



100 random pixel gradients

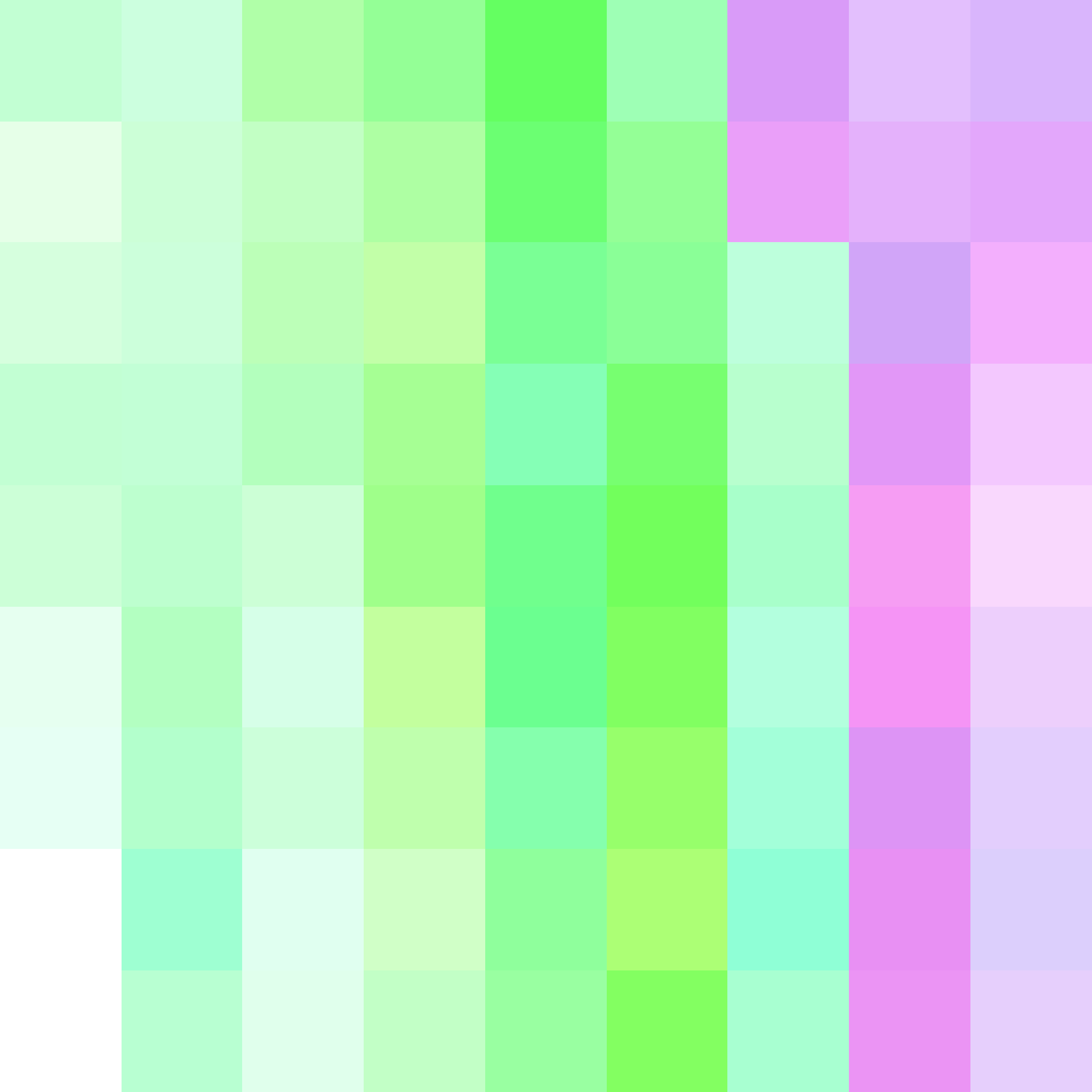
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A colourful grid of 49 blocks. It's mostly magenta, and it also has quite some blue, quite some purple, a bit of cyan, and a little bit of green in it.



This very colourful pixel gradient—it is 9 cells wide, 9 cells high—is mostly yellow, but it also has quite some red, quite some orange, some magenta, some rose, and a tiny bit of purple in it.



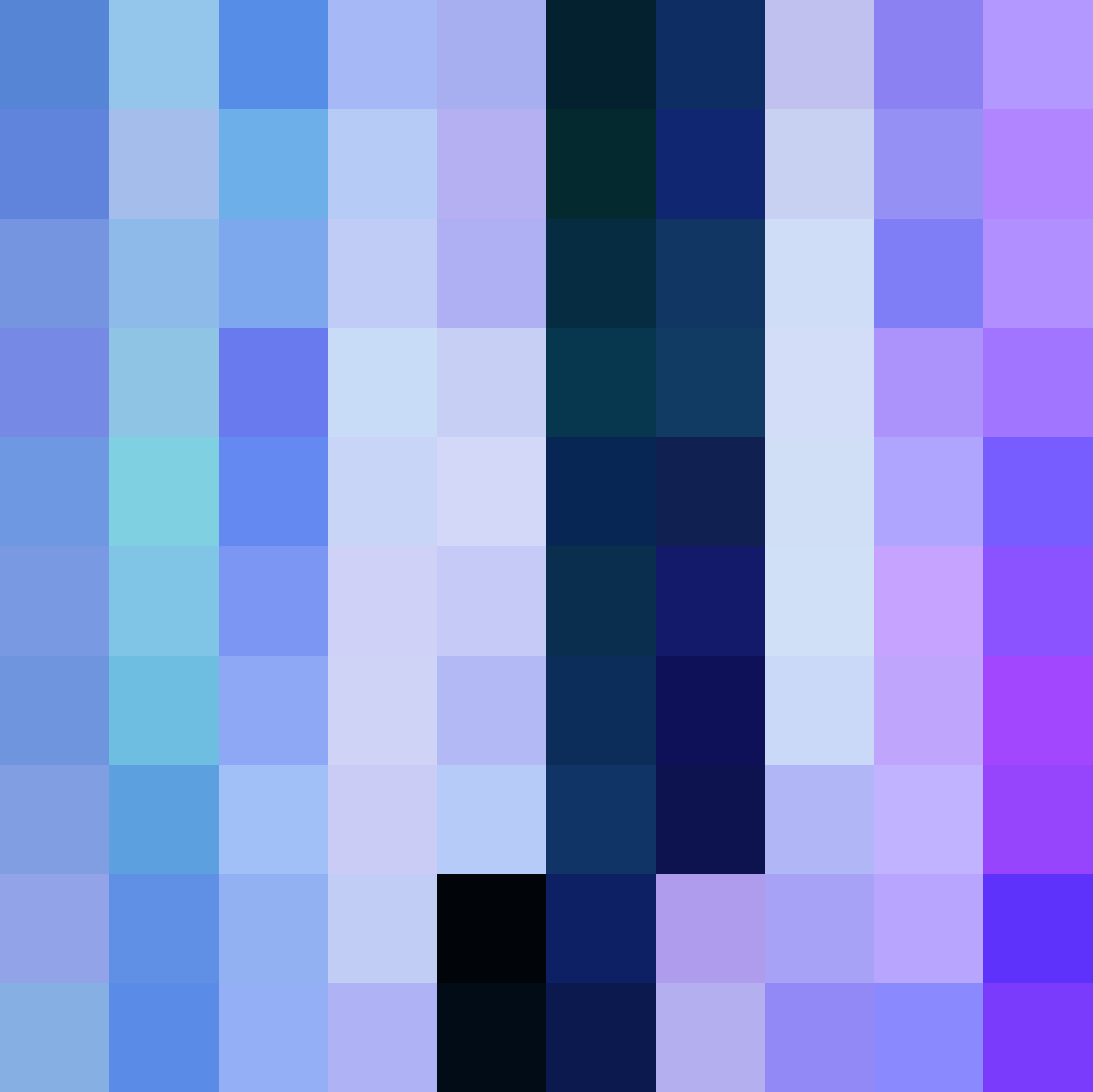
A very colourful grid of 81 blocks. It's mostly green, and it also has some purple, a bit of magenta, a tiny bit of violet, a tiny bit of cyan, and a tiny bit of indigo in it.



This colourful gradient, generated in this 9 by 9 pixel grid, is mostly red, and it also has some green, a bit of orange, a bit of yellow, and a little bit of lime in it.



The two tone gradient in this 5 by 5 pixel grid is mostly orange, but it also has quite some red in it.



This gradient, generated in this 10 by 10 pixel grid, is mostly blue, but it also has quite some indigo, a little bit of violet, and a tiny bit of cyan in it.



A colourful grid of 49 blocks. It's mostly red, but it also has quite some yellow, some lime, a bit of orange, and a tiny bit of green in it.



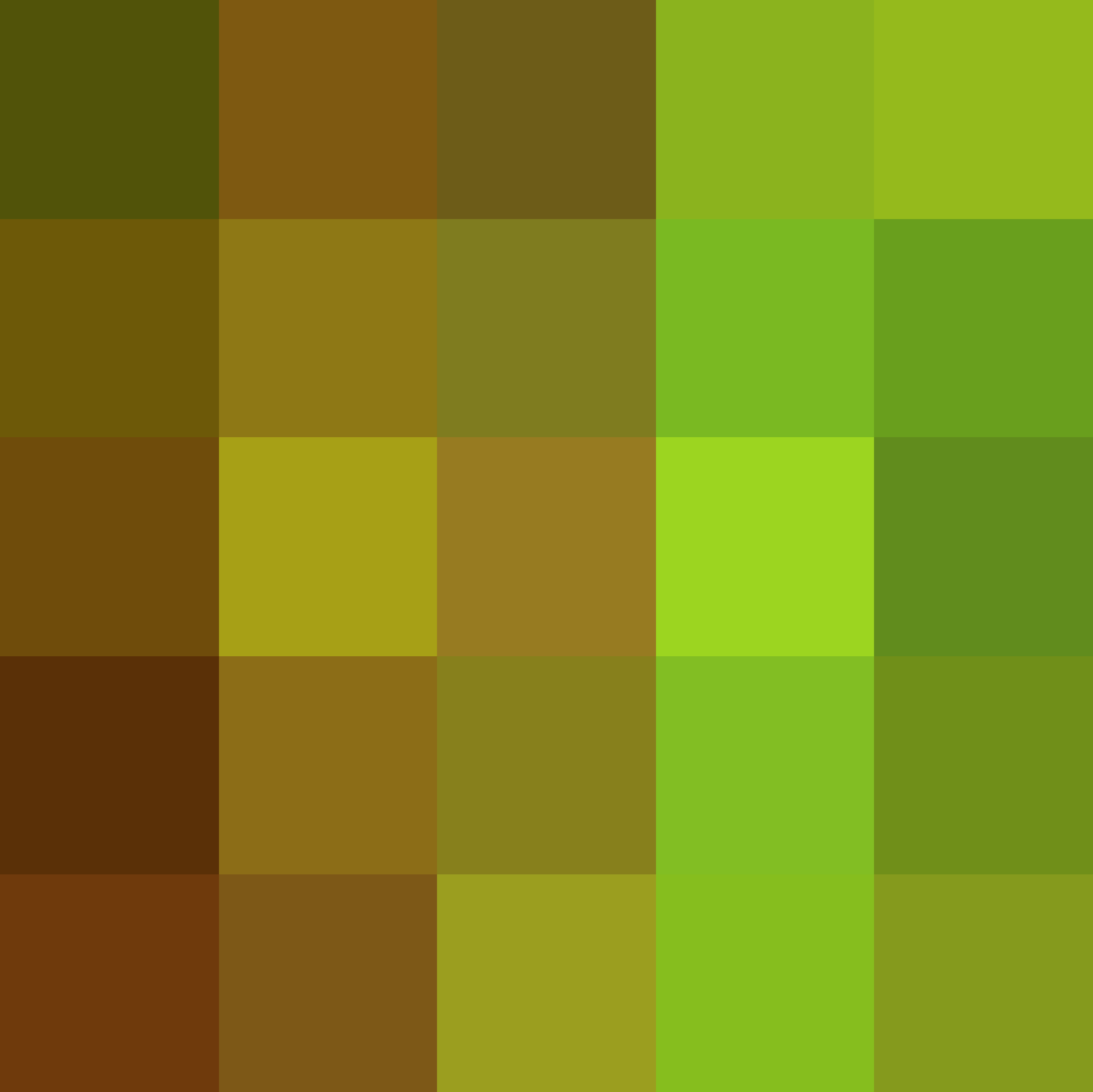
There's a very, very colourful pixel gradient in this 9 by 9 grid. It is mostly magenta, and it also has quite some orange, quite some purple, a bit of indigo, a bit of red, a little bit of violet, a little bit of rose, and a little bit of yellow in it.



A grid with 64 coloured squares that form a very colourful gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly orange, and it also has quite some green, some red, some yellow, a bit of magenta, a little bit of rose, and a little bit of lime in it.



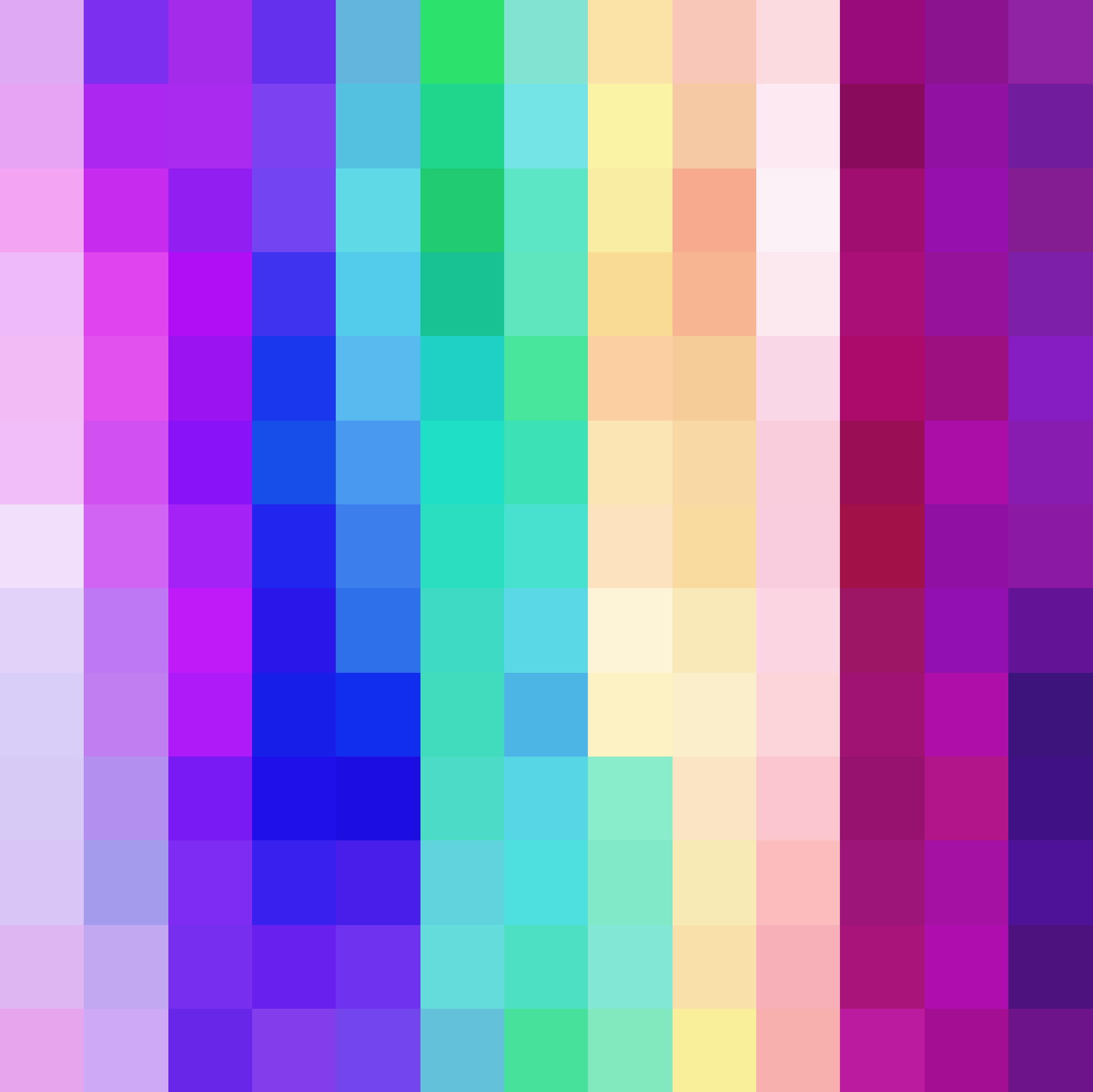
This very colourful pixel gradient—it is 7 cells wide, 7 cells high—is mostly magenta, but it also has quite some green, some rose, a bit of indigo, a bit of violet, and a little bit of lime in it.



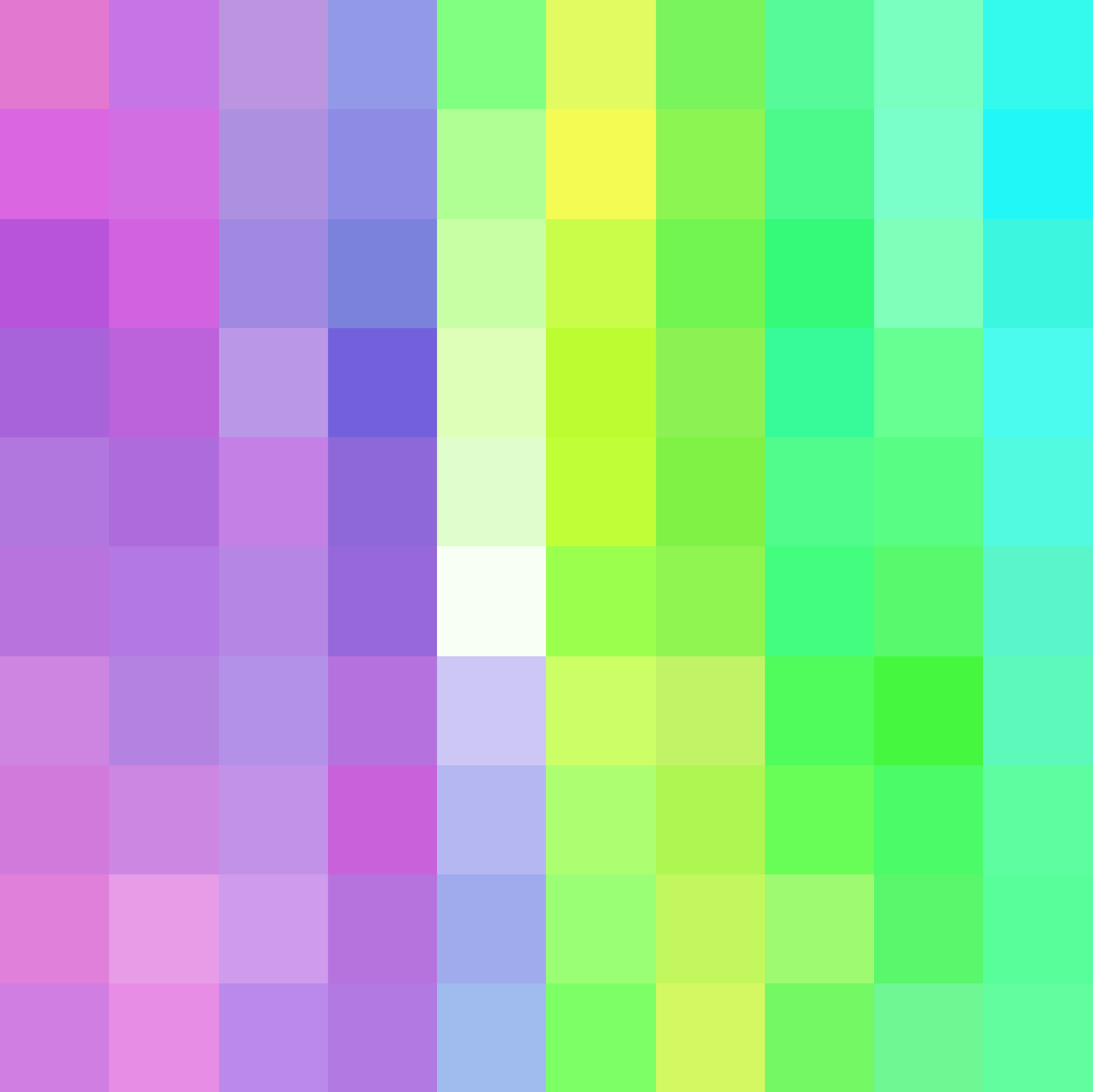
This gradient, generated in this 5 by 5 pixel grid, is mostly yellow, but it also has quite some orange, quite some green, and some lime in it.



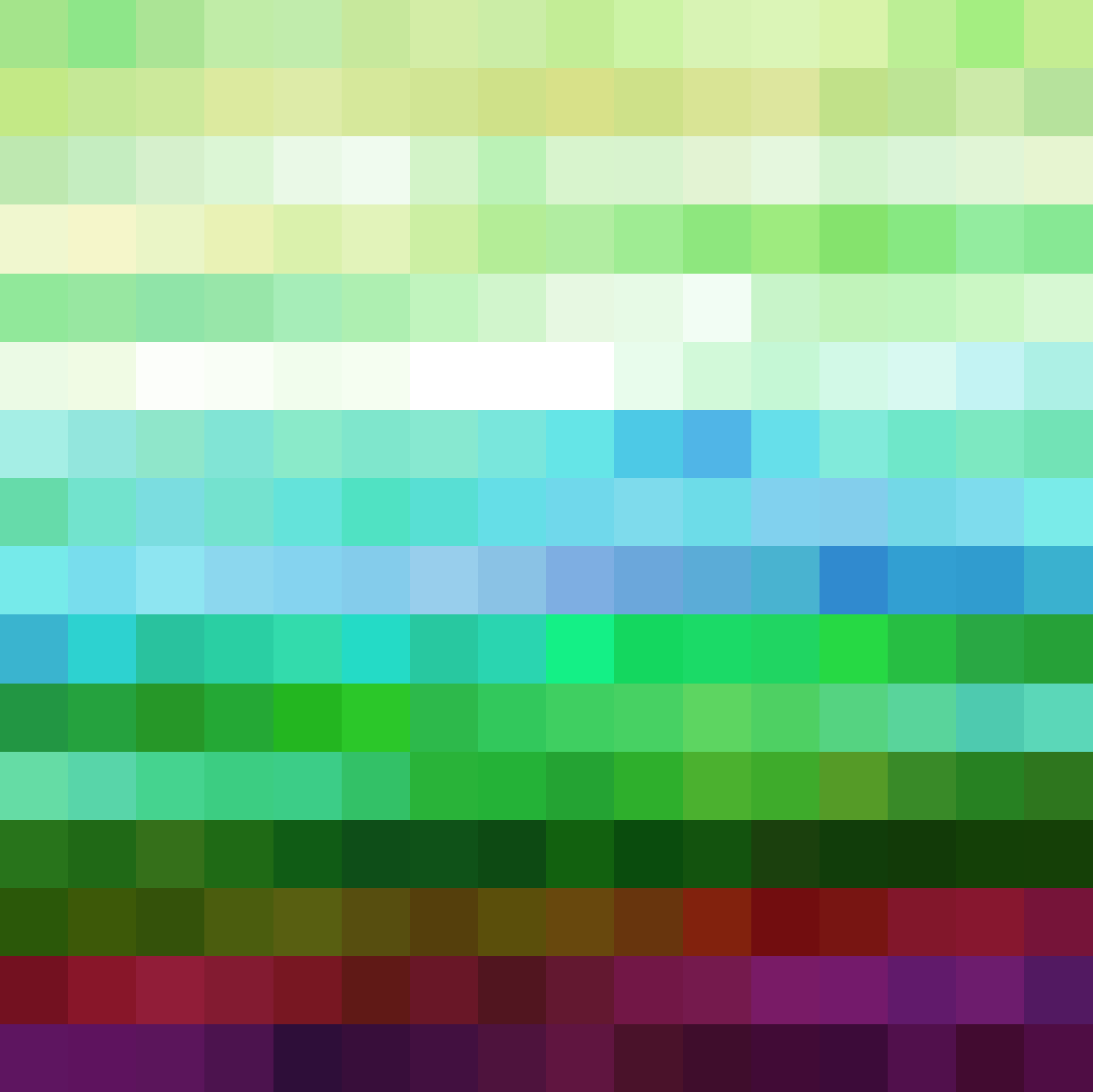
There's a pixel gradient in this 8 by 8 grid. It is mostly red, but it also has quite some orange, and a tiny bit of yellow in it.



This very, very colourful gradient, generated in this 13 by 13 pixel grid, is mostly purple, but it also has some magenta, some cyan, a bit of orange, a bit of indigo, a bit of violet, a bit of red, a bit of blue, a little bit of green, a little bit of yellow, and a tiny bit of rose in it.



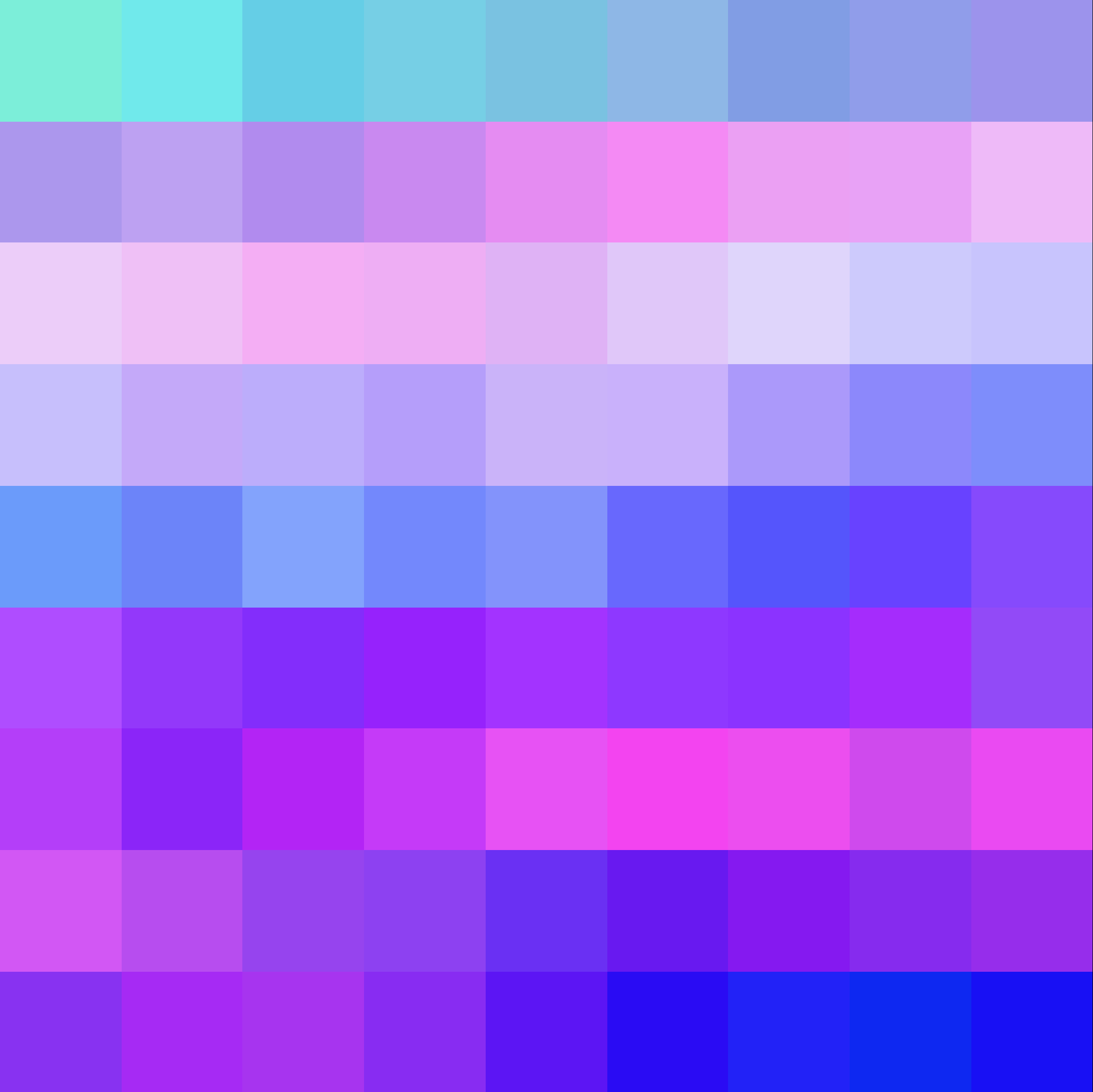
A 10 by 10 grid with coloured squares that form a very, very colourful gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly green, but it also has quite some purple, a bit of magenta, a little bit of violet, a little bit of indigo, a little bit of blue, a little bit of cyan, a little bit of lime, and a tiny bit of yellow in it.



