



C2C Temperature Blanket Make Along 2018

#C2CMA2018

Pattern Version 4 & Color Chart

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Version Control

Version 4 – Changed point at which diagonal is kept constant. Now changed to 145 days.

Size of blanket changed accordingly to 145 pixels x 220 pixels.

Version 3 – Stitch count corrected, Rows 121 and 122.

Version 2 – Stitch count corrected.

Version 1 – Original.

Materials

35 x Scheepjes Maxi Sweet Treat (100% Cotton; 140m/25g) or
Scheepjes Maxi Sugar Rush (100% Cotton; 280m/50g).

Yarn amounts per color will depend on your color placement and gauge.

2.5mm (US 4) hook

Gauge

10cm x 10cm = 11 C2C pixels

The blanket is 145 pixels wide by 220 pixels high

Size

The estimated size of the blanket with the given gauge is 130cm (53inch) x 200cm (82inch)

Abbreviations

Please note that US Crochet Terminology is used for this pattern.

- ss – slip stitch
 - s – stitch
 - ch – chain
 - dc – double crochet
 - RS – right side
 - WS – wrong side
 - pixel – ch3 and 3dc worked into a ch3-space
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Color Placement

Use the color for each round according to the temperature chart guide and the recorded temperature of your location of choice. Tip: Use the empty color chart provided to keep track of the temperature in your home town and the color that corresponds to each row.

Note

This pattern is written for a year which does not contain a leap-day, i.e. February 29th. If you are using this pattern for a leap year, stop one day earlier with part 1, i.e. on May 24th. The remainder of the pattern is unchanged.

Color Chart

Temperature (°C)	Temperature (°F)	Color number – name Scheepjes Maxi Sweet Treat (140m/50g) or Maxi Sugar Rush (280m/50g)
-5 or less	23 or less	110 – Jet Black
-4	24-25	124 – Ultramarine
-3	26-27	244 – Spruce
-2	28	391 – Deep Ocean Green
-1	29-30	242 – Metal Grey
0	31-32	261 – Capri Blue
1	33-34	247 – Bluebird
2	35-36	510 – Sky Blue
3	37	397 – Cyan
4	38-39	253 – Tropic
5	40-41	514 – Jade
6	42-43	212 – Sage Green
7	44-45	606 – Grass Green
8	46	412 – Forest Green
9	47-48	389 – Apple Green
10	49-50	513 – Spring Green
11	51-52	245 – Green Yellow
12	53-54	154 – Gold
13	55	392 – Lime Juice
14	56-57	404 – English Tea
15	58-59	403 – Lemonade
16	60-61	249 – Saffron
17	62-63	280 – Lemon
18	64	208 – Yellow Gold
19	65-66	411 – Sweet Orange
20	67-68	281 – Tangerine
21	69-70	386 – Peach
22	71-72	189 – Royal Orange
23	73	252 – Watermelon
24	74-75	390 – Poppy Rose
25	76-77	115 – Hot Red
26	78-79	413 – Cherry
27	80-81	192 – Scarlet
28	82	517 – Ruby
29	83-84	128 – Tyrian Purple
30	85-86	394 – Shadow Purple
31	87-88	240 – Amethyst
32	89-90	776 – Antique Rose
33	91	179 – Topaz
34	92-93	254 – Moon Rock
35 or more	94 or more	162 – Black Coffee

Pattern

Work the blanket in 3 distinct stages as shown in the diagram; (1) start with increasing the diagonal of the blanket from 1 January to 25 May, (2) keep the diagonal constant and increase only the length of the blanket from 26 May to 9 August, and (3) decrease the diagonal of the blanket from 10 August to 31 December.

Part 1: Increasing the diagonal

In the first part of the pattern increase the diagonal till the width of the main part of the blanket is reached.

Row 1 (RS)

The color for Row 1 corresponds to January 1st, 2018. Ch6, 1dc in fourth ch from the hook and in each of the next 2 ch to the end. Turn your work.
[1 pixel]

Row 2 (WS)

ch6, 1dc in fourth ch from the hook and in each of the next 2 ch to complete a pixel. With the WS of pixel 1 facing and the RS of the pixel of Row 2 just worked facing, line up the top of the dc just worked with the top of the dc's of from Row 1 so that the 2 pixels are touching, ss in the space created by the ch3 at the top of pixel of Row 1. Ch3, 3dc in ch3-space. Turn your work. [2 pixels]

Row 3 (RS)

