



100 random pixel gradients

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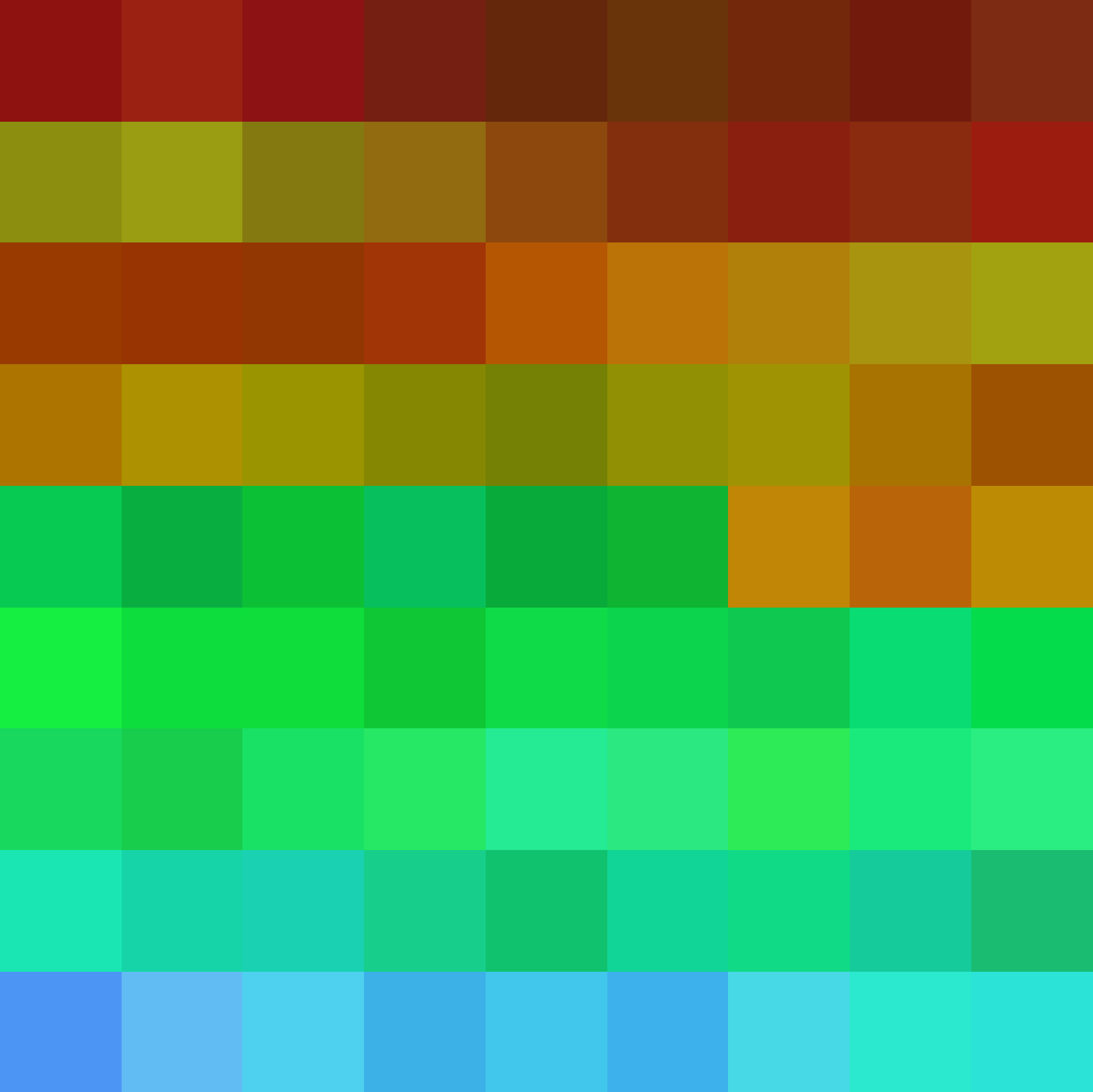
A very, very colourful grid of 81 blocks. It's mostly rose, but it also has some cyan, some magenta, some blue, a bit of green, a bit of purple, a little bit of red, a little bit of indigo, and a little bit of violet in it.



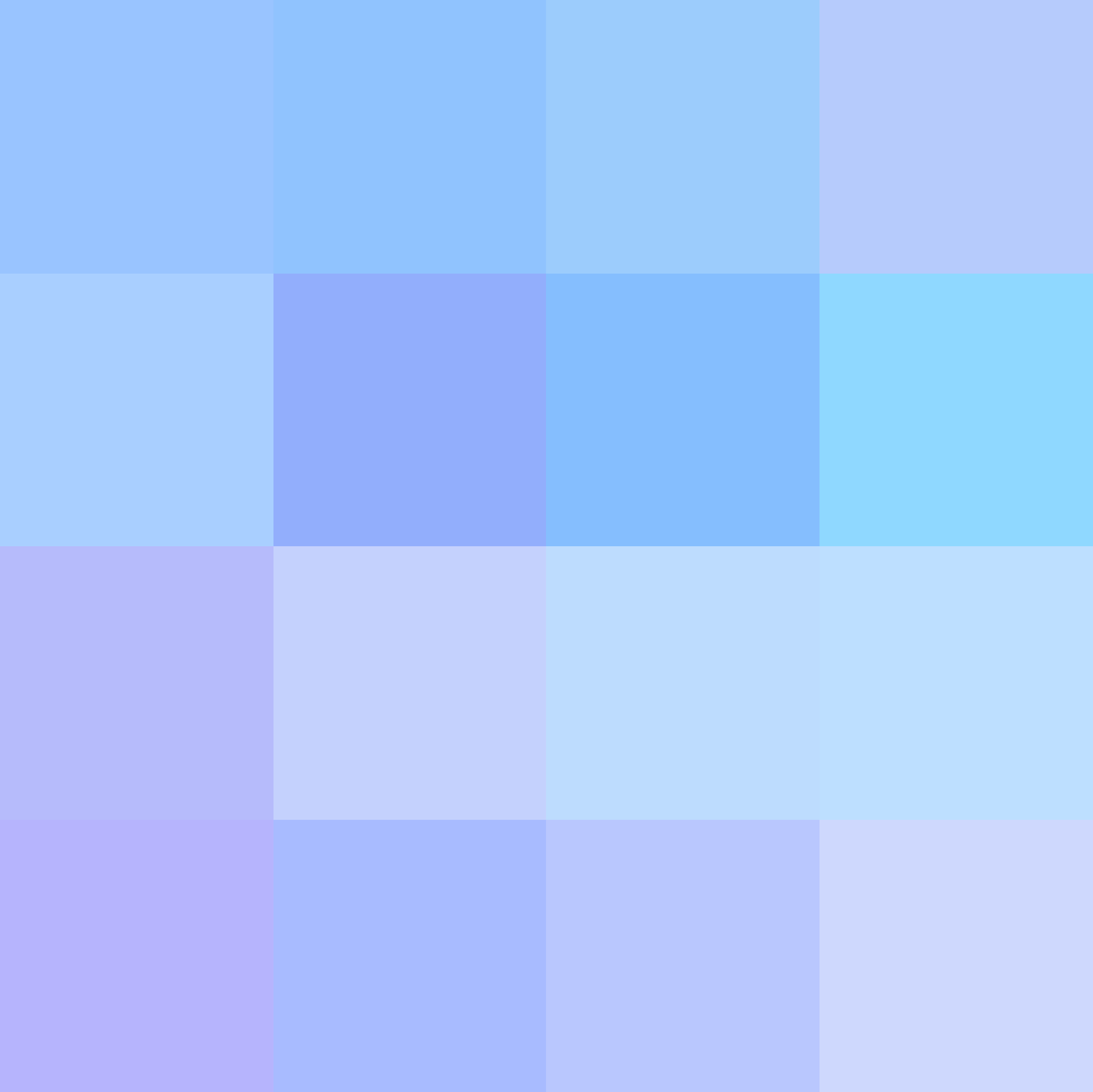
A grid with 81 coloured squares that form a gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly green, but it also has quite some yellow, a bit of lime, and a little bit of orange in it.



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



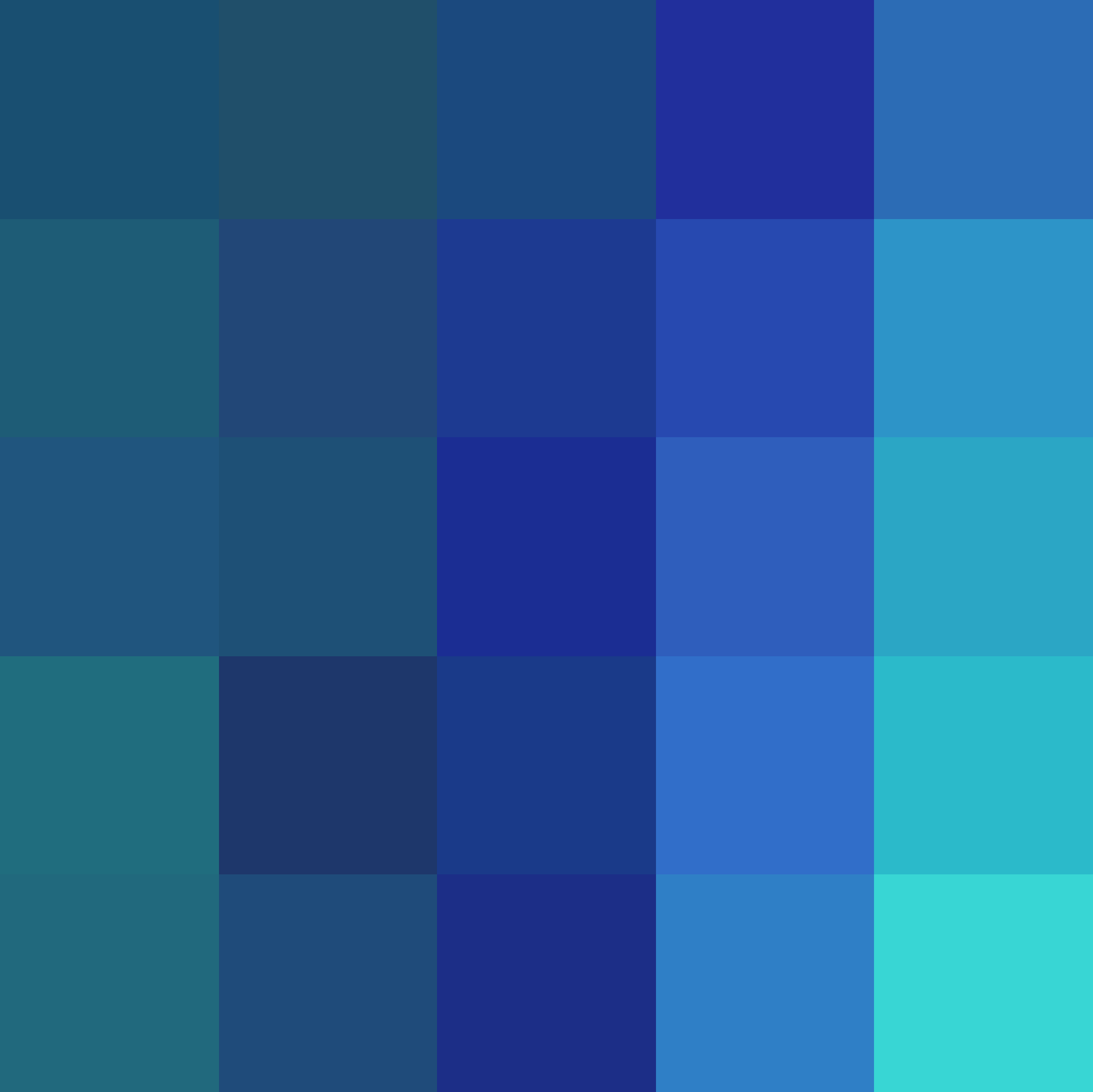
This very colourful pixel gradient—it is 9 cells wide, 9 cells high—is mostly green, but it also has quite some orange, some yellow, some red, some cyan, and a little bit of blue in it.



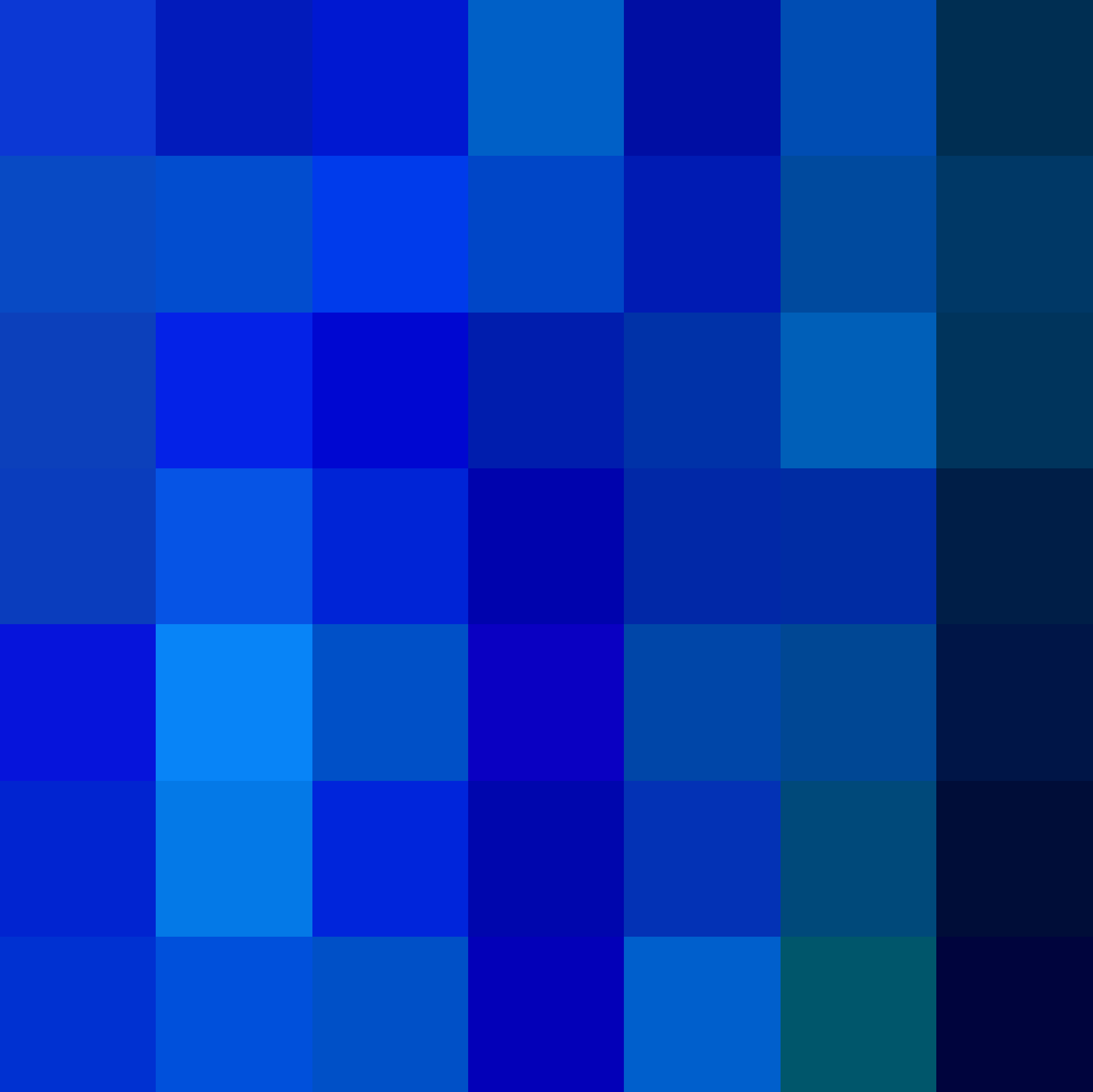
This two tone gradient, generated in this 4 by 4 pixel grid, is mostly blue, but it also has a little bit of indigo in it.



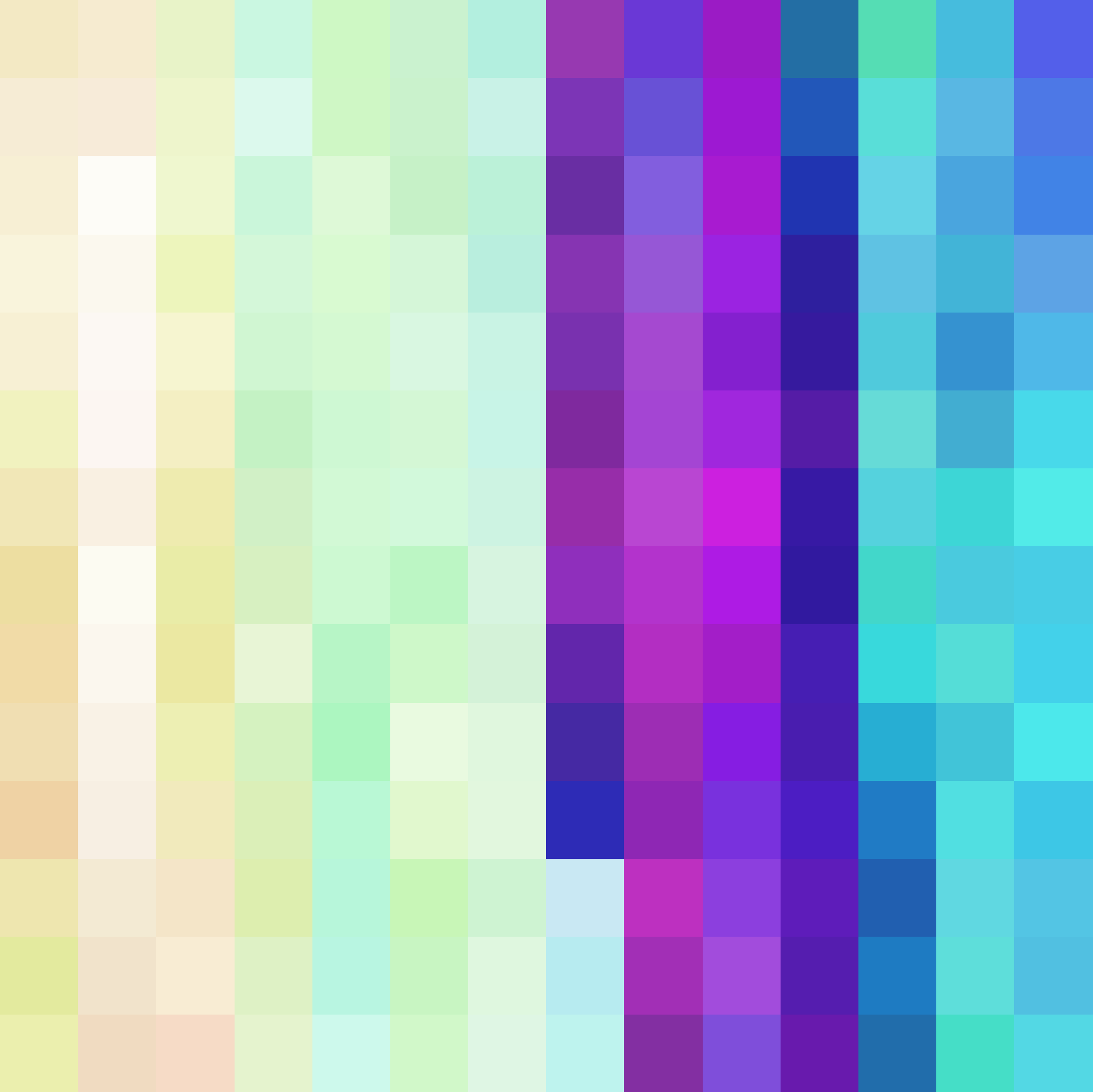
This colourful pixel gradient—it is 10 cells wide, 10 cells high—is mostly red, and it also has some rose, a bit of orange, a little bit of magenta, and a little bit of yellow in it.



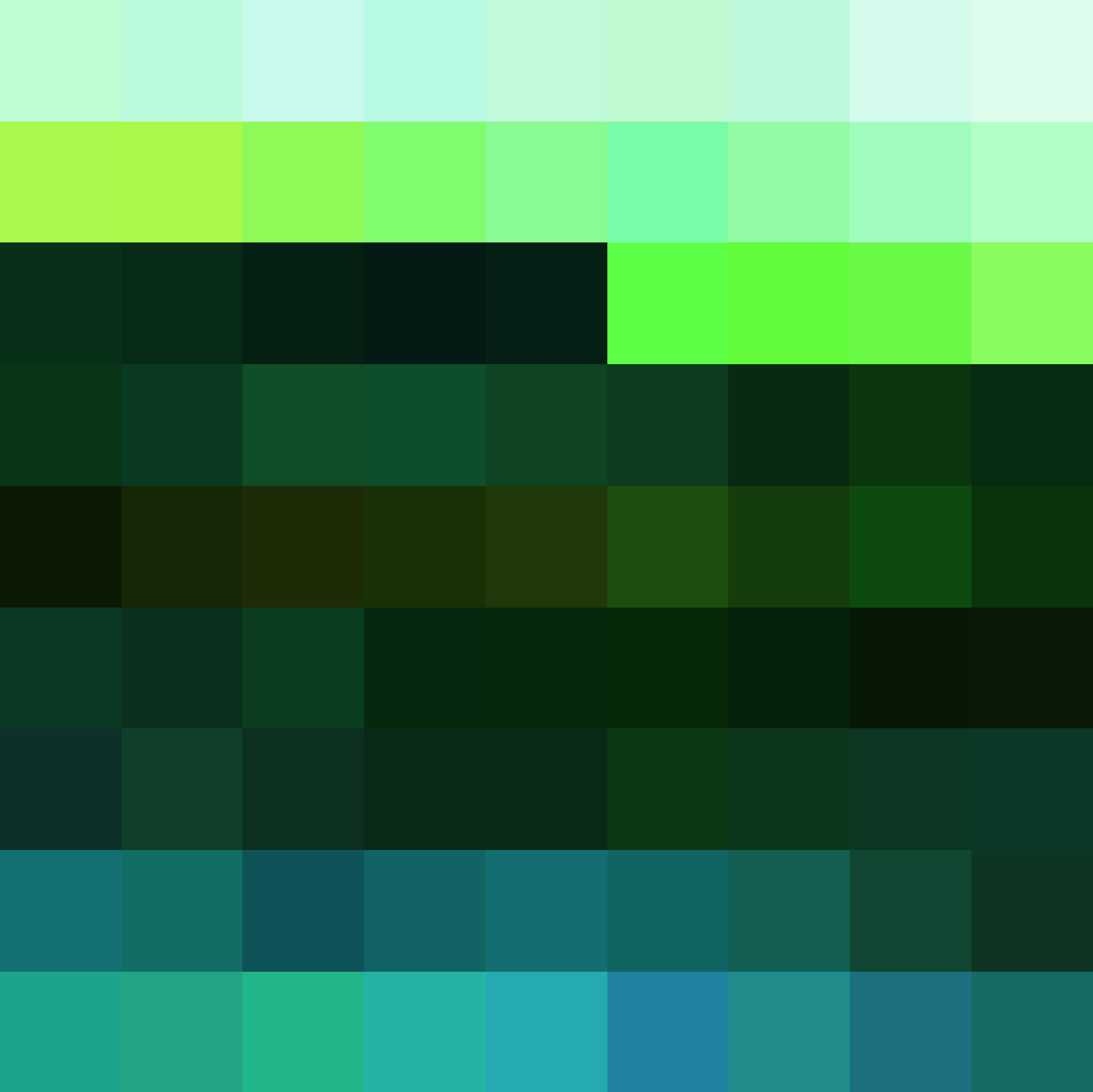
Here's a 5 by 5 pixelated grid that forms a two tone gradient. It is mostly blue, and it also has quite some cyan in it.



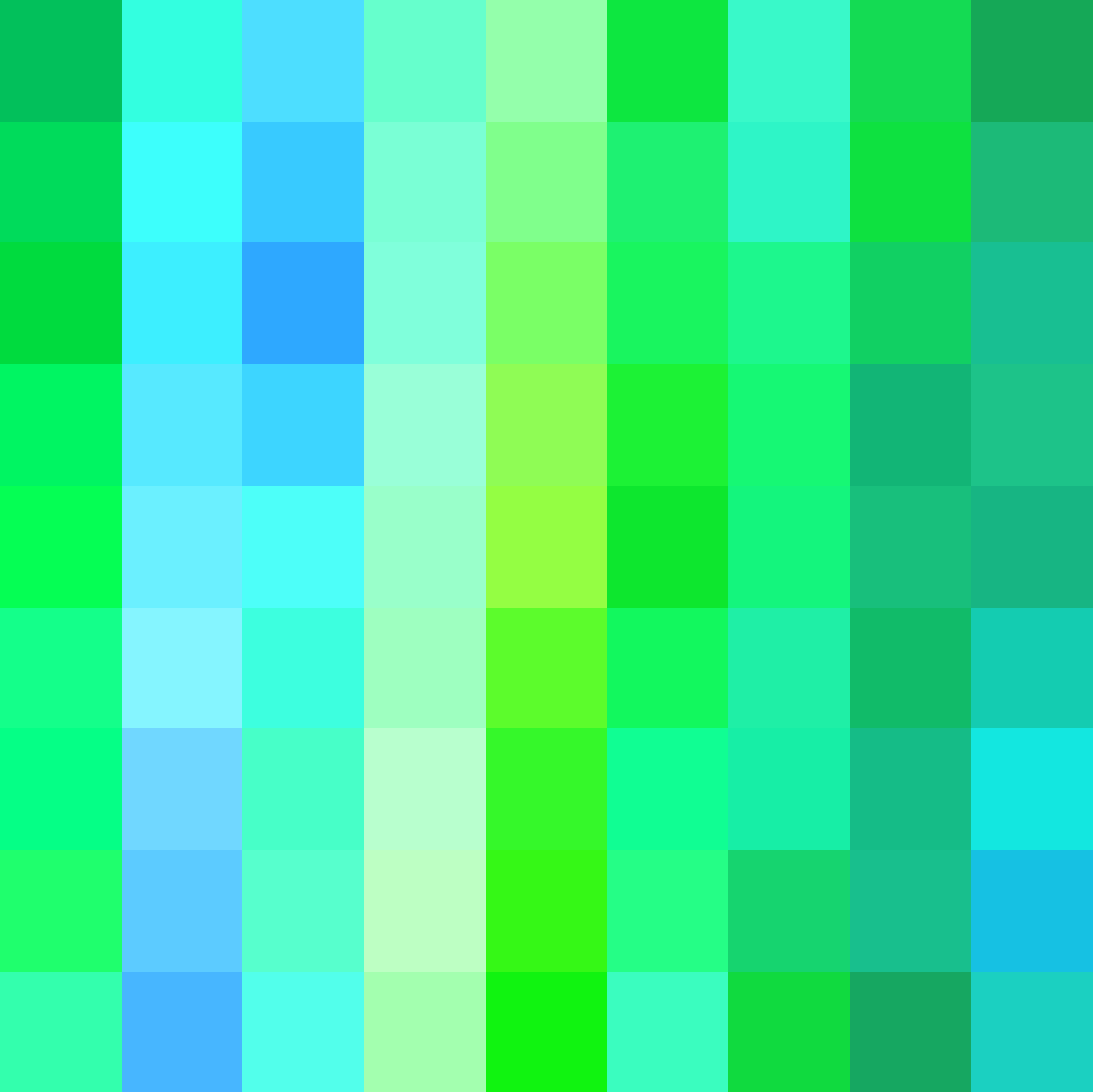
Here's a 7 by 7 pixelated grid that forms a gradient. It is mostly blue, and it also has a little bit of indigo, and a tiny bit of cyan in it.



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



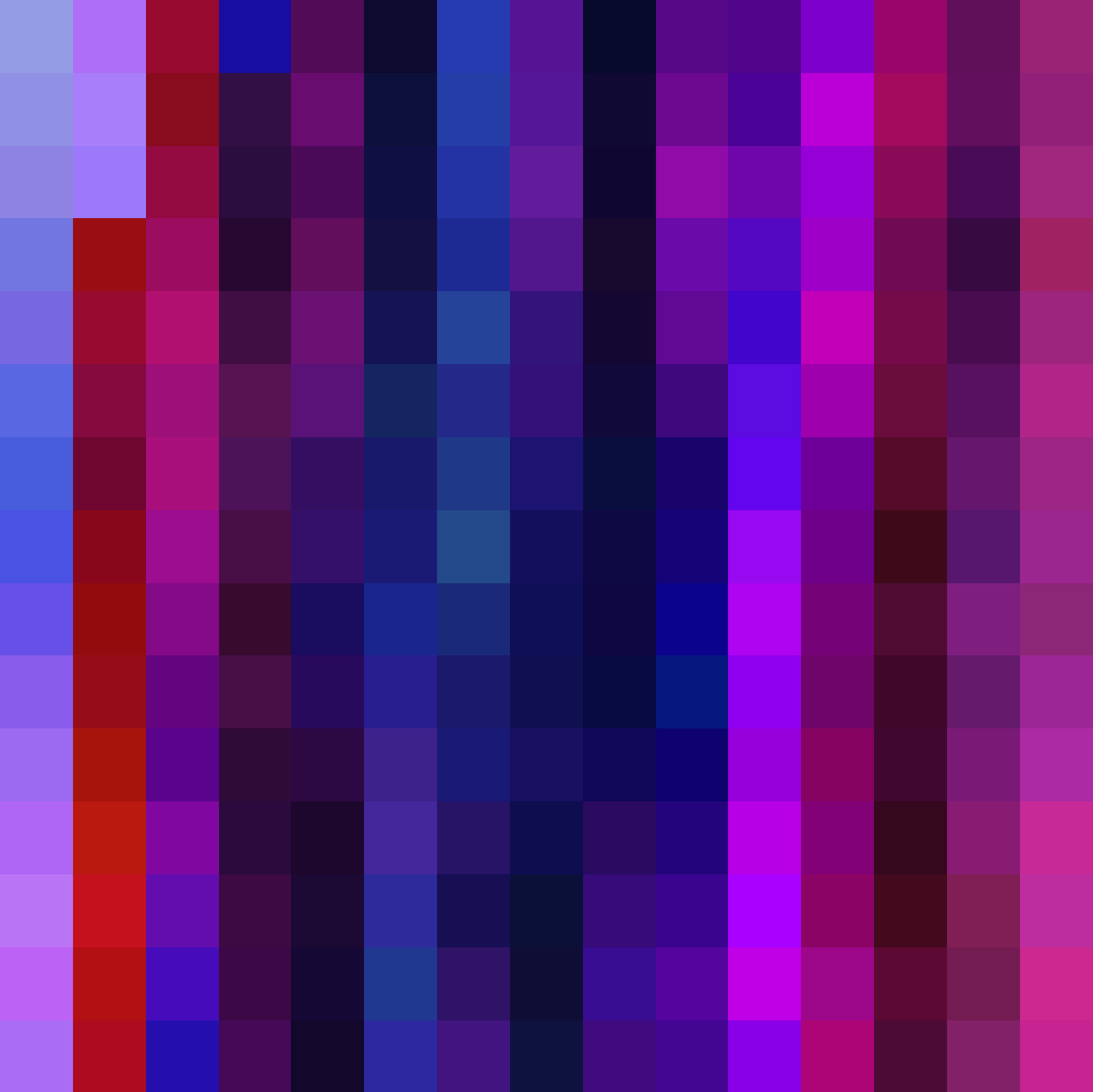
Here's a 9 by 9 pixelated grid that forms a two tone gradient. It is mostly green, and it also has quite some cyan in it.