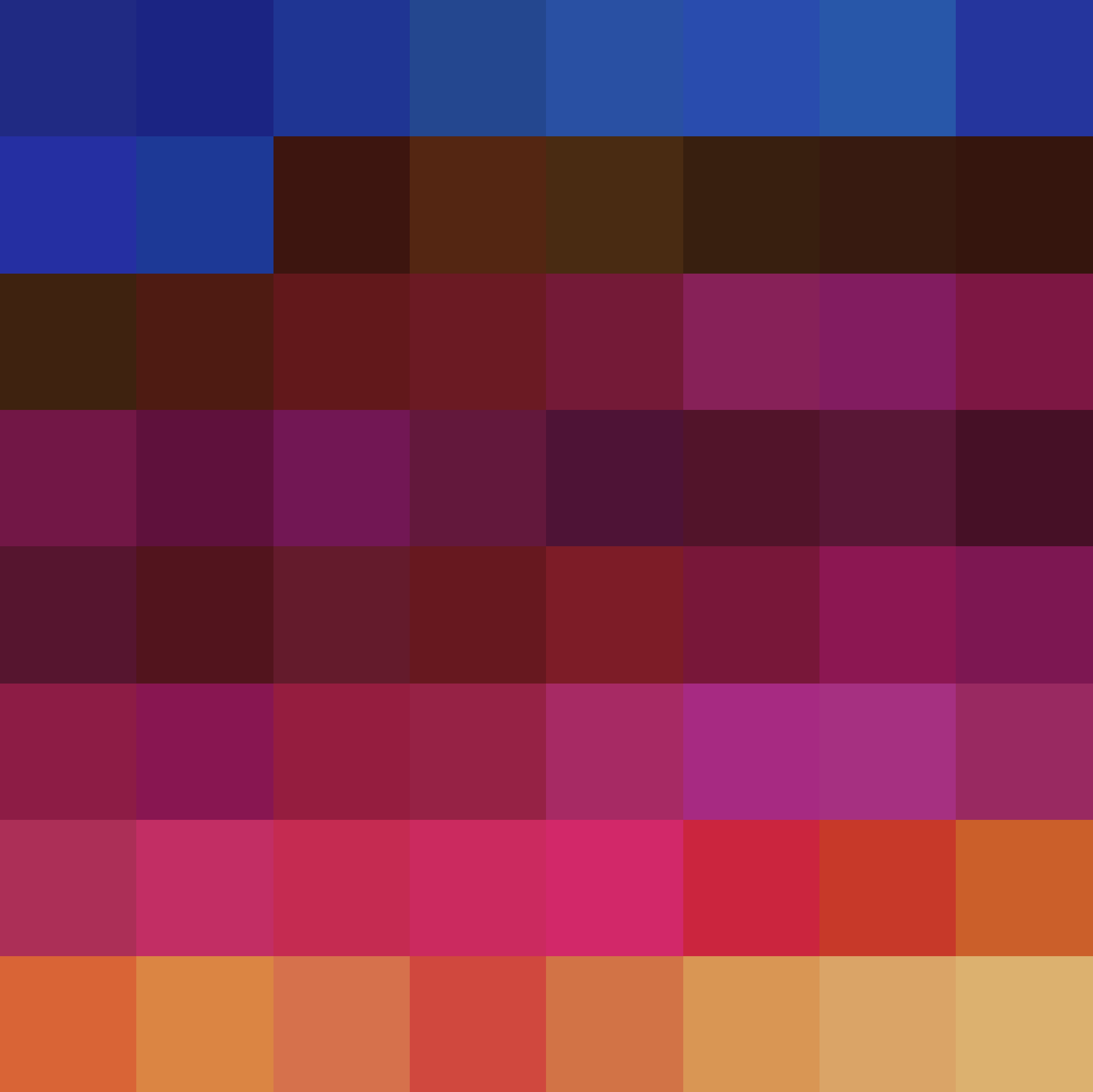
A grid with 256 coloured squares that form a very colourful gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly green, and it also has some cyan, some red, a little bit of blue, a little bit of lime, a little bit of yellow, and a tiny bit of orange in it.



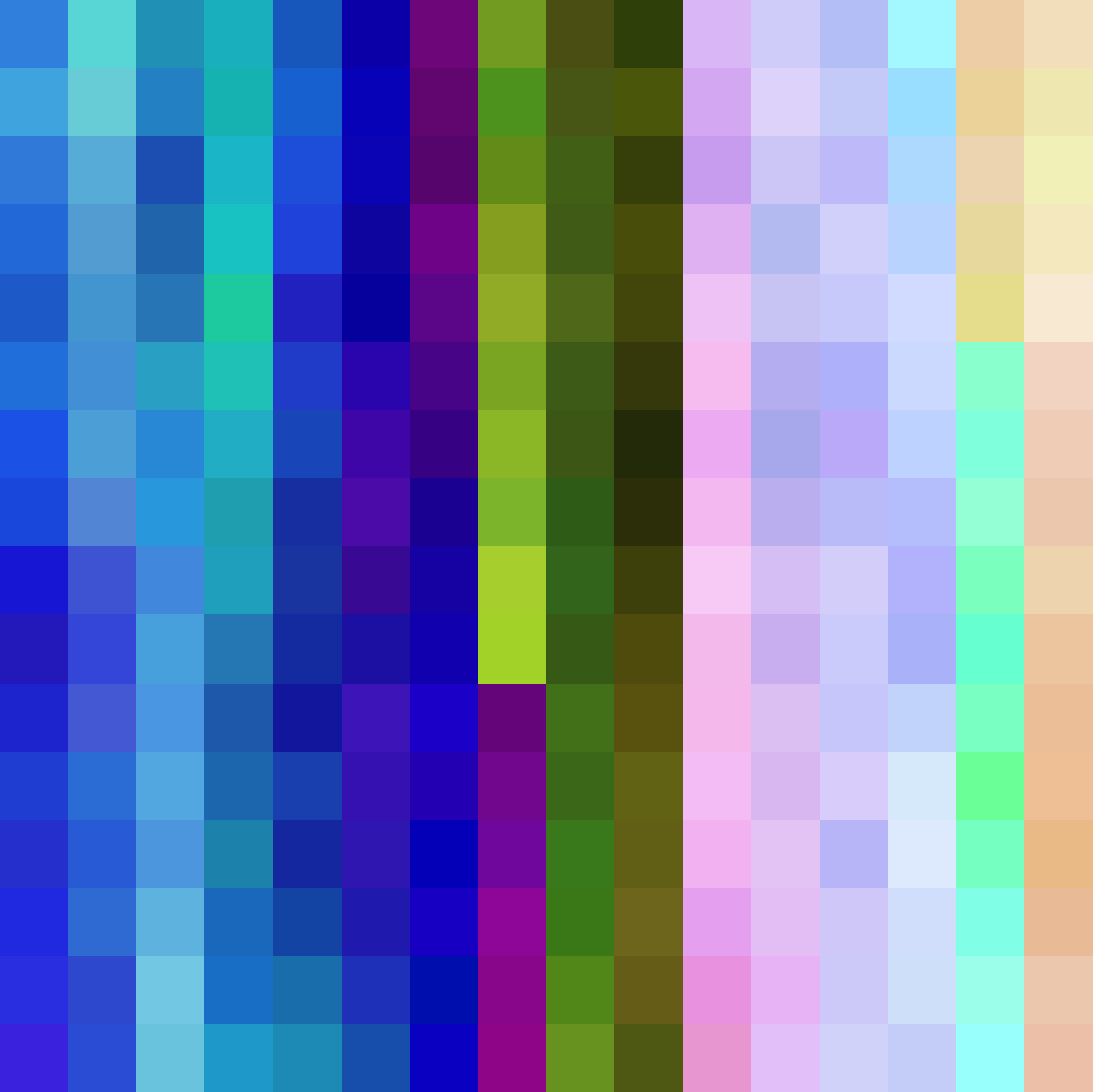
A two tone grid of 100 blocks. It's mostly red, and it also has a little bit of orange in it.



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



This gradient, generated in this 8 by 8 pixel grid, is mostly red, and it also has some orange, and some blue in it.



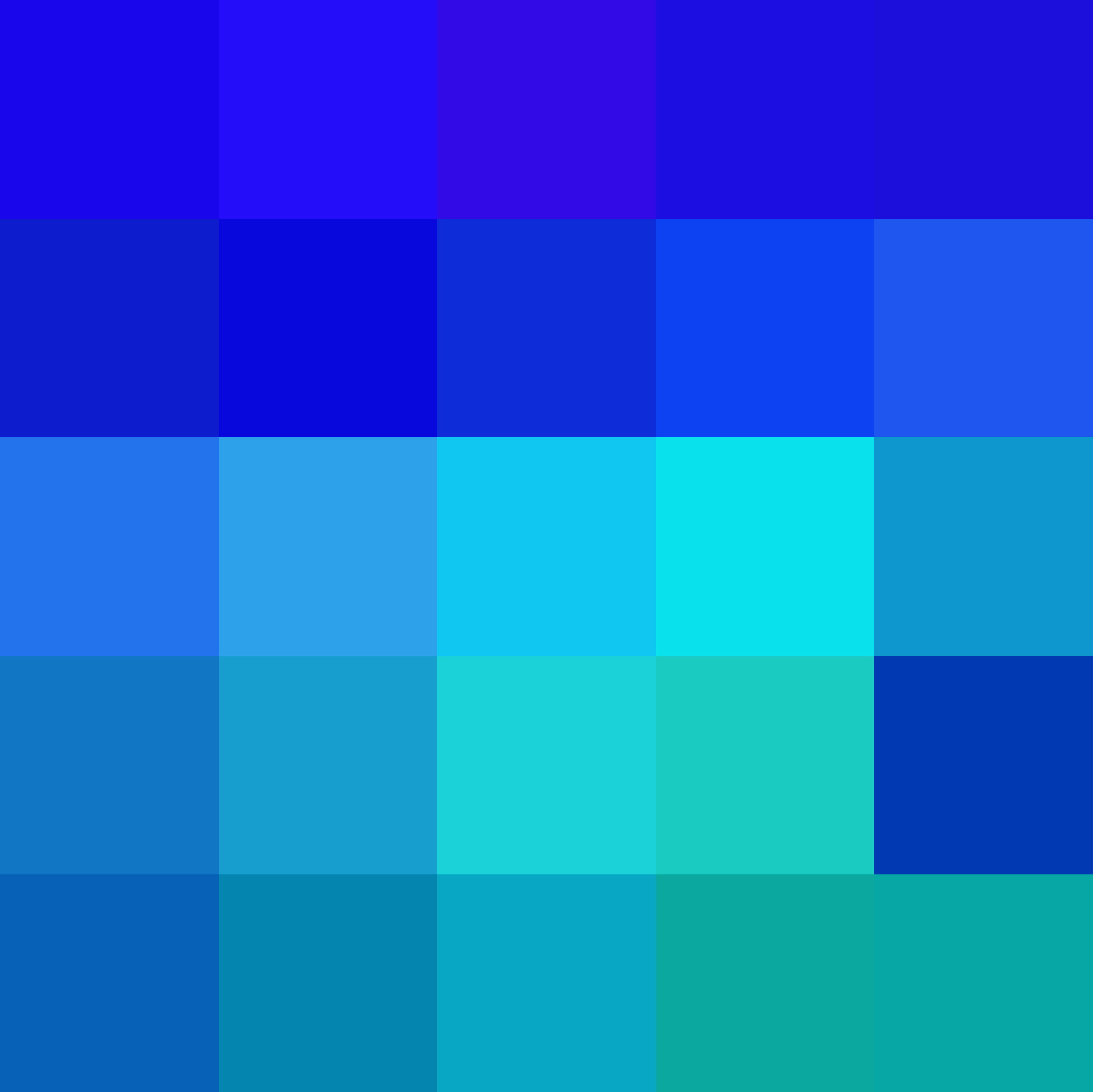
A grid with 256 coloured squares that form a very, very colourful gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly blue, and it also has some indigo, a bit of green, a bit of yellow, a bit of cyan, a bit of purple, a bit of magenta, a little bit of orange, a little bit of lime, and a tiny bit of violet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



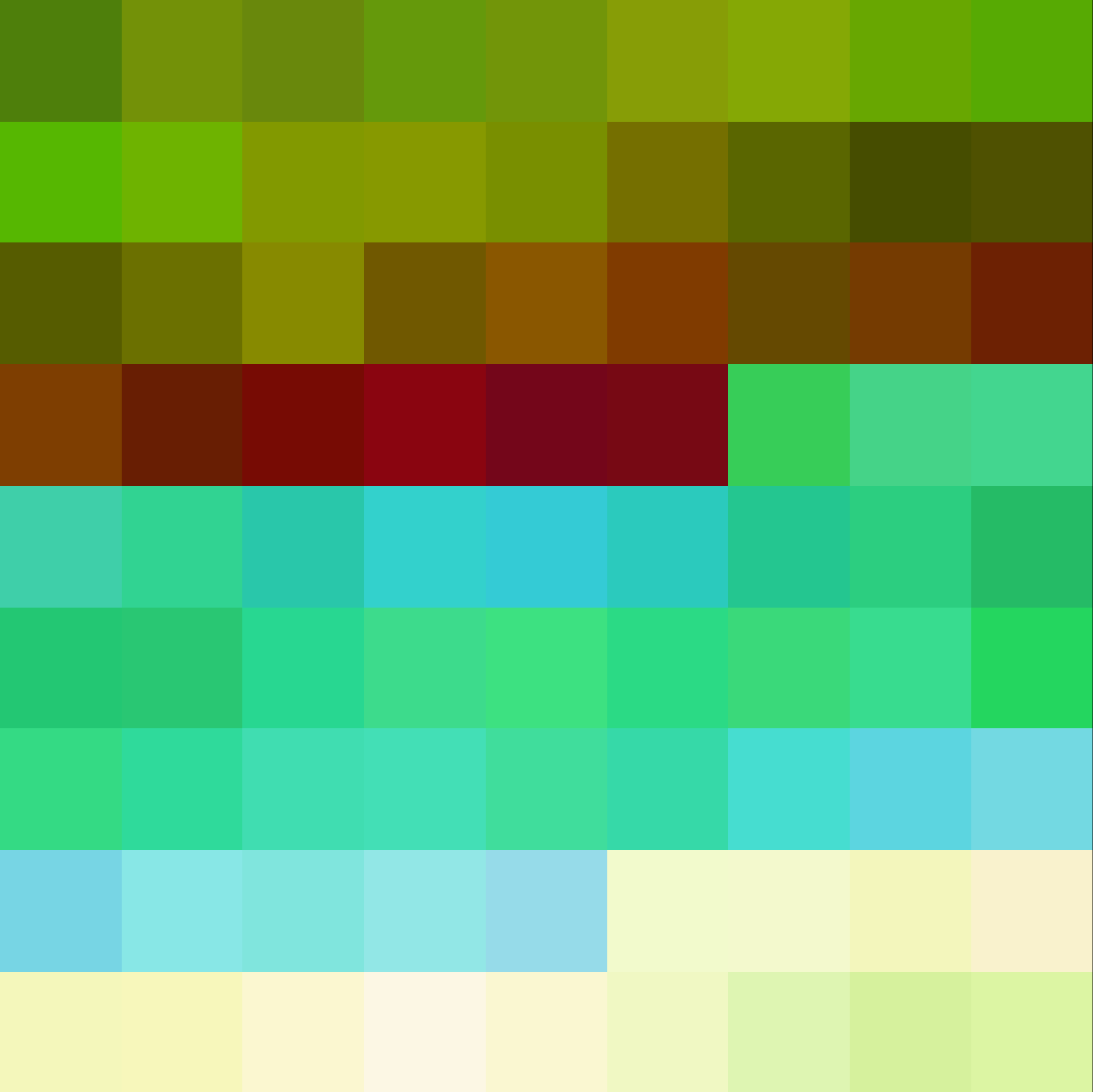
There's a colourful pixel gradient in this 9 by 9 grid. It is mostly orange, but it also has quite some red, some yellow, a bit of rose, and a little bit of magenta in it.



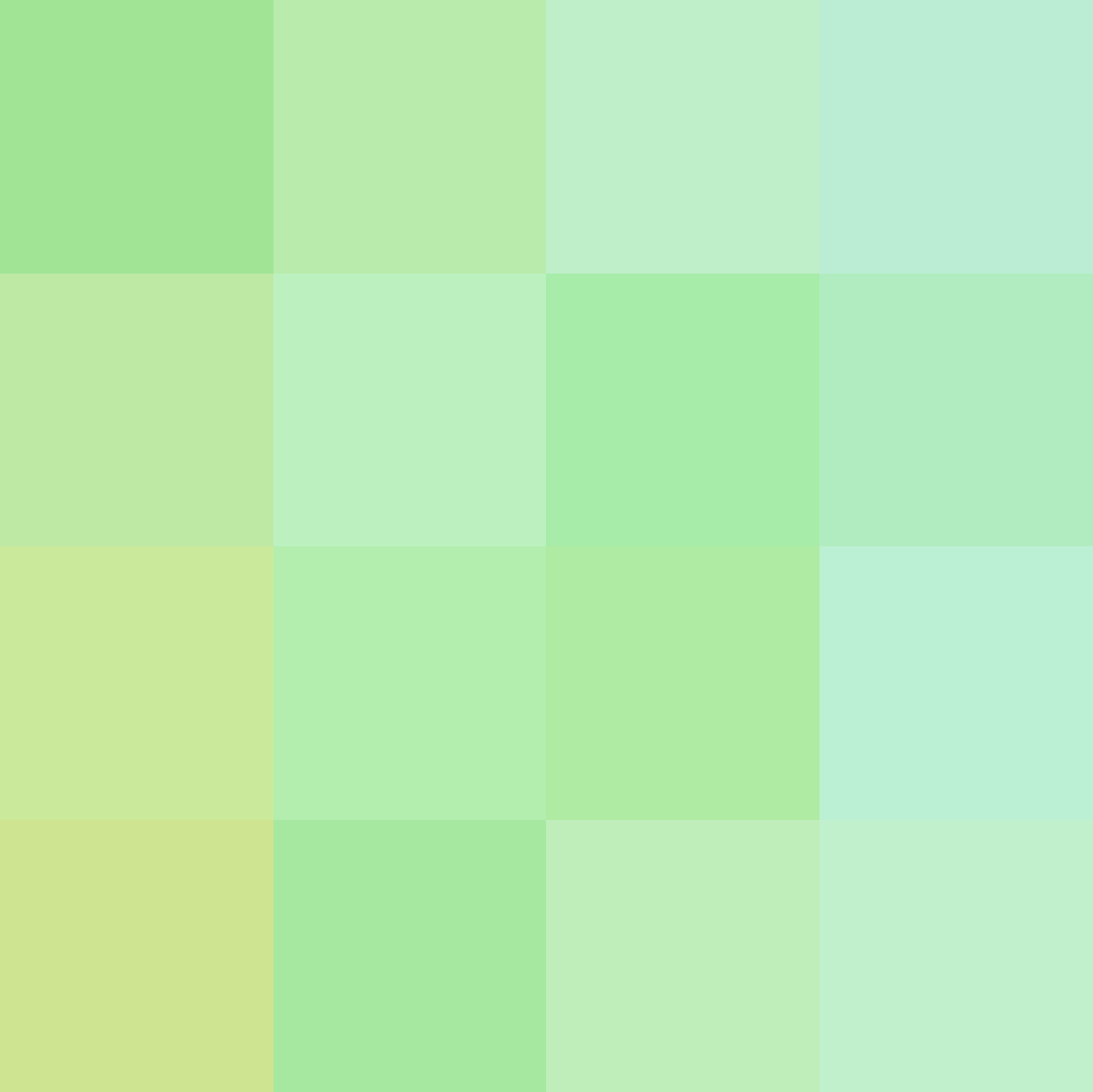
There’s a pixel gradient in this 7 by 7 grid. It is mostly red, and it also has a bit of purple, a bit of rose, and a little bit of magenta in it.



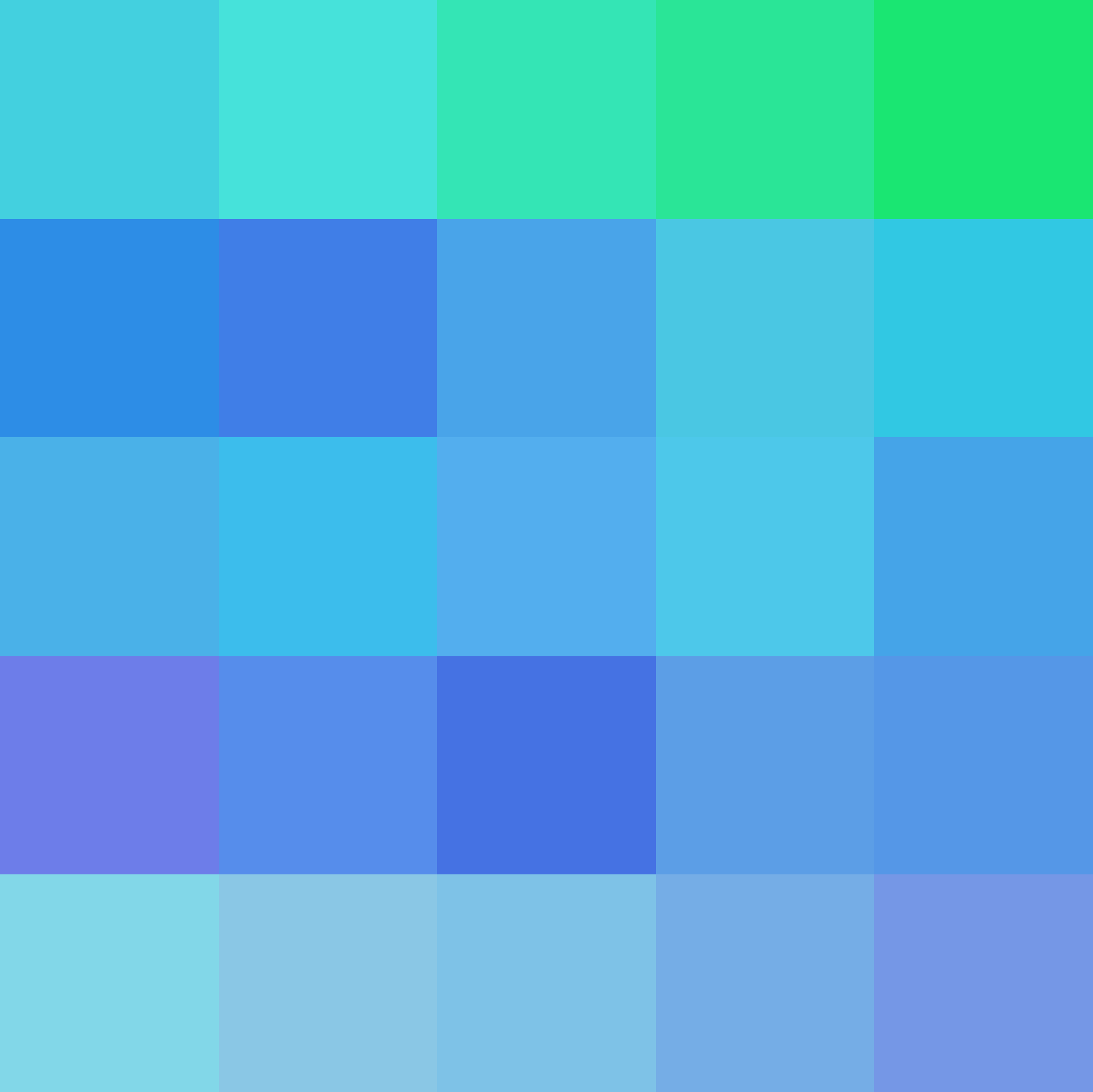
A grid of 25 blocks. It's mostly blue, but it also has quite some cyan, and quite some indigo in it.



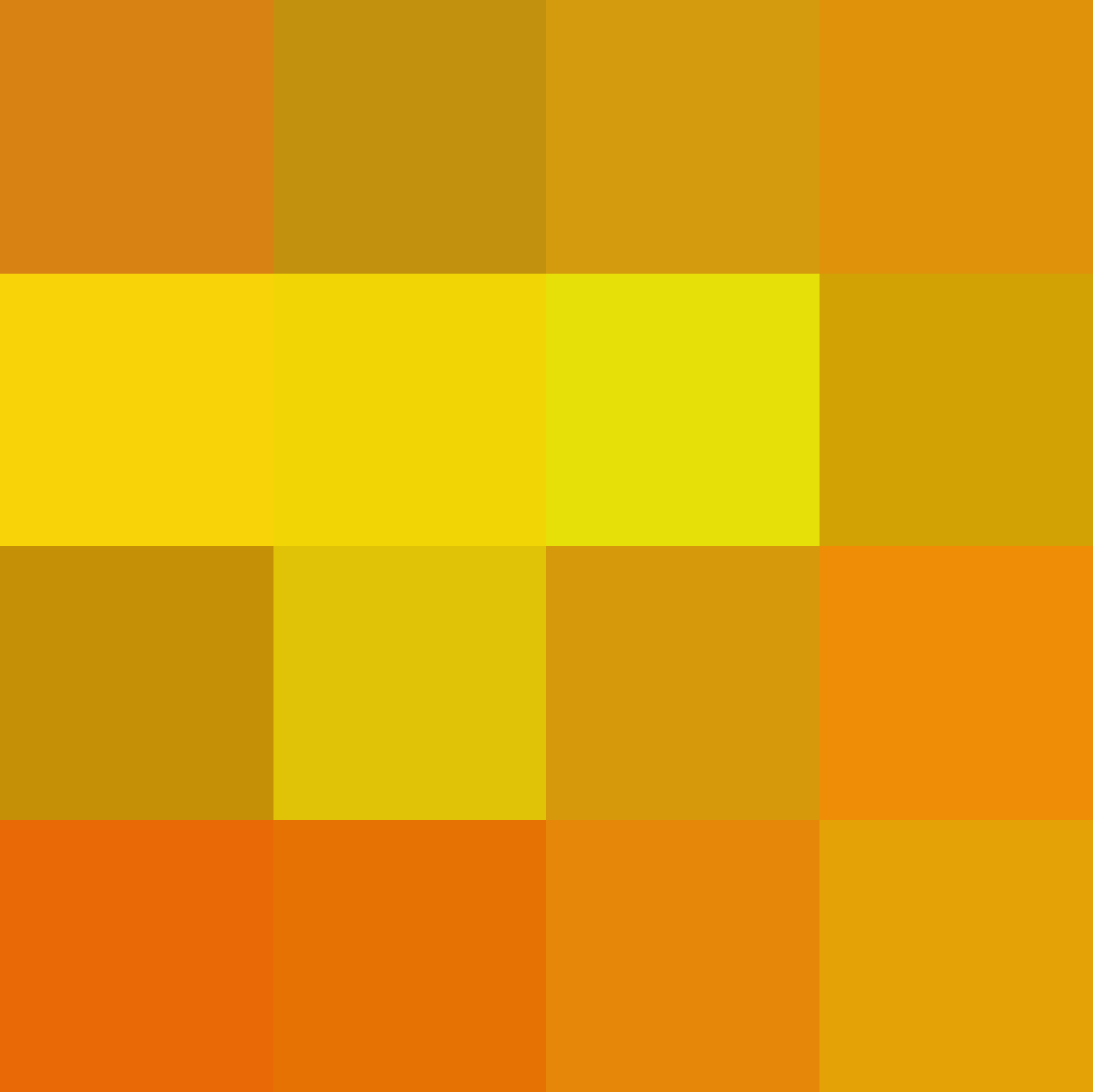
A very colourful grid of 81 blocks. It's mostly green, and it also has quite some yellow, some cyan, a bit of orange, a bit of lime, and a little bit of red in it.



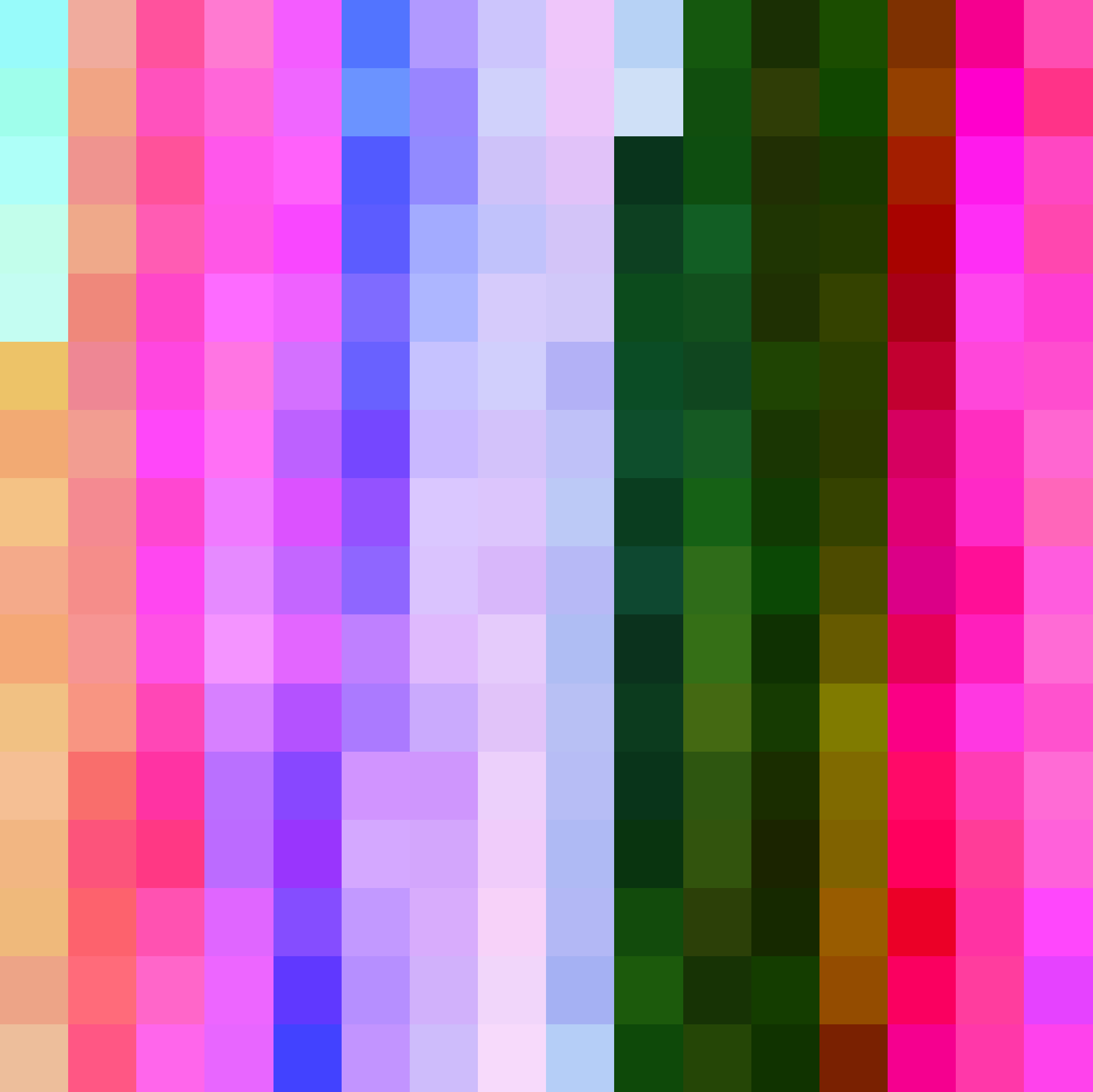
There's a two tone pixel gradient in this 4 by 4 grid. It is mostly green, and it also has a little bit of lime in it.