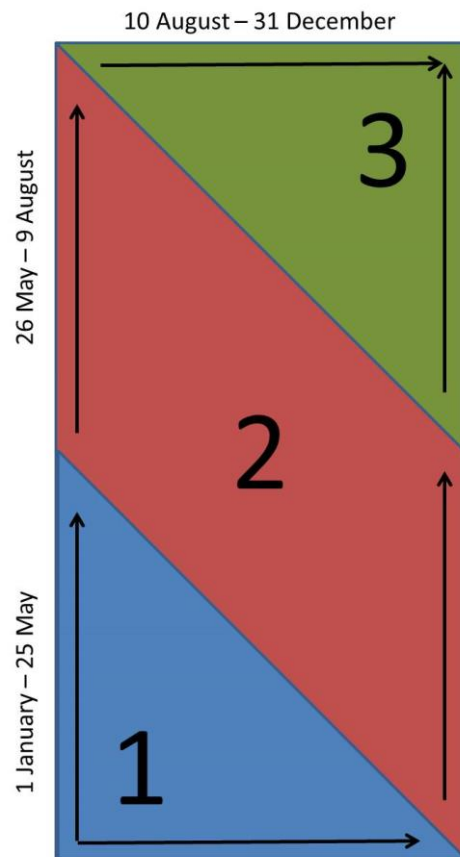
ch6, 1dc in fourth ch from the hook and in each of the next 2 ch to complete a pixel. Rotate the pixel just worked so that you can ss in the ch3-space at the top of the last block worked from Row 2. Ch3, 3dc in same ch3-space as the ss, ss in ch3-space at the top of the next pixel, ch3, 3dc in the same ch3-space as the ss. Turn your work. [3 pixels]

Row 4

ch6, 1dc in fourth ch from the hook and in each of the next 2 ch to complete a pixel. Rotate the pixel just worked so that you can ss in the ch3-space at the top of the last block worked from the previous row. *Ch3, 3dc in same ch3-space as the ss, ss in ch3-space at the top of the next pixel. Repeat from * until you have worked a ss in the ch3-space of the last block of the previous row. Ch3, 3dc in the same ch3-space as the ss. Turn your work. [1 pixels more than the previous row]

Rows 5 – 145

Repeat Row 4 using the appropriate colors for each row.
The color for Row 145 corresponds to May 25th, 2018.



Part 2: Constant diagonal

In this part the diagonal is kept constant. This means that the number of pixels per row is the same for each row. At this point you should have 145 pixels on your diagonal.

Row 146

The color for Row 146 corresponds to May 26th, 2018. Turn your work, ss into the next stitches and into the ch3-space. *Ch3, 3dc in same ch3-space as the ss, ss in ch3-space at the top of the next pixel. Repeat from * until you have worked a ss in the ch3-space of the last block of the previous row. Ch3, 3dc in the same ch3-space as the ss. Turn your work. [145 pixels]

Row 147

Ch6, 1dc in fourth ch from the hook and in each of the next 2 ch to complete a pixel. Rotate the pixel just worked so that you can ss in the ch3-space at the top of the last block worked from the previous row. *Ch3, 3dc in same ch3-space as the ss, ss in ch3-space at the top of the next pixel. Repeat from * until you have worked a ss in the ch3-space of the last block of the previous row. Do not work a pixel on top of the last pixel from the previous row. [145 pixels]

Rows 148 - 220

Repeat Rows 146 and 147 using the appropriate colors for each row. Row 220 is the last row at which the diagonal is kept constant.

The color for Row 220 corresponds to August 9th, 2018.

Part 3: Decreasing the diagonal

In this part of the pattern the diagonal is decreased to form the last corner of the rectangle.

Row 221

The color for Row 221 corresponds to August 10th, 2018. Turn your work, ss into the next stitches and into the ch3-space. *Ch3, 3dc in same ch3-space as the ss. ss in ch3-space at the top of the next pixel. Repeat from * until you have worked a ss in the ch3-space of the last block of the previous row. Turn your work without working on top of the last pixel. [1 pixels less than the previous row]

Rows 222 - 365

Repeat Row 221 using the appropriate colors for each row.

The color for Row 365 corresponds to December 31st, 2018.

Border (Optional)

Calculate the average temperature for your home town for 2018 based on all the temperatures you worked during the year. Work the border in the average temperature color.

Row 1

*(sc, ch2, sc) in the corner of any pixel at the corner of the blanket. ** ch3, skip the next pixel, sc between two pixels. ** Repeat from ** to ** till the last pixel, ch3, skip to the corner pixel. * Repeat from * to * 3 more times. Close with a ss to the first s. ss to corner ch2-space.

Row 2

(ch3, dc, ch2, 2dc) in ch2-space. *skip next sc, 3dc in next ch3-space * Repeat from * to * till the last ch3-space, skip last sc.

*(2dc, ch2, 2dc) in ch2-space. ** skip next sc, 3dc in next ch3-space. ** Repeat from ** to ** till the last ch3-space, skip last sc. * Repeat from * to * 2 more times. Close to ch3 with ss. ss to ch2-space.

Row 3

(ch3, dc, ch2, 2dc) in ch2-space. 1dc in every s to end. *(2dc, ch2, 2dc) in ch2-space. 1dc in every s to end. * Repeat from * to * 2 more times. Close to ch3 with ss. ss to ch2-space.

Row 4

Repeat Row 3. Close Row 4 with an invisible join.

Finishing

Weave away all remaining yarn tails. Block your blanket for best results.

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