

# 100 random pixel gradients

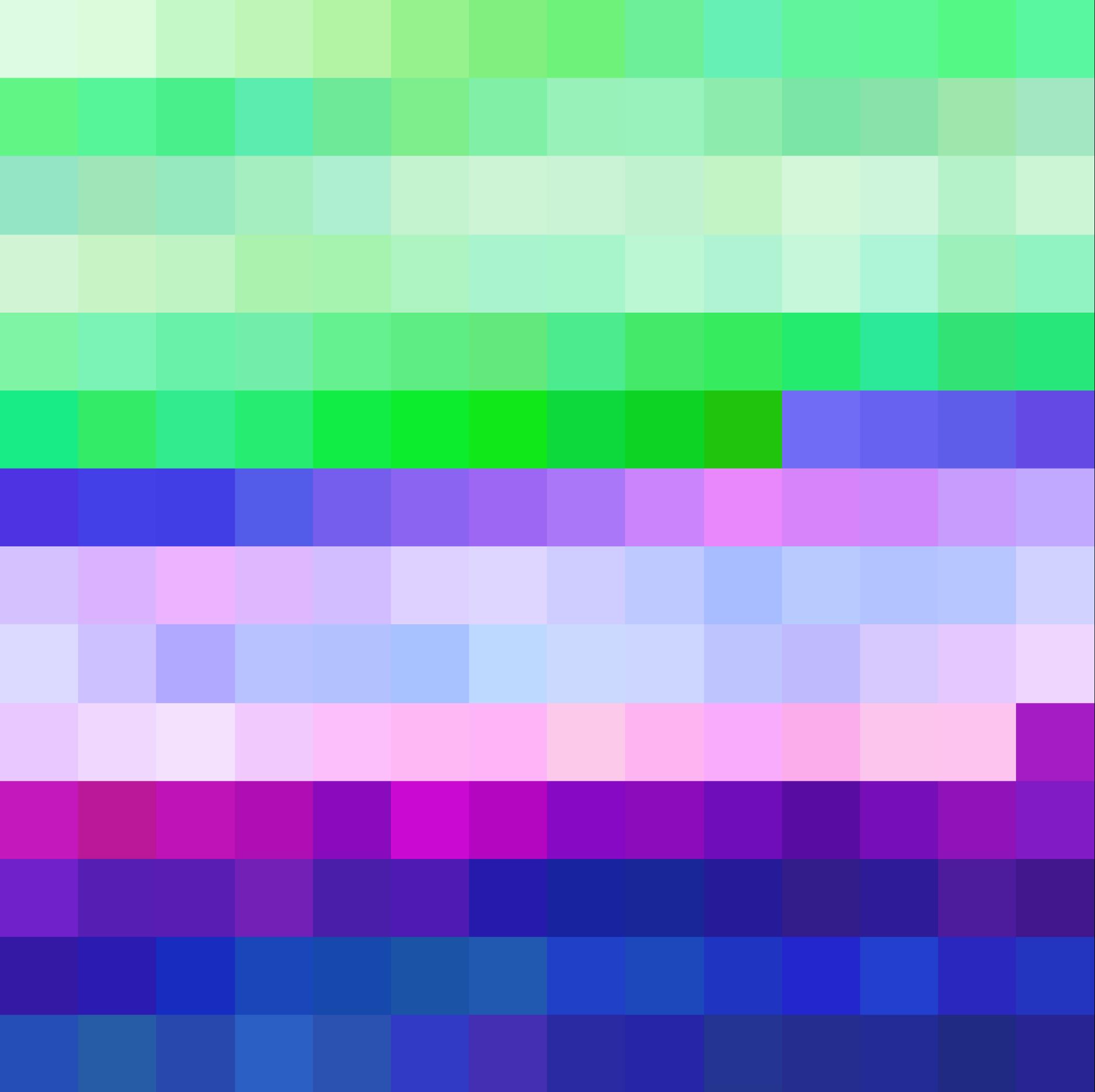
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A very, very colourful grid of 169 blocks. It's mostly red, but it also has quite some green, some orange, some magenta, a bit of yellow, a little bit of rose, a little bit of purple, a little bit of indigo, a tiny bit of blue, a tiny bit of violet, and a tiny bit of lime in it.



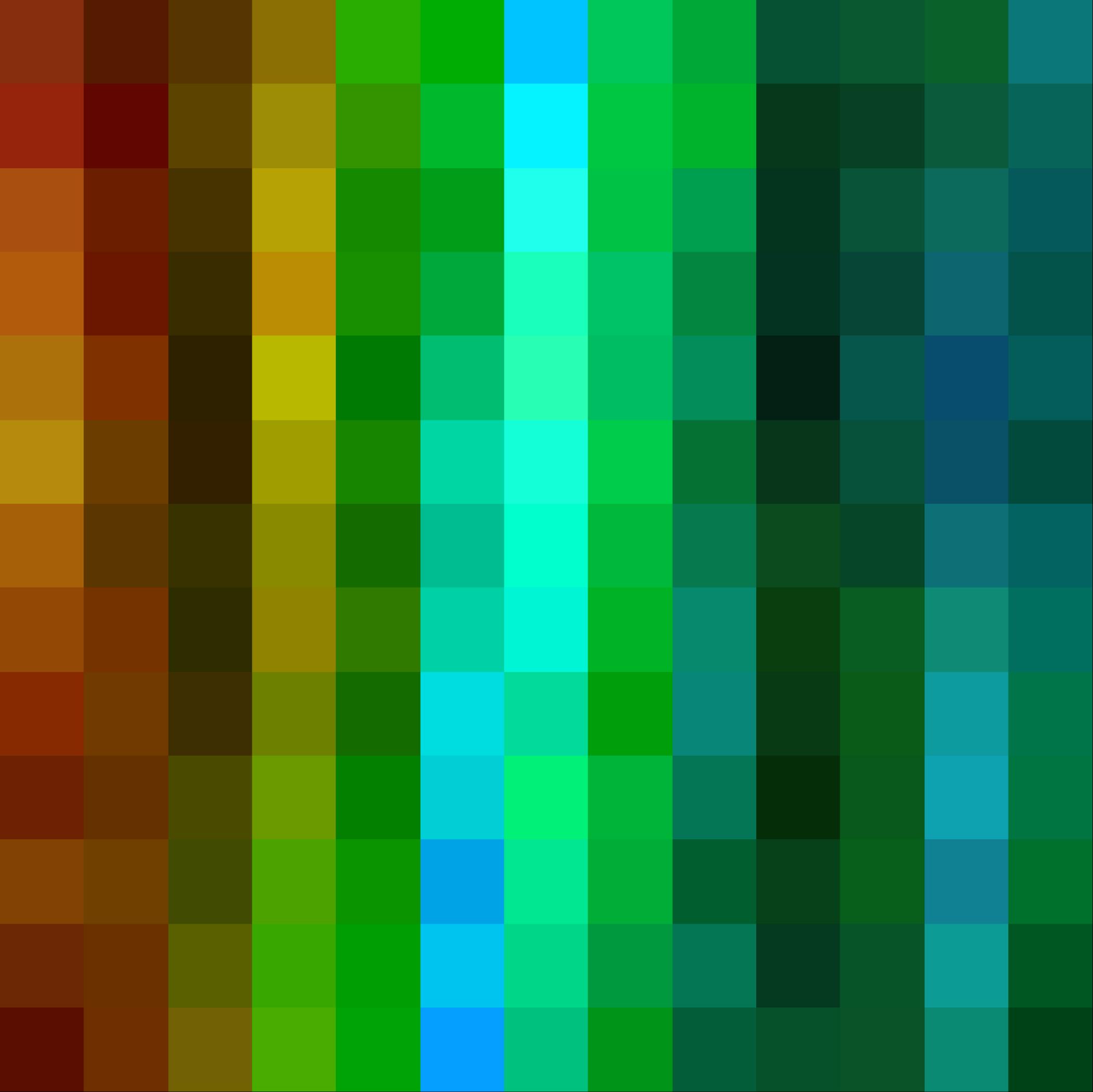
The cells in this 6 by 6 pixel grid form a very colourful gradient. It is mostly yellow, and it also has some lime, a bit of green, a bit of red, a little bit of orange, a little bit of rose, and a little bit of magenta in it.



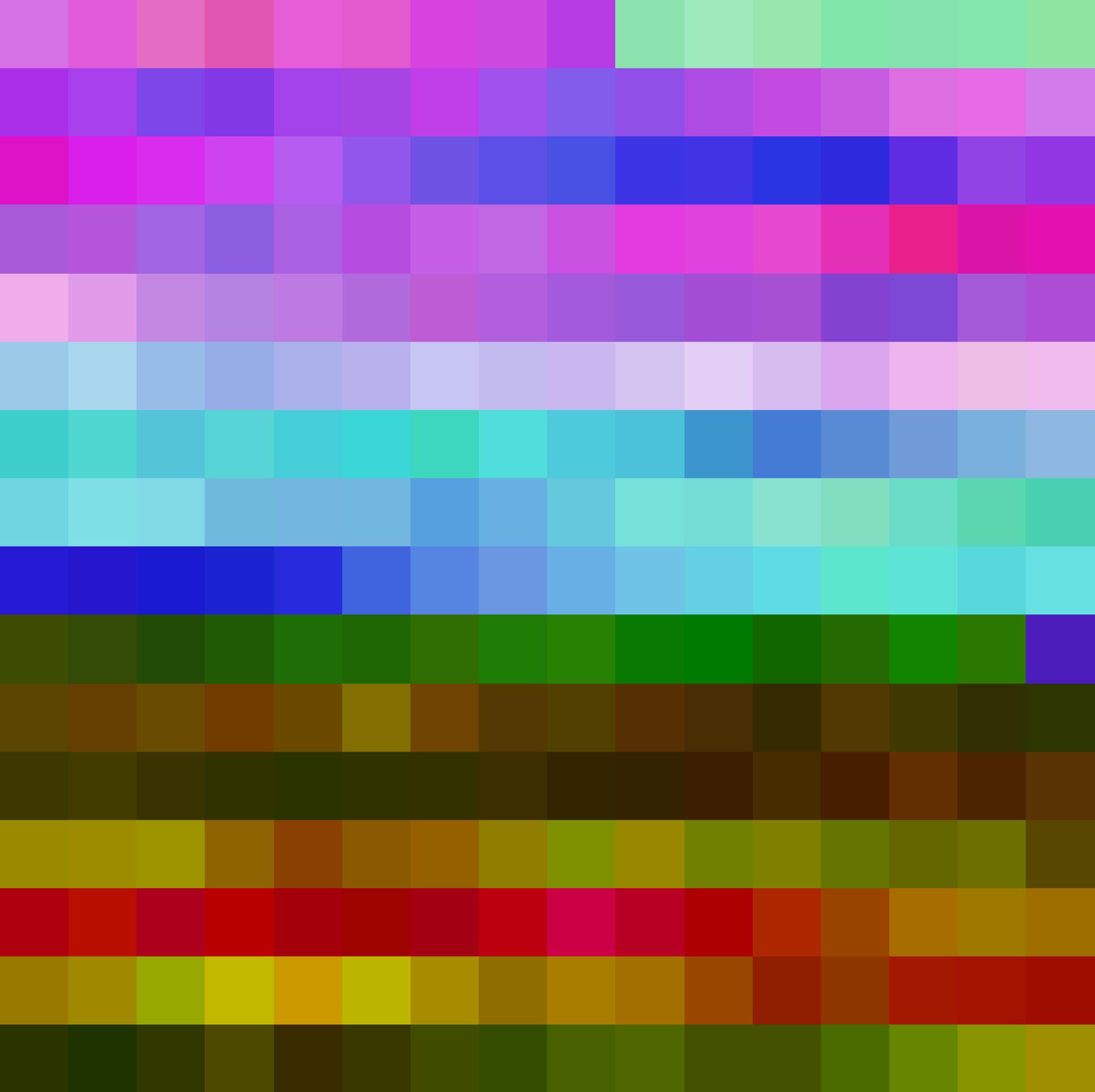
A grid with 196 coloured squares that form a very colourful gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly green, and it also has quite some blue, some indigo, some purple, a bit of magenta, and a little bit of violet in it.



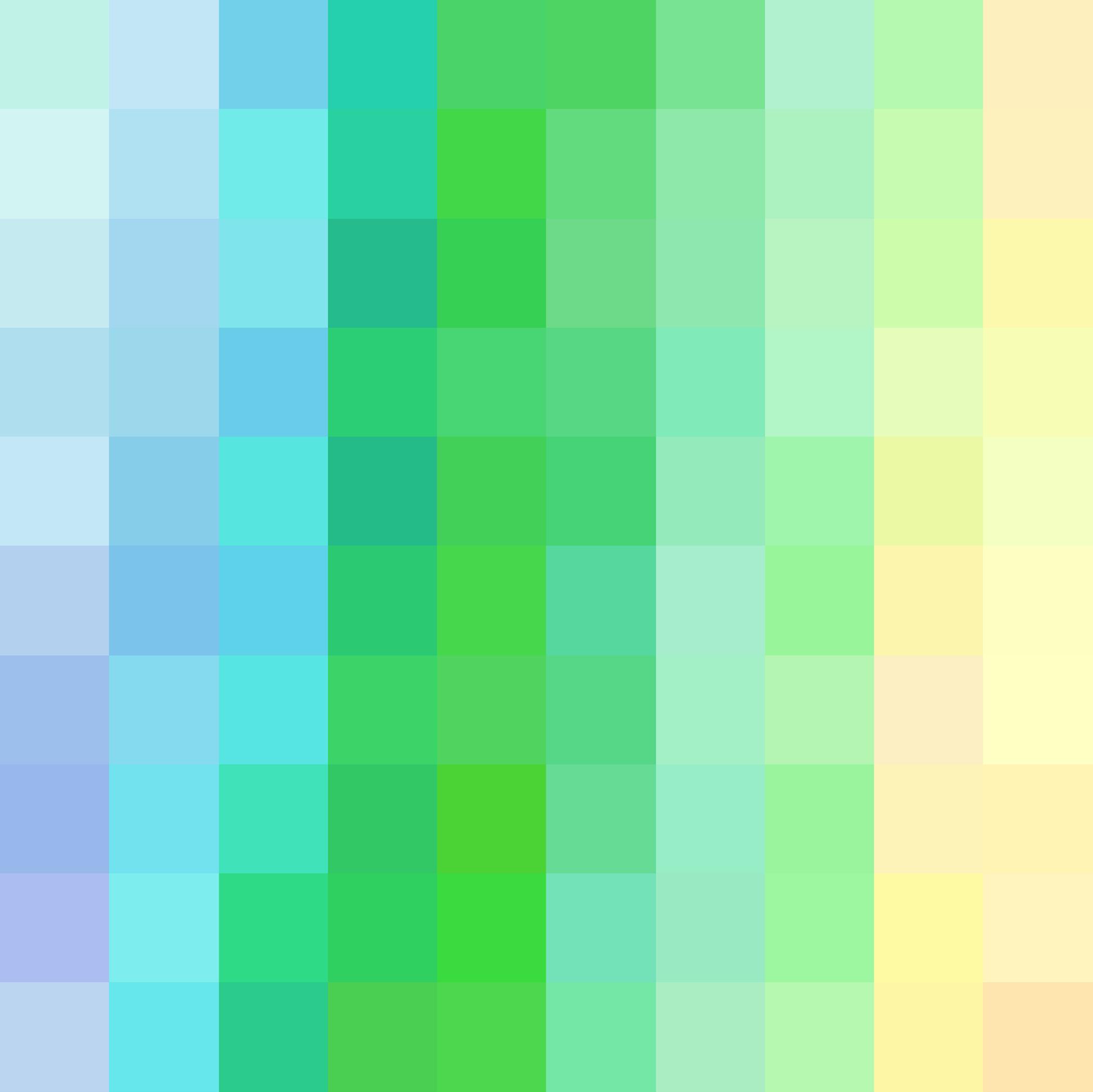
Here's a 4 by 4 pixelated grid that forms a gradient. It is mostly yellow, but it also has some magenta, and a little bit of lime in it.



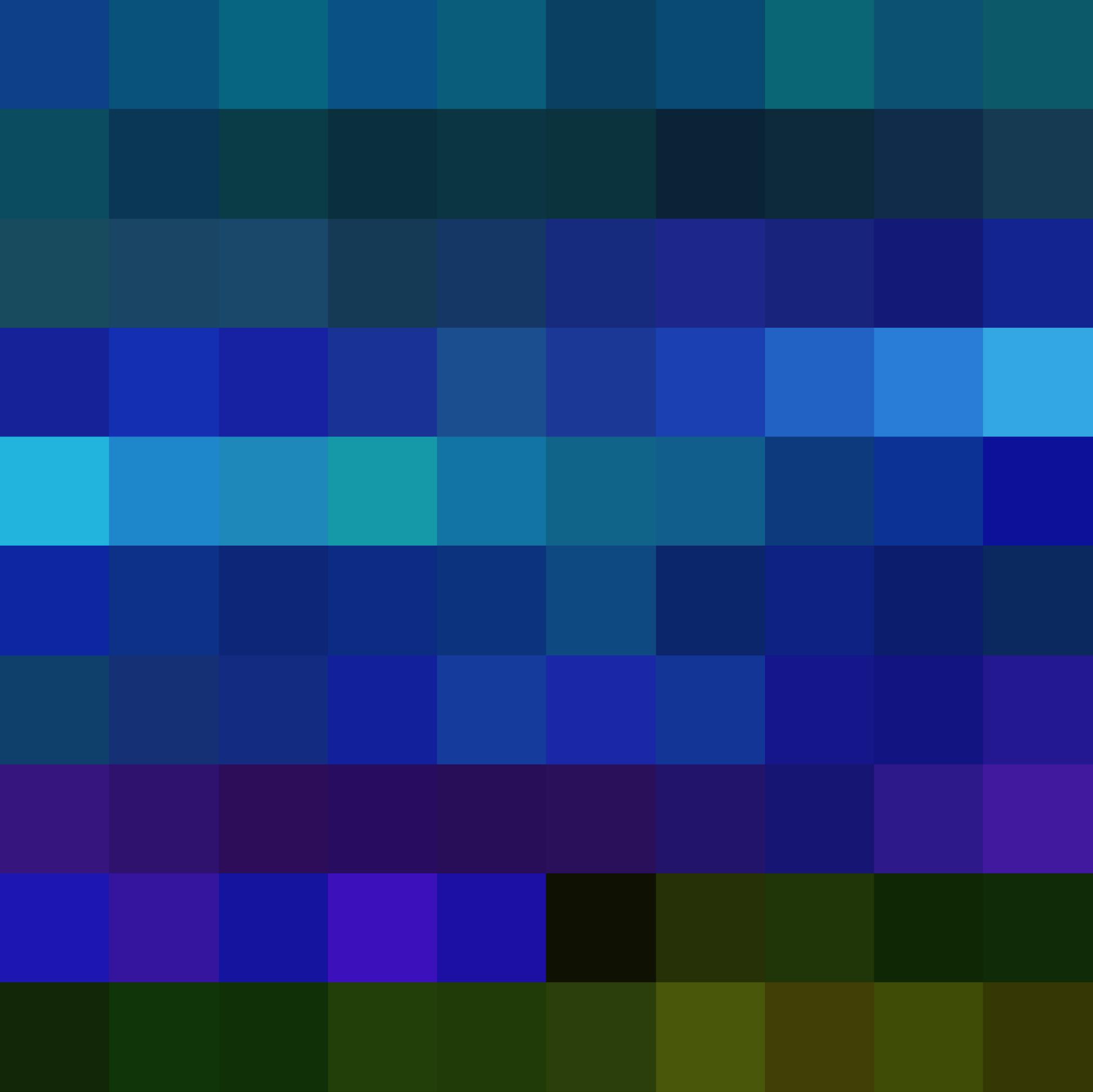
The very colourful gradient in this 13 by 13 pixel grid is mostly green, and it also has some cyan, some orange, a bit of yellow, a little bit of blue, a tiny bit of red, and a tiny bit of lime in it.



A grid with 256 coloured squares that form a very, very colourful gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly yellow, but it also has some purple, some orange, a bit of blue, a bit of cyan, a bit of green, a bit of magenta, a little bit of red, a little bit of indigo, a little bit of violet, a little bit of lime, and a tiny bit of rose in it.



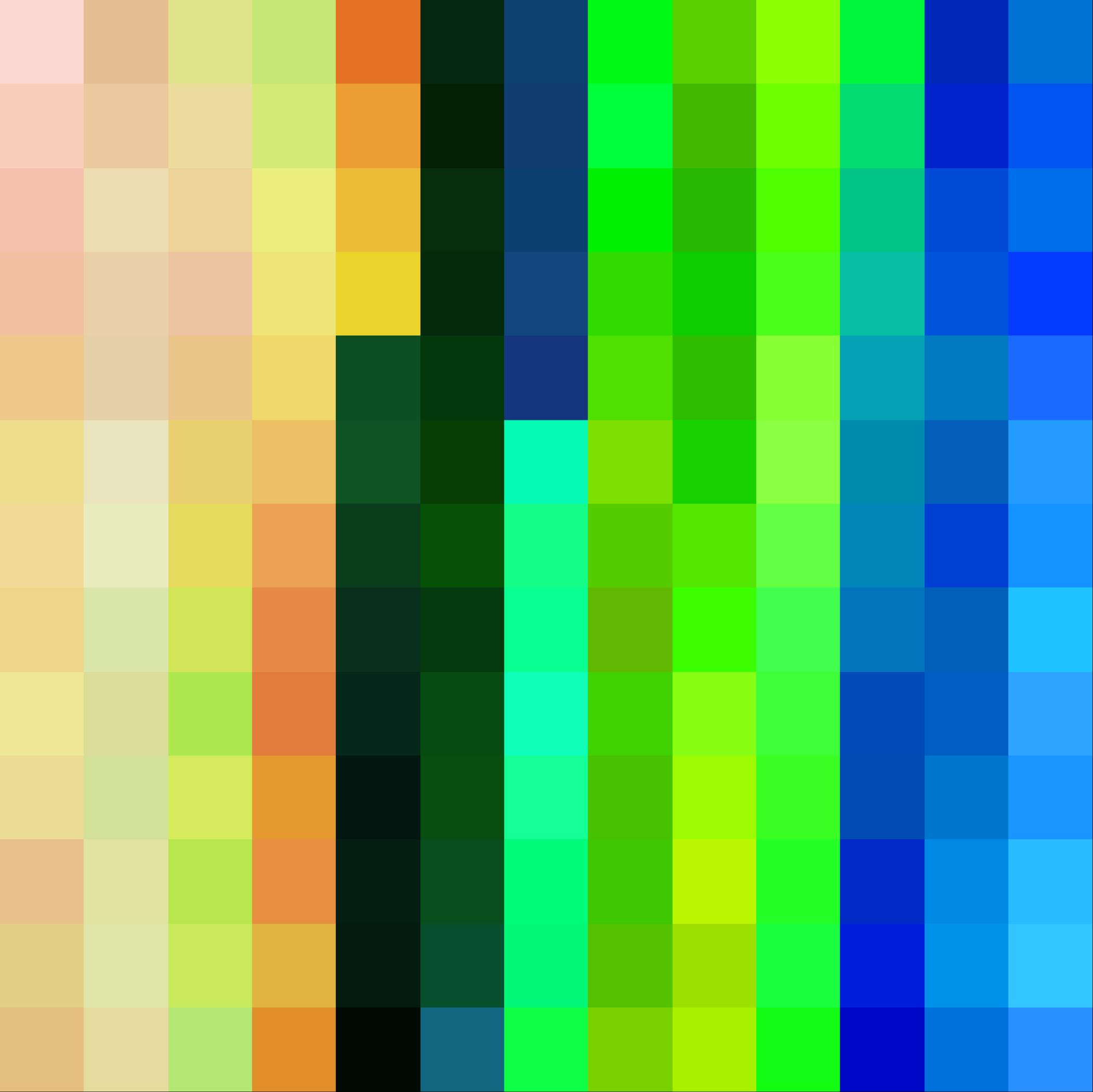
The cells in this 10 by 10 pixel grid form a very colourful gradient. It is mostly green, but it also has some cyan, some blue, some yellow, a tiny bit of orange, and a tiny bit of lime in it.



The very colourful gradient in this 10 by 10 pixel grid is mostly blue, and it also has some indigo, a bit of green, a little bit of cyan, a little bit of lime, a little bit of violet, and a tiny bit of yellow in it.



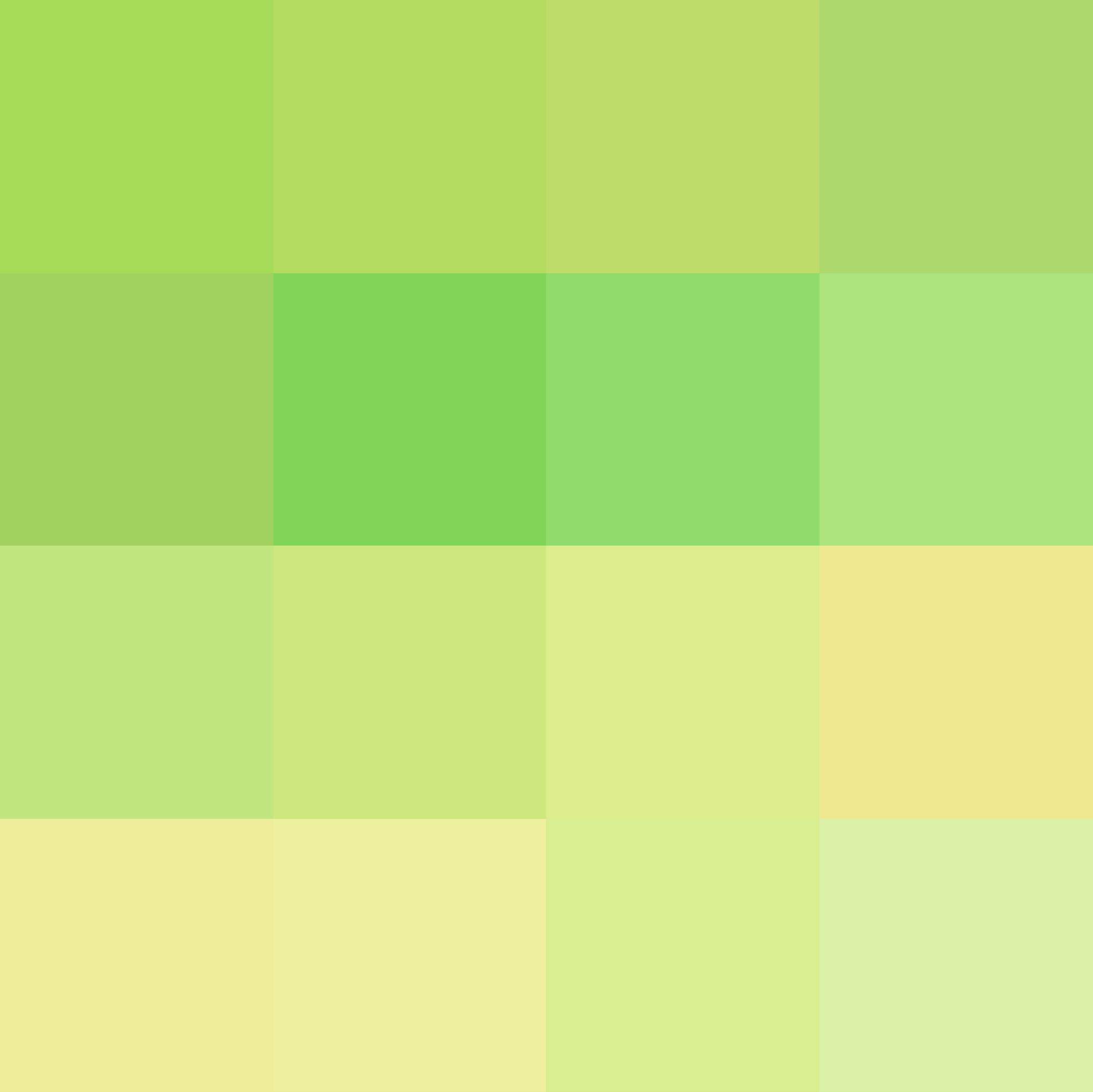
The cells in this 7 by 7 pixel grid form a two tone gradient. It is mostly blue, but it also has a bit of cyan in it.



The very colourful gradient in this 13 by 13 pixel grid is mostly green, and it also has quite some blue, some orange, some yellow, a little bit of lime, a tiny bit of cyan, and a tiny bit of red in it.



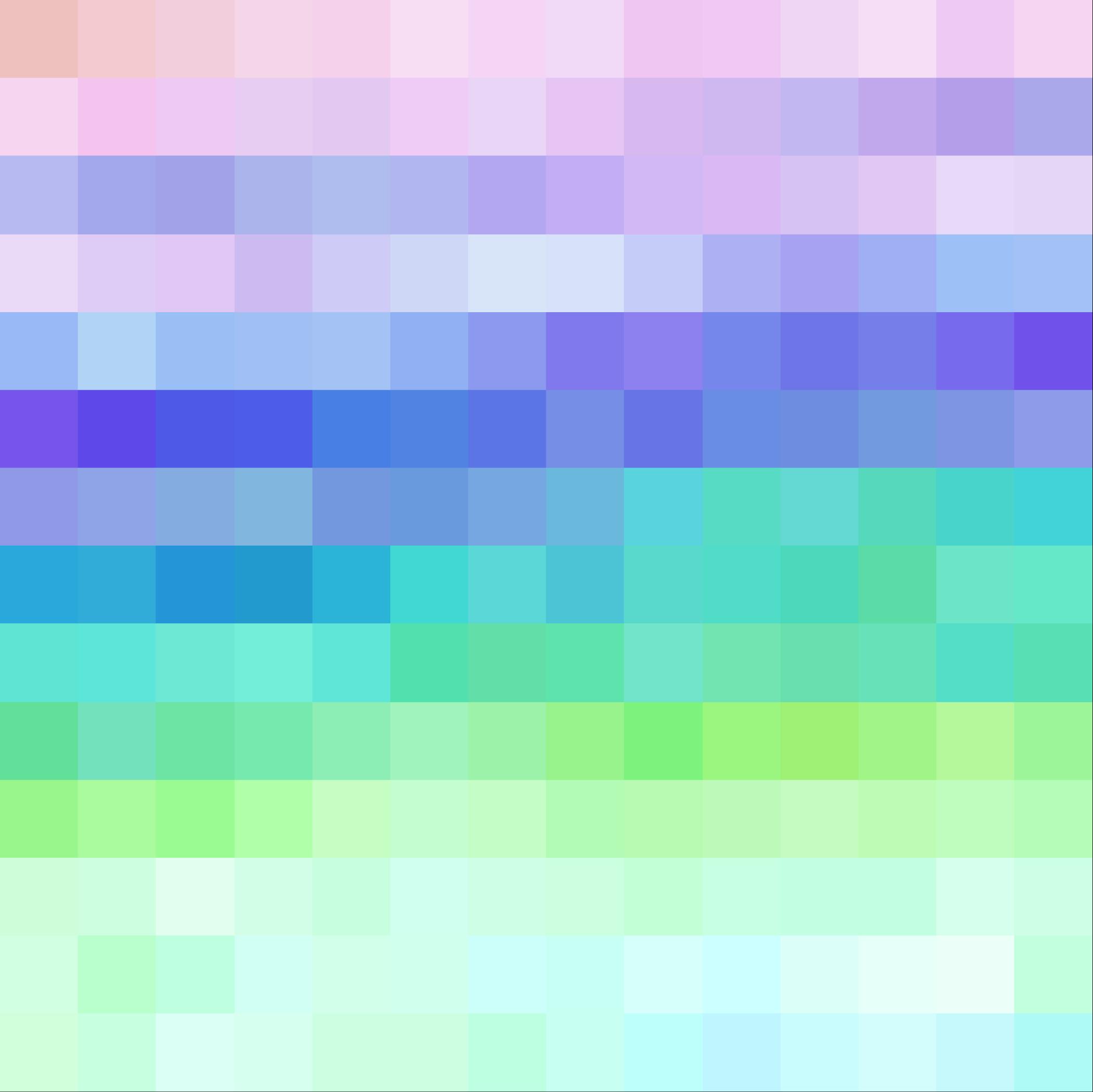
A very colourful grid of 36 blocks. It's mostly orange, but it also has quite some green, quite some yellow, some magenta, a little bit of lime, and a little bit of purple in it.



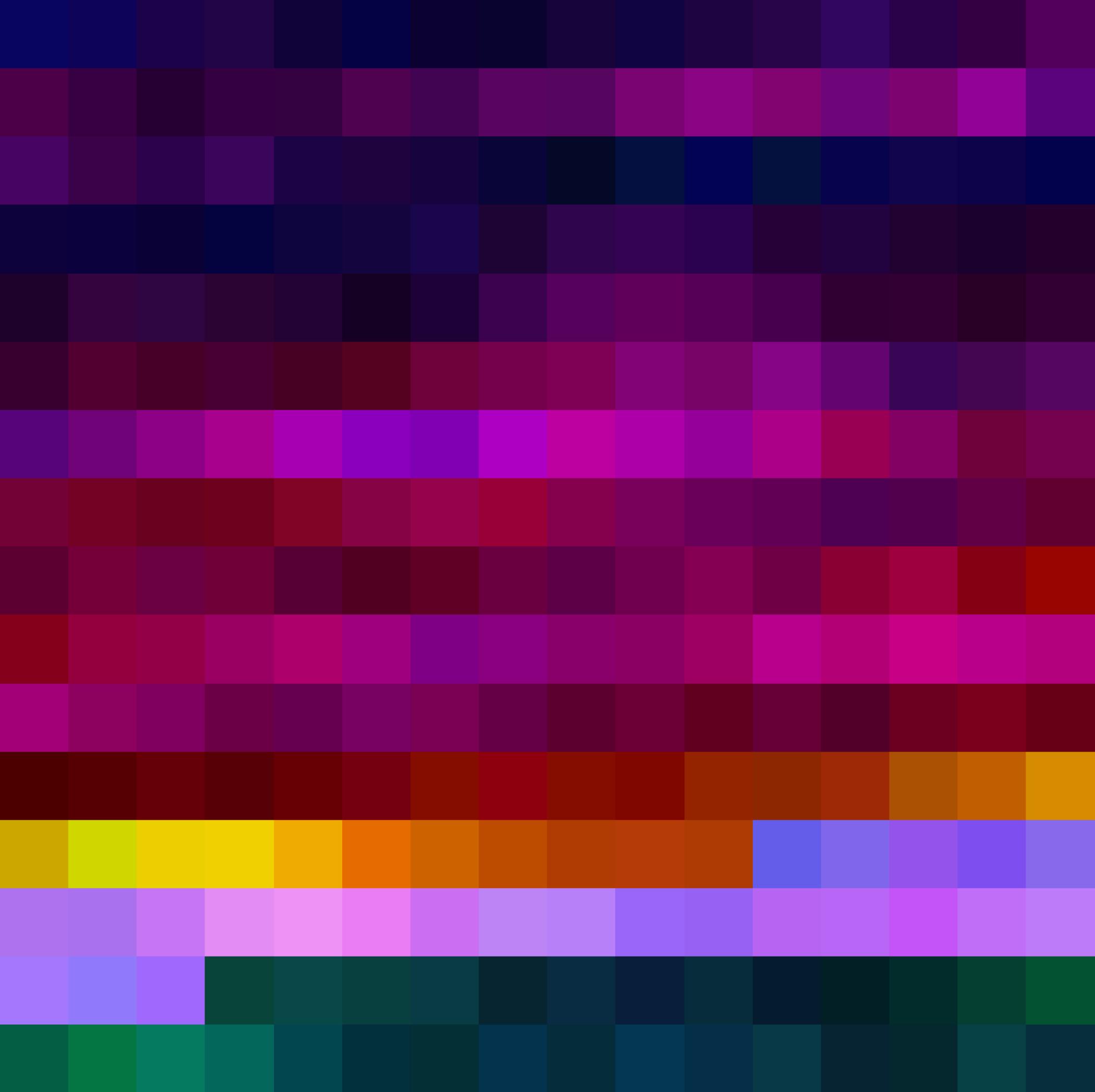
This pixel gradient—it is 4 cells wide, 4 cells high—is mostly green, and it also has quite some lime, and quite some yellow in it.



