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## 1 Activity for week 3: How to plot and examine metadata for a NEON RGB Camera Image

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Check to confirm that Python 3.5 is running and change my working directory

```
In [1]: import sys
        print(sys.version)

        path1 = "C:\\Users\\Amanda Schwantes\\Documents\\workshopNEON2018\\week3prior\\"
        import os
        os.chdir(path1)
        print(os.getcwd())
```

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3.5.5 |Anaconda custom (64-bit)| (default, Apr 7 2018, 04:52:34) [MSC v.1900 64 bit (AMD64)]
C:\Users\Amanda Schwantes\Documents\workshopNEON2018\week3prior
```

Import the libraries and functions needed for the analysis

```
In [2]: import gdal
        import numpy as np
        import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
        %matplotlib inline
        import warnings
        warnings.filterwarnings('ignore')

In [3]: def RGBraster2array(RGB_geotif):
        """RGBraster2array reads in a NEON AOP geotif file and returns
        a numpy array, and header containing associated metadata with spatial information.
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        Parameters
            RGB_geotif -- full or relative path and name of reflectance hdf5 file
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        Returns
            -----
        """
```

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array:
    numpy array of geotif values
metadata:
    dictionary containing the following metadata (all strings):
        array_rows
        array_cols
        bands
        driver
        projection
        geotransform
        pixelWidth
        pixelHeight
        extent
        noDataValue
        scaleFactor

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Example Execution:  
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```

RGB_geotif = '2017_SERC_2_368000_4306000_image.tif'
RGBcam_array, RGBcam_metadata = RGBRaster2array(RGB_geotif) """

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metadata = {}
dataset = gdal.Open(RGB_geotif)
metadata['array_rows'] = dataset.RasterYSize
metadata['array_cols'] = dataset.RasterXSize
metadata['bands'] = dataset.RasterCount
metadata['driver'] = dataset.GetDriver().LongName
metadata['projection'] = dataset.GetProjection()
metadata['geotransform'] = dataset.GetGeoTransform()

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mapinfo = dataset.GetGeoTransform()
metadata['pixelWidth'] = mapinfo[1]
metadata['pixelHeight'] = mapinfo[5]

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metadata['ext_dict'] = {}
metadata['ext_dict']['xMin'] = mapinfo[0]
metadata['ext_dict']['xMax'] = mapinfo[0] + dataset.RasterXSize/mapinfo[1]
metadata['ext_dict']['yMin'] = mapinfo[3] + dataset.RasterYSize/mapinfo[5]
metadata['ext_dict']['yMax'] = mapinfo[3]

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metadata['extent'] = (metadata['ext_dict']['xMin'], metadata['ext_dict']['xMax'],
                    metadata['ext_dict']['yMin'], metadata['ext_dict']['yMax'])

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raster = dataset.GetRasterBand(1)
array_shape = raster.ReadAsArray(0,0,metadata['array_cols'],metadata['array_rows'])
metadata['noDataValue'] = raster.GetNoDataValue()
metadata['scaleFactor'] = raster.GetScale()

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array = np.zeros((array_shape[0],array_shape[1],dataset.RasterCount),'uint8') #pre
for i in range(1, dataset.RasterCount+1):
    band = dataset.GetRasterBand(i).ReadAsArray(0,0,metadata['array_cols'],metadata
    band[band==metadata['noDataValue']] = np.nan
    band = band/metadata['scaleFactor']
    array[...,i-1] = band

return array, metadata

```

**Load the image from our working directory and run the function that converts our raster file to an array**

```

In [4]: RGB_geotif = './2017_SERC_2_368000_4306000_image.tif'
        SERC_RGBcam_array, SERC_RGBcam_metadata = RGBRaster2array(RGB_geotif)

```

**Prints the dimensions of the array**

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In [5]: SERC_RGBcam_array.shape

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Out[5]: (10000, 10000, 3)

```

**prints the metadata (information that is stored in the header)**

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In [6]: for key in sorted(SERC_RGBcam_metadata.keys()):
        print(key)

```

```

array_cols
array_rows
bands
driver
ext_dict
extent
geotransform
noDataValue
pixelHeight
pixelWidth
projection
scaleFactor

