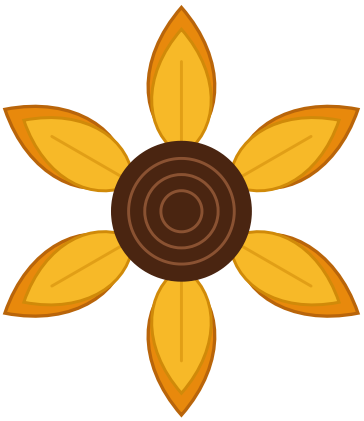
Mini Sunflower

NO-SEW CROCHET PATTERN

Free crochet pattern | Beginner friendly | No sew | Printable



SKILL LEVEL	TIME	SIZE	HOOK
Beginner	**About 30 minutes**	**About 7 cm**	**3 mm**

A small, puffy sunflower made from two brown centres and six pointed yellow petals. The petal round joins both centres as you go, so there's nothing to sew. Use it as a bag charm, a brooch or a little gift.

Before You Begin

Materials

Yarn	Cotton DK in brown (centre) and yellow (petals). A few grams of each, so leftovers are perfect.
Hook	3 mm crochet hook
Stuffing	A small pinch of cotton or toy stuffing
Tools	Yarn needle, scissors, stitch marker
Optional	Keyring or brooch pin for the back

Abbreviations (US terms)

ch	chain	**tr**	treble crochet (yarn over twice)
sl st	slip stitch	**inc**	increase: 2 sc in the same stitch
sc	single crochet	**st / sts**	stitch / stitches
dc	double crochet	**MR**	magic ring

Good to Know

- The centres are worked in a continuous spiral. Don't join the rounds. A stitch marker in the first stitch helps you count.
- You make two centres. The yellow petal round goes through both of them at once, and that is what joins them.
- tr here is the US treble crochet (UK double treble): yarn over twice before you insert the hook.
- Crochet a little tightly so the stuffing doesn't show and the petals stand up.

The Pattern

Part 1: Centre (brown) Make 2

Make 2 the same. Work in a continuous spiral, don't join the rounds.

	ROUND	INSTRUCTIONS	STS
☐	**Rnd 1**	6 **sc** in a magic ring.	**6**
☐	**Rnd 2**	**inc** in each st around.	**12**
☐	**Finish**	**sl st** in the next st and fasten off. Tuck the tail to the back. Make a second centre the same way.	**12**

Part 2: Petals (yellow)

The petals are worked through both centres at the same time. You will make 6 petals.

Join: Hold the two centres together, back sides facing each other and the stitches lined up. Insert your hook through one stitch of both centres and attach yellow with a sl st.

One petal:

1	**ch** 2
2	**dc** in the next st
3	**tr** in the same st
4	**ch** 1, **sl st** into the top of the **tr** (petal tip)
5	**tr** in the same st
6	**dc** in the same st
7	**ch** 2
8	**sl st** in the next st

Make 5 petals this way. Each petal uses 2 stitches of the centre (12 sts = 6 petals).

Stuff: Before the last petal, push a little cotton between the two centres through the open gap. Don't overfill.

Last petal: Make the 6th petal the same way and end with a sl st into the first sl st. Fasten off and weave in the ends.

Short version: ch 2, dc, tr, ch 1, sl st in tip, tr, dc (all in one st), ch 2, sl st in next st.

Finishing

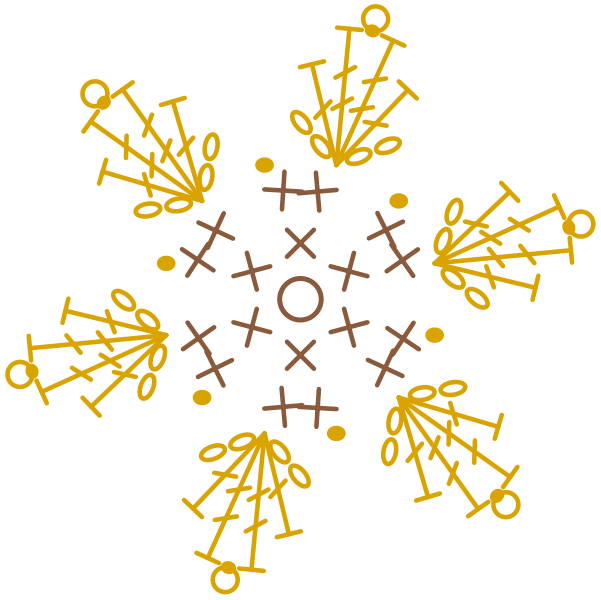
1. Weave in any ends you can still see, hiding them between the two centres.
2. Optional: thread a jump ring through the tip of one petal and add a keyring, or sew a brooch pin to the back.

Variations

Use white petals and a yellow centre for a daisy, or pink petals for a cosmos. For a bigger flower, add Rnd 3 to both centres, (sc, inc) x6 for 18 sts, and make 9 petals.

Round chart (crochet diagram)

One centre from the middle out, then the petal round.



○ magic ring × single crochet • slip stitch o chain ŧ double crochet

ŧ treble crochet o picot (chain and slip stitch at the tip)

Tested by me ✓ I made this sunflower myself before writing the pattern.