

Visualizing time series

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Datetimes & time series

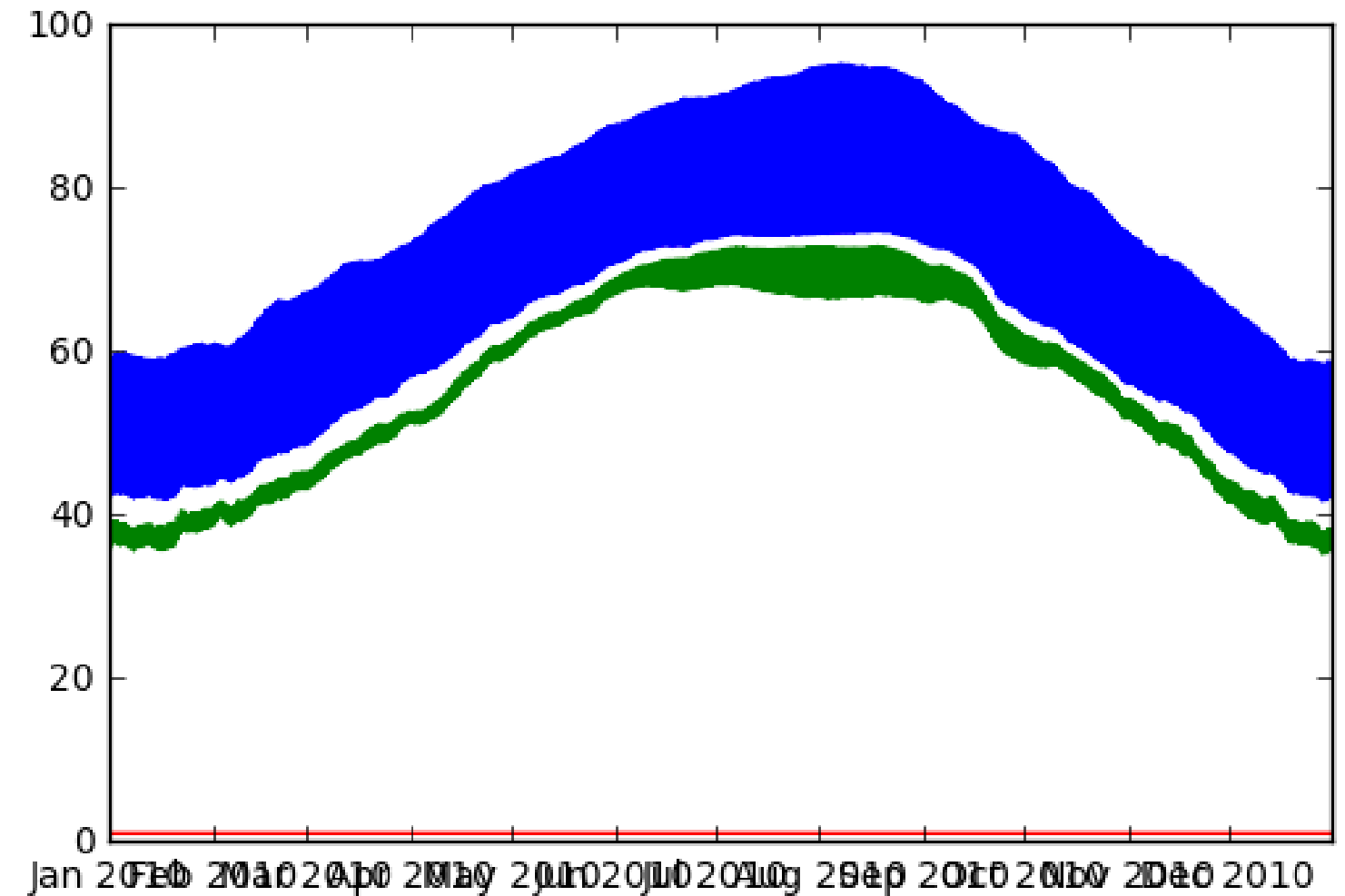
```
type(weather), type(weather.index)
```

```
(pandas.core.frame.DataFrame, pandas.tseries.index.DatetimeIndex)
```

| Date | Temperature | DewPoint | Pressure |
|------------------------|-------------|----------|----------|
| 2010-01-01 00:00:00 AM | 46.2 | 37.5 | 1 |
| 2010-01-01 01:00:00 AM | 44.6 | 37.1 | 1 |
| 2010-01-01 02:00:00 AM | 44.1 | 36.9 | 1 |
| ... | ... | ... | ... |

Plotting DataFrames

```
plt.plot(weather)  
plt.show()
```



Time series

- `pandas` time series: `datetime` as index
- Datetime: represents periods or time-stamps
- Datetime index: specialized slicing
 - `weather['2010-07-04']`
 - `weather['2010-03' : '2010-04']`
 - `weather['2010-05']`
 - etc.