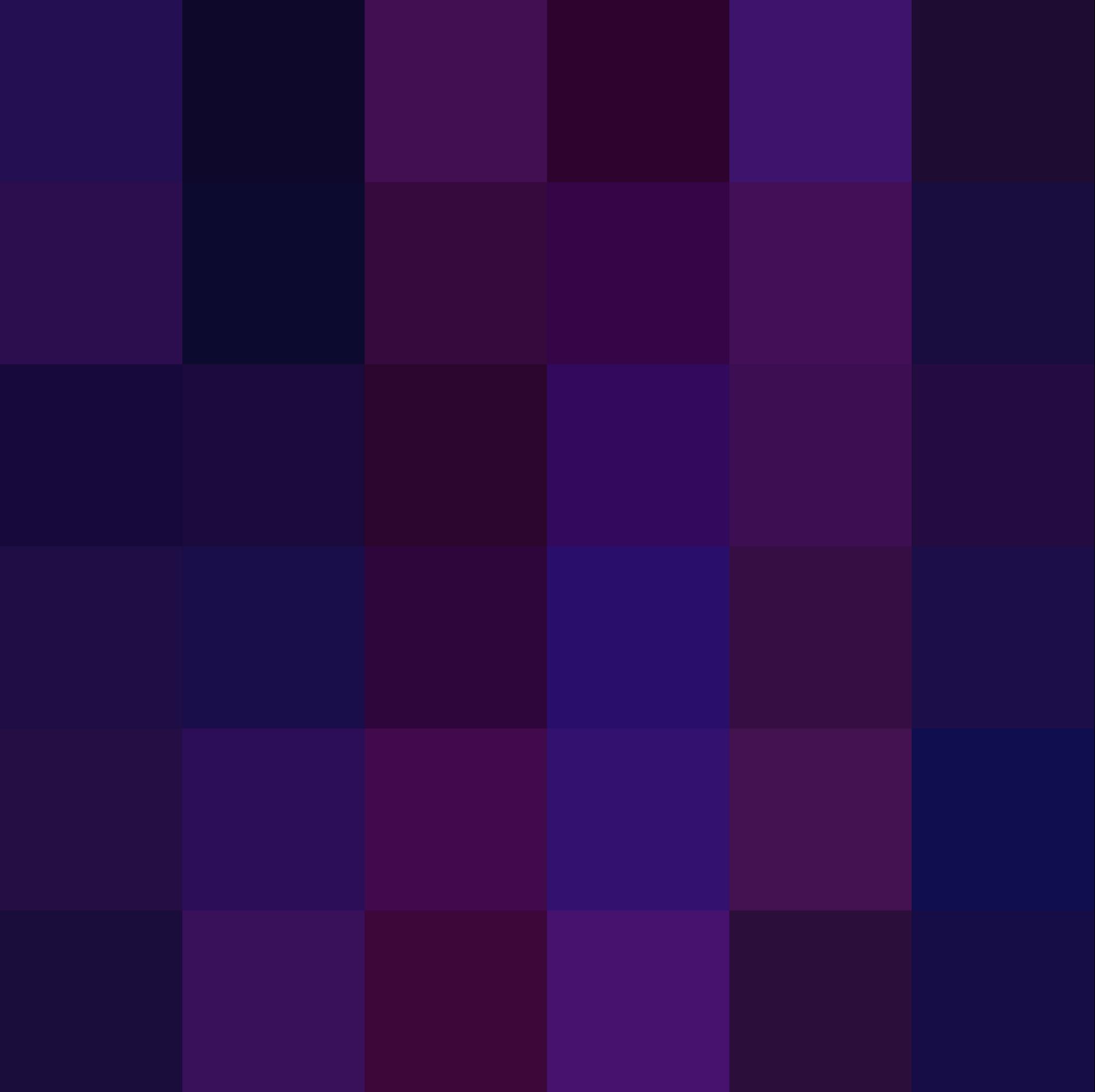
This very, very colourful pixel gradient—it is 13 cells wide, 13 cells high—is mostly red, but it also has quite some magenta, some rose, a bit of orange, a little bit of indigo, a little bit of purple, a little bit of yellow, and a tiny bit of violet in it.



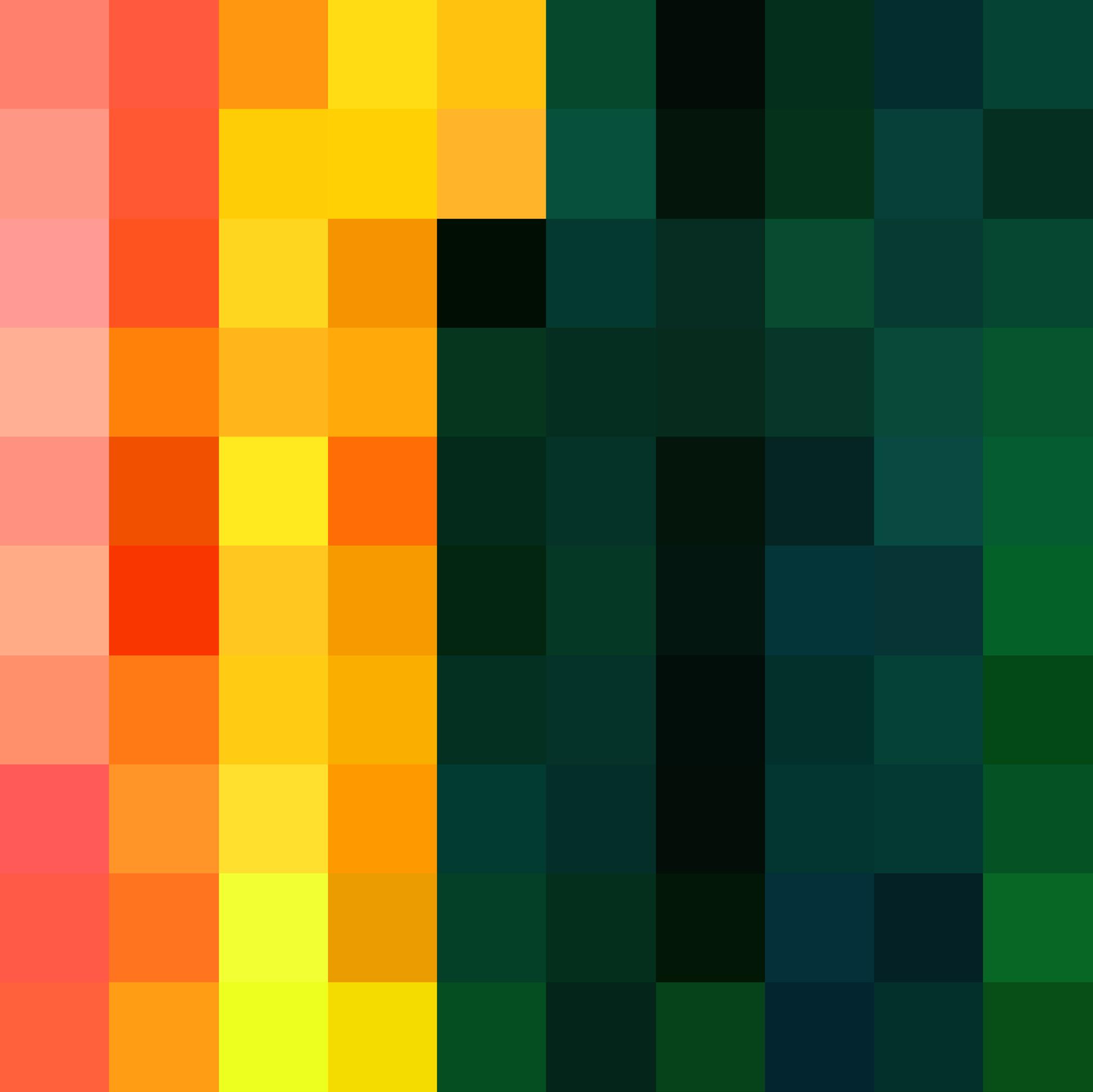
A 14 by 14 grid with coloured squares that form a monochrome gradient. The colours are various shades of red.



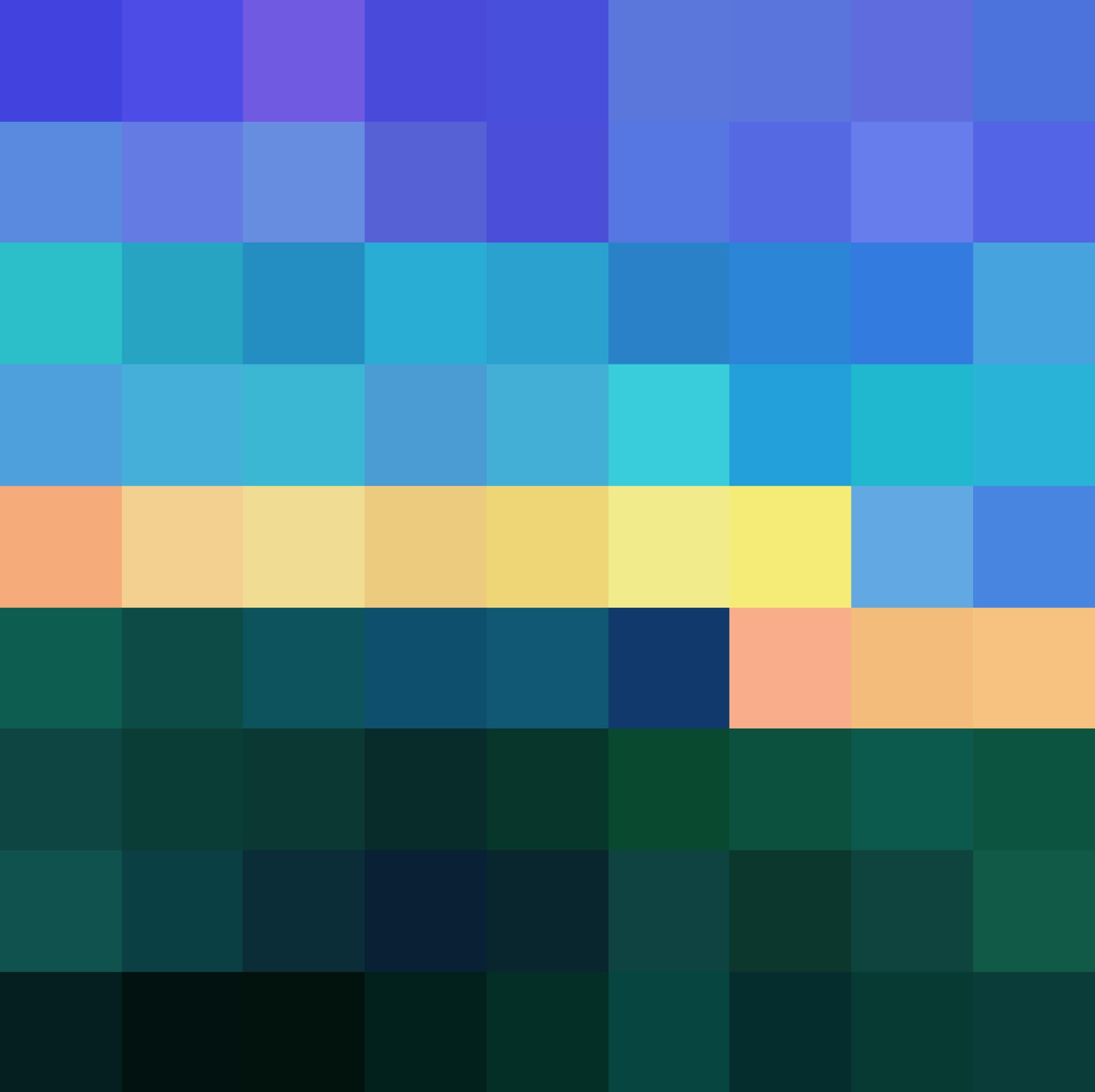
Here's a 16 by 16 pixelated grid that forms a very, very colourful gradient. It is mostly magenta, but it also has some purple, some rose, a bit of indigo, a bit of red, a little bit of blue, a little bit of cyan, a little bit of violet, a little bit of orange, a tiny bit of yellow, and a tiny bit of green in it.



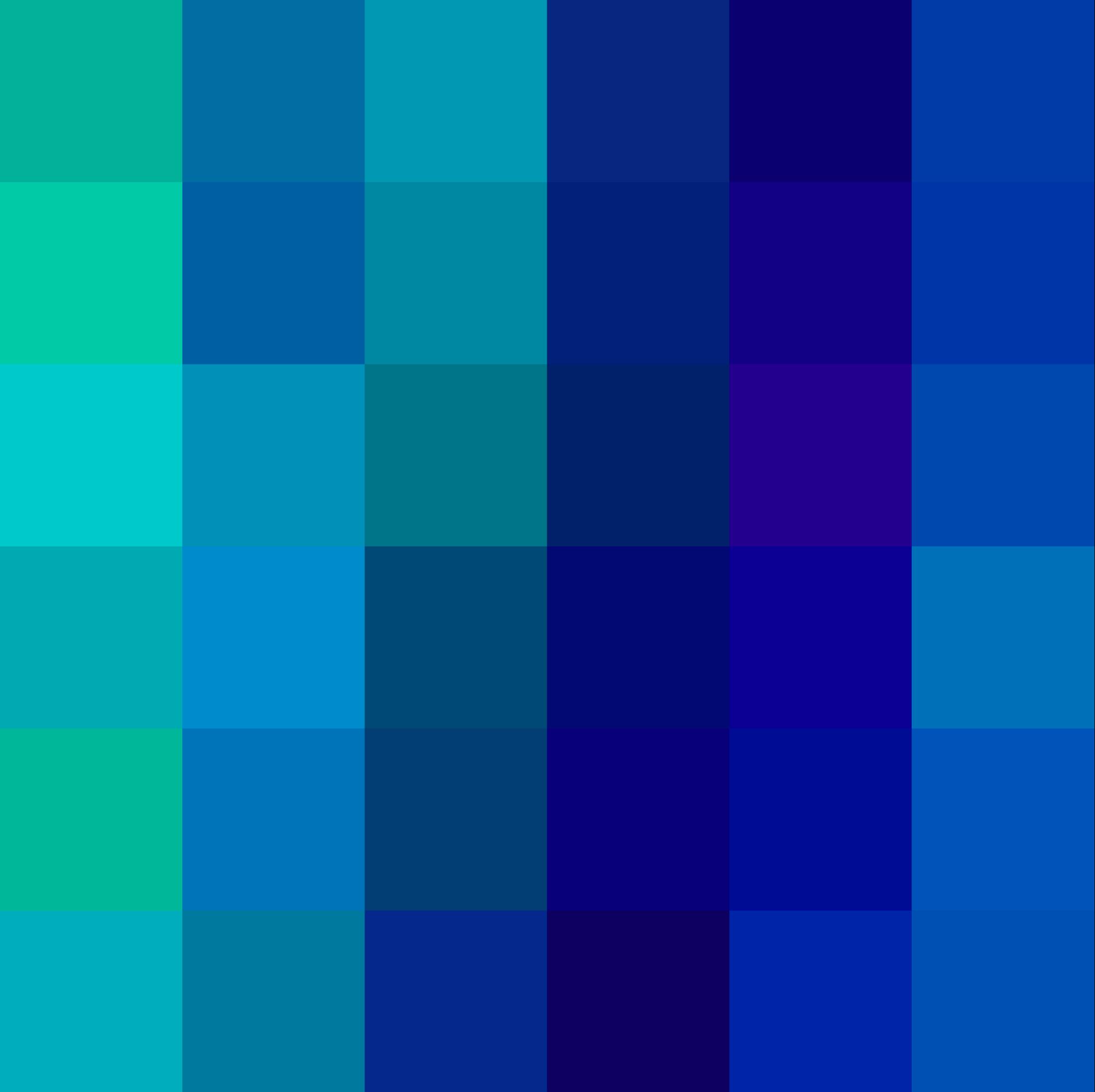
There's a pixel gradient in this 6 by 6 grid. It is mostly indigo, but it also has quite some purple, quite some violet, and some magenta in it.



A grid with 100 coloured squares that form a very colourful gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly green, and it also has quite some cyan, quite some orange, some red, a bit of yellow, and a tiny bit of blue in it.



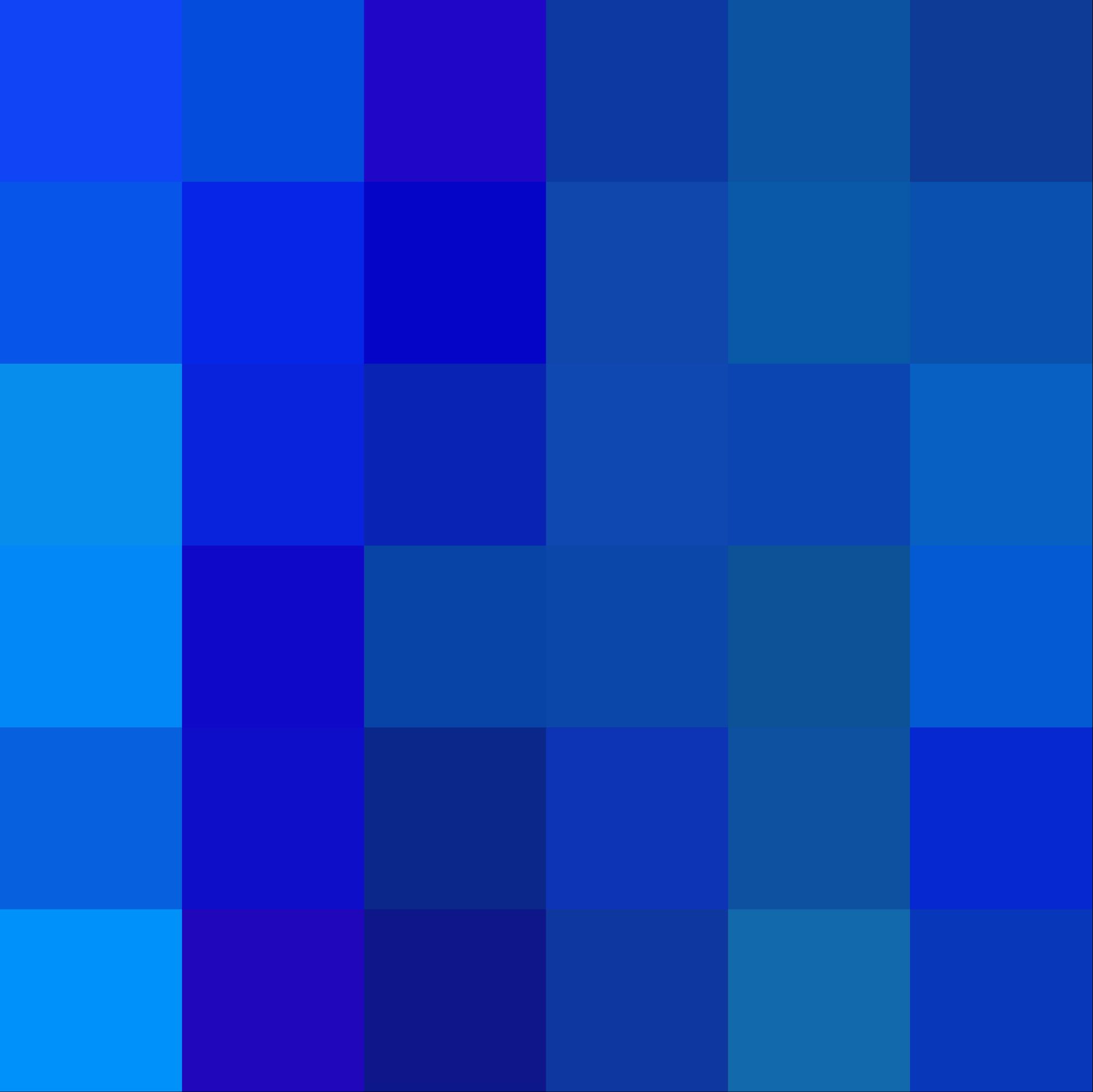
A 9 by 9 grid with coloured squares that form a very colourful gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly blue, but it also has quite some cyan, a bit of orange, a little bit of yellow, a little bit of green, and a tiny bit of indigo in it.



Here's a 6 by 6 pixelated grid that forms a gradient. It is mostly blue, but it also has quite some cyan, and some indigo in it.



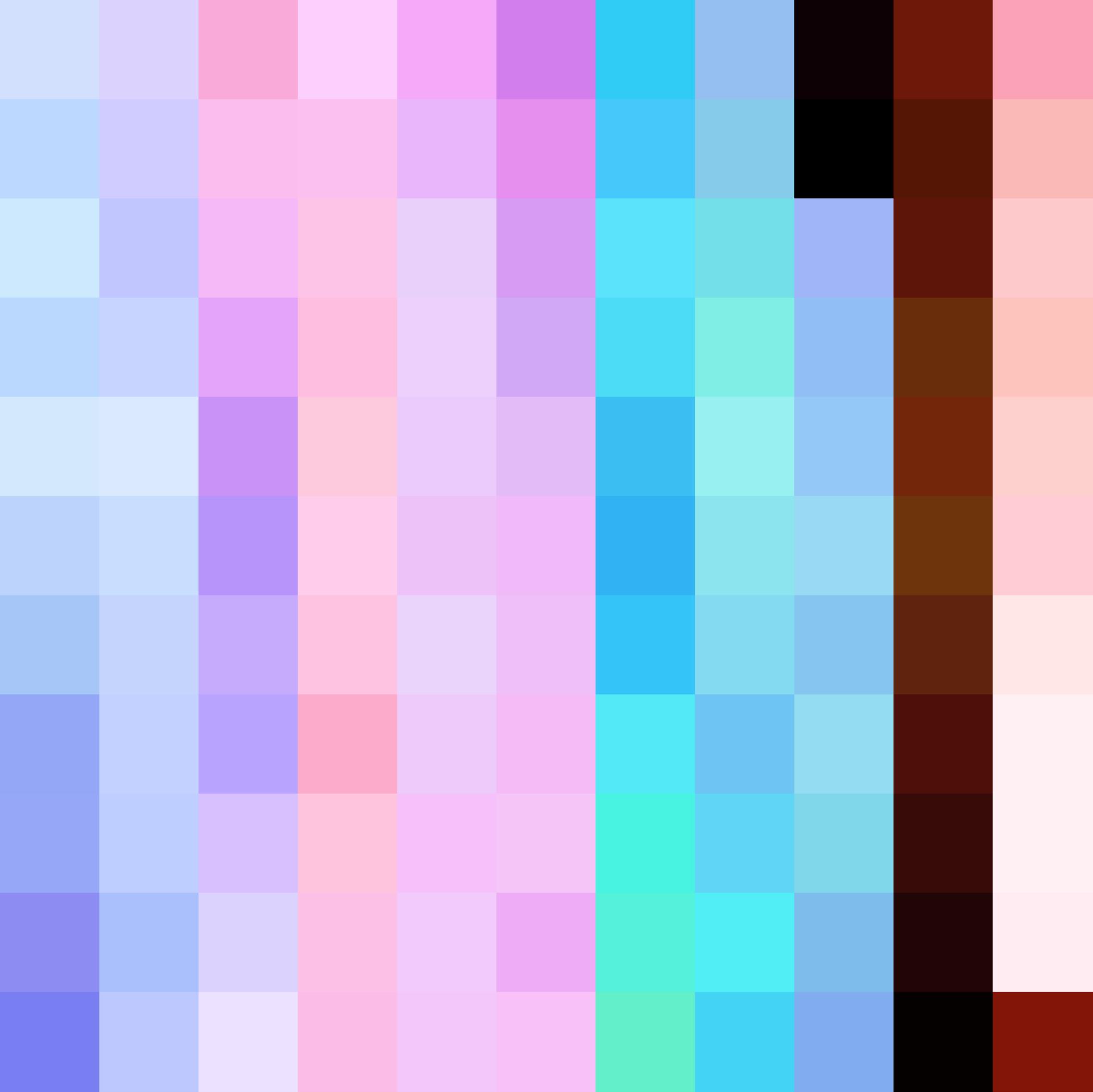
This two tone gradient, generated in this 6 by 6 pixel grid, is mostly orange, and it also has quite some yellow in it.



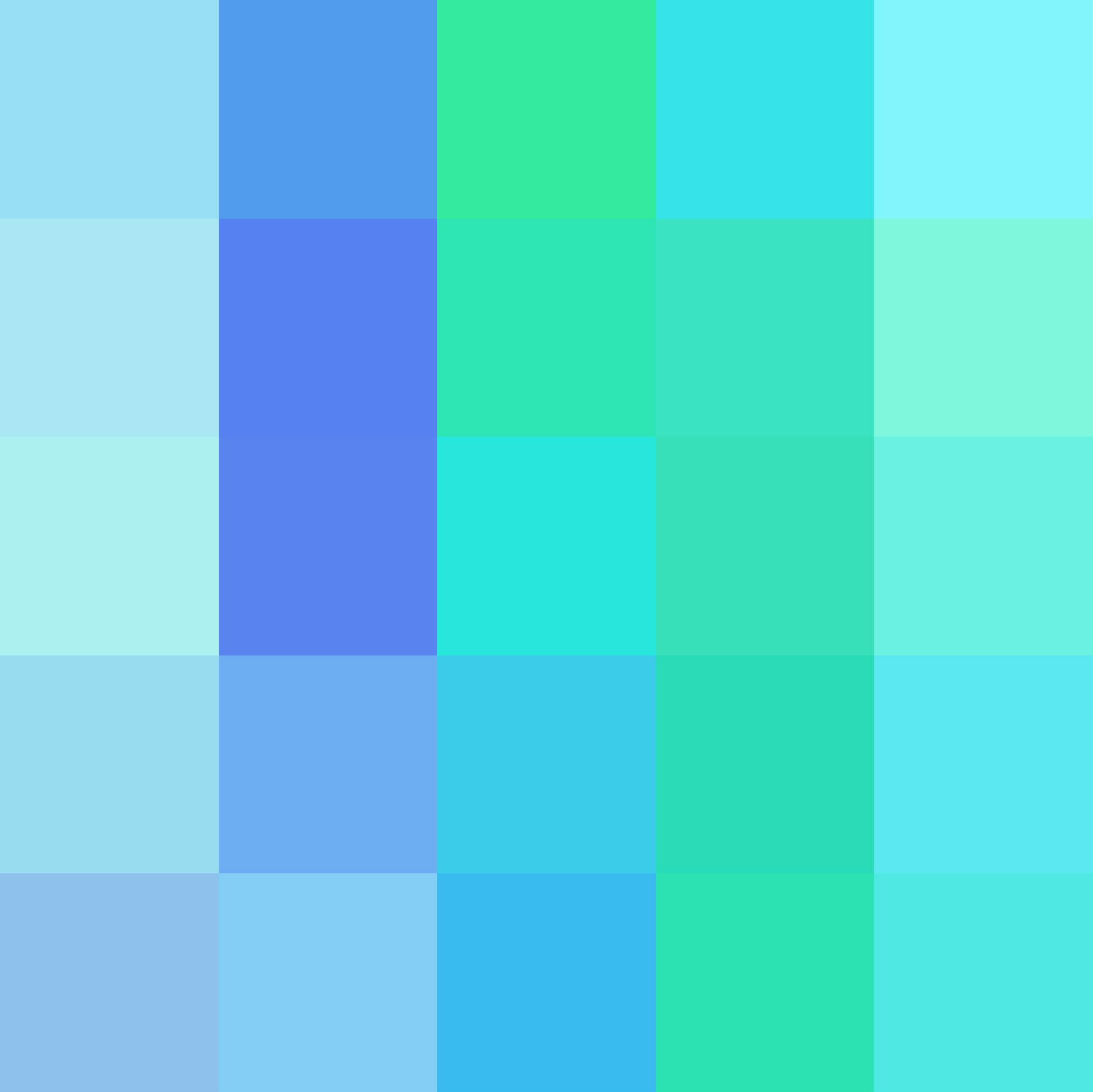
This two tone gradient, generated in this 6 by 6 pixel grid, is mostly blue, but it also has a bit of indigo in it.



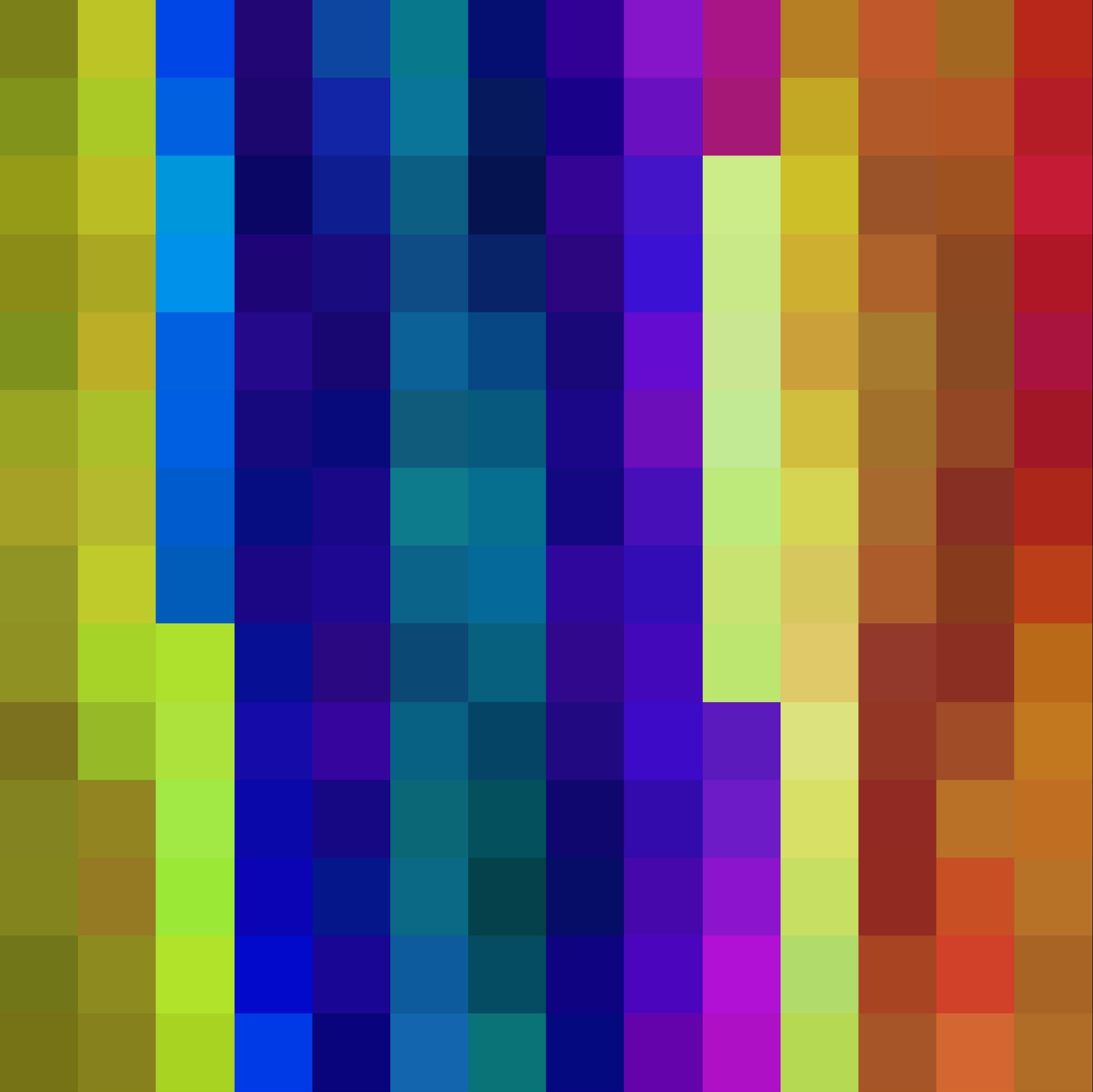
An 11 by 11 grid with coloured squares that form a gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly yellow, but it also has quite some green, some lime, and a bit of orange in it.



An 11 by 11 grid with coloured squares that form a very, very colourful gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly blue, and it also has some magenta, some cyan, some red, some purple, a bit of rose, a little bit of indigo, a tiny bit of orange, and a tiny bit of violet in it.



