



Pattern Version 3

#Fade2020

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# Version Control

Version 1 – Original.

Version 2 – Yarn composition corrected

Version 3 – Gauge calculation corrected

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## Materials

8 x Scheepjes Metropolis (75% Merino extra fine / 25% Nylon; 200m/50g). Yarn amounts per color will depend on your color placement and gauge.

3mm (US D) hook

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## Gauge and Size

Make a swatch using 25 rows of the pattern. Measure both short sides, and average the length to get a better estimate of the length of the edge. Multiply the length of the edge by 7.3, for the size of the blanket.

Based on my swatch with 25 rows which is 13cm, my blanket will be about 95cm.

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## Abbreviations

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

- st(s) – stitch(s)
  - ch – chain
  - sc – single crochet
  - sc2tog – 2 single crochet sts worked together
  - sc3tog – 3 single crochet sts worked together
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# Color Charts

The Scheepjes Metropolis yarn has many colors, which makes it possible to make several fades. I am using the pink fade, but maybe you like one of the other fades more. Feel free to make your own fade or choose one of my suggestions.

## Precious Pink Fade

							
24	61	52	60	51	54	55	53
< 0°C	0.1 – 5.0	5.1 – 10.0	10.1 – 15.0	15.1 – 20.0	20.1 – 25.0	25.1 – 30.0	> 30.1°C
< 31°F	32 – 40	41 – 50	51 – 59	60 – 68	69 – 77	78 – 86	> 87°F

## Bubbly Blue Fade

							
19	9	14	5	4	3	2	1
< 0°C	0.1 – 5.0	5.1 – 10.0	10.1 – 15.0	15.1 – 20.0	20.1 – 25.0	25.1 – 30.0	> 30.1°C
< 31°F	32 – 40	41 – 50	51 – 59	60 – 68	69 – 77	78 – 86	> 87°F

## Graceful Green Fade

							
23	21	29	28	32	31	27	16
< 0°C	0.1 – 5.0	5.1 – 10.0	10.1 – 15.0	15.1 – 20.0	20.1 – 25.0	25.1 – 30.0	> 30.1°C
< 31°F	32 – 40	41 – 50	51 – 59	60 – 68	69 – 77	78 – 86	> 87°F

# Color Placement

Use the color for each row according to the temperature chart guide and the recorded temperature of your location of choice. Use the empty color chart provided to keep track of the temperature in your home town and the color that corresponds to each row. I use the maximum day temperature for my blanket, but you could use the minimum, maximum, or average temperatures.

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## *note*

The number of single crochet stitches increases every row up to half the year, after which the stitch count is decreased every row. In the temperature recording table, I give the stitch count for each row.

In the pattern a ch1 is used to turn. With the turn it is assumed that you are using the same color. If you need to change color because of a change in the weather, use the last yarn over of the single crochet of the previous row to change color.

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# Pattern for a leap year

## Row 1

The color for Row 1 corresponds to the temperature for January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2020.

Ch2, 1sc in first ch. Turn. [1 sc]

## Row 2

Ch1 (does not count as a st throughout), 3sc. Turn. [3 sc]

## Row 3

Ch1 (does not count as a st throughout), 2sc in first st, 1sc in next st, 2sc in last st. Turn. [5 sc]

## Row 4

Ch1, 2sc in first st, 1sc in next 3 sts, 2sc in last st. Turn. [7 sc]

## Row 5

Ch1, 2sc in first st, 1sc in next st till 1 st left, 2sc in last st. Turn. [9 sc]

## Row 6 – Row 183

Repeat row 5 up to and including July 1<sup>st</sup>. On July 1<sup>st</sup>, you will have worked 183 rows, and have 365 sc sts. This is the maximum point of the blanket.

## Row 184

This row is worked because 2020 is a leap year, and corresponds to July 2<sup>nd</sup>.

Ch1, 1sc in each st to end. Turn. [365 sc]

## Row 185

Row 185 corresponds to July 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2020, and is the start of the decrease of the blanket.

Ch1, sc2tog over first 2 sts, 1sc in next st till 2 sts left, sc2tog over last 2 sts. Turn. [363 sts]

## Row 186 – Row 365

Repeat row 185 up to and including December 30<sup>th</sup>. On December 30<sup>th</sup>, you will have worked 365 rows, and have 3 sc sts left.