```

**The function below plots a RGB image when a 3-band image is provided**

```

In [7]: def plot_band_array(band_array,
                             refl_extent,
                             colorlimit,
                             ax=plt.gca(),
                             title='',
                             cbar = 'on',
                             cmap_title='',

```

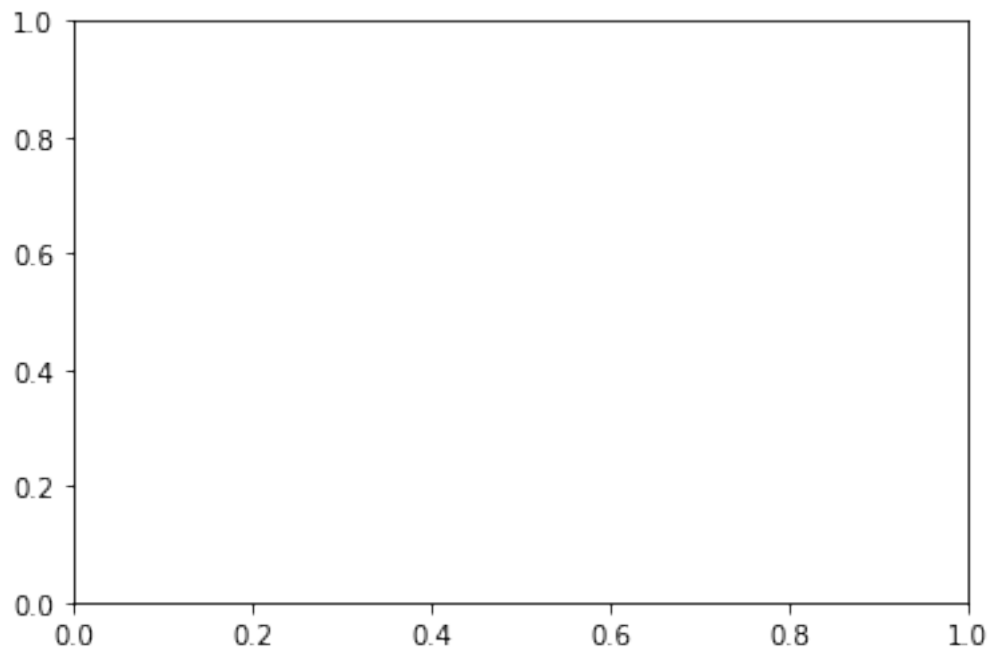
```

        colormap='spectral'):

'''plot_band_array reads in and plots a single band or an rgb band combination of
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Parameters
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    band_array: flightline array of reflectance values, created from h5refl2array
    refl_extent: extent of reflectance data to be plotted (xMin, xMax, yMin, yMax)
    colorlimit: range of values to plot (min,max). Best to look at the histogram of
    ax: optional, default = current axis
    title: string, optional; plot title
    cmap_title: string, optional; colorbar title
    colormap: string, optional; see https://matplotlib.org/examples/color/colormap
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Returns
    plots array of single band or RGB if given a 3-band
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Example:
