cord as shown in **Diagram 9**, sewing tightly up to it. Trim away the excess seam allowance.

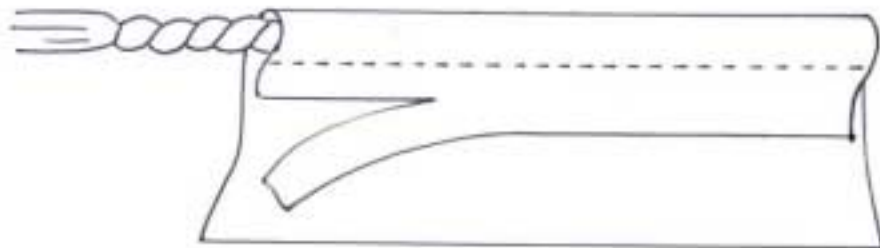
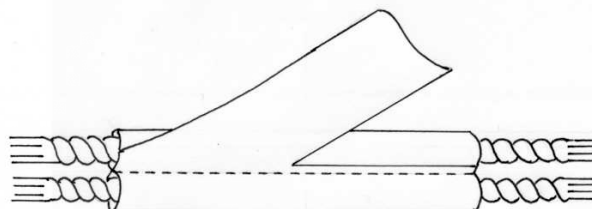


Diagram 9



3. Fold the remaining fabric over another piece of cord. Turn the cording over to the right side holding the fabric in position firmly. From the top side, sew the layers together along the original line of sewing. You will need to take care that only one line of sewing is visible. Trim away the excess fabric on the reverse so that it is not visible from the front. See **Diagrams 10 and 11**.



Wrong side
double
piping

Diagram 10