## Row 366

Ch1, sc3tog over the 3 sts. Fasten off. [1 st]

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# Pattern for a normal year

## Row 1

The color for Row 1 corresponds to the temperature for January 1<sup>st</sup>.

Ch2, 1sc in first ch. Turn. [1 sc]

## Row 2

Ch1 (does not count as a st throughout), 3sc. Turn. [3 sc]

## Row 3

Ch1 (does not count as a st throughout), 2sc in first st, 1sc in next st, 2sc in last st. Turn. [5 sc]

## Row 4

Ch1, 2sc in first st, 1sc in next 3 sts, 2sc in last st. Turn. [7 sc]

## Row 5

Ch1, 2sc in first st, 1sc in next st till 1 st left, 2sc in last st. Turn. [9 sc]

## Row 6 – Row 183

Repeat row 5 up to and including July 2<sup>nd</sup>, On July 2<sup>nd</sup>, you will have worked 183 rows, and have 365 sc sts. This is the maximum point of the blanket.

## Row 184

Row 184 corresponds to July 3<sup>rd</sup>, and is the start of the decrease of the blanket.

Ch1, sc2tog over first 2 sts, 1sc in next st till 2 sts left, sc2tog over last 2 sts. Turn. [363 sts]

## Row 185 – Row 364

Repeat row 184 up to and including December 30<sup>th</sup>. On December 30<sup>th</sup>, you will have worked 364 rows, and have 3 sc sts left.

## Row 365

Ch1, sc3tog over the 3 sts. Fasten off. [1 st]

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# Temperature Registration – January 2020

Date	sc-stitch count	Temperature (°C/°F)	Color number & name Scheepjes Metropolis
1 January 2020	1		
2 January 2020	3		
3 January 2020	5		
4 January 2020	7		
5 January 2020	9		
6 January 2020	11		
7 January 2020	13		
8 January 2020	15		
9 January 2020	17		
10 January 2020	19		
11 January 2020	21		
12 January 2020	23		
13 January 2020	25		
14 January 2020	27		
15 January 2020	29		
16 January 2020	31		
17 January 2020	33		
18 January 2020	35		
19 January 2020	37		
20 January 2020	39		
21 January 2020	41		
22 January 2020	43		
23 January 2020	45		
24 January 2020	47		
25 January 2020	49		
26 January 2020	51		
27 January 2020	53		
28 January 2020	55		
29 January 2020	57		
30 January 2020	59		
31 January 2020	61		

## *Temperature Registration – February 2020*

Date	sc-stitch count	Temperature (°C/°F)	Color number & name Scheepjes Metropolis
1 February 2020	63		
2 February 2020	65		
3 February 2020	67		
4 February 2020	69		
5 February 2020	71		
6 February 2020	73		
7 February 2020	75		
8 February 2020	77		
9 February 2020	79		
10 February 2020	81		
11 February 2020	83		
12 February 2020	85		
13 February 2020	87		
14 February 2020	89		
15 February 2020	91		
16 February 2020	93		
17 February 2020	95		
18 February 2020	97		
19 February 2020	99		
20 February 2020	101		
21 February 2020	103		
22 February 2020	105		
23 February 2020	107		
24 February 2020	109		
25 February 2020	111		
26 February 2020	113		
27 February 2020	115		
28 February 2020	117		
29 February 2020	119		

# Temperature Registration – March 2020

Date	sc-stitch count	Temperature (°C/°F)	Color number & name Scheepjes Metropolis
1 March 2020	121		
2 March 2020	123		
3 March 2020	125		
4 March 2020	127		
5 March 2020	129		
6 March 2020	131		
7 March 2020	133		
8 March 2020	135		
9 March 2020	137		
10 March 2020	139		
11 March 2020	141		
12 March 2020	143		
13 March 2020	145		
14 March 2020	147		
15 March 2020	149		
16 March 2020	151		
17 March 2020	153		
18 March 2020	155		
19 March 2020	157		
20 March 2020	159		
21 March 2020	161		
22 March 2020	163		
23 March 2020	165		
24 March 2020	167		
25 March 2020	169		
26 March 2020	171		
27 March 2020	173		
28 March 2020	175		
29 March 2020	177		
30 March 2020	179		
31 March 2020	181		