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plot_band_array(SERC_RGBcam_array,
                SERC_RGBcam_metadata['extent'],
                (1,255),
                title='SERC RGB Camera Tile',
                cbar='off')'''

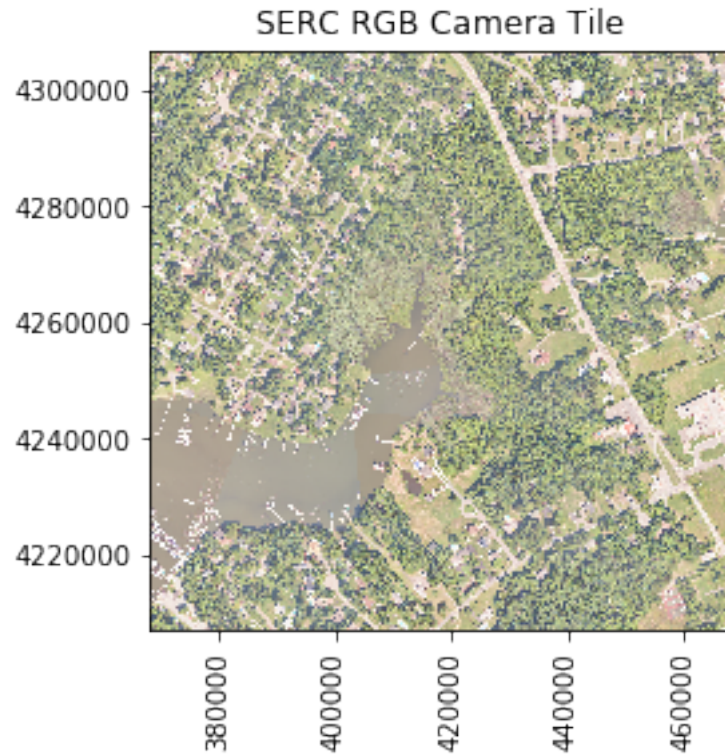
plot = plt.imshow(band_array,extent=refl_extent,clim=colorlimit);
if cbar == 'on':
    cbar = plt.colorbar(plot,aspect=40); plt.set_cmap(colormap);
    cbar.set_label(cmap_title,rotation=90,labelpad=20)
plt.title(title); ax = plt.gca();
ax.ticklabel_format(useOffset=False, style='plain'); #do not use scientific notation
rotatexlabels = plt.setp(ax.get_xticklabels(),rotation=90); #rotate x tick labels

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**We then plot our RGB image**

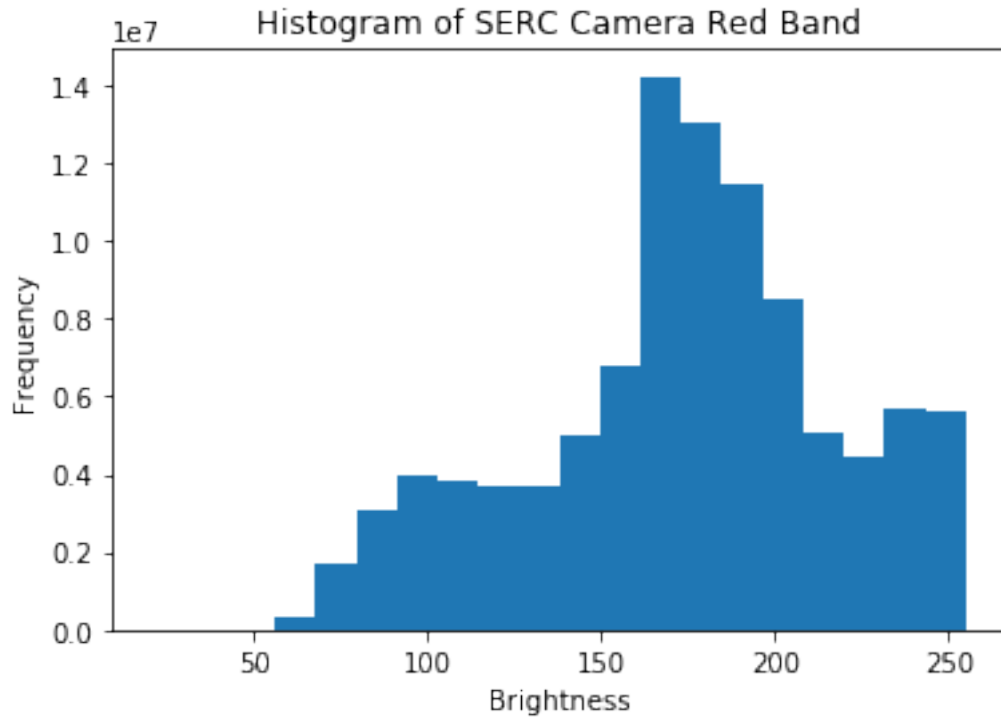
```
In [8]: plot_band_array(SERC_RGBcam_array,  
                        SERC_RGBcam_metadata['extent'],  
                        (1,255),  
                        title='SERC RGB Camera Tile',  
                        cbar='off')
```



Lastly, we plot a histogram of the first band: red

```
In [9]: plt.hist(np.ravel(SERC_RGBcam_array[:, :, 0]), 20);  
        plt.title('Histogram of SERC Camera Red Band')  
        plt.xlabel('Brightness'); plt.ylabel('Frequency')
```