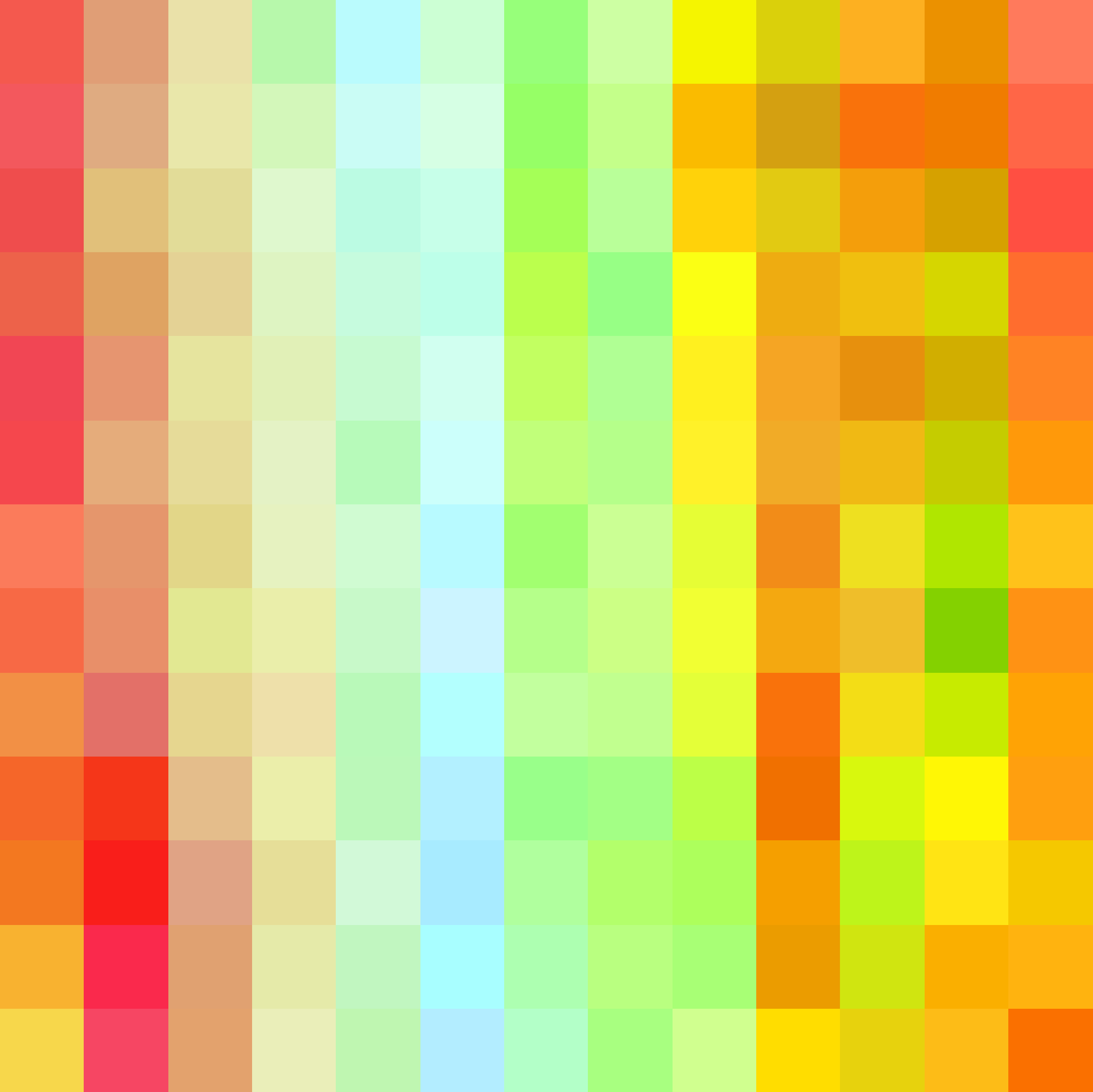
A grid with 25 coloured squares that form a gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly blue, but it also has quite some cyan, and a bit of green in it.



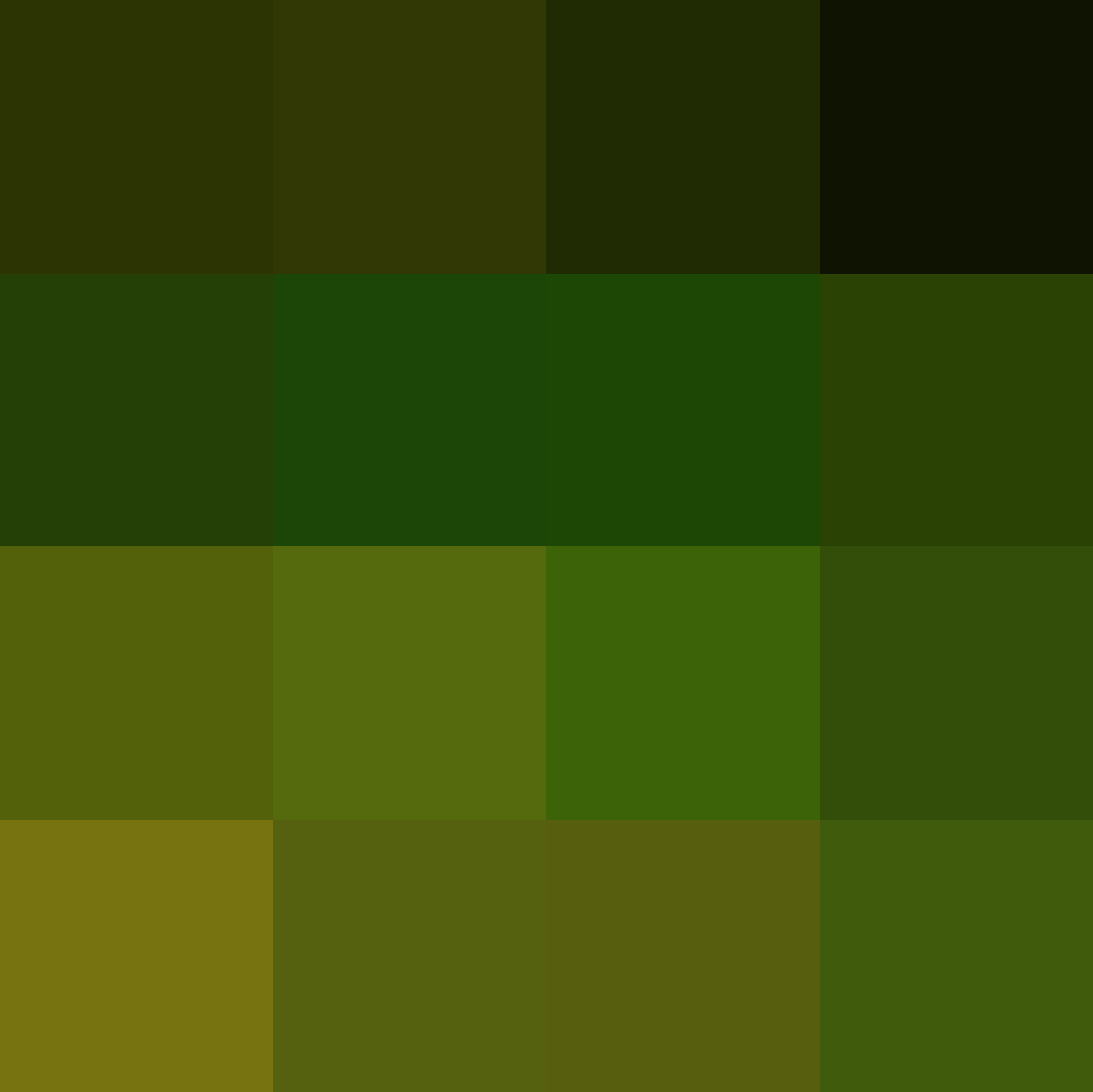
A 4 by 4 grid with coloured squares that form a two tone gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly orange, and it also has quite some yellow in it.



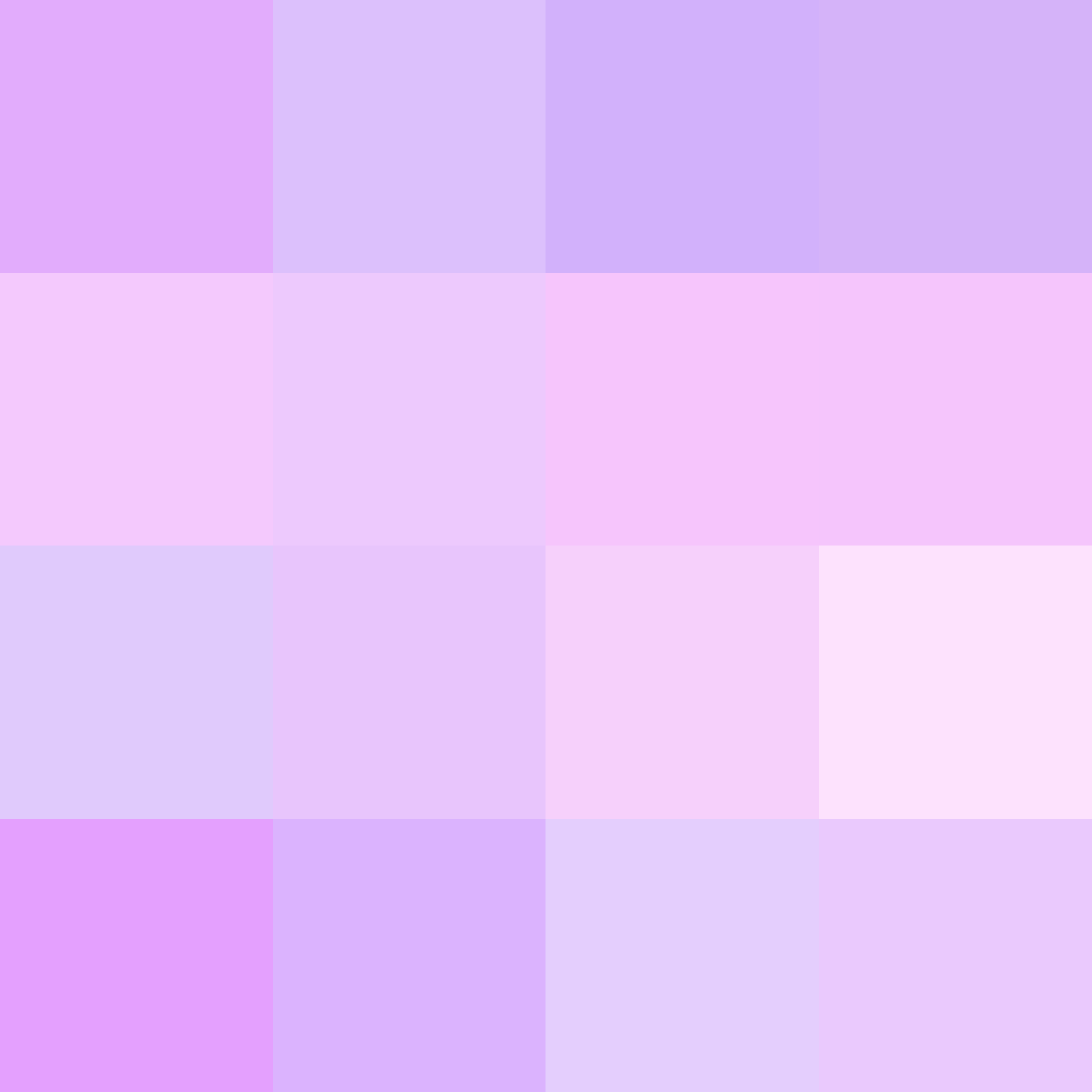
A 16 by 16 grid with coloured squares that form a very colourful gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly red, and it also has quite some green, a bit of orange, a tiny bit of lime, a tiny bit of yellow, and a tiny bit of cyan in it.



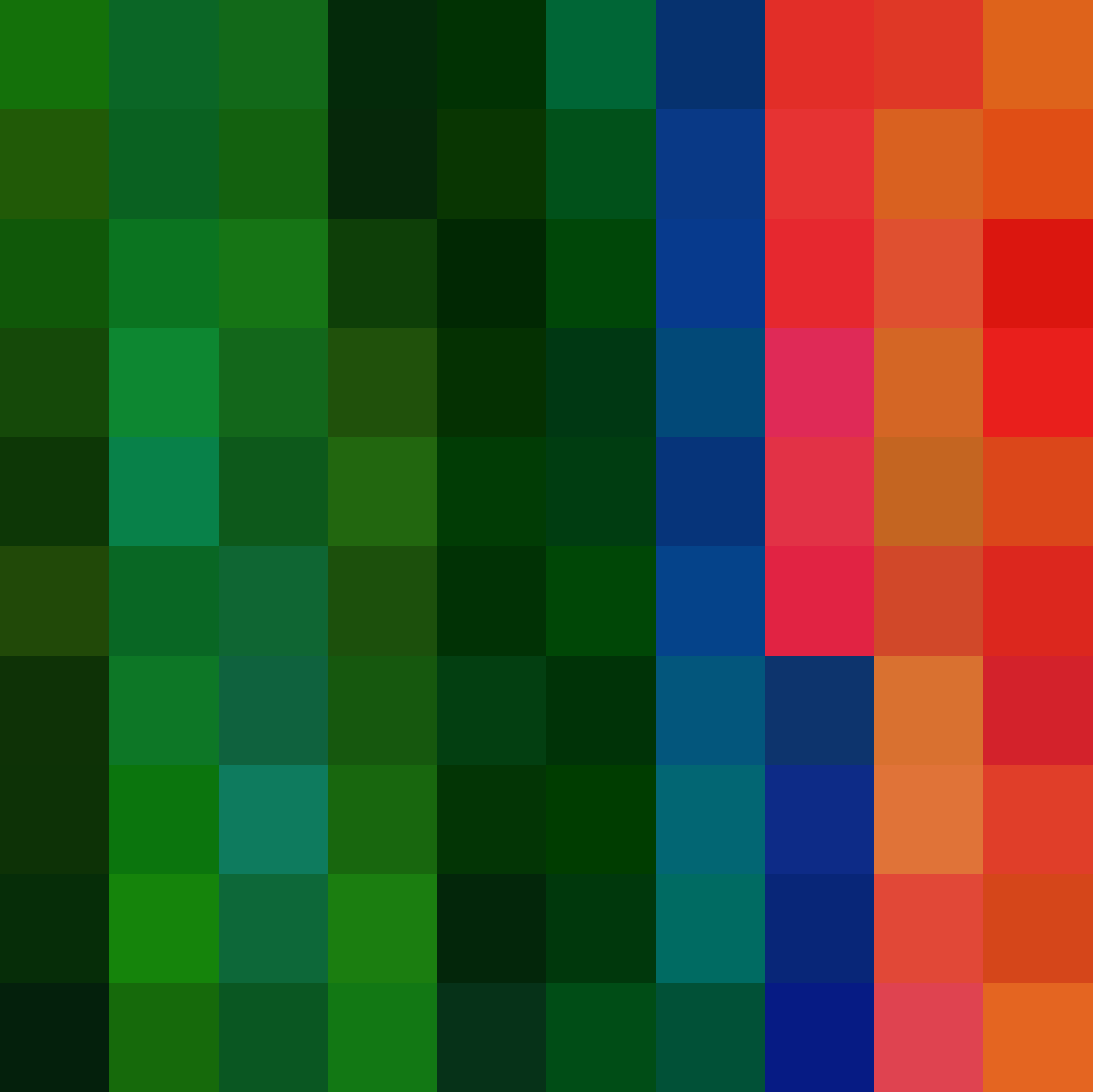
The cells in this 13 by 13 pixel grid form a very colourful gradient. It is mostly green, and it also has quite some orange, quite some yellow, a bit of red, a little bit of cyan, a little bit of lime, and a tiny bit of blue in it.



The cells in this 4 by 4 pixel grid form a gradient. It is mostly green, and it also has quite some yellow, and some lime in it.



This gradient, generated in this 4 by 4 pixel grid, is mostly purple, and it also has quite some violet, and quite some magenta in it.



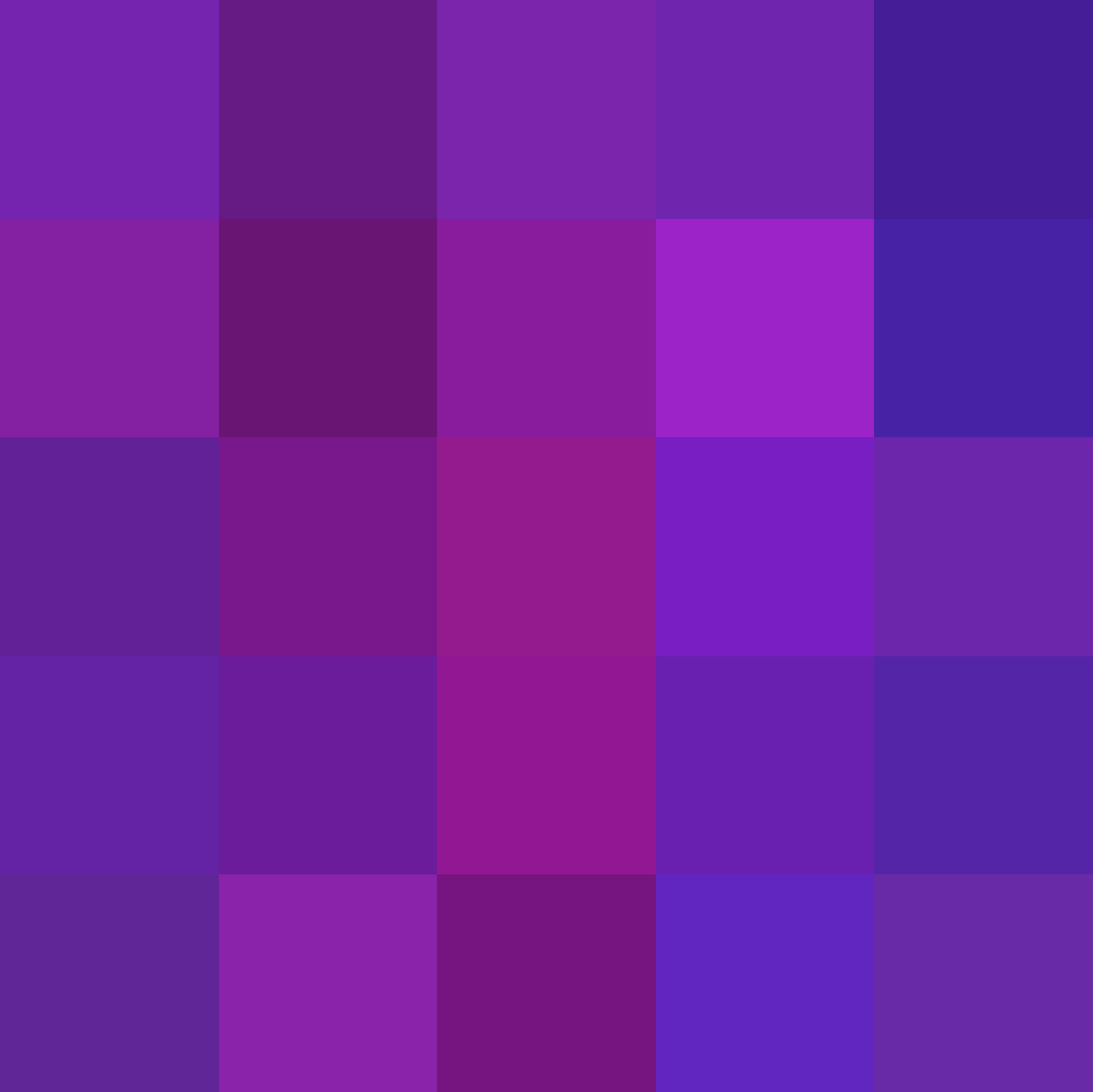
A colourful grid of 100 blocks. It's mostly green, and it also has some red, some blue, a bit of orange, and a little bit of cyan in it.



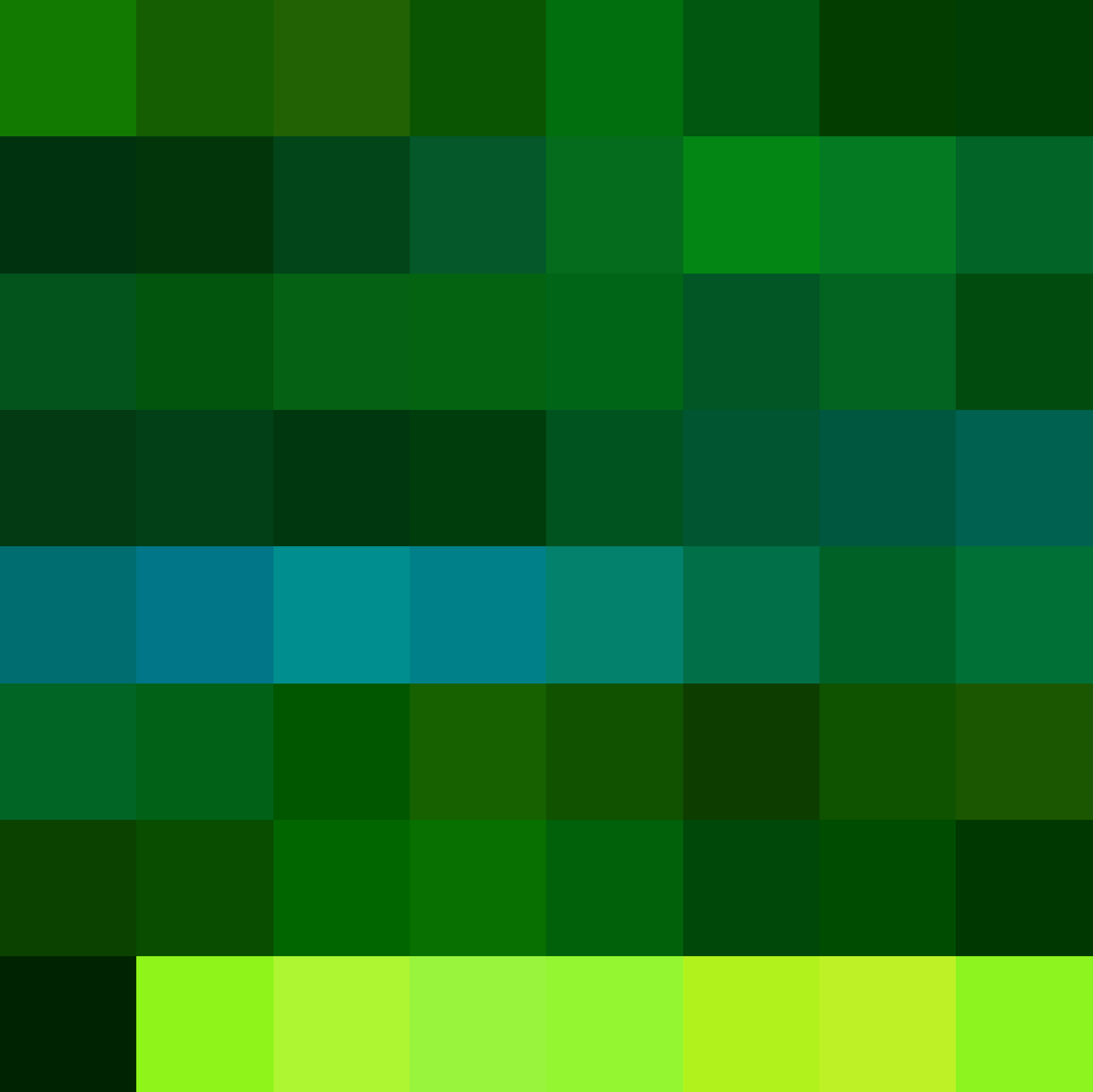
An 11 by 11 grid with coloured squares that form a very, very colourful gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly red, and it also has quite some green, some yellow, a little bit of orange, a little bit of lime, a little bit of magenta, a tiny bit of rose, and a tiny bit of purple in it.



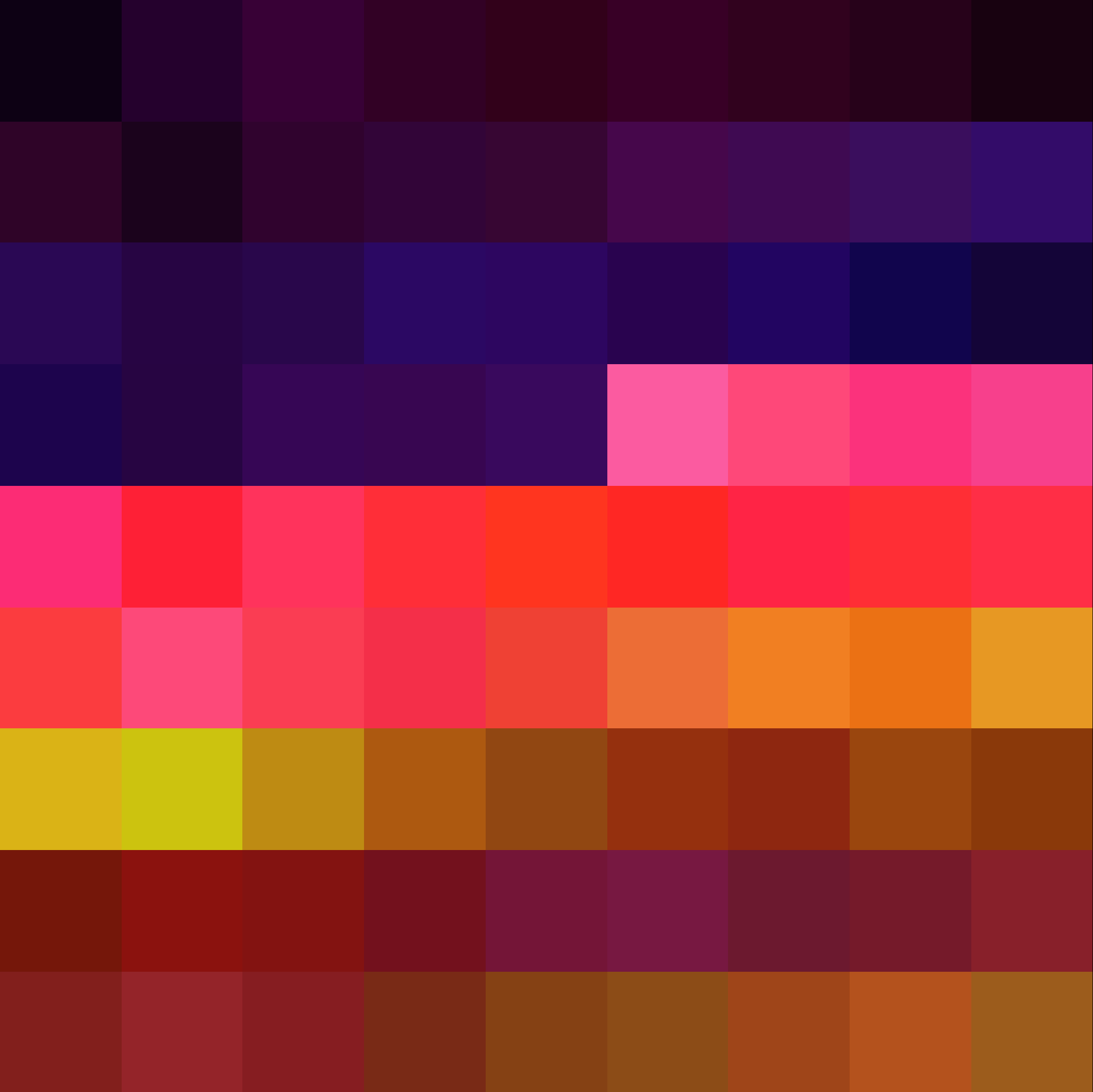
Here's a 9 by 9 pixelated grid that forms a very, very colourful gradient. It is mostly blue, but it also has quite some cyan, some magenta, some purple, some violet, a little bit of indigo, a little bit of rose, and a tiny bit of green in it.



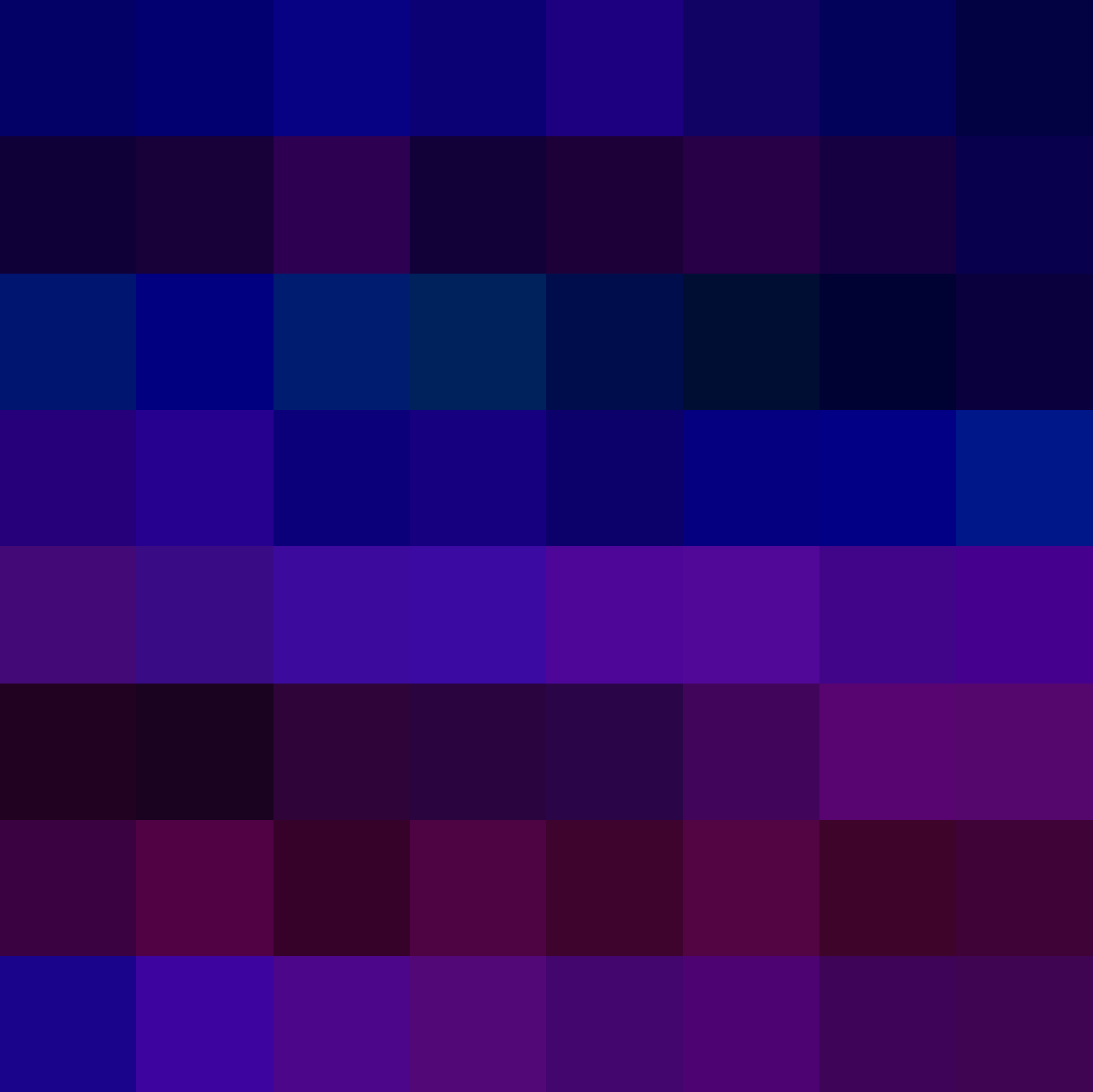
A grid with 25 coloured squares that form a gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly purple, but it also has quite some violet, some magenta, and a bit of indigo in it.