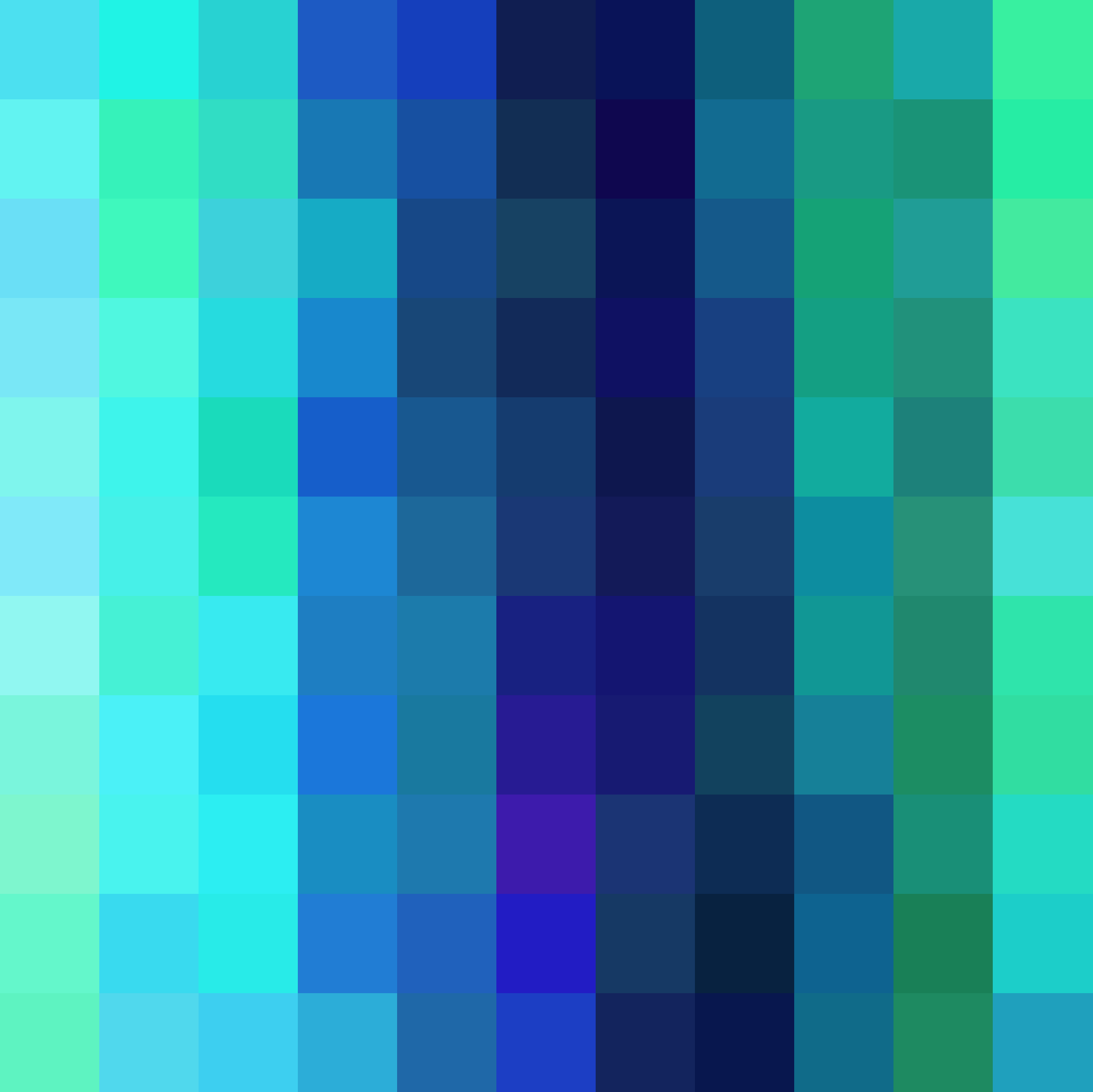
The cells in this 9 by 9 pixel grid form a gradient. It is mostly green, but it also has quite some cyan, and a little bit of blue in it.



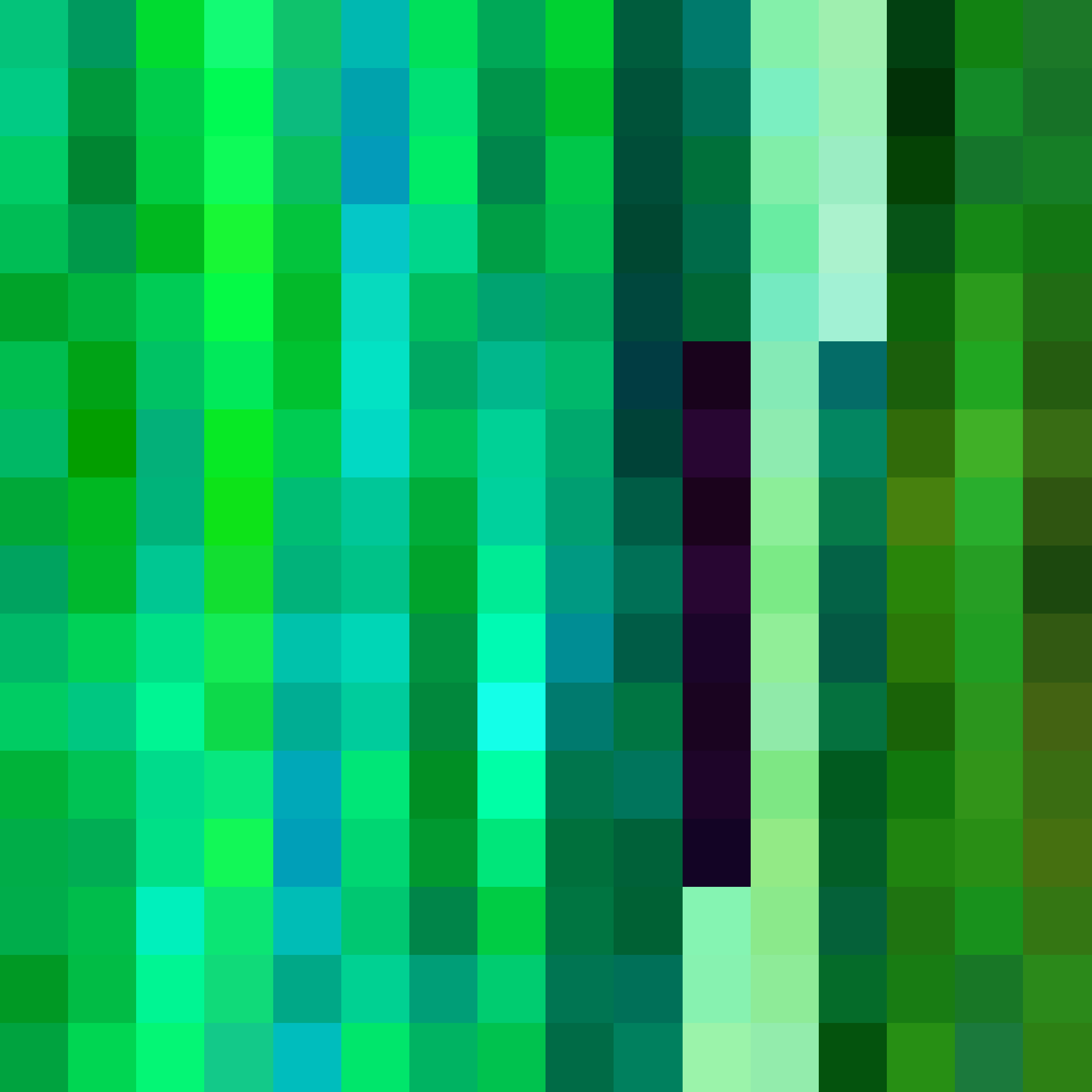
A 9 by 9 grid with coloured squares that form a very, very colourful gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly red, and it also has some rose, some yellow, some indigo, some orange, a bit of purple, a bit of violet, and a tiny bit of lime in it.



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



An 11 by 11 grid with coloured squares that form a gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly blue, and it also has quite some cyan, some green, and a little bit of indigo in it.



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



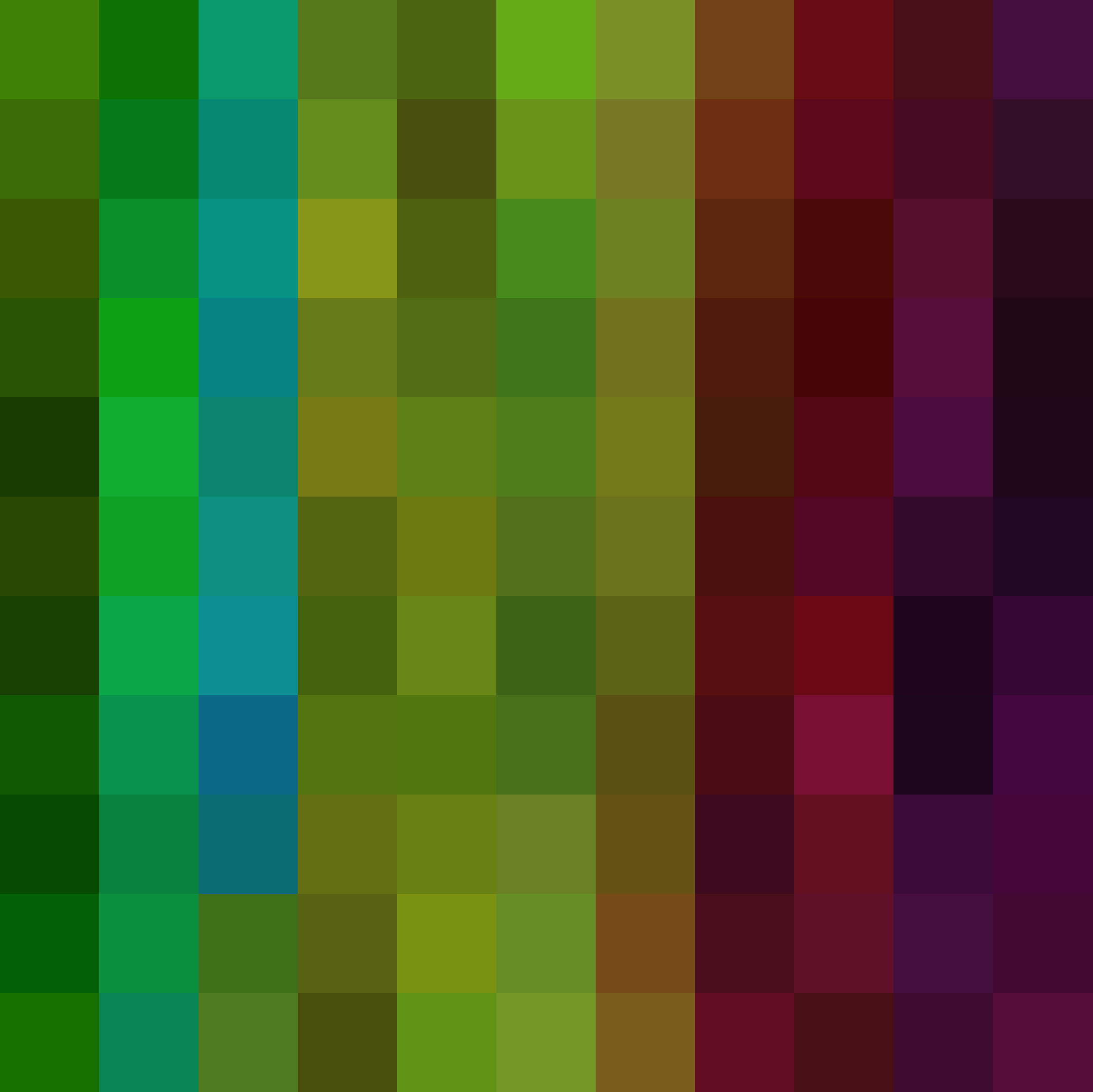
This pixel gradient—it is 7 cells wide, 7 cells high—is mostly red, but it also has quite some blue, a bit of indigo, and a little bit of orange in it.



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



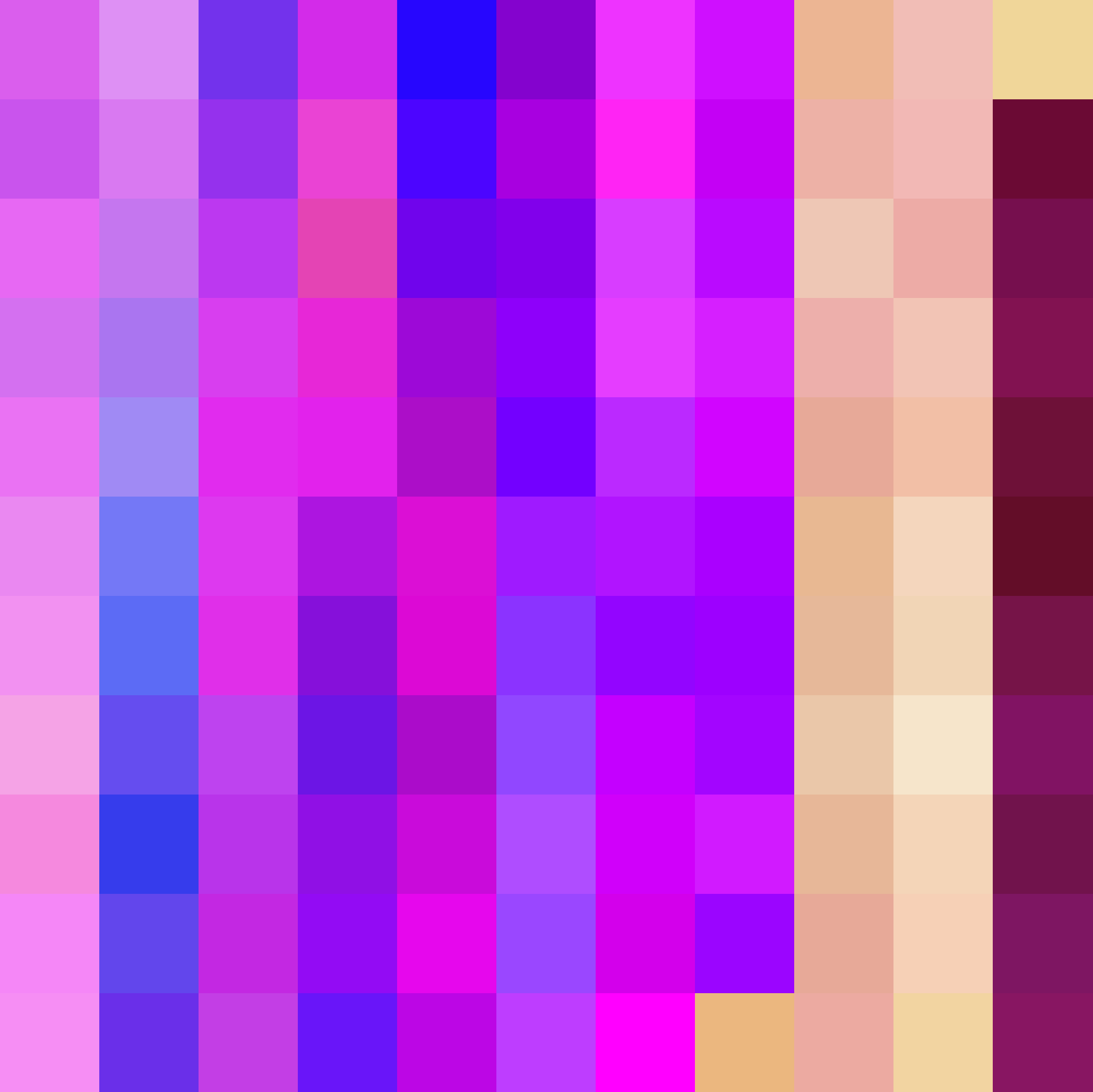
A colourful grid of 81 blocks. It's mostly green, but it also has some lime, a bit of yellow, a tiny bit of cyan, and a tiny bit of orange in it.



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



This pixel gradient—it is 8 cells wide, 8 cells high—is mostly green, and it also has quite some yellow, and a tiny bit of lime in it.



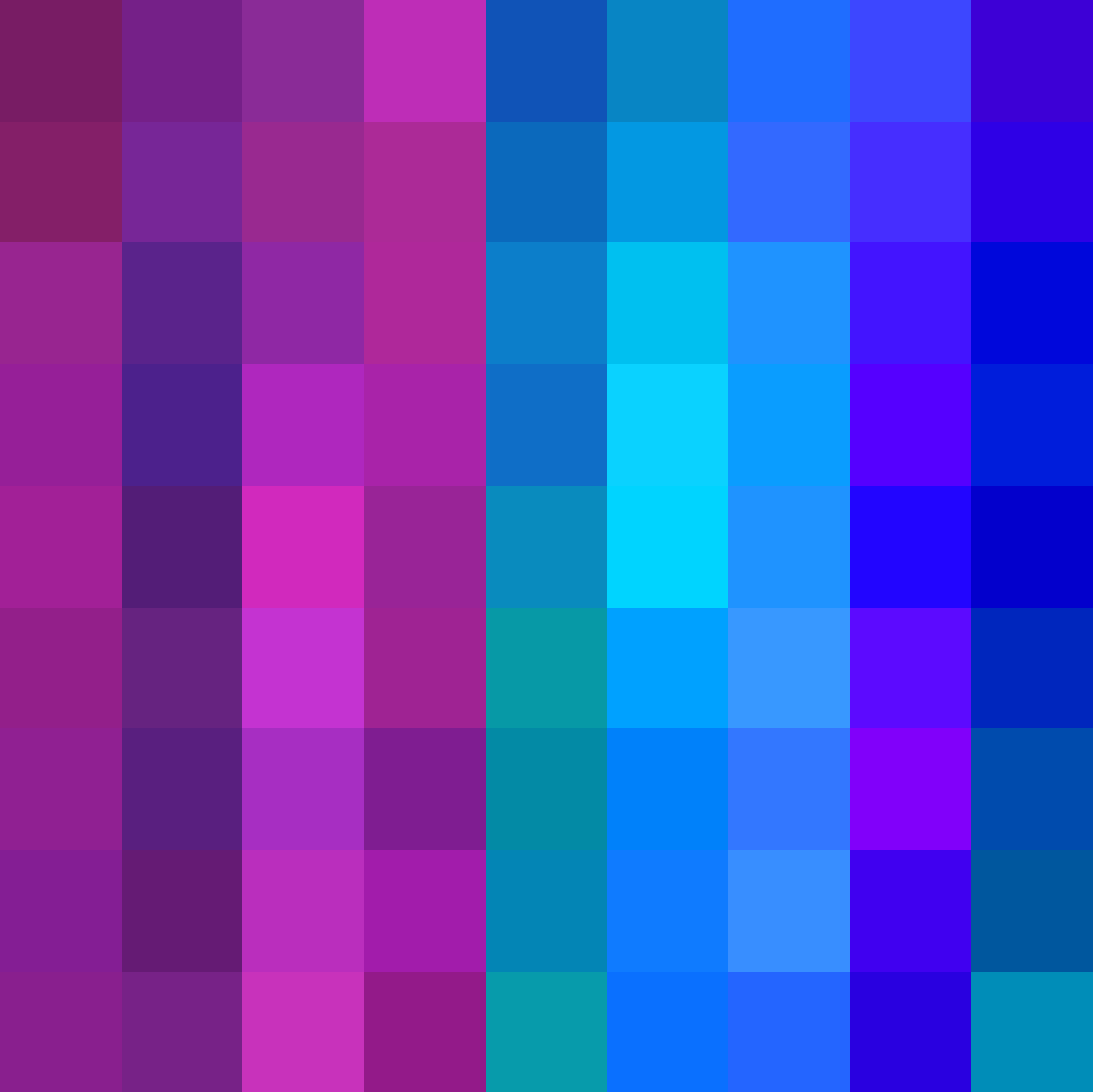
The very, very colourful gradient in this 11 by 11 pixel grid is mostly purple, but it also has quite some magenta, some orange, a bit of violet, a bit of red, a little bit of indigo, a little bit of rose, and a tiny bit of blue in it.



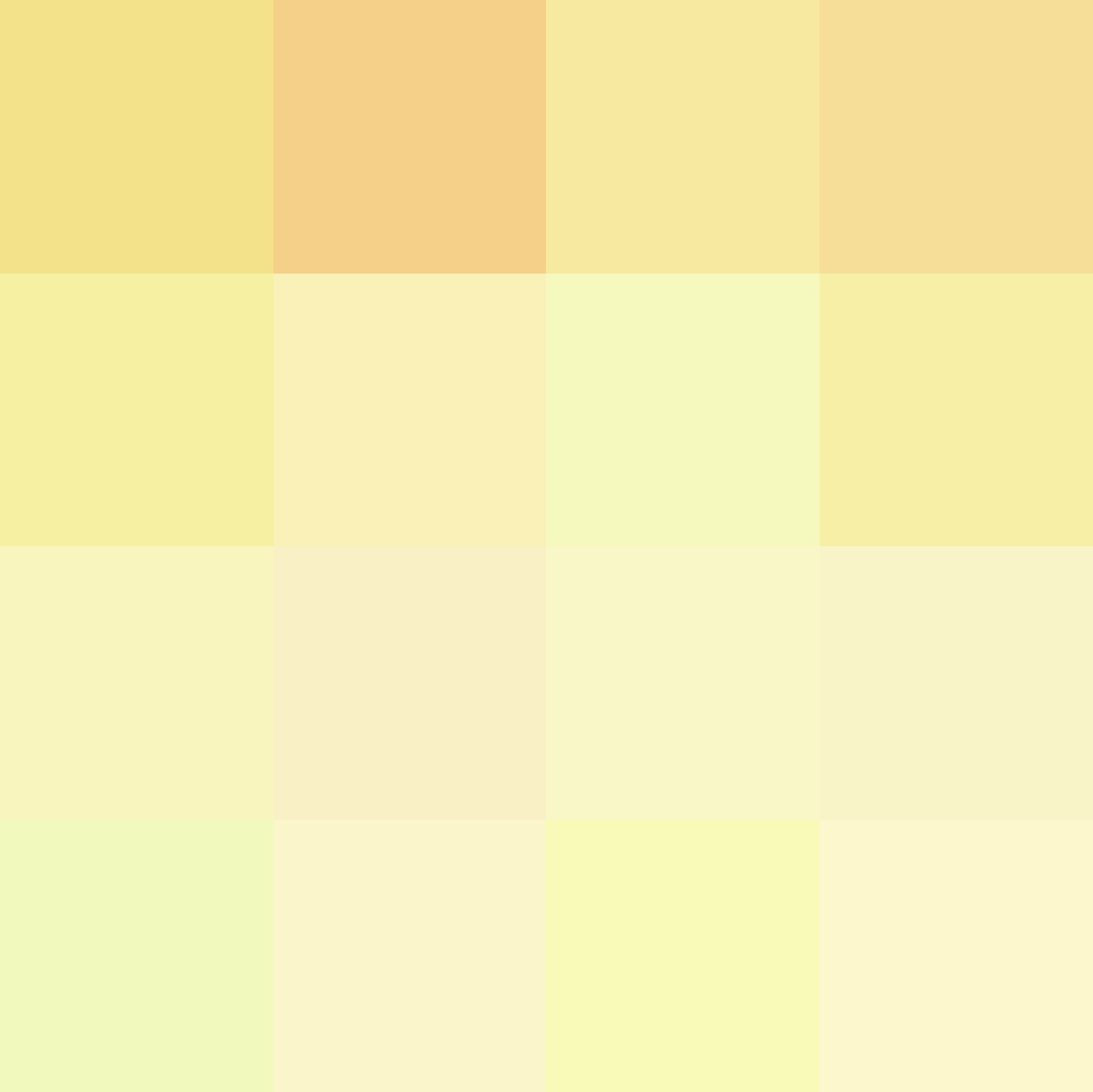
A colourful grid of 81 blocks. It's mostly blue, and it also has quite some cyan, some magenta, a tiny bit of green, and a tiny bit of rose in it.



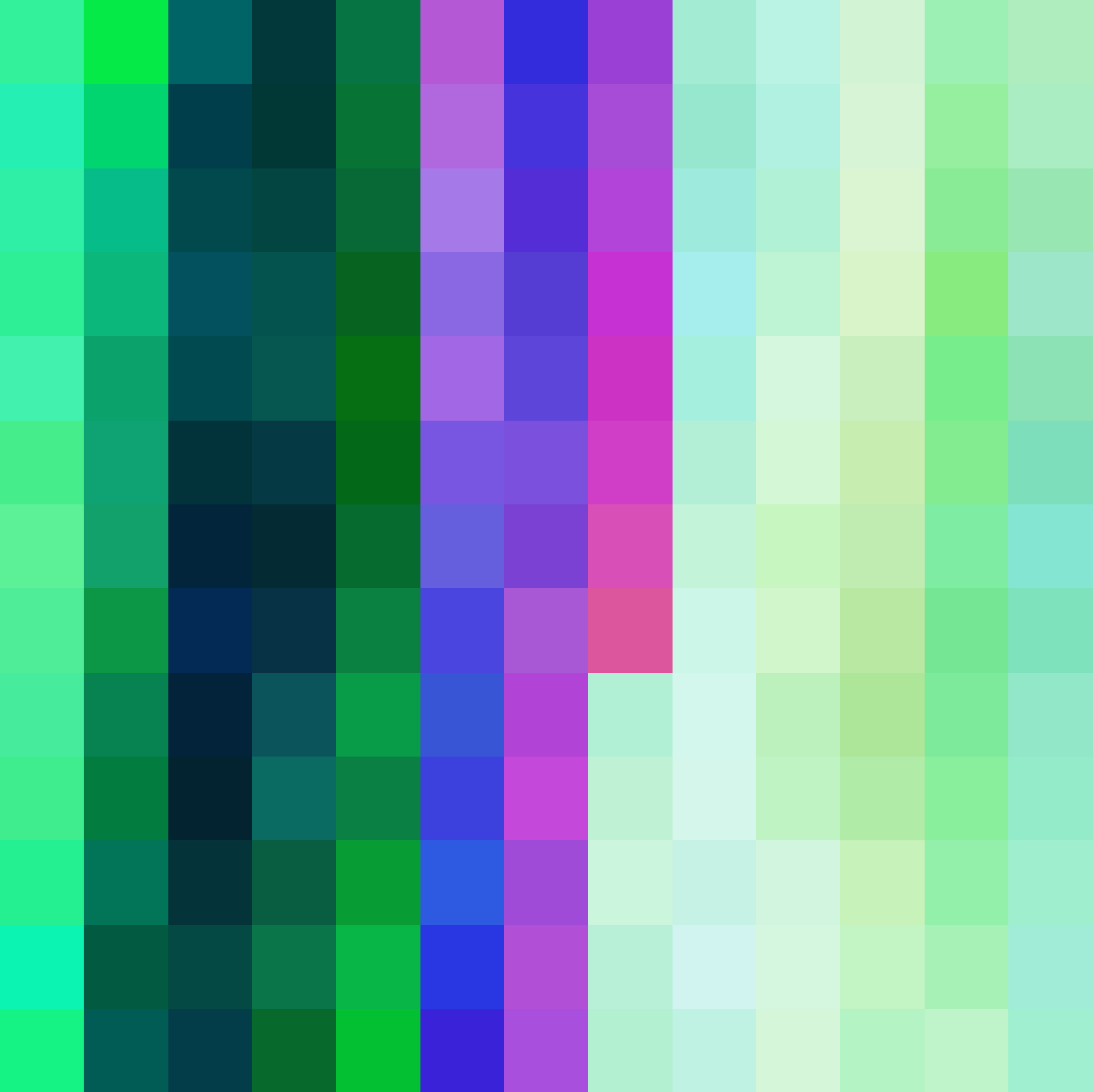
This pixel gradient—it is 7 cells wide, 7 cells high—is mostly green, but it also has a little bit of lime, and a tiny bit of yellow in it.