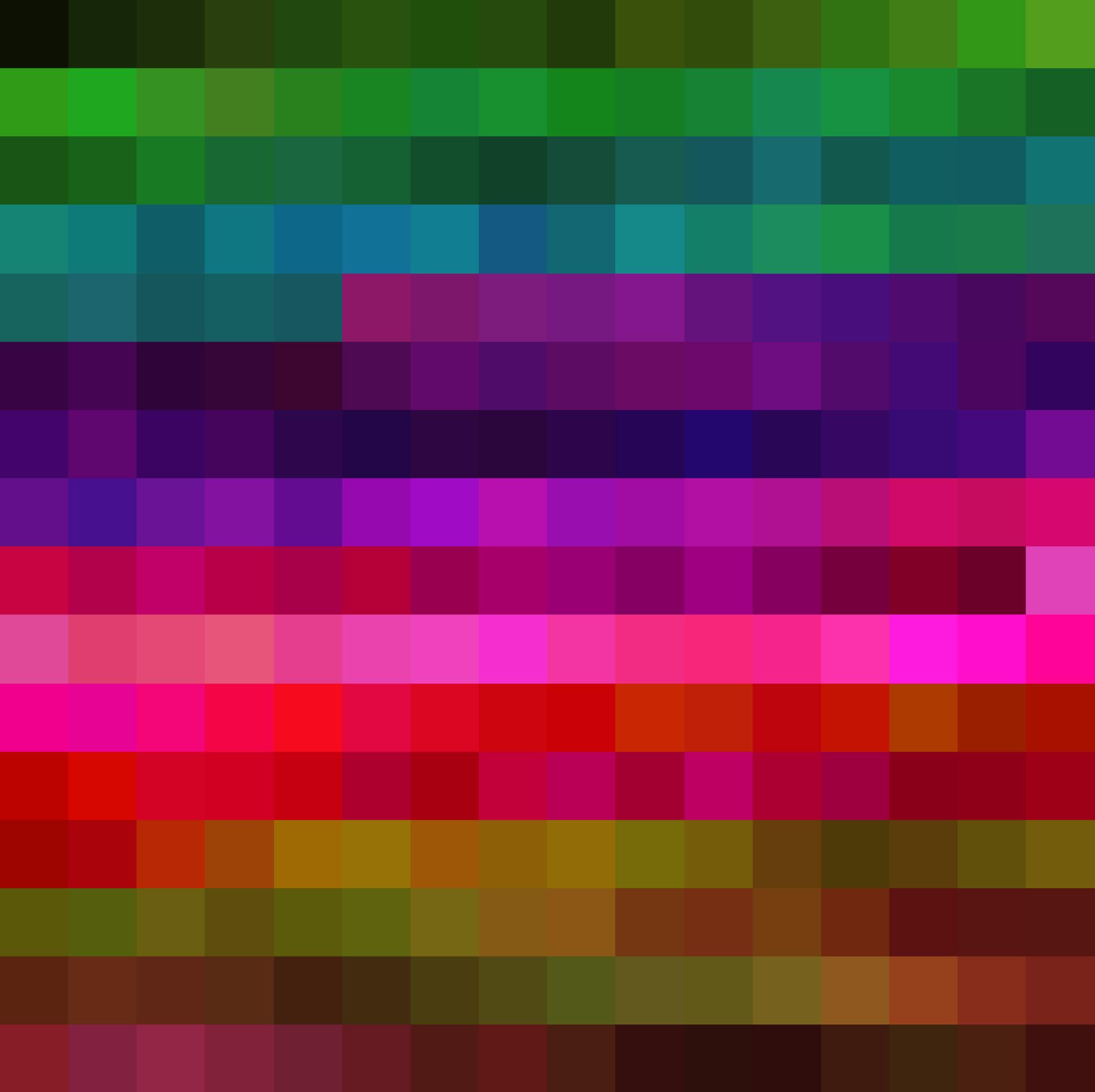
There's a pixel gradient in this 5 by 5 grid. It is mostly cyan, and it also has quite some blue, and a little bit of green in it.



There's a very, very colourful pixel gradient in this 14 by 14 grid. It is mostly blue, but it also has some indigo, some yellow, some orange, a bit of red, a little bit of lime, a little bit of green, a little bit of cyan, a little bit of violet, a little bit of purple, and a tiny bit of magenta in it.



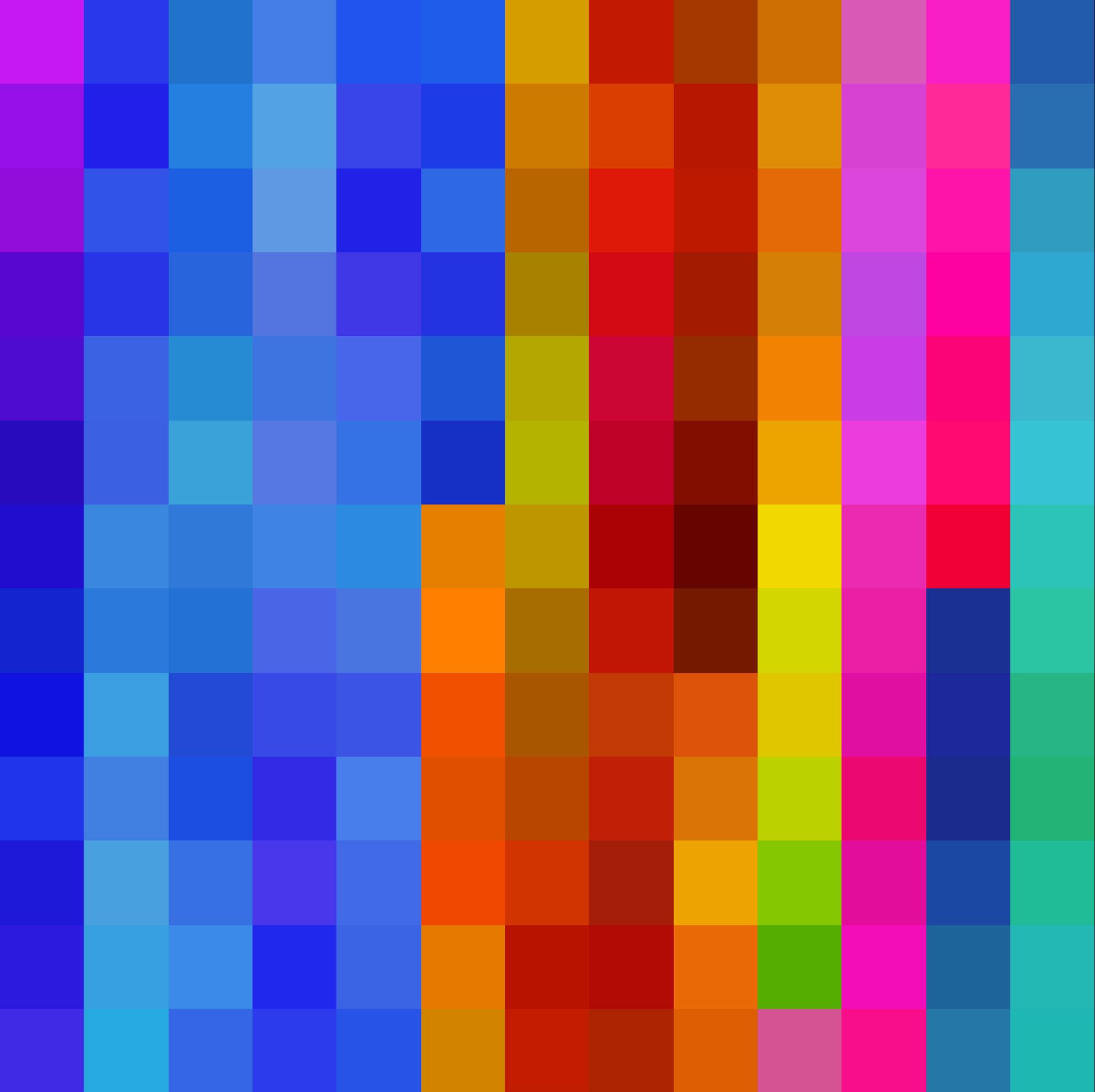
The colourful gradient in this 5 by 5 pixel grid is mostly orange, but it also has quite some yellow, quite some lime, a bit of red, and a little bit of green in it.



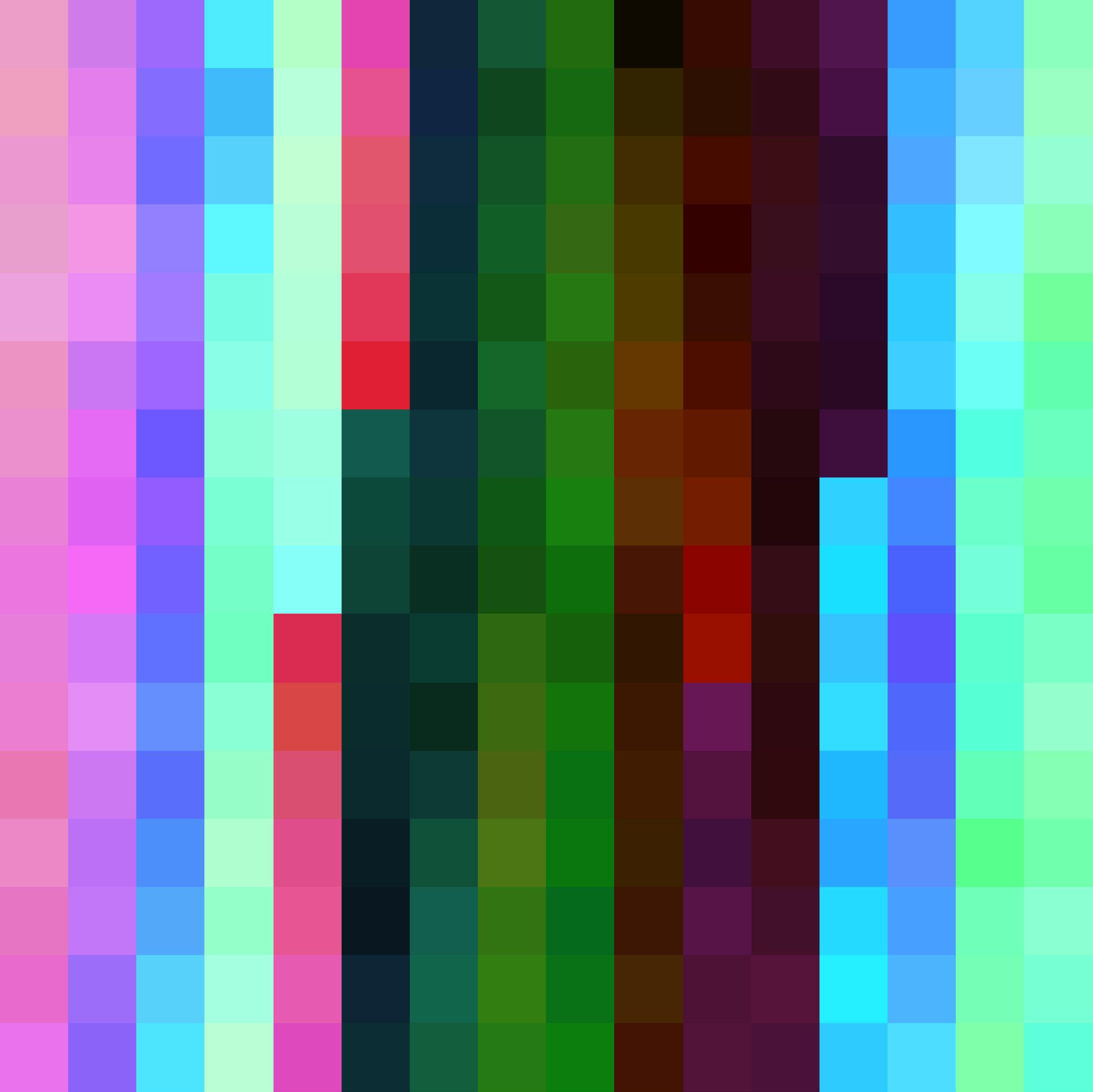
The very, very colourful gradient in this 16 by 16 pixel grid is mostly green, but it also has some red, some magenta, some rose, some purple, a bit of orange, a bit of cyan, a bit of yellow, a tiny bit of violet, a tiny bit of blue, a tiny bit of lime, and a tiny bit of indigo in it.



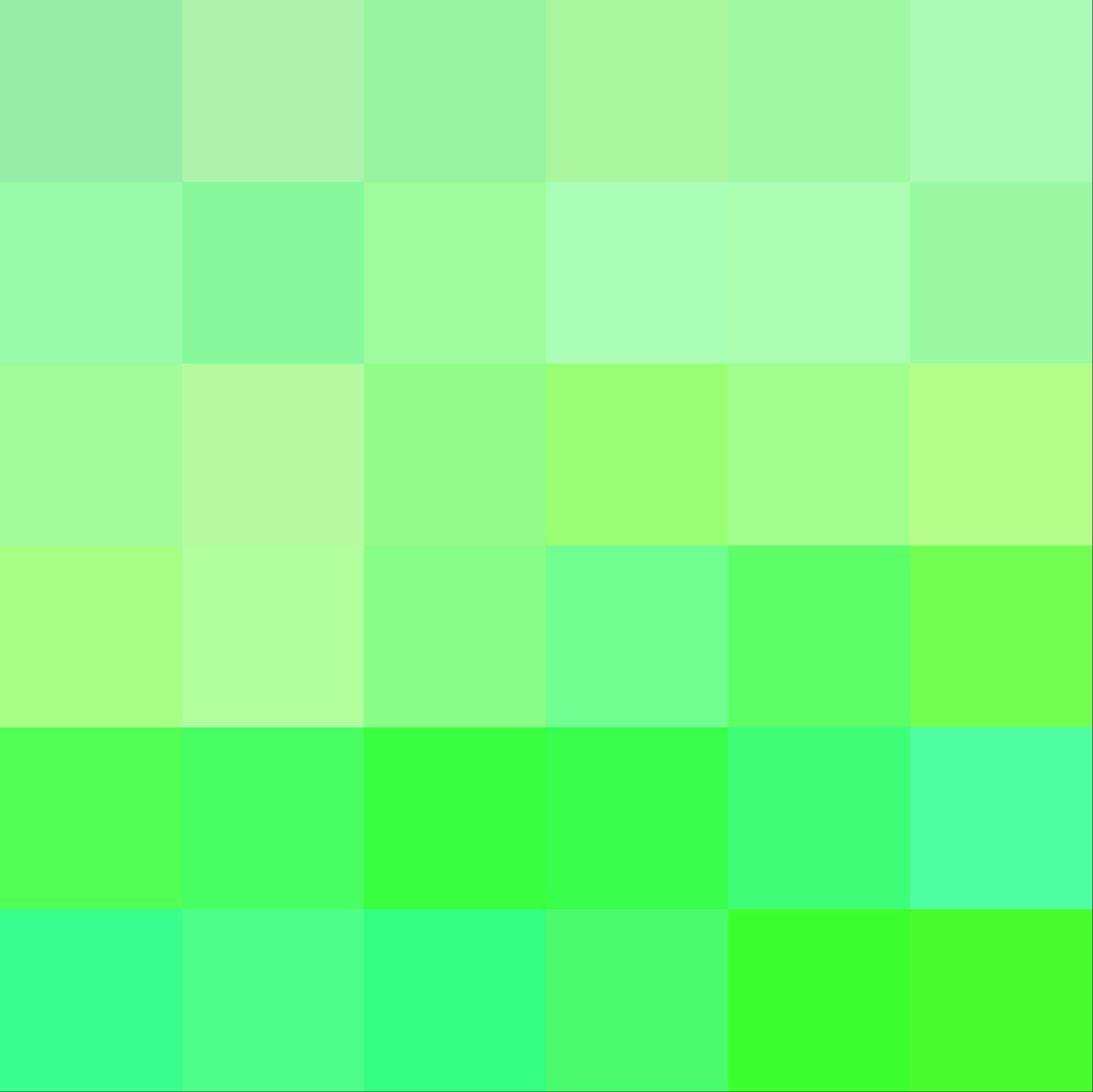
A colourful grid of 64 blocks. It's mostly orange, but it also has quite some yellow, some green, some lime, and a little bit of red in it.



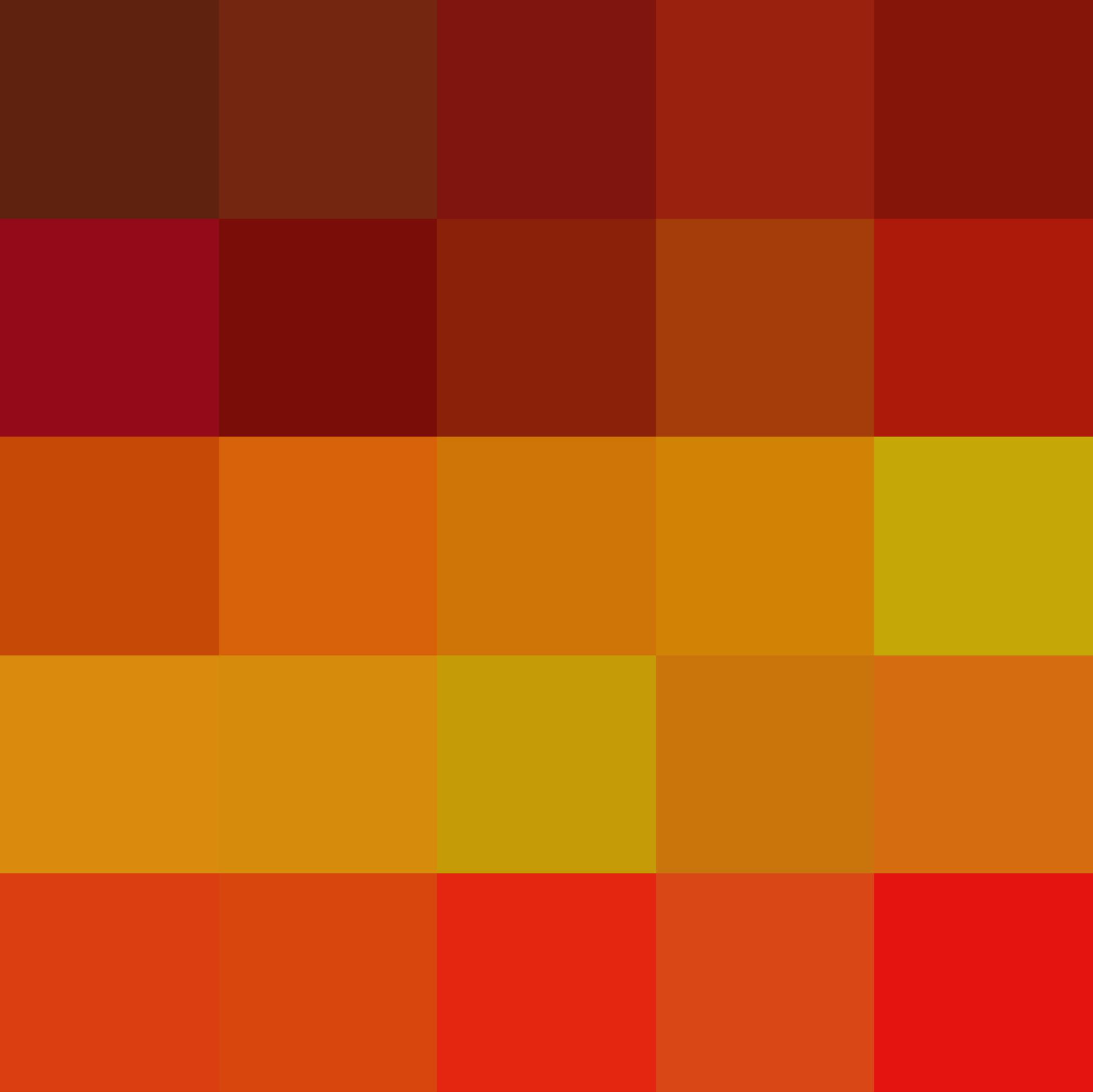
A grid with 169 coloured squares that form a very, very colourful gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly blue, but it also has some orange, some red, a bit of magenta, a little bit of indigo, a little bit of yellow, a little bit of cyan, a little bit of rose, a little bit of purple, a tiny bit of green, and a tiny bit of violet in it.



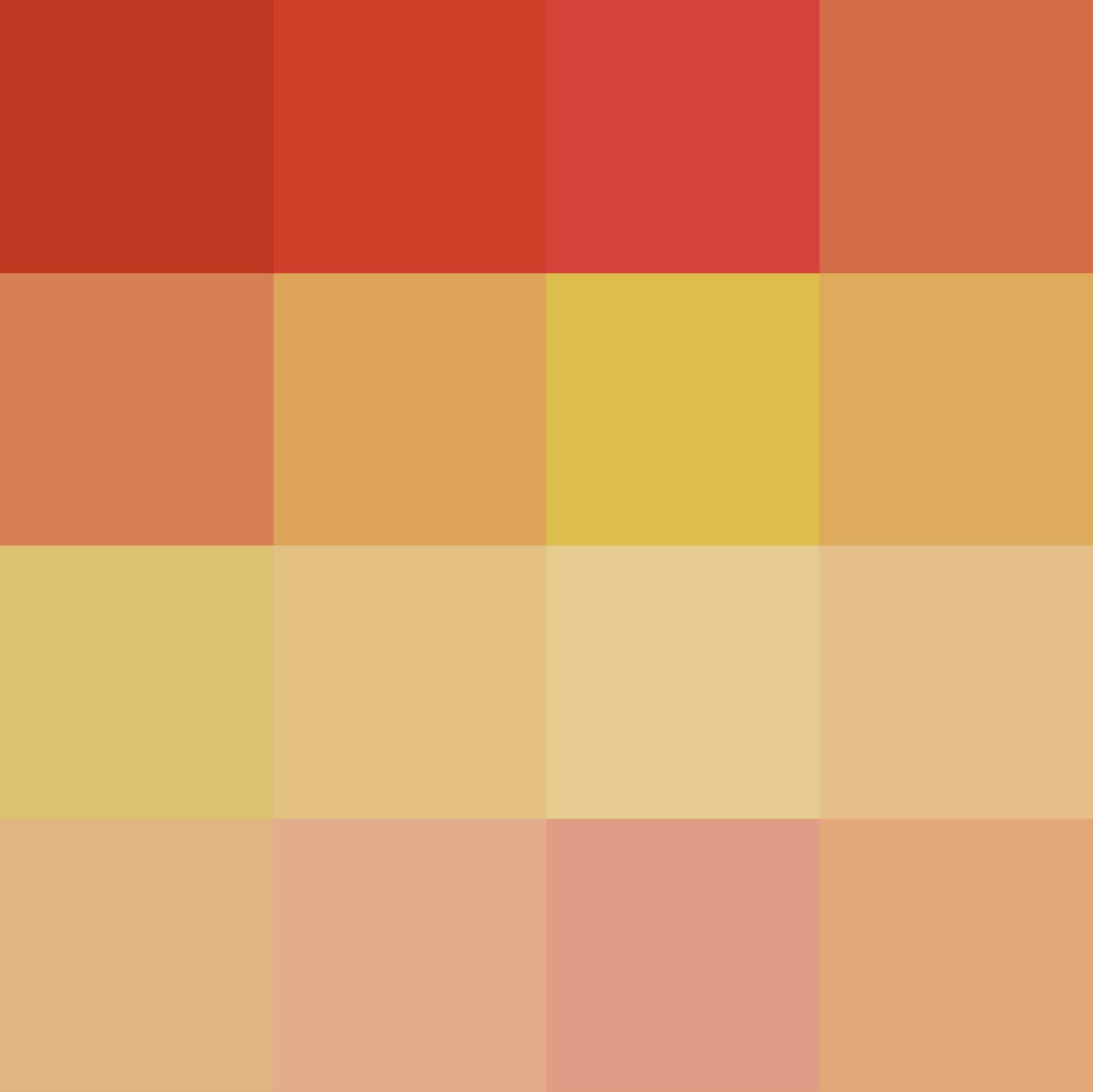
The very, very colourful gradient in this 16 by 16 pixel grid is mostly green, but it also has some magenta, some blue, some cyan, a bit of red, a little bit of orange, a little bit of rose, a little bit of indigo, a little bit of purple, a tiny bit of violet, a tiny bit of yellow, and a tiny bit of lime in it.



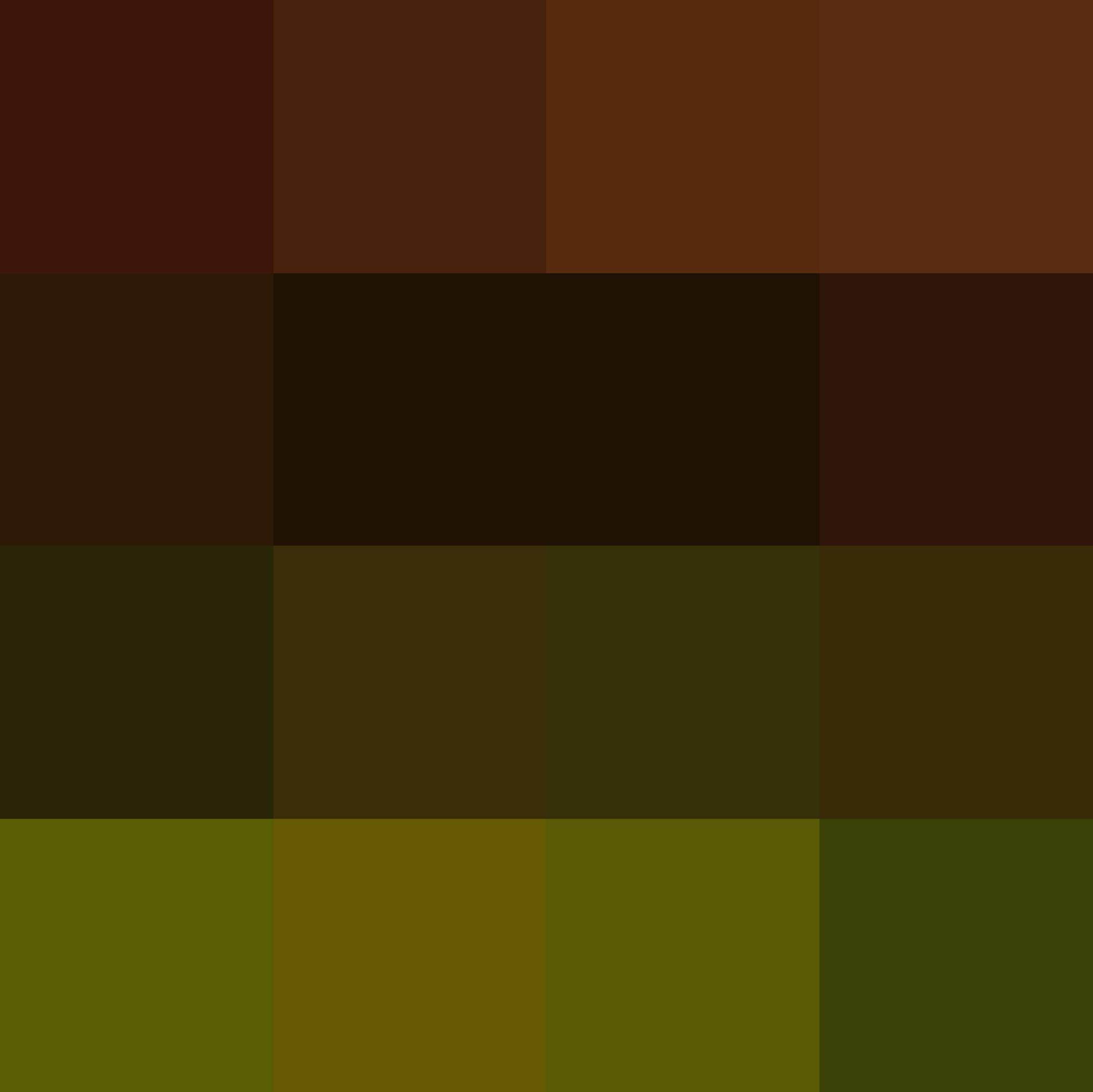
A grid with 36 coloured squares that form a monochrome gradient. The colours are various shades of green.



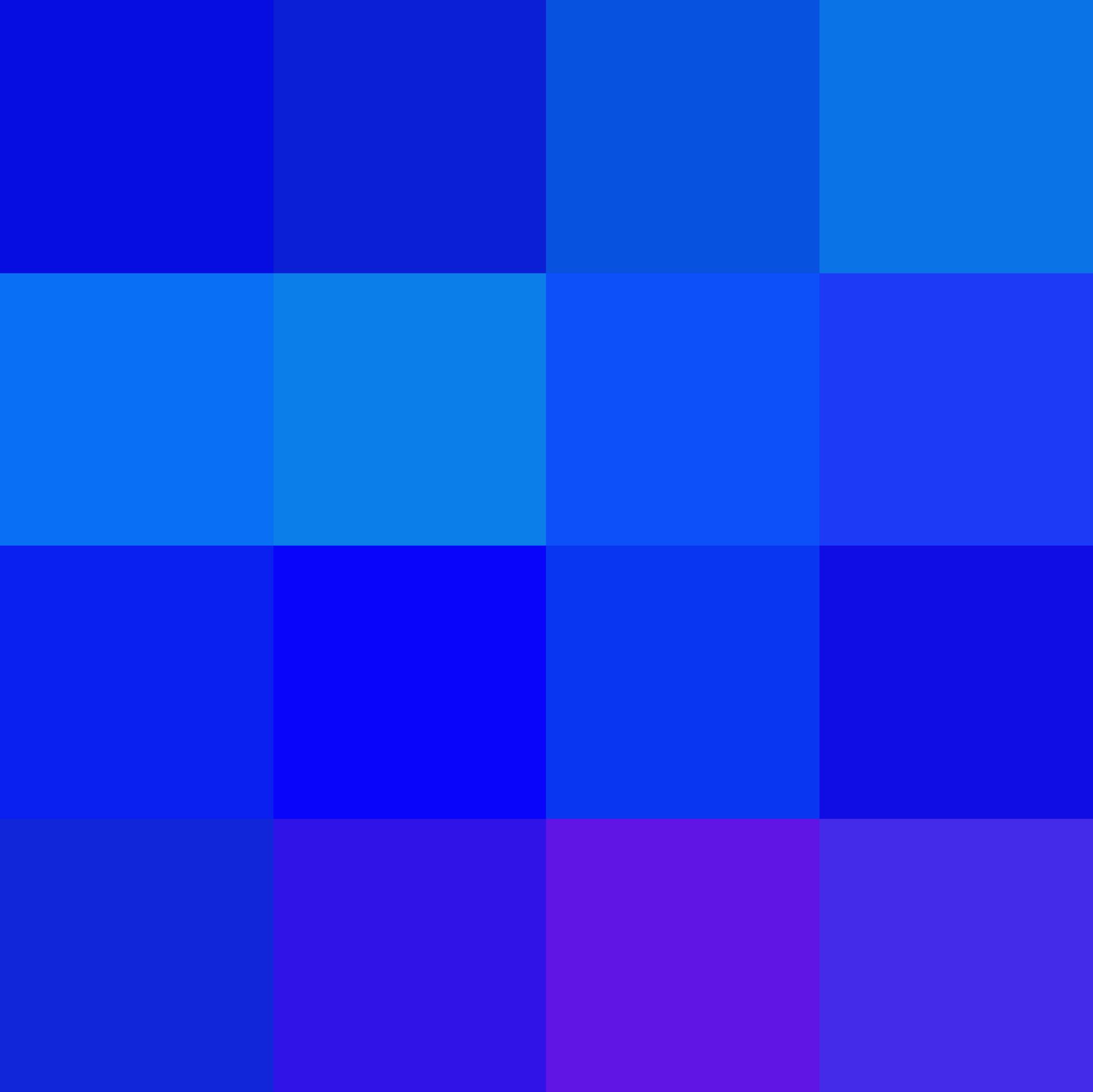
A 5 by 5 grid with coloured squares that form a gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly red, and it also has a lot of orange, and a bit of yellow in it.



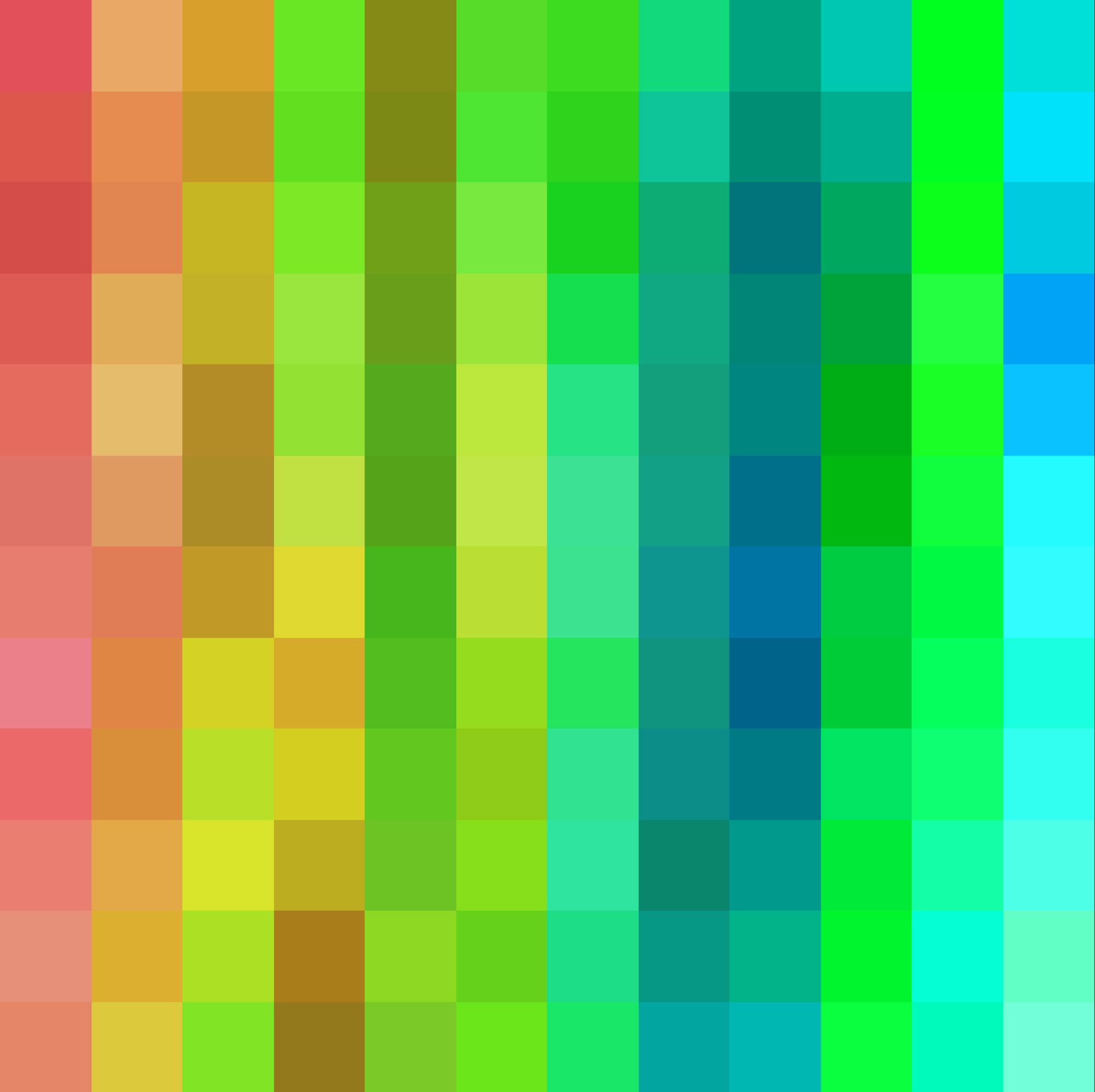
There's a pixel gradient in this 4 by 4 grid. It is mostly orange, and it also has some red, and a little bit of yellow in it.



