

Bee Shofi Pattern



Materials Needed & Measurements

- **Yarn:**
 - **White:** Alize Cotton Gold (Color 55, 330m/100g, 55% cotton, 45% acrylic)
 - **Black:** Alize Cotton Gold (Color 60, 330m/100g, 55% cotton, 45% acrylic)
 - **Yellow:** YarnArt Jeans (Color 33, 160m/50g, 55% cotton, 45% acrylic)
 - Threads for embroidery (Black, White, Pink)
- **Hook Size:** 2.25 mm or as suitable for your chosen yarn.
- **Safety Eyes:** 6 mm
- **Needle:** For sewing parts together.
- **Fiberfill:** For stuffing.

Abbreviations (US Terminology):

- **MR:** Magic Ring
- **R:** Row

- **sc:** Single Crochet
- **inc:** Invisible Increase (2 sc in one stitch)
- **dec:** Invisible Decrease (combine two stitches into one)
- **sl st:** Slip Stitch
- **st:** Stitch
- **(...)*:** Repeat the instructions in brackets as specified.

Special Stitches

- **Invisible Color Change:** To create a smooth transition between colors, complete the last yarn over of the previous stitch with the new color.

Step-by-Step Instructions for the Bee Shofi Pattern:

Arms (Make 2)

- **Start with yellow yarn:**
 - R1: 6 sc in a magic ring (6).
 - R2: Work 6 inc (2 sc in each st) (12).
 - R3-4: 12 sc in each round (2 rounds total).
- **Switch to black yarn:**
 - R5-8: 12 sc in each round (4 rounds total).
- **Switch back to yellow yarn:**
 - R9-12: 12 sc in each round (4 rounds total).
- **Switch to black yarn again:**
 - R13-16: 12 sc in each round (4 rounds total).
- **Shape the arms:**
 - Fold the arm in half and crochet 6 sc through both layers to close it.
 - Fasten off, leaving a long tail for sewing.

Legs (Make 2)

- **Start with black yarn:**

- R1: 6 sc in a magic ring (6).
- R2: (1 sc, inc) around (9).
- R3: 9 sc.
- R4: (2 sc, inc) around (12).
- R5-6: 12 sc in each round (2 rounds total).
- **Shape and increase:**
 - R7: (3 sc, inc) around (15).
 - R8-9: 15 sc in each round (2 rounds total).
 - R10: (4 sc, inc) around (18).
 - R11-12: 18 sc in each round (2 rounds total).
- **Connecting the legs:**
 - On one leg, fasten off and cut the yarn.
 - Continue with the second leg, chaining 3 and joining it to the first leg with a sl st to begin the body.

Body

- **Begin working around both legs:**
 - R13: 18 sc around the first leg, 3 sc in the chain, 18 sc around the second leg, 3 sc in the chain (42).
- **Shape the body with alternating colors:**
 - R14: 42 sc.
 - R15: (6 sc, inc) around (48).
 - R16-17: 48 sc in each round.
 - Switch to **yellow** yarn.
- **Stripe pattern and decreasing rounds:**
 - Alternate between black and yellow every 3-4 rounds for stripes.
 - Gradually decrease as follows:

- (7 sc, dec) around → 48 sc.
- (6 sc, dec) around → 42 sc.
- (5 sc, dec) around → 36 sc.
- **Finish shaping:**
 - Continue decreasing until 18 sc remain.
 - Fasten off, leaving a long tail for sewing.
 - Stuff firmly with fiberfill as you go.

Head

- **Start with yellow yarn:**
 - R1: 6 sc in a magic ring (6).
 - R2: Work 6 inc (12).
 - R3: (1 sc, inc) around (18).
 - R4: (2 sc, inc) around (24).
 - R5: (3 sc, inc) around (30).
 - Continue increasing until R10 with 60 sc in total.
- **Shape the head:**
 - R11-17: 60 sc in each round (7 rounds total).
- **Begin decreasing:**
 - (8 sc, dec) around → 54 sc.
 - (7 sc, dec) around → 48 sc.
 - (6 sc, dec) around → 42 sc.
- **Final shaping:**
 - Continue decreasing until 18 sc remain.
 - Stuff firmly with fiberfill.
 - Leave a long tail for sewing.

Tendrils (Make 2)

- **Start with black yarn:**
 - R1: 6 sc in a magic ring (6).
 - R2: Work 6 inc (12).
 - R3-5: 12 sc in each round (3 rounds total).
 - R6: Work 6 dec (6 sc).
 - R7-11: 6 sc in each round (5 rounds total).
- **Finish:**
 - Leave a long tail for sewing.
 - Do not stuff the tendrils.

Wings (Make 2)

- **Start with white yarn:**
 - R1: 6 sc in a magic ring (6).
 - R2: Work 6 inc (12).
 - R3: (1 sc, inc) around (18).
 - R4: (2 sc, inc) around (24).
 - R5: (3 sc, inc) around (30).
- **Add height:**
 - R6-8: 30 sc in each round (3 rounds total).
- **Decrease and shape:**
 - R9: (3 sc, dec) around (24).
 - R10-12: 24 sc in each round (3 rounds total).
 - R13: (2 sc, dec) around (18).
 - R14-15: 18 sc in each round (2 rounds total).
- **Final shaping:**

- R16: (1 sc, dec) around (12).
- Fold the wings in half and crochet 6 sc through both layers.
- Fasten off and leave a long tail for sewing.

Assembly

- Attach tendrils to the top of the head.
- Sew the cheeks to the face and embroider the mouth, eyebrows, or other details.
- Attach the arms to the body between rows 28-29, ensuring they are evenly spaced.
- Secure the head to the body with the long tail left from the head.
- Sew the wings to the back of the body, positioning them symmetrically between rows 23-29.

With these detailed instructions, your bee will come to life!