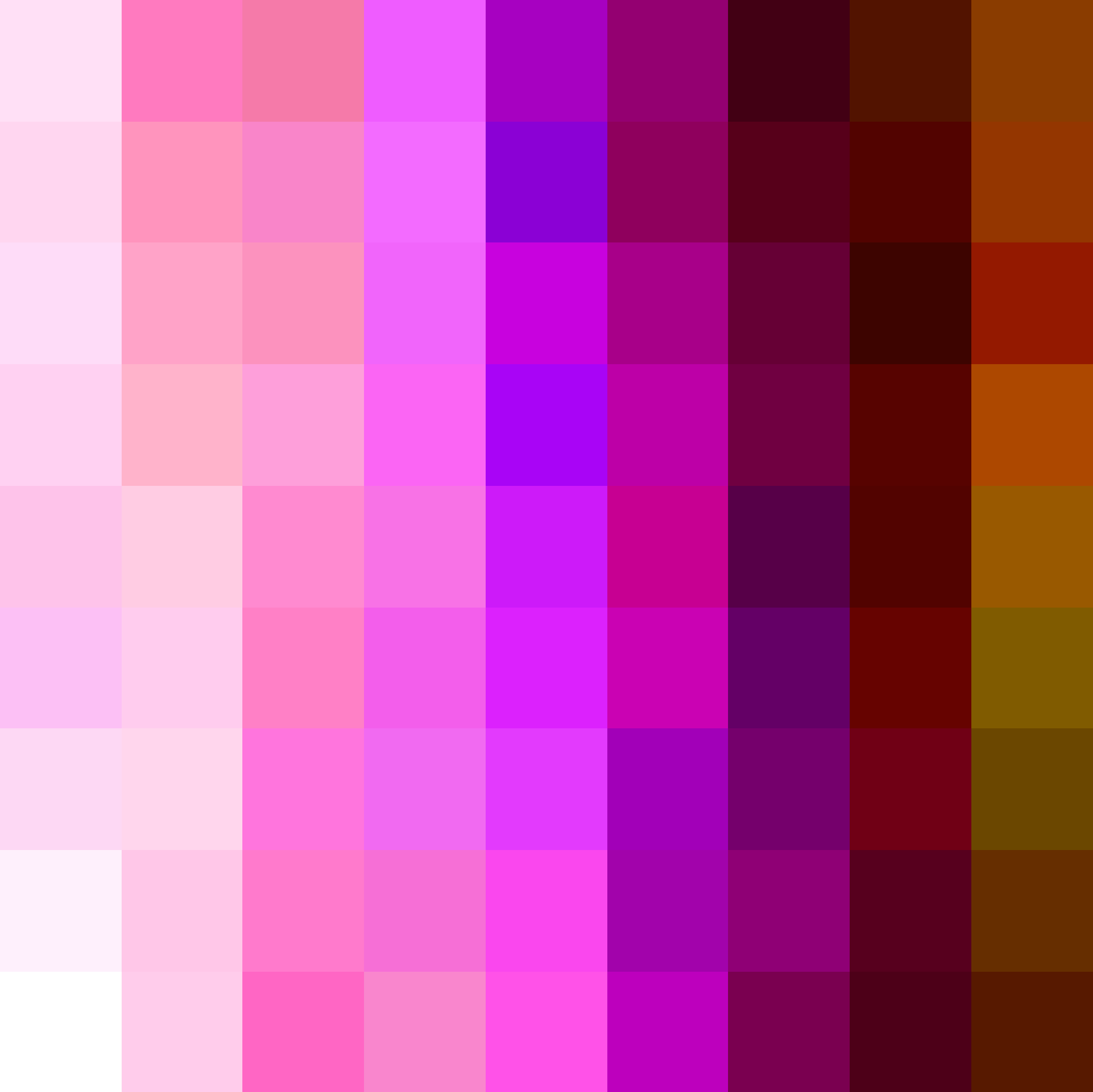
There's a pixel gradient in this 8 by 8 grid. It is mostly green, but it also has some cyan, and a little bit of lime in it.



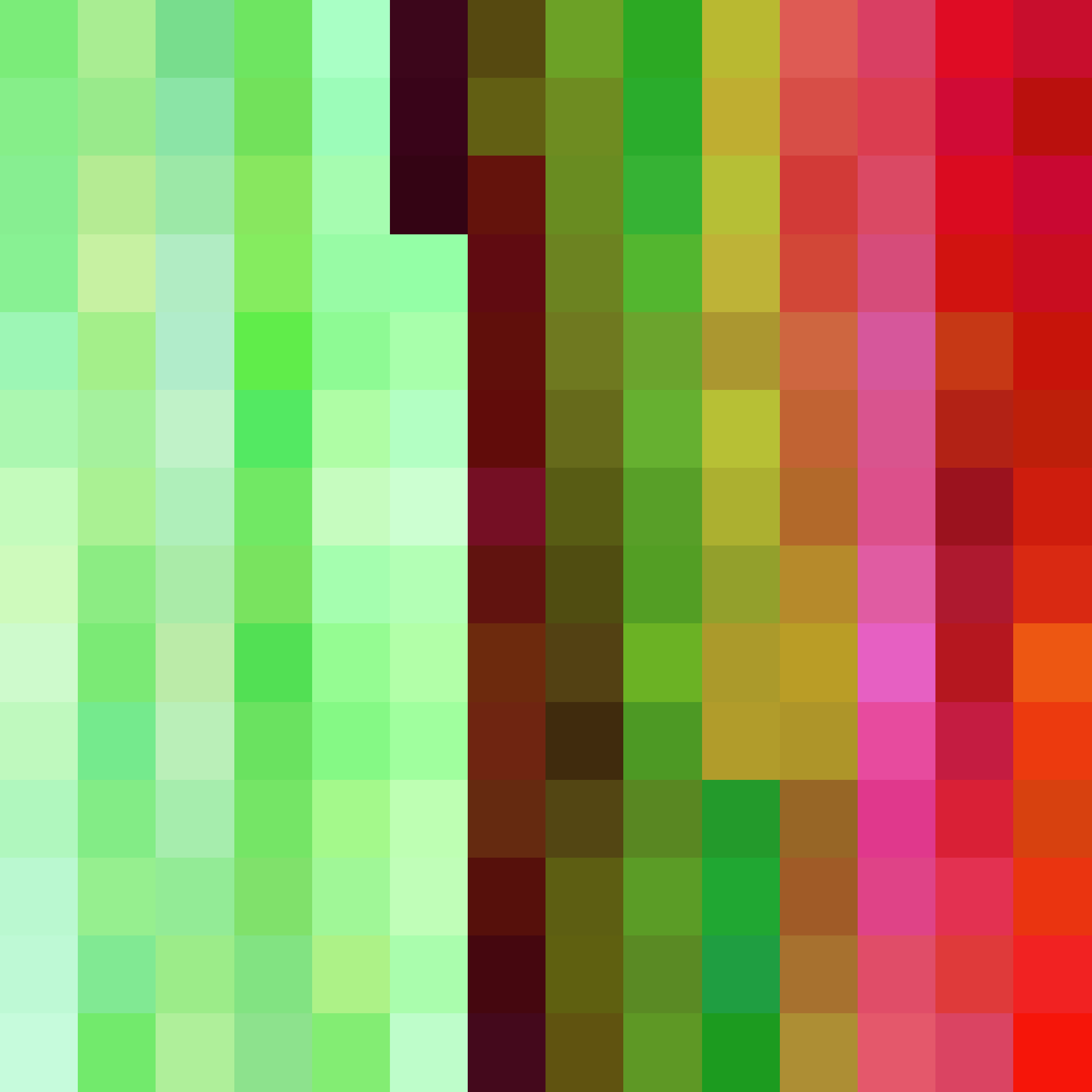
Here's a 9 by 9 pixelated grid that forms a very, very colourful gradient. It is mostly red, but it also has some orange, some magenta, some rose, some purple, a bit of violet, a little bit of indigo, and a tiny bit of yellow in it.



The cells in this 8 by 8 pixel grid form a colourful gradient. It is mostly indigo, but it also has quite some purple, some magenta, some blue, and some violet in it.



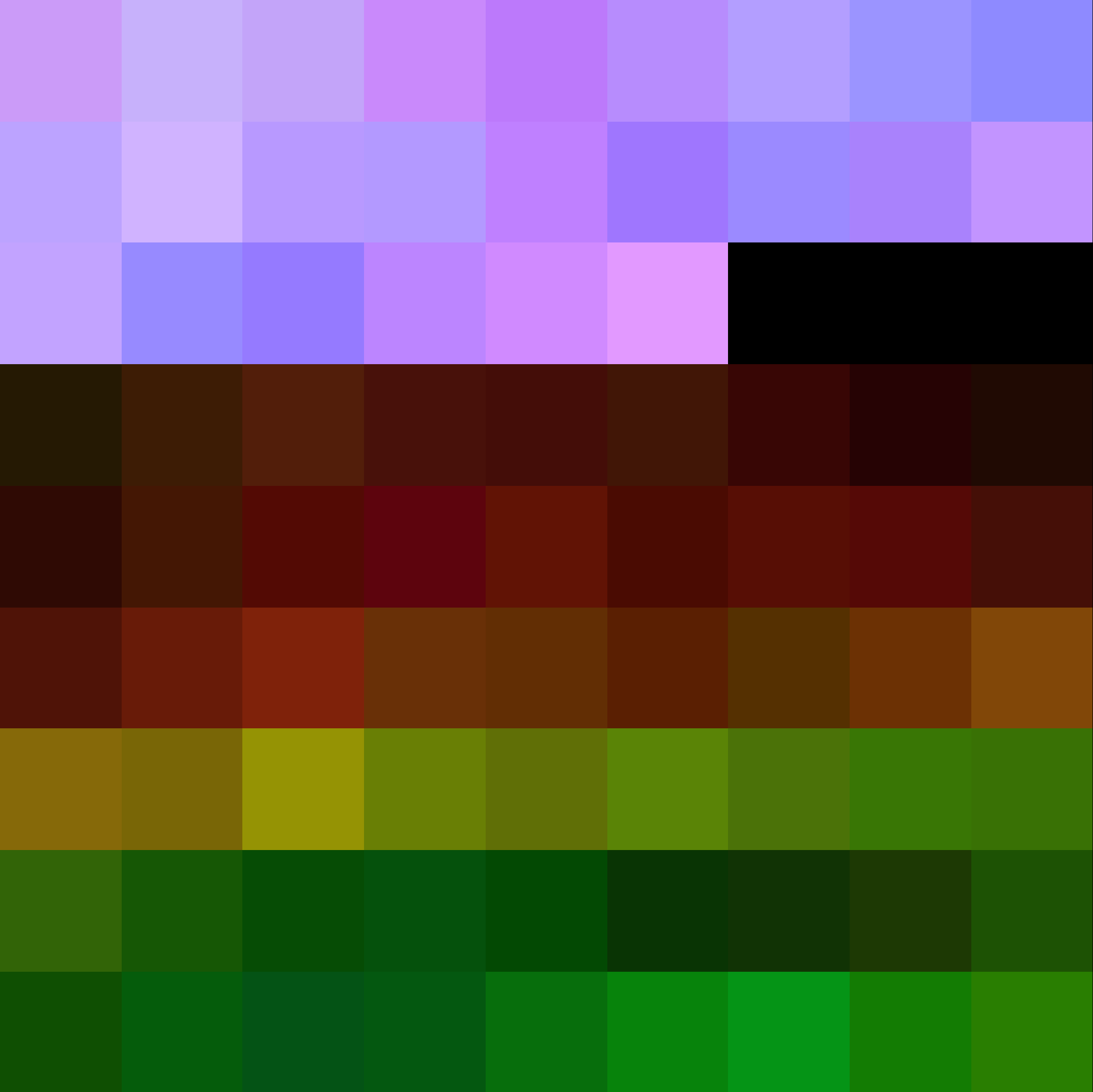
A grid with 81 coloured squares that form a colourful gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly magenta, and it also has some rose, a bit of red, a bit of orange, and a little bit of purple in it.



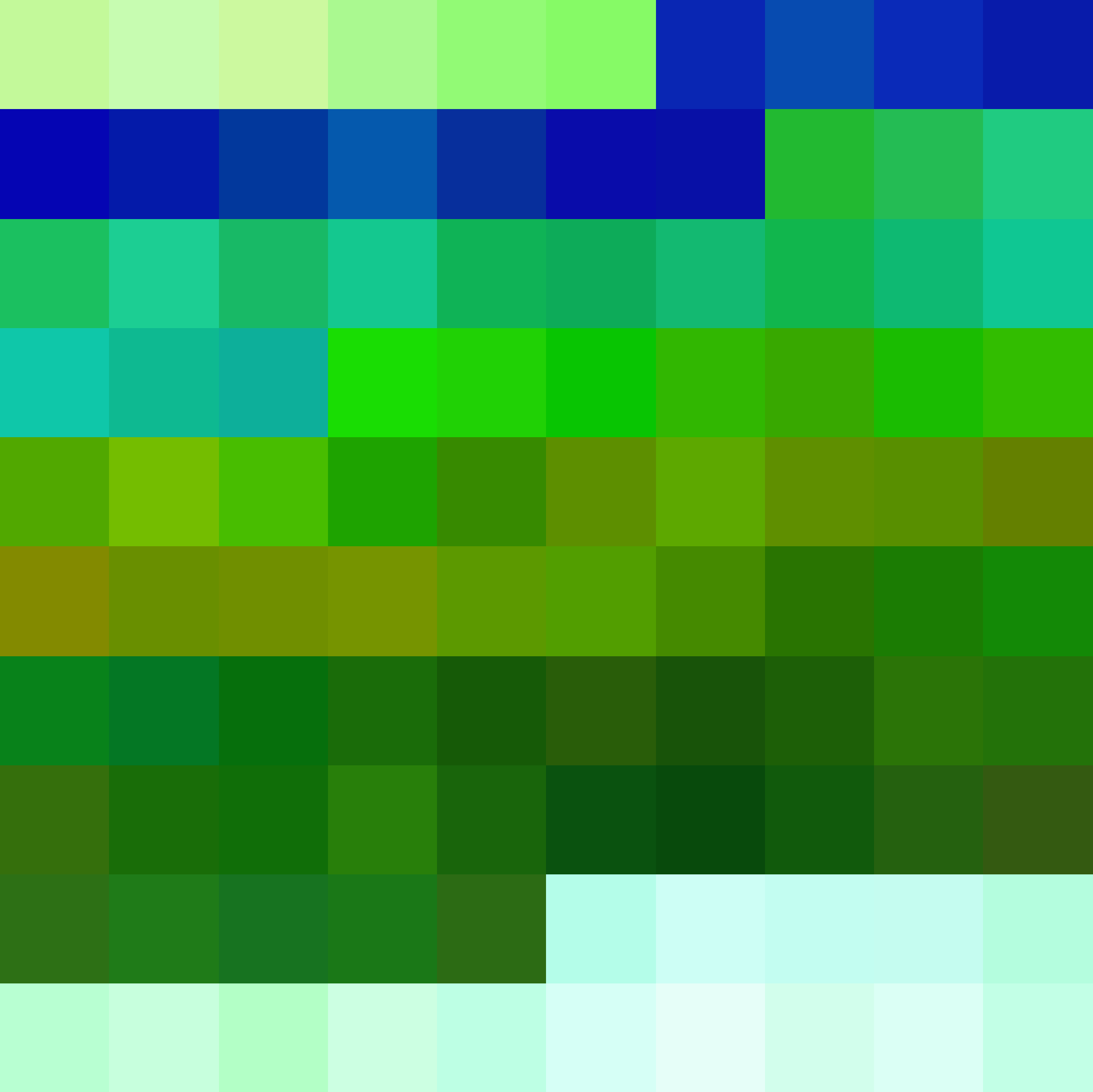
A very colourful grid of 196 blocks. It's mostly green, but it also has quite some red, some yellow, a bit of orange, a tiny bit of rose, and a tiny bit of lime in it.



This very colourful gradient, generated in this 9 by 9 pixel grid, is mostly green, and it also has quite some magenta, a bit of lime, a little bit of yellow, a little bit of rose, and a tiny bit of purple in it.



The very, very colourful gradient in this 9 by 9 pixel grid is mostly green, but it also has quite some red, some indigo, some orange, a bit of violet, a bit of yellow, a little bit of purple, and a tiny bit of lime in it.



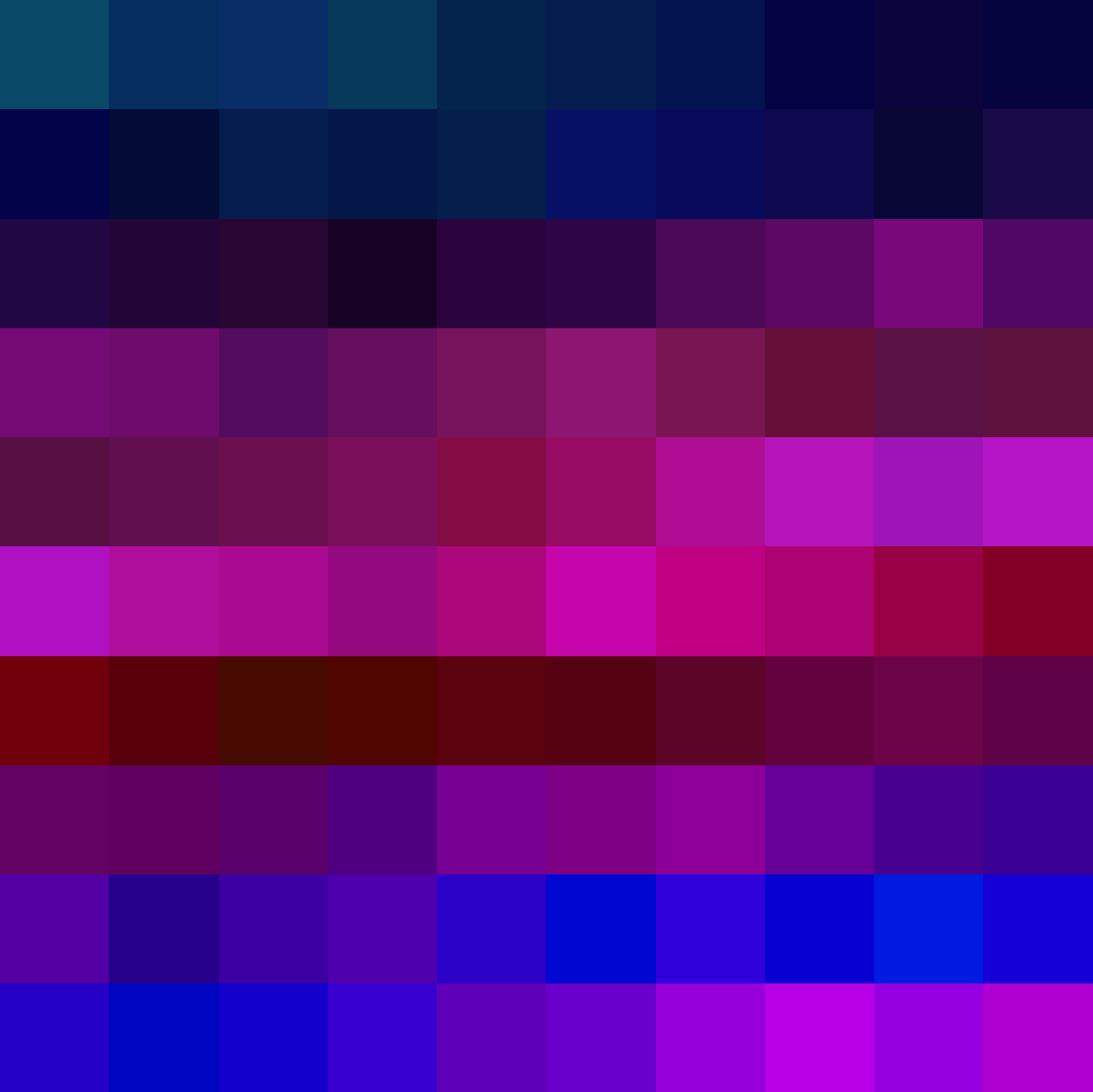
This colourful pixel gradient—it is 10 cells wide, 10 cells high—is mostly green, and it also has some blue, a bit of cyan, a little bit of lime, and a tiny bit of yellow in it.



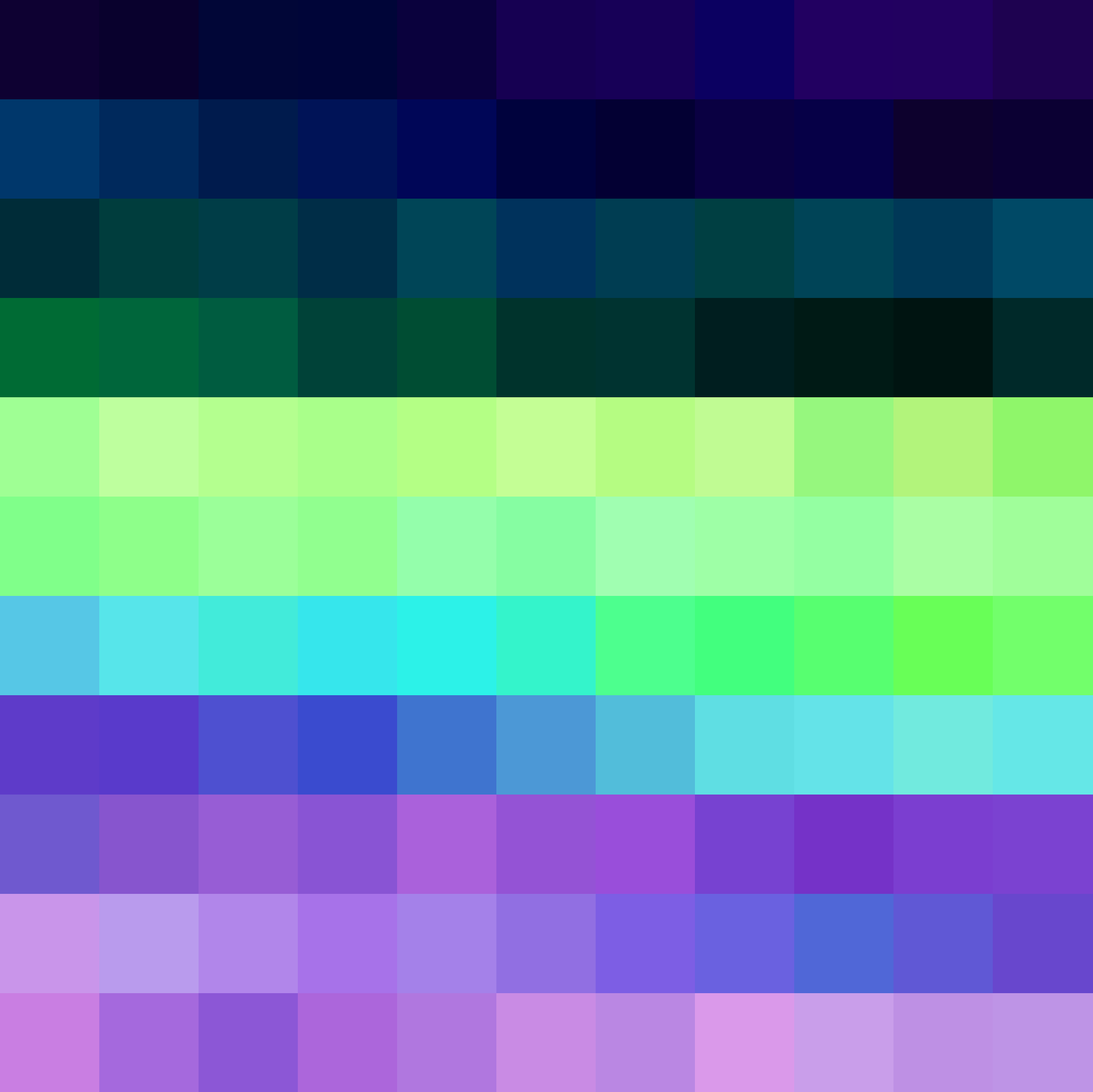
There's a very, very colourful pixel gradient in this 16 by 16 grid. It is mostly red, and it also has some orange, some magenta, a bit of indigo, a bit of purple, a bit of blue, a little bit of rose, a little bit of violet, and a tiny bit of yellow in it.



There's a very, very colourful pixel gradient in this 12 by 12 grid. It is mostly purple, but it also has quite some indigo, some violet, some green, a little bit of magenta, a little bit of yellow, a little bit of blue, and a little bit of lime in it.



A 10 by 10 grid with coloured squares that form a very colourful gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly magenta, and it also has some purple, some blue, some indigo, a little bit of violet, a little bit of red, and a little bit of rose in it.



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



The very, very colourful gradient in this 15 by 15 pixel grid is mostly red, and it also has quite some magenta, some orange, some purple, a bit of violet, a tiny bit of rose, a tiny bit of indigo, and a tiny bit of yellow in it.



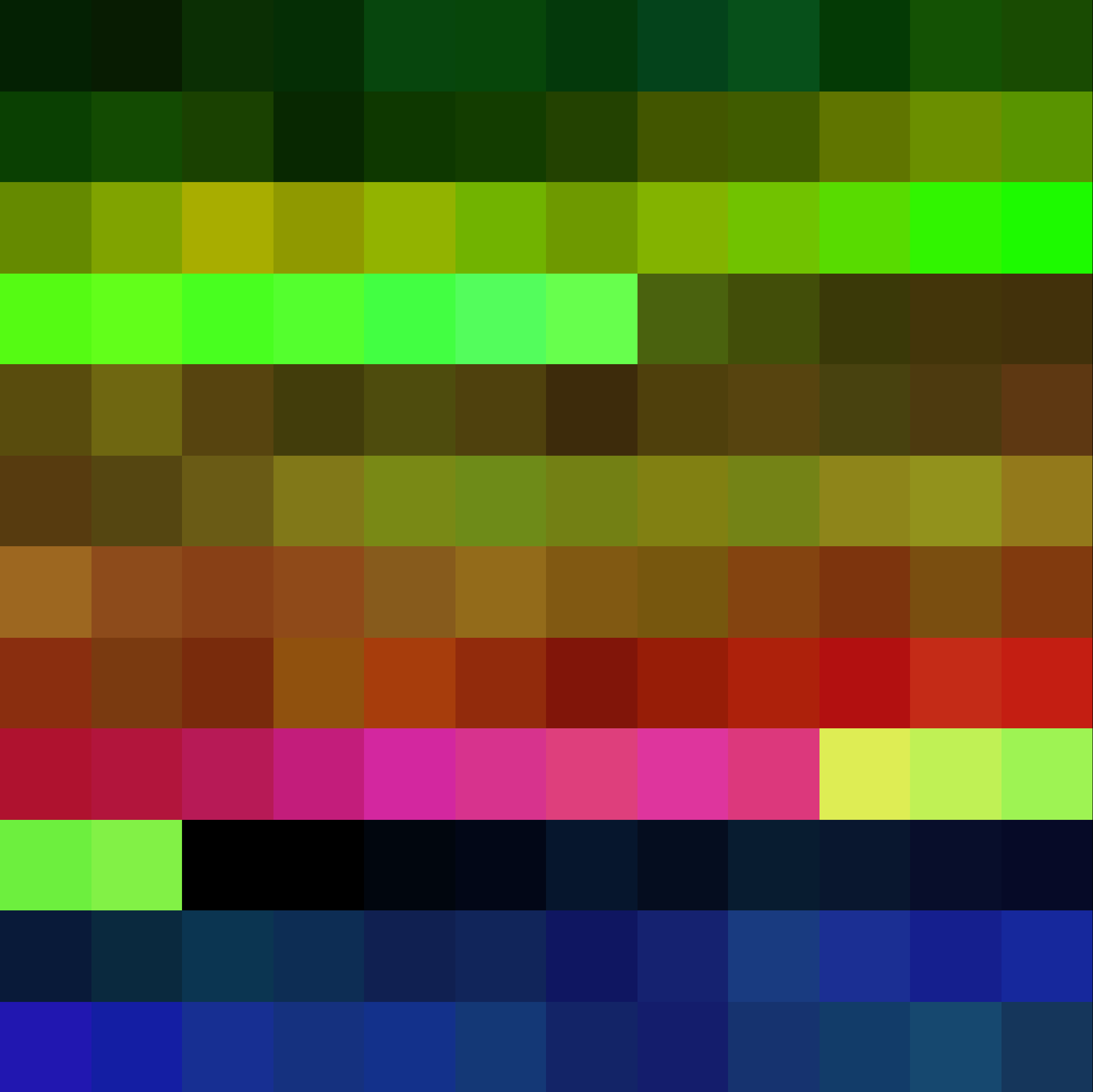
The cells in this 5 by 5 pixel grid form a gradient. It is mostly yellow, but it also has quite some green, and some lime in it.



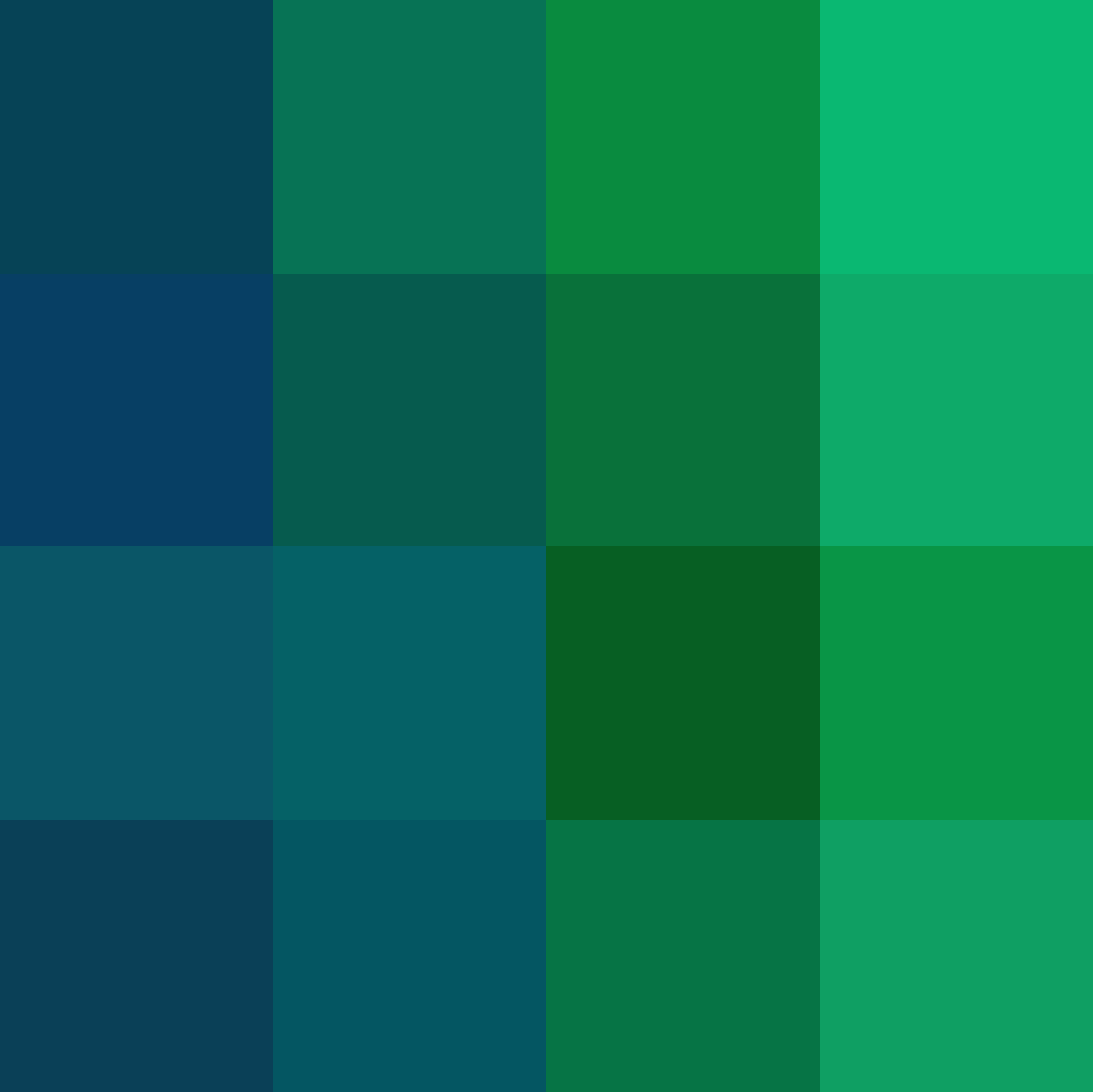
A 15 by 15 grid with coloured squares that form a very, very colourful gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly green, and it also has some yellow, some orange, some rose, a bit of red, a bit of magenta, a little bit of lime, and a tiny bit of cyan in it.