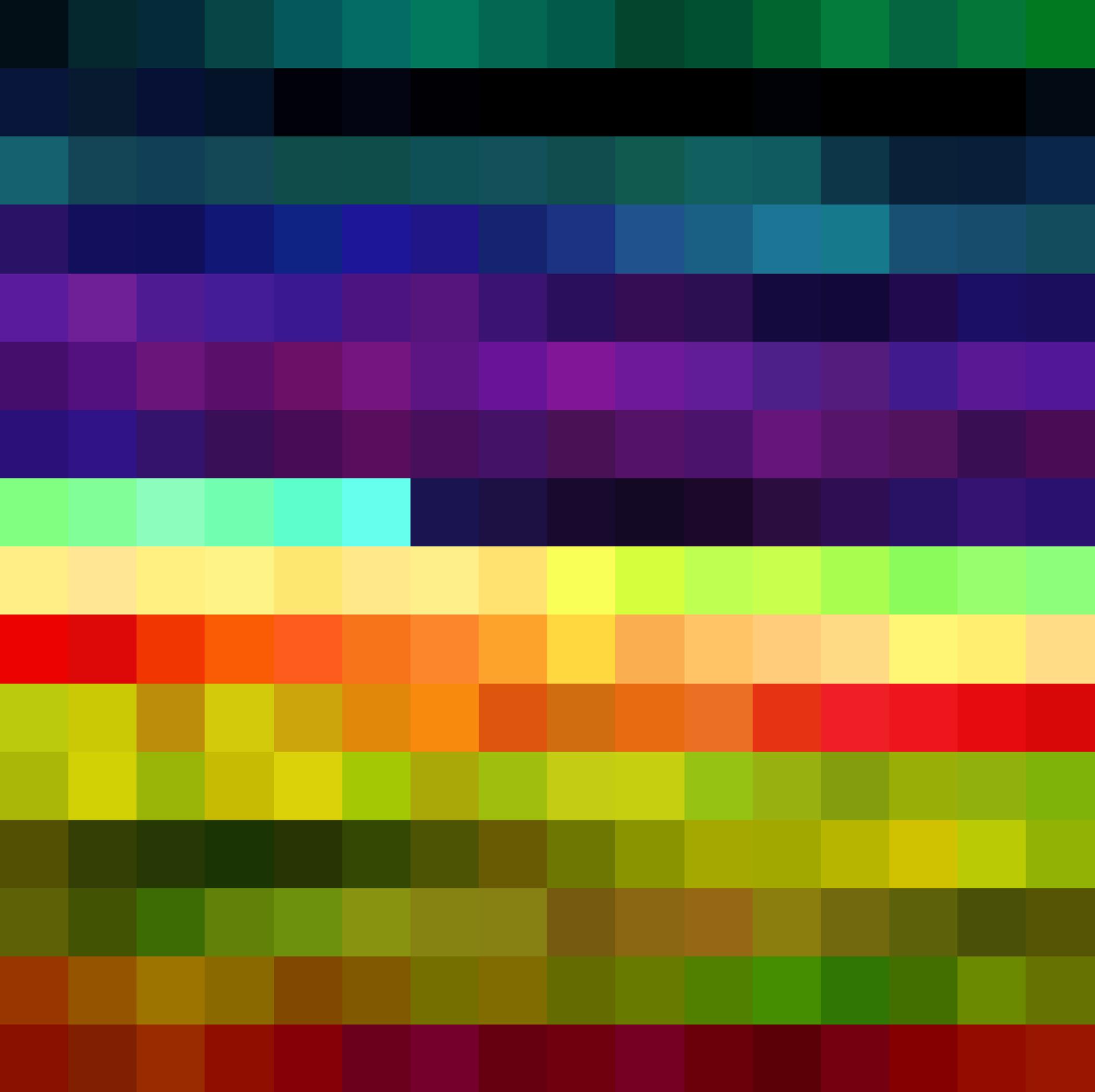
A grid of 16 blocks. It's mostly orange, and it also has a lot of yellow, and a little bit of red in it.



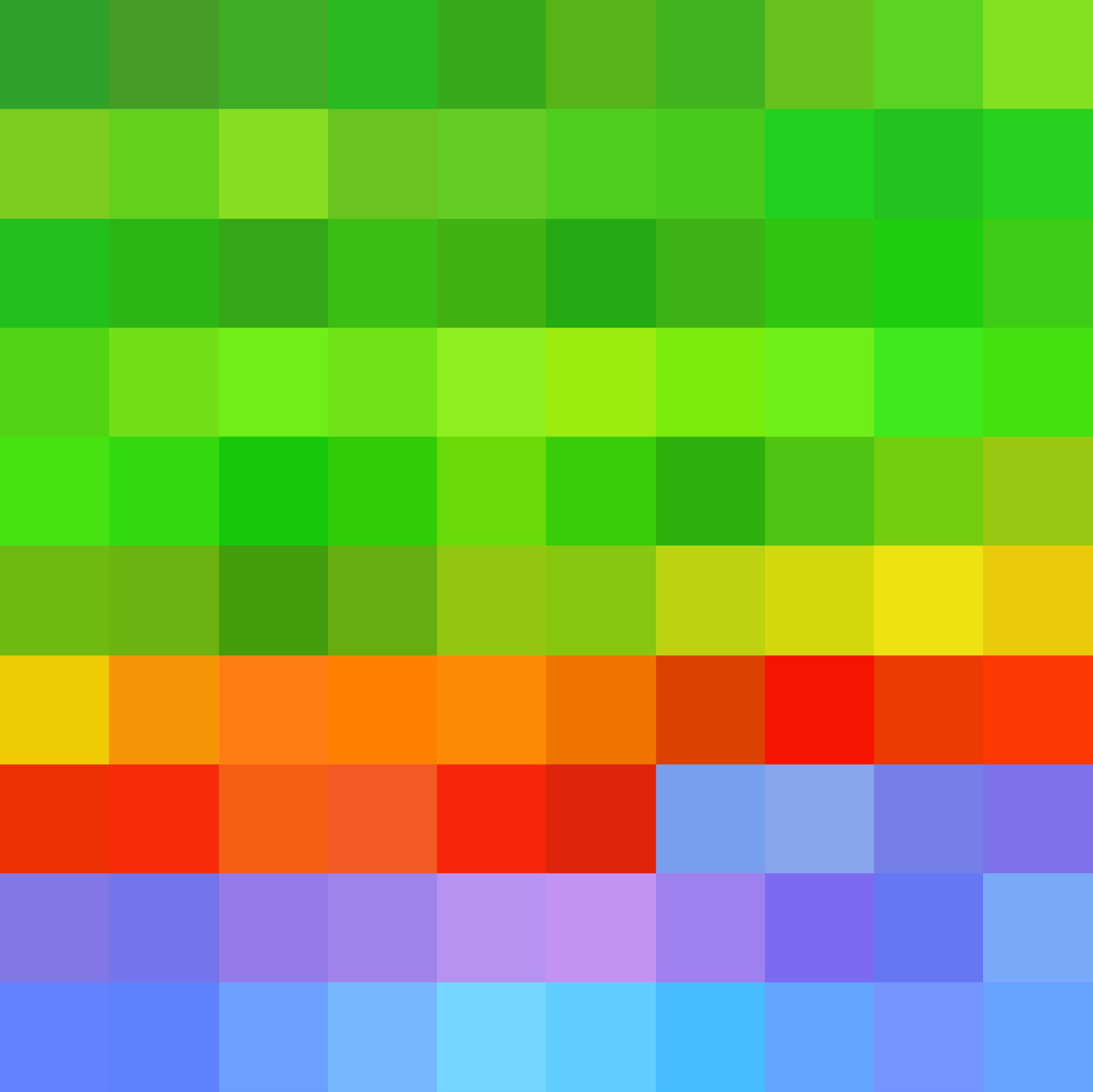
This gradient, generated in this 4 by 4 pixel grid, is mostly blue, and it also has quite some indigo, and a little bit of violet in it.



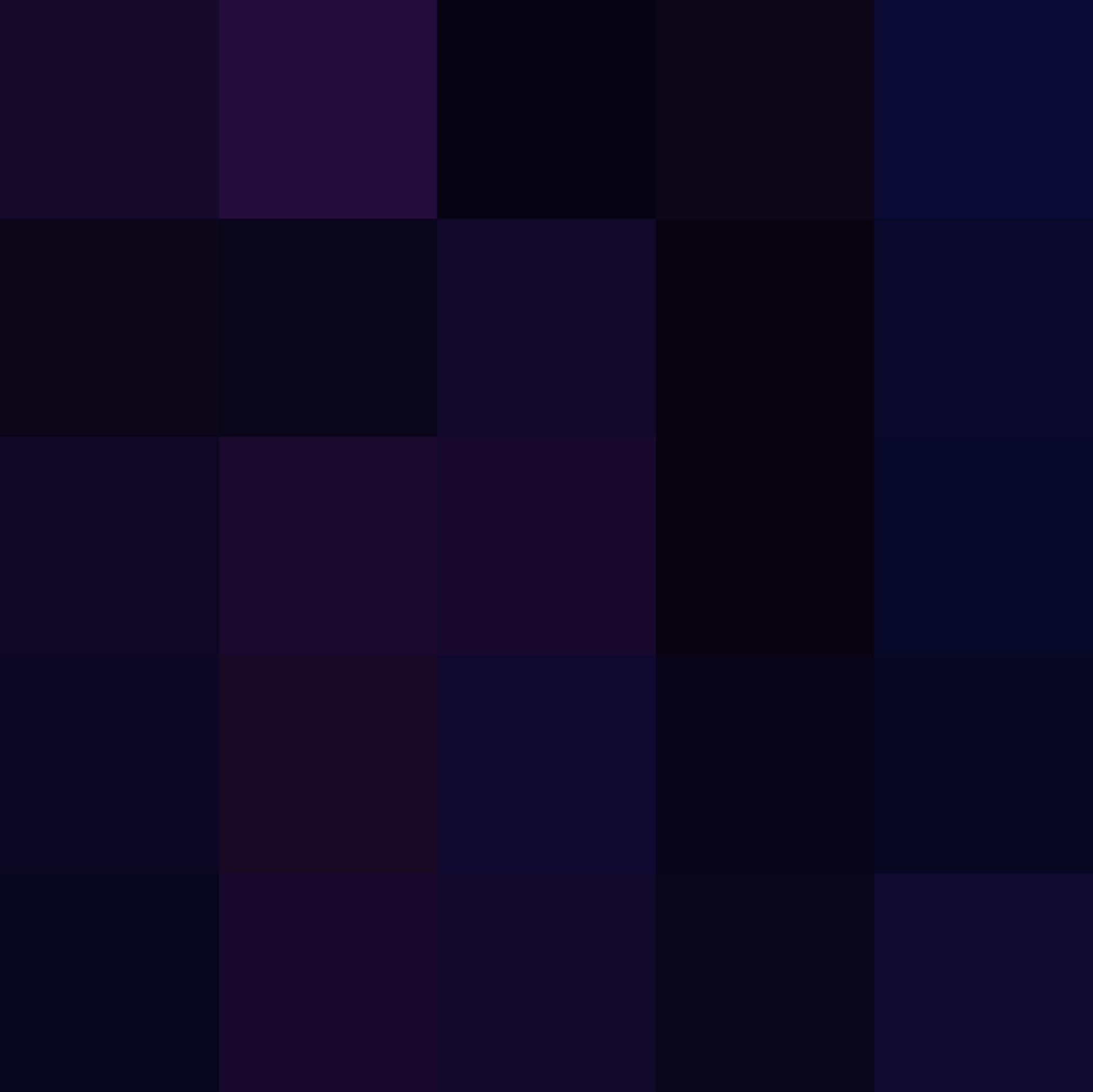
Here's a 12 by 12 pixelated grid that forms a very colourful gradient. It is mostly green, but it also has quite some cyan, some orange, a bit of red, a bit of yellow, a little bit of lime, and a little bit of blue in it.



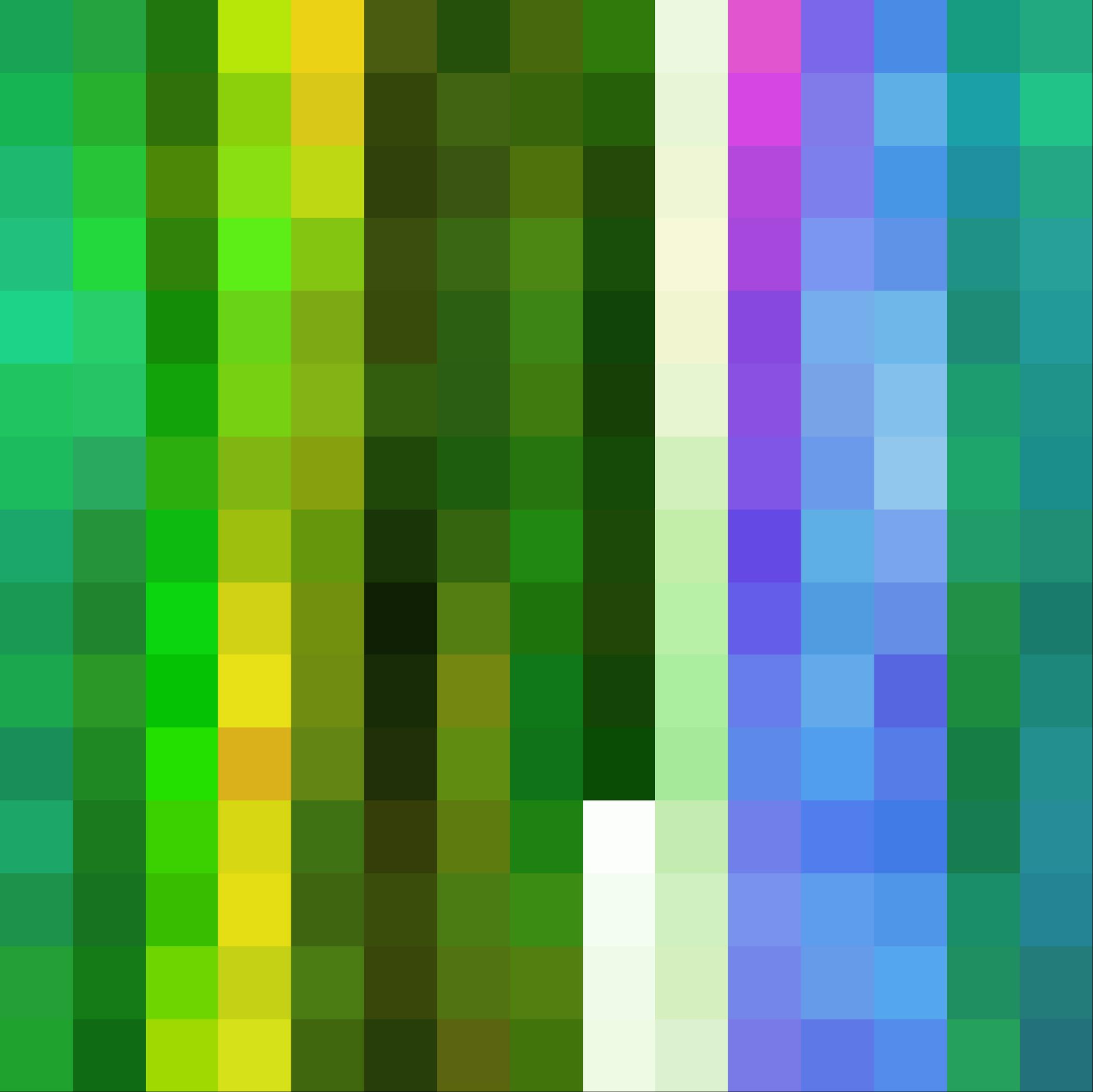
This very, very colourful pixel gradient—it is 16 cells wide, 16 cells high—is mostly yellow, and it also has some blue, some purple, a bit of orange, a bit of green, a bit of red, a bit of cyan, a bit of indigo, a little bit of lime, a little bit of violet, and a tiny bit of magenta in it.



The cells in this 10 by 10 pixel grid form a very, very colourful gradient. It is mostly green, and it also has some blue, a bit of orange, a bit of red, a little bit of indigo, a little bit of yellow, a tiny bit of lime, and a tiny bit of violet in it.



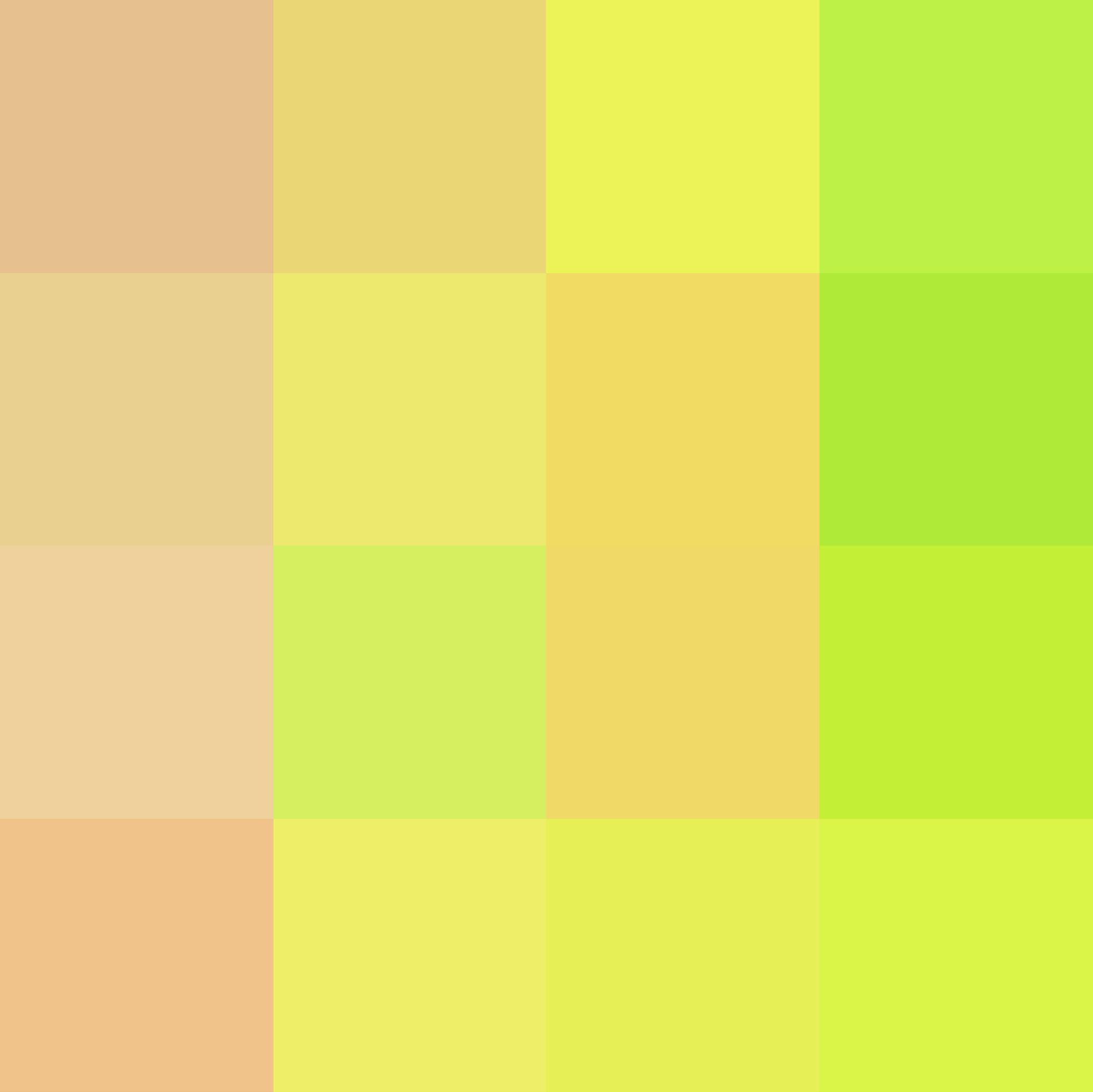
There's a pixel gradient in this 5 by 5 grid. It is mostly indigo, but it also has quite some violet, a bit of purple, and a bit of blue in it.



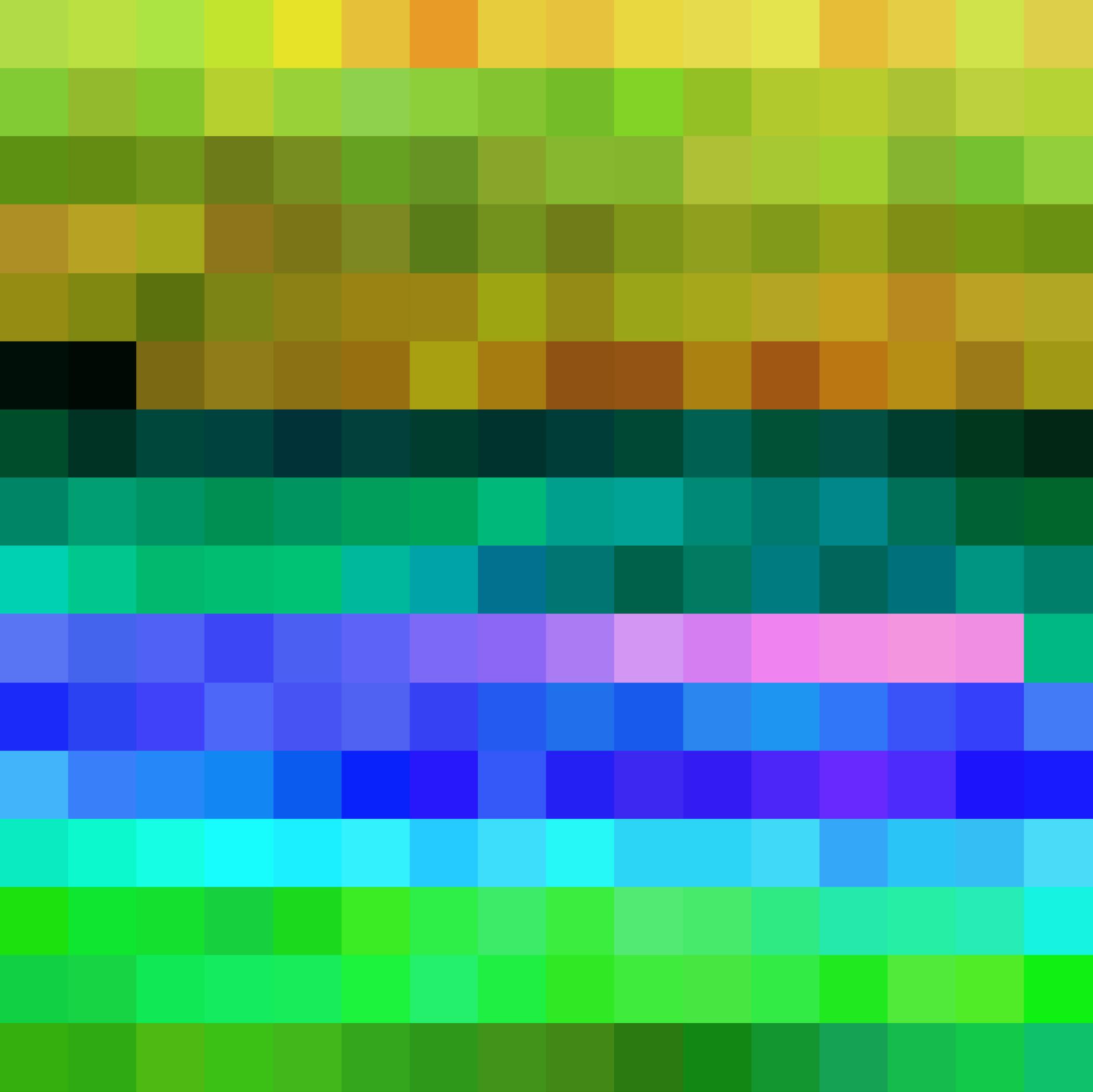
This very, very colourful gradient, generated in this 15 by 15 pixel grid, is mostly green, but it also has some blue, a bit of lime, a bit of cyan, a bit of yellow, a tiny bit of indigo, a tiny bit of magenta, a tiny bit of purple, and a tiny bit of violet in it.



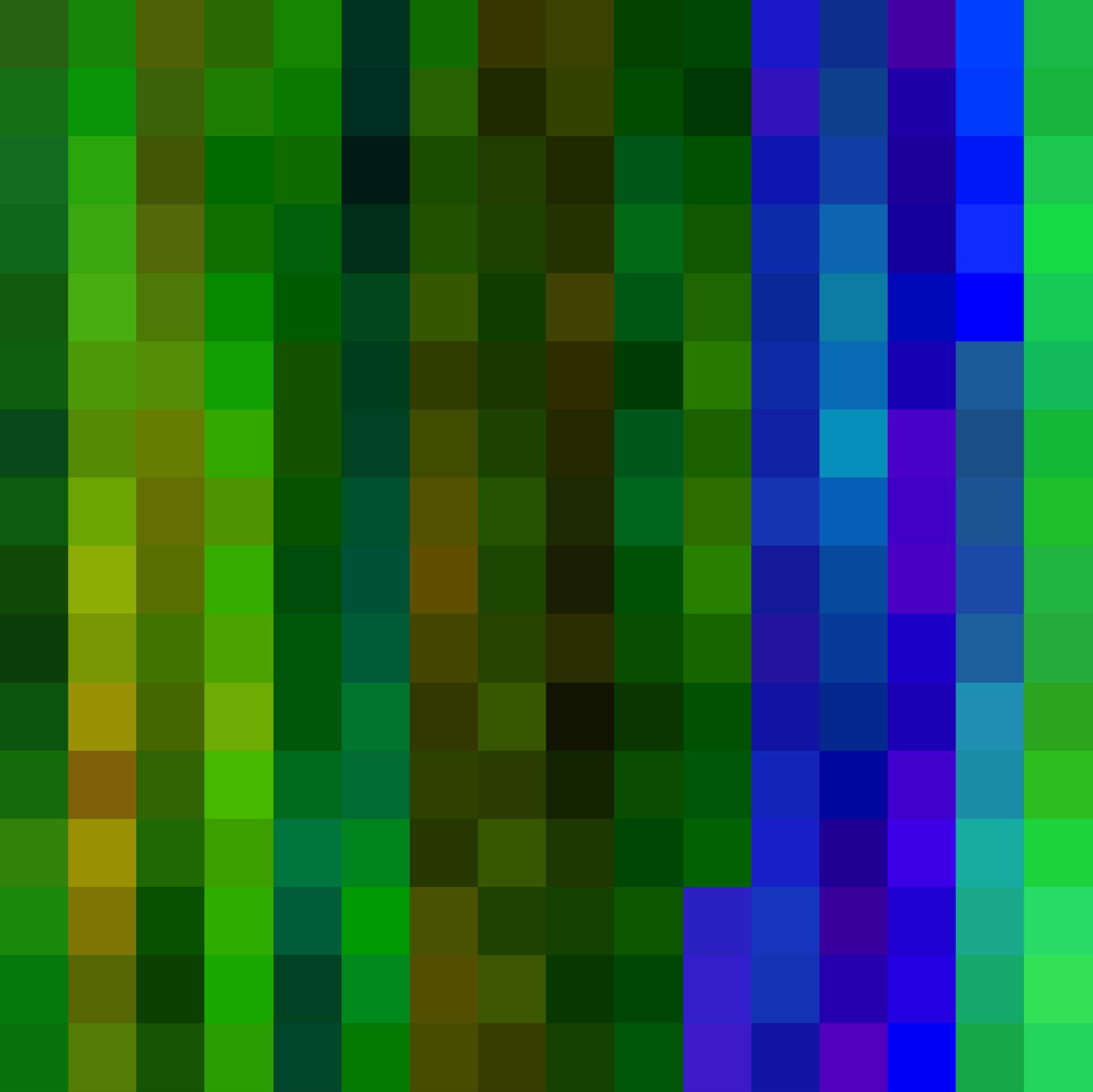
There's a colourful pixel gradient in this 7 by 7 grid. It is mostly red, but it also has quite some magenta, some orange, a bit of yellow, and a tiny bit of rose in it.



The gradient in this 4 by 4 pixel grid is mostly yellow, and it also has quite some orange, some lime, and a little bit of green in it.



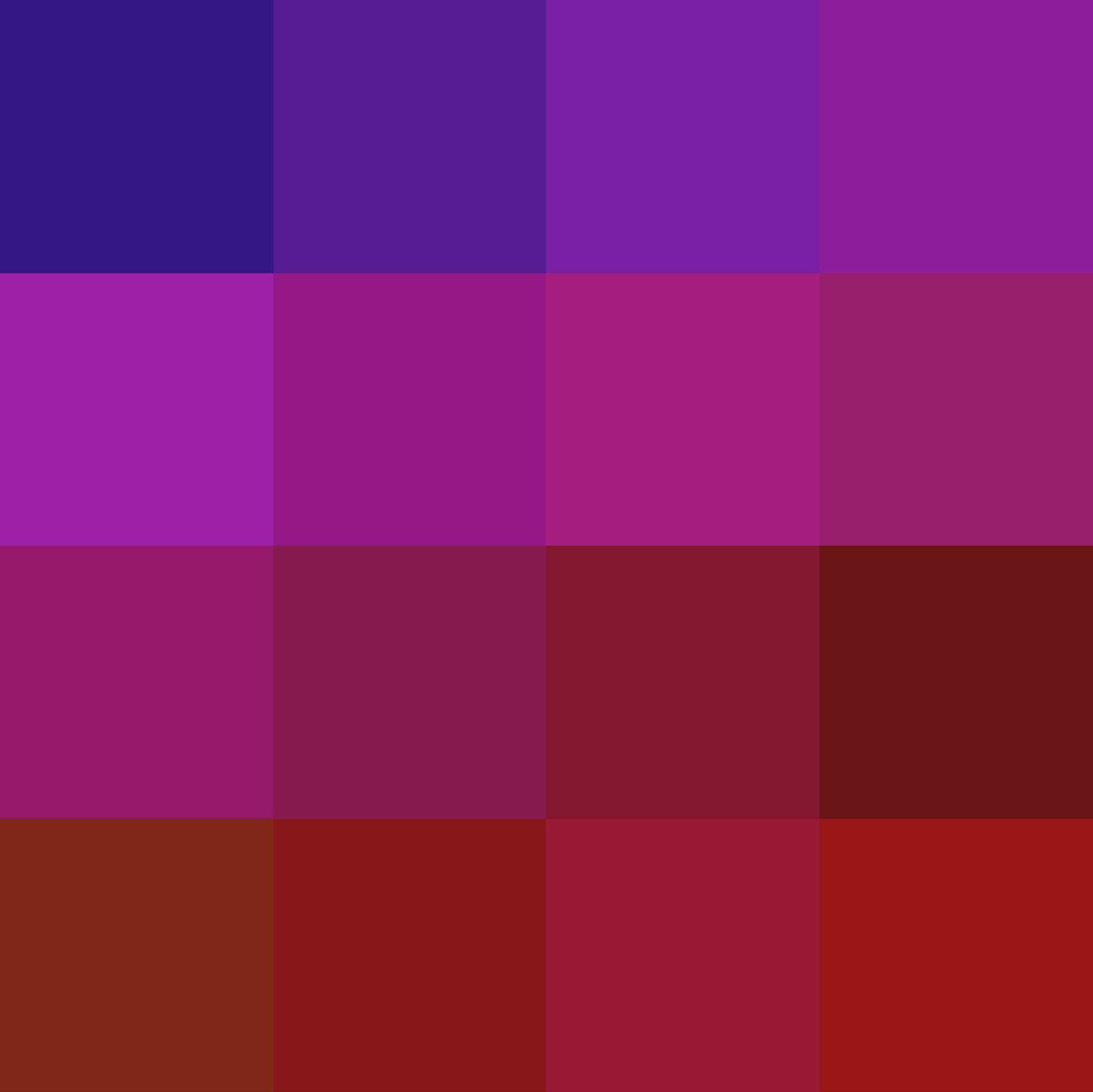
Here's a 16 by 16 pixelated grid that forms a very, very colourful gradient. It is mostly green, and it also has some yellow, some cyan, some blue, a bit of lime, a little bit of orange, a little bit of indigo, a tiny bit of magenta, a tiny bit of purple, and a tiny bit of violet in it.