## *Temperature Registration – April 2020*

Date	sc-stitch count	Temperature (°C/°F)	Color number & name Scheepjes Metropolis
1 April 2020	183		
2 April 2020	185		
3 April 2020	187		
4 April 2020	189		
5 April 2020	191		
6 April 2020	193		
7 April 2020	195		
8 April 2020	197		
9 April 2020	199		
10 April 2020	201		
11 April 2020	203		
12 April 2020	205		
13 April 2020	207		
14 April 2020	209		
15 April 2020	211		
16 April 2020	213		
17 April 2020	215		
18 April 2020	217		
19 April 2020	219		
20 April 2020	221		
21 April 2020	223		
22 April 2020	225		
23 April 2020	227		
24 April 2020	229		
25 April 2020	231		
26 April 2020	233		
27 April 2020	235		
28 April 2020	237		
29 April 2020	239		
30 April 2020	241		

## *Temperature Registration – May 2020*

Date	sc-stitch count	Temperature (°C/°F)	Color number & name Scheepjes Metropolis
1 May 2020	243		
2 May 2020	245		
3 May 2020	247		
4 May 2020	249		
5 May 2020	251		
6 May 2020	253		
7 May 2020	255		
8 May 2020	257		
9 May 2020	259		
10 May 2020	261		
11 May 2020	263		
12 May 2020	265		
13 May 2020	267		
14 May 2020	269		
15 May 2020	271		
16 May 2020	273		
17 May 2020	275		
18 May 2020	277		
19 May 2020	279		
20 May 2020	281		
21 May 2020	283		
22 May 2020	285		
23 May 2020	287		
24 May 2020	289		
25 May 2020	291		
26 May 2020	293		
27 May 2020	295		
28 May 2020	297		
29 May 2020	299		
30 May 2020	301		
31 May 2020	303		

# Temperature Registration – June 2020

Date	sc-stitch count	Temperature (°C/°F)	Color number & name Scheepjes Metropolis
1 June 2020	305		
2 June 2020	307		
3 June 2020	309		
4 June 2020	311		
5 June 2020	313		
6 June 2020	315		
7 June 2020	317		
8 June 2020	319		
9 June 2020	321		
10 June 2020	323		
11 June 2020	325		
12 June 2020	327		
13 June 2020	329		
14 June 2020	331		
15 June 2020	333		
16 June 2020	335		
17 June 2020	337		
18 June 2020	339		
19 June 2020	341		
20 June 2020	343		
21 June 2020	345		
22 June 2020	347		
23 June 2020	349		
24 June 2020	351		
25 June 2020	353		
26 June 2020	355		
27 June 2020	357		
28 June 2020	359		
29 June 2020	361		
30 June 2020	363		

## *Temperature Registration – July 2020*

Date	sc-stitch count	Temperature (°C/°F)	Color number & name Scheepjes Metropolis
1 July 2020	365		
2 July 2020	365		
3 July 2020	363		
4 July 2020	361		
5 July 2020	359		
6 July 2020	357		
7 July 2020	355		
8 July 2020	353		
9 July 2020	351		
10 July 2020	349		
11 July 2020	347		
12 July 2020	345		
13 July 2020	343		
14 July 2020	341		
15 July 2020	339		
16 July 2020	337		
17 July 2020	335		
18 July 2020	333		
19 July 2020	331		
20 July 2020	329		
21 July 2020	327		
22 July 2020	325		
23 July 2020	323		
24 July 2020	321		
25 July 2020	319		
26 July 2020	317		
27 July 2020	315		
28 July 2020	313		
29 July 2020	311		
30 July 2020	309		
31 July 2020	307		

