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The entire table of ANSI color codes.

Regular Colors

Value	Color
\e[0;30m	Black
\e[0;31m	Red
\e[0;32m	Green
\e[0;33m	Yellow
\e[0;34m	Blue
\e[0;35m	Purple
\e[0;36m	Cyan
\e[0;37m	White

Bold

Value	Color
\e[1;30m	Black
\e[1;31m	Red
\e[1;32m	Green
\e[1;33m	Yellow
\e[1;34m	Blue
\e[1;35m	Purple
\e[1;36m	Cyan
\e[1;37m	White

Underline

Value	Color
\e[4;30m	Black
\e[4;31m	Red
\e[4;32m	Green
\e[4;33m	Yellow
\e[4;34m	Blue
\e[4;35m	Purple
\e[4;36m	Cyan
\e[4;37m	White

Background

Value	Color
\e[40m	Black
\e[41m	Red
\e[42m	Green
\e[43m	Yellow
\e[44m	Blue

Value Color

\e[45m Purple
\e[46m Cyan
\e[47m White

High Intensity

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Value Color

\e[0;90m Black
\e[0;91m Red
\e[0;92m Green
\e[0;93m Yellow
\e[0;94m Blue
\e[0;95m Purple
\e[0;96m Cyan
\e[0;97m White

Bold High Intensity

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Value Color

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\e[1;92m Green
\e[1;93m Yellow
\e[1;94m Blue
\e[1;95m Purple
\e[1;96m Cyan
\e[1;97m White

High Intensity backgrounds

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Value Color

\e[0;100m Black
\e[0;101m Red
\e[0;102m Green
\e[0;103m Yellow
\e[0;104m Blue
\e[0;105m Purple
\e[0;106m Cyan
\e[0;107m White

Reset

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Value Color

\e[0m Reset

other styles

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```
echo -e "\e[1mbold\e[0m"  
echo -e "\e[3mitalic\e[0m"  
echo -e "\e[3m\e[1mbold italic\e[0m"  
echo -e "\e[4munderline\e[0m"  
echo -e "\e[9mstrikeout\e[0m"
```

```
echo -e "\e[31mHello World\e[0m"
echo -e "\x1B[31mHello World\e[0m"

#!/bin/sh
printf "\e[0;30mBlack \e[1;30mbold Black \e[0;90mhigh intensity Black\n"
printf "\e[0;31mRed \e[1;31mbold Red \e[0;91mhigh intensity Red\n"
printf "\e[0;32mGreen \e[1;32mbold Green \e[0;92mhigh intensity Green\n"
printf "\e[0;33mYellow \e[1;33mbold Yellow \e[0;93mhigh intensity Yellow\n"
printf "\e[0;34mBlue \e[1;34mbold Blue \e[0;94mhigh intensity Blue\n"
printf "\e[0;35mPurple \e[1;35mbold Purple \e[0;95mhigh intensity Purple\n"
printf "\e[0;36mCyan \e[1;36mbold Cyan \e[0;96mhigh intensity Cyan\n"
printf "\e[0;37mWhite \e[1;37mbold White \e[0;97mhigh intensity White\n"
```



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Author

[JBlond](#) commented Jul 24, 2017 •



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```
ColorNames=( Black Red Green Yellow Blue Magenta Cyan White )
FgColors=( 30 31 32 33 34 35 36 37 )
BgColors=( 40 41 42 43 44 45 46 47 )

printf " \033[0m$modifiedfiles_number""x\e[41m●\033[0m"
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[dustinaja](#) commented Mar 9, 2021 •



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I also found this helpful to see a few more color codes in putty.

<http://jafrog.com/2013/11/23/colors-in-terminal.html>

```
> for code in {0..255}
    do echo -e "\e[38;5;${code}m"\\"\\e[38;5;'"$code"m"\e[0m"
    done
```



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[arNparad0x](#) commented Sep 14, 2021

<https://github.com/fidian/ansi>

\$ ansi --color-codes						
Standard:		0	1	2	3	4
Intense:		8	9	10	11	12
16	17	18	19	20	21	34
52	53	54	55	56	57	70
88	89	90	91	92	93	106
124	125	126	127	128	129	142
160	161	162	163	164	165	178
196	197	198	199	200	201	214
22	23	24	25	26	27	40
58	59	60	61	62	63	76
94	95	96	97	98	99	112
130	131	132	133	134	135	148
166	167	168	169	170	171	184
202	203	204	205	206	207	220
28	29	30	31	32	33	46
64	65	66	67	68	69	82
100	101	102	103	104	105	118
136	137	138	139	140	141	154
172	173	174	175	176	177	190
208	209	210	211	212	213	226
Grays:						
		232	233	234	235	236
		244	245	246	247	248
		249	250	251	252	253
		254	255			



Gamer069 commented Feb 16, 2023

pls add dark red



Author

JBlond commented Feb 17, 2023

@Gamer069 Background or font color red?

\e[38;5;88m or \e[38;5;52m for font



simpleuserdontwatch commented Feb 20, 2023

Thanks



[VKontaktist](#) commented Feb 21, 2023 •

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I need pink font color in terminal, please add it

upd:

I found a solution to my problem. I was able to link in the answer of the arNparad0x. In order to use 256 colors from tables, you need to prefix 38;5 in front. For example: i got pink by adding a line \e[38;5;212m



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[Reynolds21](#) commented Feb 22, 2023

How to get light grey?



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Author

[JBlond](#) commented Feb 23, 2023

@Reynolds21 Try these