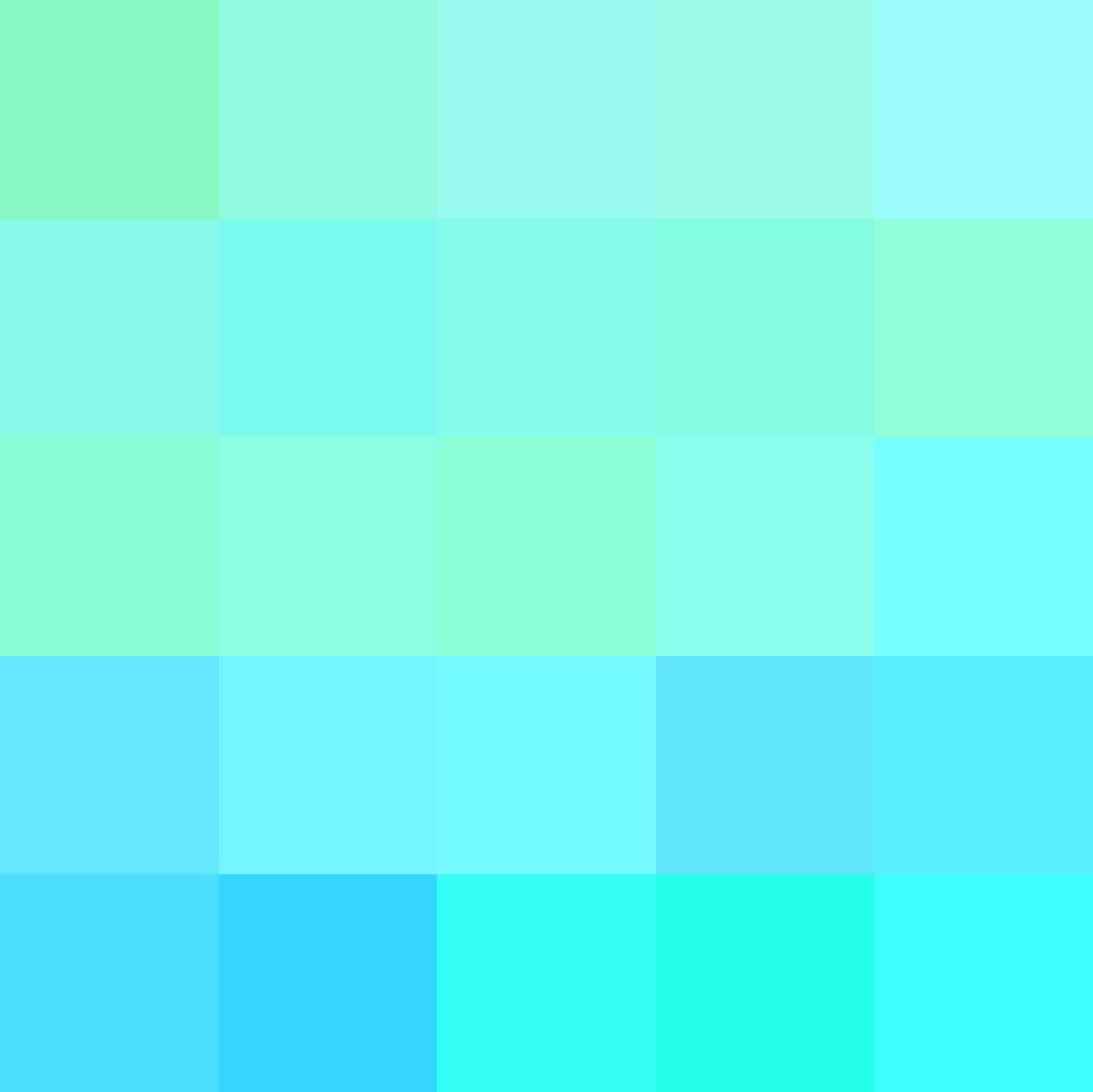
Here's a 9 by 9 pixelated grid that forms a very colourful gradient. It is mostly blue, but it also has quite some magenta, some purple, some indigo, a bit of cyan, and a tiny bit of violet in it.



This two tone gradient, generated in this 4 by 4 pixel grid, is mostly yellow, but it also has some orange in it.



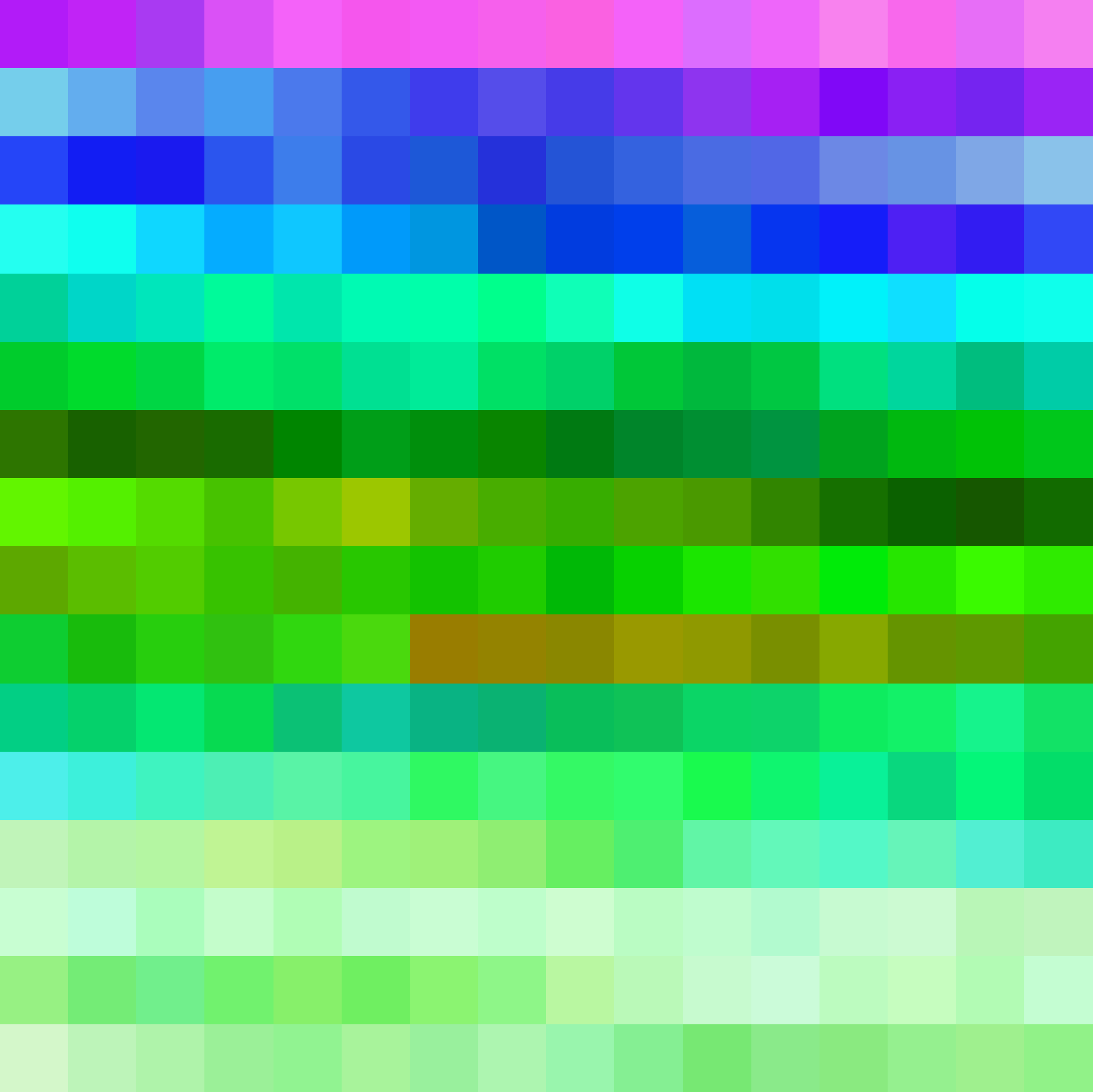
A very, very colourful grid of 169 blocks. It's mostly green, but it also has some cyan, a bit of purple, a bit of indigo, a little bit of blue, a tiny bit of magenta, a tiny bit of violet, and a tiny bit of rose in it.



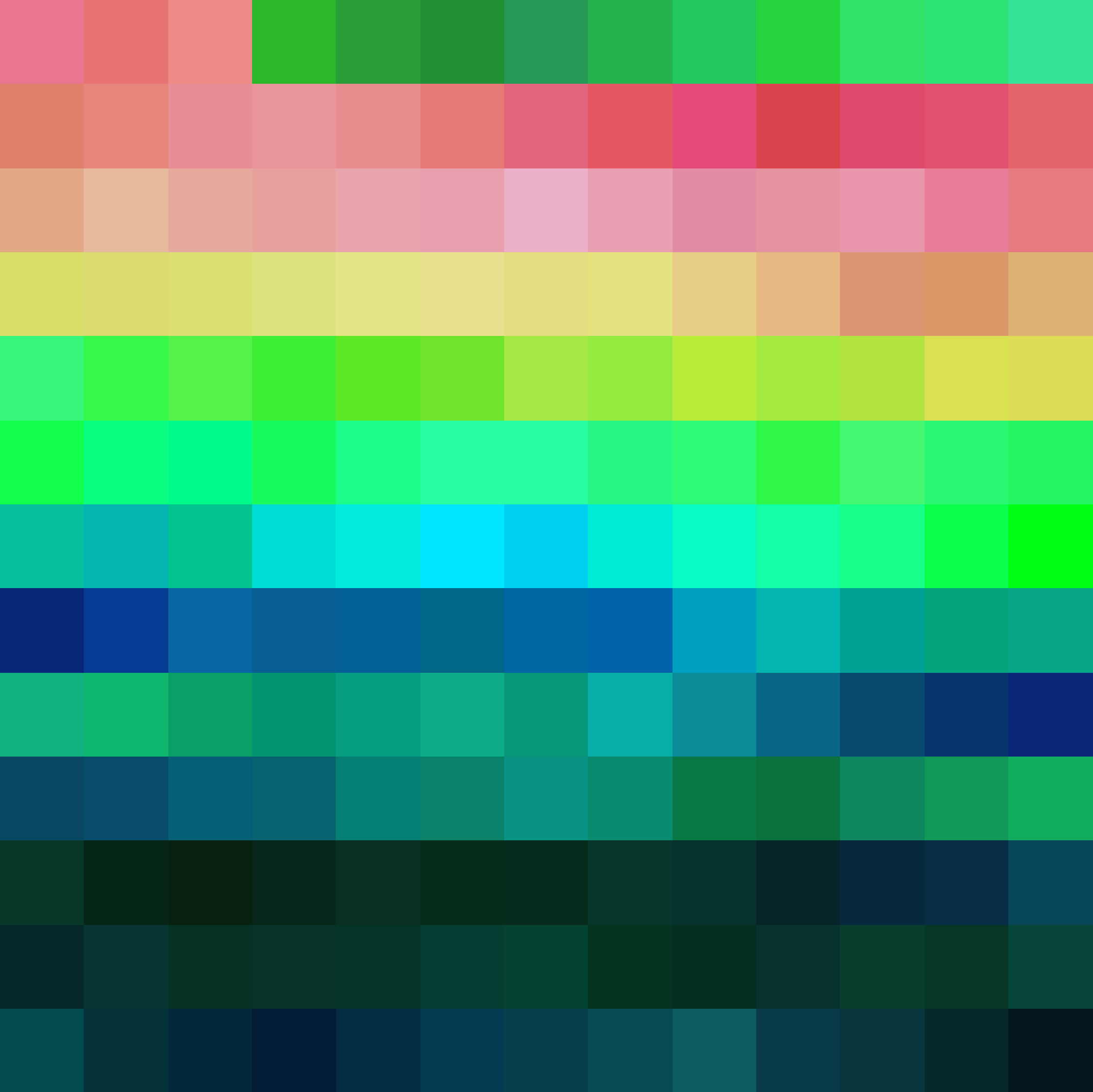
A two tone grid of 25 blocks. It's mostly cyan, and it also has some green in it.



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



Here's a 13 by 13 pixelated grid that forms a very colourful gradient. It is mostly green, and it also has quite some cyan, some red, some blue, a little bit of yellow, a little bit of orange, and a tiny bit of lime in it.



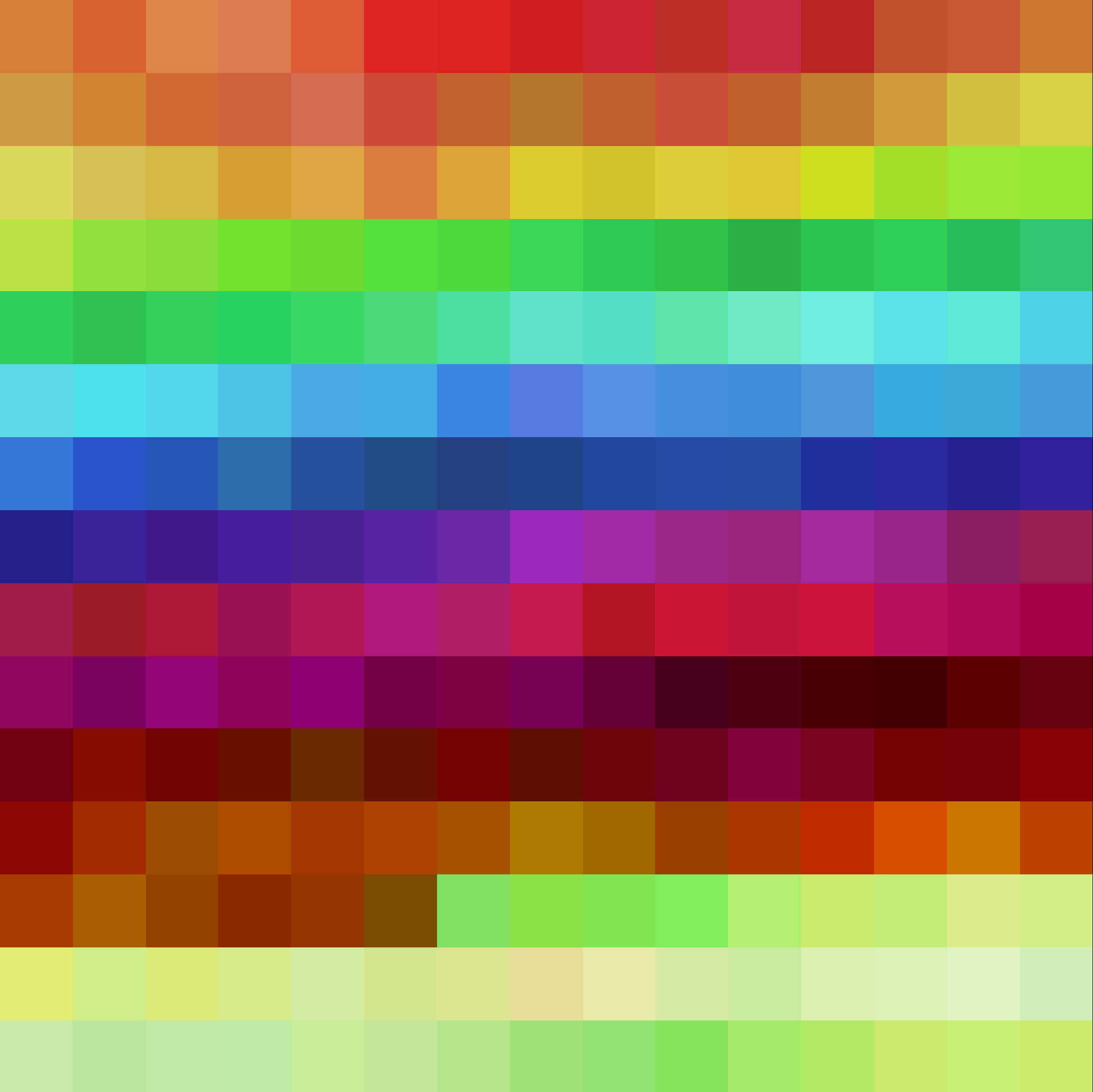
A grid of 64 blocks. It's mostly red, but it also has quite some green, and a bit of orange in it.



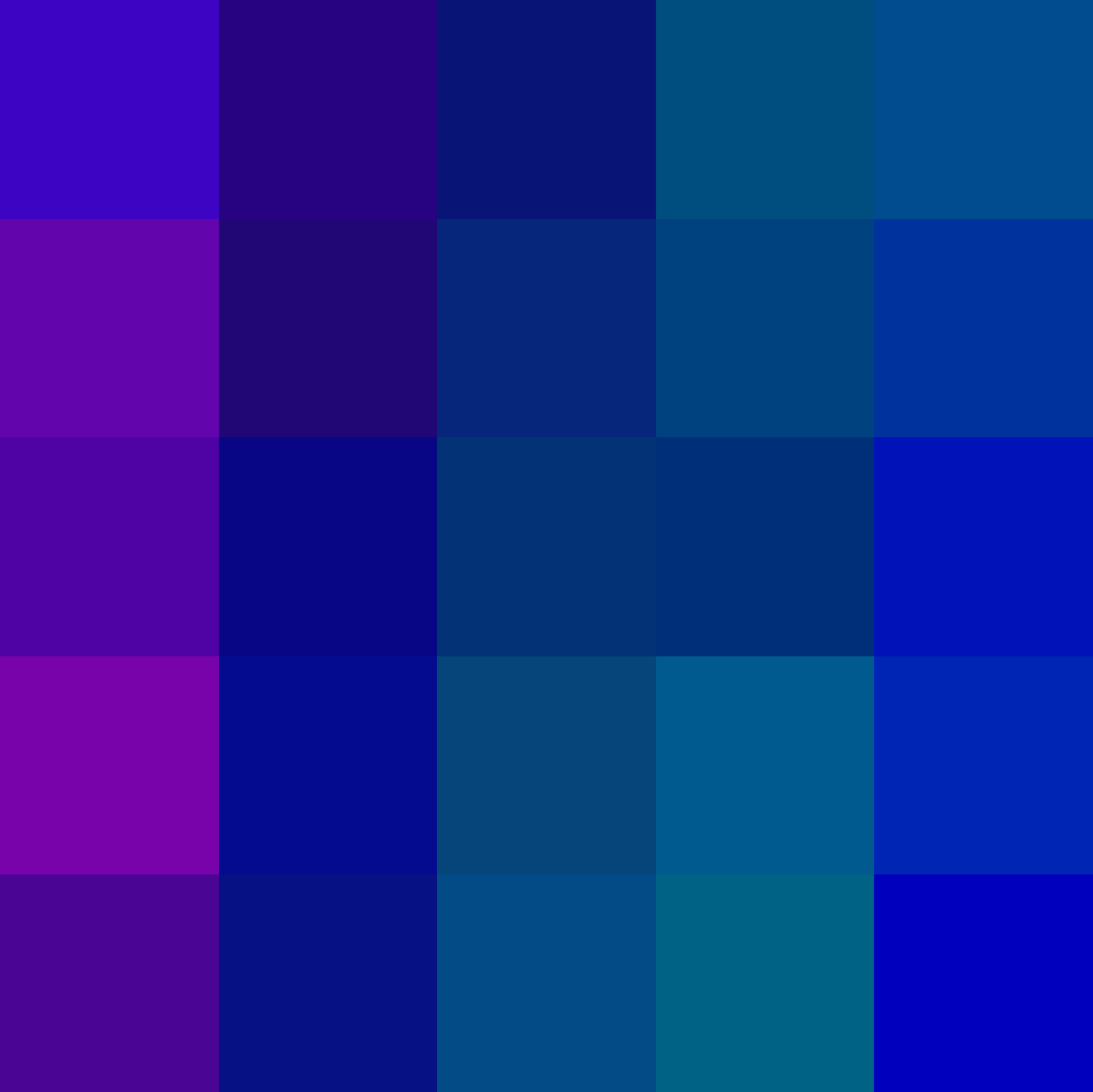
This colourful pixel gradient—it is 8 cells wide, 8 cells high—is mostly orange, and it also has quite some green, quite some red, a bit of yellow, and a little bit of lime in it.



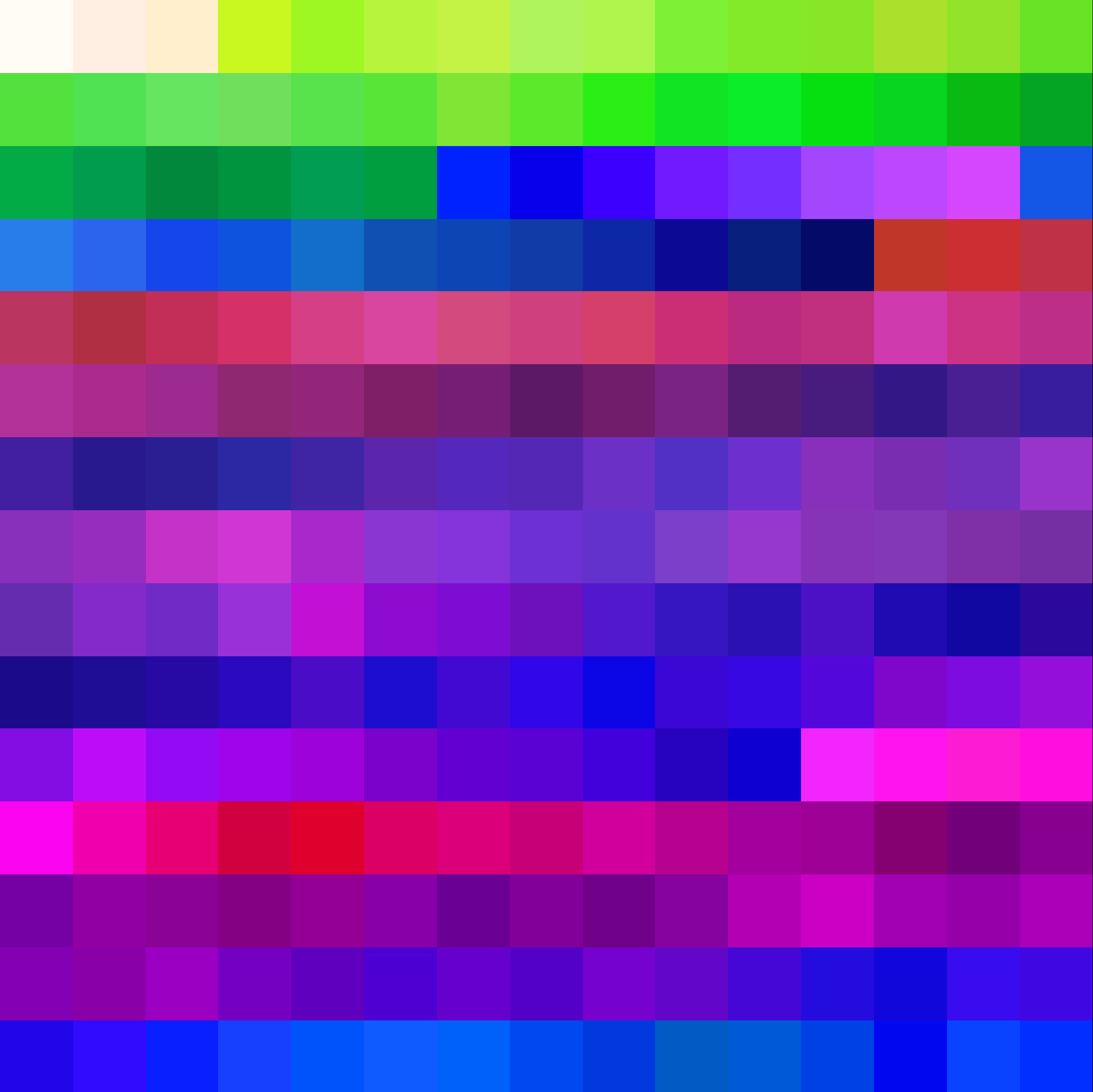
The colourful gradient in this 12 by 12 pixel grid is mostly magenta, but it also has quite some red, quite some rose, a bit of orange, and a tiny bit of yellow in it.



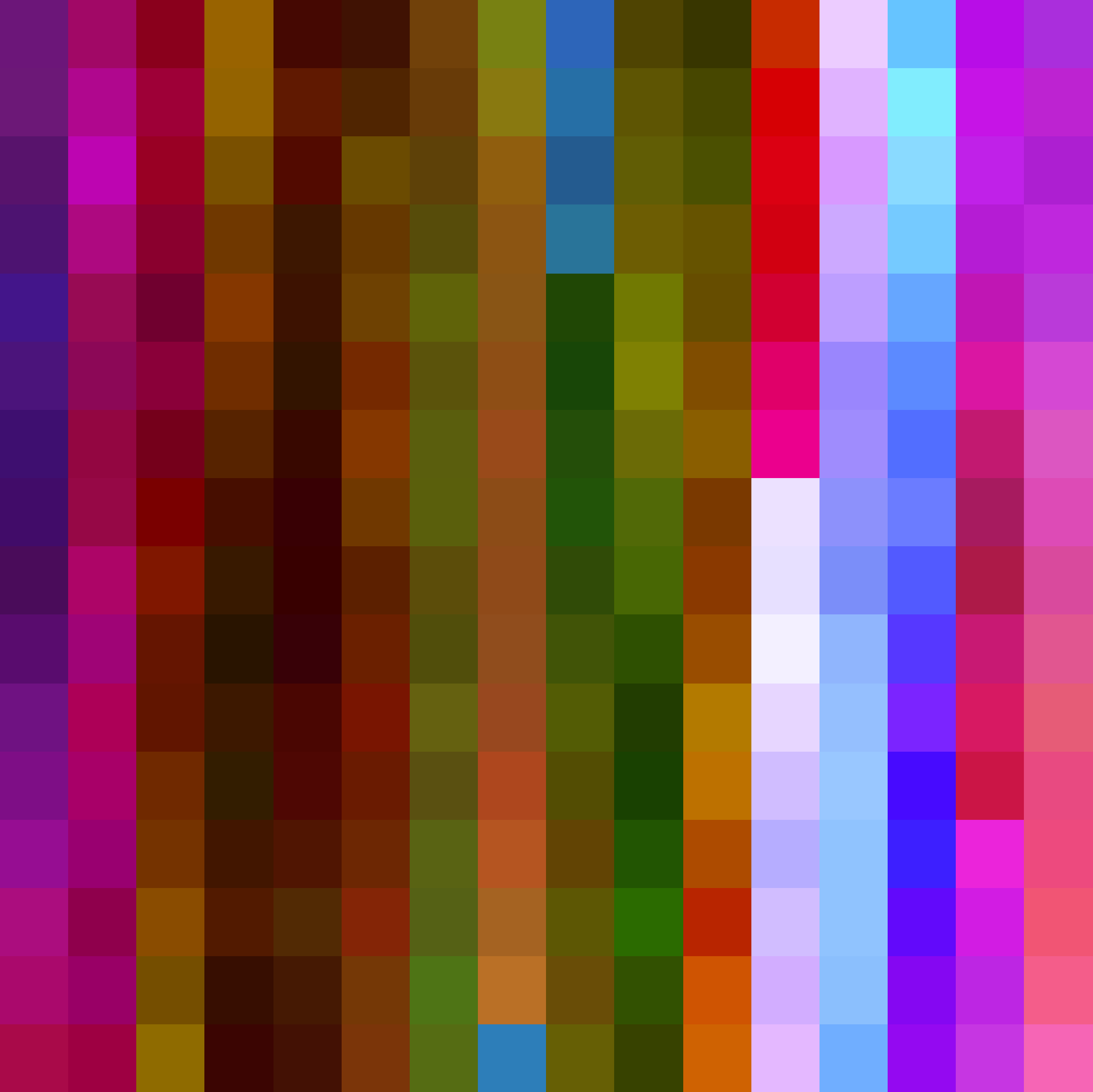
The cells in this 15 by 15 pixel grid form a very, very colourful gradient. It is mostly green, but it also has some red, some orange, some blue, a bit of yellow, a little bit of magenta, a little bit of rose, a little bit of lime, a little bit of cyan, a tiny bit of indigo, a tiny bit of violet, and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



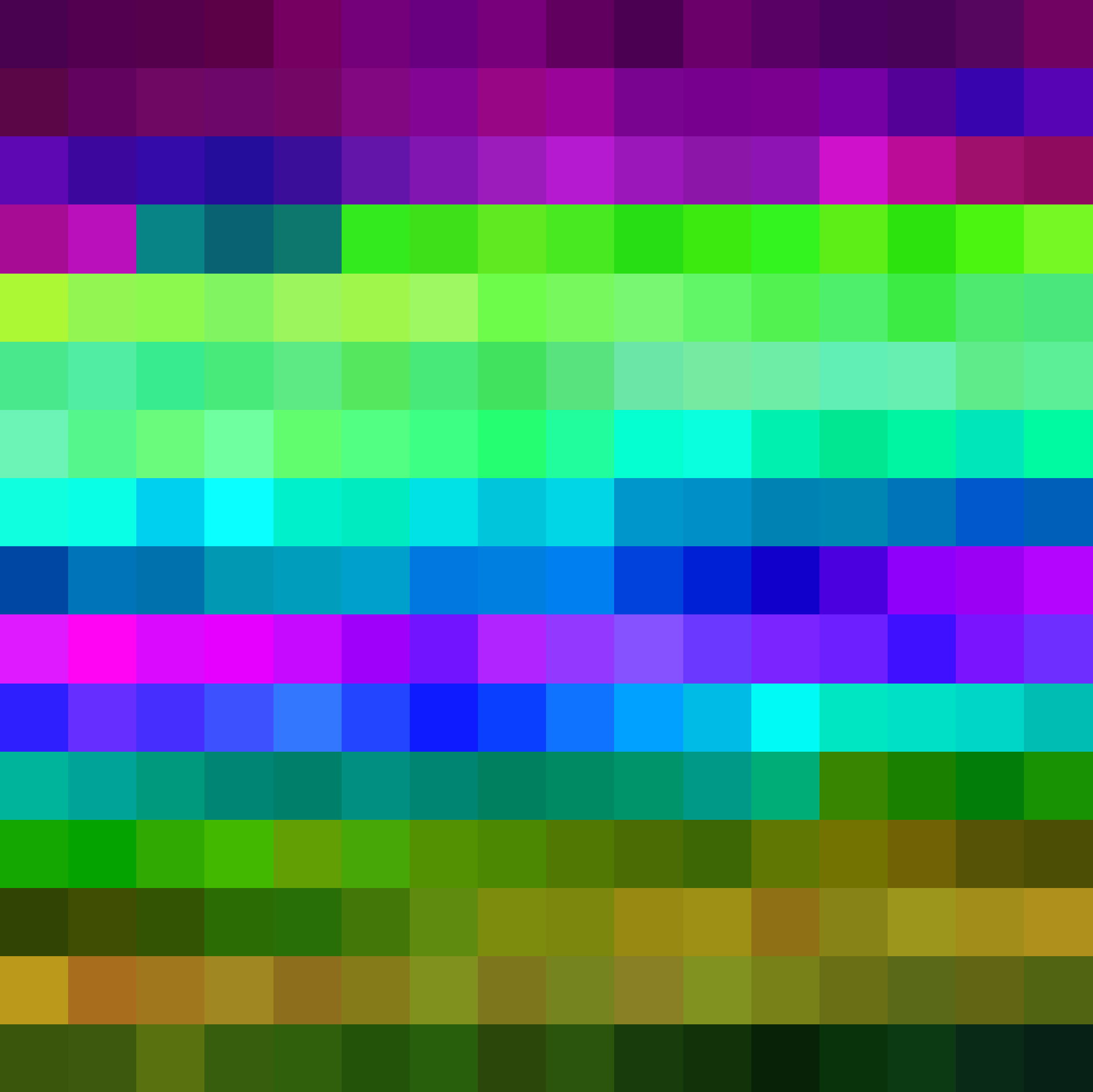
A grid of 25 blocks. It's mostly blue, but it also has some indigo, a bit of purple, and a bit of violet in it.



