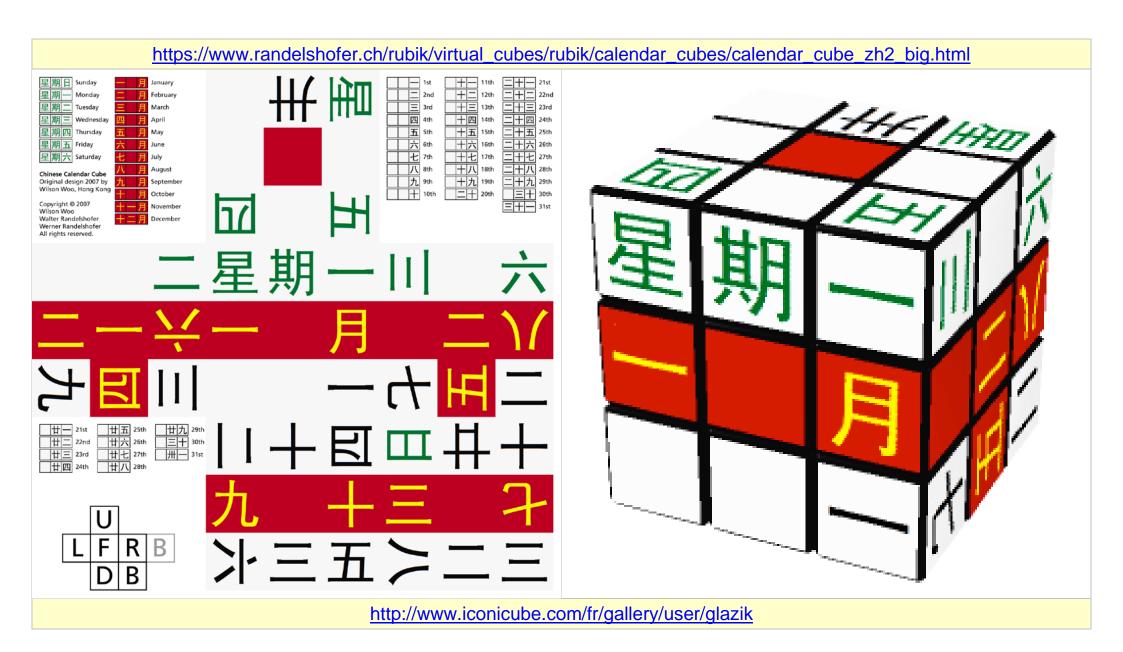
## **Chinese Calendar Cube 2**



# **Chinese Calendar Cube (Traditional Chinese)**

This cube is a perpetual calendar. By twisting and rotating it, you can set it to today's date.

The weekday in green characters is located at the top. The month in yellow characters on red is shown on the middle row. The day in black characters is located at the bottom right. The Chinese characters used are simplified Chinese (Mandarin) characters.

This entirely reworked and enhanced layout of the Chinese Calendar Cube was created by Wilson Woo.

#### Chinese (Mandarin) weekdays

Mandarin	Transcription	Meaning	<b>English</b>
星期一	xīng qī yī	Week: one	Monday
星期二	xīng qī èr	Week: two	Tuesday
星期三	xīng qī sān	Week: three	Wednesday
星期四	xīng qī sì	Week: four	Thursday
星期五	xīng qī wǔ	Week: five	Friday
星期六	xīng qī liù	Week: six	Saturday
星期日	xīng qī rì, or 星期天 xīng qī tiān	Week: sun, or week: heaven	Sunday

### Chinese (Mandarin) months

Mandarin	Transcription	Meaning	English
一月	yī yuè	1st month	January
二月	èr yuè	2nd month	February
三月	sān yuè	3rd month	March
四月	sì yuè	4th month	April
五月	wŭ yuè	5th month	May
六月	liù yuè	6th month	June
七月	qī yuè	7th month	July

八月	bā yuè	8th month	August
九月	jiŭ yuè	9th month	September
十月	shí yuè	10th month	October
十一月	shí yī yuè	11th month	November
十二月	shí èr yuè	12th month	December

# Chinese (Mandarin) days and alternative Cantonese characters

Mandarin	Transcription	Meaning	English
	yī	1st	First
$\stackrel{-}{\longrightarrow}$	èr	2nd	Second
三	sān	3rd	Third
四	sì	4th	Fourth
五.	wŭ	5th	Fifth
六	liù	6th	Sixth
七	qī	7th	Seventh
八	bā	8th	Eighth
九	jiŭ	9th	Ninth
十	shí	10th	Tenth
+-	shí yī	11th	Eleventh
十二	shí èr	12th	Twelfth
十三	shí sān	13th	Thirteenth
十四	shí sì	14th	Fourteenth
十五	shí wǔ	15th	Fifteenth
十六	shí liù	16th	Sixteenth
十七	shí qī	17th	Seventeenth
十八	shí bā	18th	Eighteenth
十九	shí jiŭ	19th	Nineteenth
二十	èr shí	20th	Twentieth
二十一 or 廿一	èr shí yī	21st	Twenty-first

二十二 or 廿二	èr shí èr	22nd	Twenty- second
二十三 or 廿三	èr shí sān	23rd	Twenty-third
二十四 or 廿四	èr shí sì	24th	Twenty-fourth
二十五 or 廿五	èr shí wǔ	25th	Twenty-fifth
二十六 or 廿六	èr shí liù	26th	Twenty-sixth
二十七 or 廿七	èr shí qī	27th	Twenty- seventh
二十八 or 廿八	èr shí bā	28th	Twenty-eighth
二十九 or 廿九	èr shí jiǔ	29th	Twenty-ninth
三十	sān shí	30th	Thirtieth
三十一 or 卅一	sān shí yī	31st	Thirty-first

In Cantonese, 廿 (jaa) must be followed by another digit 1-9 (e.g. 廿三, 23) to express 廿幾 ('twenty-something'); it is not used by itself to mean 20. As with 廿, 卅 must be used with another number to mean 卅幾 ('thirty-something') in Cantonese. These forms are used in other dialects too, as well as in historical writings.

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