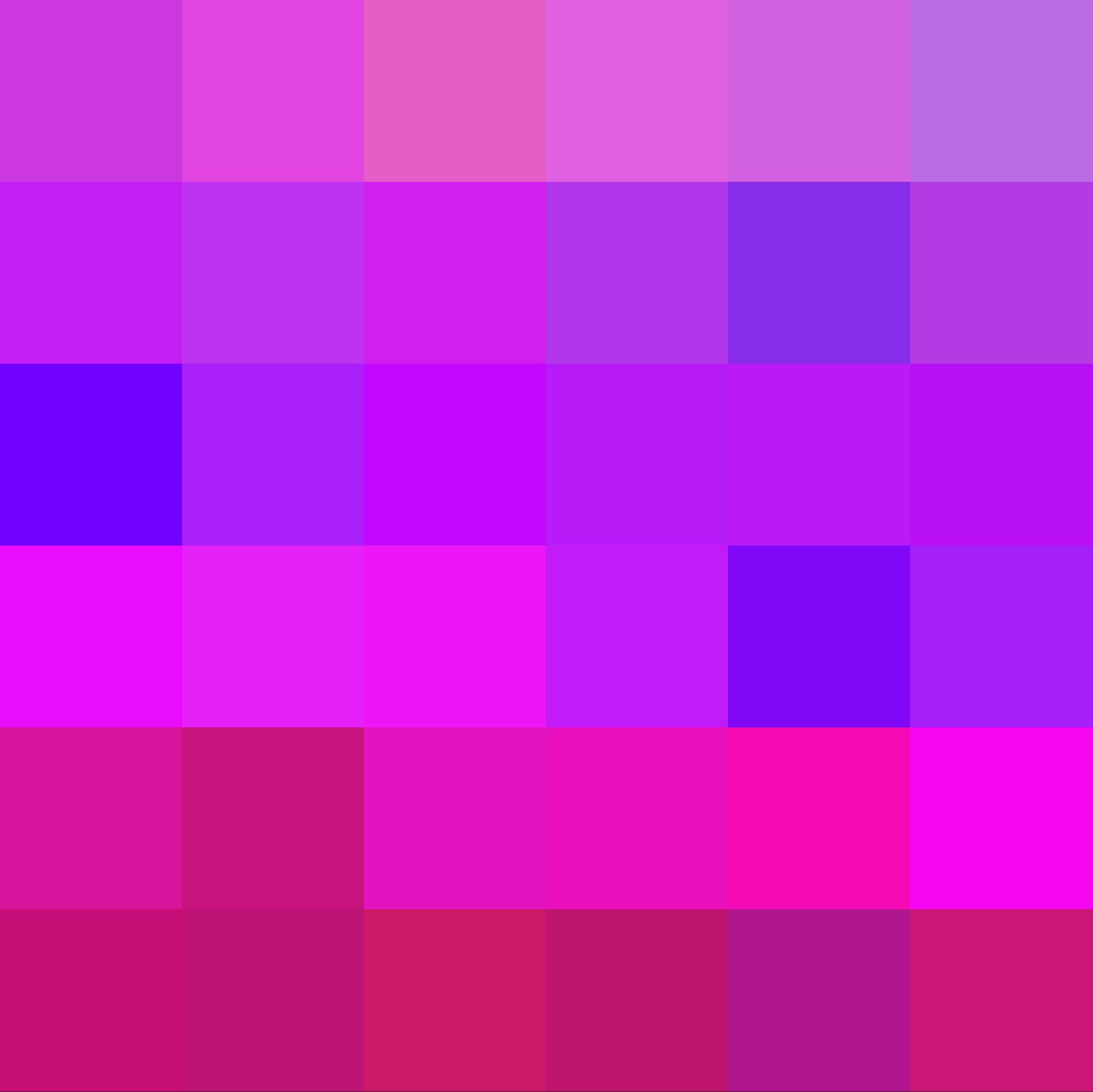
There's a very, very colourful pixel gradient in this 16 by 16 grid. It is mostly green, and it also has some blue, a bit of yellow, a bit of lime, a bit of indigo, a tiny bit of cyan, a tiny bit of violet, and a tiny bit of orange in it.



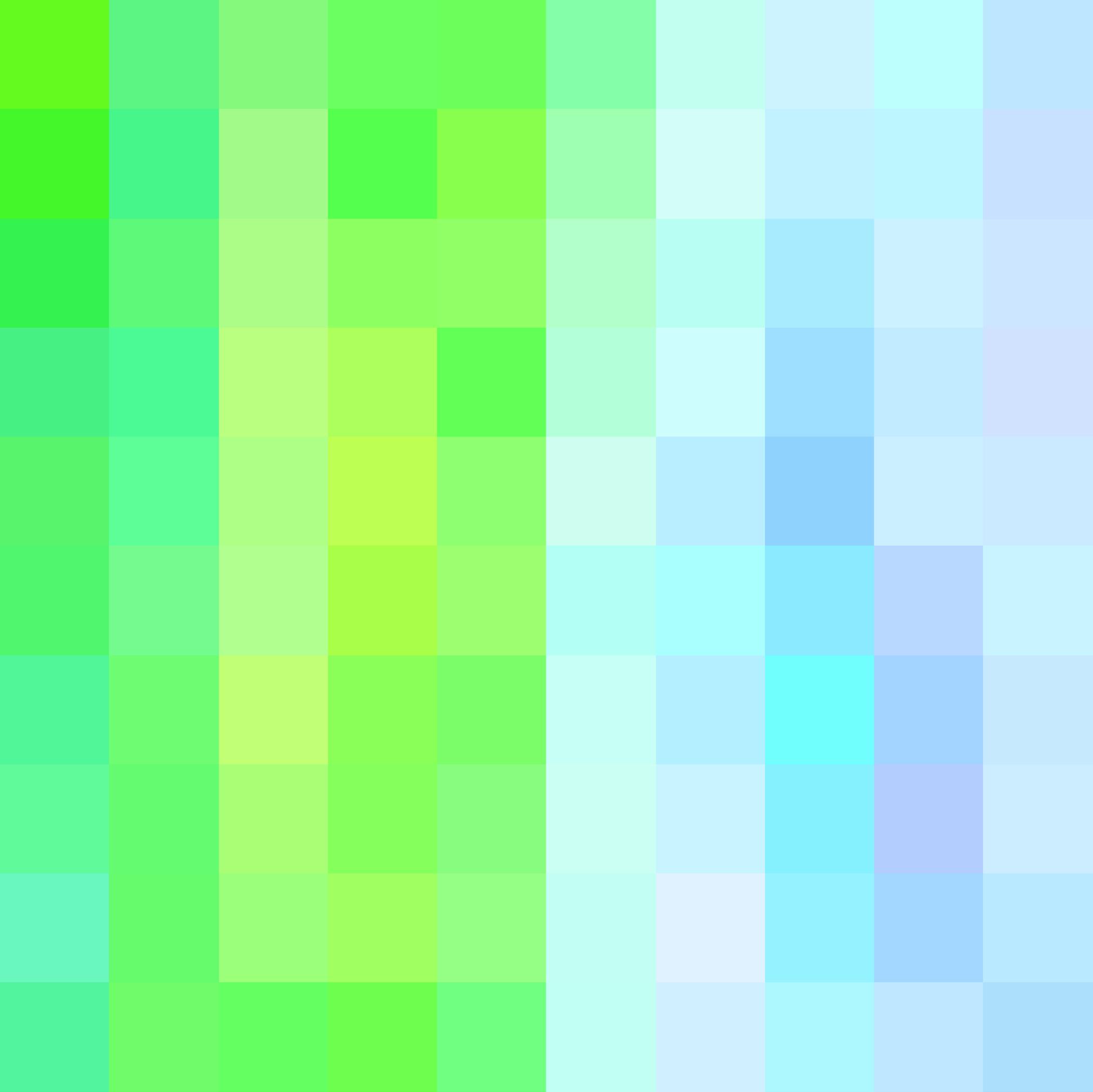
A grid with 196 coloured squares that form a very, very colourful gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly blue, and it also has some green, some red, some yellow, some indigo, a bit of purple, a bit of cyan, a little bit of violet, a little bit of orange, a tiny bit of lime, and a tiny bit of magenta in it.



The very colourful gradient in this 4 by 4 pixel grid is mostly magenta, but it also has quite some red, a little bit of indigo, a little bit of violet, a little bit of purple, and a little bit of rose in it.



There's a pixel gradient in this 6 by 6 grid. It is mostly magenta, and it also has quite some purple, a bit of violet, and a bit of rose in it.



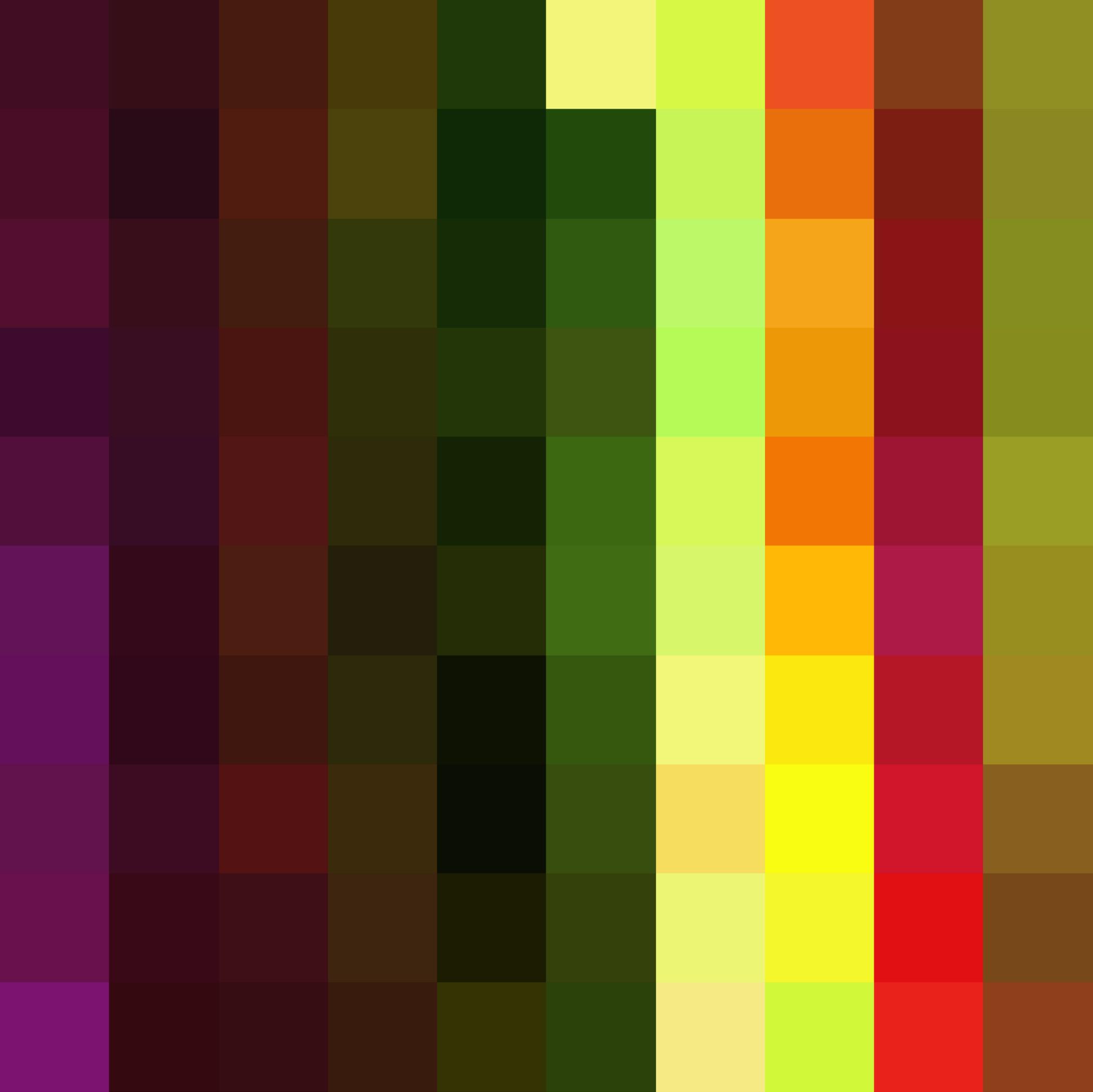
A 10 by 10 grid with coloured squares that form a gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly green, but it also has quite some blue, and quite some cyan in it.



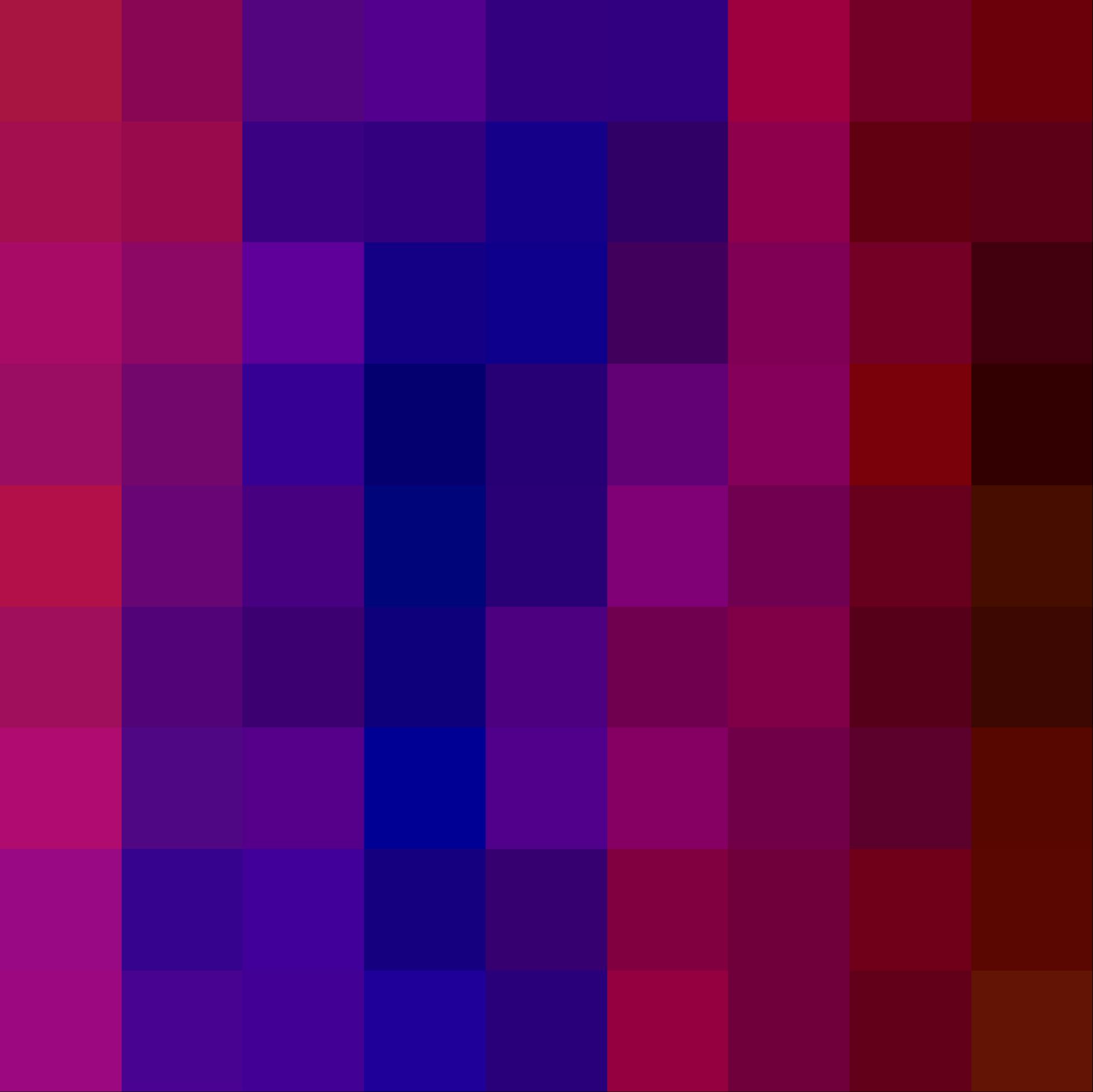
Here's a 6 by 6 pixelated grid that forms a very colourful gradient. It is mostly rose, and it also has quite some purple, some magenta, some red, a bit of violet, and a little bit of indigo in it.



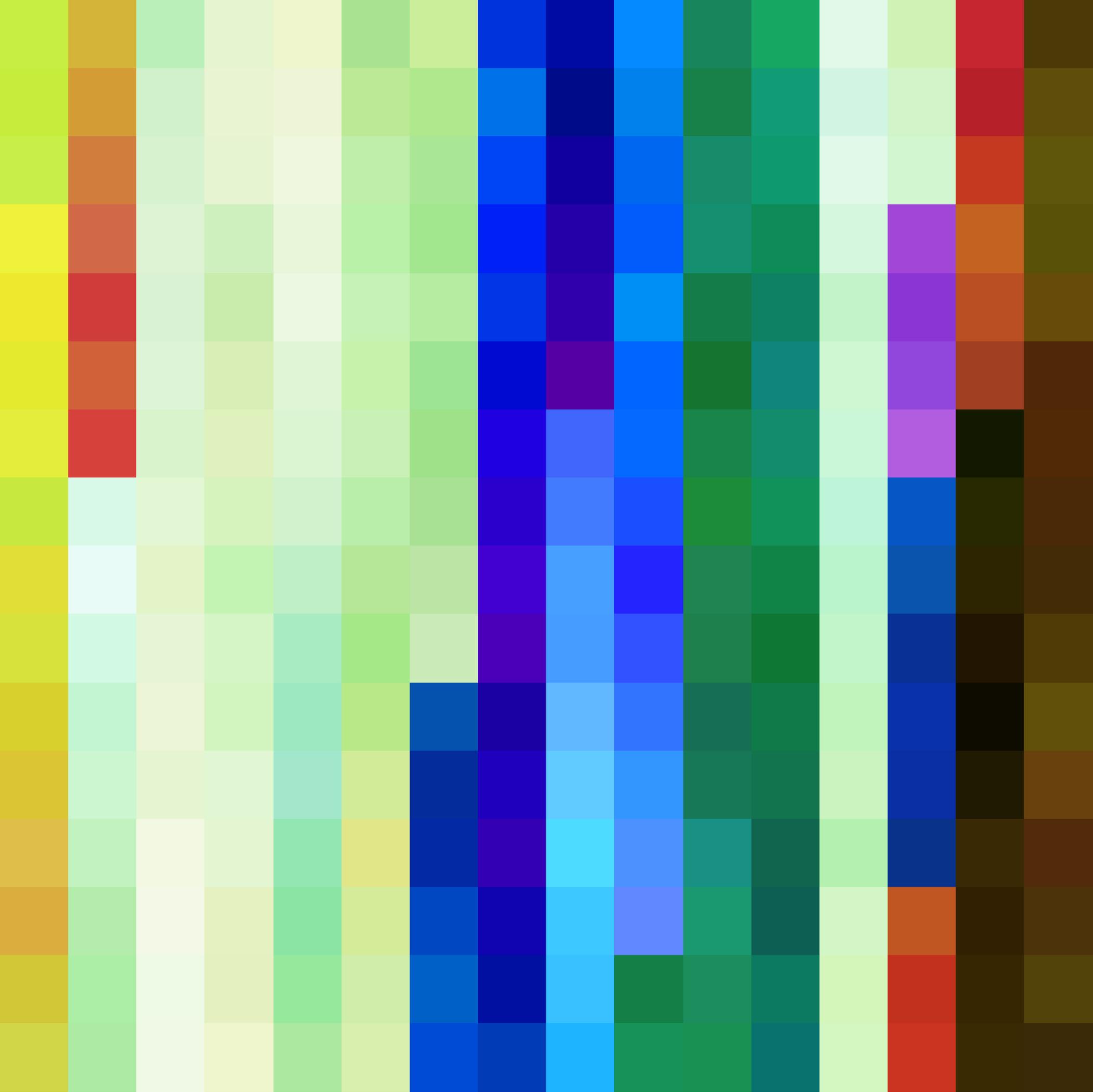
The cells in this 7 by 7 pixel grid form a colourful gradient. It is mostly red, and it also has quite some orange, a little bit of yellow, a little bit of magenta, and a tiny bit of rose in it.



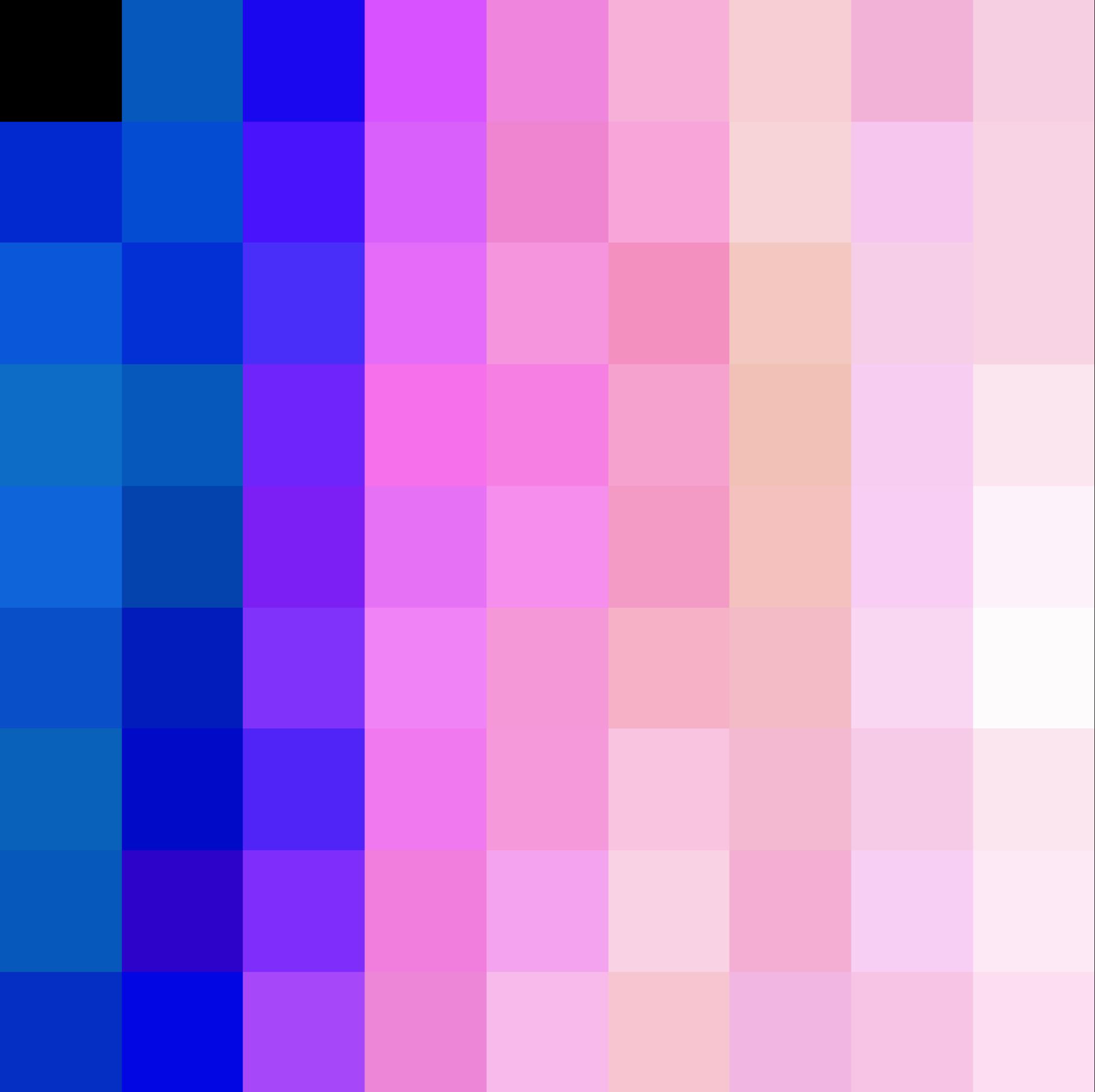
The very colourful gradient in this 10 by 10 pixel grid is mostly yellow, but it also has quite some red, some green, some orange, a bit of rose, a bit of magenta, and a bit of lime in it.



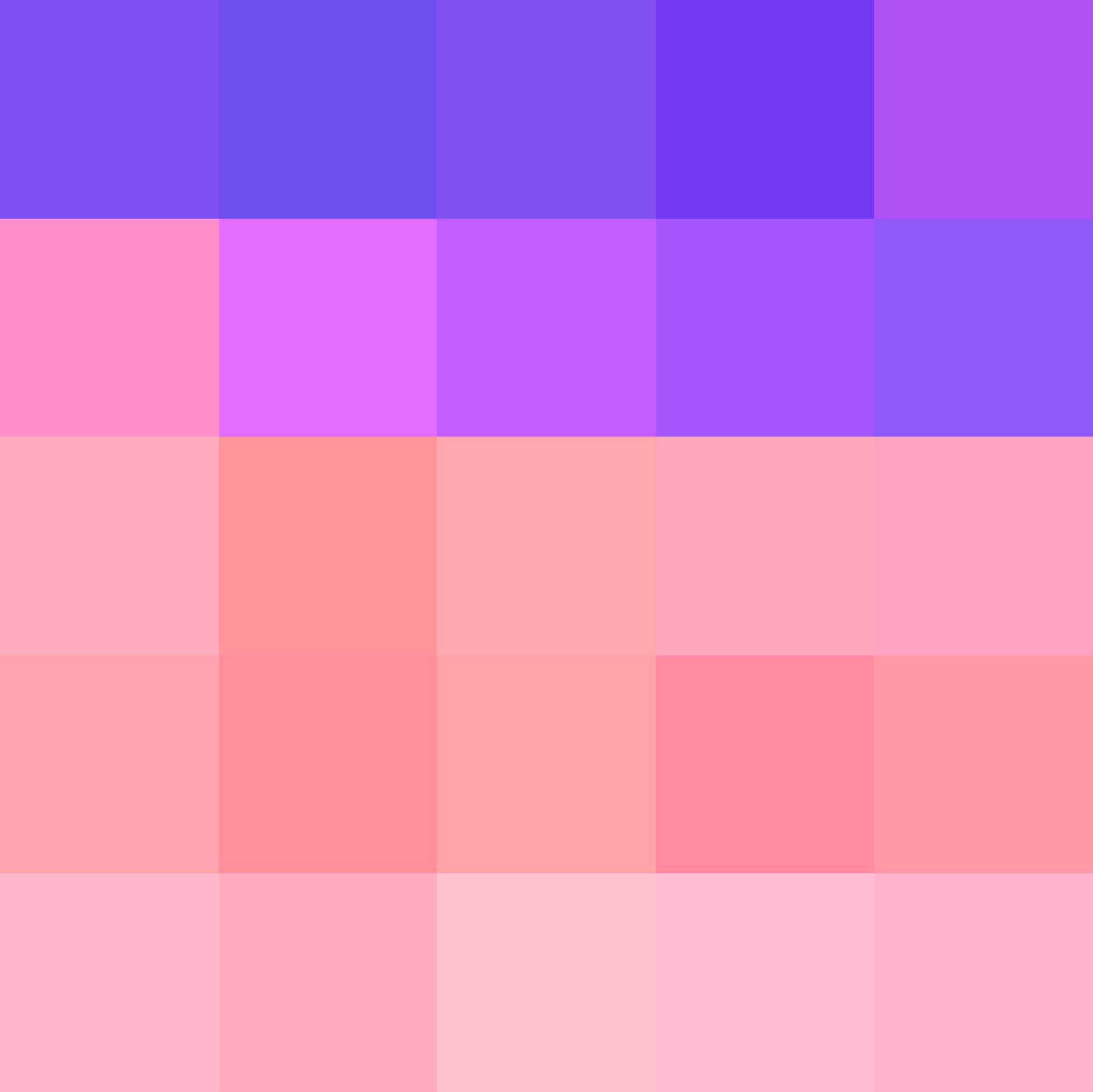
The very colourful gradient in this 9 by 9 pixel grid is mostly rose, but it also has quite some magenta, some purple, some violet, some red, some indigo, and a tiny bit of blue in it.



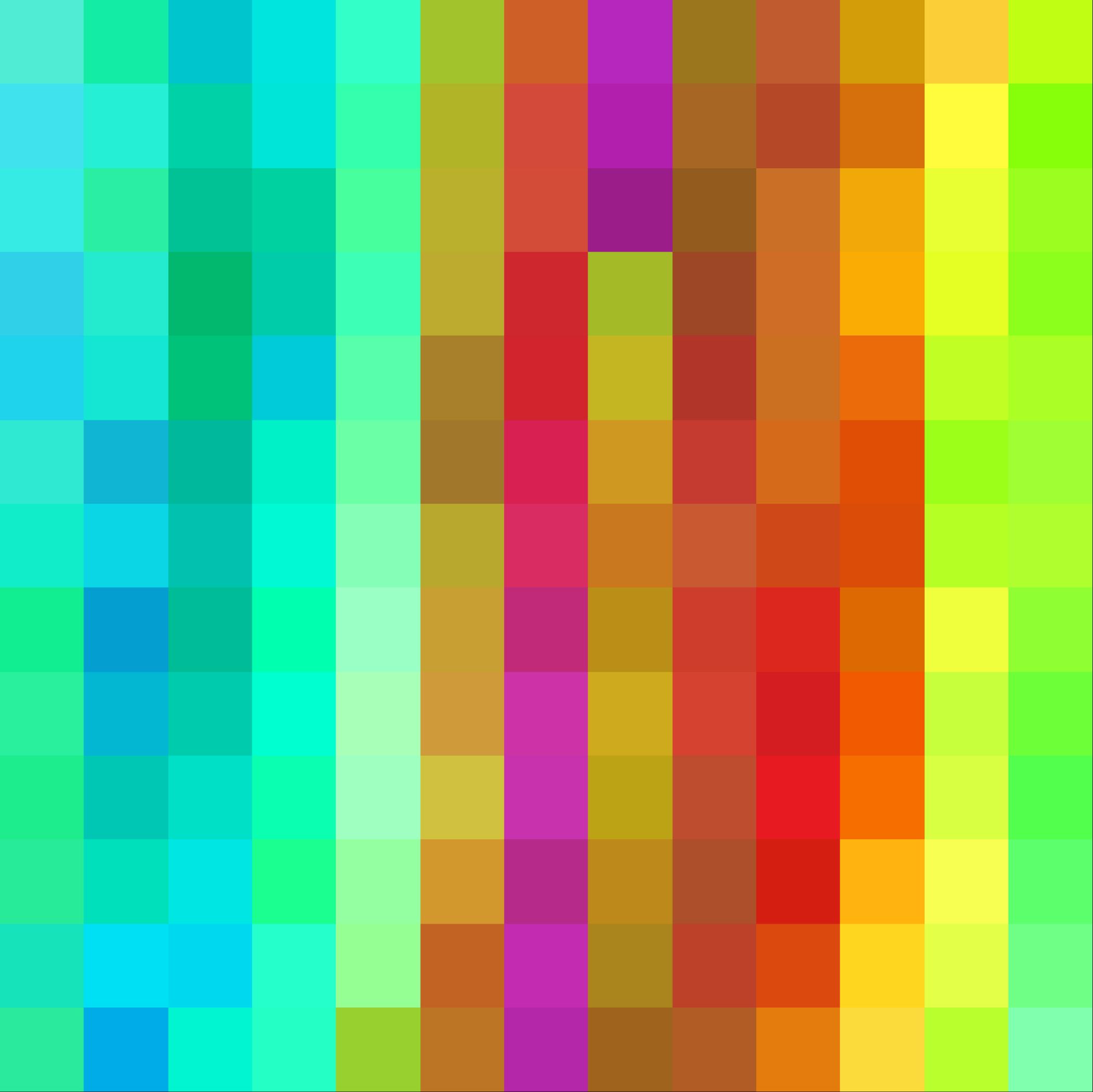
A 16 by 16 grid with coloured squares that form a very, very colourful gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly green, and it also has some blue, a bit of orange, a bit of yellow, a little bit of lime, a little bit of indigo, a little bit of cyan, a little bit of red, a tiny bit of purple, and a tiny bit of violet in it.



The very colourful gradient in this 9 by 9 pixel grid is mostly magenta, and it also has quite some blue, some rose, a bit of red, a little bit of purple, a little bit of indigo, and a little bit of violet in it.



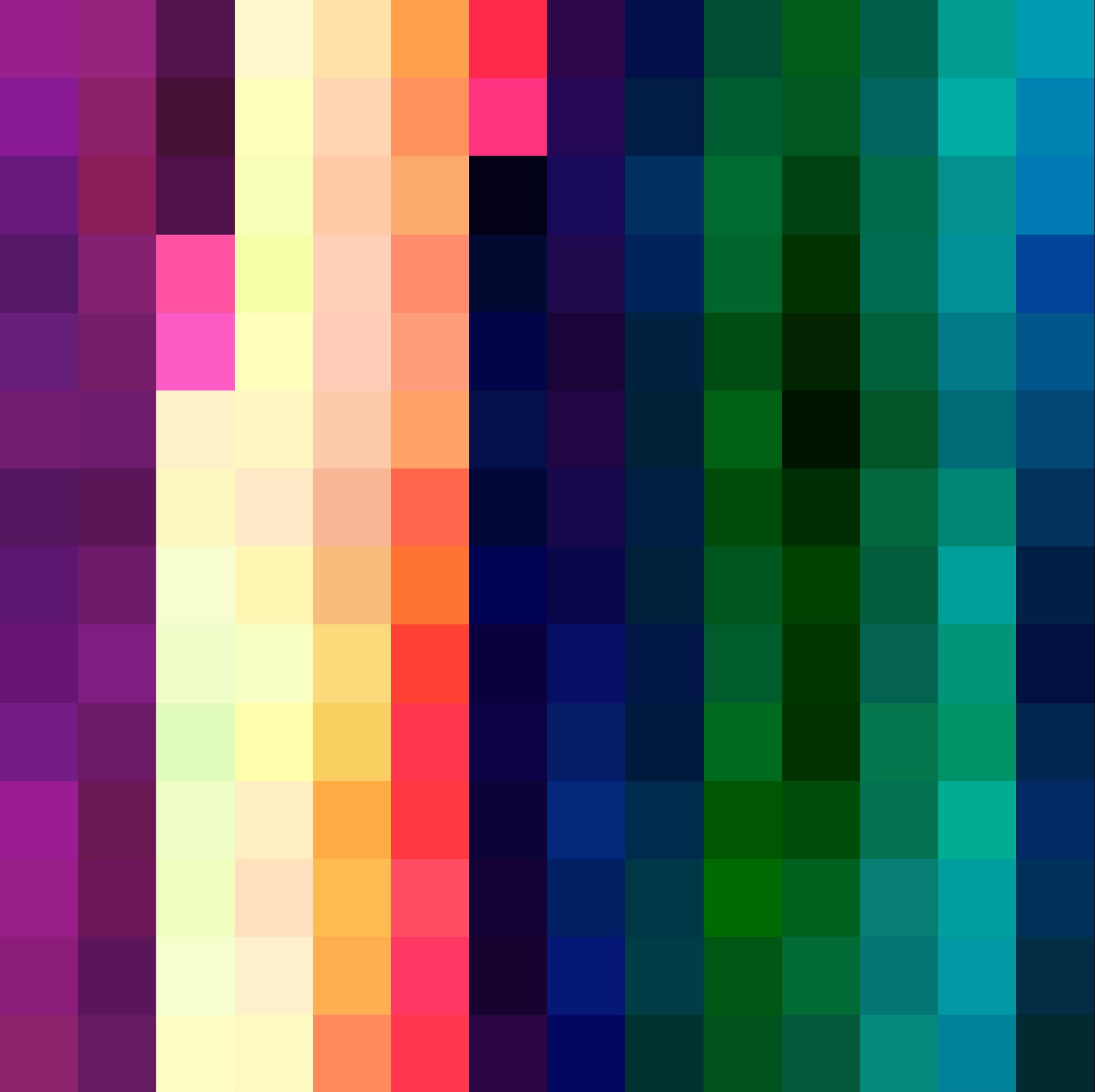
This colourful gradient, generated in this 5 by 5 pixel grid, is mostly red, but it also has quite some indigo, quite some rose, some purple, and a little bit of violet in it.