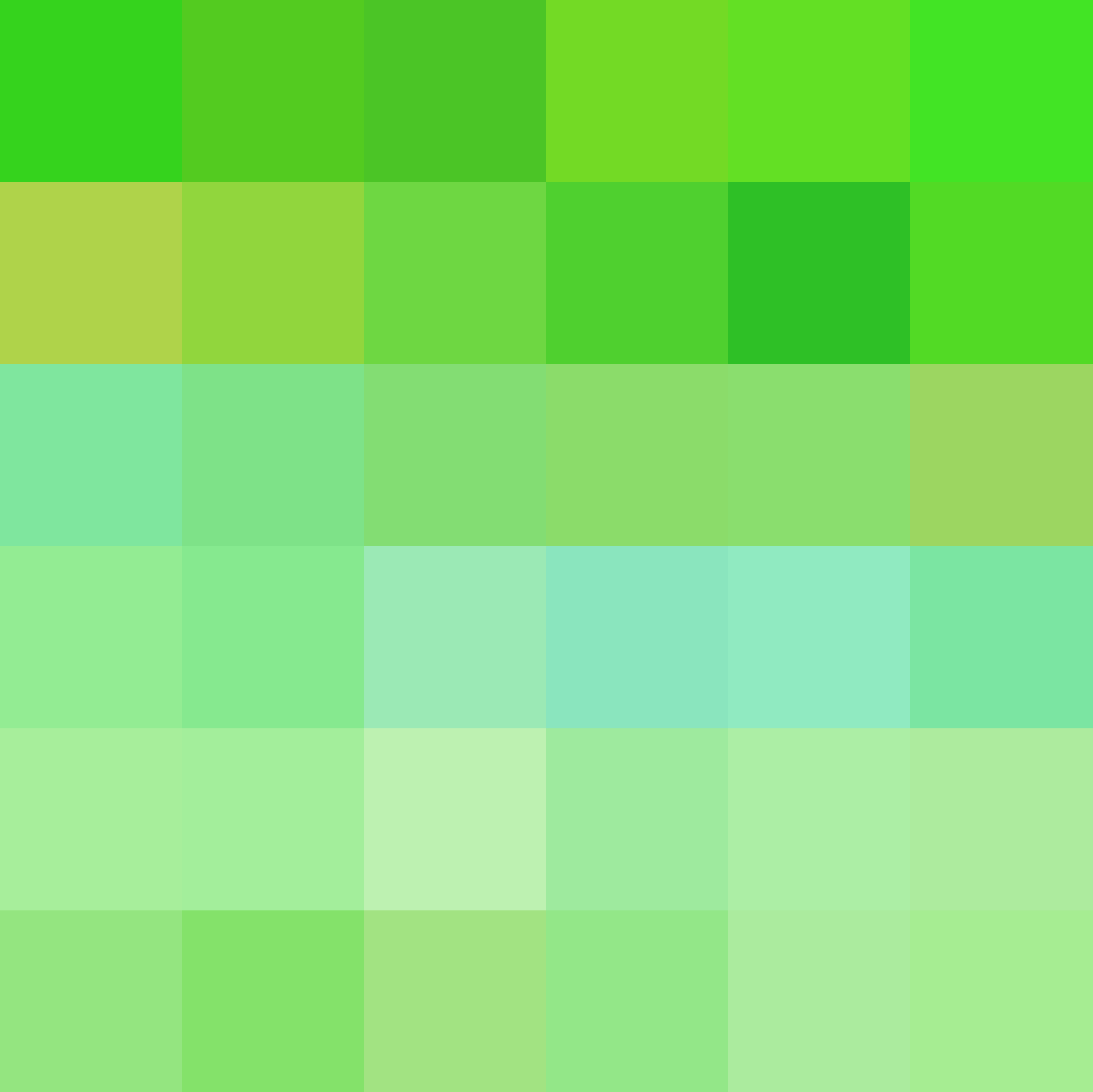
A 15 by 15 grid with coloured squares that form a very, very colourful gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly red, but it also has some indigo, some green, some blue, some purple, some magenta, a little bit of violet, a tiny bit of rose, a tiny bit of orange, and a tiny bit of lime in it.



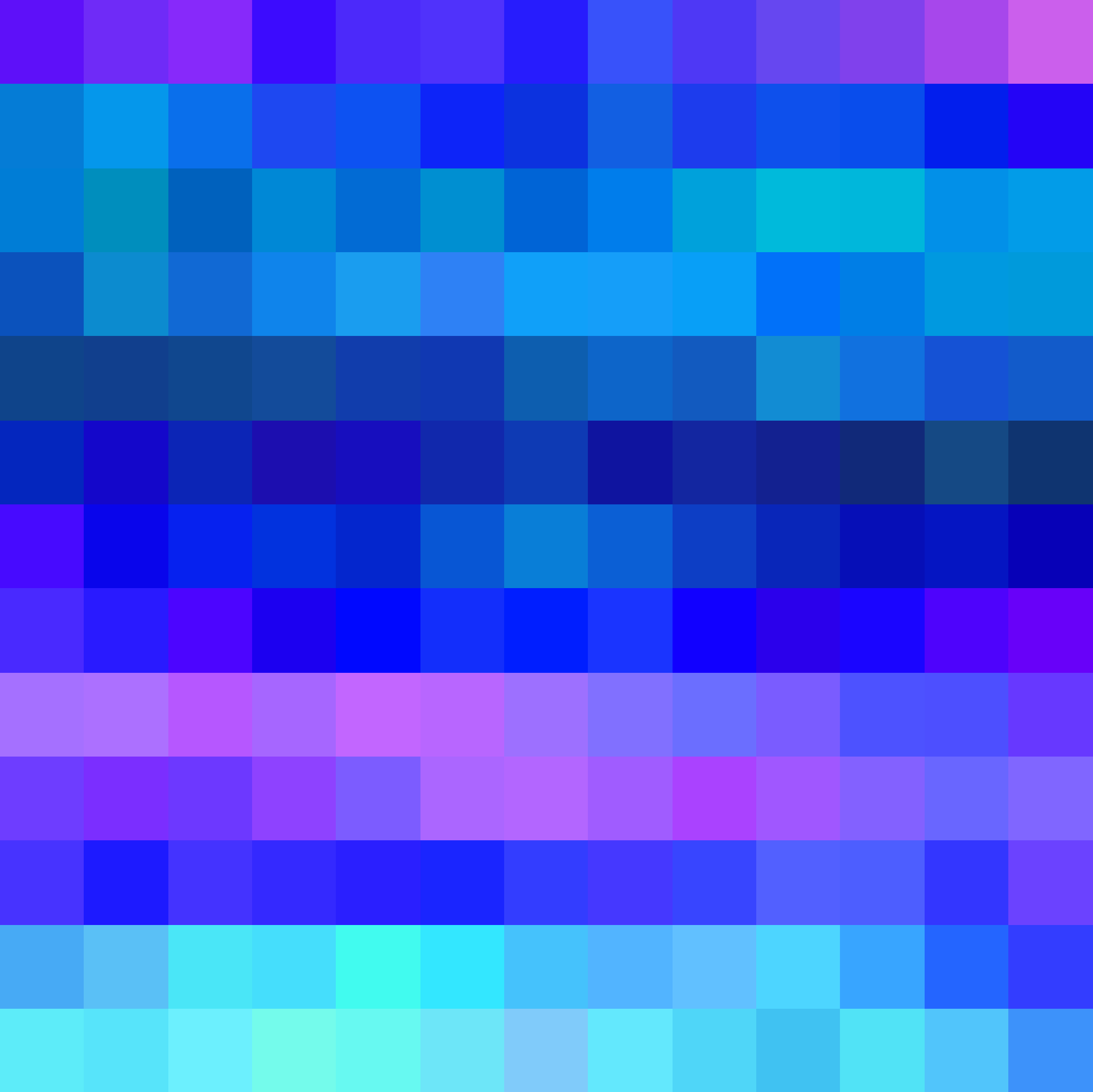
A grid with 256 coloured squares that form a very, very colourful gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly orange, and it also has some red, some yellow, a bit of magenta, a bit of purple, a bit of rose, a bit of blue, a little bit of green, a little bit of indigo, a little bit of violet, a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



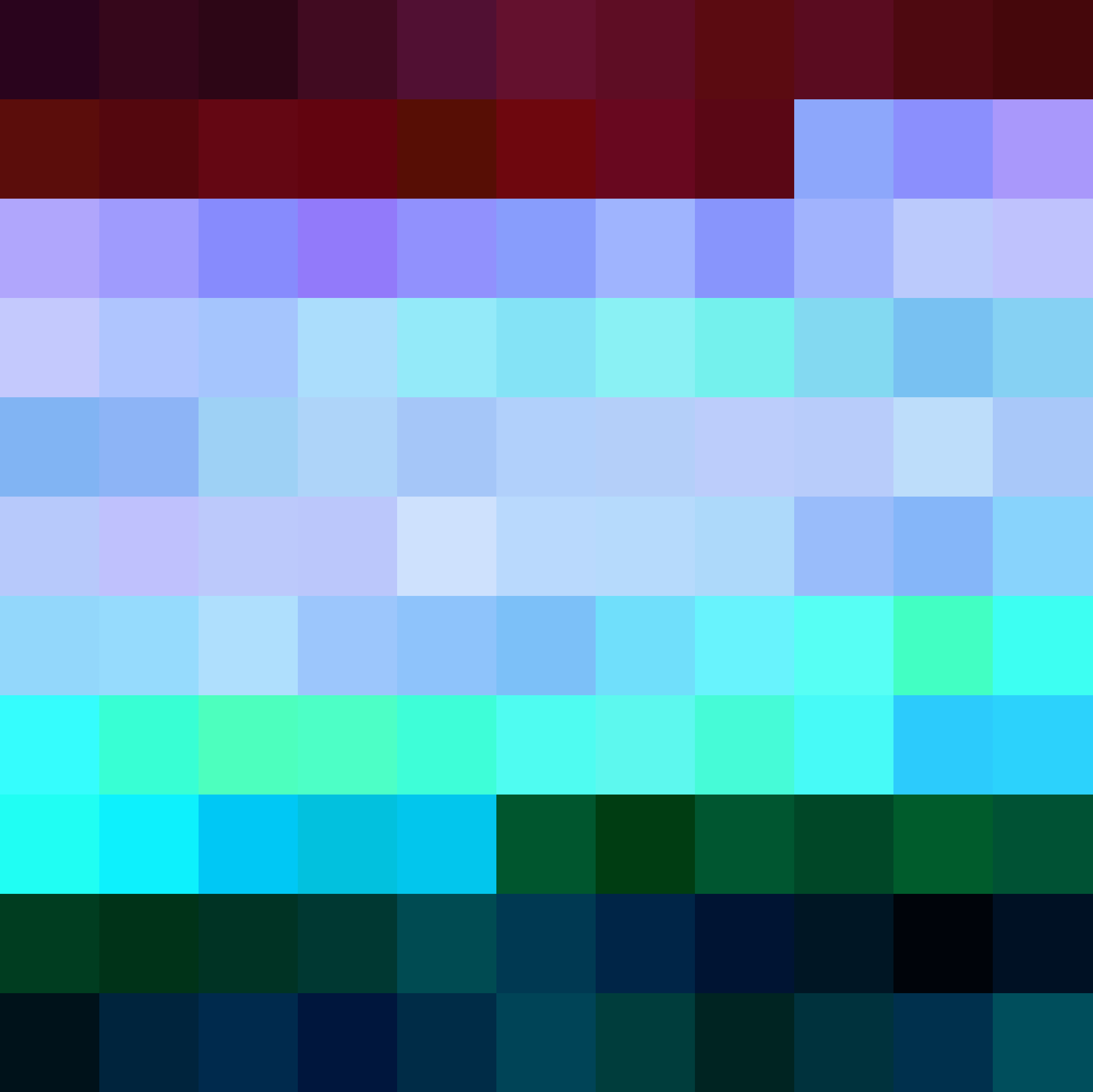
The cells in this 16 by 16 pixel grid form a very, very colourful gradient. It is mostly green, and it also has some cyan, some magenta, a bit of yellow, a bit of blue, a bit of purple, a little bit of indigo, a little bit of violet, a little bit of lime, and a tiny bit of orange in it.



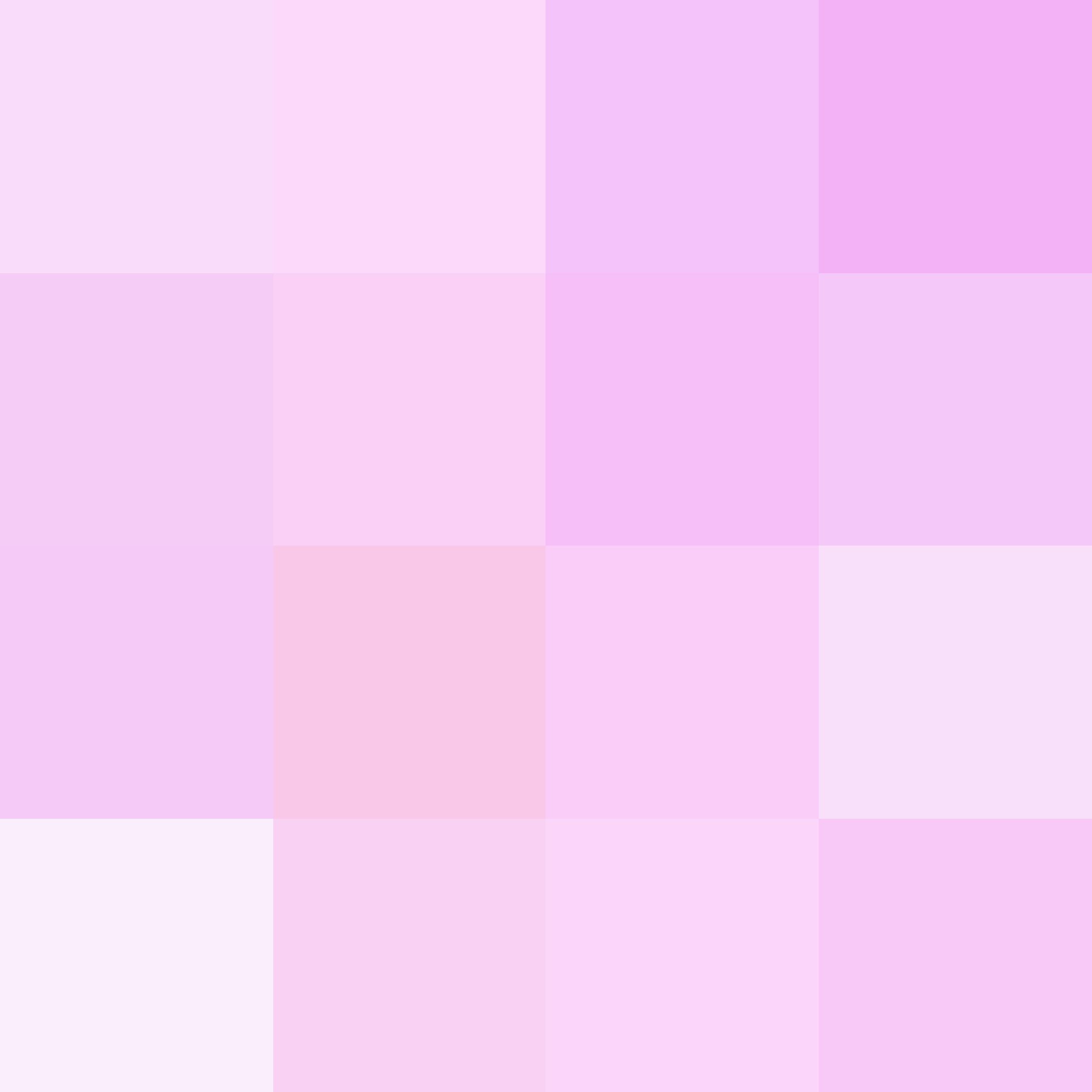
There's a two tone pixel gradient in this 6 by 6 grid. It is mostly green, but it also has a little bit of lime in it.



This colourful gradient, generated in this 13 by 13 pixel grid, is mostly blue, and it also has quite some indigo, a bit of cyan, a bit of violet, and a little bit of purple in it.



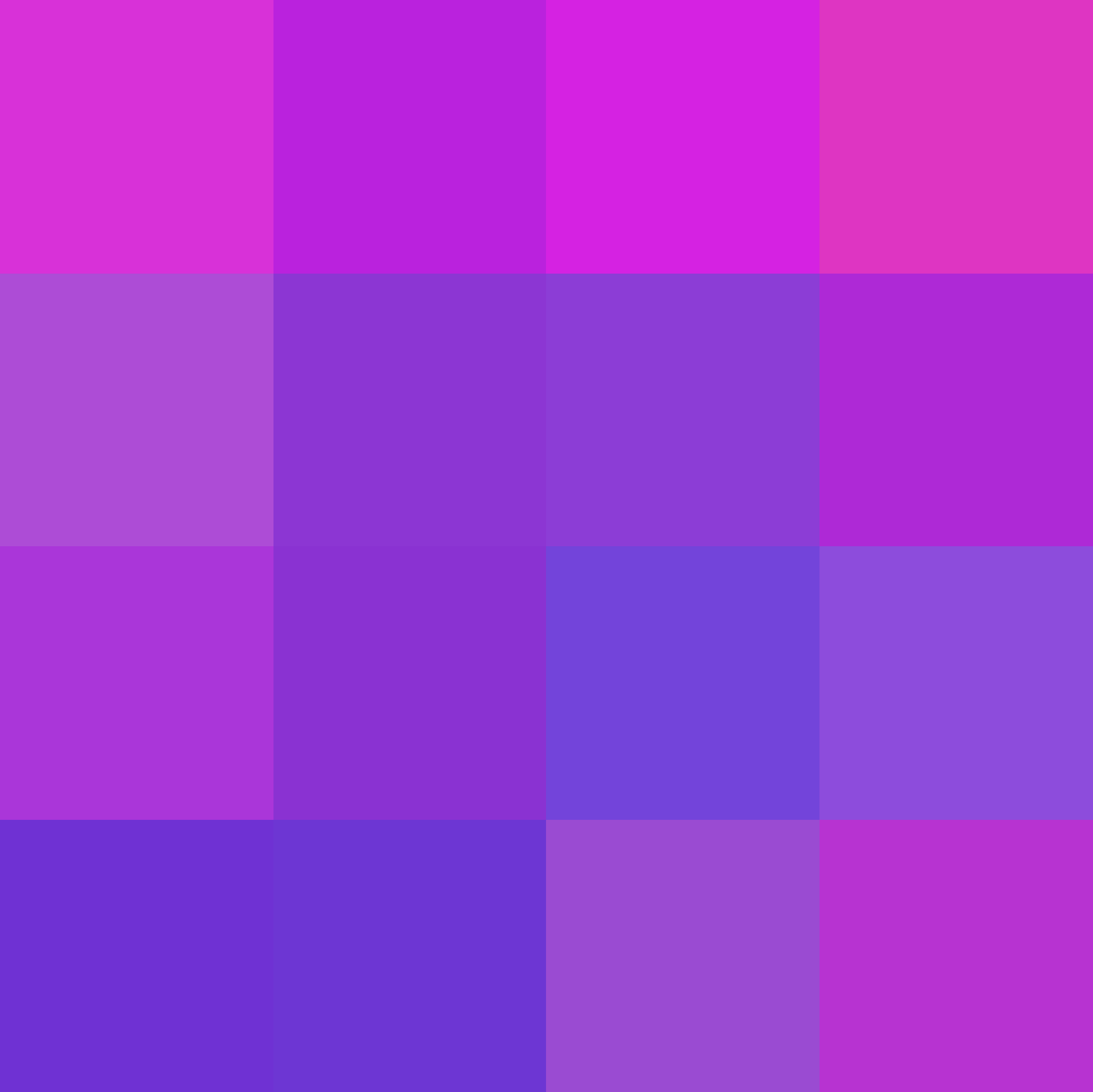
A very colourful grid of 121 blocks. It's mostly blue, but it also has quite some cyan, a bit of red, a bit of green, a little bit of rose, a little bit of indigo, and a tiny bit of magenta in it.



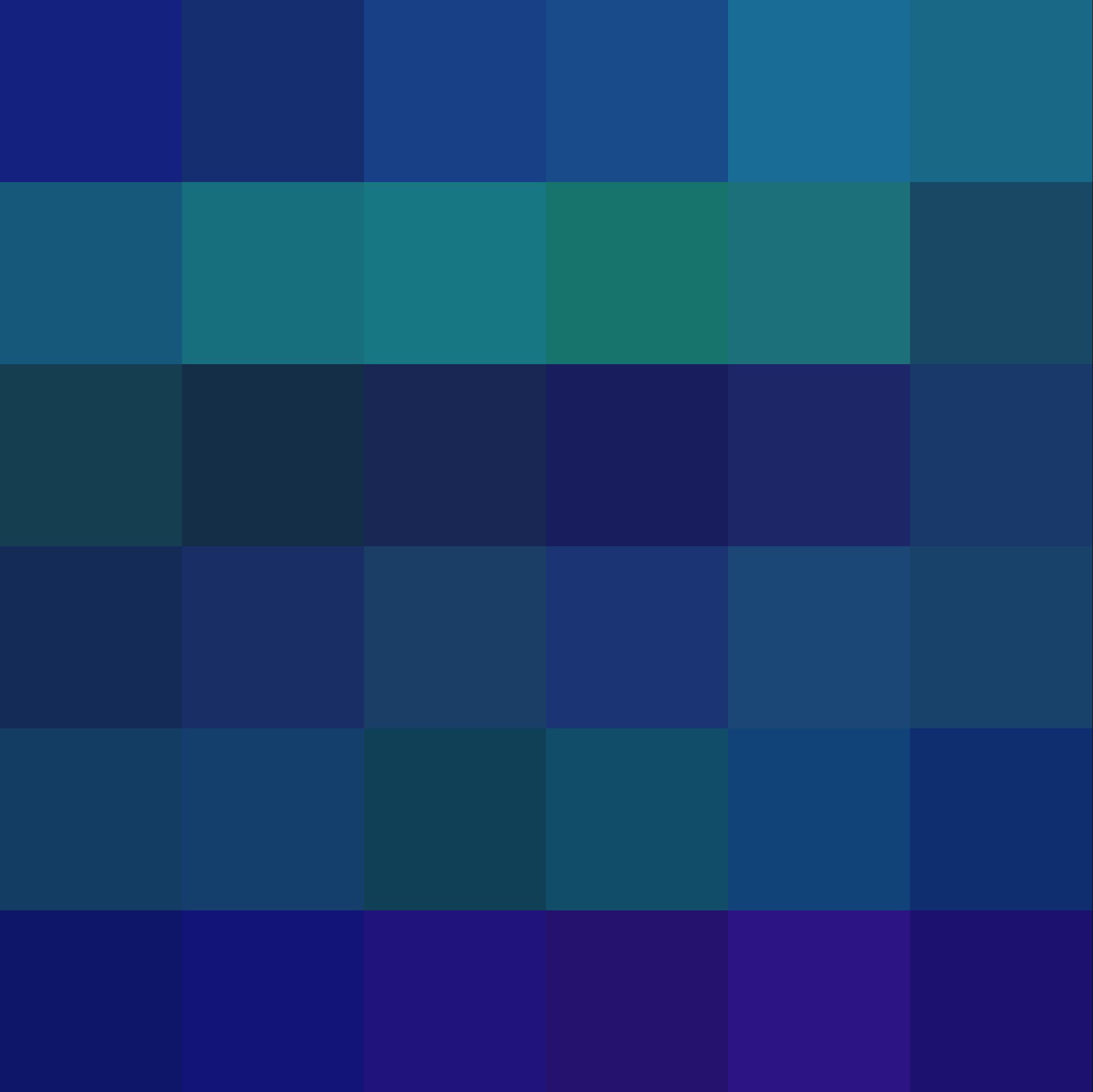
A grid with 16 coloured squares that form a monochrome gradient. The colours are various shades of magenta.



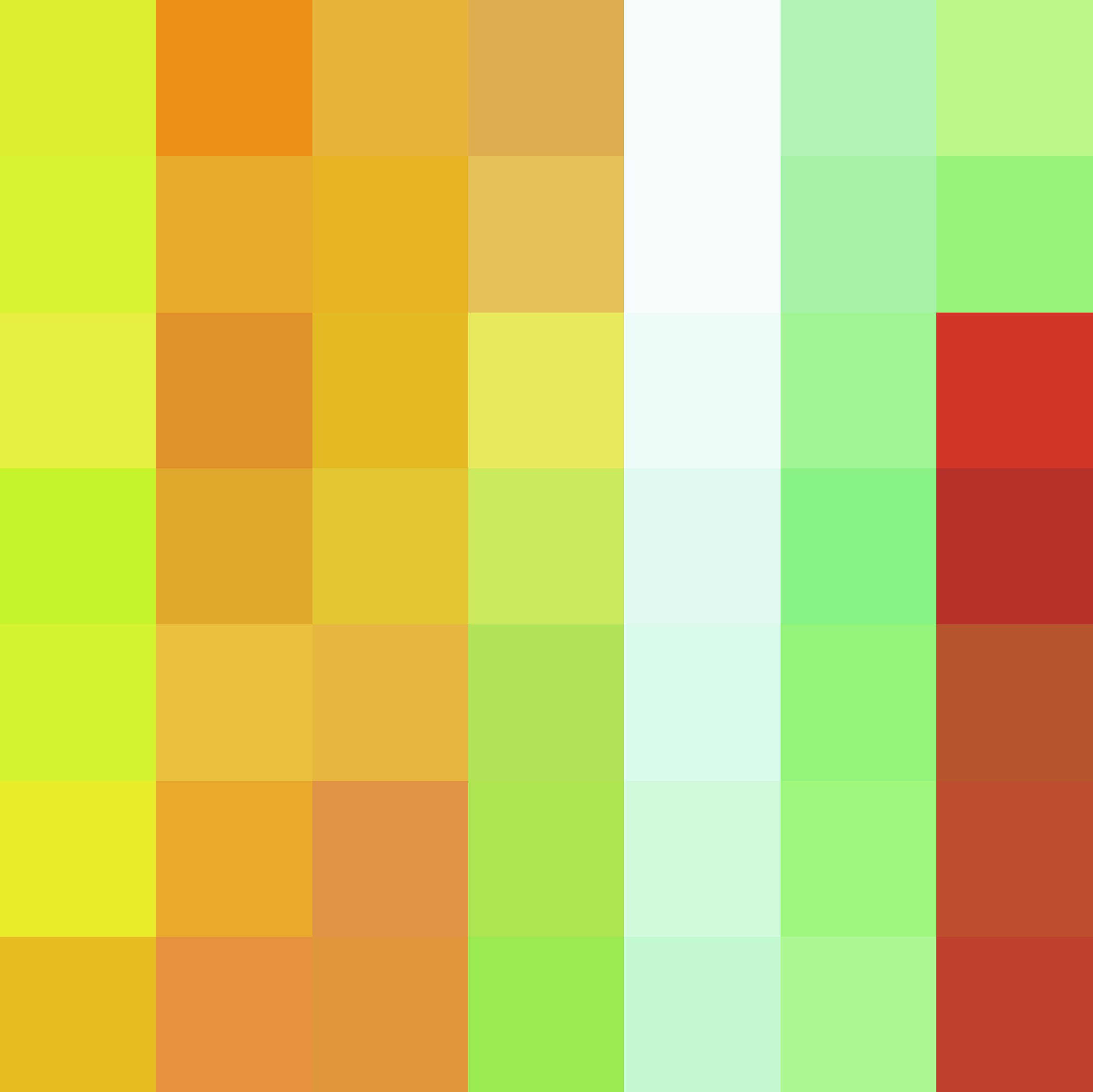
The cells in this 16 by 16 pixel grid form a very, very colourful gradient. It is mostly red, but it also has quite some orange, some magenta, some rose, a little bit of indigo, a little bit of purple, a little bit of yellow, a little bit of green, a little bit of violet, a tiny bit of lime, a tiny bit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



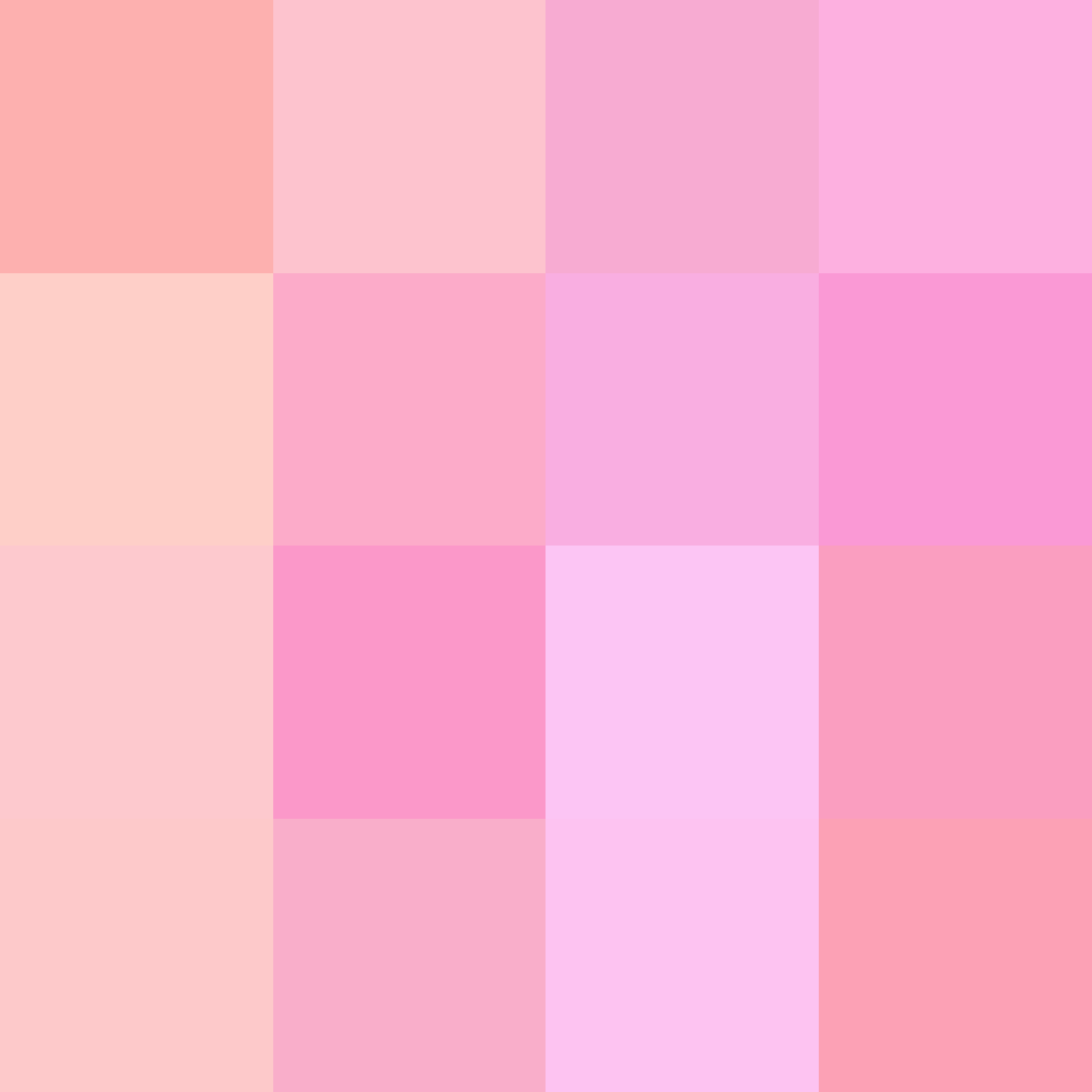
The gradient in this 4 by 4 pixel grid is mostly purple, but it also has some magenta, some violet, and a little bit of indigo in it.