Slicing time series

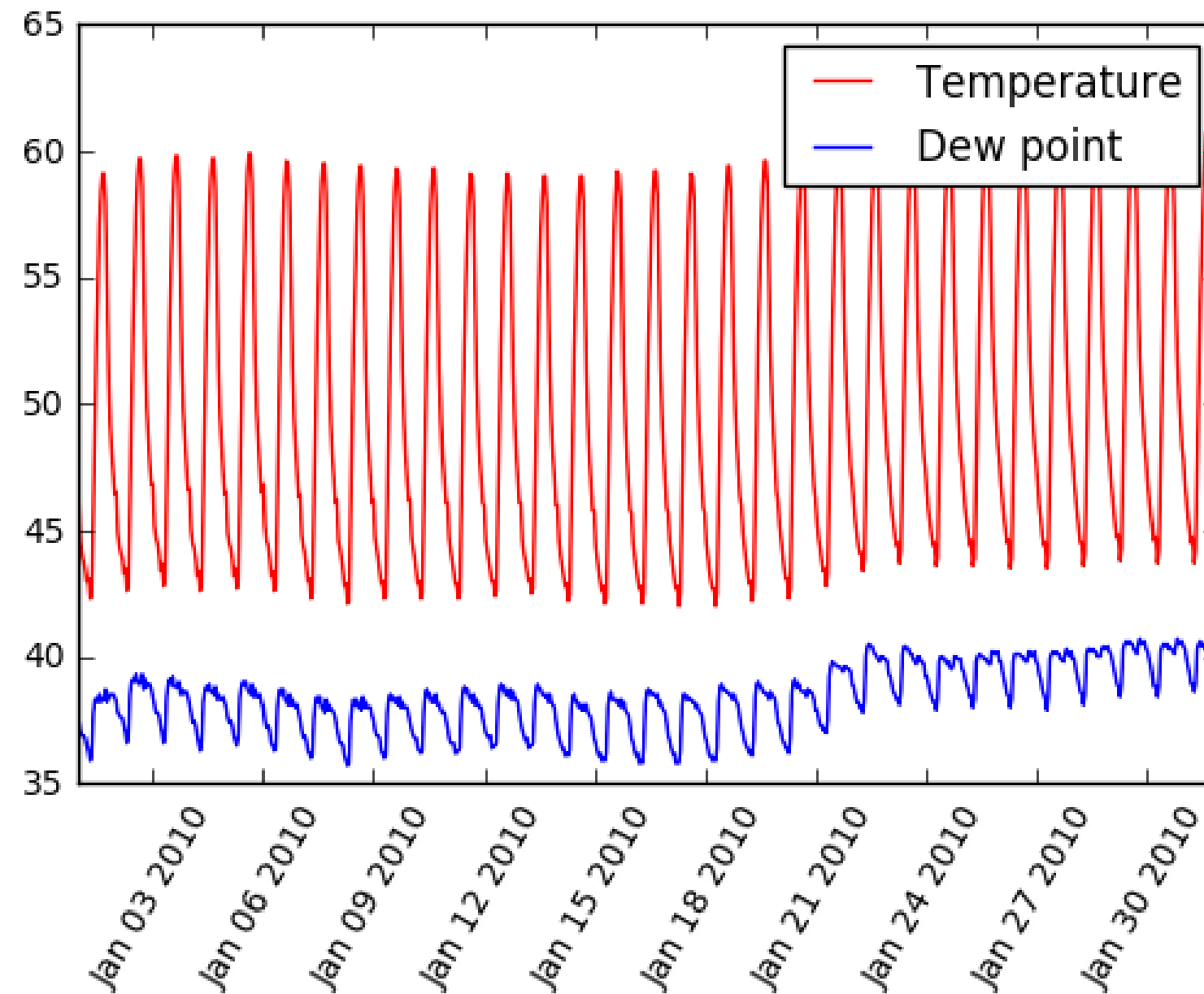
```
temperature = weather['Temperature']  
march_apr = temperature['2010-03':'2010-04'] # data of March & April 2010 only  
march_apr.shape
```

```
(1463,)
```

```
march_apr.iloc[-4:] #extract last 4 entries from time series
```

```
Date  
2010-04-30 20:00:00    73.3  
2010-04-30 21:00:00    71.3  
2010-04-30 22:00:00    69.7  
2010-04-30 23:00:00    68.5  
Name: Temperature, dtype: float64
```