```
Out[9]: Text(0, 0.5, 'Frequency')
```



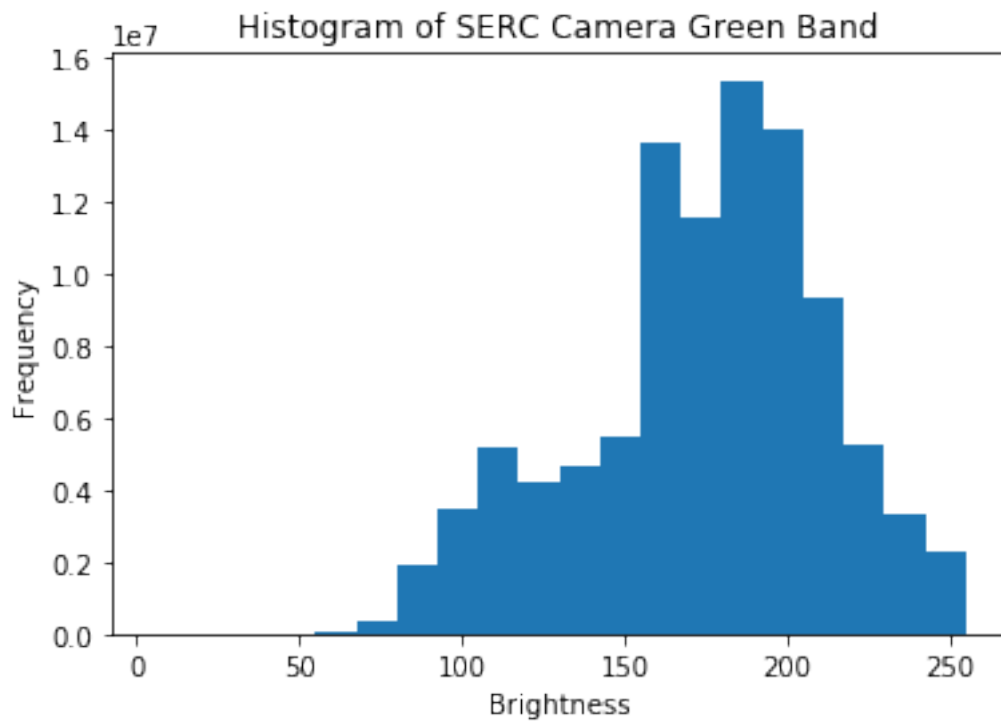
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## 2 Now for the challenge questions

**(1) Green and Blue band histograms** Assumptions are that the second band is green, and the third band is blue, based on the name of the file. This also seems to be the case based on the outputs of the plots below.

```
In [10]: plt.hist(np.ravel(SERC_RGBcam_array[:, :, 1]), 20);  
         plt.title('Histogram of SERC Camera Green Band')  
         plt.xlabel('Brightness'); plt.ylabel('Frequency')
```

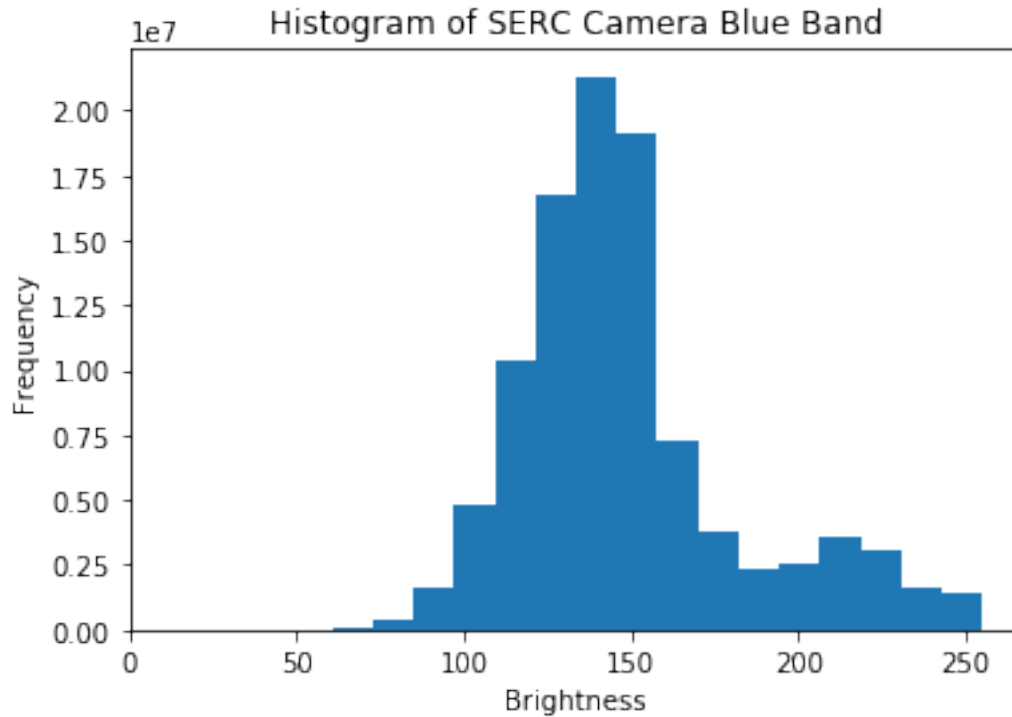
```
Out[10]: Text(0, 0.5, 'Frequency')
```