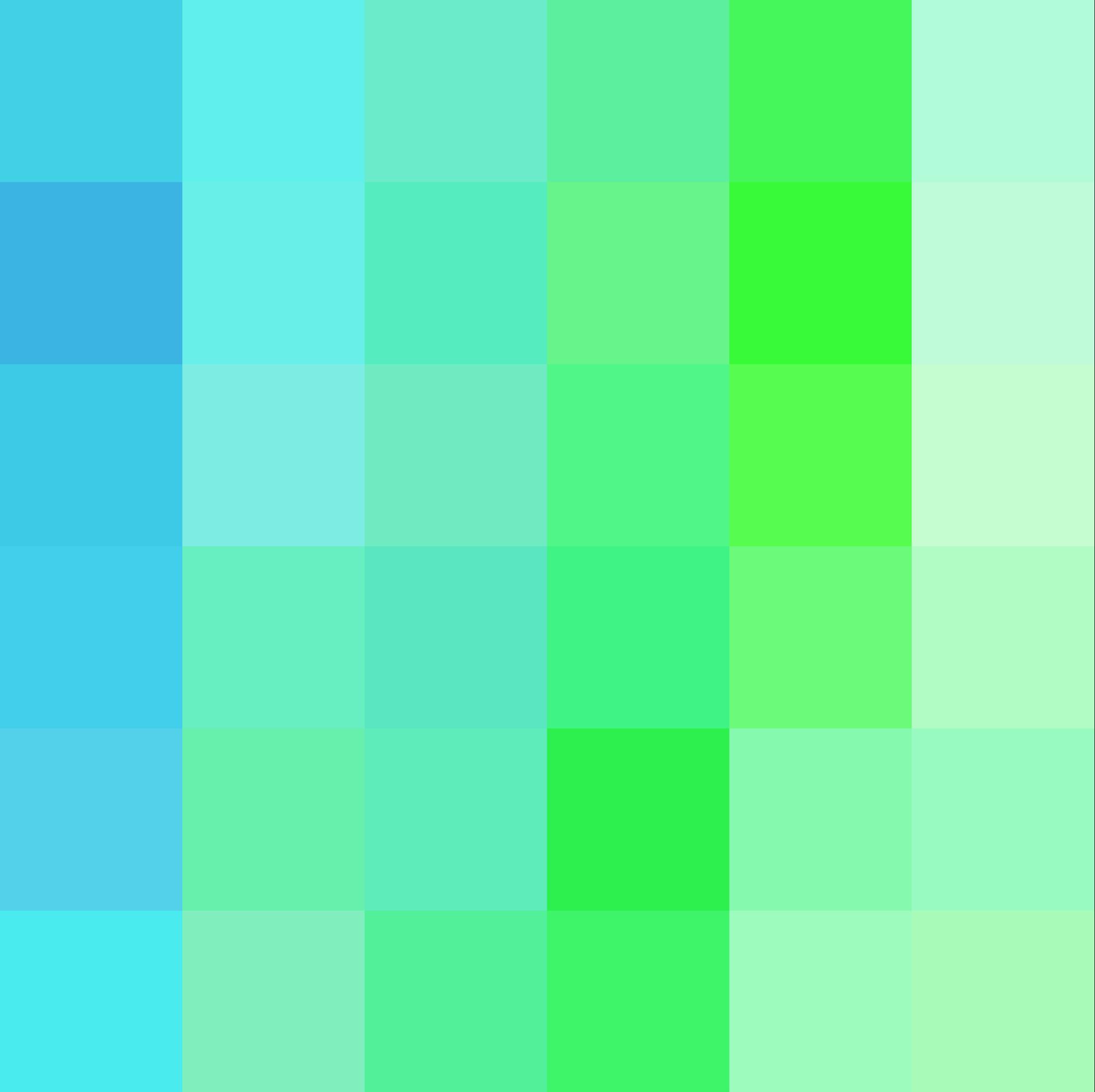
The very colourful gradient in this 13 by 13 pixel grid is mostly orange, but it also has quite some cyan, quite some green, some red, some yellow, a little bit of lime, and a tiny bit of blue in it.



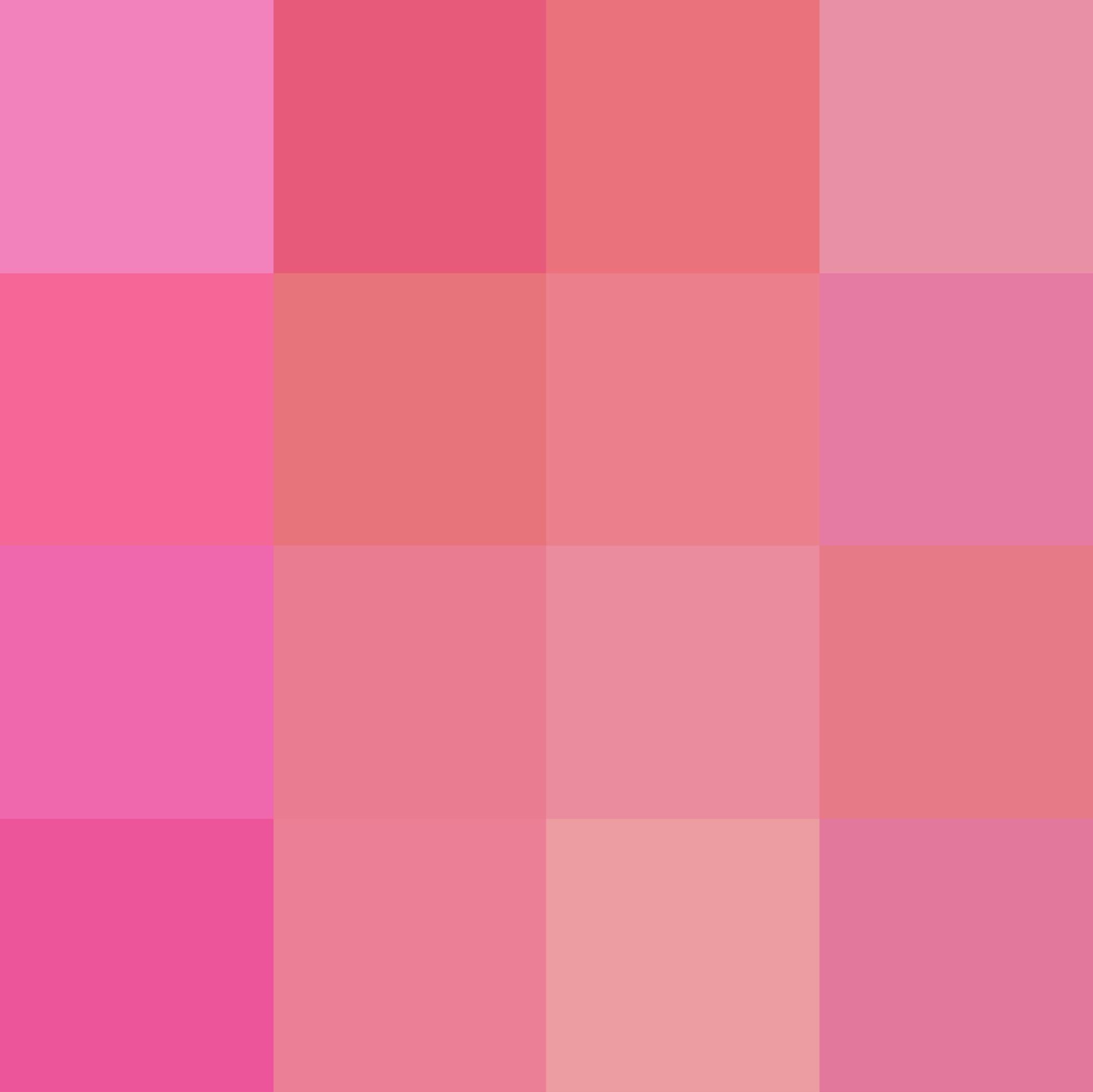
A very, very colourful grid of 100 blocks. It's mostly yellow, and it also has quite some orange, some magenta, some purple, a bit of rose, a bit of green, a little bit of lime, a little bit of violet, and a tiny bit of red in it.



A 14 by 14 grid with coloured squares that form a very, very colourful gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly green, and it also has some blue, some magenta, some cyan, some orange, a bit of yellow, a little bit of red, a little bit of purple, a little bit of indigo, a tiny bit of violet, a tiny bit of lime, and a tiny bit of rose in it.



This pixel gradient—it is 6 cells wide, 6 cells high—is mostly green, but it also has quite some cyan, and a little bit of blue in it.



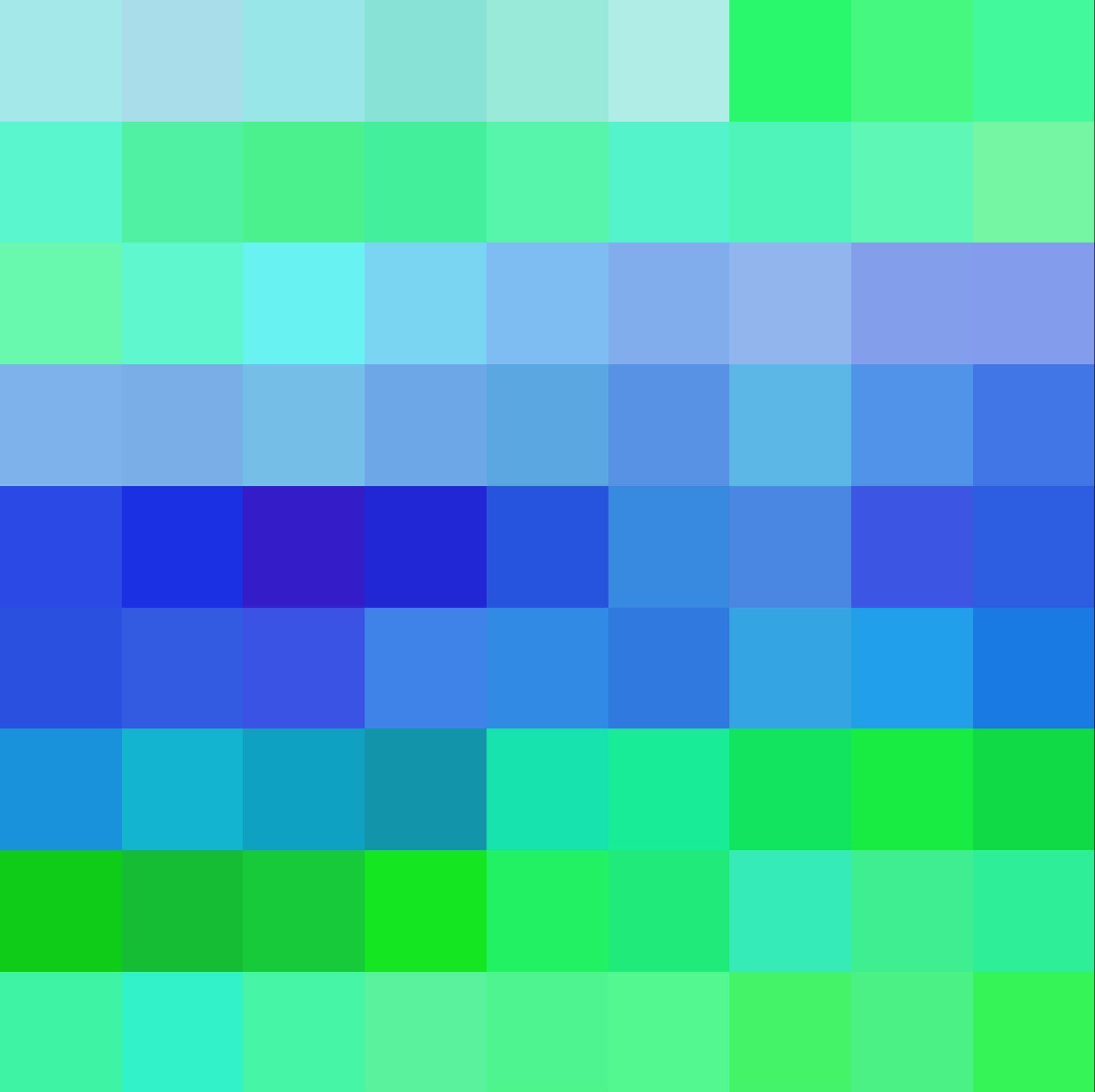
There's a two tone pixel gradient in this 4 by 4 grid. It is mostly red, and it also has quite some rose in it.



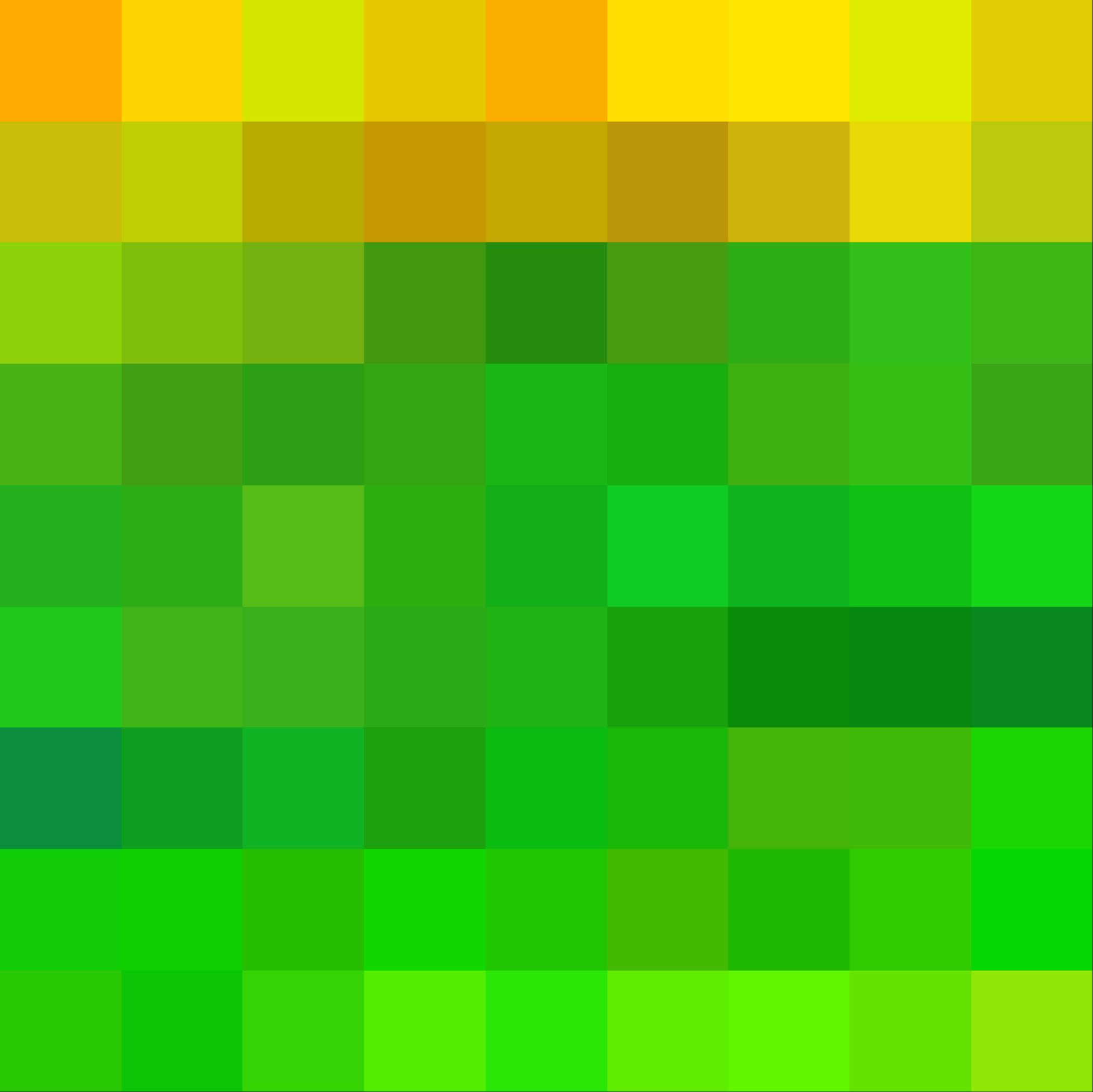
This very, very colourful gradient, generated in this 16 by 16 pixel grid, is mostly green, but it also has quite some orange, some yellow, some red, a bit of lime, a little bit of magenta, a little bit of rose, a little bit of cyan, a tiny bit of purple, and a tiny bit of blue in it.



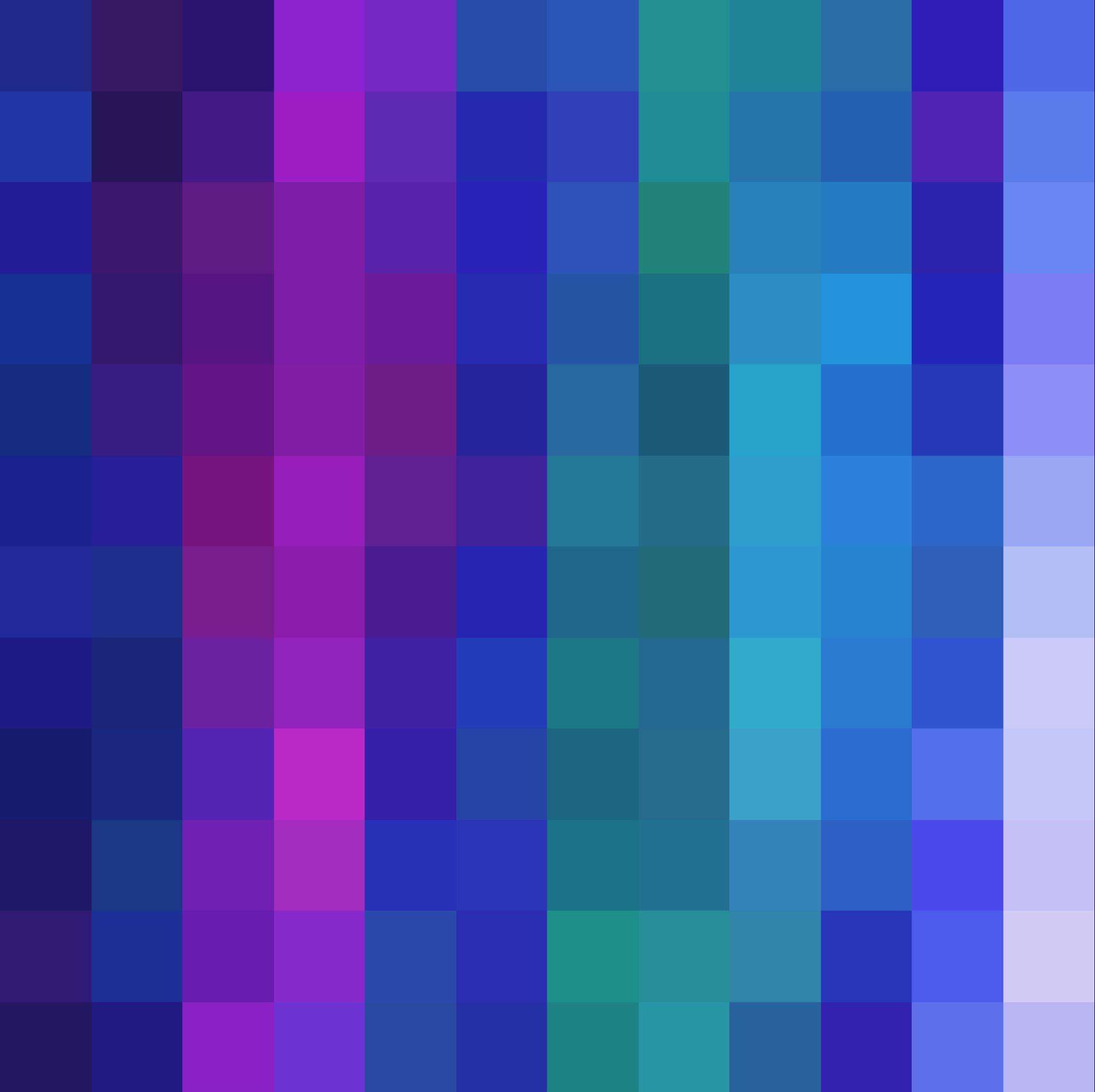
The cells in this 12 by 12 pixel grid form a very, very colourful gradient. It is mostly blue, but it also has quite some magenta, some purple, some indigo, a little bit of yellow, a little bit of violet, a little bit of orange, and a tiny bit of cyan in it.



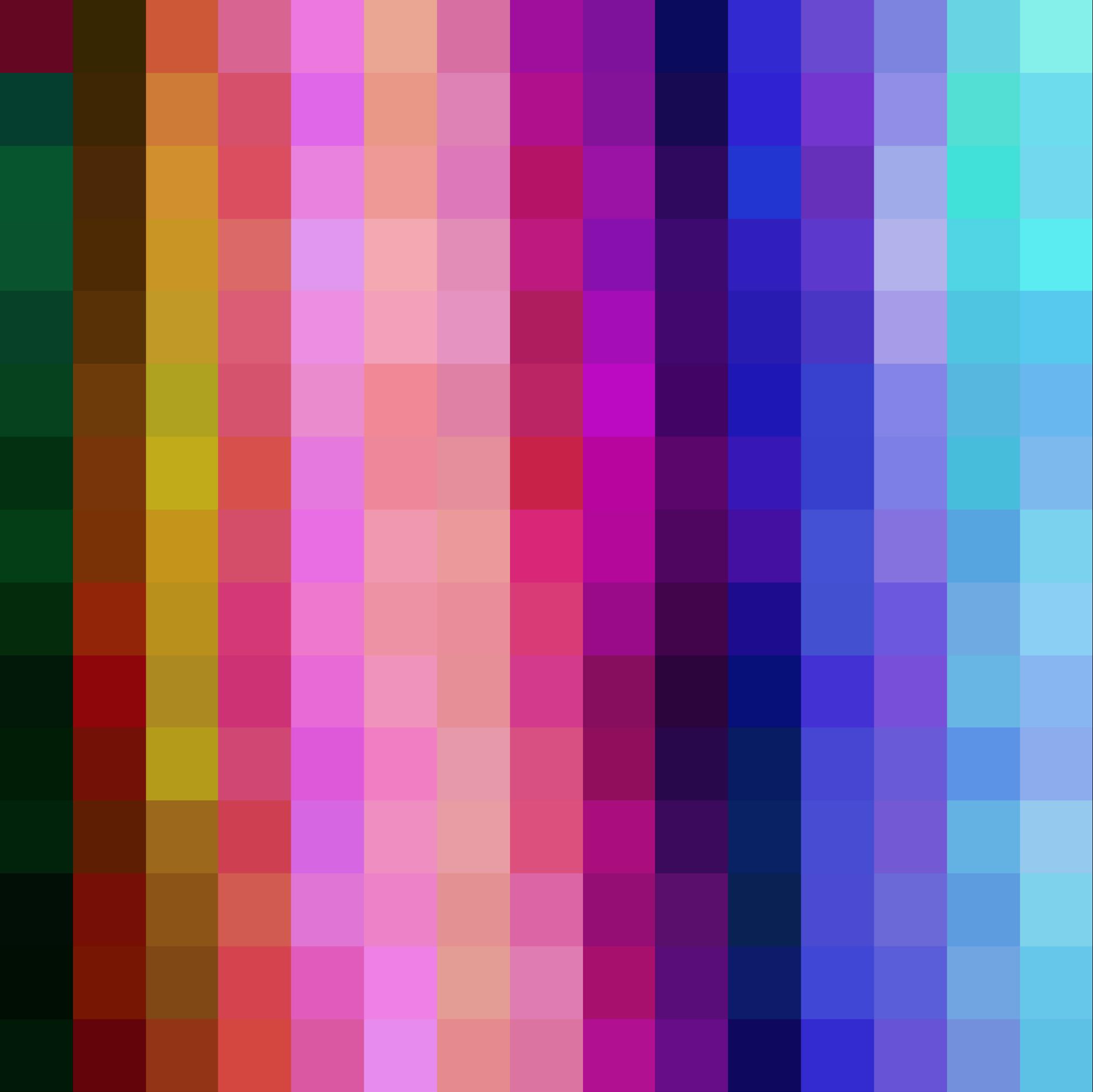
The cells in this 9 by 9 pixel grid form a gradient. It is mostly blue, and it also has quite some green, some cyan, and a tiny bit of indigo in it.



A grid with 81 coloured squares that form a gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly green, but it also has quite some yellow, and a tiny bit of orange in it.



A grid with 144 coloured squares that form a very colourful gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly blue, and it also has some indigo, some purple, a bit of cyan, a little bit of violet, and a tiny bit of magenta in it.



Here's a 15 by 15 pixelated grid that forms a very colourful gradient. It is mostly red, and it also has a bit of orange, a little bit of green, a tiny bit of yellow, a tiny bit of cyan, and a tiny bit of rose in it.



A very, very colourful grid of 169 blocks. It's mostly red, and it also has quite some orange, some cyan, some magenta, a bit of green, a bit of rose, a little bit of indigo, a tiny bit of violet, a tiny bit of purple, a tiny bit of blue, and a tiny bit of yellow in it.



A two tone grid of 49 blocks. It's mostly green, and it also has a tiny bit of lime in it.



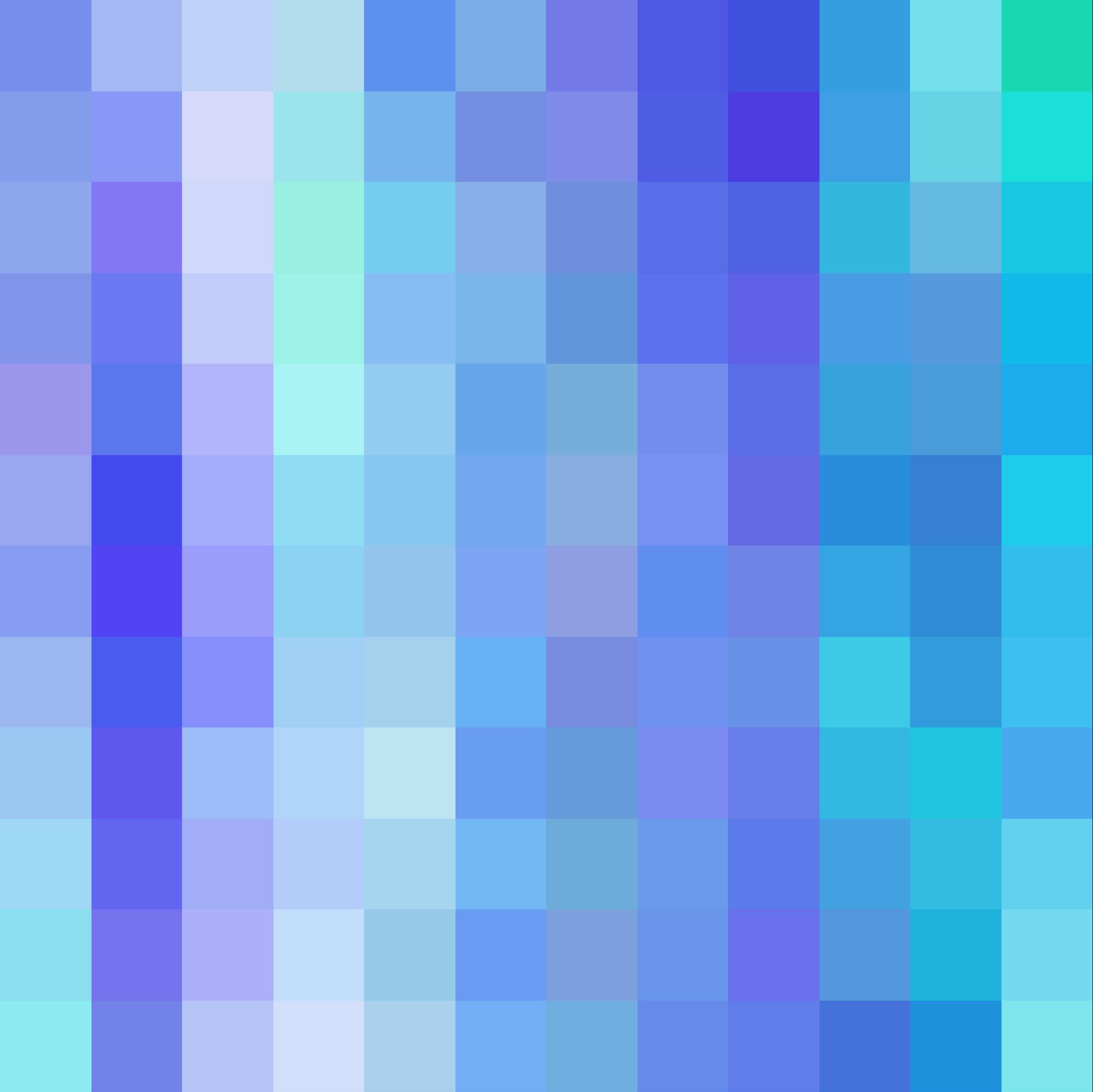
A 15 by 15 grid with coloured squares that form a very, very colourful gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly green, and it also has some magenta, some indigo, some rose, a bit of red, a little bit of violet, a little bit of purple, a little bit of lime, a tiny bit of yellow, a tiny bit of blue, and a tiny bit of cyan in it.



This very, very colourful pixel gradient—it is 11 cells wide, 11 cells high—is mostly orange, but it also has some magenta, some red, some rose, some blue, a bit of purple, a bit of yellow, a little bit of indigo, a little bit of violet, and a tiny bit of lime in it.



There's a very colourful pixel gradient in this 10 by 10 grid. It is mostly cyan, and it also has quite some green, a bit of blue, a bit of indigo, a little bit of purple, a little bit of violet, and a tiny bit of magenta in it.



There's a pixel gradient in this 12 by 12 grid. It is mostly blue, and it also has some cyan, and a little bit of indigo in it.



A grid with 25 coloured squares that form a gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly yellow, but it also has a bit of green, and a bit of lime in it.



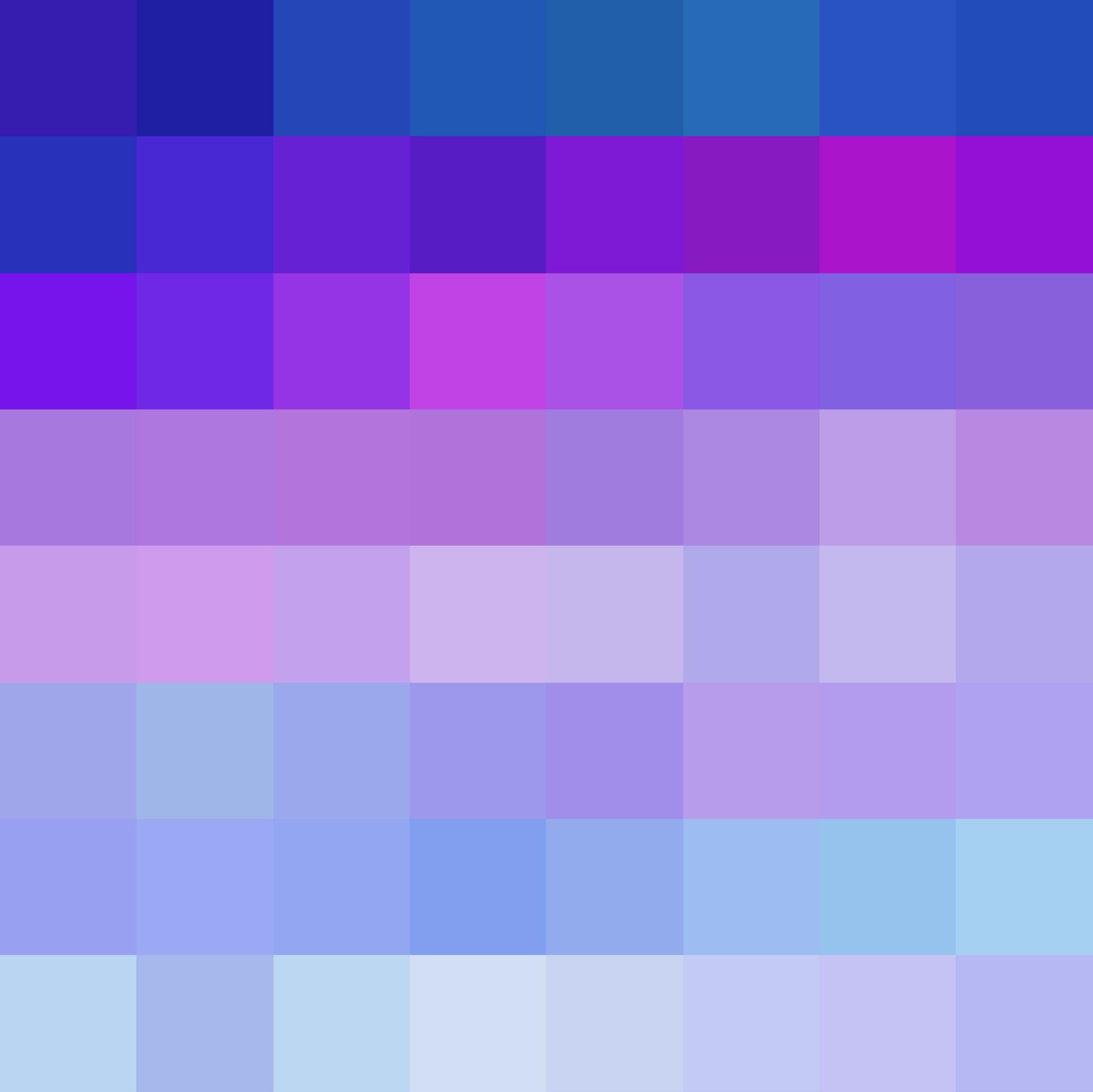
The cells in this 15 by 15 pixel grid form a very, very colourful gradient. It is mostly green, but it also has some yellow, some red, some orange, a bit of purple, a little bit of cyan, a little bit of blue, a little bit of magenta, a little bit of lime, a tiny bit of violet, and a tiny bit of indigo in it.