Plotting time series slices

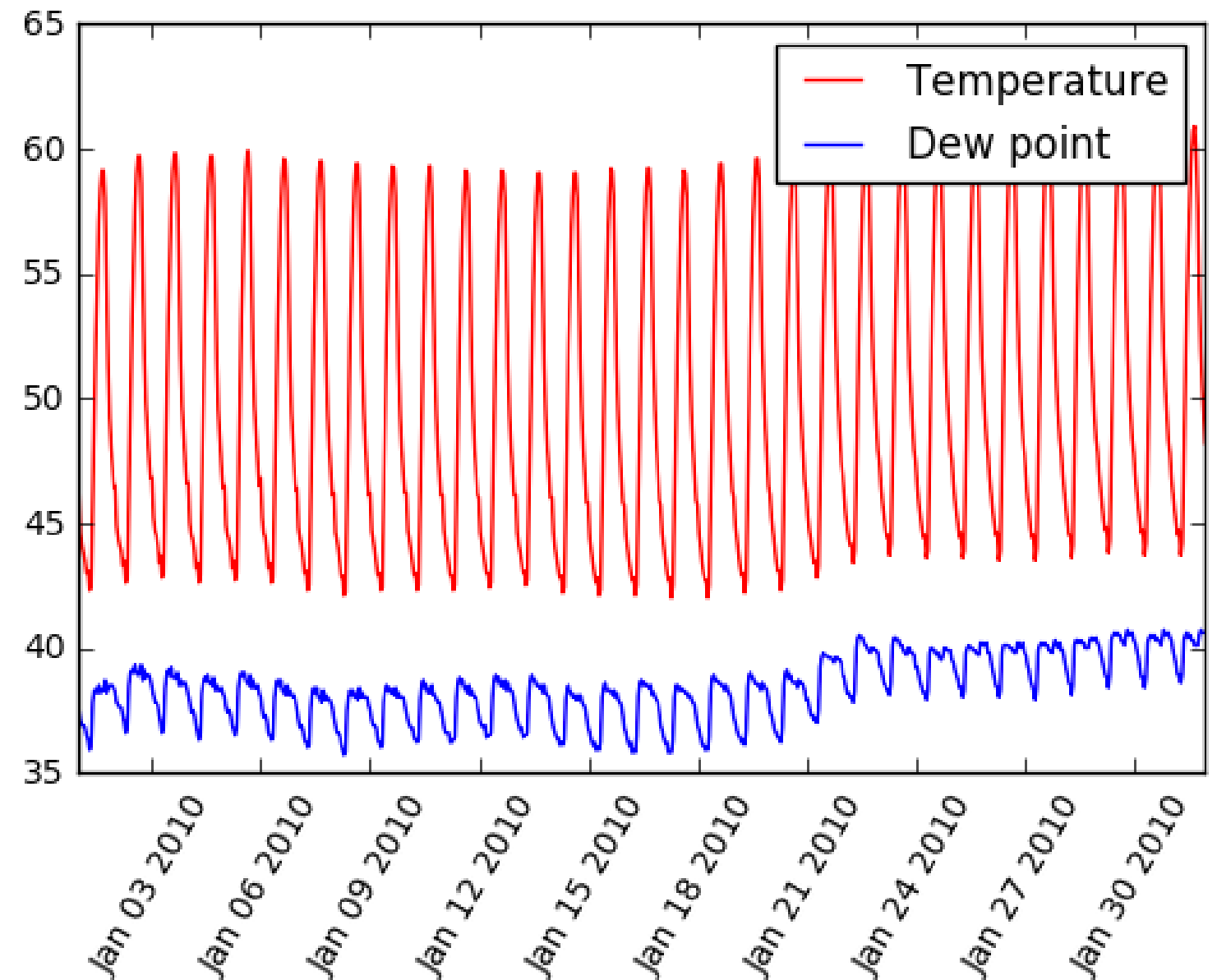


Plotting time series slices

```
plt.plot(temperature['2010-01'],  
         color='red',  
         label='Temperature')
```

```
dew_point = weather['DewPoint']  
plt.plot(dewpoint['2010-01'],  
         color='blue',  
         label='Dewpoint')
```

```
plt.legend(loc='upper right')  
plt.xticks(rotation=60)  
plt.show()
```