```
\e[38;5;248m  
\e[38;5;249m  
\e[38;5;250m  
\e[38;5;251m
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[arNparad0x](#) commented Feb 23, 2023 •

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\$ ansi --color-codes														
Standard:							0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Intense:							8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	34	35	36	37	38	39			
52	53	54	55	56	57	70	71	72	73	74	75			
88	89	90	91	92	93	106	107	108	109	110	111			
124	125	126	127	128	129	142	143	144	145	146	147			
160	161	162	163	164	165	178	179	180	181	182	183			
196	197	198	199	200	201	214	215	216	217	218	219			
22	23	24	25	26	27	40	41	42	43	44	45			
58	59	60	61	62	63	76	77	78	79	80	81			
94	95	96	97	98	99	112	113	114	115	116	117			
130	131	132	133	134	135	148	149	150	151	152	153			
166	167	168	169	170	171	184	185	186	187	188	189			
202	203	204	205	206	207	220	221	222	223	224	225			
28	29	30	31	32	33	46	47	48	49	50	51			
64	65	66	67	68	69	82	83	84	85	86	87			
100	101	102	103	104	105	118	119	120	121	122	123			
136	137	138	139	140	141	154	155	156	157	158	159			
172	173	174	175	176	177	190	191	192	193	194	195			
208	209	210	211	212	213	226	227	228	229	230	231			
Grays:							232	233	234	235	236	237	238	239
							244	245	246	247	248	249	250	251
\$ □							252	253	254	255	241	242	243	

use this
and,

for foreground:

\e[38;5;123m or \033[38;5;123m

for background:

\e[48;5;123m or \033[48;5;123m

change 123 to the **color-code** you need

example:

echo -e "\033[38;5;15mGit\033[38;5;0m\033[48;5;208mhub\033[0m"



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[warriorCavt commented Dec 16, 2023](#) •



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Is there italic with colors?

Because if I add \033[3m, there's no *italic* and the colors are inverted.



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Author

JBlond commented Dec 16, 2023

@warriorCavt

```
echo -e "\e[1mbold\e[0m"
echo -e "\e[3mitalic\e[0m"
echo -e "\e[3m\e[1mbold italic\e[0m"
echo -e "\e[4munderline\e[0m"
echo -e "\e[9mstrikeThrough\e[0m"
echo -e "\e[31mHello World\e[0m"
echo -e "\x1B[31mHello World\e[0m"
```



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call-nick commented Dec 30, 2023

Maybe you'd like to replace "Intensty" with "Intensity". Thank you for this nice gist



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Author

JBlond commented Dec 30, 2023

@call-nick Good catch! I updated that.



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SuperKenVery commented Jul 25, 2024

In case anyone wonders what the names mean:

```
printf "\e[0;30mBlack\n"
printf "\e[0;31mRed\n"
printf "\e[0;32mGreen\n"
printf "\e[0;33mYellow\n"
printf "\e[0;34mBlue\n"
printf "\e[0;35mPurple\n"
printf "\e[0;36mCyan\n"
printf "\e[0;37mWhite\n"

printf "\e[1;30mbold Black\n"
printf "\e[1;31mbold Red\n"
printf "\e[1;32mbold Green\n"
printf "\e[1;33mbold Yellow\n"
printf "\e[1;34mbold Blue\n"
printf "\e[1;35mbold Purple\n"
printf "\e[1;36mbold Cyan\n"
printf "\e[1;37mbold White\n"
```

```
printf "\e[0;90mhigh intensity Black\n"
printf "\e[0;91mhigh intensity Red\n"
printf "\e[0;92mhigh intensity Green\n"
printf "\e[0;93mhigh intensity Yellow\n"
printf "\e[0;94mhigh intensity Blue\n"
printf "\e[0;95mhigh intensity Purple\n"
printf "\e[0;96mhigh intensity Cyan\n"
printf "\e[0;97mhigh intensity White\n"
```

And it looks like



youssefelalem commented Aug 5, 2024

what can i use for c++ code to change color of text or background



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melbit-dannyw commented Aug 6, 2024

@youssefalem See the examples at <https://stackoverflow.com/questions/4842424/list-of-ansi-color-escape-sequences>



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trothwell commented Jan 30, 2025 •



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```
# Try this one-liner
for x in {0..5}; do echo --- && for z in 0 10 60 70; do for y in {30..37}; do y=$((y + z)) && printf '\e[%d;%dm%12s\e[0m' "$x" "$y" "$(printf '\e[%d;%dm' ' "$x" "$y")" && printf ' ' ; done && printf '\n'; done; done
```

Basic 8 Colors

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