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



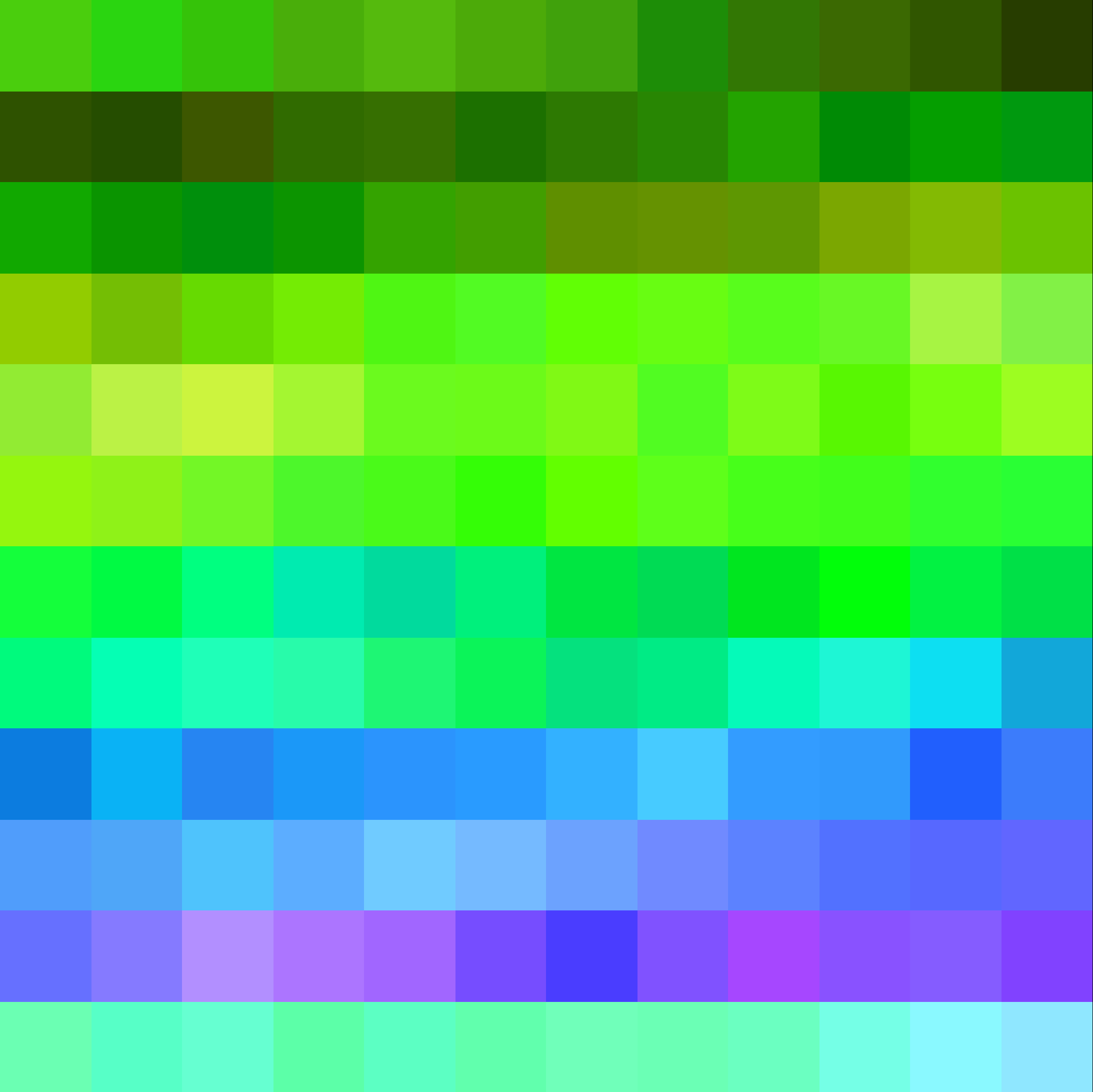
A grid with 49 coloured squares that form a very colourful gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly green, and it also has quite some orange, quite some yellow, a bit of red, a little bit of lime, and a little bit of cyan in it.



There's a monochrome pixel gradient in this 4 by 4 grid. It is red.



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



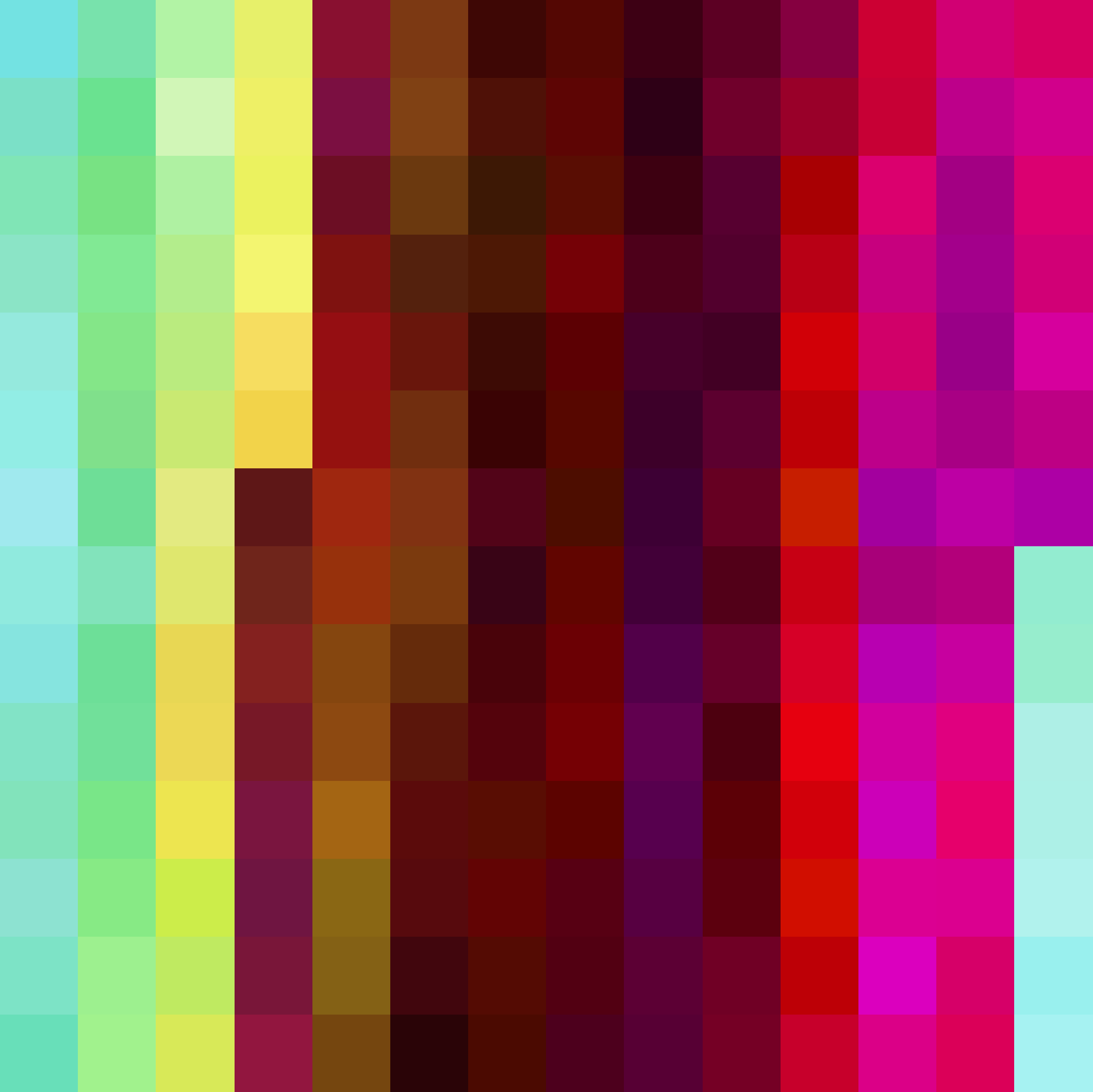
This very colourful pixel gradient—it is 12 cells wide, 12 cells high—is mostly green, and it also has some blue, a little bit of indigo, a little bit of lime, a little bit of cyan, a tiny bit of violet, and a tiny bit of purple in it.



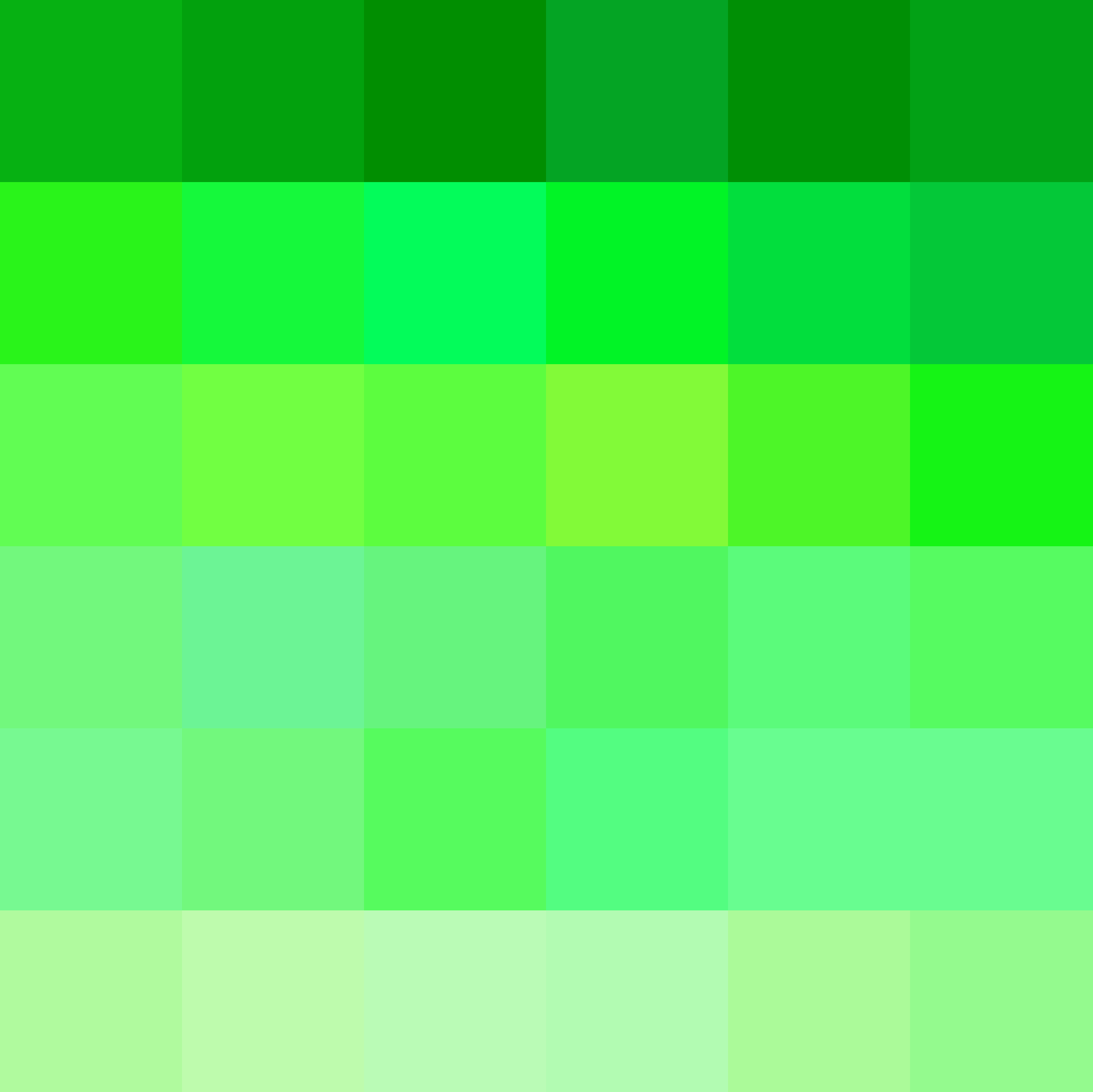
A grid with 49 coloured squares that form a gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly red, and it also has quite some orange, and a bit of yellow in it.



Here's a 4 by 4 pixelated grid that forms a gradient. It is mostly rose, but it also has some magenta, and some red in it.



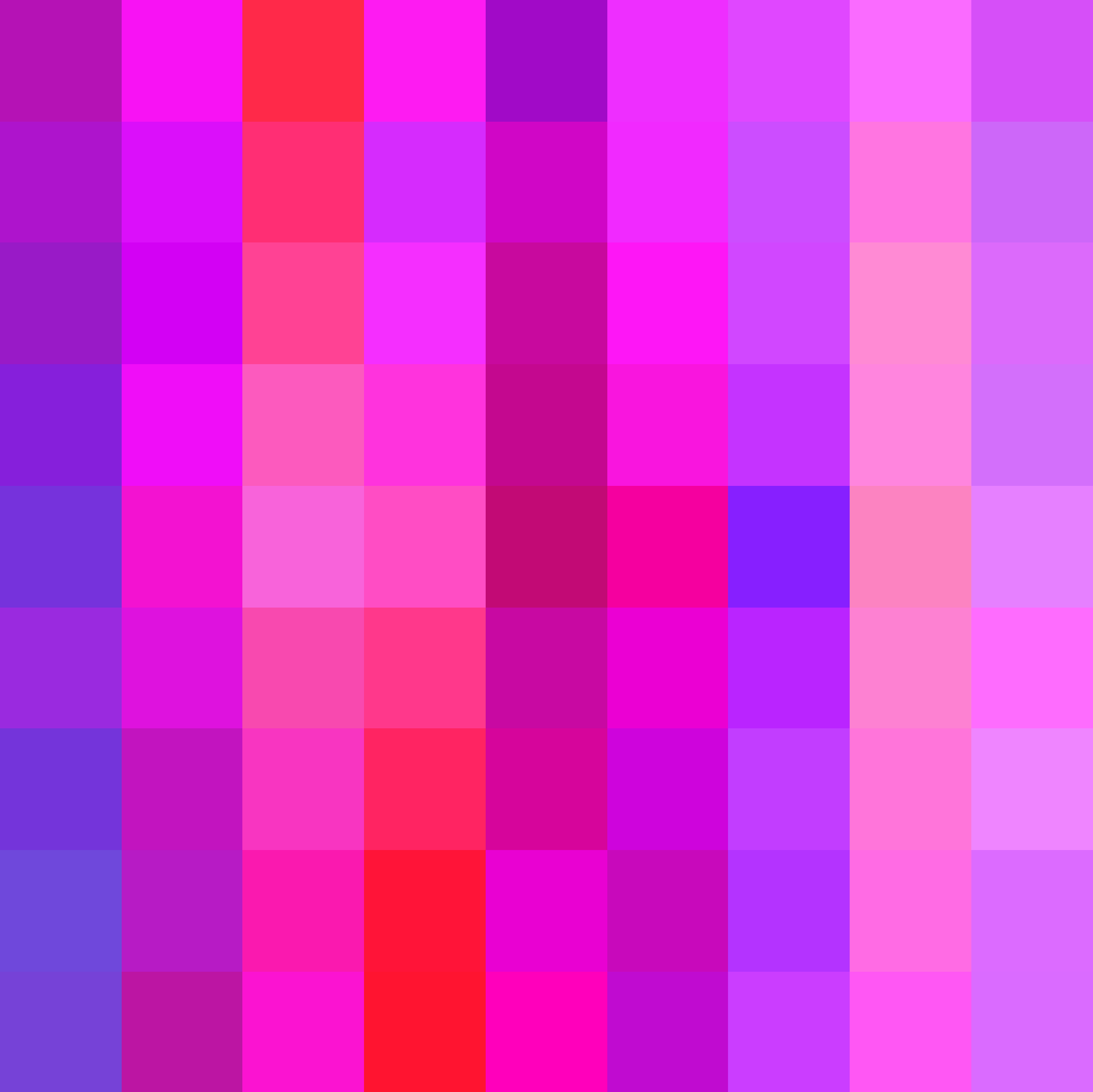
A 14 by 14 grid with coloured squares that form a very, very colourful gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly red, but it also has some magenta, some rose, some green, a bit of orange, a bit of cyan, a little bit of yellow, and a tiny bit of lime in it.



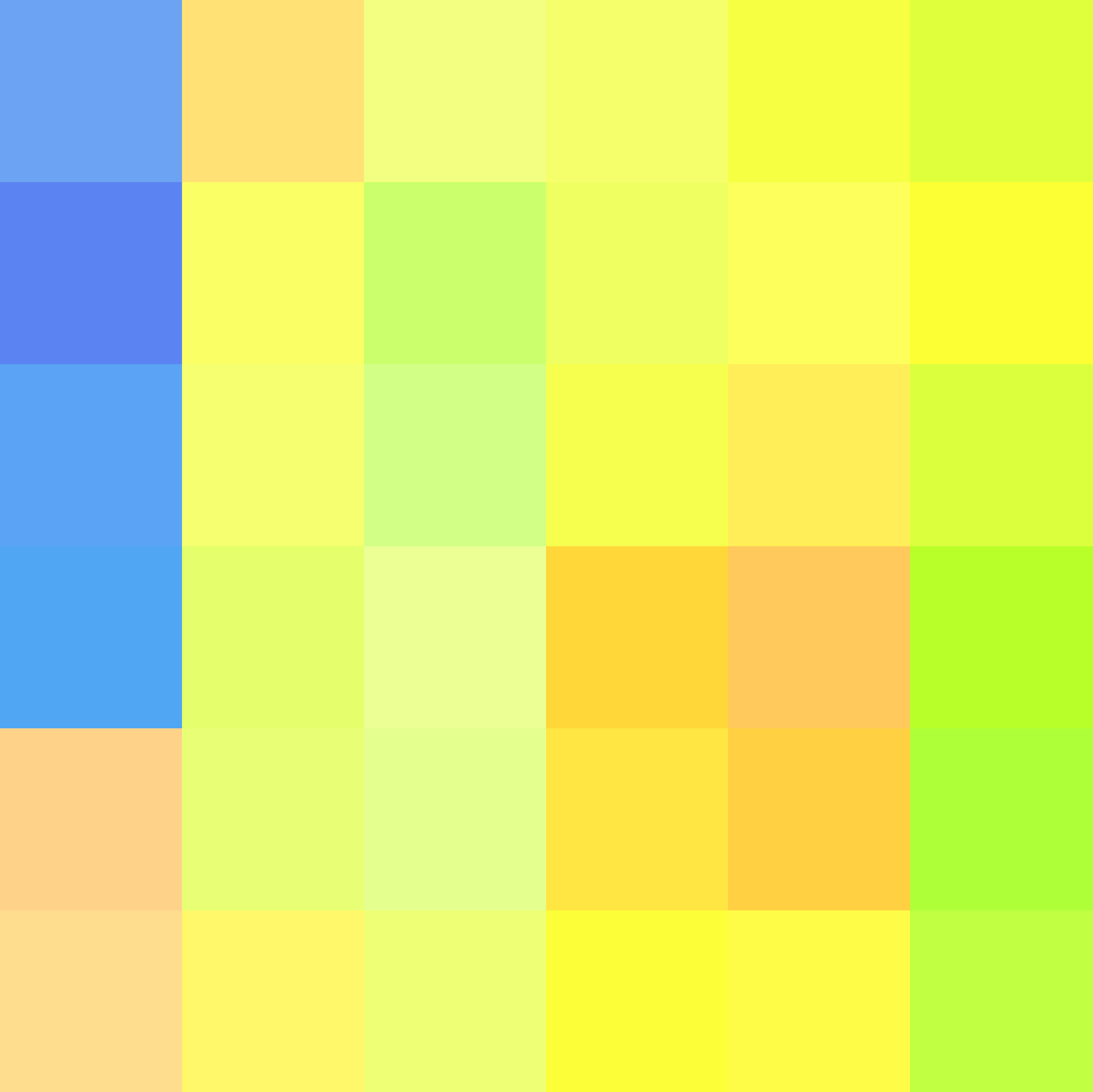
A 6 by 6 grid with coloured squares that form a monochrome gradient. The colours are various shades of green.



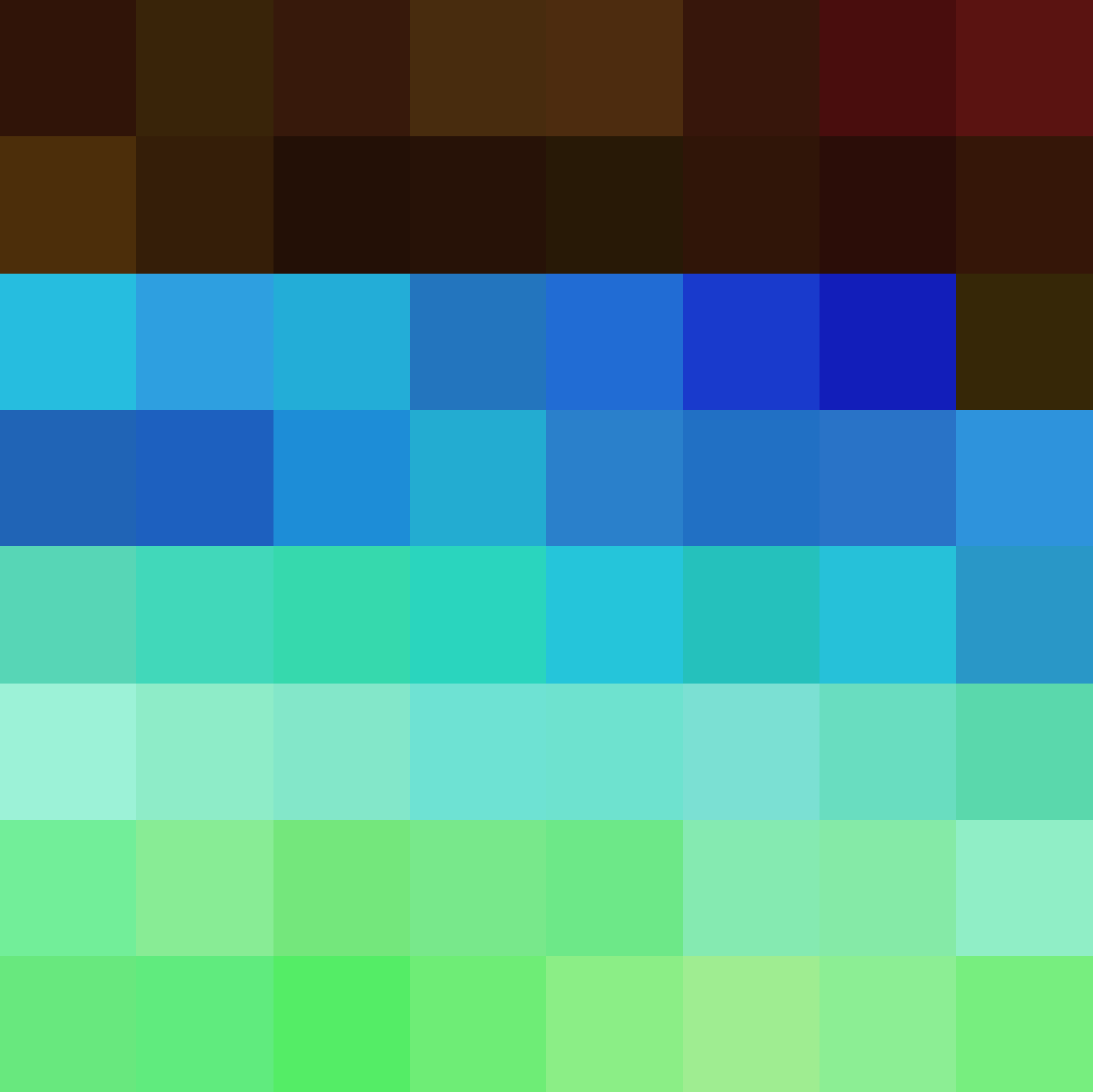
A grid of 121 blocks. It's mostly purple, but it also has quite some magenta, some violet, and some indigo in it.



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



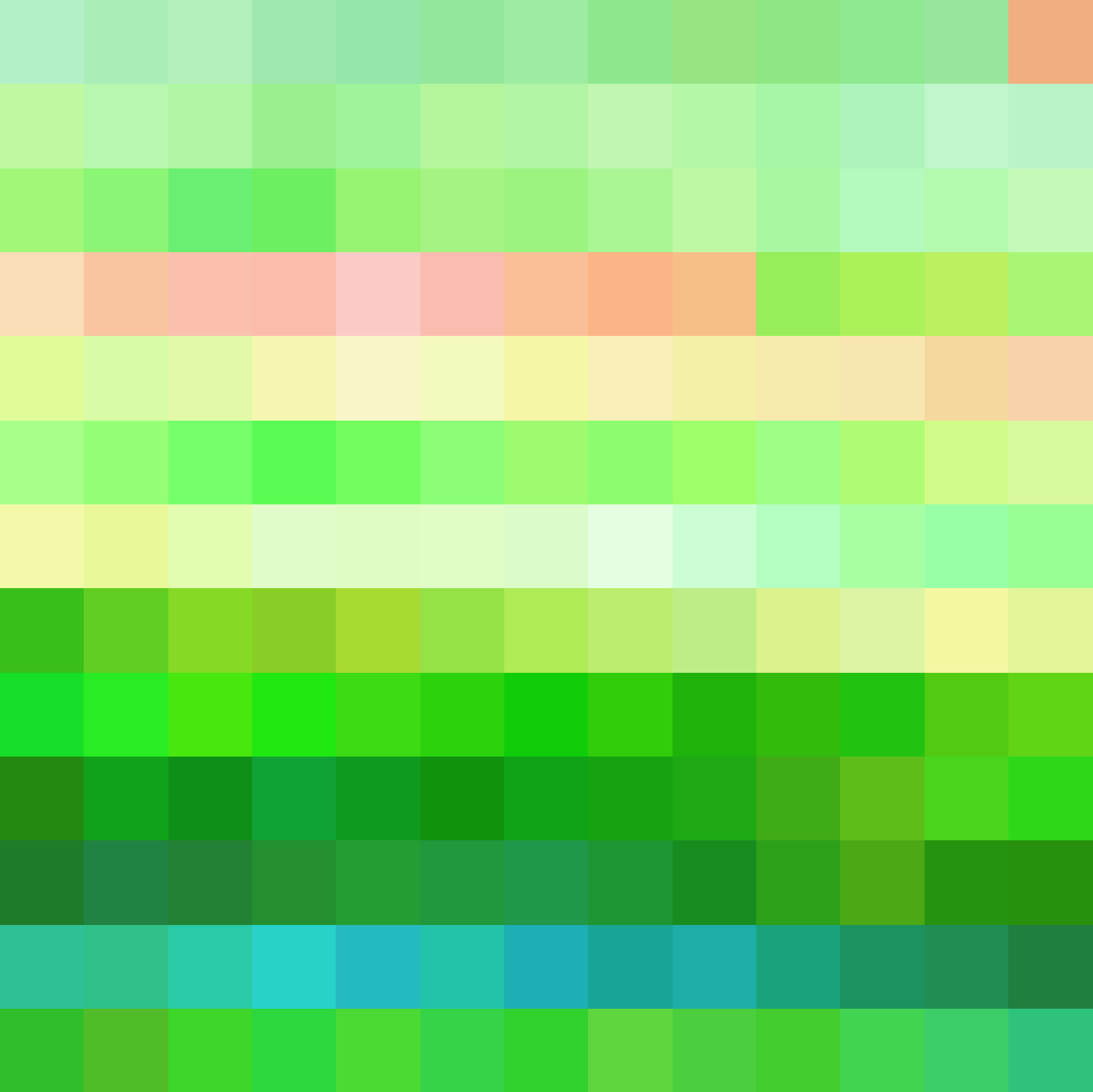
This colourful gradient, generated in this 6 by 6 pixel grid, is mostly yellow, but it also has some green, some blue, some orange, and some lime in it.