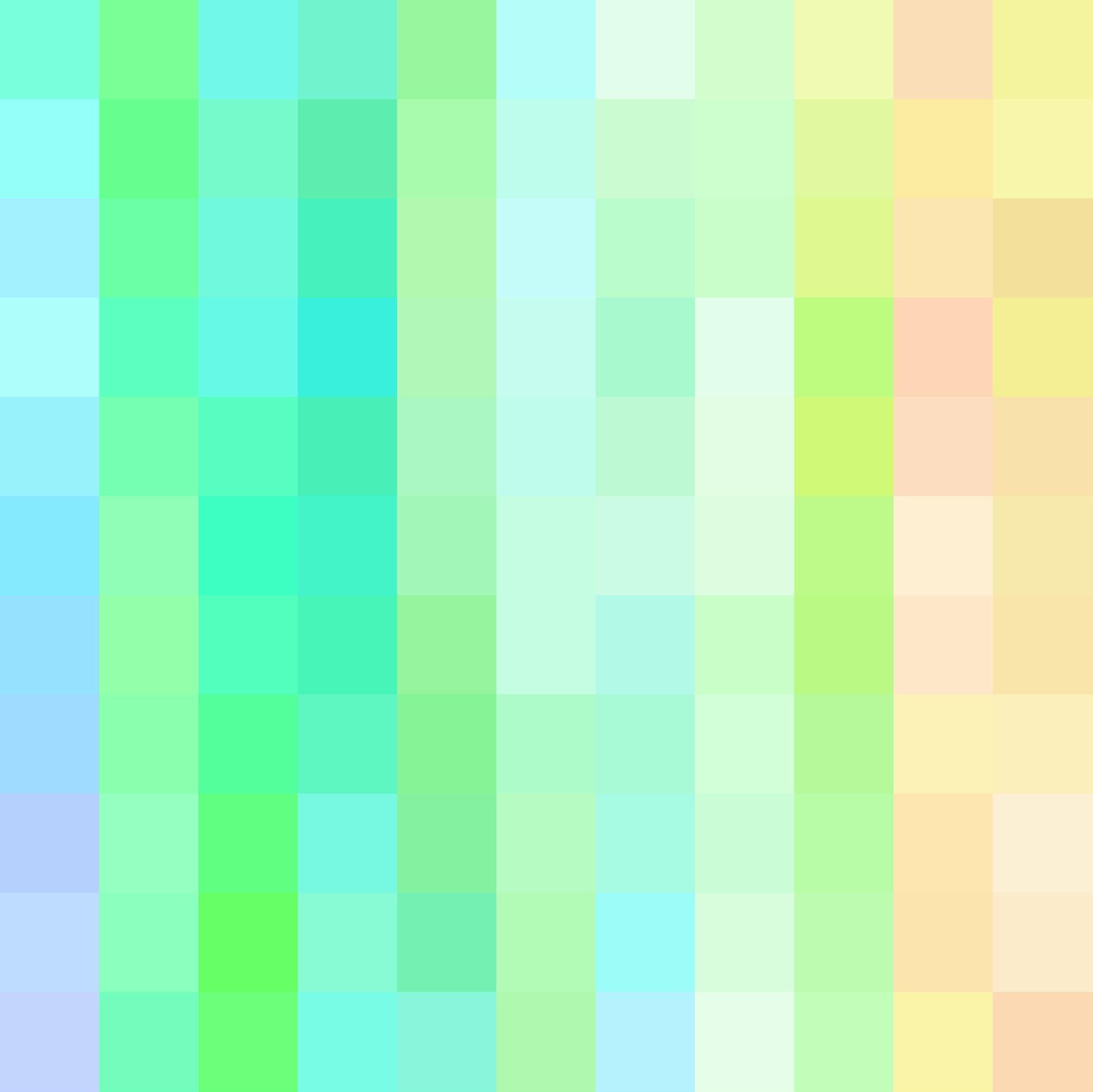
A 6 by 6 grid with coloured squares that form a very, very colourful gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly indigo, and it also has some red, some magenta, some purple, a bit of rose, a bit of violet, a bit of green, a little bit of blue, and a little bit of orange in it.



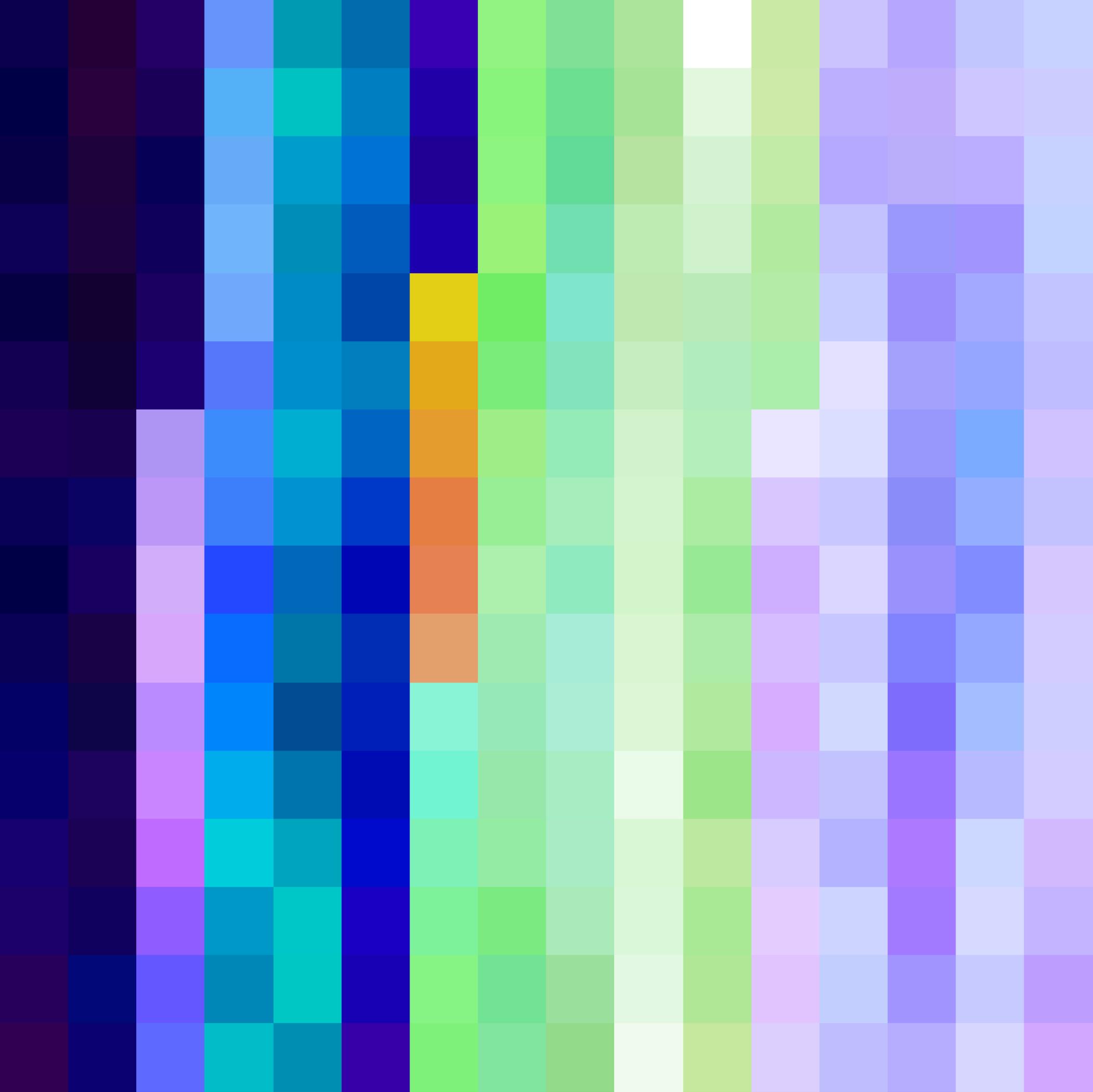
A grid with 49 coloured squares that form a colourful gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly magenta, but it also has quite some purple, a little bit of rose, a little bit of violet, and a little bit of red in it.



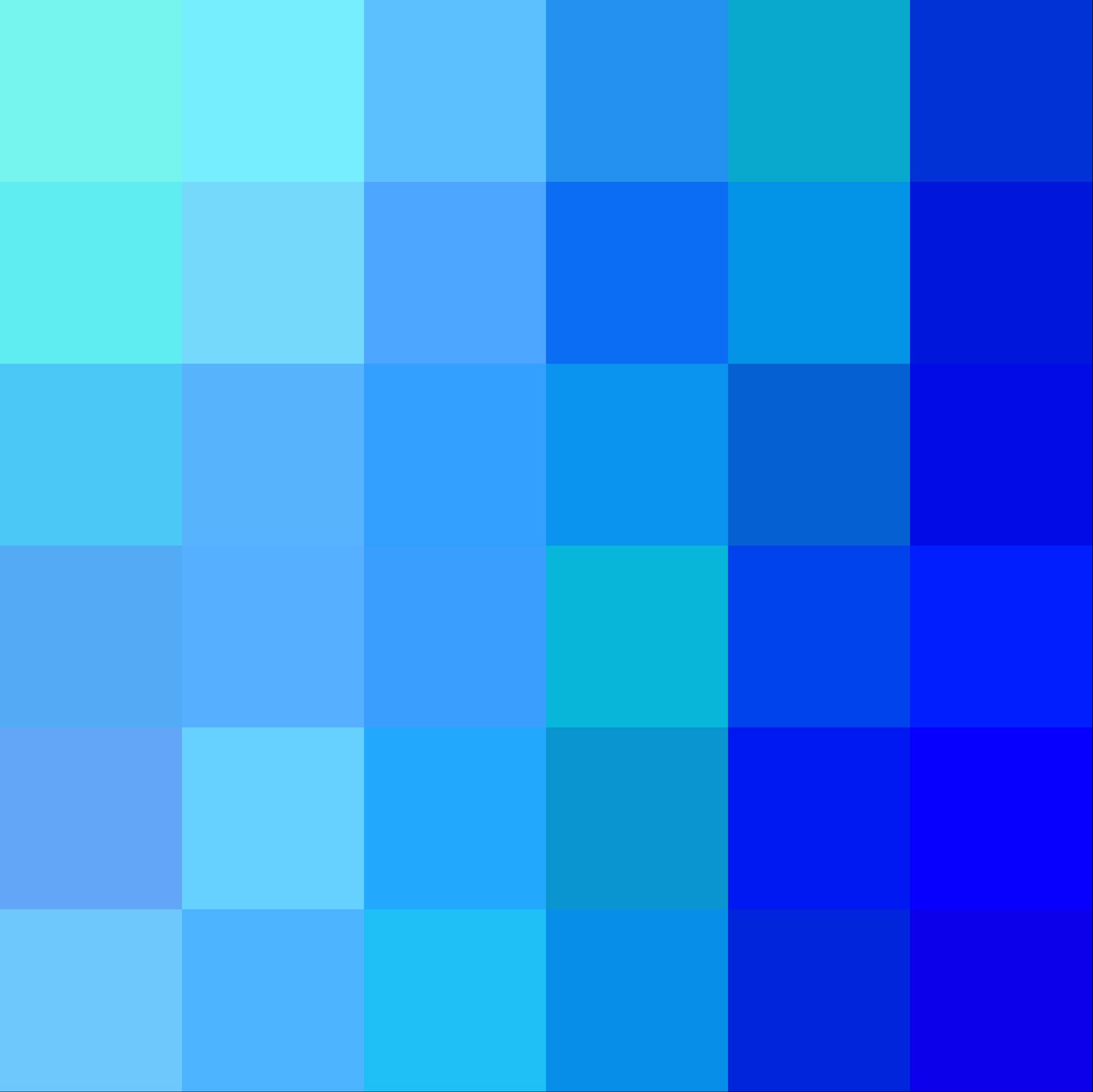
An 8 by 8 grid with coloured squares that form a gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly blue, and it also has quite some indigo, quite some purple, and some violet in it.



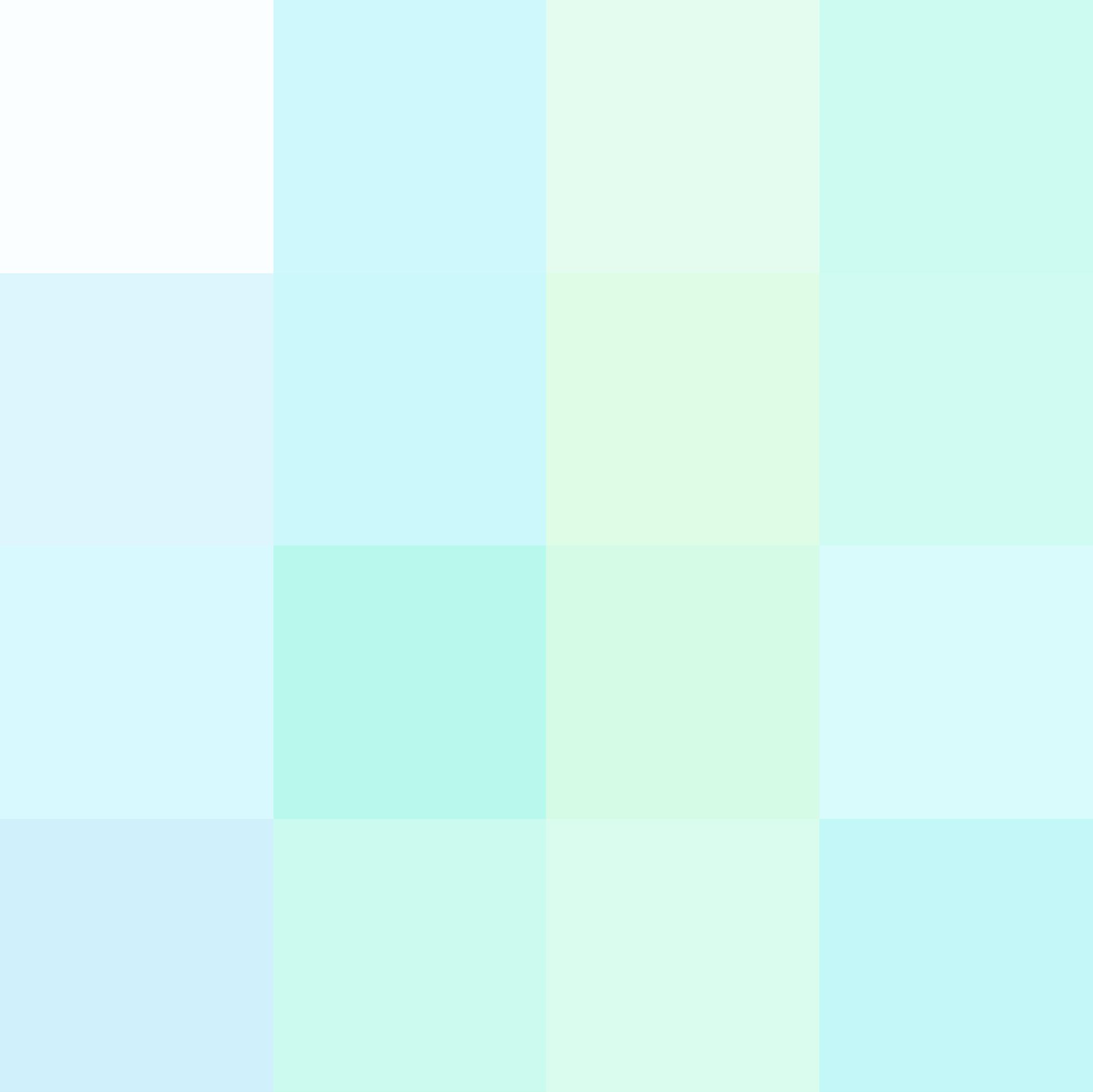
This very colourful pixel gradient—it is 11 cells wide, 11 cells high—is mostly green, but it also has some cyan, some orange, a bit of yellow, a little bit of blue, and a tiny bit of lime in it.



A 16 by 16 grid with coloured squares that form a very, very colourful gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly indigo, and it also has quite some green, quite some blue, a little bit of violet, a little bit of cyan, a little bit of purple, a tiny bit of orange, and a tiny bit of yellow in it.



This pixel gradient—it is 6 cells wide, 6 cells high—is mostly blue, but it also has some cyan, and a little bit of indigo in it.



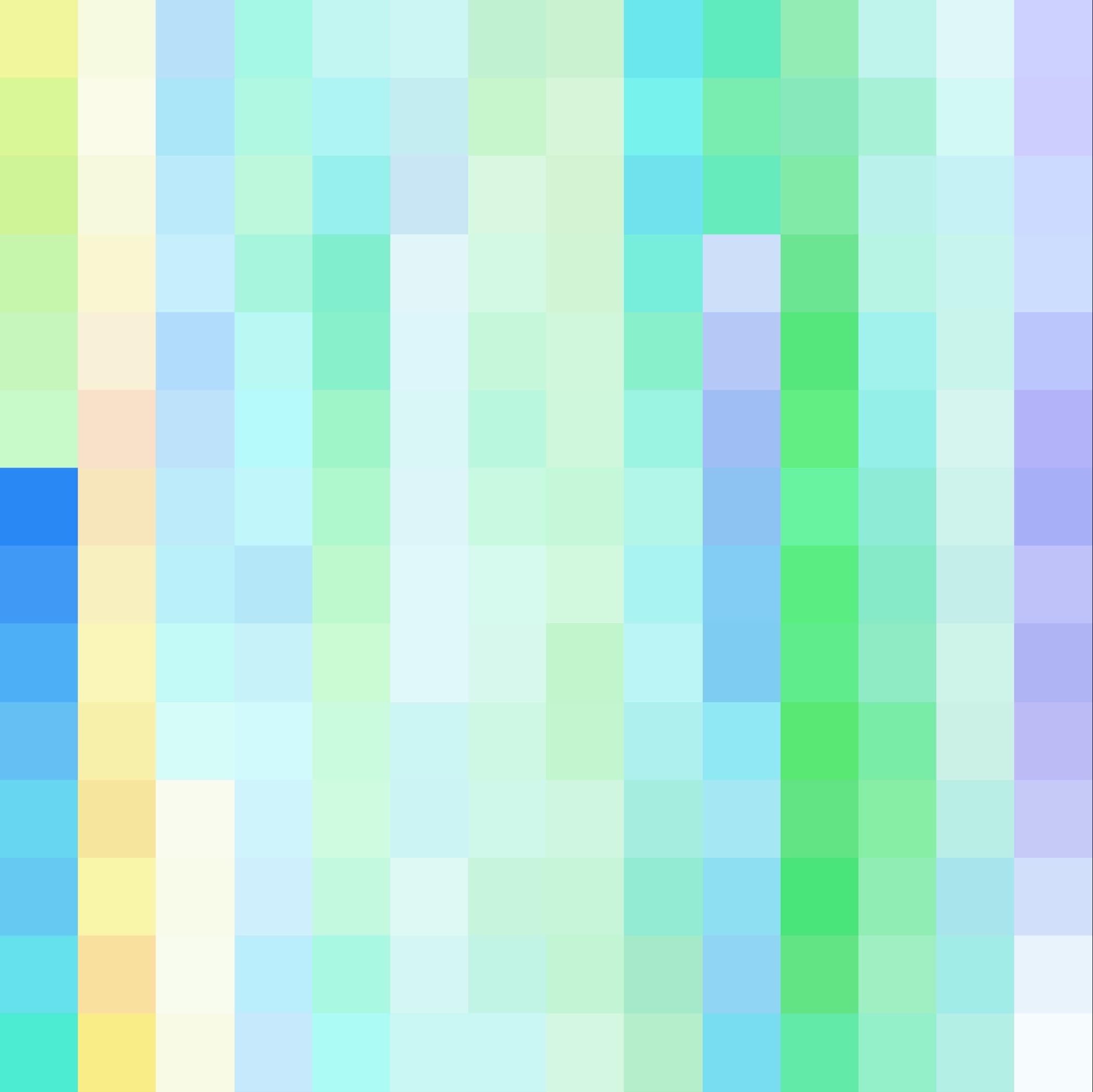
A grid of 16 blocks. It's mostly cyan, but it also has quite some green, and some blue in it.



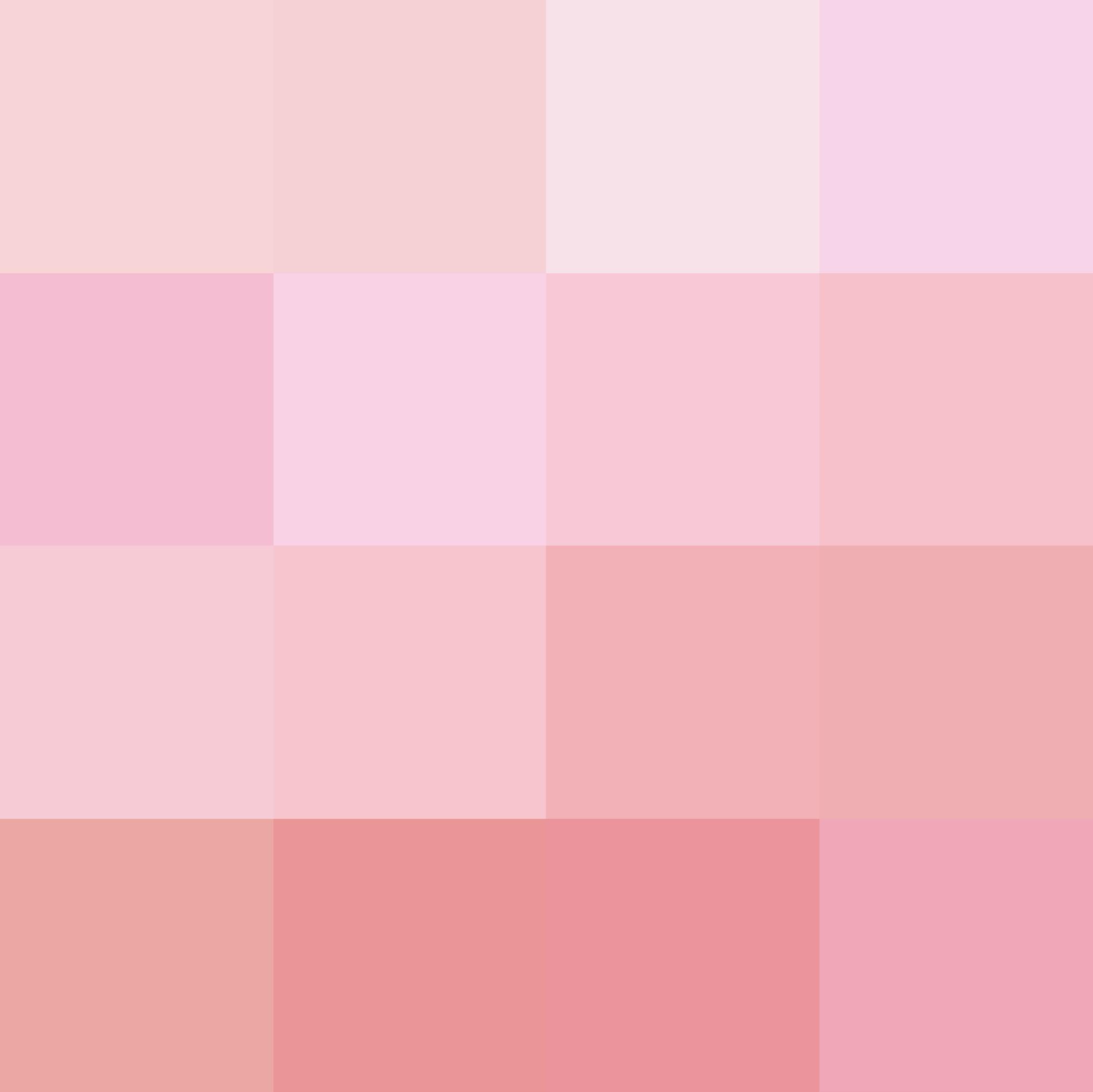
The colourful gradient in this 11 by 11 pixel grid is mostly green, but it also has some yellow, a bit of cyan, a tiny bit of lime, and a tiny bit of orange in it.



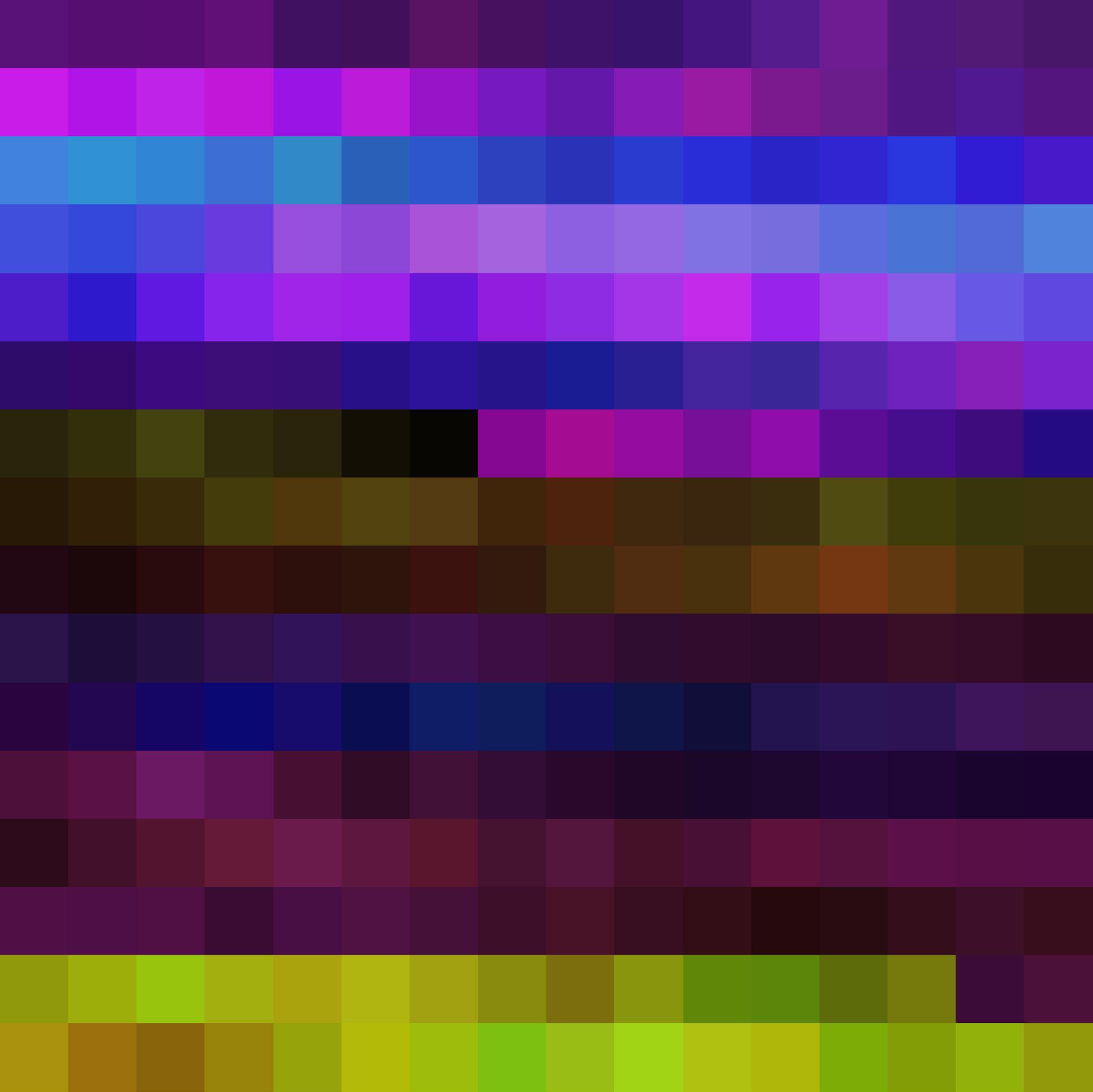
Here's an 11 by 11 pixelated grid that forms a very, very colourful gradient. It is mostly blue, and it also has some red, some cyan, some magenta, a bit of purple, a bit of violet, a little bit of rose, a little bit of orange, a tiny bit of indigo, and a tiny bit of green in it.



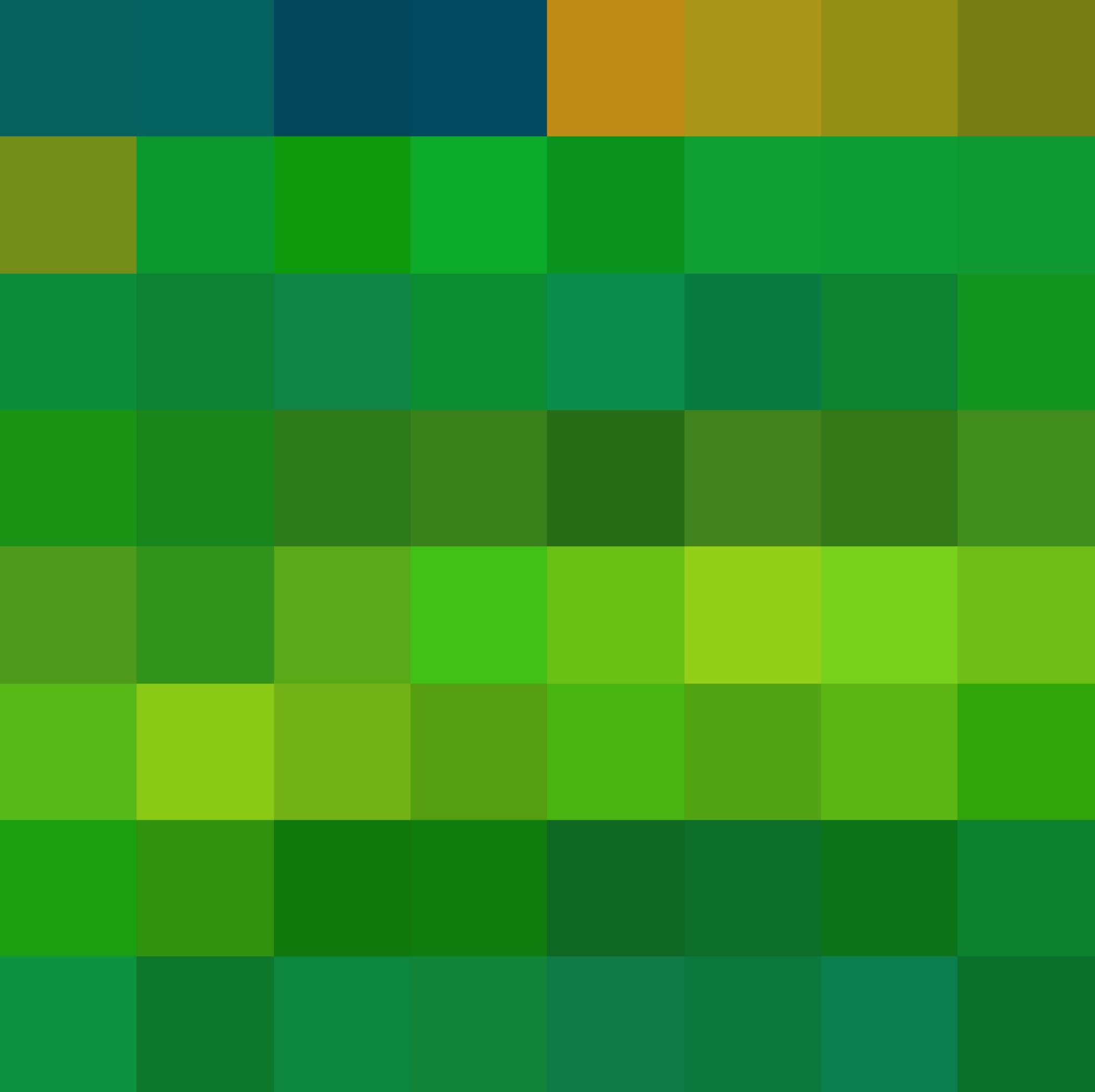
The very colourful gradient in this 14 by 14 pixel grid is mostly green, but it also has quite some cyan, some blue, a bit of yellow, a tiny bit of orange, a tiny bit of lime, and a tiny bit of indigo in it.



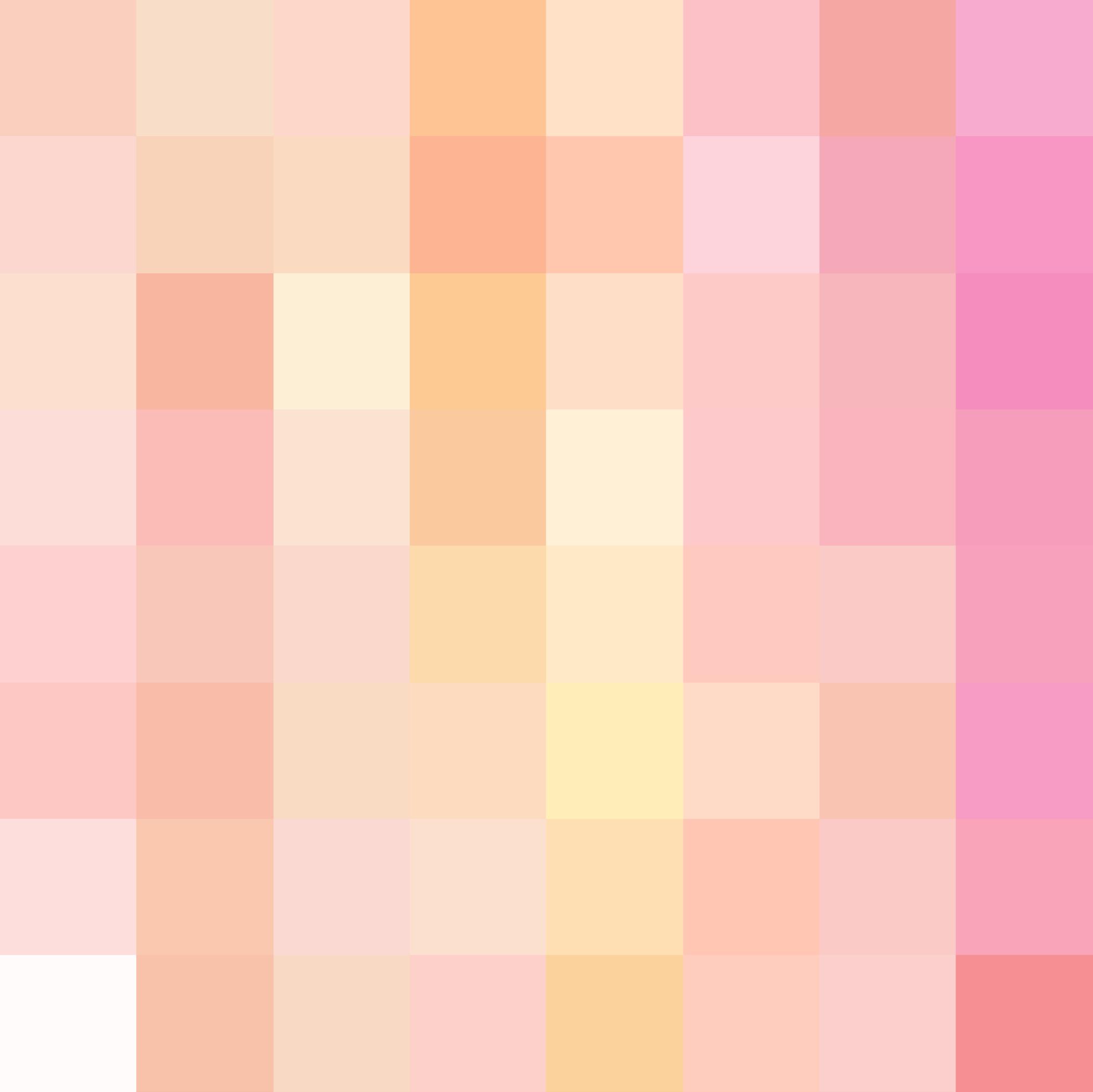
The two tone gradient in this 4 by 4 pixel grid is mostly red, and it also has quite some rose in it.