## *Temperature Registration – August 2020*

Date	sc-stitch count	Temperature (°C/°F)	Color number & name Scheepjes Metropolis
1 August 2020	305		
2 August 2020	303		
3 August 2020	301		
4 August 2020	299		
5 August 2020	297		
6 August 2020	295		
7 August 2020	293		
8 August 2020	291		
9 August 2020	289		
10 August 2020	287		
11 August 2020	285		
12 August 2020	283		
13 August 2020	281		
14 August 2020	279		
15 August 2020	277		
16 August 2020	275		
17 August 2020	273		
18 August 2020	271		
19 August 2020	269		
20 August 2020	267		
21 August 2020	265		
22 August 2020	263		
23 August 2020	261		
24 August 2020	259		
25 August 2020	257		
26 August 2020	255		
27 August 2020	253		
28 August 2020	251		
29 August 2020	249		
30 August 2020	247		
31 August 2020	245		

# Temperature Registration – September 2020

Date	sc-stitch count	Temperature (°C/°F)	Color number & name Scheepjes Metropolis
1 September 2020	243		
2 September 2020	241		
3 September 2020	239		
4 September 2020	237		
5 September 2020	235		
6 September 2020	233		
7 September 2020	231		
8 September 2020	229		
9 September 2020	227		
10 September 2020	225		
11 September 2020	223		
12 September 2020	221		
13 September 2020	219		
14 September 2020	217		
15 September 2020	215		
16 September 2020	213		
17 September 2020	211		
18 September 2020	209		
19 September 2020	207		
20 September 2020	205		
21 September 2020	203		
22 September 2020	201		
23 September 2020	199		
24 September 2020	197		
25 September 2020	195		
26 September 2020	193		
27 September 2020	191		
28 September 2020	189		
29 September 2020	187		
30 September 2020	185		

## *Temperature Registration – October 2020*

Date	sc-stitch count	Temperature (°C/°F)	Color number & name Scheepjes Metropolis
1 October 2020	183		
2 October 2020	181		
3 October 2020	179		
4 October 2020	177		
5 October 2020	175		
6 October 2020	173		
7 October 2020	171		
8 October 2020	169		
9 October 2020	167		
10 October 2020	165		
11 October 2020	163		
12 October 2020	161		
13 October 2020	159		
14 October 2020	157		
15 October 2020	155		
16 October 2020	153		
17 October 2020	151		
18 October 2020	149		
19 October 2020	147		
20 October 2020	145		
21 October 2020	143		
22 October 2020	141		
23 October 2020	139		
24 October 2020	137		
25 October 2020	135		
26 October 2020	133		
27 October 2020	131		
28 October 2020	129		
29 October 2020	127		
30 October 2020	125		
31 October 2020	123		

## Temperature Registration – November 2020

Date	sc-stitch count	Temperature (°C/°F)	Color number & name Scheepjes Metropolis
1 November 2020	121		
2 November 2020	119		
3 November 2020	117		
4 November 2020	115		
5 November 2020	113		
6 November 2020	111		
7 November 2020	109		
8 November 2020	107		
9 November 2020	105		
10 November 2020	103		
11 November 2020	101		
12 November 2020	99		
13 November 2020	97		
14 November 2020	95		
15 November 2020	93		
16 November 2020	91		
17 November 2020	89		
18 November 2020	87		
19 November 2020	85		
20 November 2020	83		
21 November 2020	81		
22 November 2020	79		
23 November 2020	77		
24 November 2020	75		
25 November 2020	73		
26 November 2020	71		
27 November 2020	69		
28 November 2020	67		
29 November 2020	65		
30 November 2020	63		

# Temperature Registration – December 2020

Date	sc-stitch count	Temperature (°C/°F)	Color number & name Scheepjes Metropolis
1 December 2020	61		
2 December 2020	59		
3 December 2020	57		
4 December 2020	55		
5 December 2020	53		
6 December 2020	51		
7 December 2020	49		
8 December 2020	47		
9 December 2020	45		
10 December 2020	43		
11 December 2020	41		
12 December 2020	39		
13 December 2020	37		
14 December 2020	35		
15 December 2020	33		
16 December 2020	31		
17 December 2020	29		
18 December 2020	27		
19 December 2020	25		
20 December 2020	23		
21 December 2020	21		
22 December 2020	19		
23 December 2020	17		
24 December 2020	15		
25 December 2020	13		
26 December 2020	11		
27 December 2020	9		
28 December 2020	7		
29 December 2020	5		
30 December 2020	3		
31 December 2020	1		

