

Bumble Bee

Crochet Pattern

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Materials:

- Crochet hook to match the yarn size.
- Yarn:
 - Yellow
 - Black
 - White
- Large eye yarn needle
- Safety eyes (optional)
- Scissors
- Toy filling

Notes:

- Includes fastening off and reattaching. Working in the round.

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Body:

With yellow yarn, make a magic ring.

R1: 6 sc into ring (6 sts).

R2: 2 sc in each st around (12 sts)

R3: *sc in next st, Inc in next st* repeat from * to * around (18 sts)

R4-5: Sc in each st around (18 sts)

Change to black in the last stitch.

R6-7: With black, sc in each st around.

Change to yellow in the last stitch.

R8-11: With yellow, sc in each st around (18 sts)

Change to black in last stitch

R12: With black, sc in each st around. (18 sts)

Insert safety eyes between R2-3, 8 sts apart. If you are embroidering the eyes this can be done either now or at the end.

Stuff body with toy stuffing and continue stuffing as you go.

R13: *sc in next st, dec* Repeat from * to * around (12 sts)

R14: Dec around (6 sts).

R15: Dec around (3 sts).

Fasten off, leaving a long tail end for sewing.

Be sure not to overstuff the bee as the stuffing will show through the stitches. Sew the end closed and weave in the tail end.

Wings (make 2)

Make a magic ring with white yarn.

R1: Inside the ring, work: sc, hdc, dc, 3 tr, dc, hdc, sc. Cut yarn, leaving some length for sewing.

Knot the two wings' tail ends together and then sew them to the top middle of the bee.

Weave in the ends.