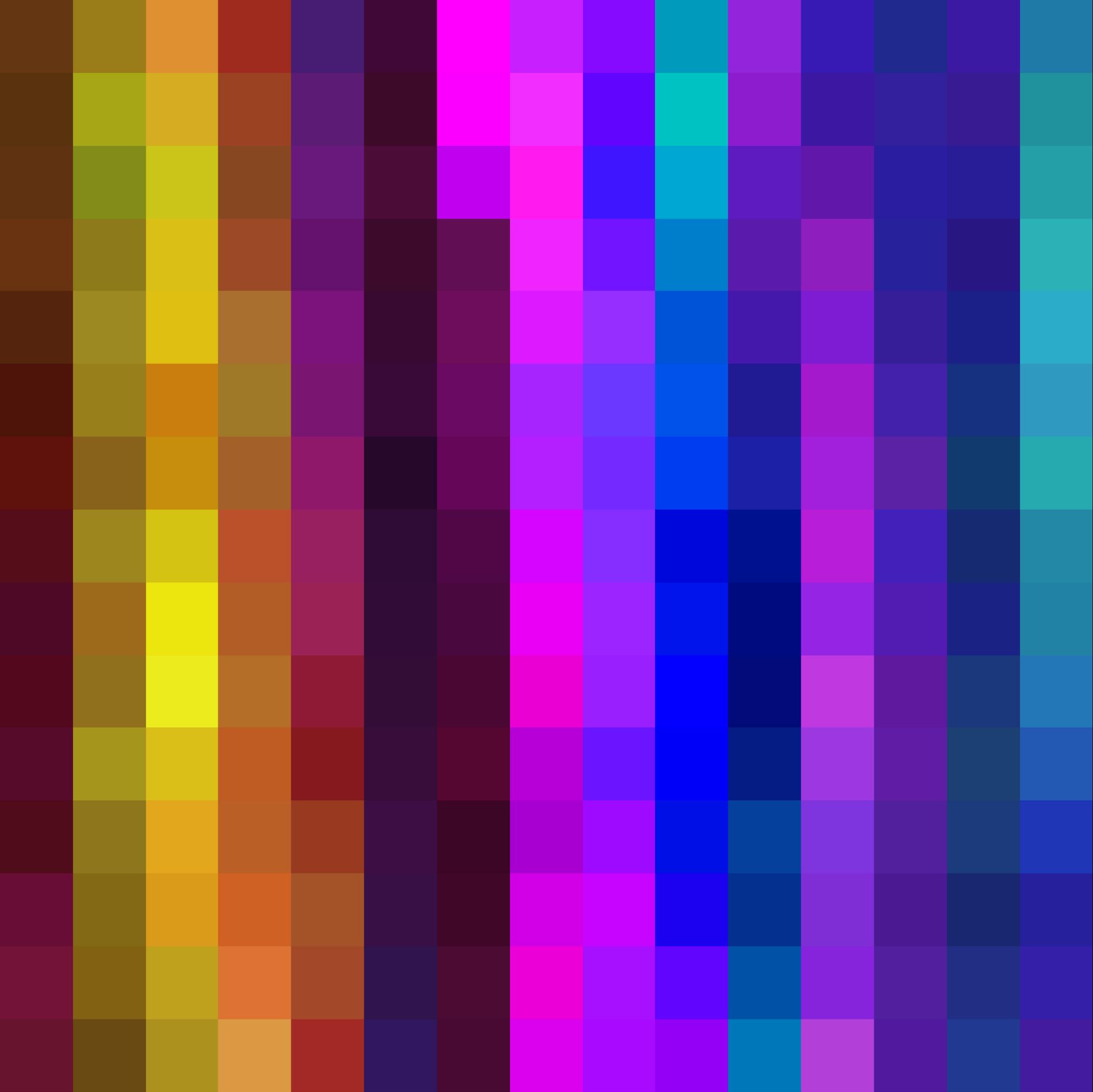
The very, very colourful gradient in this 16 by 16 pixel grid is mostly red, but it also has some purple, some yellow, a bit of orange, a bit of violet, a bit of indigo, a bit of blue, a little bit of lime, a tiny bit of magenta, and a tiny bit of green in it.



The very colourful gradient in this 8 by 8 pixel grid is mostly green, and it also has a little bit of cyan, a little bit of yellow, a little bit of lime, a tiny bit of blue, and a tiny bit of orange in it.



This pixel gradient—it is 8 cells wide, 8 cells high—is mostly red, but it also has a lot of orange, and a tiny bit of yellow in it.



A grid with 225 coloured squares that form a very, very colourful gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly blue, and it also has some magenta, some purple, some orange, a bit of violet, a bit of indigo, a bit of yellow, a little bit of rose, a little bit of red, and a little bit of cyan in it.



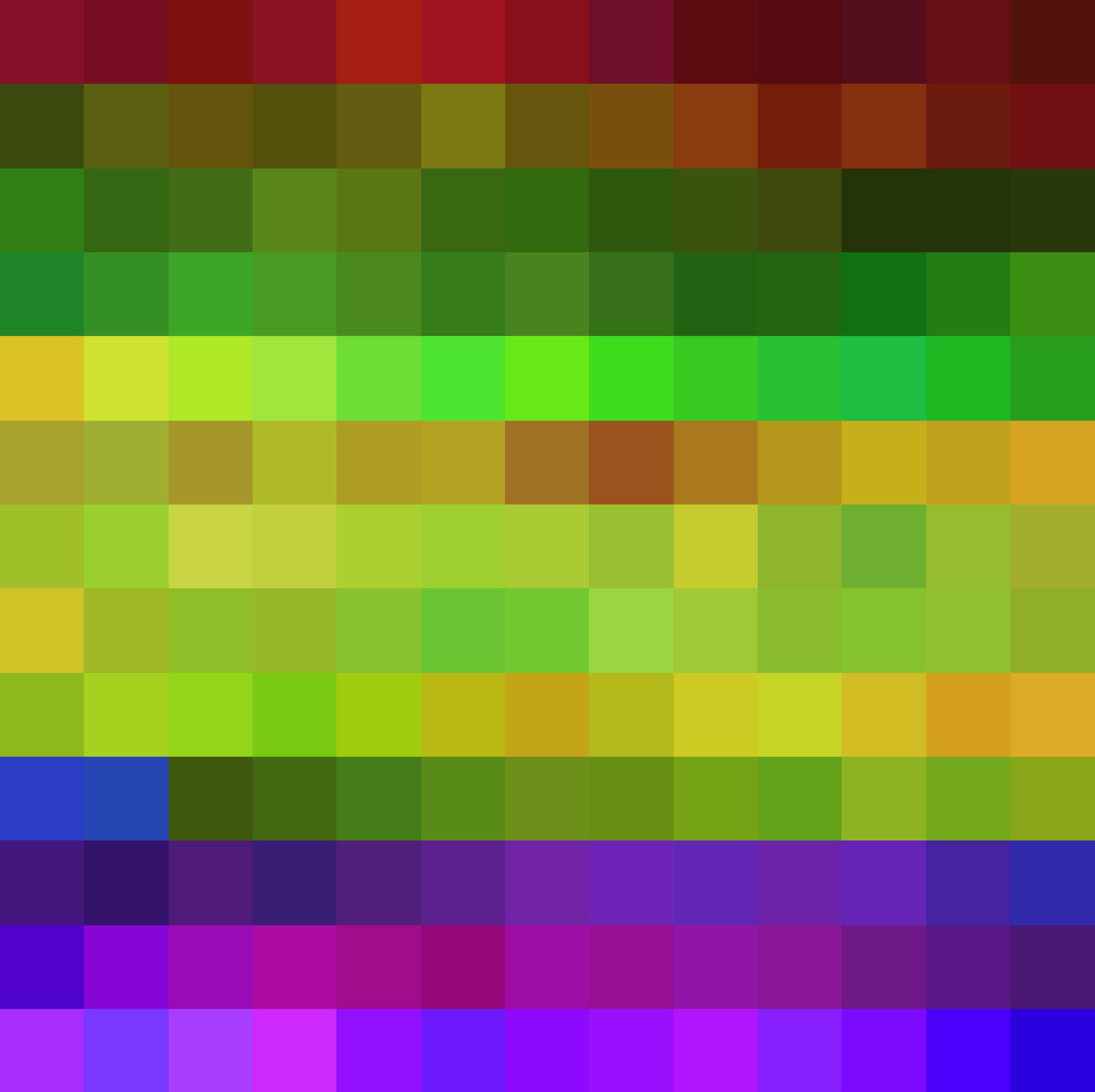
A 14 by 14 grid with coloured squares that form a very, very colourful gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly green, but it also has some blue, a bit of purple, a bit of cyan, a little bit of indigo, a tiny bit of lime, a tiny bit of magenta, and a tiny bit of violet in it.



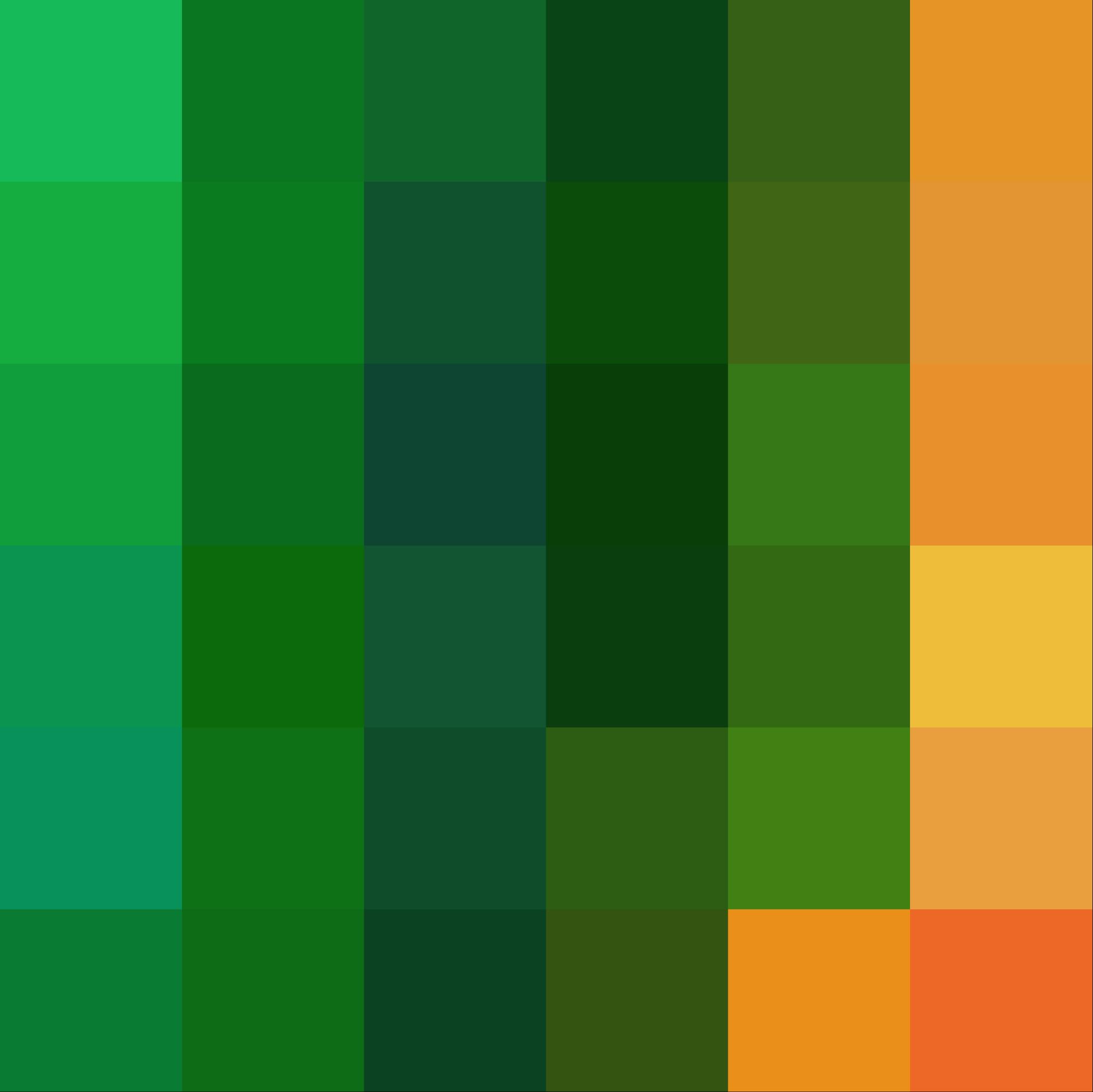
A very, very colourful grid of 256 blocks. It's mostly green, but it also has some purple, some magenta, some rose, a bit of cyan, a little bit of red, a tiny bit of violet, and a tiny bit of blue in it.



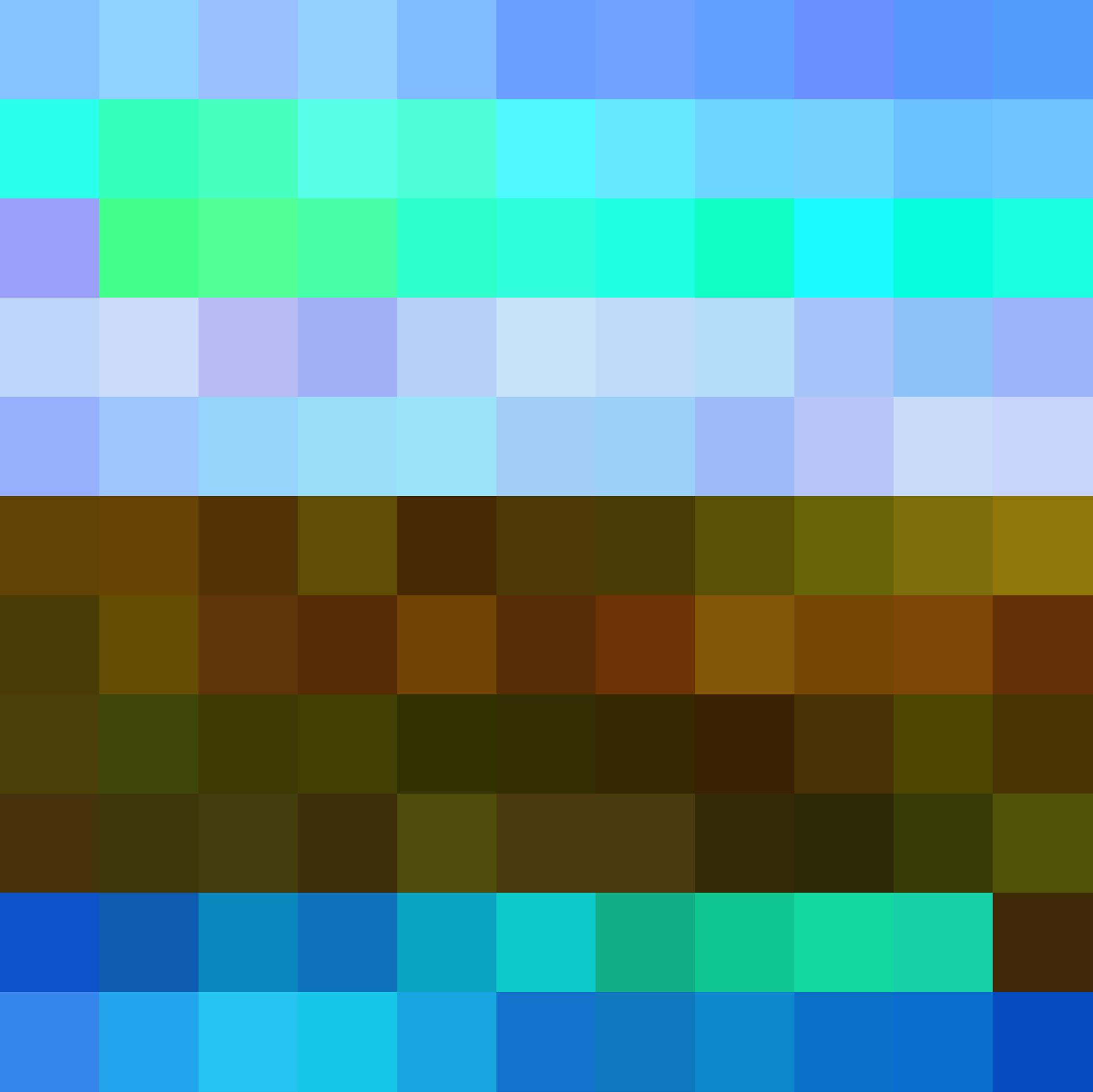
This pixel gradient—it is 6 cells wide, 6 cells high—is mostly orange, and it also has quite some green, a little bit of yellow, and a little bit of red in it.



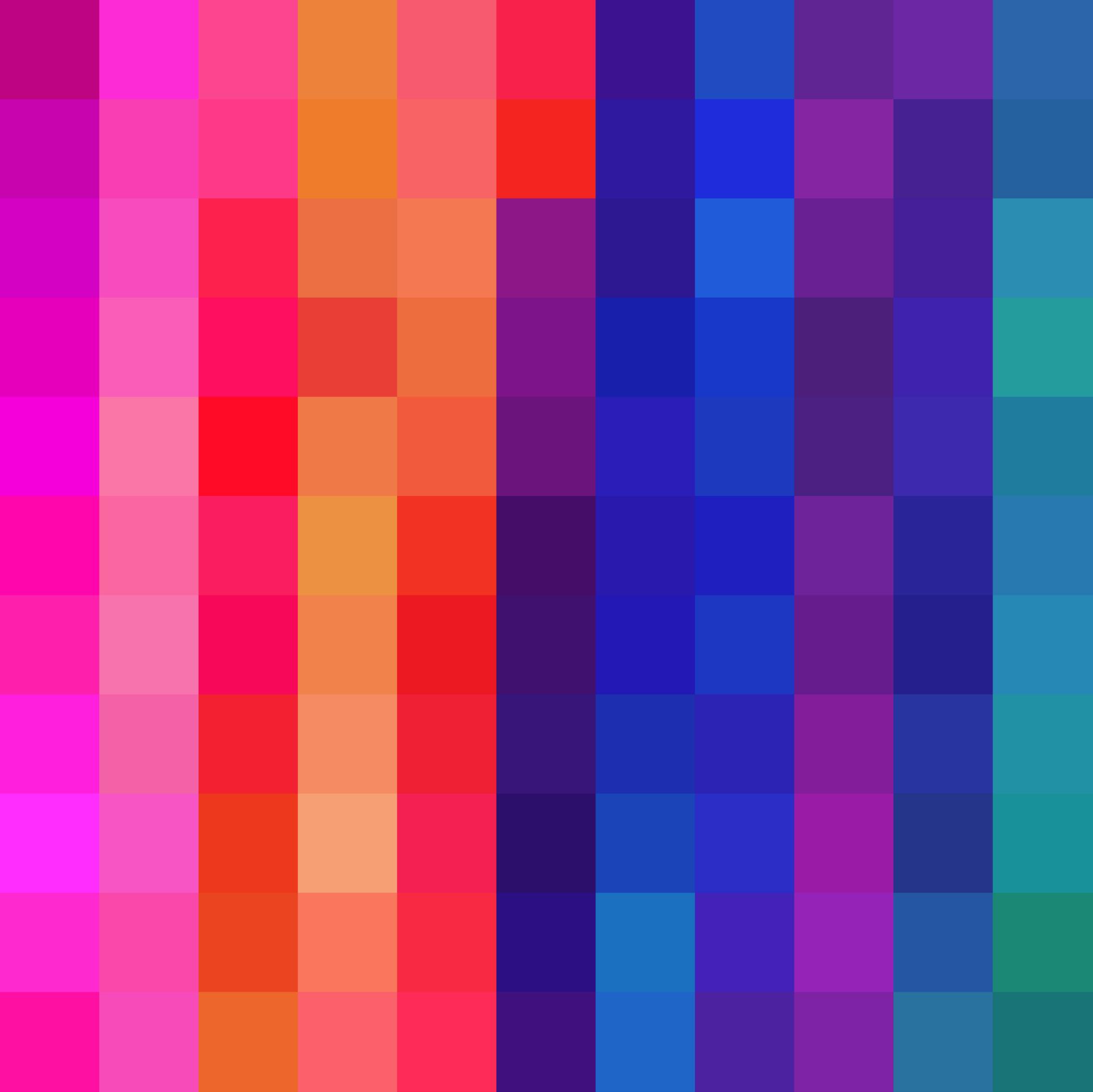
The cells in this 13 by 13 pixel grid form a very, very colourful gradient. It is mostly green, and it also has some yellow, some lime, some purple, a bit of red, a little bit of orange, a little bit of violet, a little bit of indigo, a little bit of magenta, and a tiny bit of blue in it.



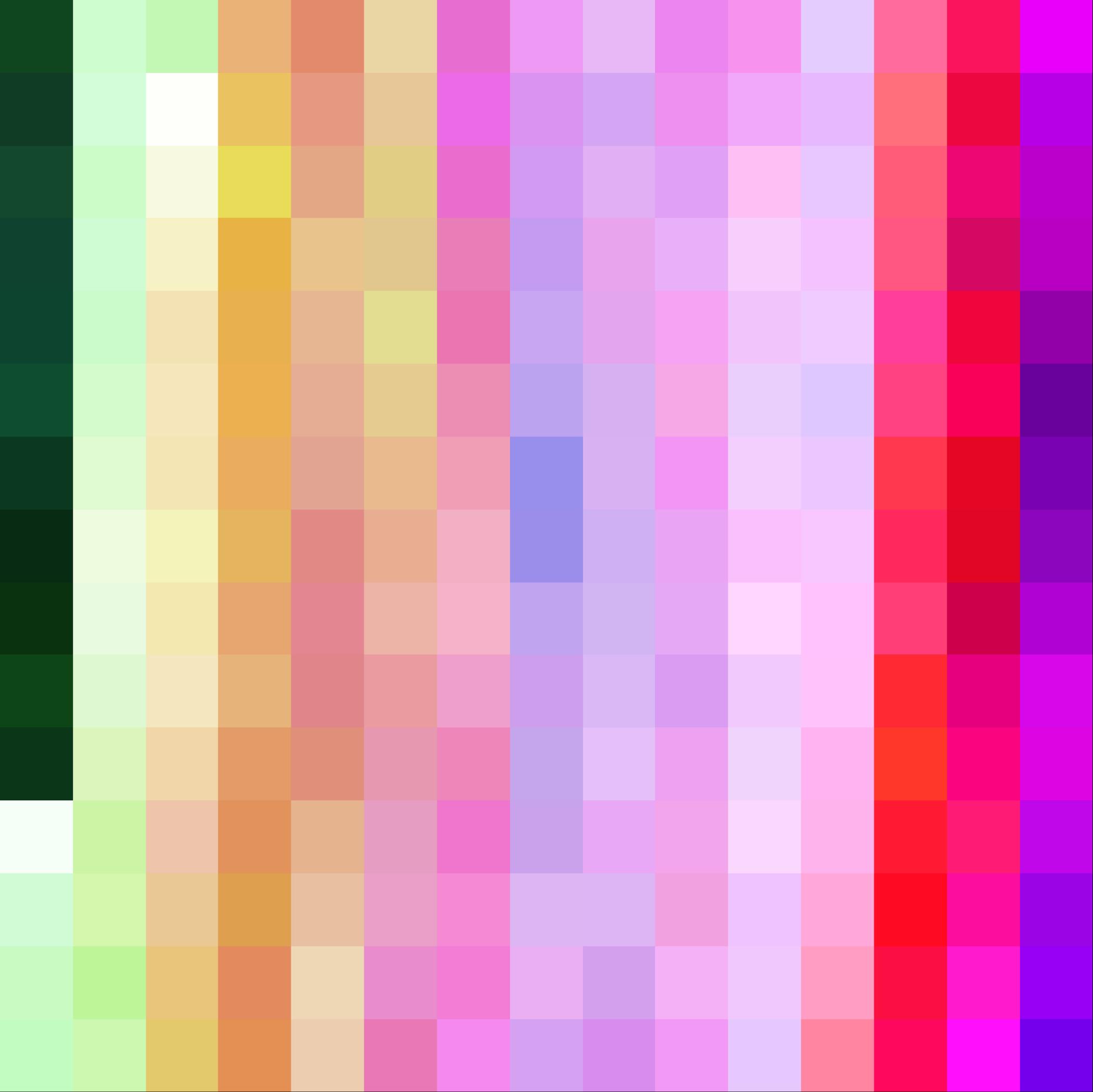
Here's a 6 by 6 pixelated grid that forms a two tone gradient. It is mostly green, and it also has some orange in it.



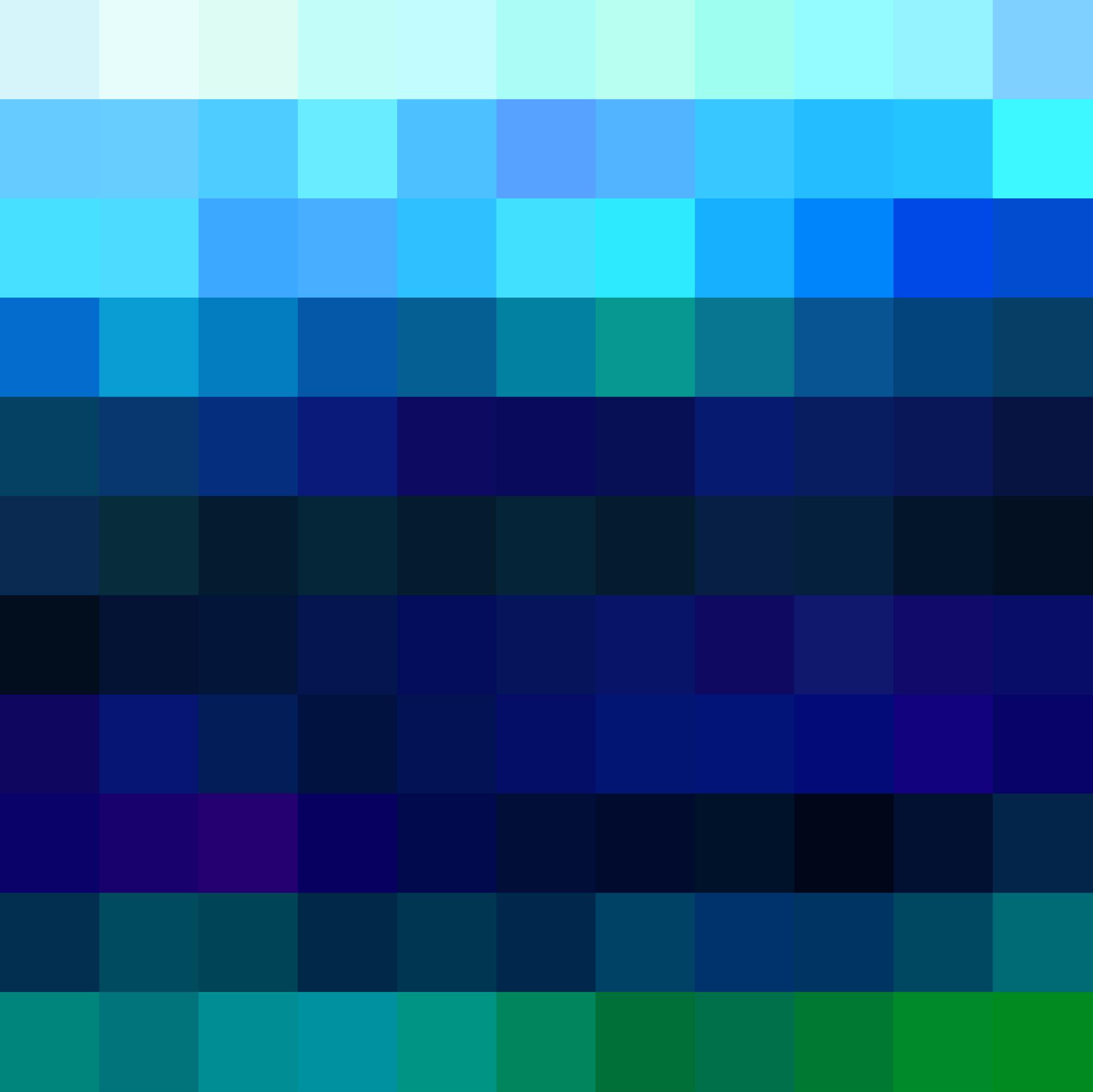
The colourful gradient in this 11 by 11 pixel grid is mostly blue, and it also has quite some orange, some yellow, some cyan, and a little bit of green in it.



A grid with 121 coloured squares that form a very, very colourful gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly blue, and it also has some magenta, some red, some indigo, a bit of purple, a bit of rose, a bit of orange, a little bit of violet, and a little bit of cyan in it.



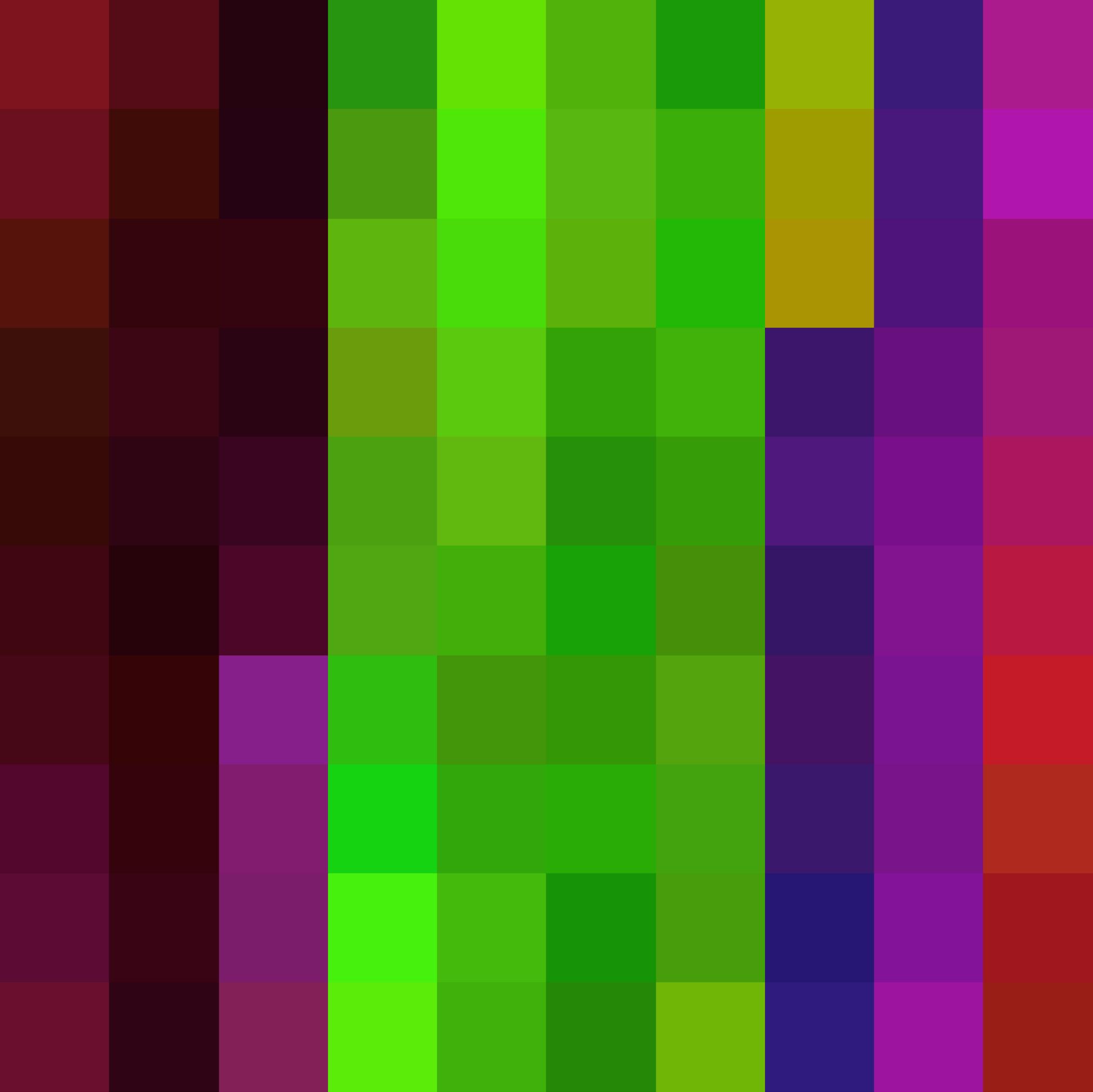
Here's a 15 by 15 pixelated grid that forms a colourful gradient. It is mostly red, and it also has some orange, some green, a little bit of yellow, and a tiny bit of lime in it.



There's a pixel gradient in this 11 by 11 grid. It is mostly blue, and it also has quite some cyan, a bit of indigo, and a little bit of green in it.



The cells in this 13 by 13 pixel grid form a very, very colourful gradient. It is mostly blue, and it also has quite some indigo, quite some cyan, some yellow, a little bit of violet, a little bit of lime, a little bit of green, a tiny bit of purple, and a tiny bit of orange in it.



A very, very colourful grid of 100 blocks. It's mostly green, but it also has some red, some rose, some magenta, a bit of purple, a little bit of violet, a little bit of yellow, and a little bit of indigo in it.

I sent an enormous batch of images that my—handwritten—algorithms had generated over the years to my friend Daan Rongen. He passed them through a GAN, a so called *generative adversarial network*, a clever form of *machine learning*. The next few days we marvelled at the images it came up with. Some of the images that his machine generated inspired me to write a new algorithm—by hand—that generates these *pixel gradients* you can find in this book.

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