

Q-BERT

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Materials

I love this yarn – Orange Neon

I love this yarn - White

12 mm Safety eyes

Size E crochet hook

Large eye blunt needle

Polyfiberfill

Abbreviations

SC - Single Crochet

Ch- Chain

INC - SC 2 stitches into same stitch

DEC – SC two stitches together

BLO - Back loops only

Gauge – Gauge is not important for this project, but if you are making it from the kit, you should use the right size needle to ensure you don't run out of yarn.

Notes:

Parentheses indicate a repeat. Repeat the stitches in the parentheses for the number of times indicated.

The bracketed number [] is the number of stitches at the end of each row.

I spread my increases out so there isn't a seam on the finished piece. If you do not like this method, you can do regular increases.

Crochet section is worked in partly in the round. Use a stitch marker or a scrap piece of yarn to mark the beginning of each row. Then you don't have to count every row. Do not join unless instructed to.

If you have any questions, please feel free to email me at drunkenauntwendy@gmail.com.

EYES (Make 2) – in white

The eyes are made by doing an oval increase. Sometime it helps to mark where your increases are going to go with a spare piece of contrasting yarn. Just note that the first row is worked on both sides of the starting chain.

Ch 4

Round 1: SC in 2nd Ch, SC in next stitch. 3 SC in last stitch. Working in the unused loops from the chain, SC 2, 3 SC in last chain. [10].

Round 2: 2 SC, 3 INC, 2 SC, 3 INC [16].

Fasten off. You will insert your 12 mm eyes through the white eyes and through the orange body when you insert them and sew them down.

BODY – in orange neon

Ch 2

Round 1: 6 SC in 2nd Ch from hook [6].

Round 2: INC in each stitch [12].

Round 3: (SC, INC) 6 times [18].

Round 4: (SC, INC, SC) 6 times [24].

Round 5: (3 SC, INC) 6 times [30].

Round 6: (2 SC, INC, 2 SC) 6 times [36].

Round 7: (5 SC, INC) 6 times [42].

Round 8: (3 SC, INC, 3 SC) 6 times [48].

Round 9: (7 SC, INC) 6 times [54].

Rounds 10-23: 14 rows SC [54 stitches per row].

Insert eyes.



Round 24: (7 SC, DEC) 6 times [48].

Round 25: (6 SC, DEC) 6 times [42].

Round 26: (5 SC, DEC) 6 times [36].

Round 27: (4 SC, DEC) 6 times [30].

Round 28: (3 SC, DEC) 6 times [24].

Start stuffing here.

Round 29: (2 SC, DEC) 6 times [18].

Round 30: (SC, DEC) 6 times [12].

Round 31: DEC 6 times [6].

Fasten off. Leave a piece for sewing.
Thread string through last 6 stitches and pull up tight to close opening.

SNOUT - in orange neon

When you make your initial chain stitch, use a long string.



Ch 2,

Round 1: 6 SC in 2nd Ch from hook [6].

Round 2: INC in each stitch [12].

Round 3: (SC, INC) 6 times [18].

Round 4: (SC, INC, SC) 6 times [24].

Round 5: SC in BLOs [24].



Round 6: (2 SC, DEC) 6 times [18].
Rounds 7-8: 2 rows SC [18 stitches per row].



Sew to the body.

Round 9: (SC, DEC) 6 times [12].
Rounds 10-11: 2 rows SC [12 stitches per row].
Round 12: DEC 6 times [6].
Round 13: SC row [6].



Fasten off and leave a long tail for sewing.

Pull initial string down to make the nose concave and secure it down.



FEET (Make 2) – in orange neon

Ch 5

Round 1: SC in 2nd Ch, SC in next 2 stitches. 3 SC in last stitch, working in the unused loops from the chain, SC 2, 3 SC in last chain. [12].



Round 2: 3 SC, 3 INC, 3 SC, 3 INC [18].

Round 3: 3 SC (SC, INC) 3 times, 3 SC (SC, INC) [24].

Round 4: SC in BLO [24].



Round 5: 2 SC, 5 DEC, 3 SC, 5 DEC, SC [14].

Round 6: SC row [14].

Stuff foot



Round 7: DEC 7 times [7].

Round 8: 5 SC, DEC [6].

Rounds 9-11: 3 rows SC [6 stitches per row].



Stuff legs firmly and sew to bottom of the body. The legs need to be stuffed firmly to make Q-Bert stand.