

Gradients in Photoshop

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Tool Bar Gradients

- **There are two Gradient tools that can be used:**
 - **Classic gradient**
 - This has been with Photoshop for quite some time and is what was used until about a year ago
 - **Gradient**
 - This is the latest version of the gradient tool and is created so that it is intuitive allowing real time adjustments

Adjustment Layer Gradients

- **There are two Gradient Adjustment Layers that can be used:**
 - **Gradient Map**
 - The gradient map maps different colors to an image base on the luminous of the underlying layer.
 - **Gradient**
 - The gradient adjustment layer is similar to the latest gradient tool in the tool bar
 - In the past it provided more feasibility to using the gradient

Types of Gradients in Photoshop

Linear

A vertical linear gradient transitioning from dark blue at the top to bright yellow at the bottom.

Radial

A radial gradient with a bright yellow center that fades to dark blue at the edges.

Angle Gradient

An angle gradient transitioning from dark blue on the left to bright yellow on the right.

Reflective Gradient

A reflective gradient with a bright yellow center that fades to dark blue at the edges, creating a mirror-like effect.

Diamond Gradient

A diamond gradient with a bright yellow center that fades to dark blue at the corners, forming a diamond shape.

The image features a red circular gradient with a dark blue center in the top-left corner, a grey circular gradient in the bottom-left corner, and a horizontal gradient bar at the bottom transitioning from yellow to red to dark blue. The word "Questions?" is centered in the middle of the image.

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