```
In [11]: plt.hist(np.ravel(SERC_RGBcam_array[:, :, 2]), 20);  
plt.title('Histogram of SERC Camera Blue Band')  
plt.xlabel('Brightness'); plt.ylabel('Frequency')
```

```
Out[11]: Text(0, 0.5, 'Frequency')
```





**(2a) Min and Max reflectance for each band** To calculate the min and max reflectance for each band we can use the `np.amin()` and `np.amax()` functions.

```
In [12]: B1min = np.amin(SERC_RGBcam_array[:, :, 0])
          B2min = np.amin(SERC_RGBcam_array[:, :, 1])
          B3min = np.amin(SERC_RGBcam_array[:, :, 2])

          B1max = np.amax(SERC_RGBcam_array[:, :, 0])
          B2max = np.amax(SERC_RGBcam_array[:, :, 1])
          B3max = np.amax(SERC_RGBcam_array[:, :, 2])

          print("Band 1: reflectance ranges from " + str(B1min) + " to " + str(B1max))
          print("Band 2: reflectance ranges from " + str(B2min) + " to " + str(B2max))
          print("Band 3: reflectance ranges from " + str(B3min) + " to " + str(B3max))
```

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Band 1: reflectance ranges from 21 to 255
Band 2: reflectance ranges from 5 to 255
Band 3: reflectance ranges from 12 to 255
```

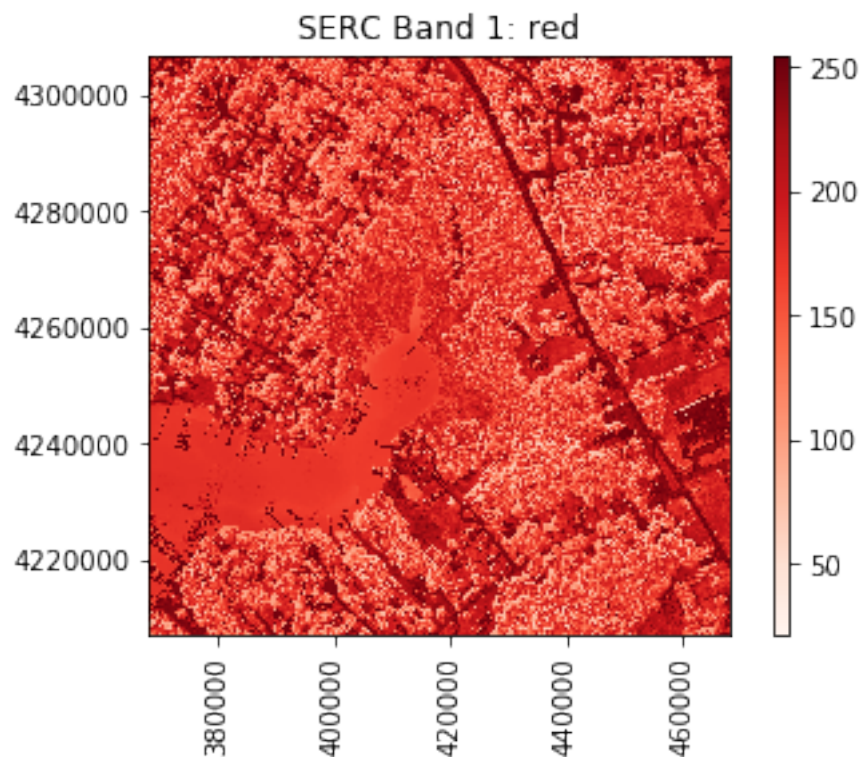
**(2b) Projection** Looking at the metadata the projection seems to be "WGS 84 / UTM zone 18N". Therefore, the UTM zone of the data is "18N".

```
In [13]: print(SERC_RGBcam_metadata['projection'])
```