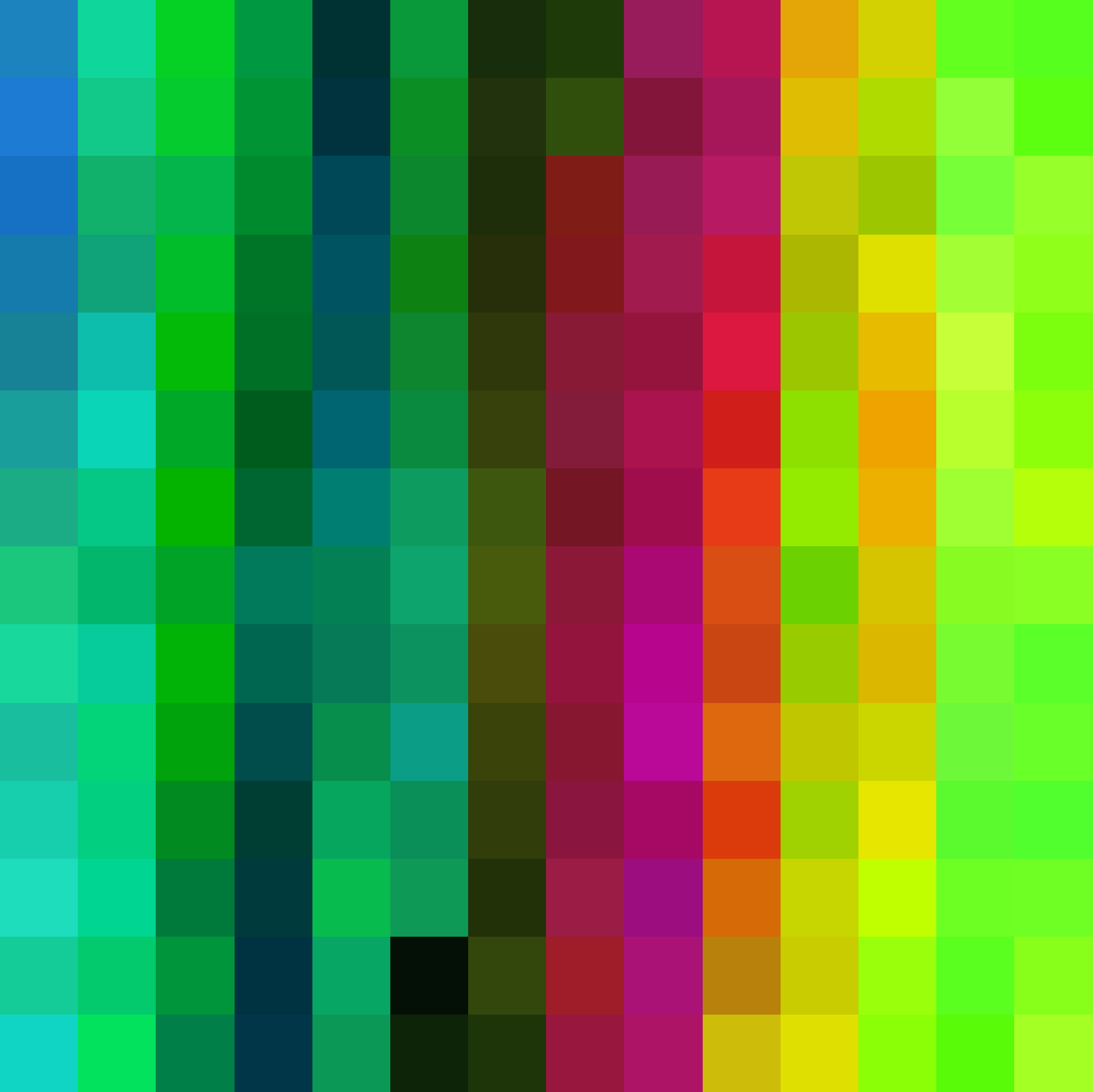
A colourful grid of 100 blocks. It's mostly green, but it also has quite some yellow, quite some red, a bit of lime, and a bit of orange in it.



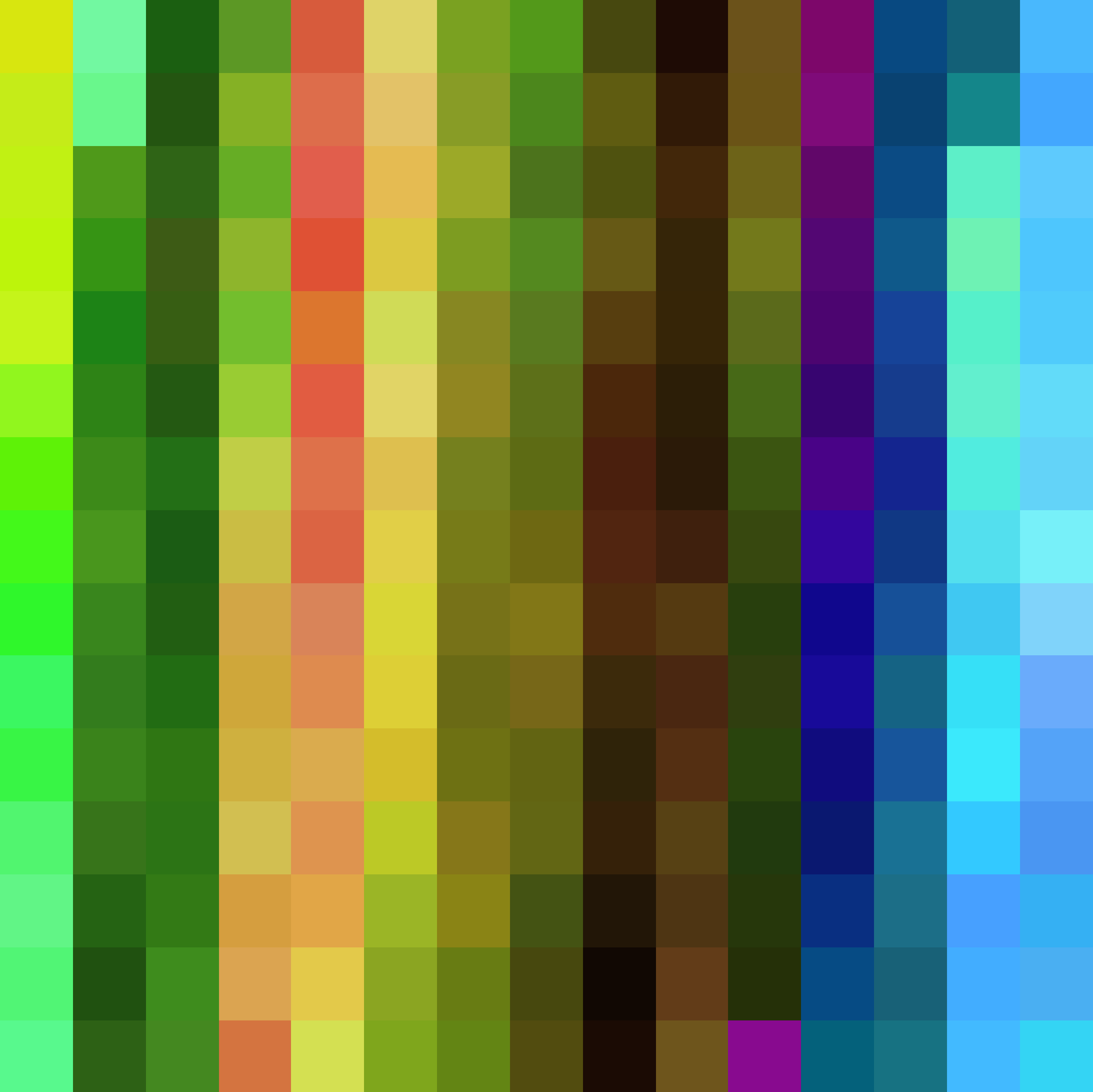
This very colourful gradient, generated in this 12 by 12 pixel grid, is mostly green, but it also has quite some blue, some orange, some yellow, some red, a bit of lime, and a tiny bit of indigo in it.



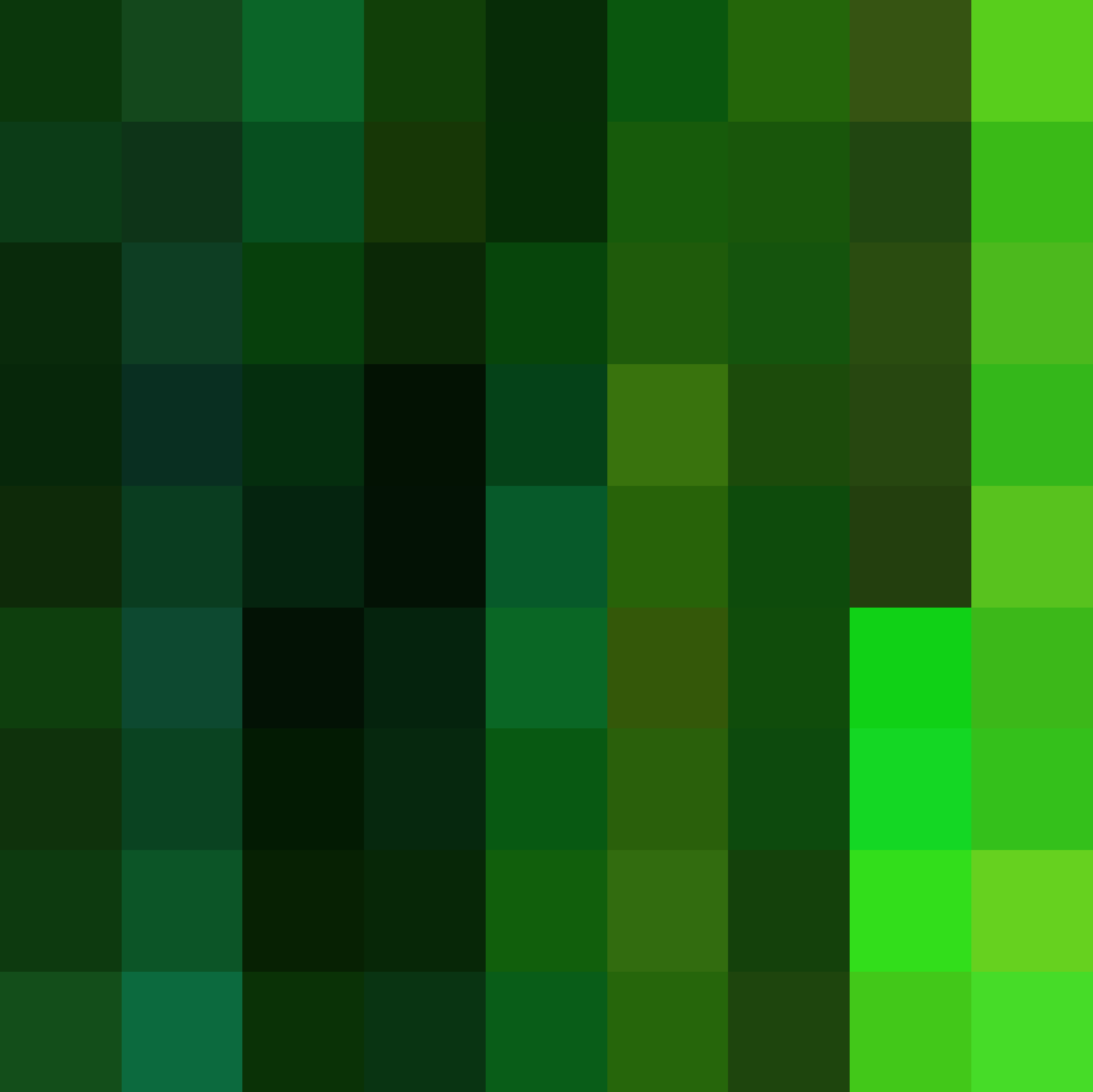
The cells in this 4 by 4 pixel grid form a gradient. It is mostly green, but it also has quite some cyan, and some blue in it.



Here's a 14 by 14 pixelated grid that forms a very colourful gradient. It is mostly green, and it also has some red, some cyan, a bit of yellow, a bit of lime, a little bit of orange, and a little bit of blue in it.



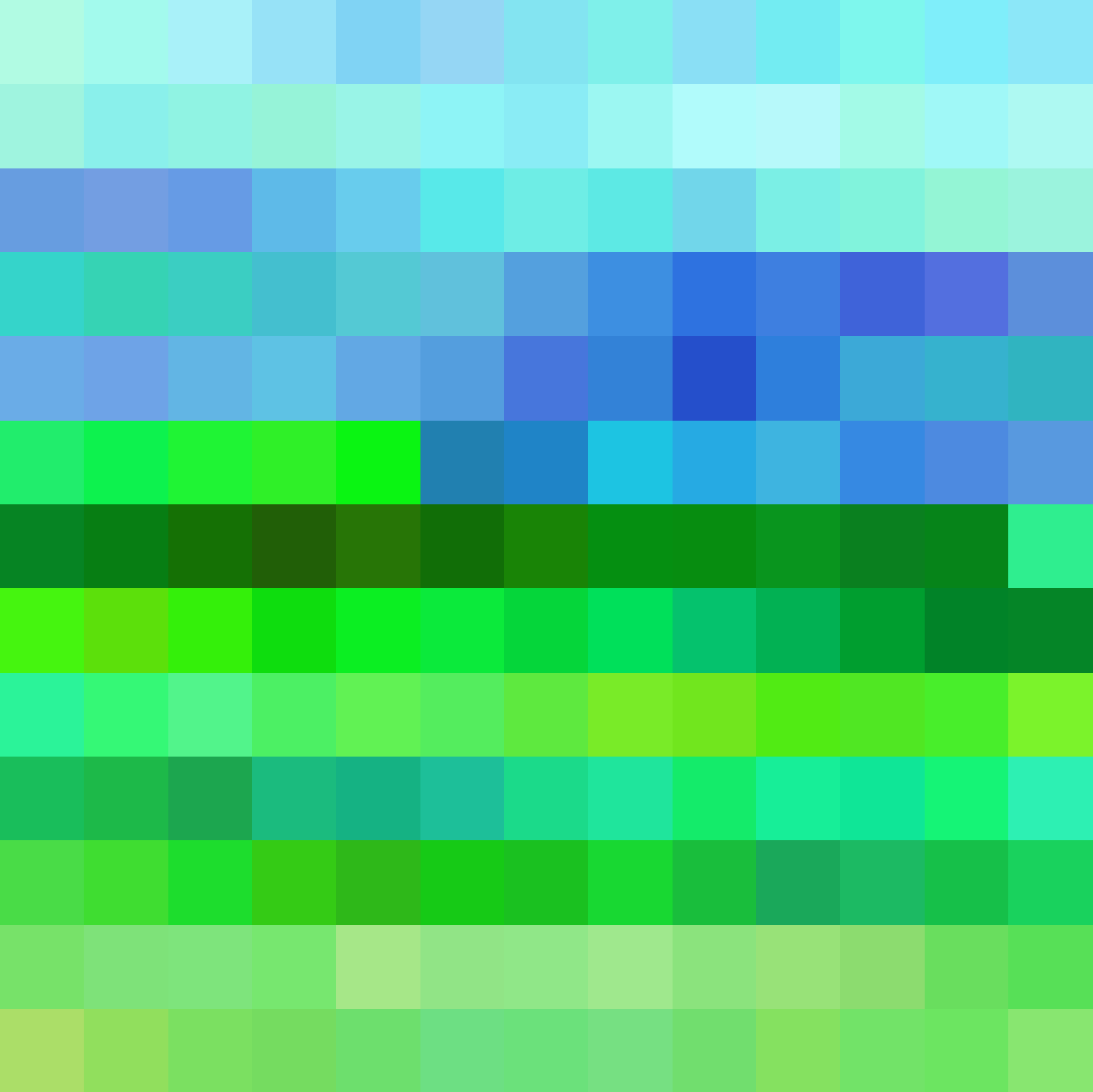
This very, very colourful pixel gradient—it is 15 cells wide, 15 cells high—is mostly green, and it also has some yellow, some orange, some blue, a bit of lime, a little bit of cyan, a little bit of red, a tiny bit of magenta, a tiny bit of indigo, a tiny bit of purple, and a tiny bit of violet in it.



The cells in this 9 by 9 pixel grid form a monochrome gradient. It is green.



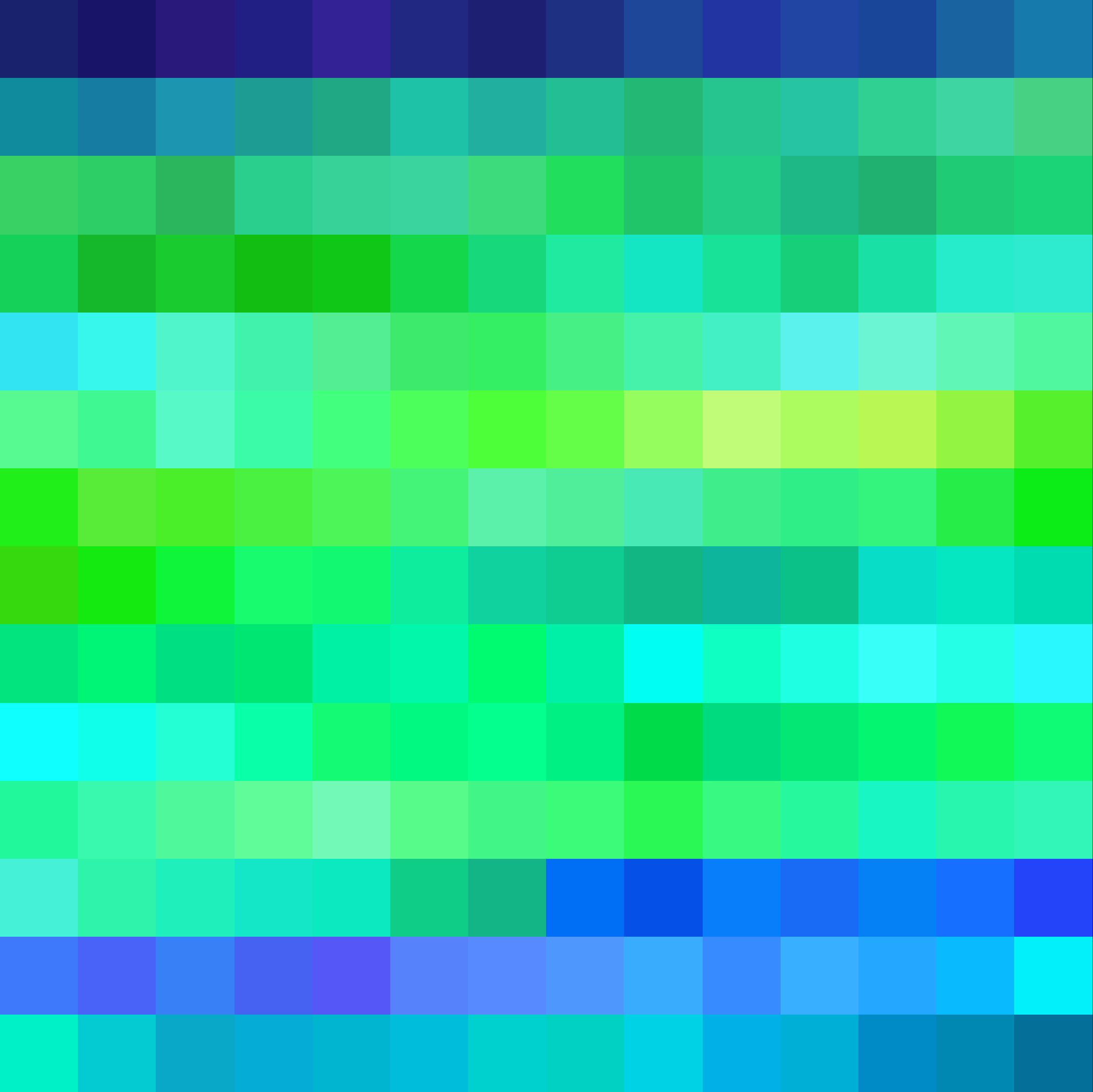
The gradient in this 8 by 8 pixel grid is mostly purple, but it also has quite some magenta, a little bit of indigo, and a little bit of violet in it.



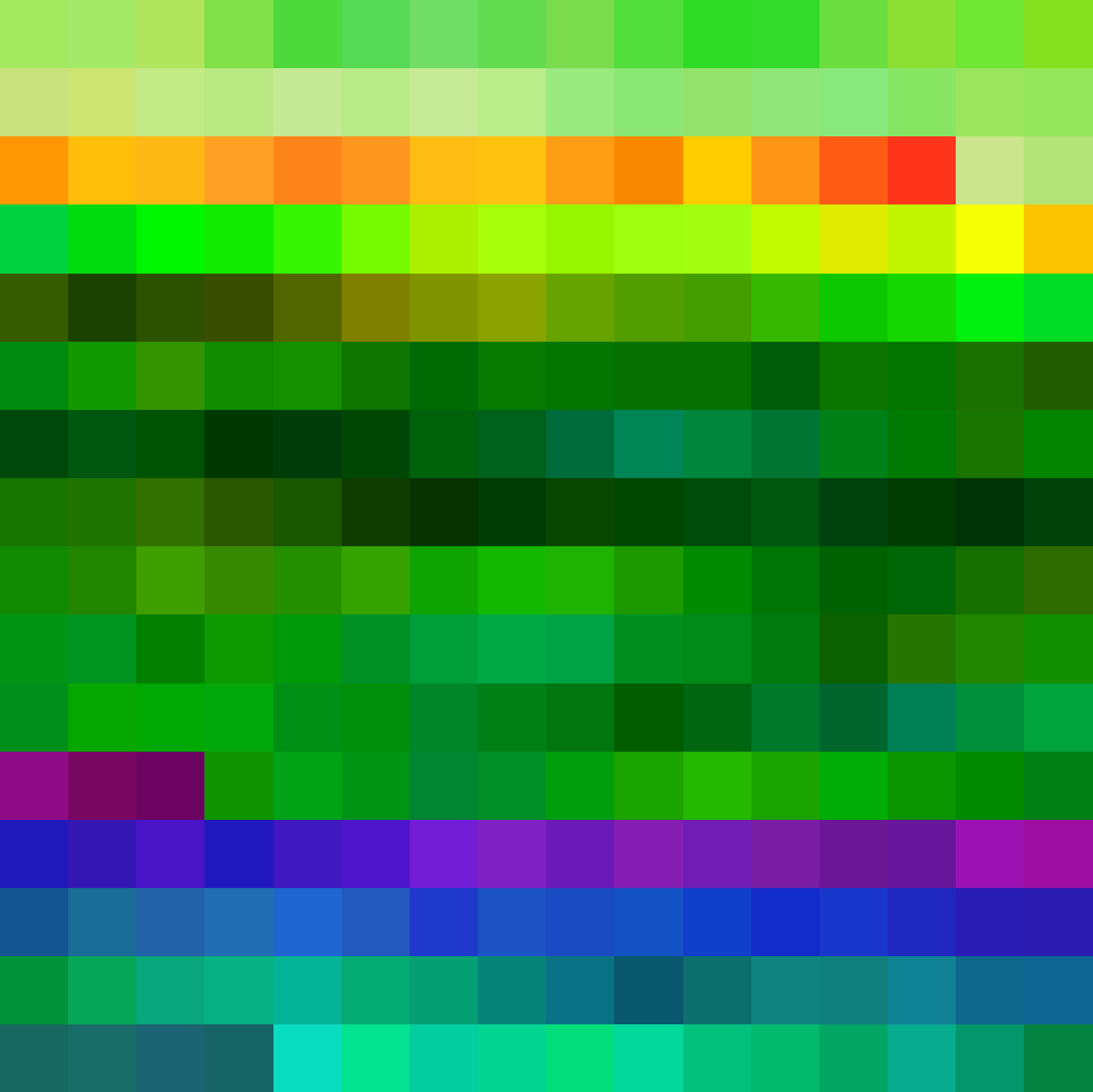
A 13 by 13 grid with coloured squares that form a gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly green, and it also has quite some cyan, and some blue in it.



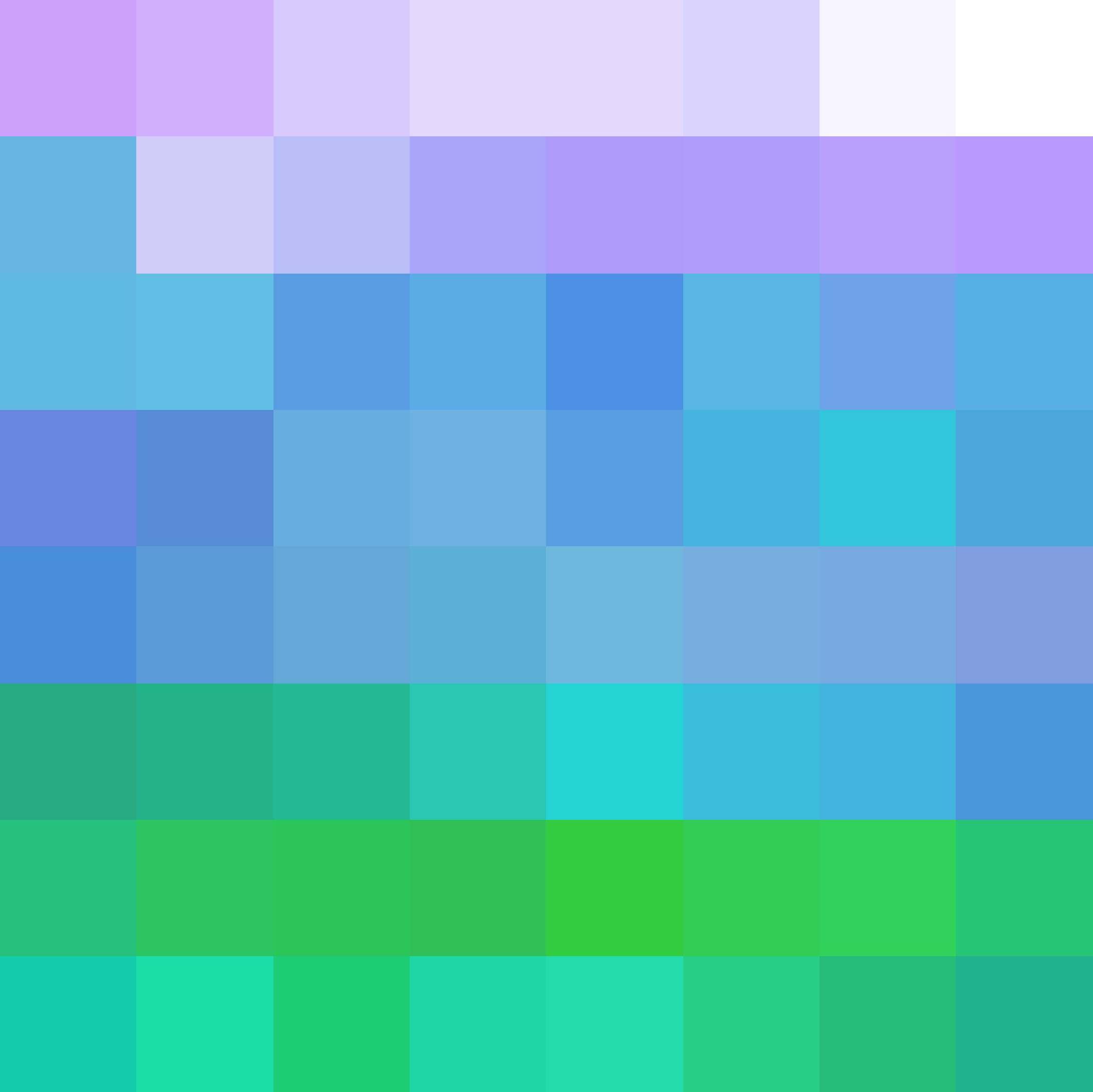
The cells in this 12 by 12 pixel grid form a gradient. It is mostly red, and it also has quite some orange, and a tiny bit of yellow in it.



This pixel gradient—it is 14 cells wide, 14 cells high—is mostly green, but it also has quite some cyan, some blue, and a tiny bit of indigo in it.