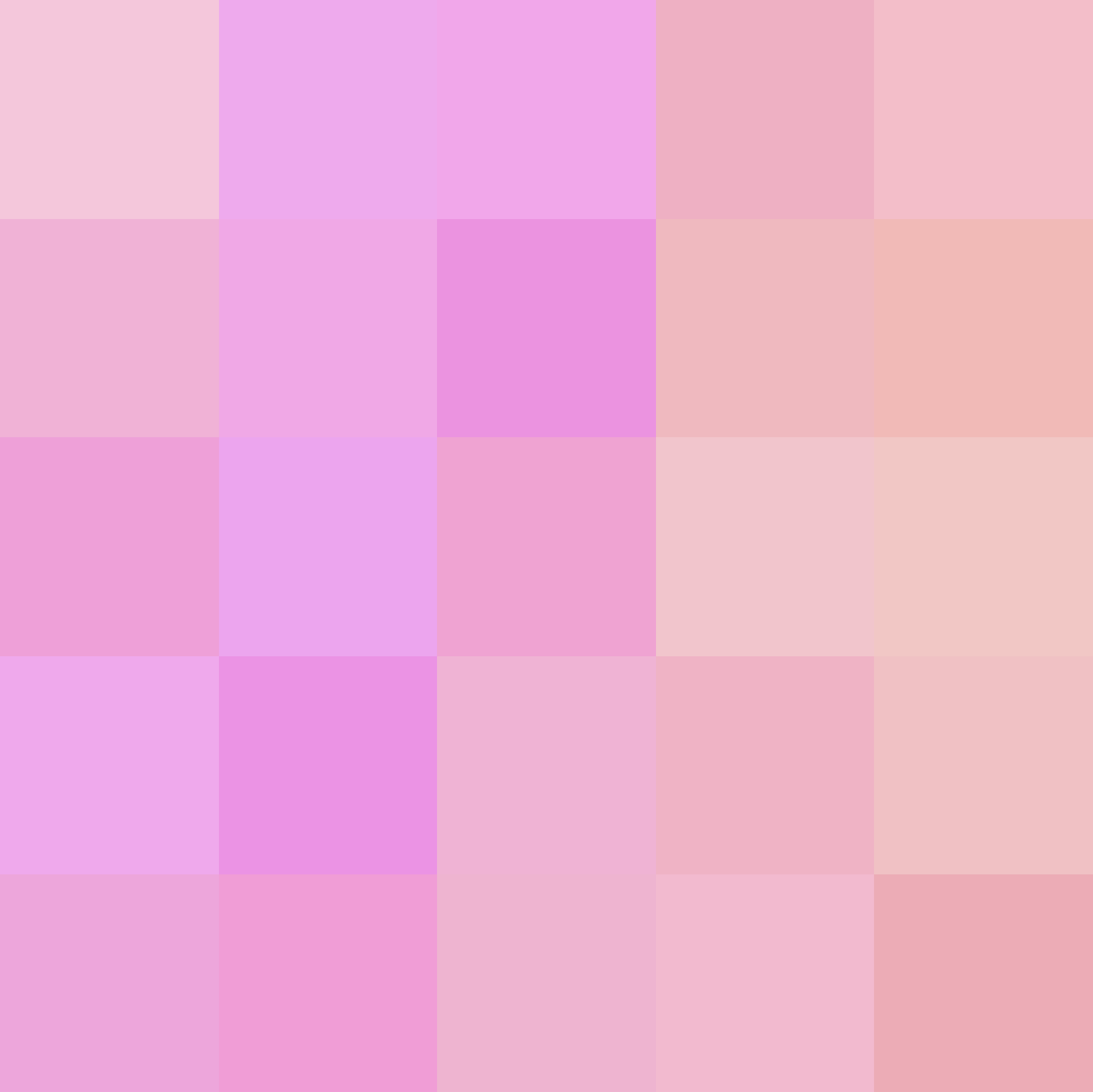
This colourful gradient, generated in this 8 by 8 pixel grid, is mostly green, but it also has quite some blue, quite some orange, quite some cyan, and a little bit of red in it.



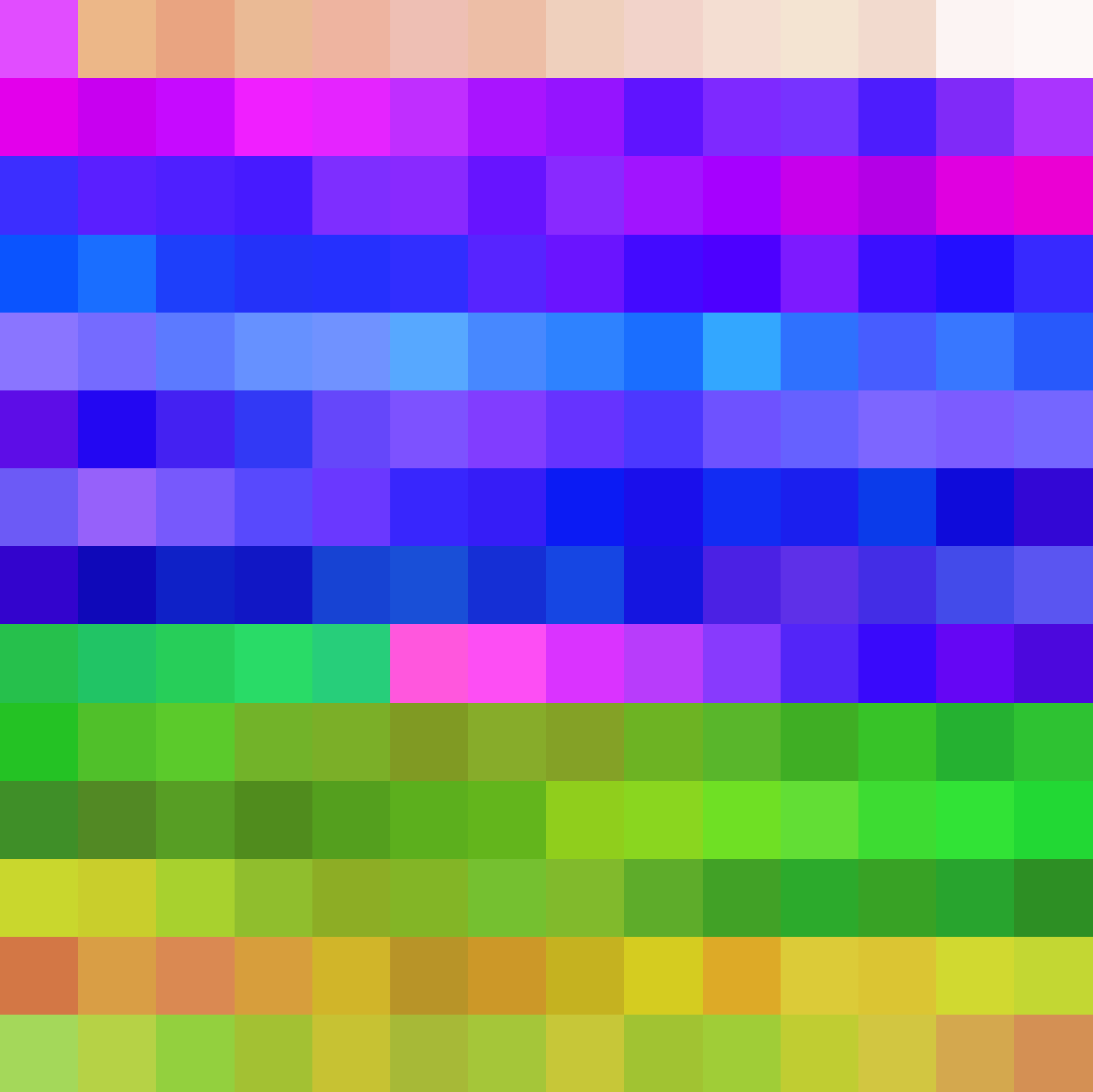
There's a very, very colourful pixel gradient in this 13 by 13 grid. It is mostly green, but it also has some red, some orange, some magenta, some rose, some purple, a little bit of yellow, a little bit of violet, a tiny bit of lime, and a tiny bit of indigo in it.



This very colourful pixel gradient—it is 13 cells wide, 13 cells high—is mostly green, and it also has a little bit of yellow, a little bit of orange, a little bit of cyan, a little bit of lime, and a tiny bit of red in it.



There's a pixel gradient in this 5 by 5 grid. It is mostly magenta, and it also has quite some red, and quite some rose in it.



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



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



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



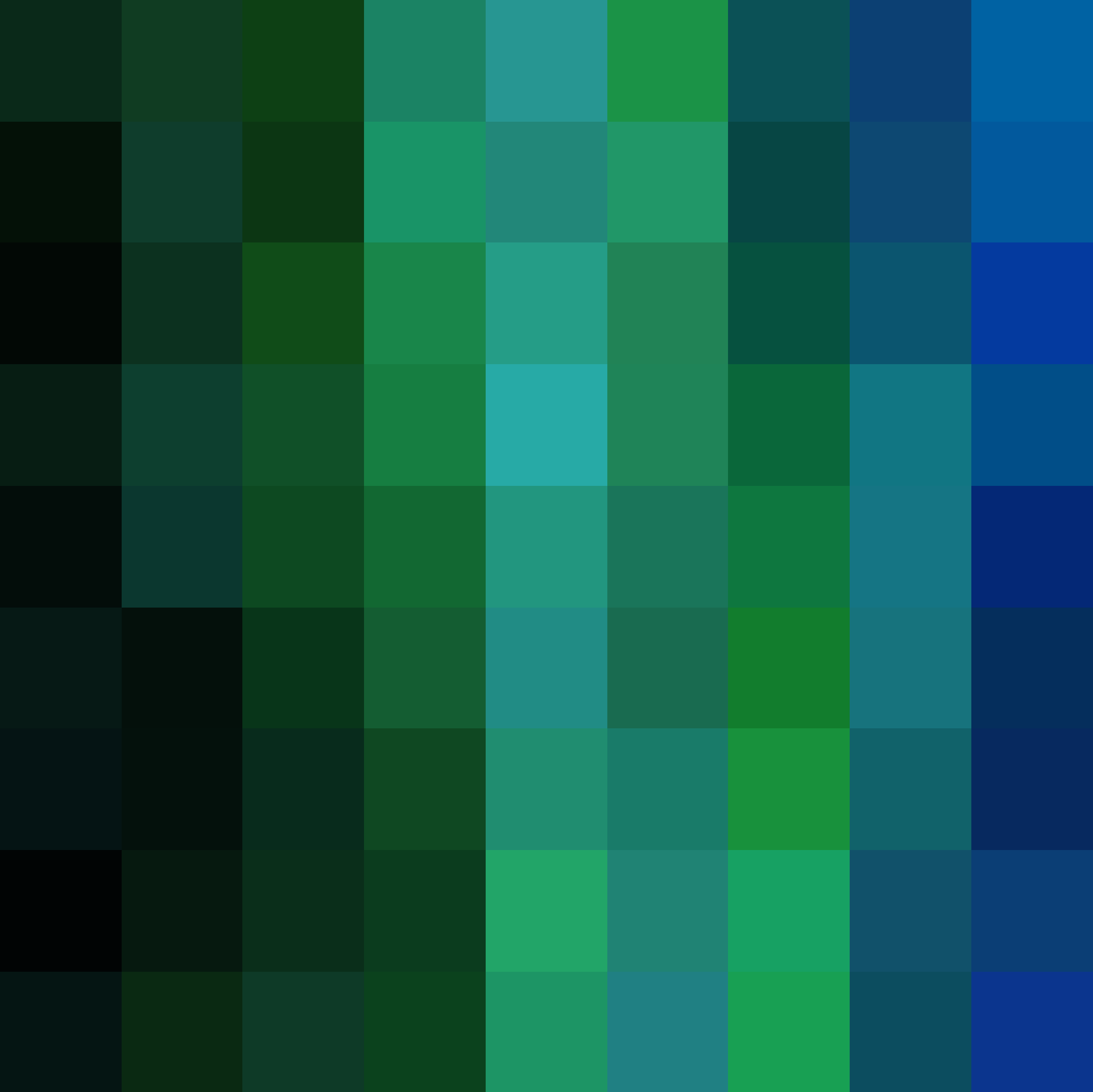
This very, very colourful gradient, generated in this 16 by 16 pixel grid, is mostly blue, but it also has some red, some yellow, some green, a bit of orange, a bit of lime, a little bit of indigo, a little bit of rose, a tiny bit of cyan, a tiny bit of magenta, and a tiny bit of violet in it.



This gradient, generated in this 7 by 7 pixel grid, is mostly green, but it also has some lime, a bit of yellow, and a bit of orange in it.



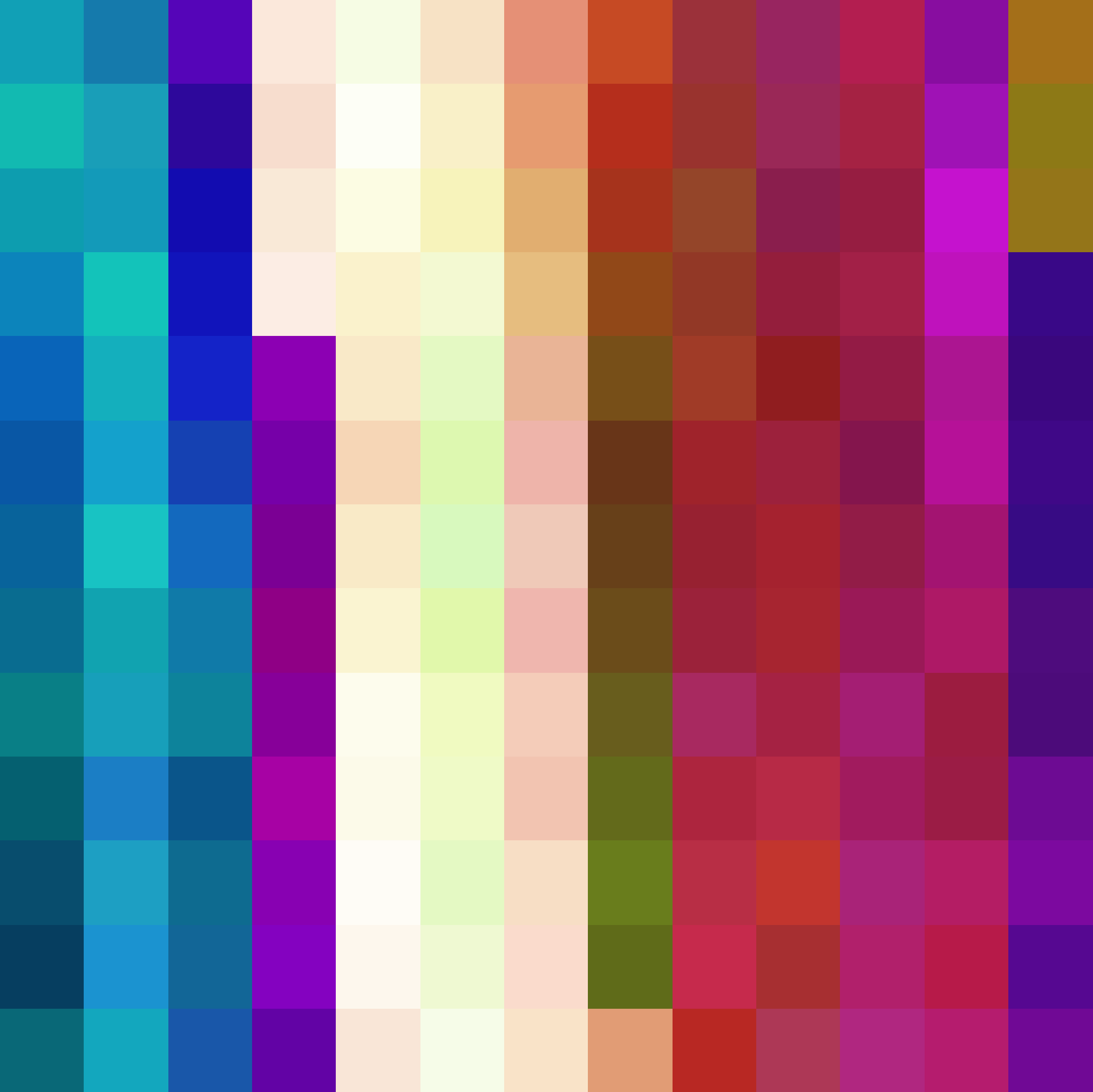
The gradient in this 10 by 10 pixel grid is mostly orange, and it also has quite some red, a little bit of yellow, and a tiny bit of rose in it.



This pixel gradient—it is 9 cells wide, 9 cells high—is mostly green, but it also has quite some cyan, and some blue in it.



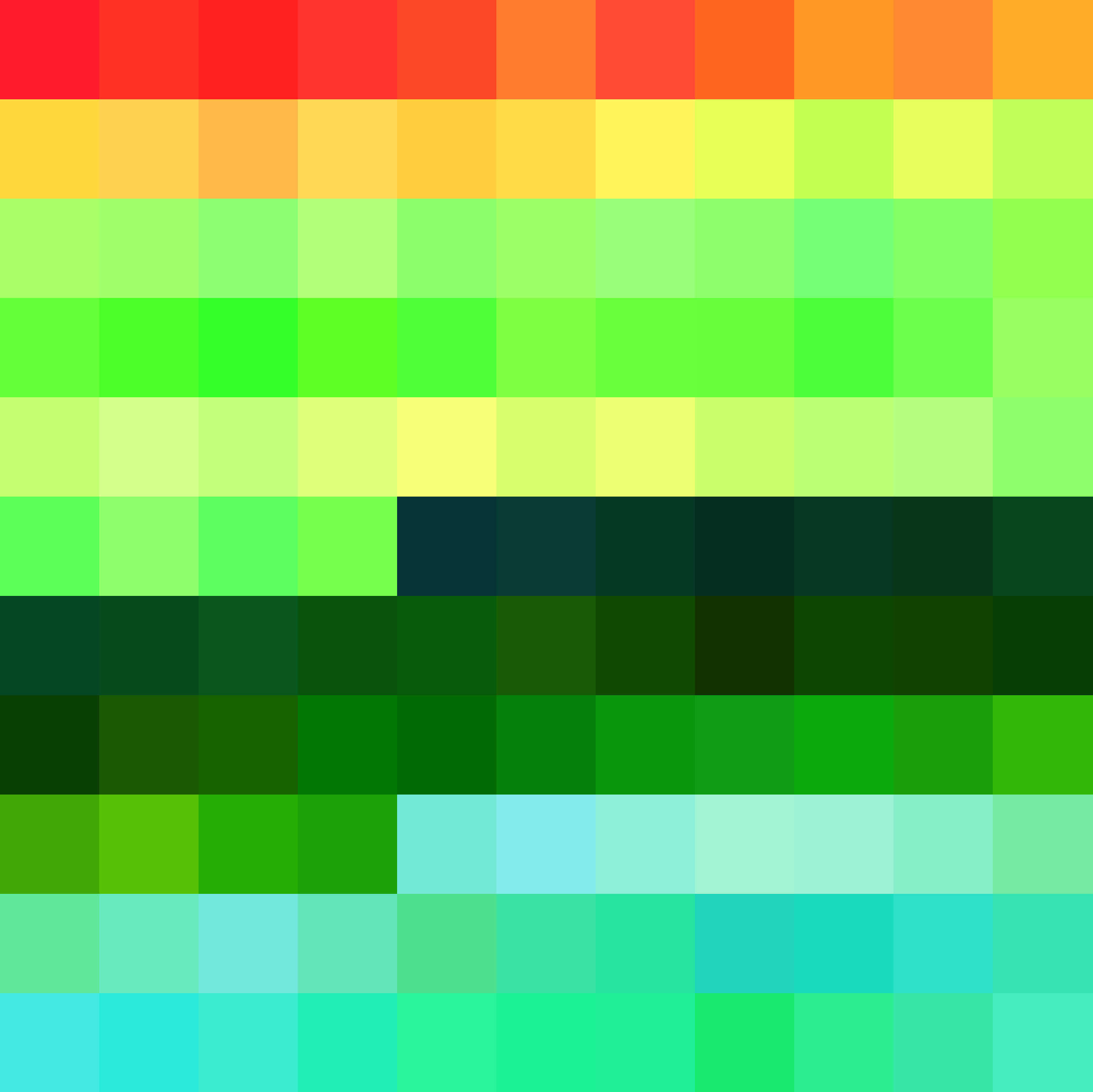
A 10 by 10 grid with coloured squares that form a very colourful gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly red, and it also has some yellow, a bit of orange, a little bit of cyan, a little bit of blue, and a tiny bit of lime in it.



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



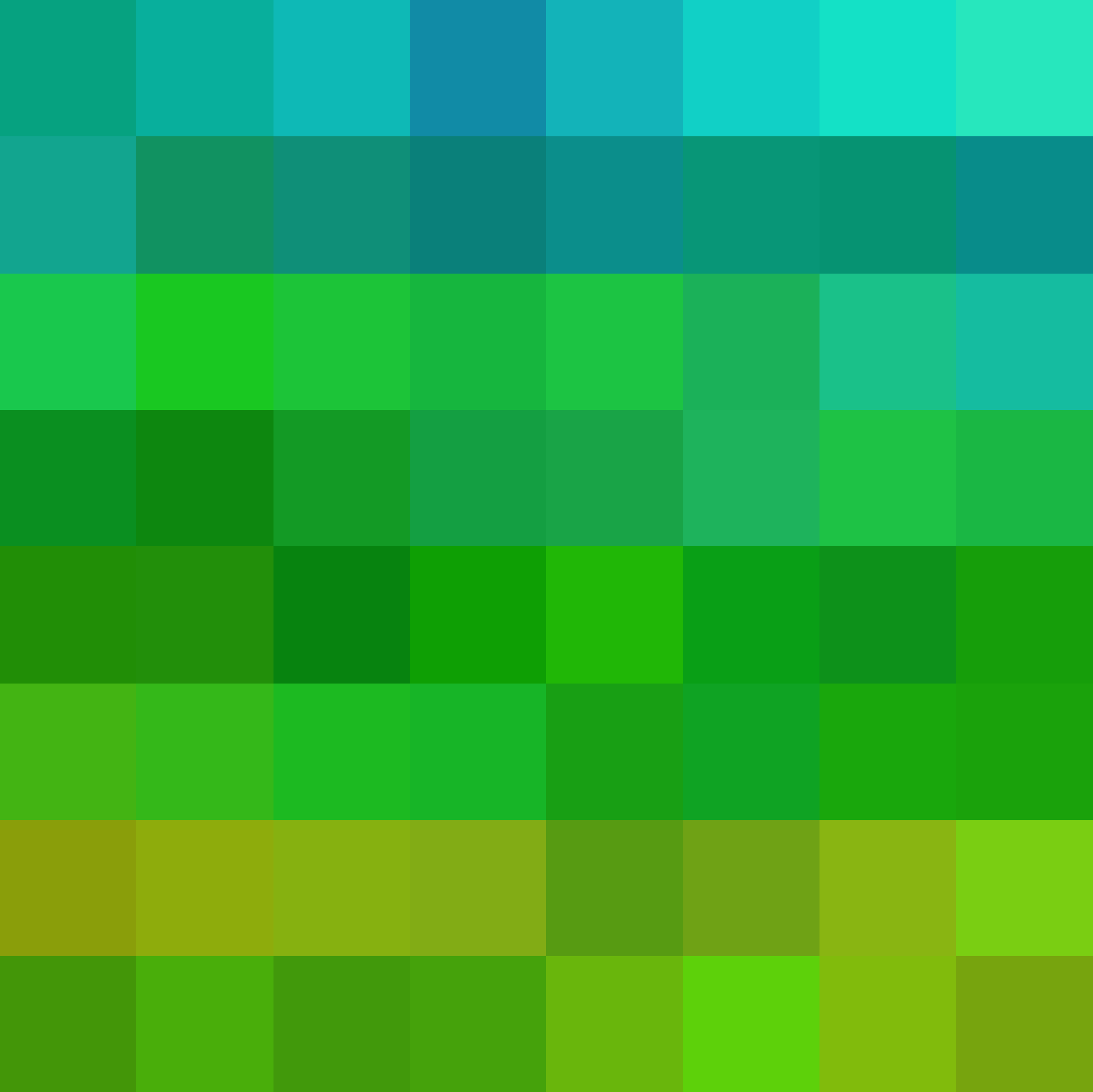
A grid with 144 coloured squares that form a gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly red, but it also has some orange, and a tiny bit of yellow in it.



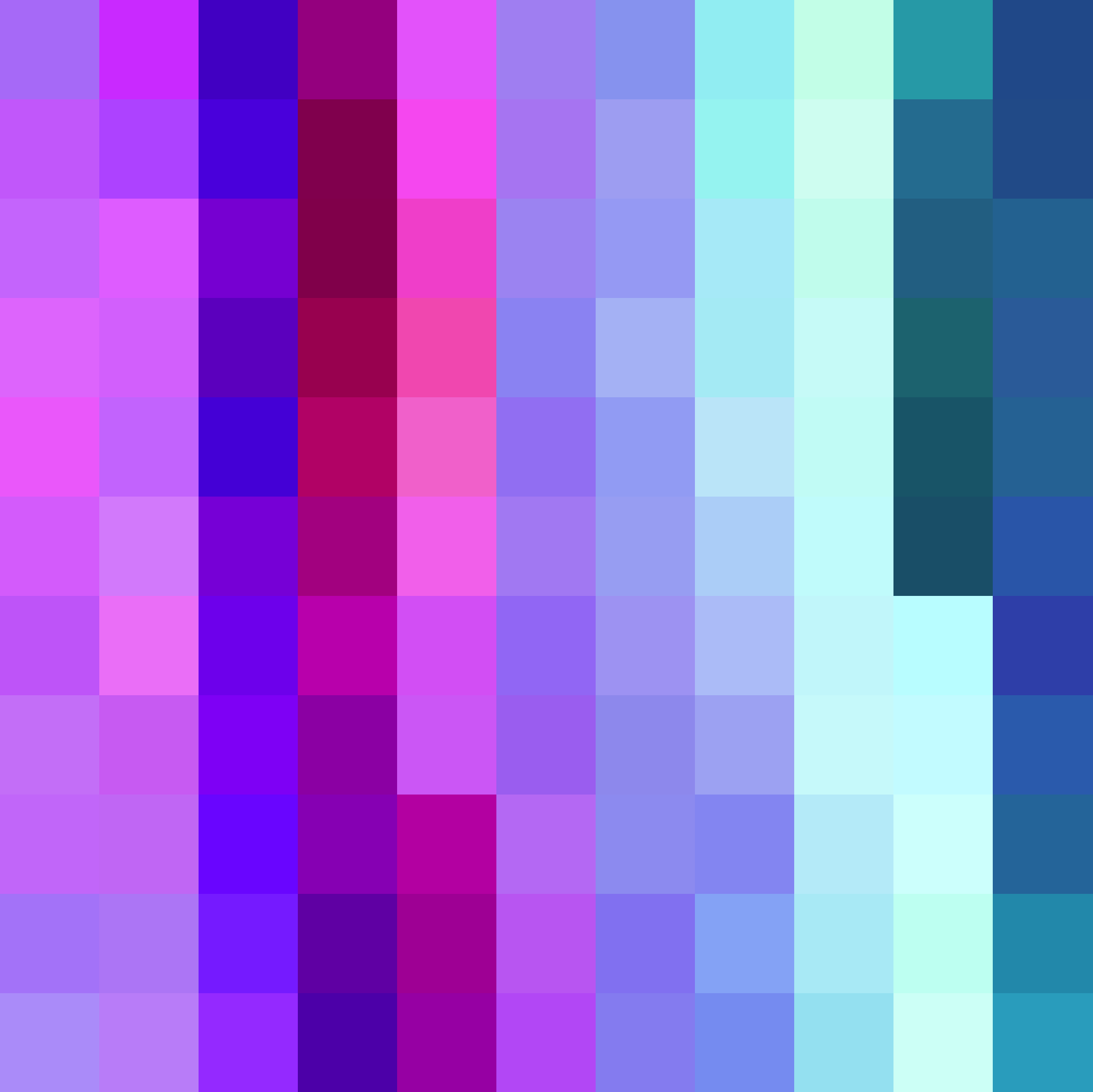
A grid with 121 coloured squares that form a very colourful gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly green, but it also has some cyan, a bit of orange, a bit of yellow, a little bit of red, and a tiny bit of lime in it.



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



The gradient in this 8 by 8 pixel grid is mostly green, but it also has quite some cyan, a bit of lime, and a tiny bit of yellow in it.



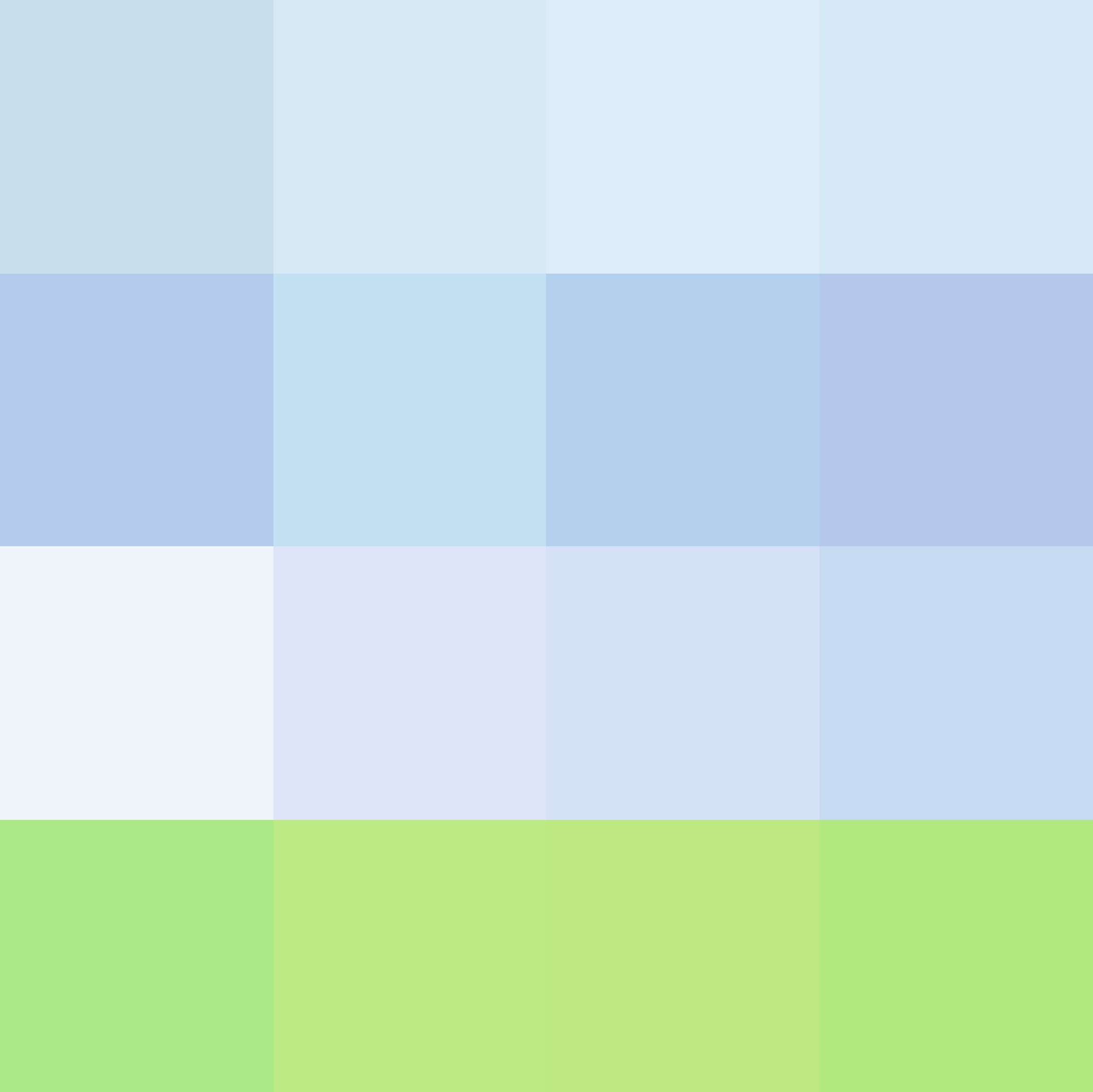
The very, very colourful gradient in this 11 by 11 pixel grid is mostly blue, but it also has quite some purple, some cyan, some magenta, some indigo, a bit of violet, a tiny bit of green, and a tiny bit of rose in it.