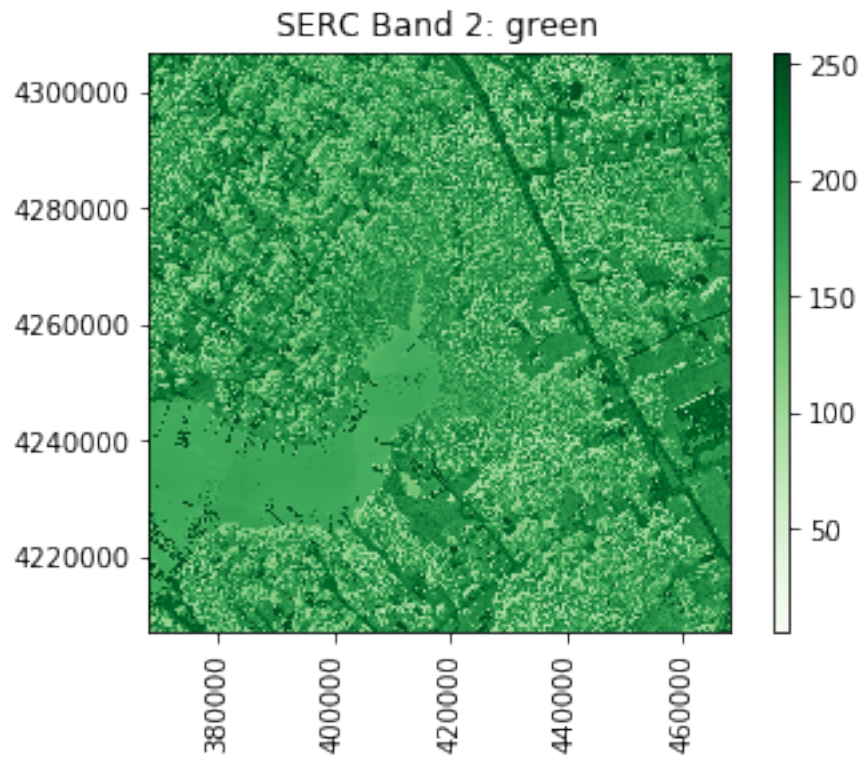
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PROJCS["WGS 84 / UTM zone 18N",GEOGCS["WGS 84",DATUM["WGS_1984",SPHEROID["WGS 84",6378137,298.15738474,
```

**(2c) Plot each band separately** We can use the min and max values we calculate above as inputs into the `SERC_RGBcam_array()` function. I also turned on the color bar and changed the color legends to reflect which band was being mapped.

```
In [14]: plot_band_array(SERC_RGBcam_array[:, :, 0],
                        SERC_RGBcam_metadata['extent'],
                        (B1min, B1max),
                        title='SERC Band 1: red',
                        cbar='on',
                        colormap='Reds')
```



```
In [15]: plot_band_array(SERC_RGBcam_array[:, :, 1],
                        SERC_RGBcam_metadata['extent'],
                        (B2min, B2max),
                        title='SERC Band 2: green',
                        cbar='on',
                        colormap='Greens')
```



```
In [16]: plot_band_array(SERC_RGBcam_array[:, :, 2],  
                        SERC_RGBcam_metadata['extent'],  
                        (B3min, B3max),  
                        title='SERC Band 3: Blue',  
                        cbar='on',  
                        colormap='Blues')
```