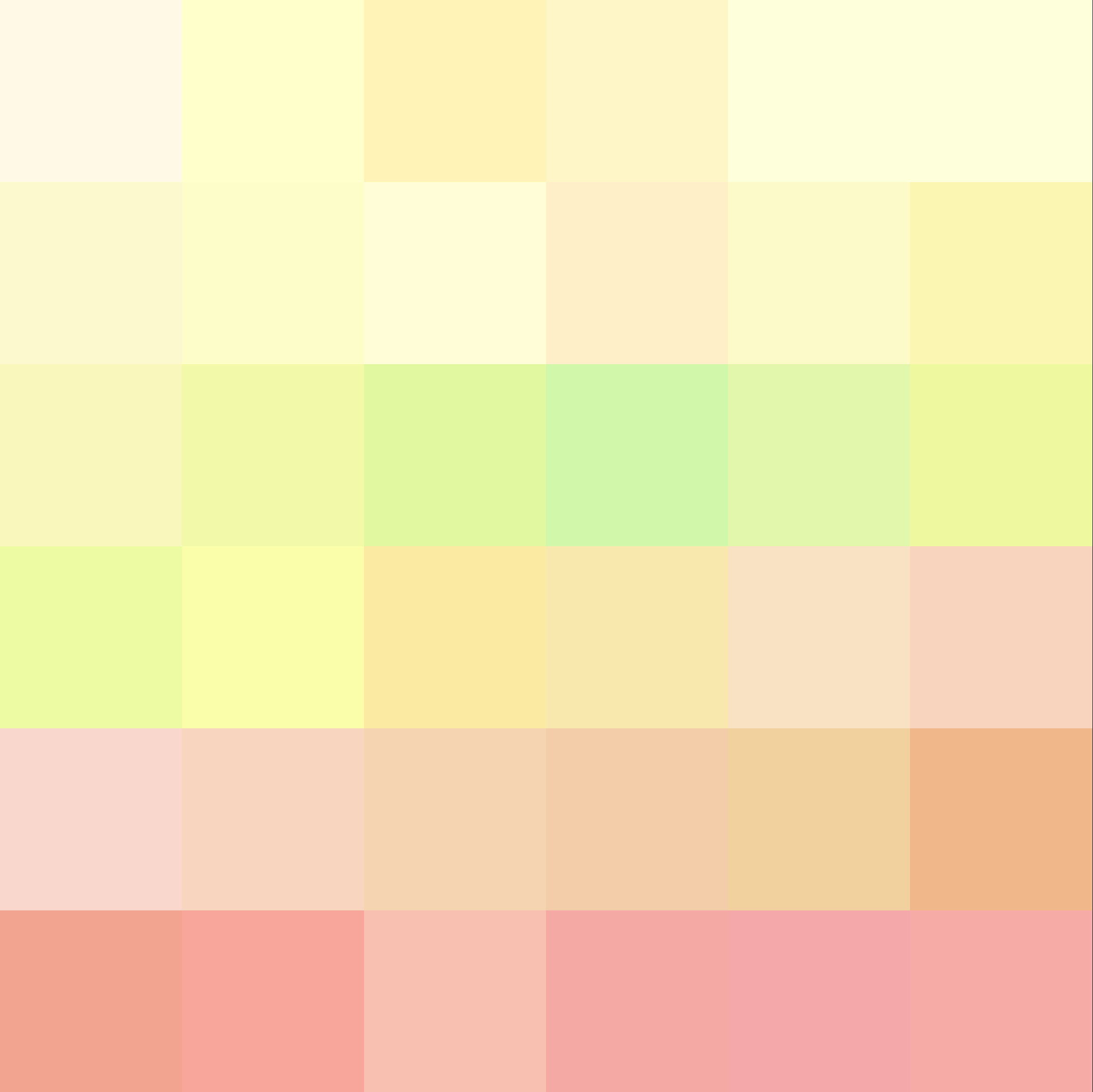
A grid with 256 coloured squares that form a very, very colourful gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly green, and it also has a little bit of blue, a little bit of cyan, a little bit of orange, a little bit of lime, a little bit of purple, a little bit of indigo, a little bit of yellow,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



The cells in this 8 by 8 pixel grid form a colourful gradient. It is mostly blue, and it also has quite some green, some indigo, some cyan, and a little bit of violet in it.



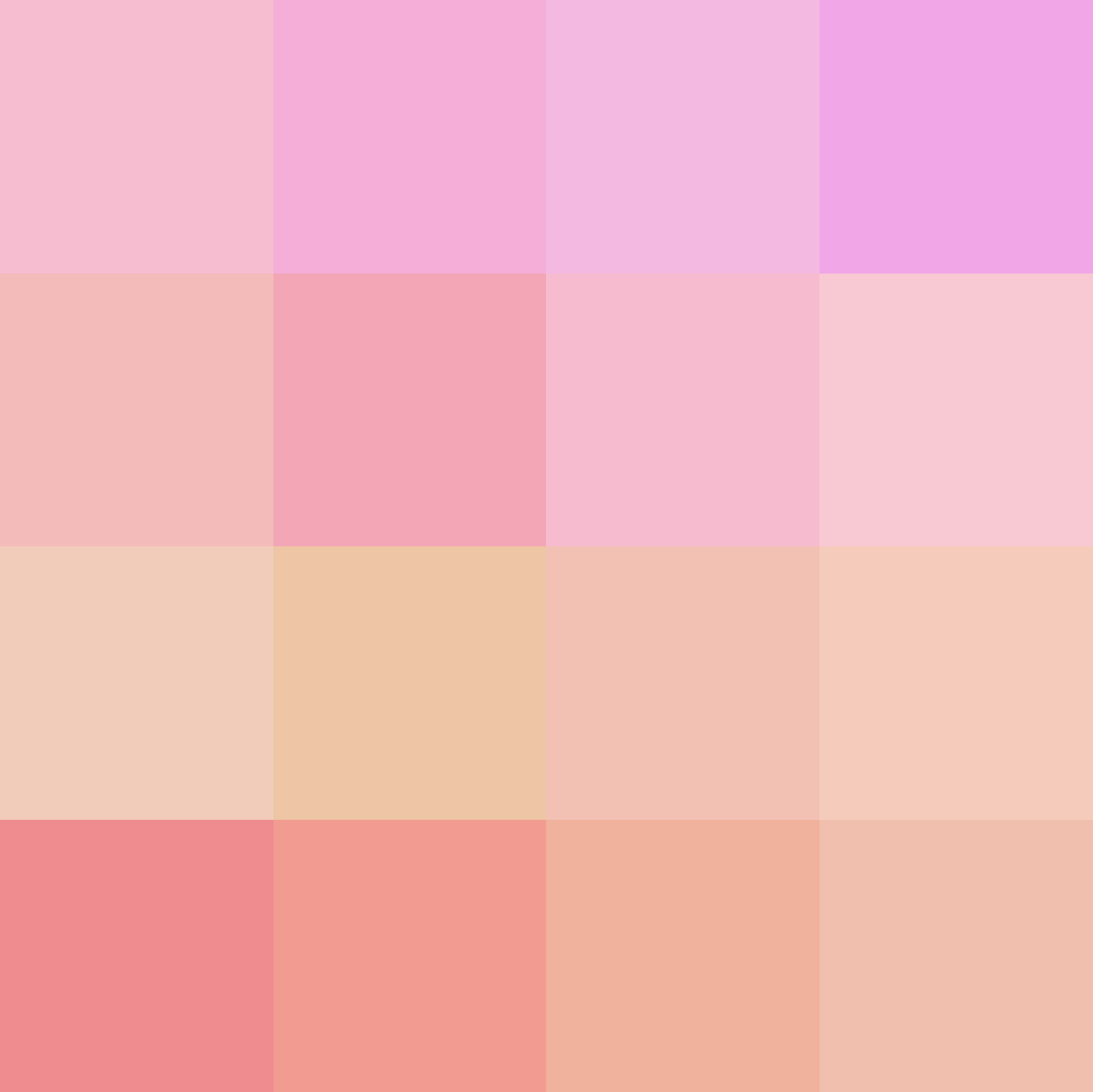
Here's a 7 by 7 pixelated grid that forms a colourful gradient. It is mostly blue, and it also has some indigo, some cyan, a little bit of violet, and a little bit of purple in it.



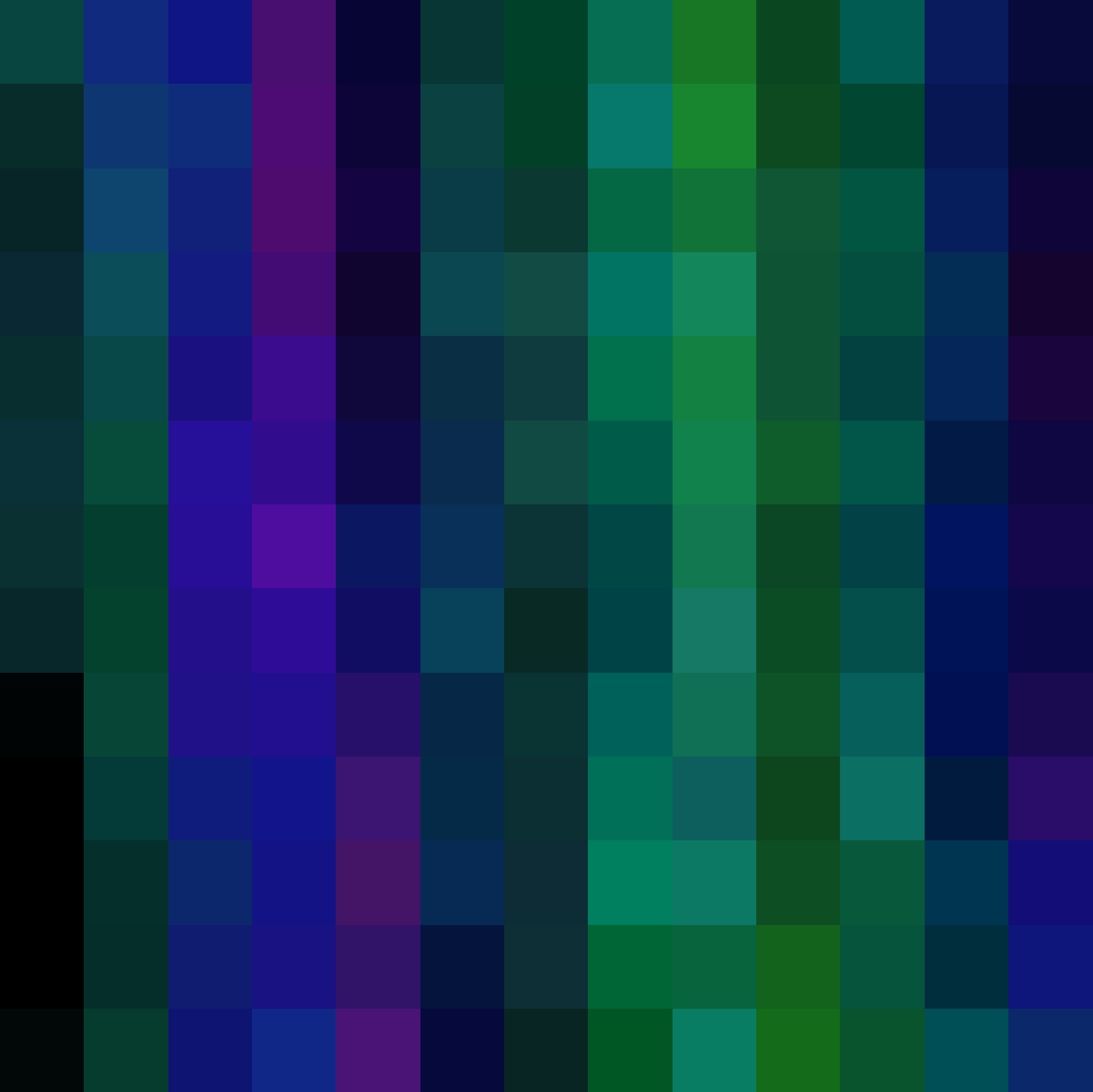
This colourful pixel gradient—it is 6 cells wide, 6 cells high—is mostly yellow, but it also has quite some orange, some red, a little bit of lime, and a little bit of green in it.



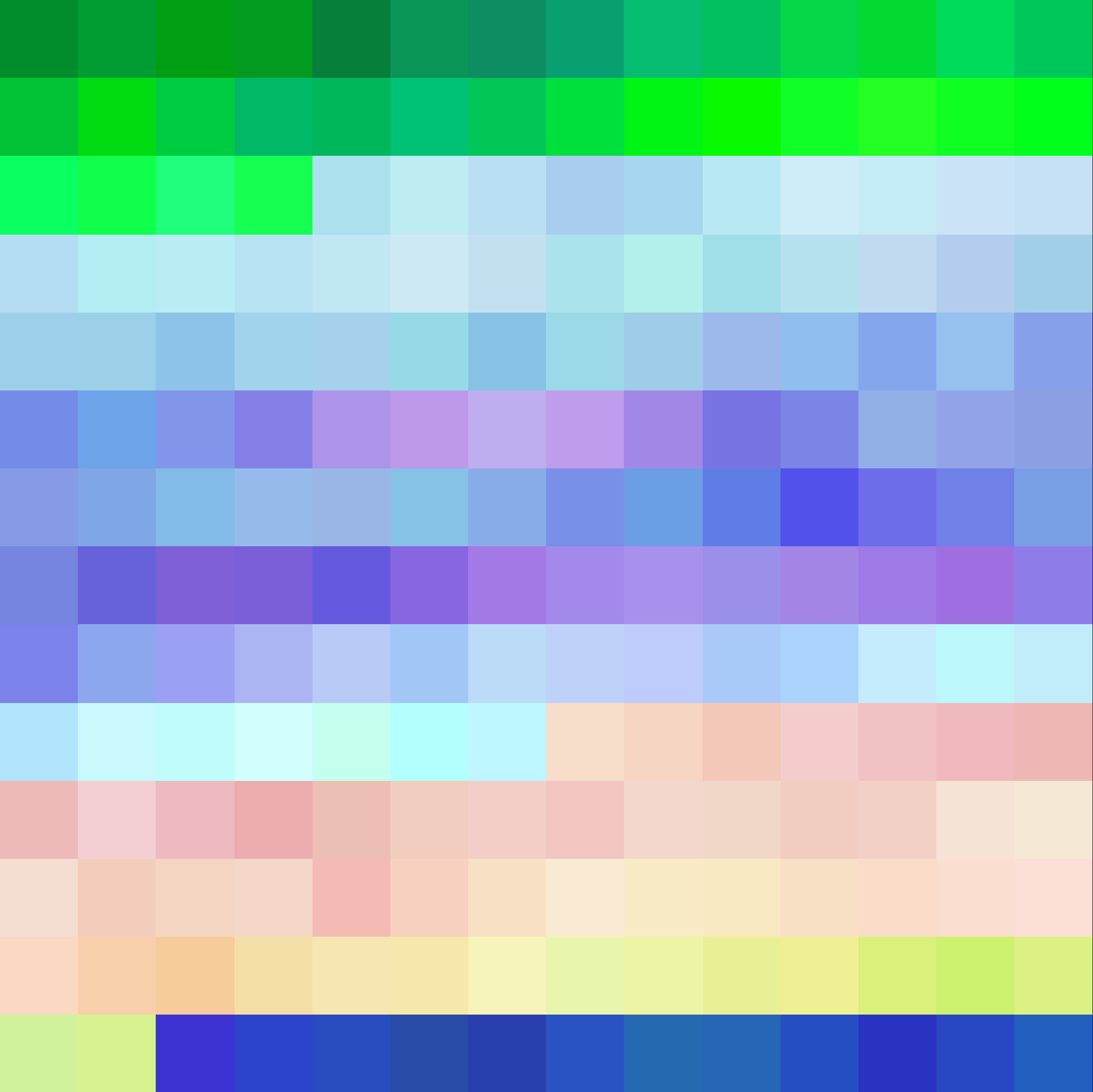
This pixel gradient—it is 7 cells wide, 7 cells high—is mostly red, but it also has some orange, some yellow, and a little bit of lime in it.



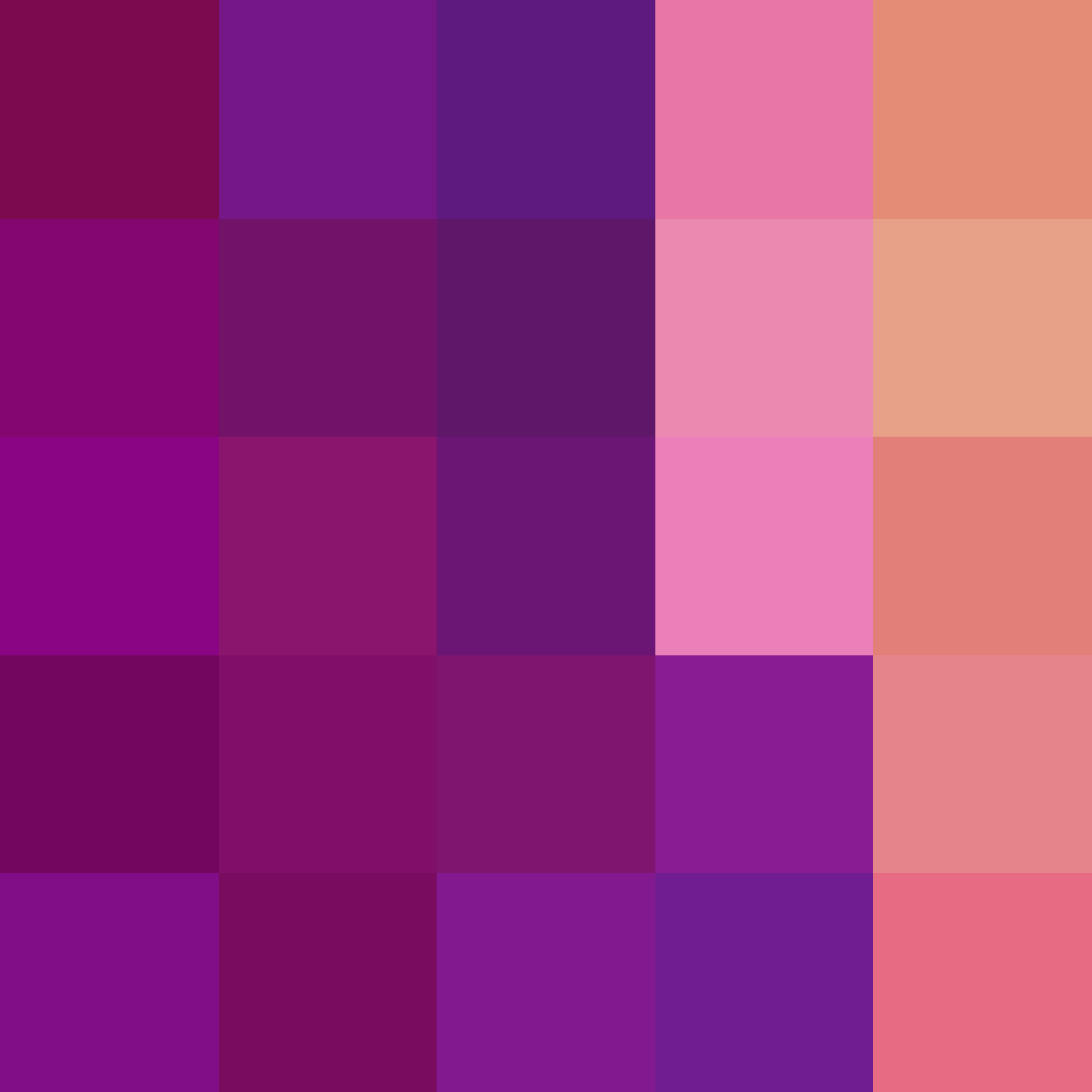
This pixel gradient—it is 4 cells wide, 4 cells high—is mostly red, but it also has quite some orange, some magenta, and some rose in it.



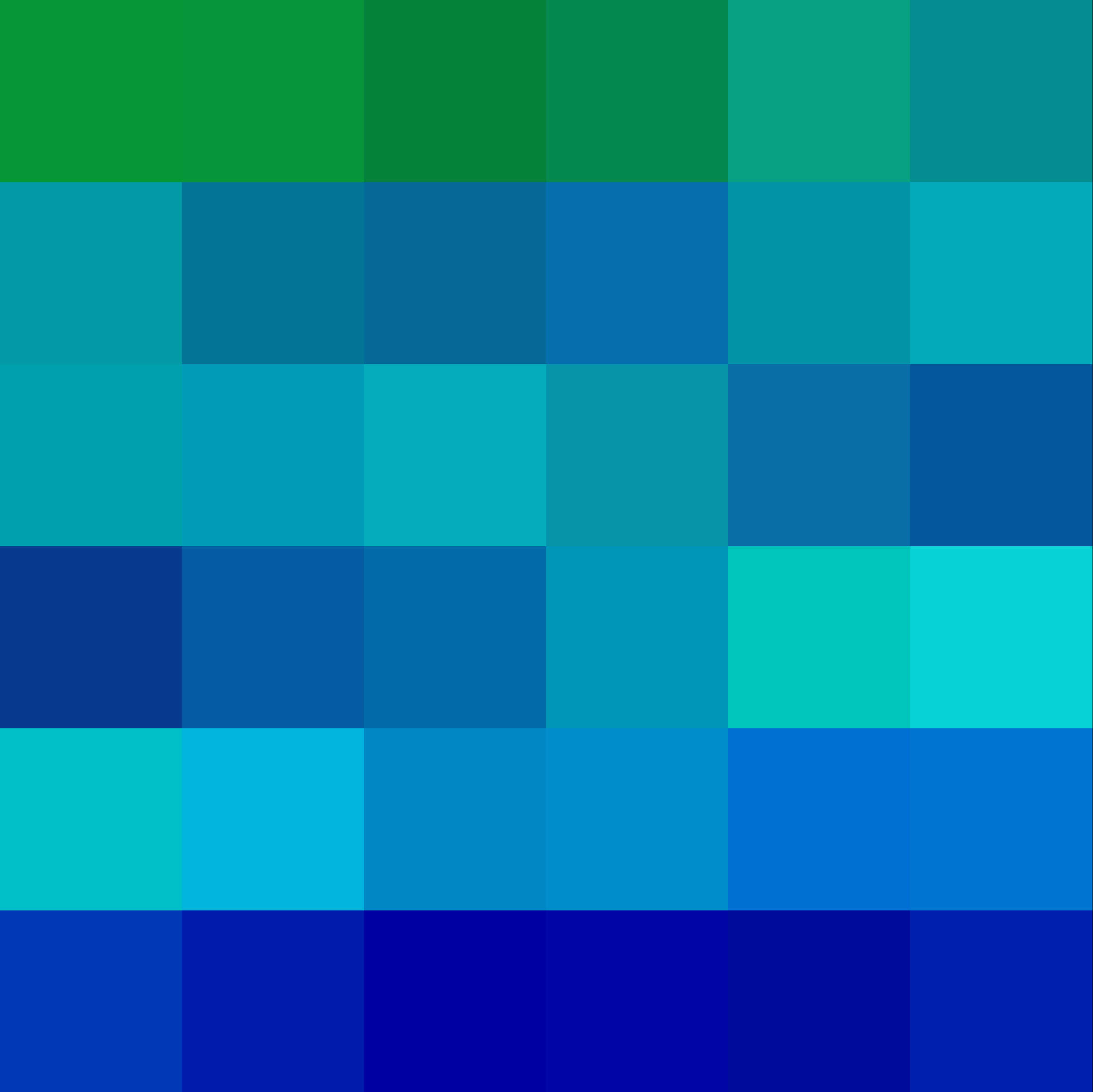
Here's a 13 by 13 pixelated grid that forms a very colourful gradient. It is mostly cyan, and it also has quite some blue, some green, some indigo, a little bit of violet, and a little bit of purple in it.



The cells in this 14 by 14 pixel grid form a very, very colourful gradient. It is mostly blue, and it also has some green, some orange, a bit of cyan, a bit of indigo, a bit of red, a little bit of yellow, a little bit of lime, and a tiny bit of violet in it.



A colourful grid of 25 blocks. It's mostly magenta, and it also has some red, some purple, some rose, and a little bit of orange in it.



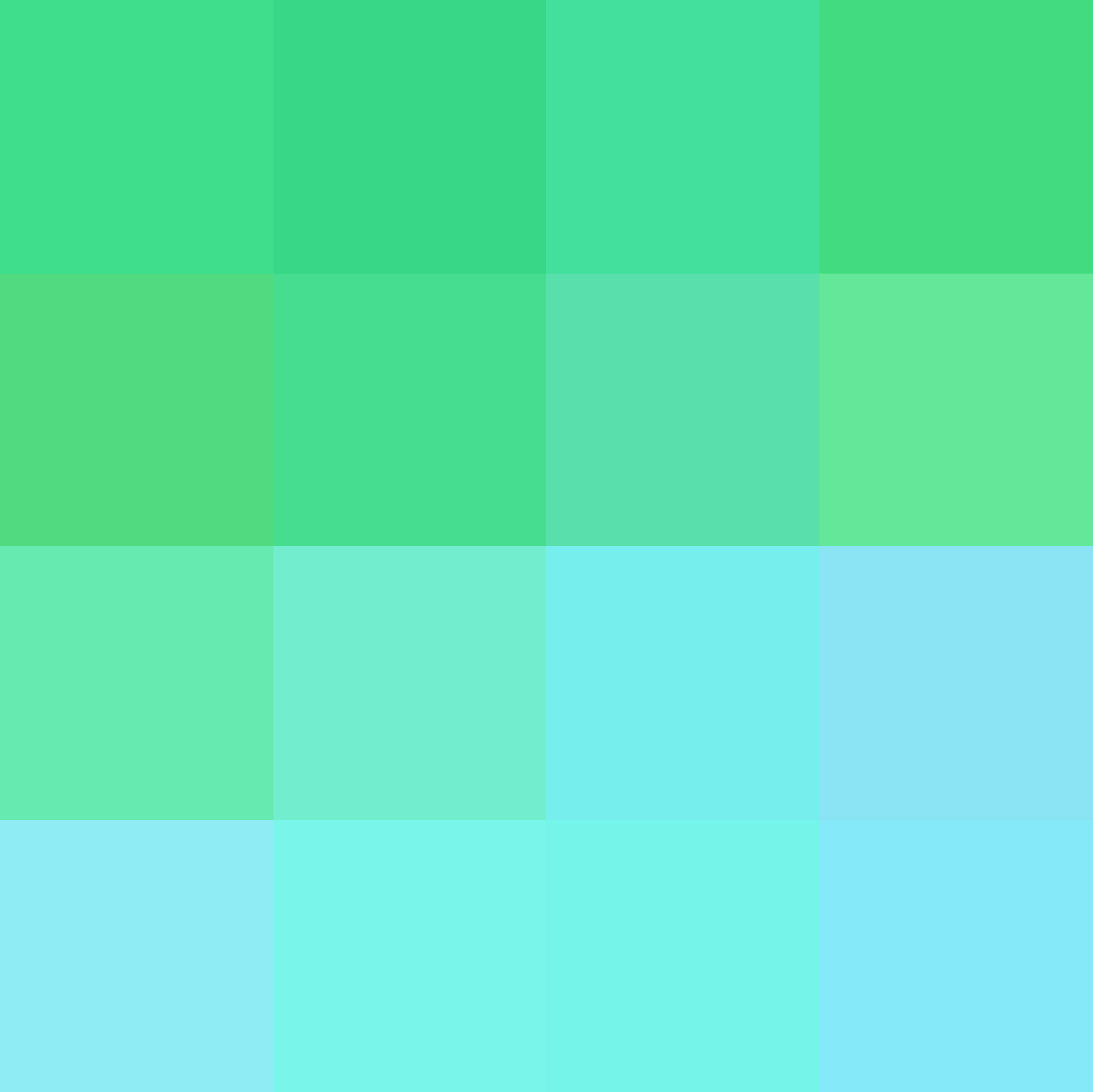
A 6 by 6 grid with coloured squares that form a gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly blue, but it also has quite some cyan, some green, and a little bit of indigo in it.



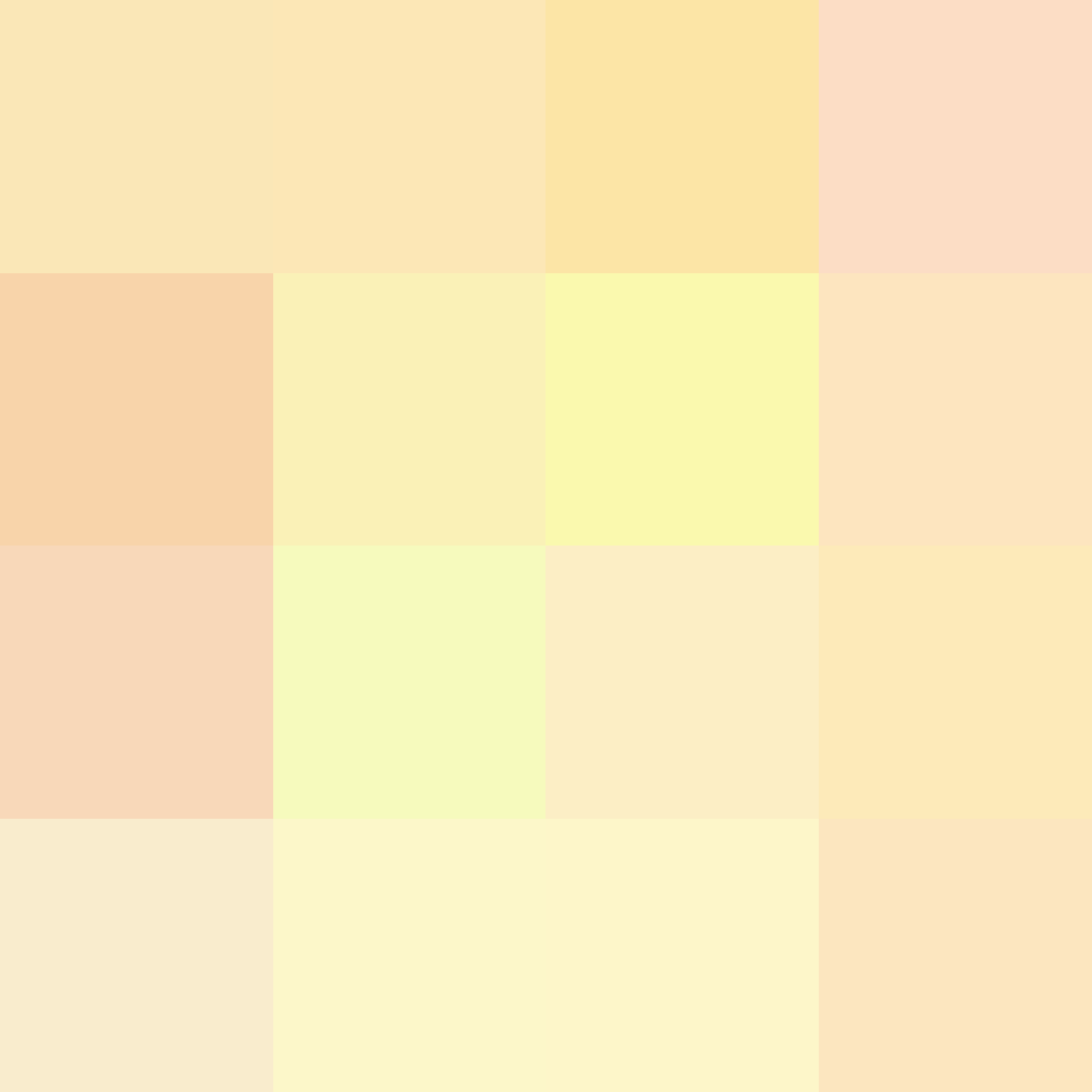
A grid with 25 coloured squares that form a gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly orange, and it also has quite some yellow, quite some green, and a bit of lime in it.