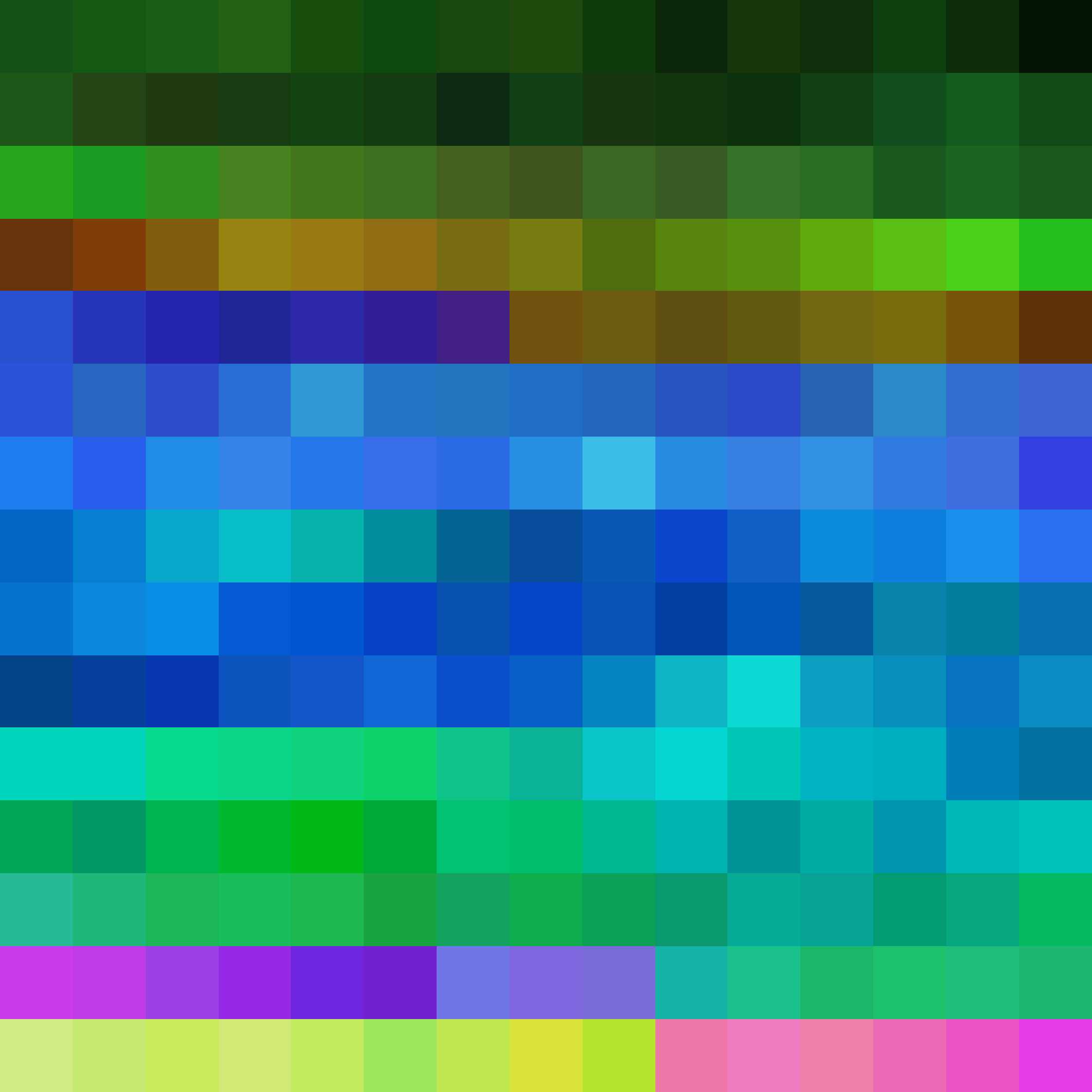
A 14 by 14 grid with coloured squares that form a colourful gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly red, but it also has quite some orange, a little bit of yellow, a tiny bit of lime, and a tiny bit of green in it.



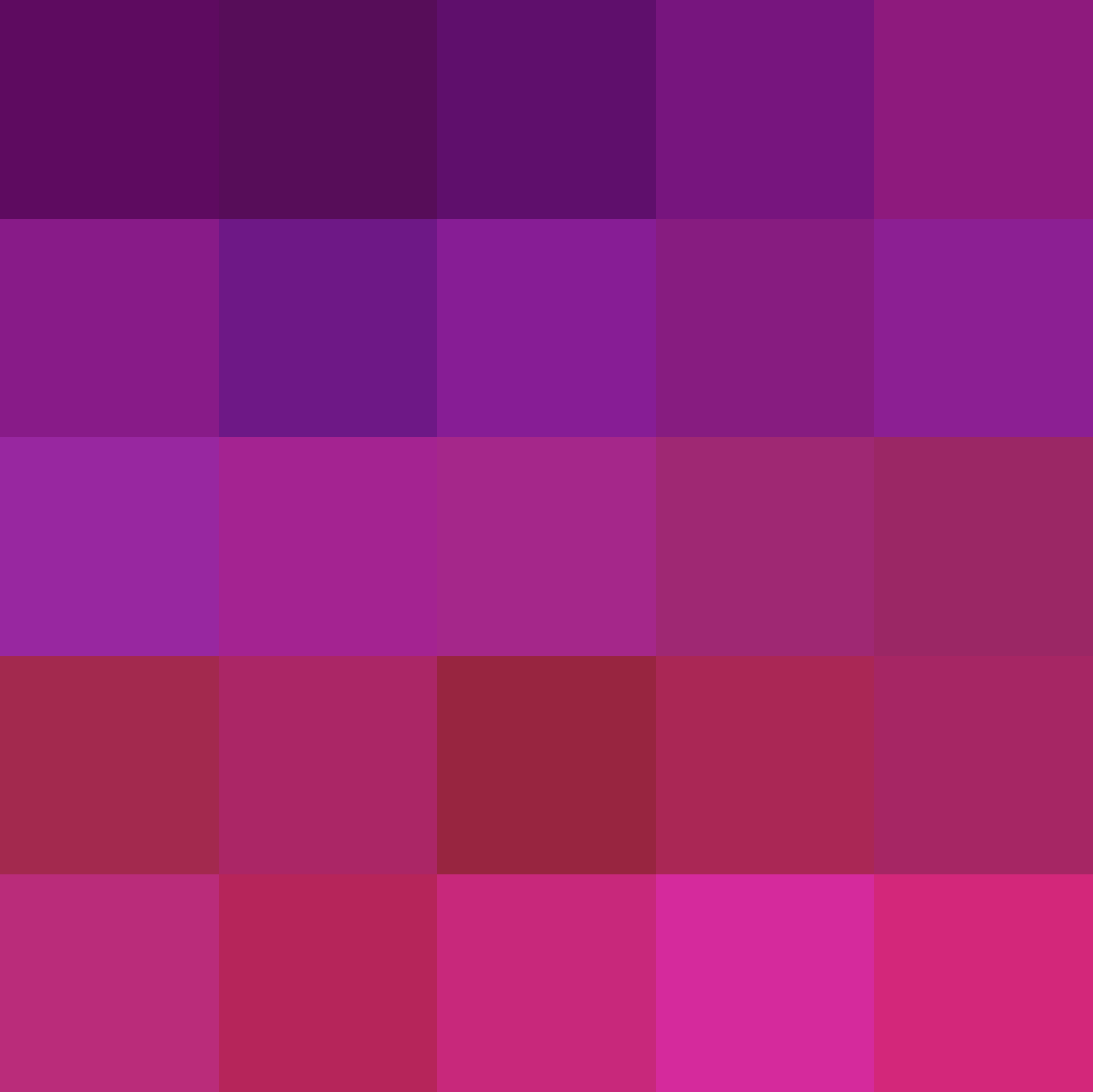
The cells in this 7 by 7 pixel grid form a very colourful gradient. It is mostly green, but it also has quite some yellow, a bit of orange, a little bit of lime, a little bit of red, and a tiny bit of cyan in it.



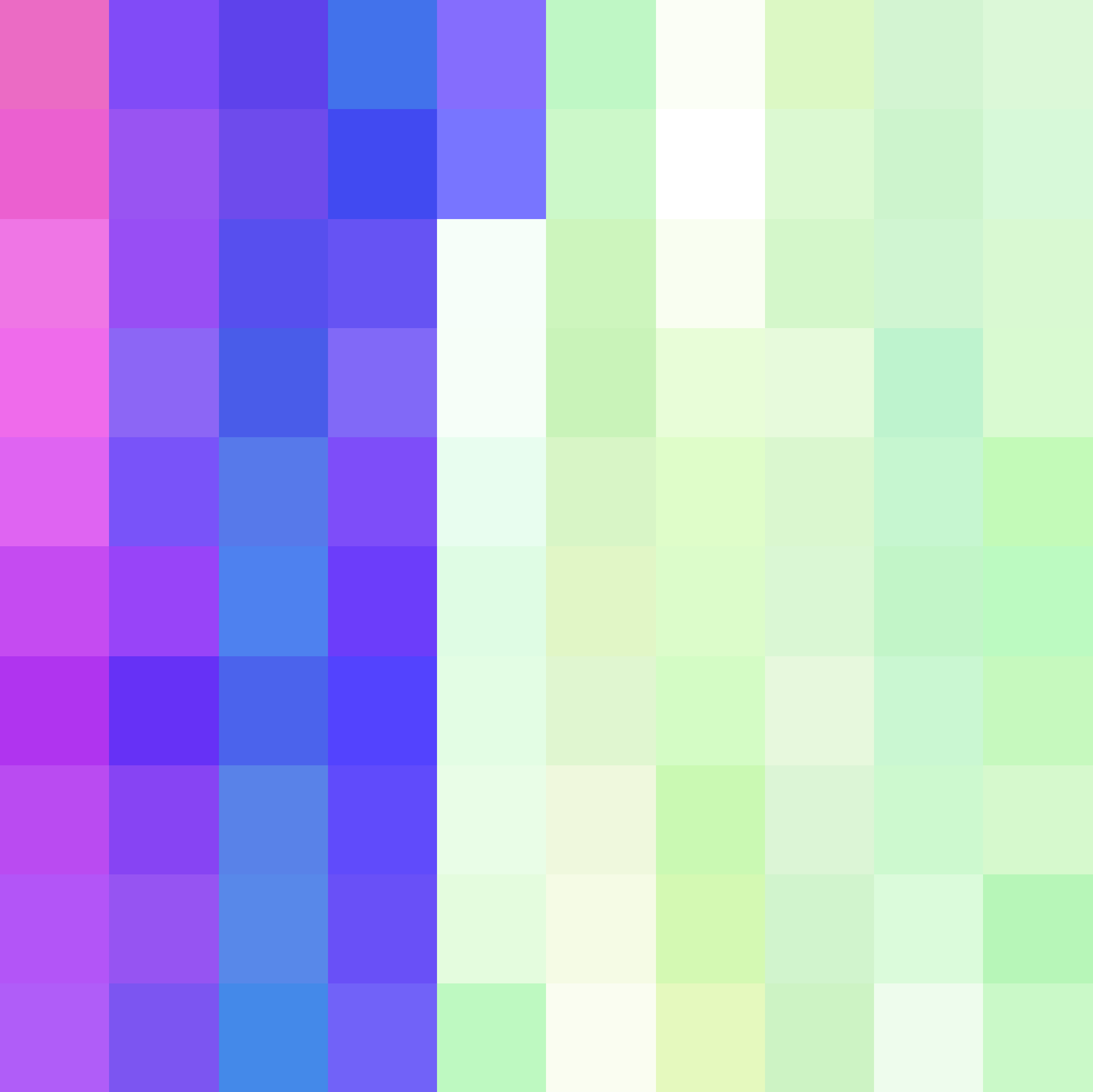
The cells in this 4 by 4 pixel grid form a two tone gradient. It is mostly blue, but it also has quite some green in it.



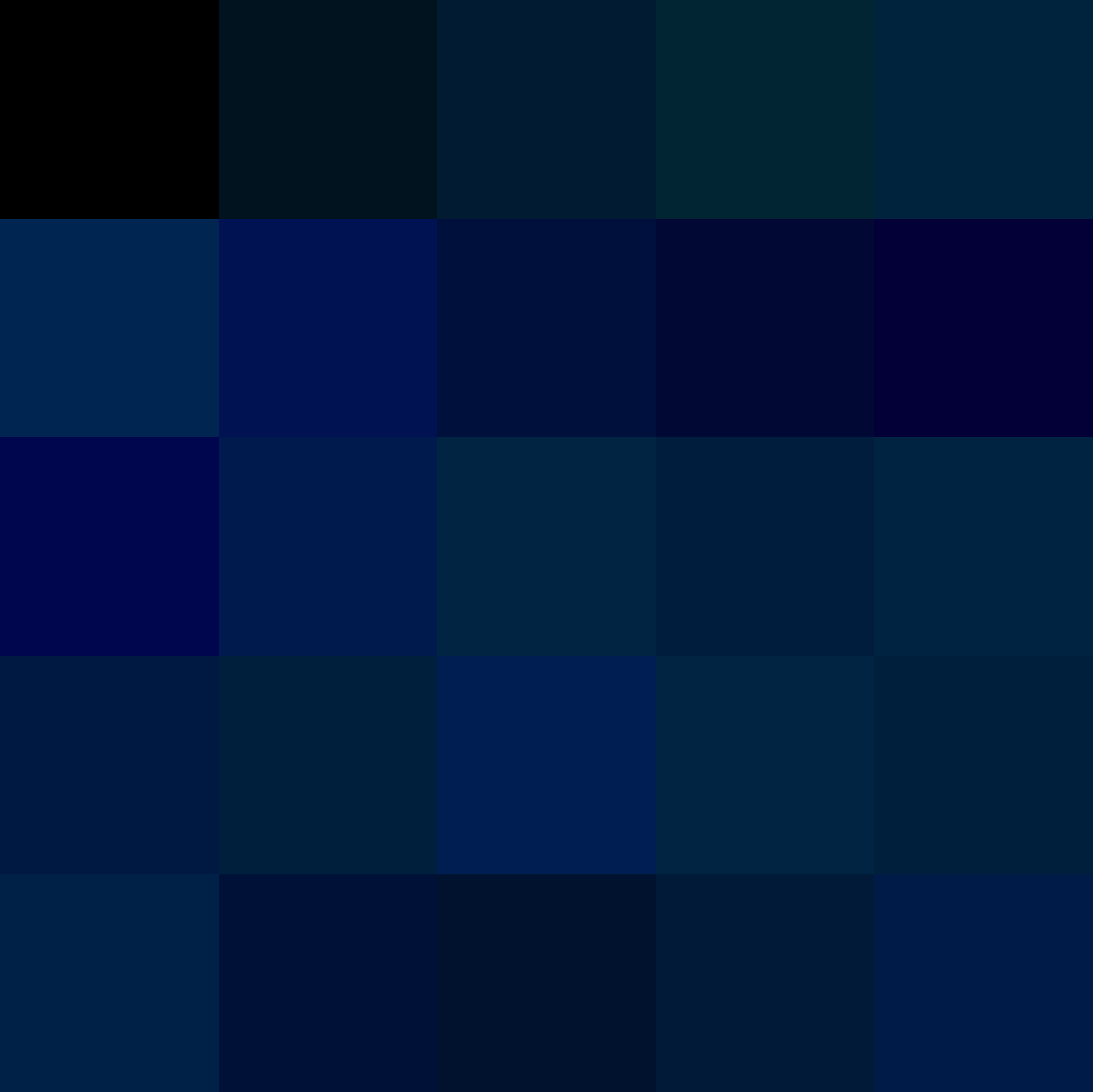
The cells in this 15 by 15 pixel grid form a very, very colourful gradient. It is mostly green, but it also has quite some blue, some cyan, a little bit of yellow, a little bit of lime, a little bit of orange, a tiny bit of indigo, a tiny bit of purple, a tiny bit of magenta, a tiny bit of violet, and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



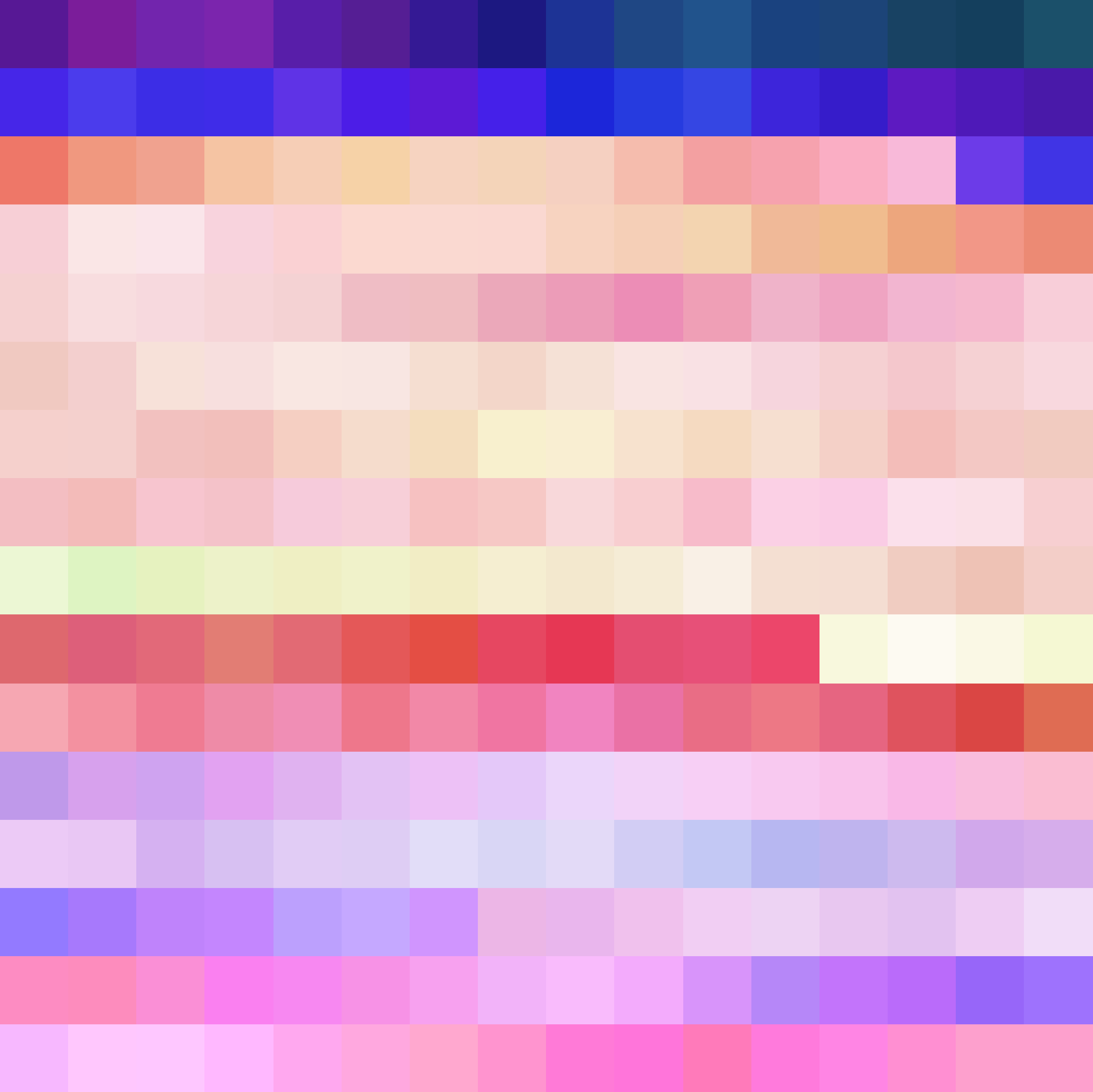
A grid with 25 coloured squares that form a gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly magenta, and it also has quite some rose, a little bit of purple, and a little bit of red in it.



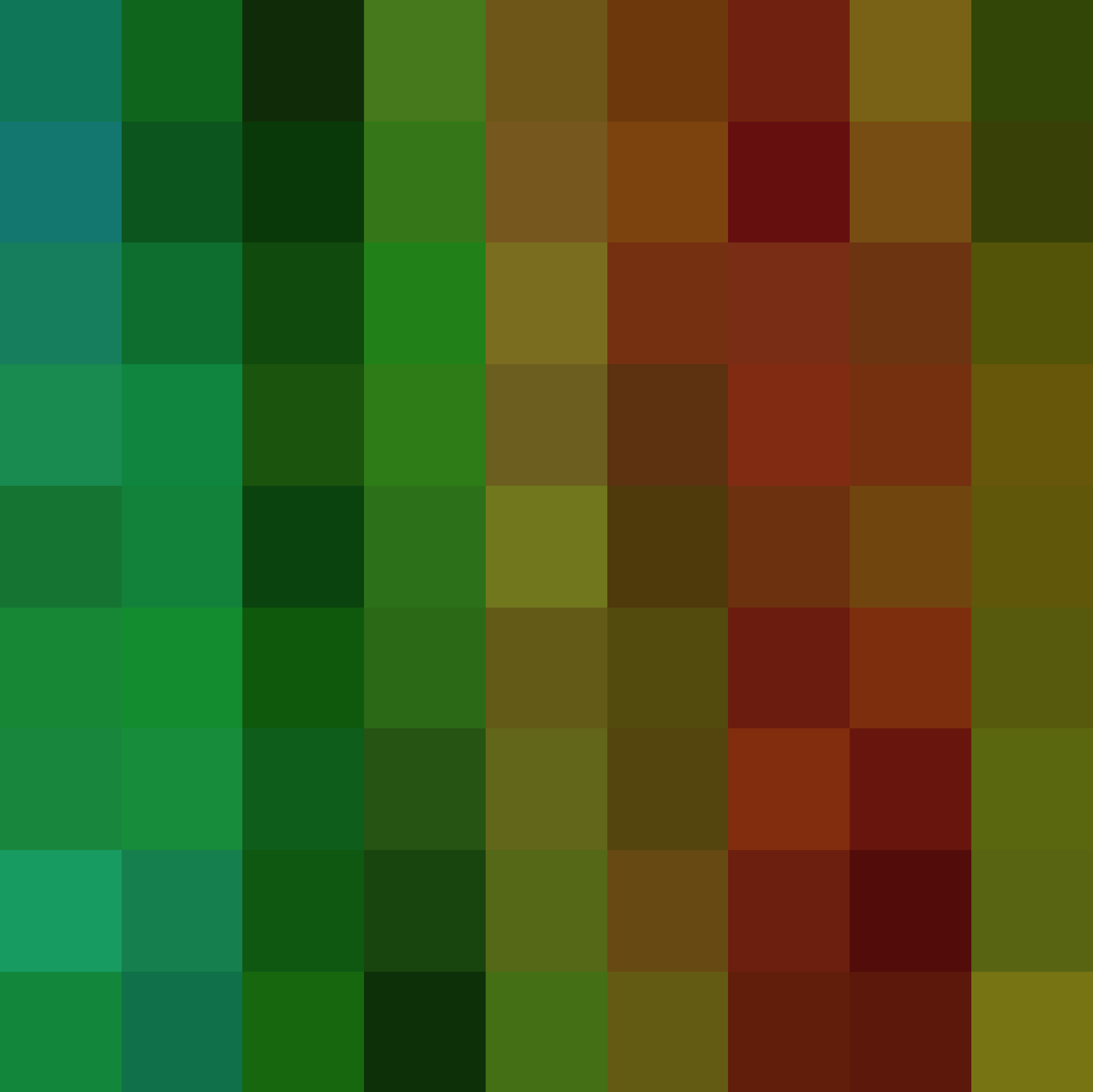
This very colourful gradient, generated in this 10 by 10 pixel grid, is mostly green, and it also has some indigo, a bit of blue, a little bit of magenta, a little bit of purple, a little bit of violet, and a tiny bit of lime in it.



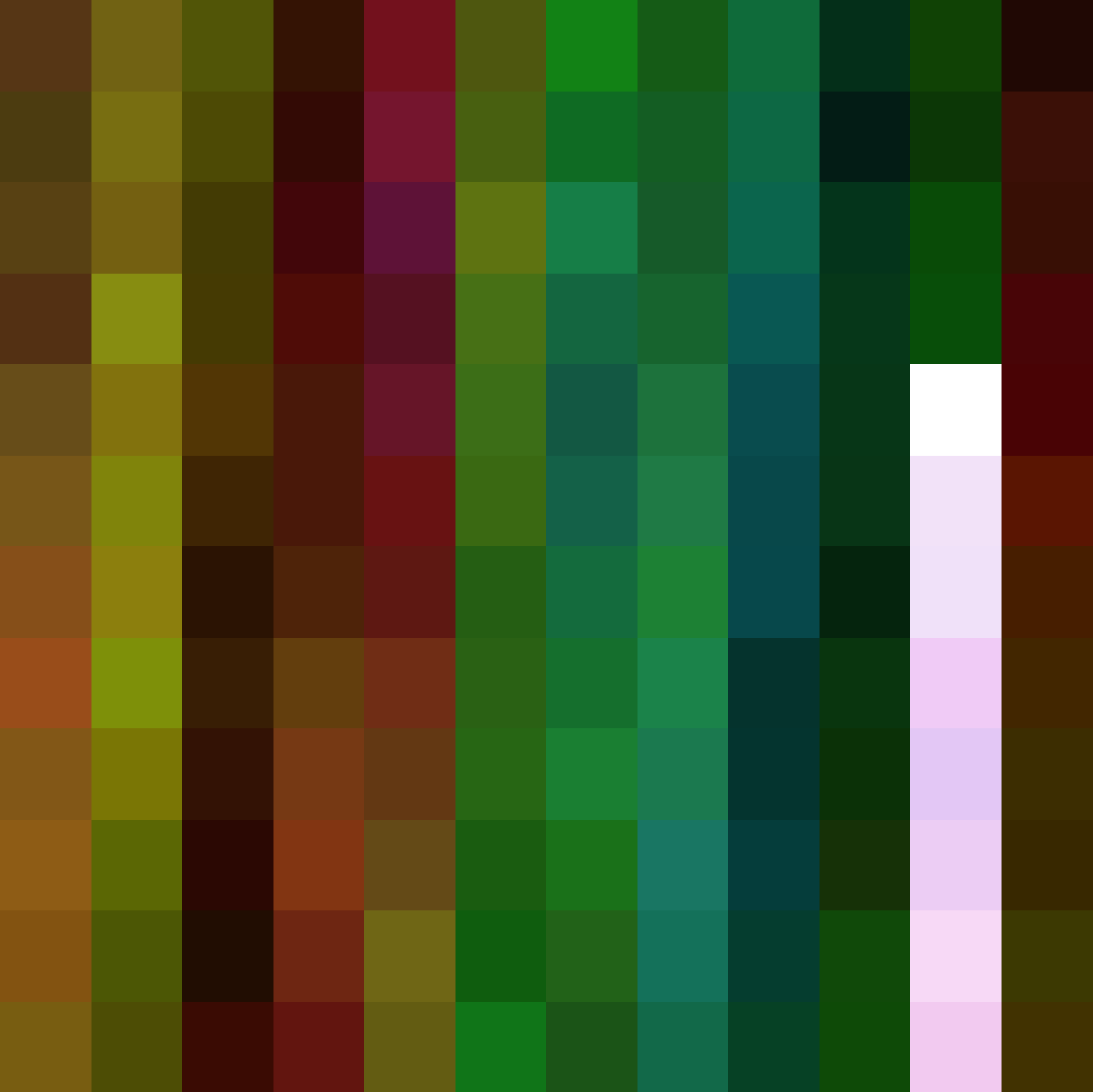
There's a two tone pixel gradient in this 5 by 5 grid. It is mostly blue, but it also has a little bit of indigo in it.



