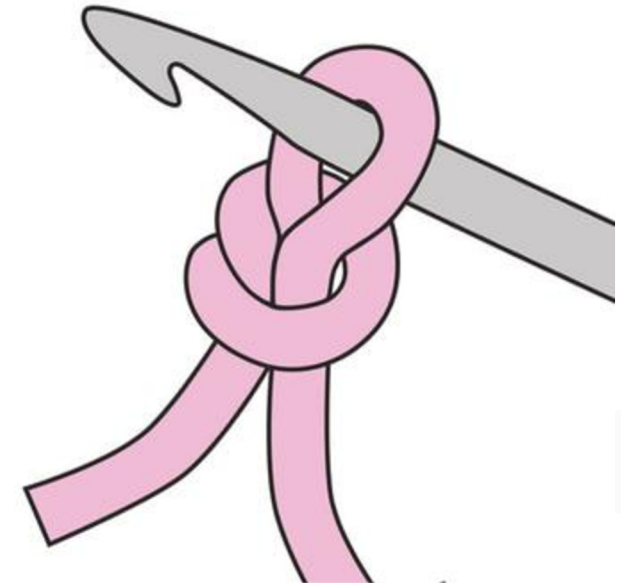


Making a Slipknot

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- 1 Make a finger gun with your non-dominant hand
 - Your thumb should stand directly upwards
 - Your index finger should point straight forwards
 - The remaining three fingers should be folded against the palm



The end of the yarn is called the **tail**

The yarn that leads to the ball is called the **working yarn**.

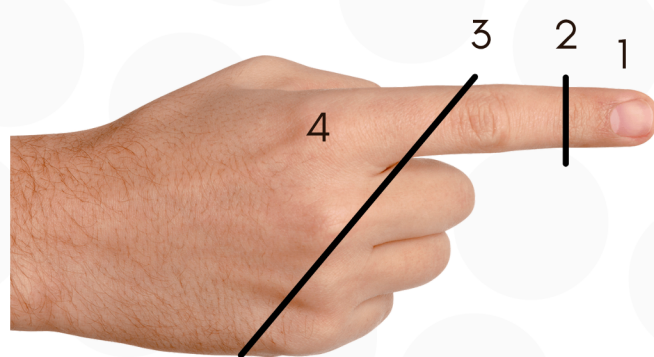
- 2 Hold the **tail** in your three fingers, allowing it to hang down by approximately two inches and drape the **working yarn** over the index finger in a diagonal in the direction of the index fingernail.
- 3 Wrap the working yarn around the index finger and cross it back over in the opposite direction, forming a cross on the underside of your finger
- 4 Allow the working yarn to fall down the back of the hand
- 5 Wrap the working yarn back round to the palm, holding it in the three fingers to secure.



Turn your hand over

You now have your:

1. Fingernail
2. Front loop
3. Back loop
4. Knuckle



The hook has a:

1. Short side
2. Long side
3. Handle



- 1 Take your hook in your dominant hand and place the **short side** on your **fingernail**, pointing towards the **knuckle**.
- 2 Slide the hook down your finger, towards the knuckle, going **under** the front loop and **over** the back loop.
- 3 Pull the back loop back under the front loop
- 4 Rotate your hook so the **short side** is on top and release your finger, keeping both ends in your hand