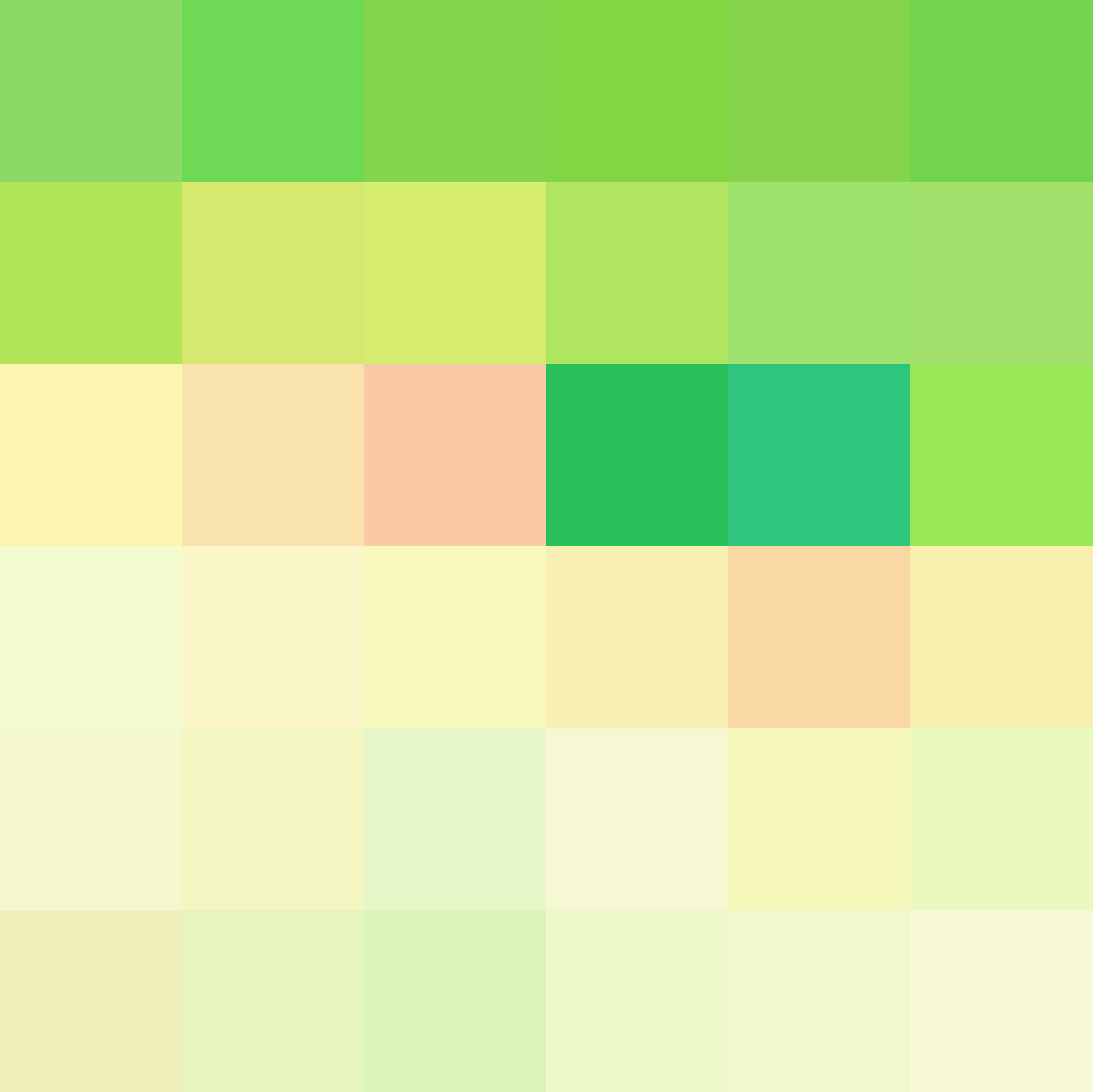
The very colourful gradient in this 14 by 14 pixel grid is mostly green, but it also has quite some cyan, quite some blue, a little bit of yellow, a little bit of lime, and a tiny bit of indigo in it.



There's a two tone pixel gradient in this 4 by 4 grid. It is mostly green, but it also has a lot of cyan in it.



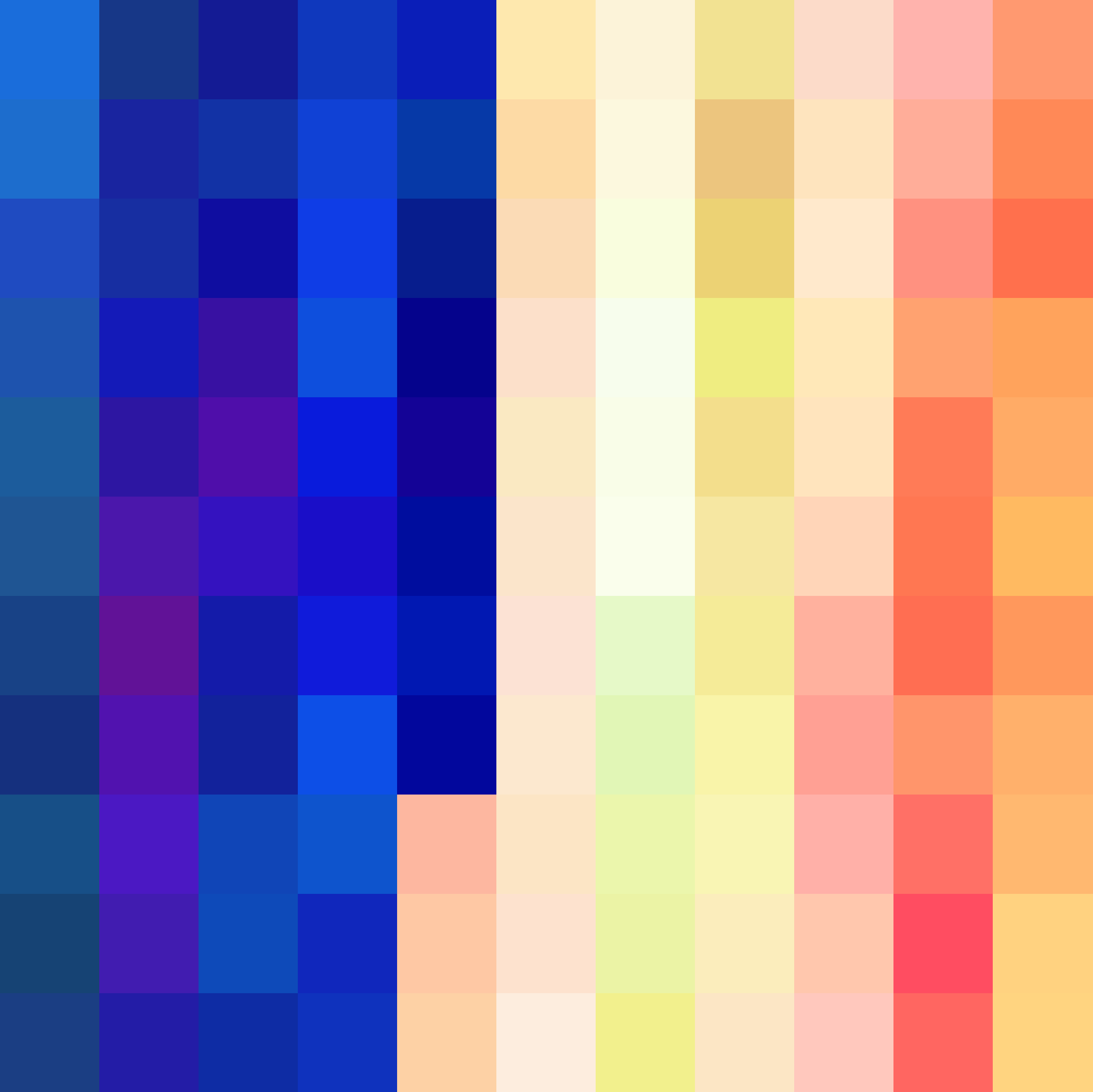
A grid with 16 coloured squares that form a two tone gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly orange, but it also has quite some yellow in it.



The cells in this 6 by 6 pixel grid form a gradient. It is mostly green, and it also has quite some yellow, some lime, and a bit of orange in it.



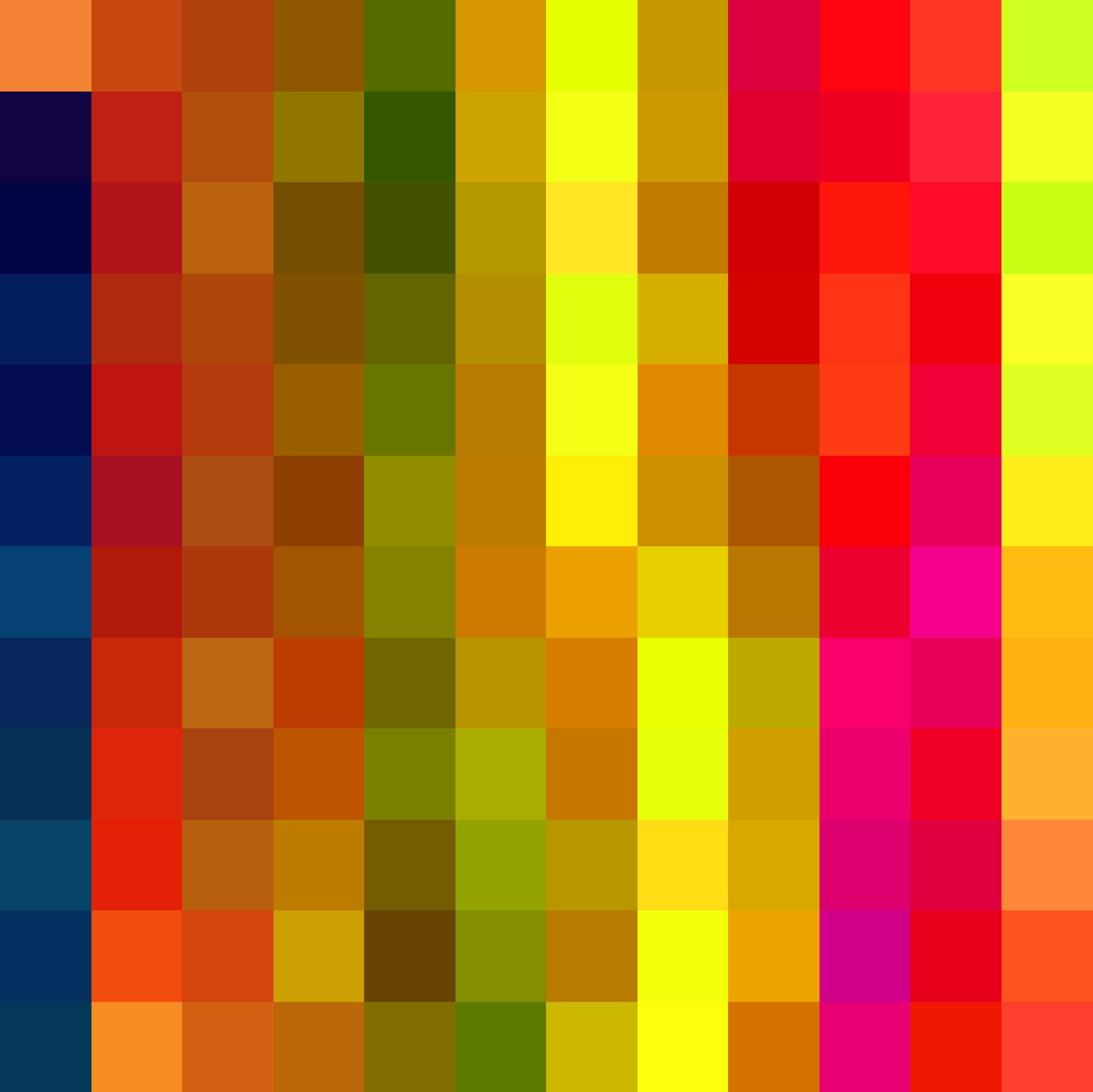
This very colourful gradient, generated in this 12 by 12 pixel grid, is mostly green, and it also has quite some yellow, some orange, a bit of lime, a little bit of rose, a little bit of red, and a tiny bit of magenta in it.



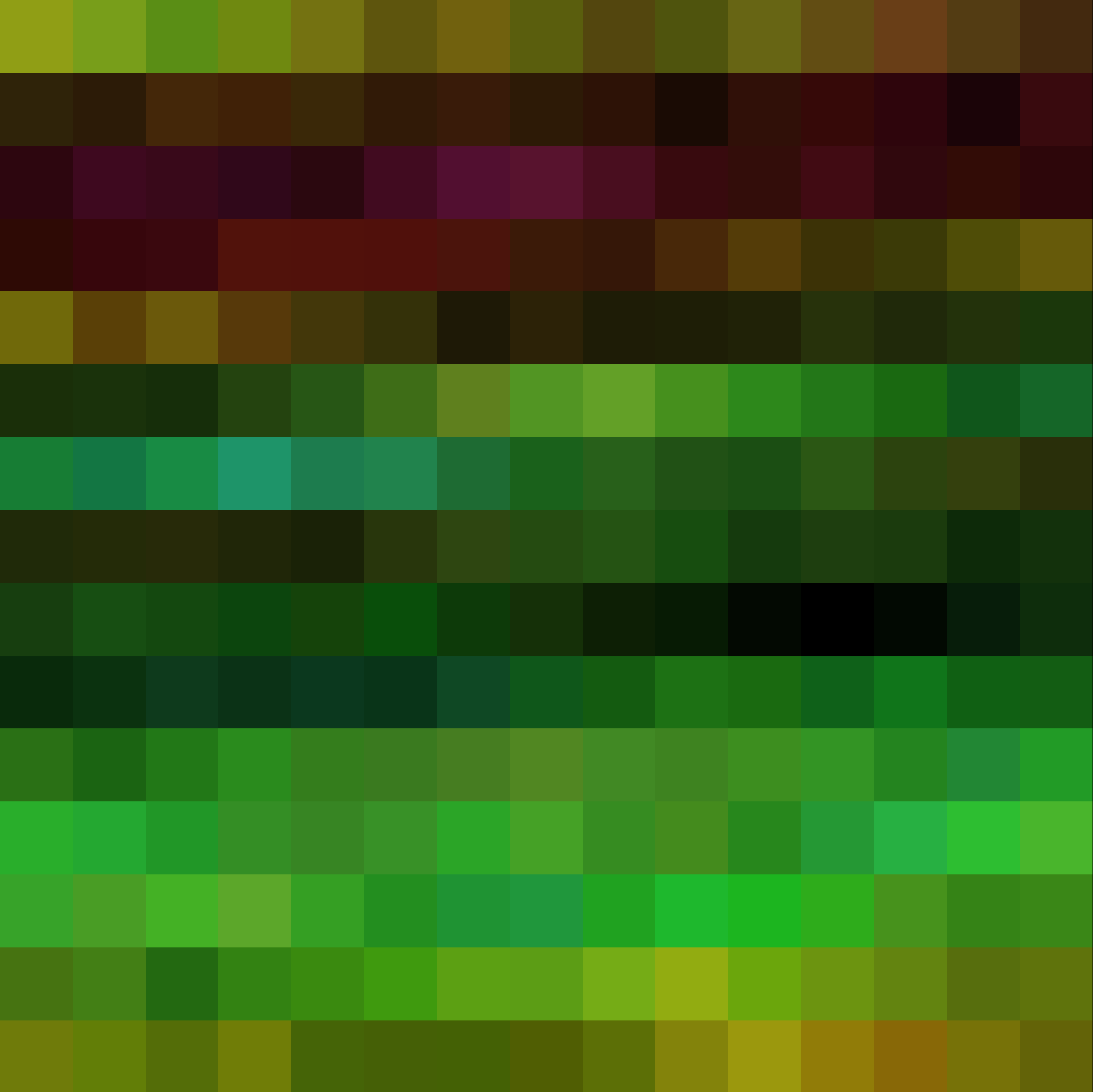
An 11 by 11 grid with coloured squares that form a very, very colourful gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly blue, and it also has quite some orange, some red, some yellow, a bit of indigo, a tiny bit of violet, a tiny bit of green, a tiny bit of lime, and a tiny bit of purple in it.



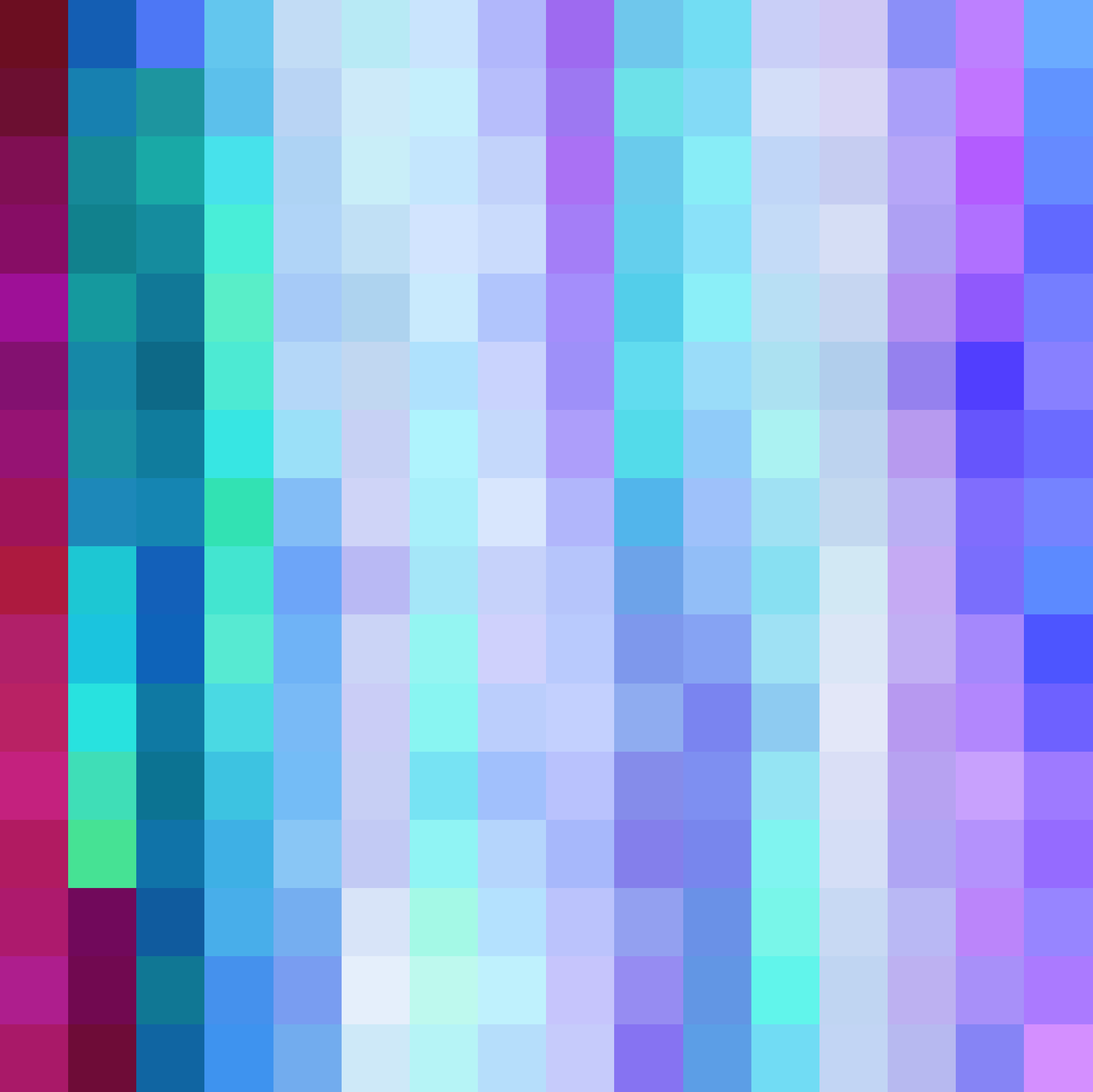
This very colourful pixel gradient—it is 8 cells wide, 8 cells high—is mostly red, but it also has quite some rose, quite some orange, some magenta, a bit of yellow, and a little bit of purple in it.



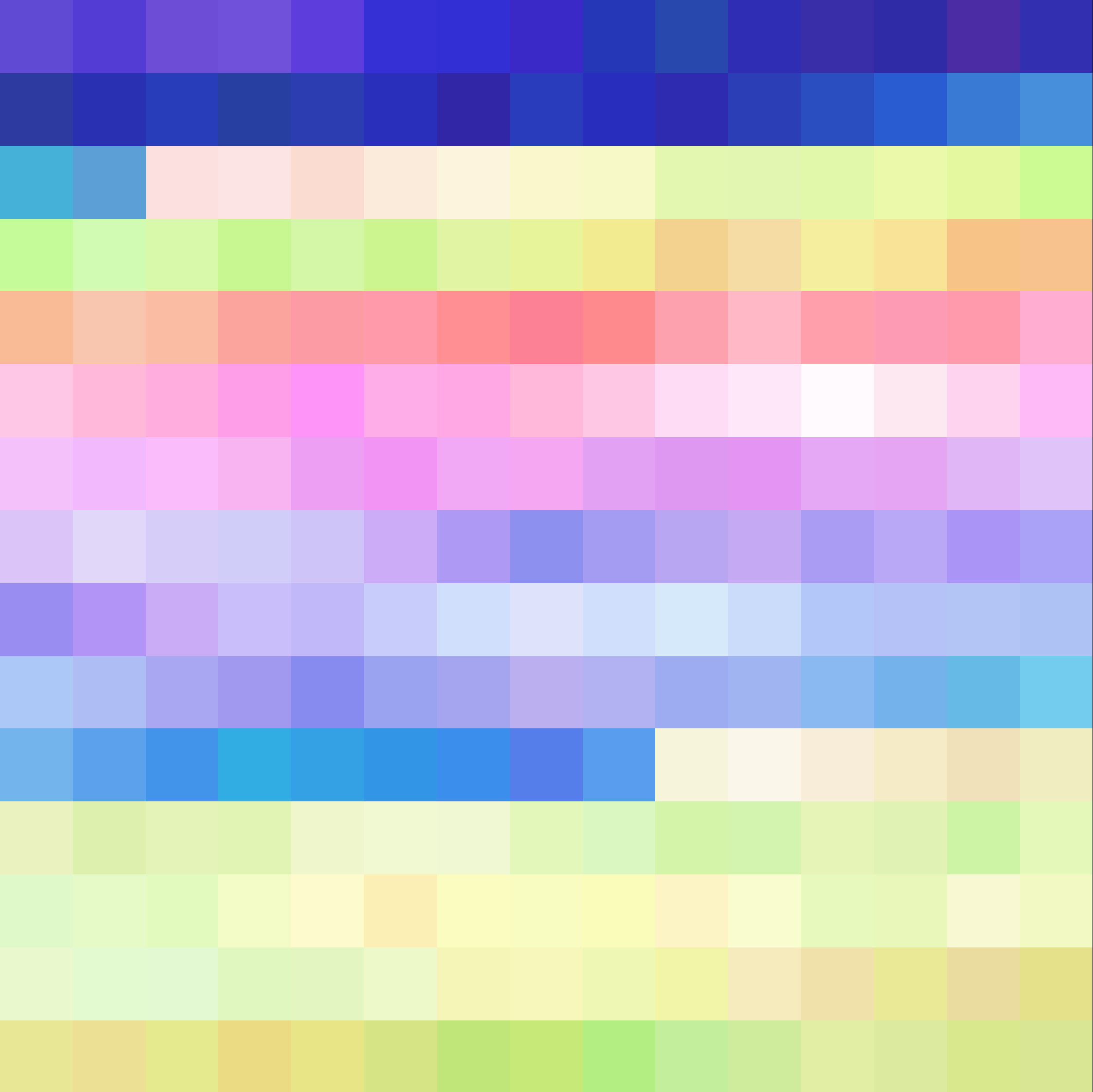
The very colourful gradient in this 12 by 12 pixel grid is mostly orange, and it also has quite some yellow, quite some red, a bit of blue, a little bit of lime, a tiny bit of indigo, and a tiny bit of green in it.



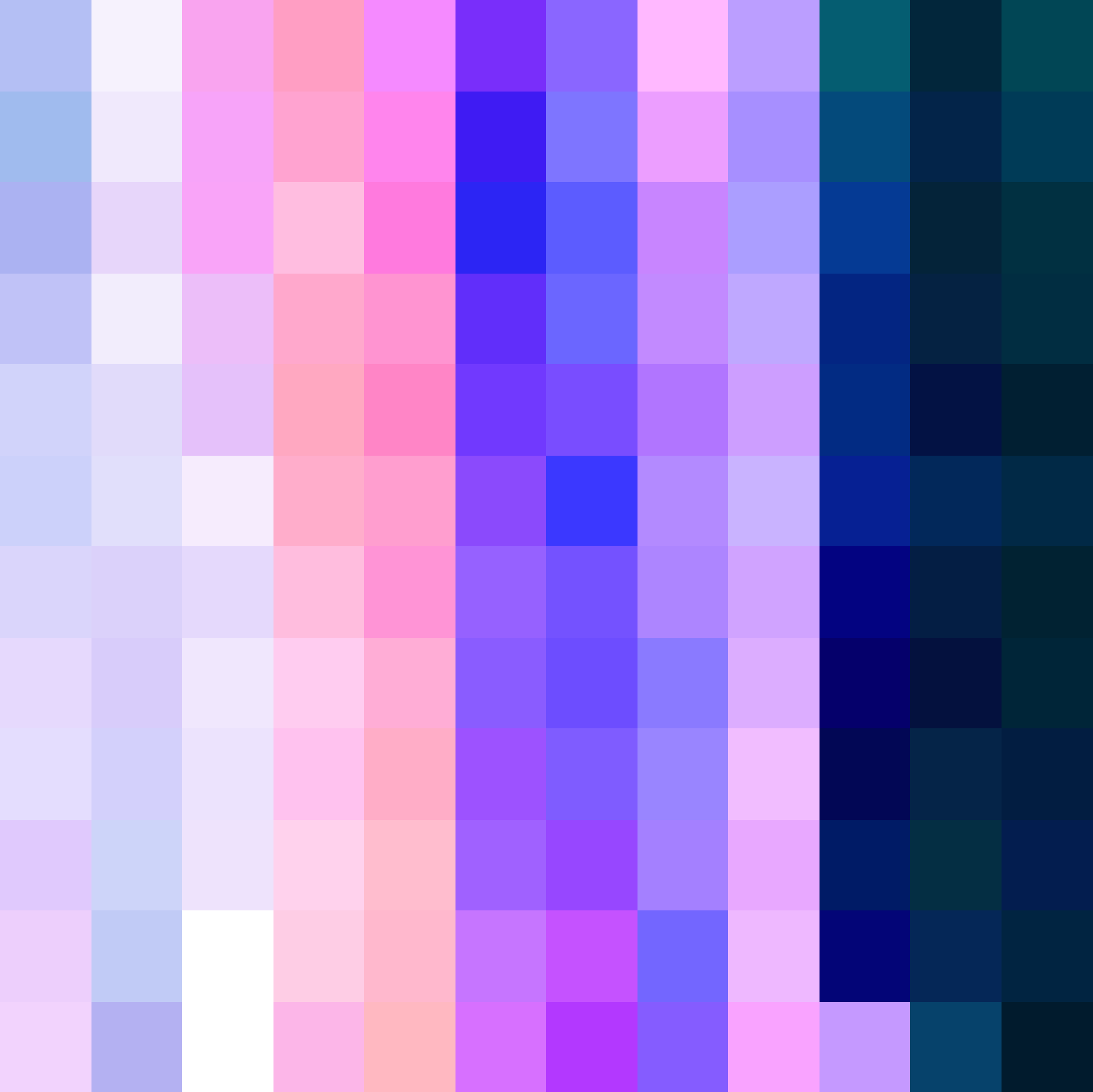
Here's a 15 by 15 pixelated grid that forms a colourful gradient. It is mostly green, and it also has some yellow, some red, a bit of orange, and a bit of lime in it.



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



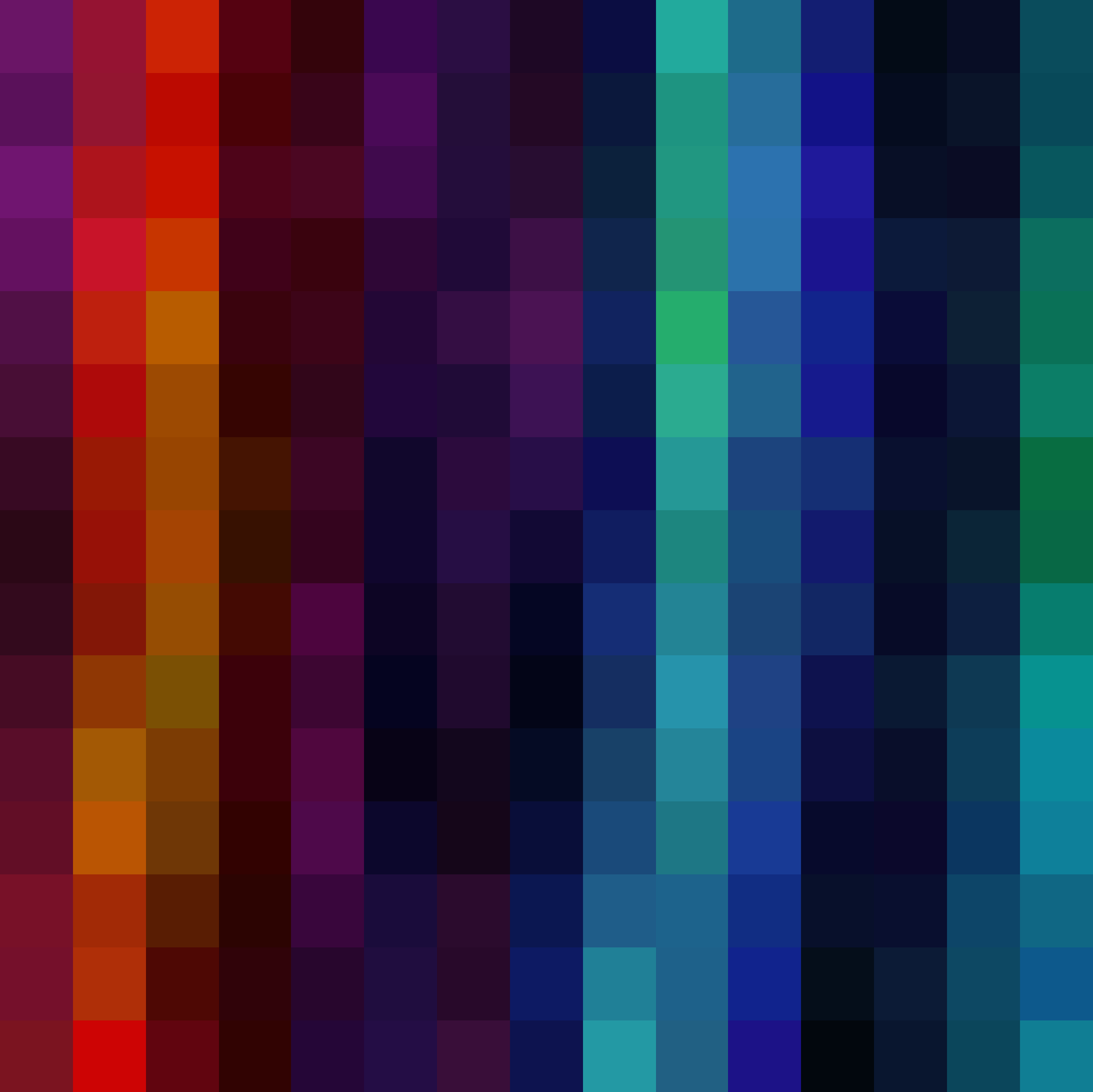
This very colourful pixel gradient—it is 15 cells wide, 15 cells high—is mostly red, but it also has some yellow, some green, a bit of lime, a bit of blue, a bit of indigo, and a little bit of orange in it.



