

Bumble Flower Beetle

Adults of the **bumble flower beetle** (*Euphoria inda*) are fairly large, slightly hairy beetles that are present in mid to late-summer. They are scavengers, most often observed at flowers (e.g., daylilies, large thistles) or visiting fermenting fruit. In hemp they have been observed to visit frothy ooze resulting from bacterial infection of wounded stalks; fermenting pollen may also be eaten.

Larvae of the bumble flower beetles are a type of white grub that develops in animal manure or compost.

Coleoptera: Scarabaeidae



Bumble flower beetles feeding on ooze from a tree.



Larvae of the bumble flower beetle, a type of white grub, develop in decaying manure and plant materials.