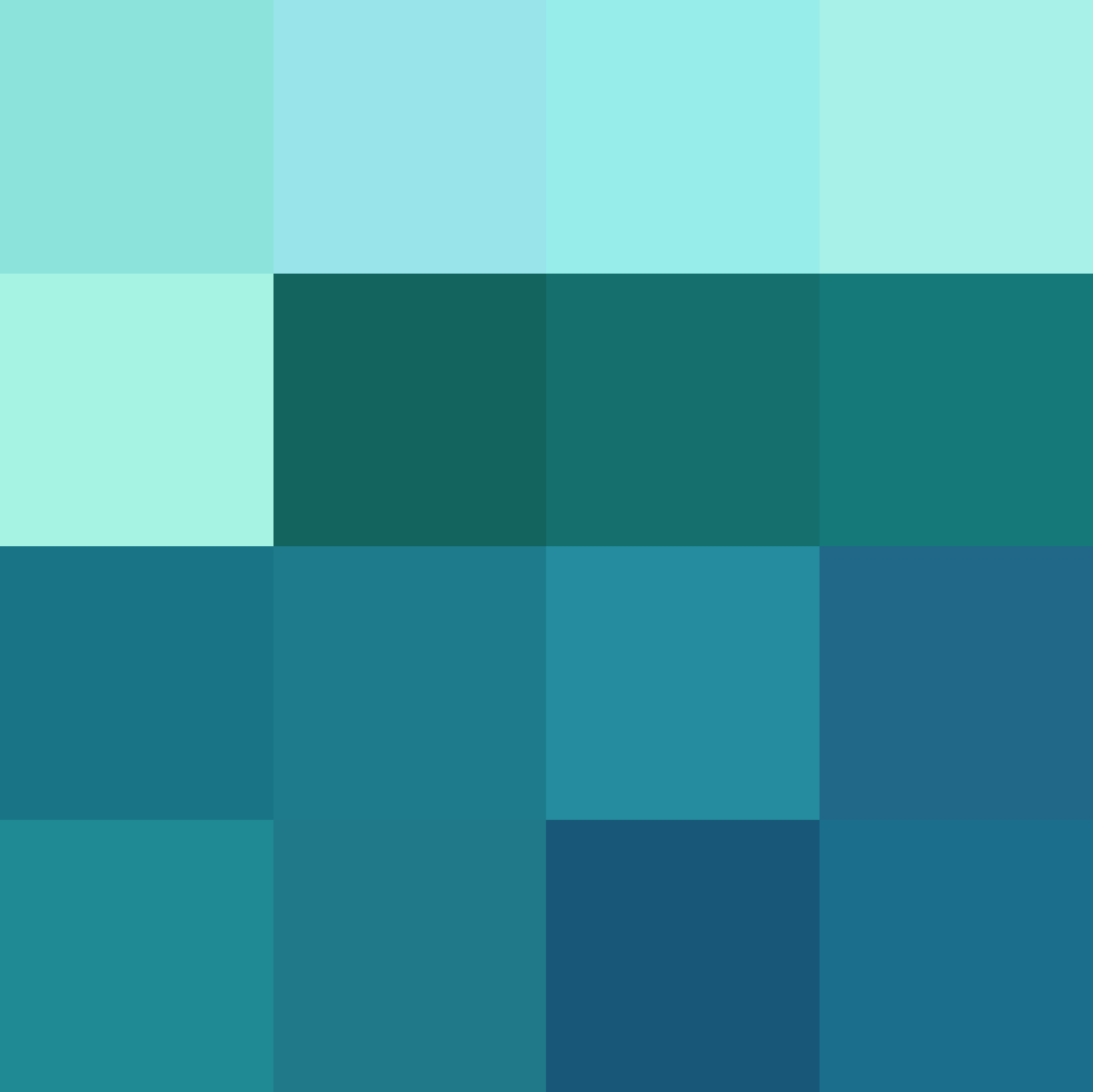
This very, very colourful pixel gradient—it is 16 cells wide, 16 cells high—is mostly red, but it also has some rose, some magenta, some purple, a bit of orange, a bit of indigo, a little bit of blue, a little bit of violet, a little bit of yellow, a tiny bit of lime, and a tiny bit of green in it.



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



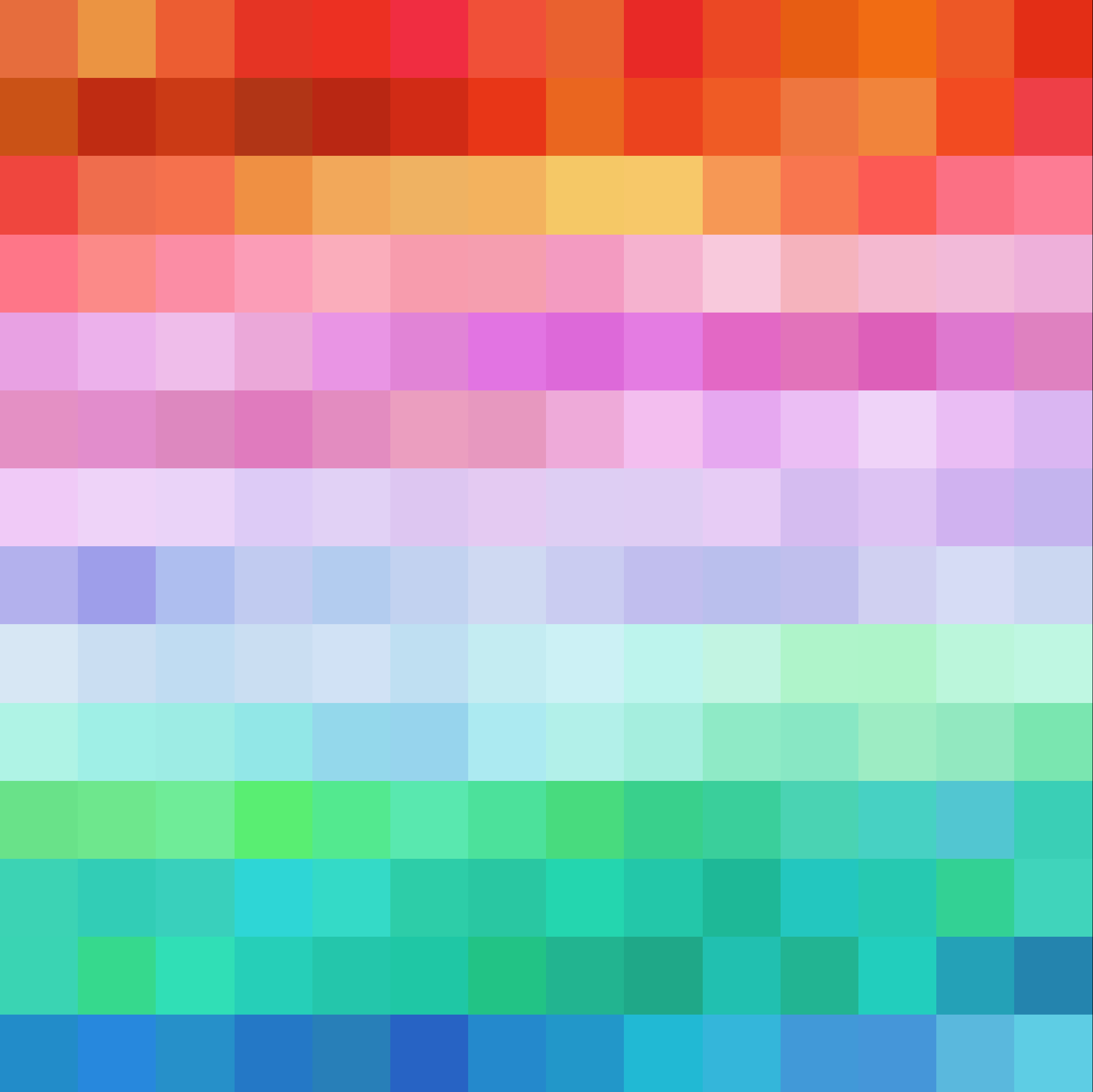
This very, very colourful gradient, generated in this 12 by 12 pixel grid, is mostly green, but it also has quite some orange, some red, some yellow, a bit of cyan, a little bit of purple, a tiny bit of magenta, and a tiny bit of lime in it.



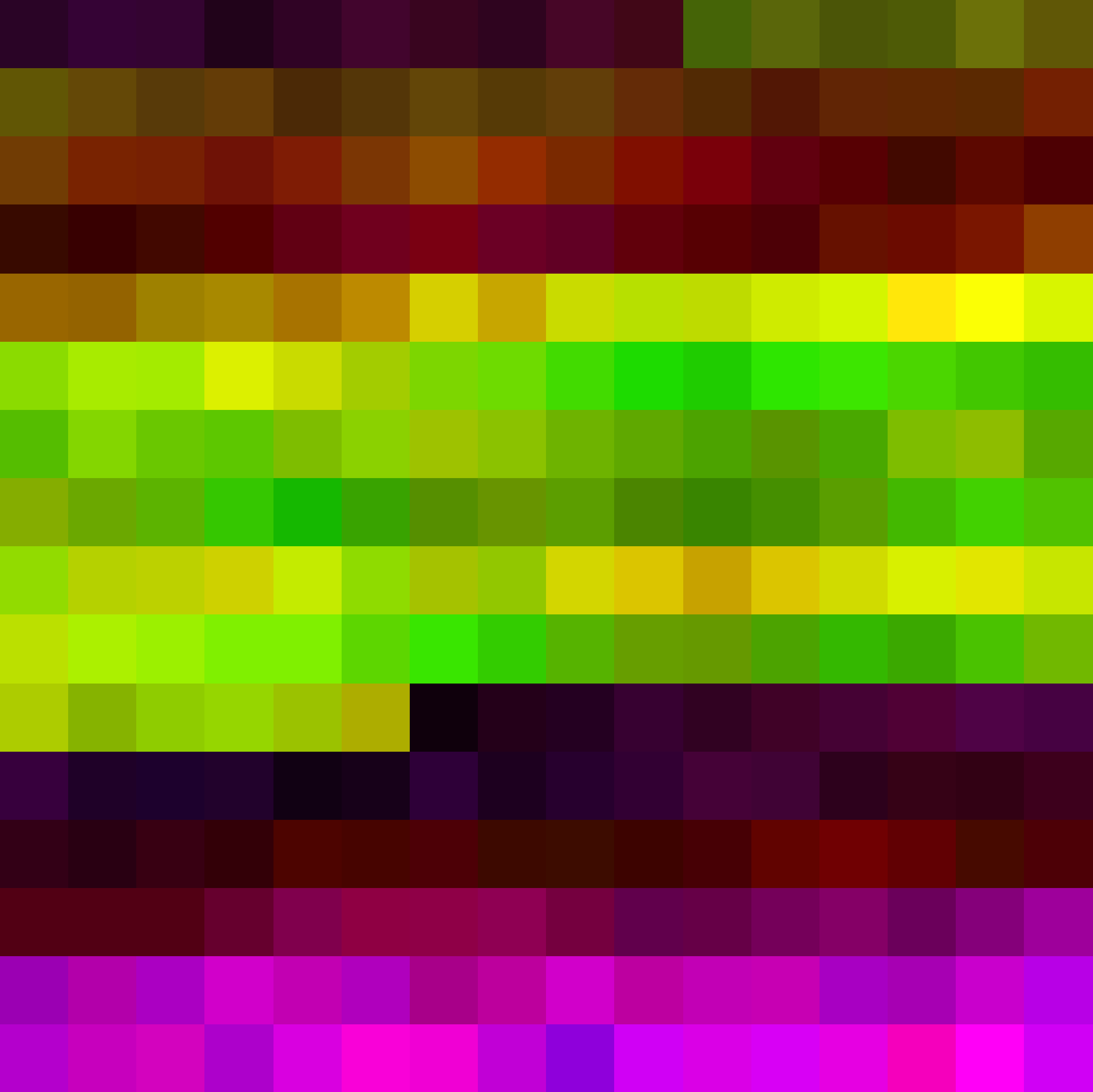
The two tone gradient in this 4 by 4 pixel grid is mostly cyan, and it also has some blue in it.



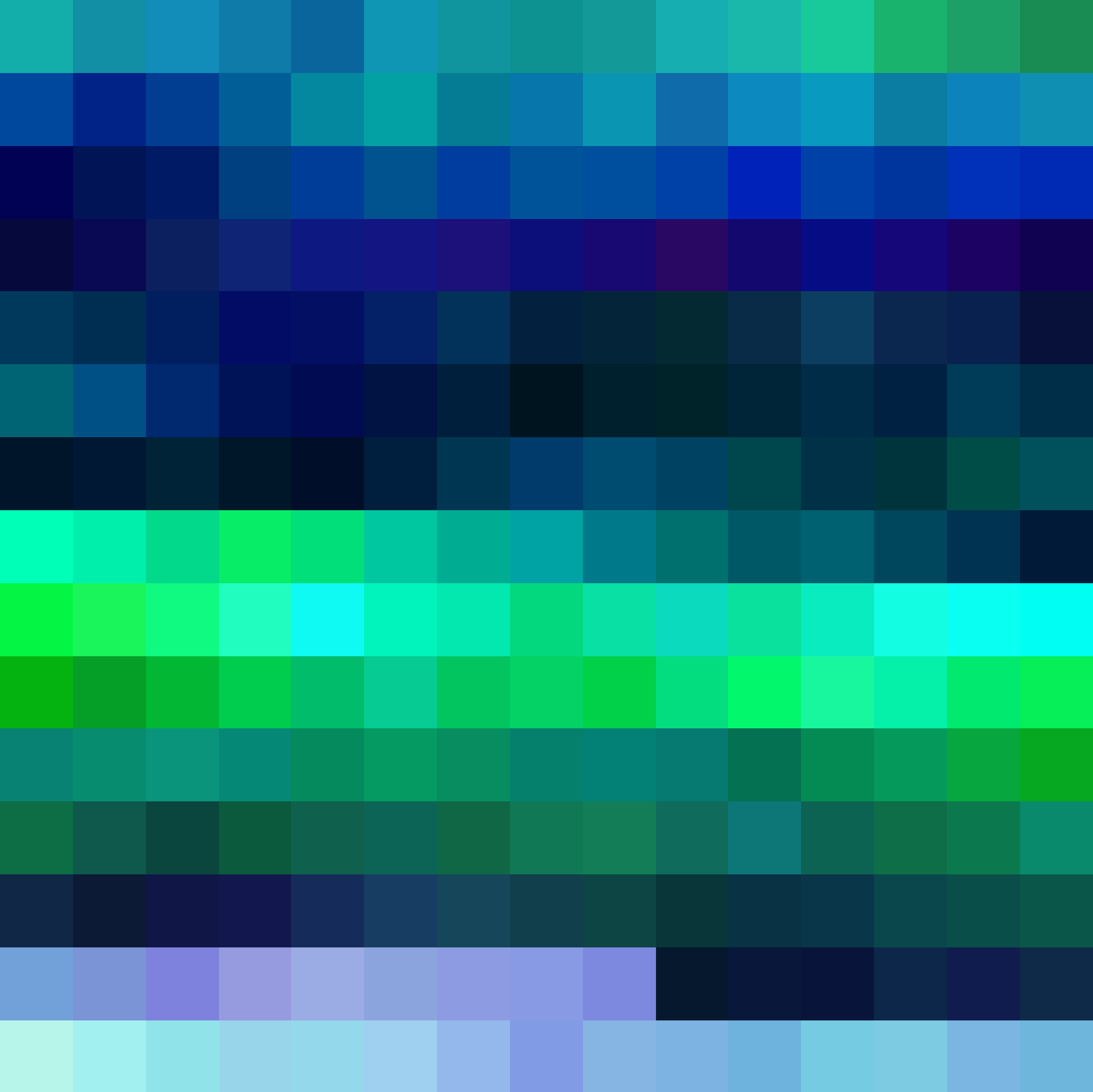
This very colourful pixel gradient—it is 10 cells wide, 10 cells high—is mostly green, but it also has some red, some orange, a bit of lime, a bit of rose, and a little bit of yellow in it.



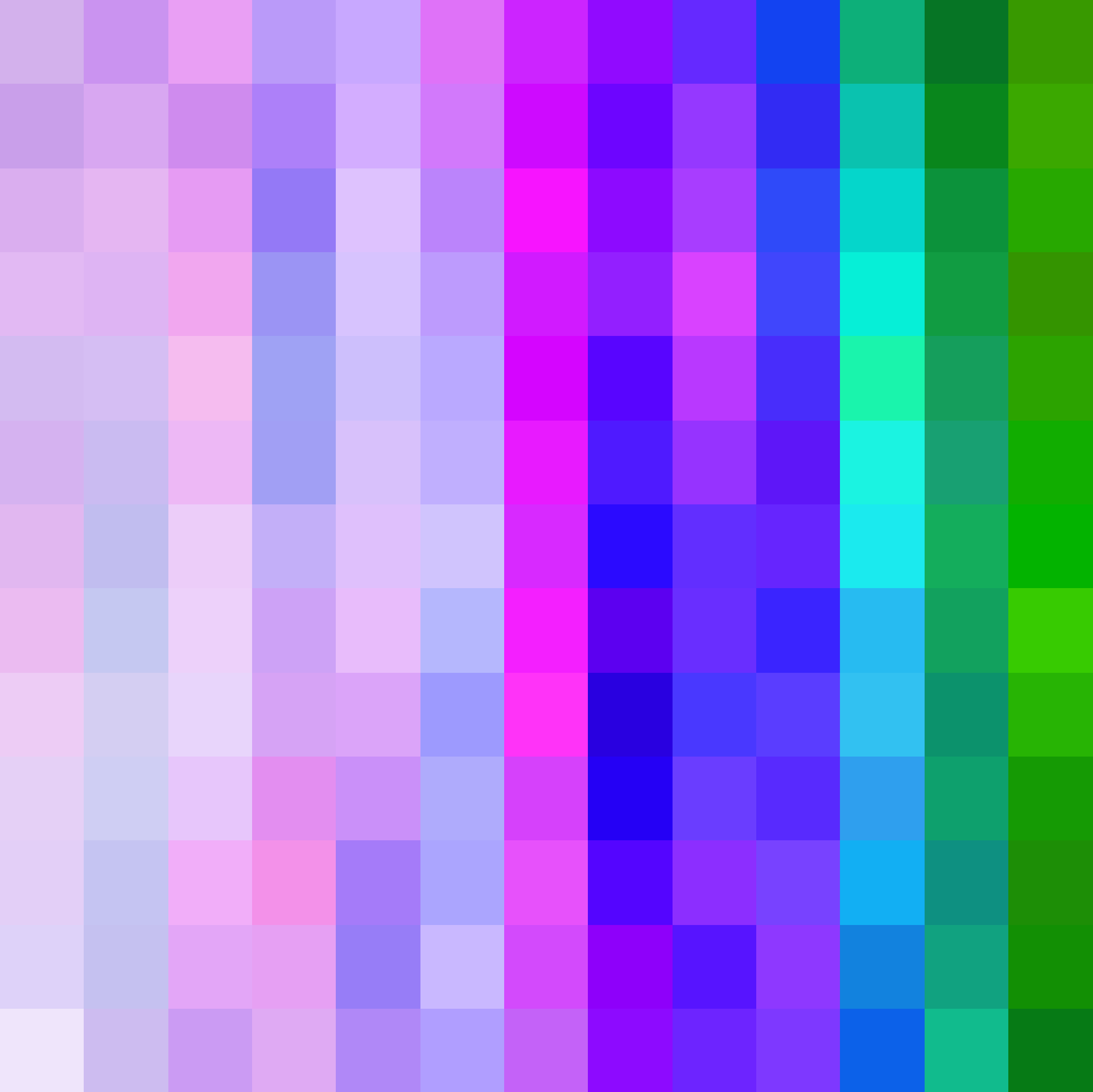
The two tone gradient in this 14 by 14 pixel grid is mostly red, but it also has a bit of orange in it.



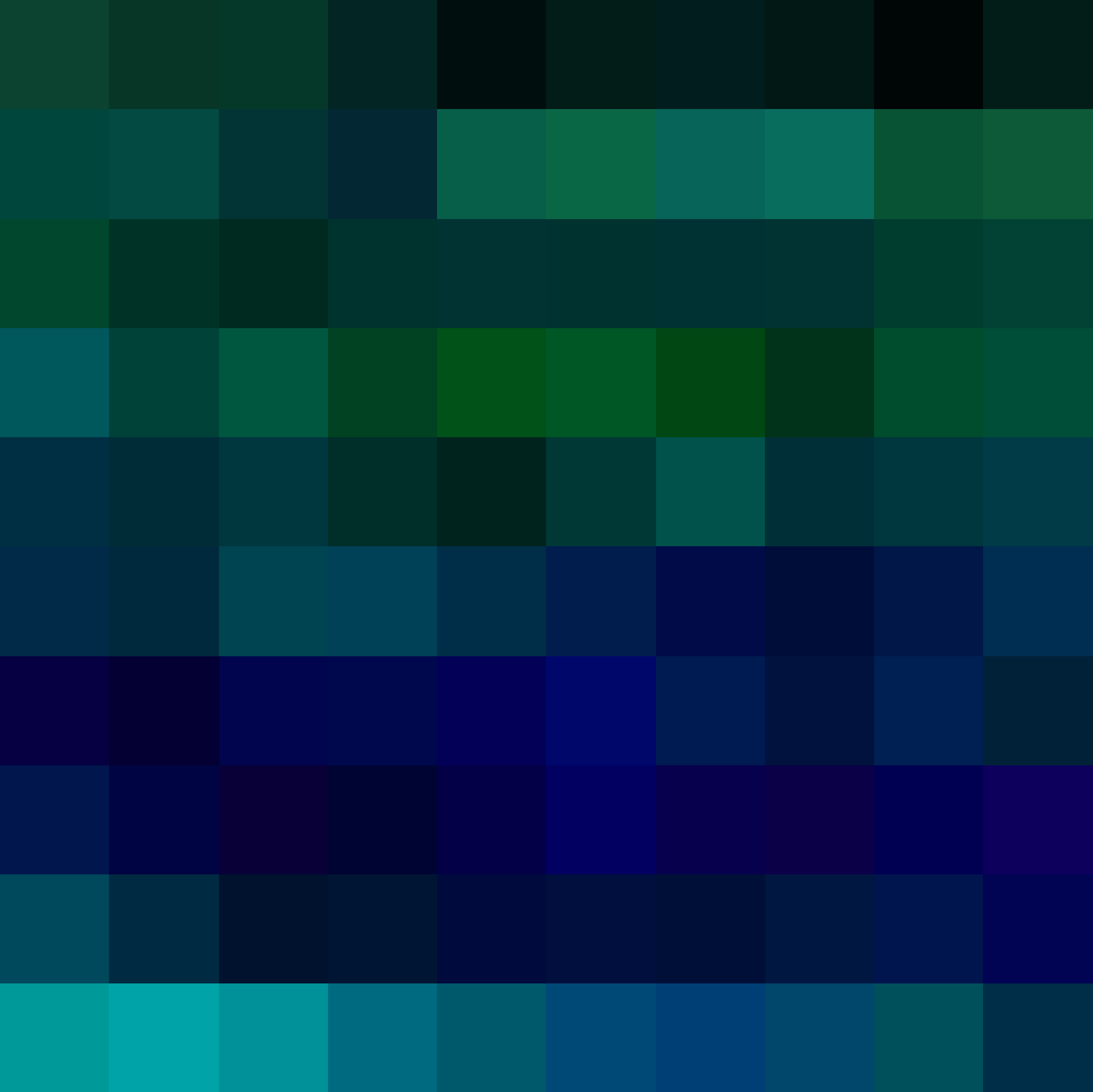
A 16 by 16 grid with coloured squares that form a very, very colourful gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly magenta, and it also has quite some green, some red, some yellow, a bit of orange, a little bit of lime, a little bit of rose, and a little bit of purple in it.



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



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



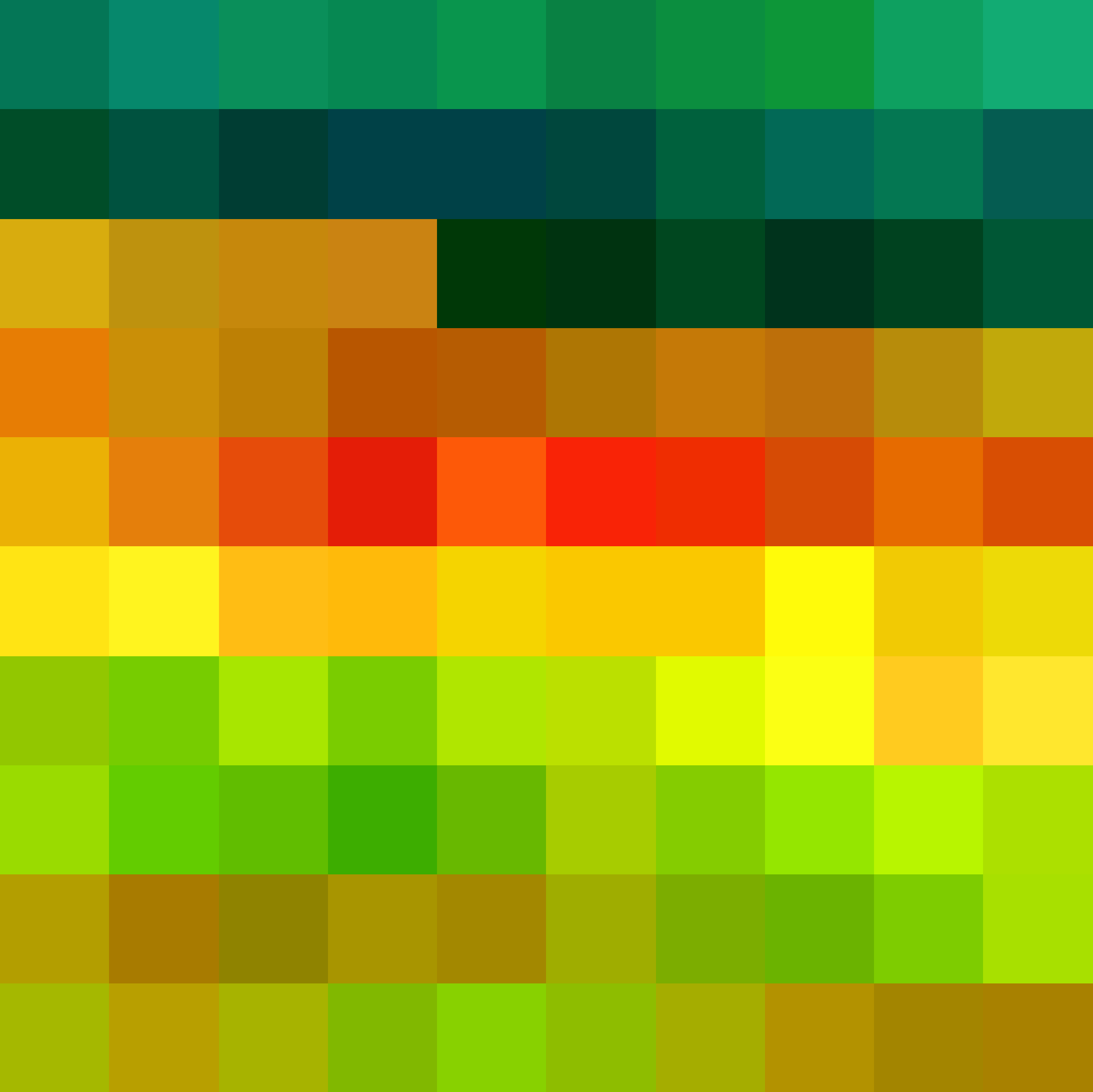
A 10 by 10 grid with coloured squares that form a gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly cyan, but it also has quite some blue, some green, and a bit of indigo in it.



This colourful pixel gradient—it is 11 cells wide, 11 cells high—is mostly yellow, but it also has quite some orange, some green, some red, and a bit of lime in it.



A grid with 49 coloured squares that form a two tone gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly green, and it also has a tiny bit of lime in it.



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



The very colourful gradient in this 11 by 11 pixel grid is mostly blue, and it also has quite some cyan, some indigo, a bit of purple, a little bit of violet, and a little bit of magenta in it.



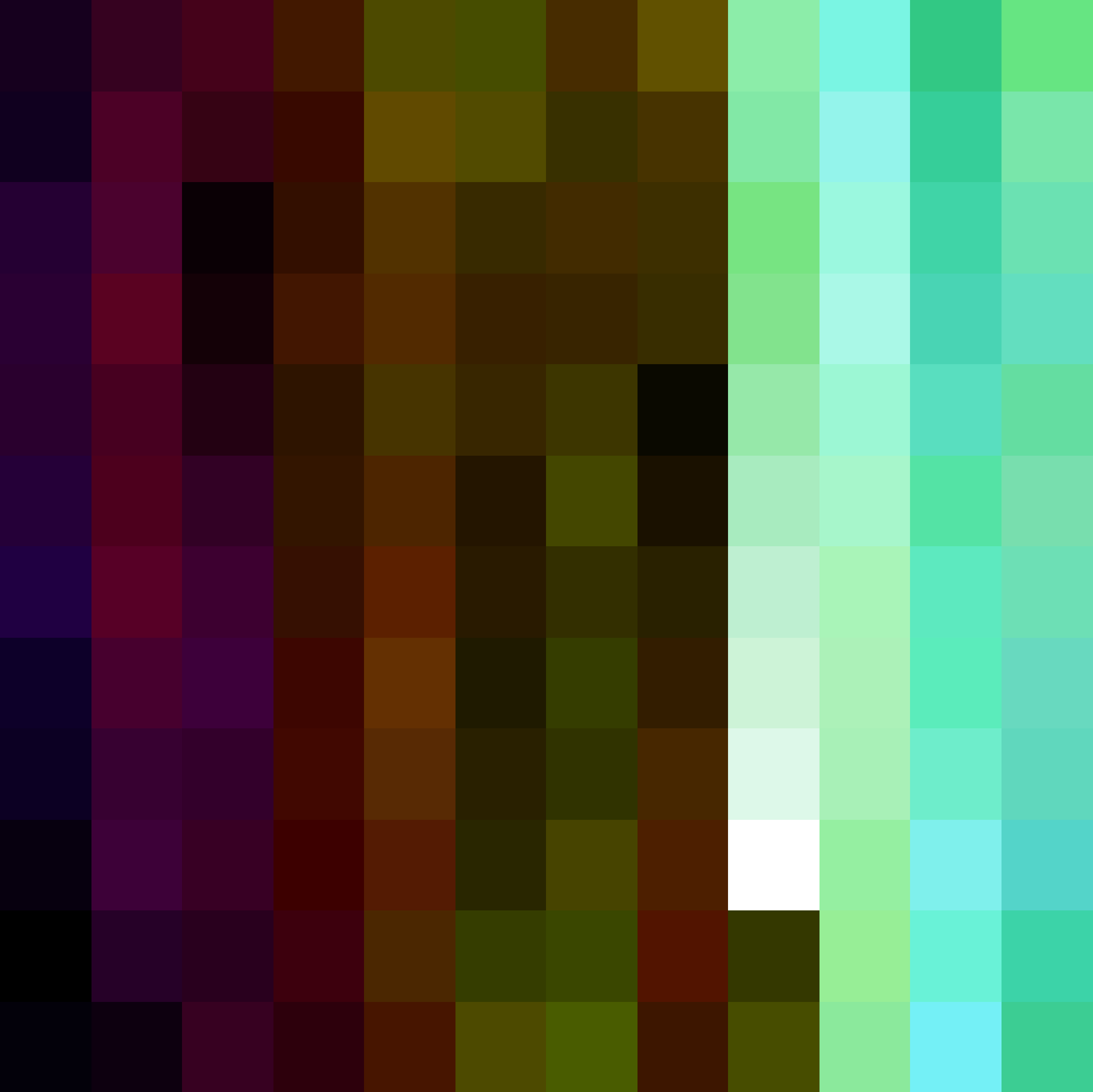
A grid with 196 coloured squares that form a very colourful gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly green, but it also has some cyan, a little bit of red, a little bit of rose, a tiny bit of magenta, and a tiny bit of purple in it.



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



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



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



A grid with 64 coloured squares that form a gradient. The colours are various shades of mostly orange, but it also has quite some yellow, and some red 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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