A very, very colourful grid of 144 blocks. It's mostly blue, but it also has quite some indigo, some violet, some purple, a bit of magenta, a bit of rose, a tiny bit of cyan, and a tiny bit of red in it.



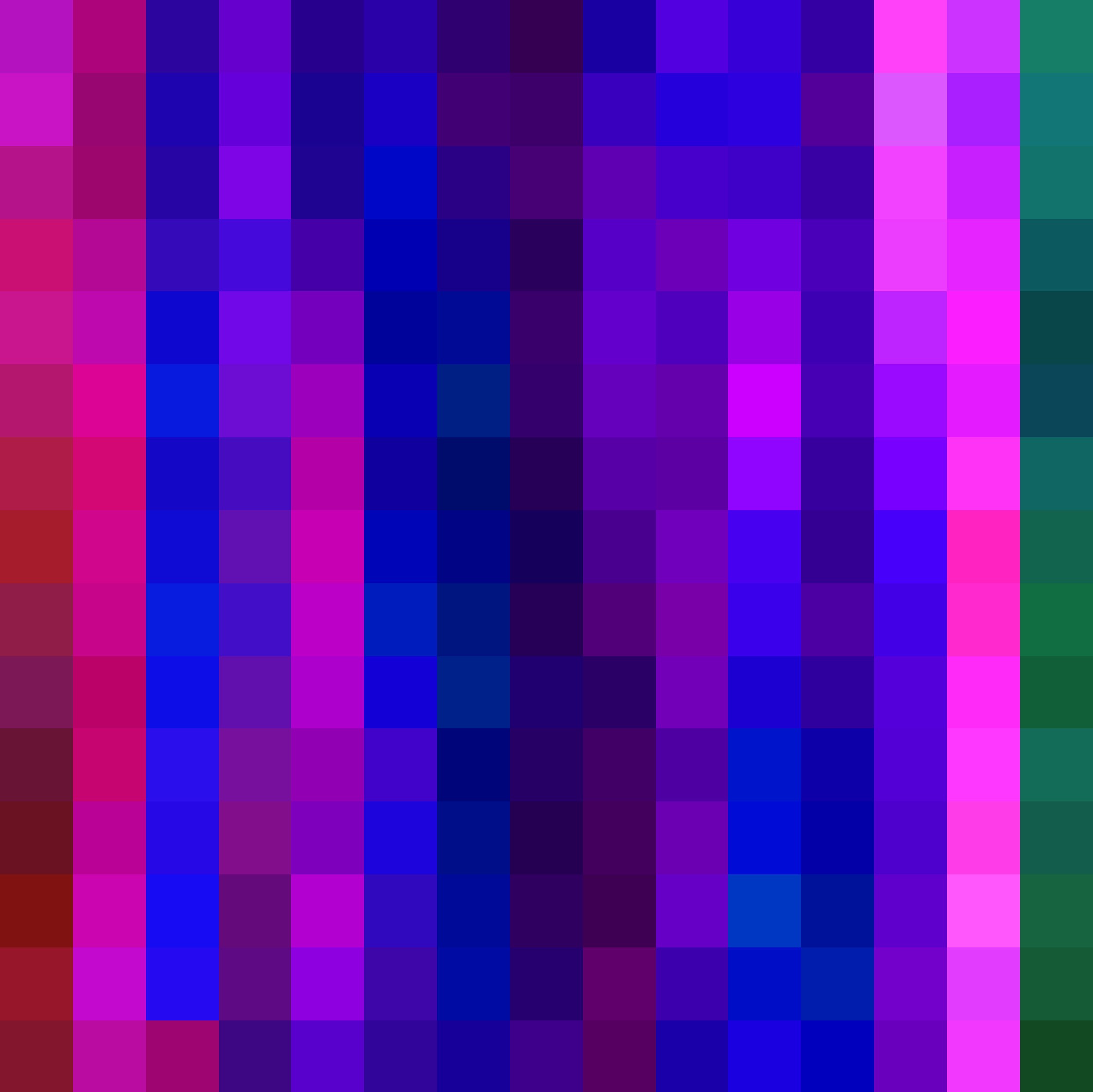
The gradient in this 12 by 12 pixel grid is mostly green, but it also has some cyan, a bit of lime, and a little bit of yellow in it.



There's a very, very colourful pixel gradient in this 15 by 15 grid. It is mostly blue, and it also has some red, a bit of cyan, a bit of purple, a bit of magenta, a bit of rose, a bit of orange, a little bit of indigo, a little bit of violet, and a tiny bit of green in it.



The gradient in this 7 by 7 pixel grid is mostly blue, but it also has quite some cyan, and some green in it.



There's a very, very colourful pixel gradient in this 15 by 15 grid. It is mostly indigo, but it also has quite some purple, some violet, some magenta, some blue, a little bit of cyan, a little bit of rose, a tiny bit of red, and a tiny bit of green in it.



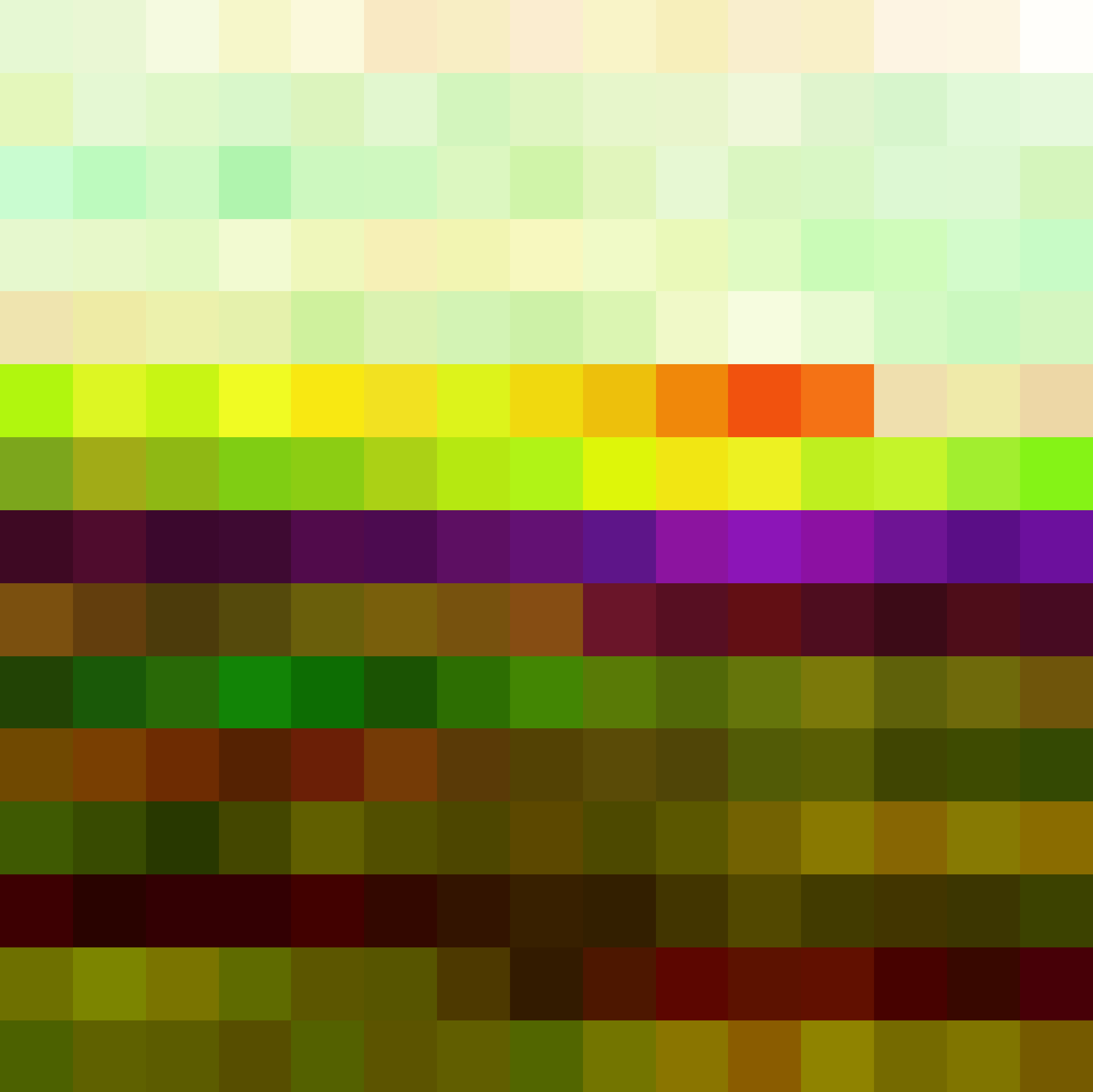
The very colourful gradient in this 14 by 14 pixel grid is mostly orange, and it also has quite some red, quite some yellow, a little bit of green, a little bit of blue, and a little bit of lime in it.



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



A grid of 16 blocks. It's mostly yellow, and it also has quite some lime, and quite some green in it.



A grid with 225 coloured squares that form a very, very colourful gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly yellow, but it also has quite some green, some orange, some lime, a bit of red, a little bit of purple, a little bit of magenta, and a tiny bit of rose in it.



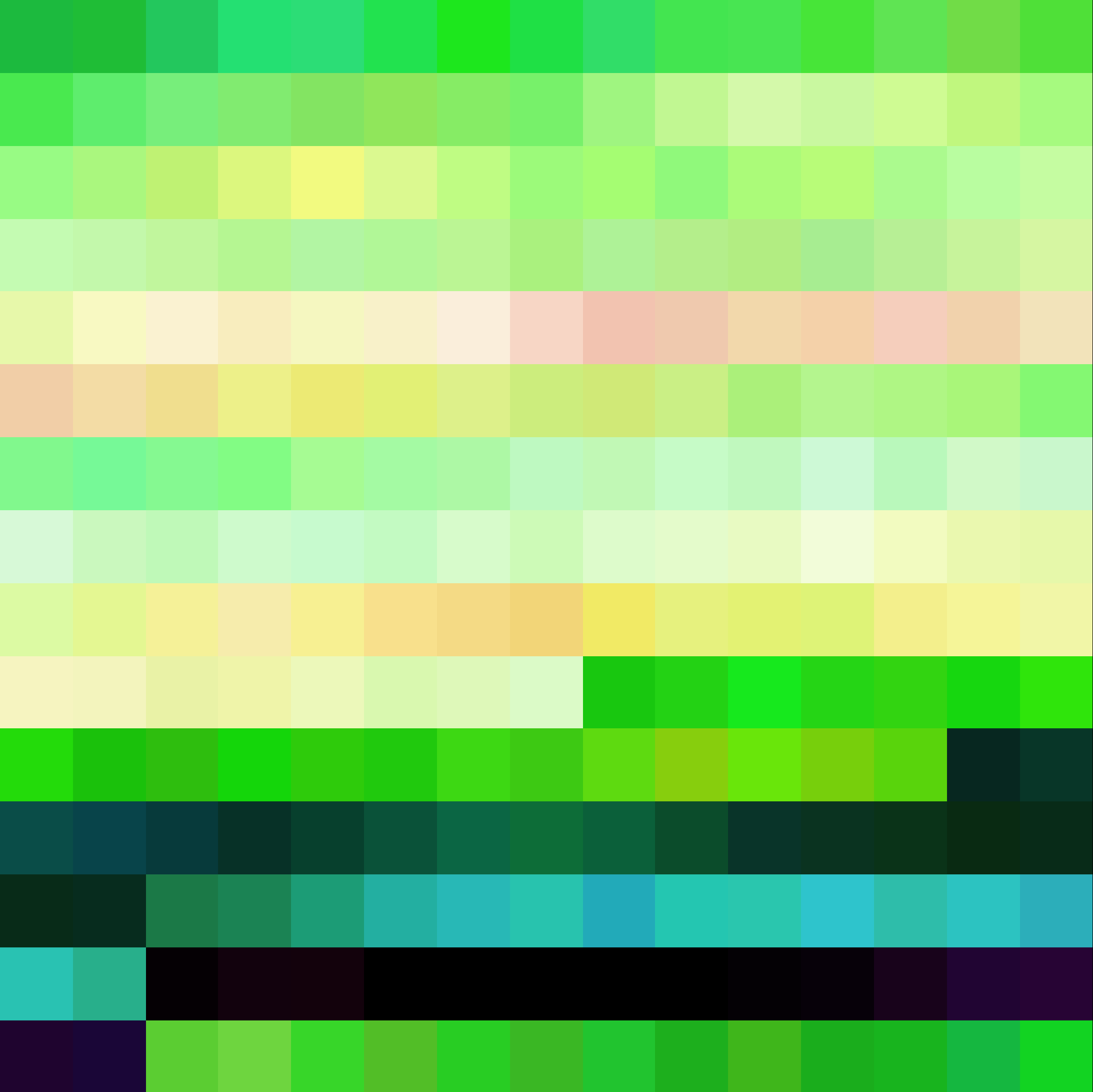
The gradient in this 7 by 7 pixel grid is mostly green, and it also has some yellow, and some lime in it.



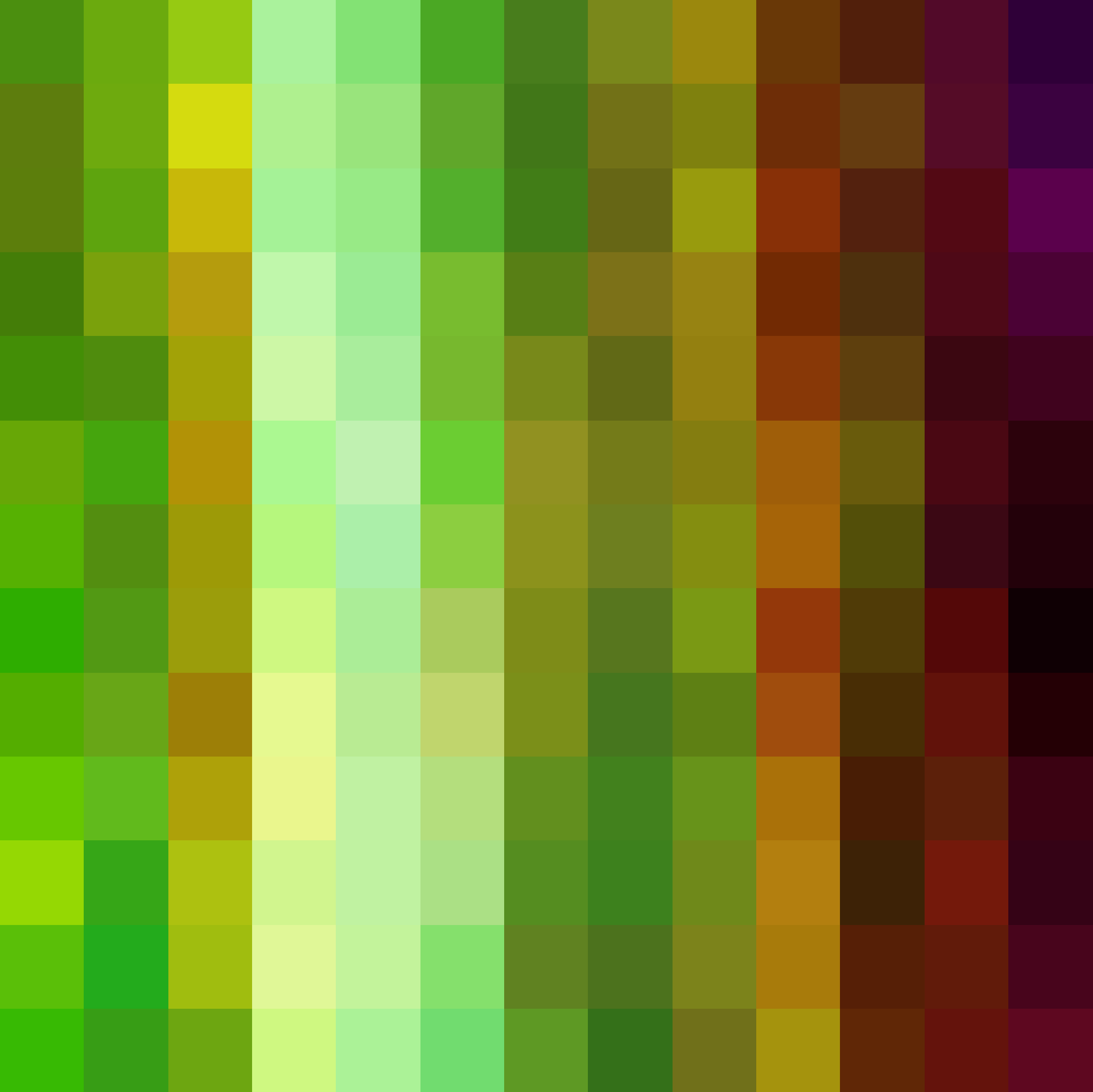
Here's an 8 by 8 pixelated grid that forms a gradient. It is mostly green, and it also has quite some yellow, and quite some lime in it.



The cells in this 11 by 11 pixel grid form a gradient. It is mostly cyan, and it also has quite some green, and some blue in it.



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



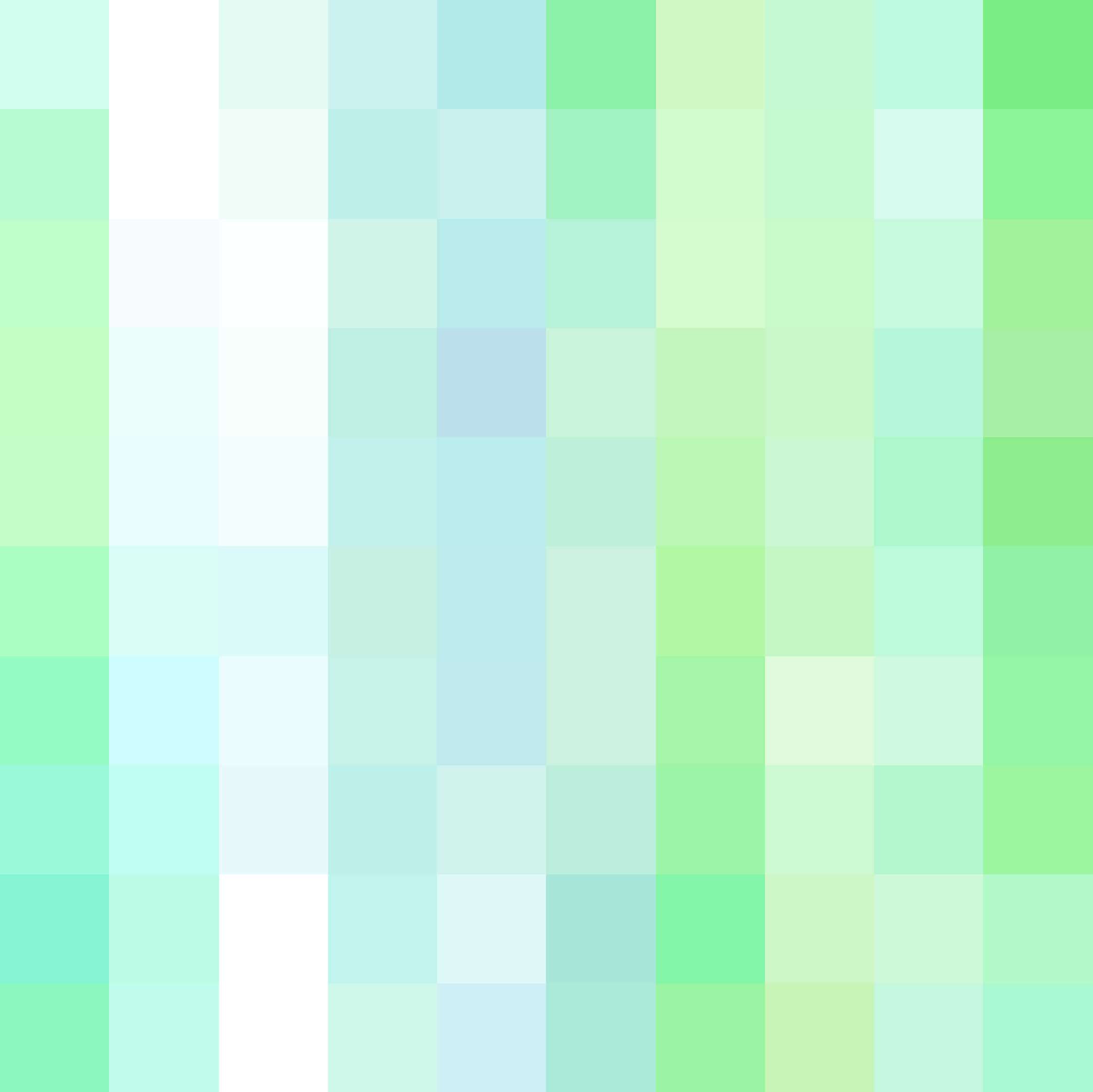
A grid with 169 coloured squares that form a colourful gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly green, but it also has quite some yellow, some red, some orange, and a bit of lime in it.



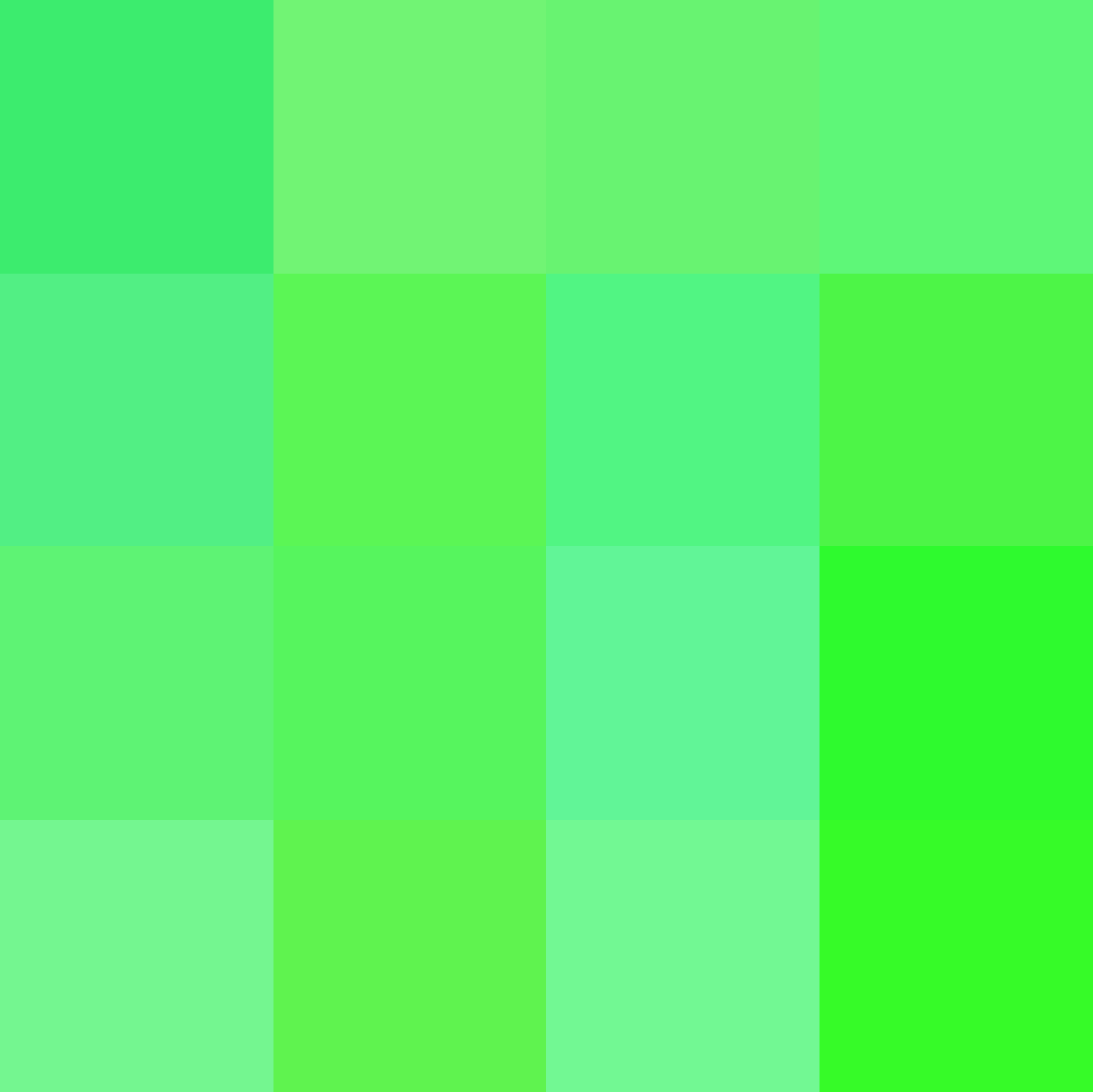
Here's a 14 by 14 pixelated grid that forms a very, very colourful gradient. It is mostly cyan, but it also has quite some red, quite some green, a bit of blue, a little bit of yellow, a tiny bit of violet, a tiny bit of orange, and a tiny bit of purple in it.



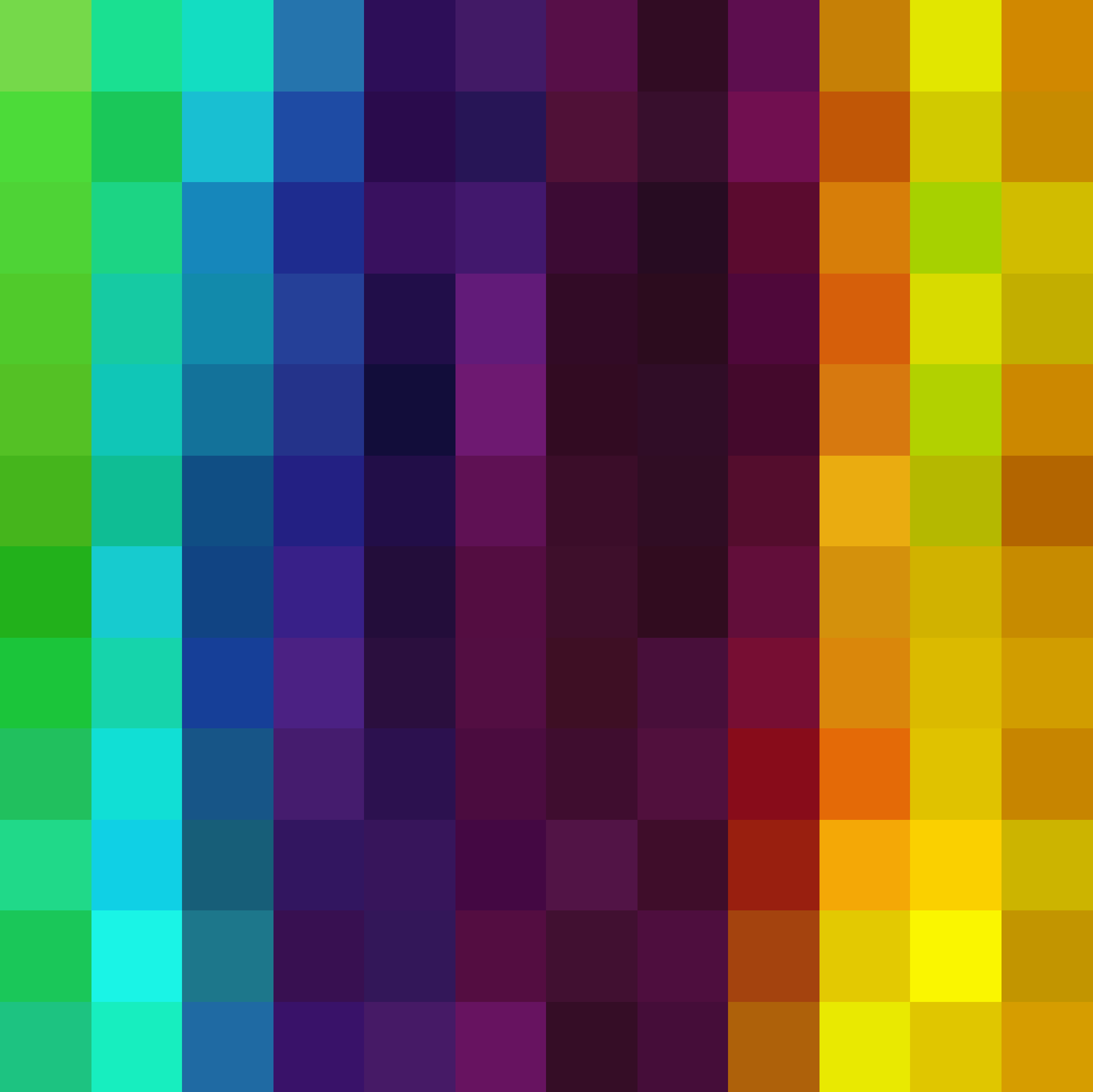
Here's a 7 by 7 pixelated grid that forms a gradient. It is mostly rose, but it also has quite some red, quite some magenta, and a tiny bit of orange in it.



A grid with 100 coloured squares that form a gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly green, but it also has quite some cyan, and a little bit of blue in it.



A grid with 16 coloured squares that form a monochrome gradient. The colours are various shades of green.



This very, very colourful gradient, generated in this 12 by 12 pixel grid, is mostly magenta, and it also has some orange, some yellow, a bit of green, a bit of cyan, a bit of blue, a bit of violet, a little bit of indigo, a little bit of purple, a little bit of rose, a tiny bit of red, and a tiny bit of lime 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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