Selecting & formatting dates

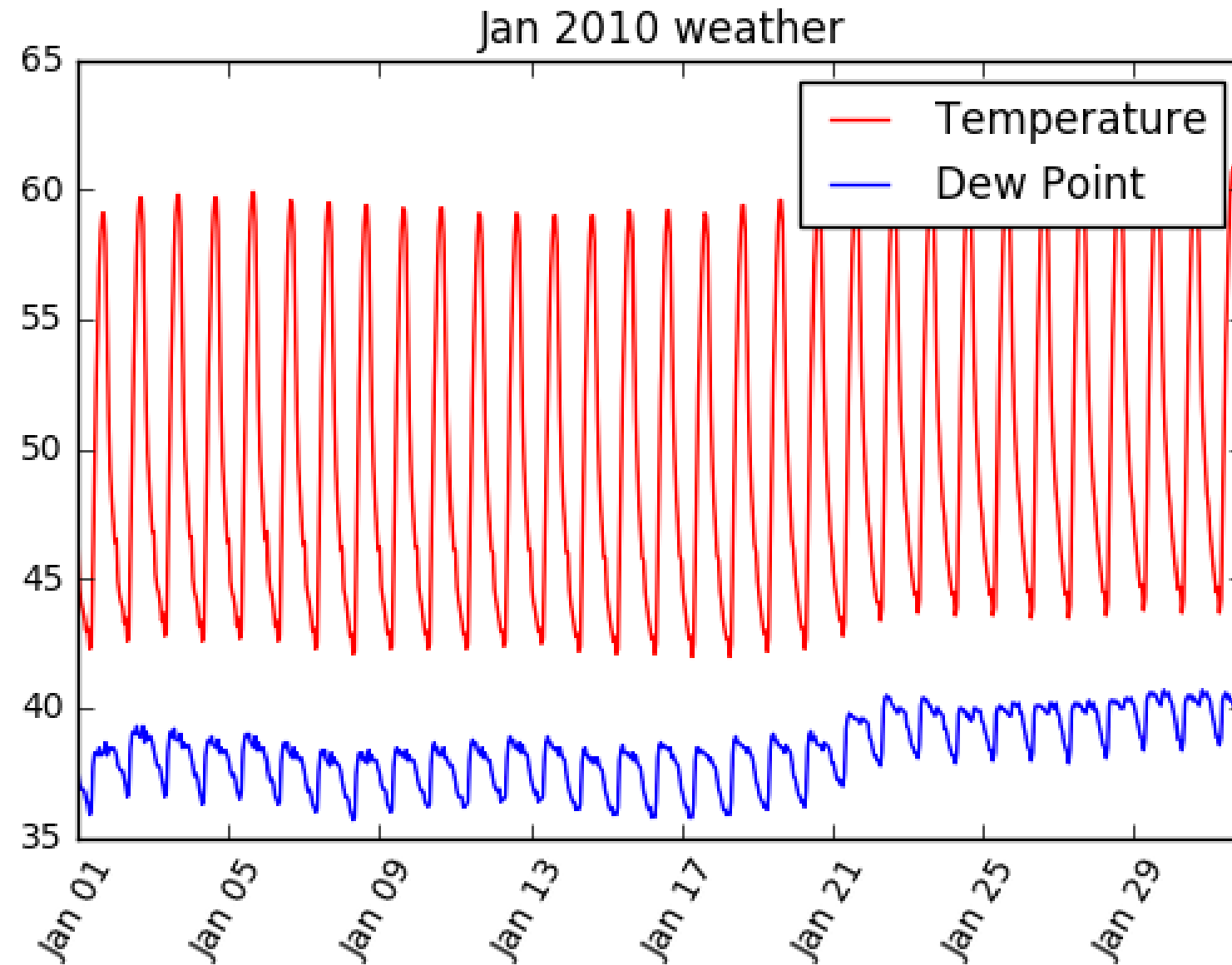
```
jan = temperature['2010-01']  
dates = jan.index[::96] # Pick every 4th day  
print(dates)
```

```
DatetimeIndex(['2010-01-01', '2010-01-05', '2010-01-09', '2010-01-13', '2010-01-17',  
              '2010-01-21', '2010-01-25', '2010-01-29'], dtype='datetime64[ns]', name='Date', freq=None)
```

```
labels = dates.strftime('%b %d') # Make formatted labels  
print(labels)
```

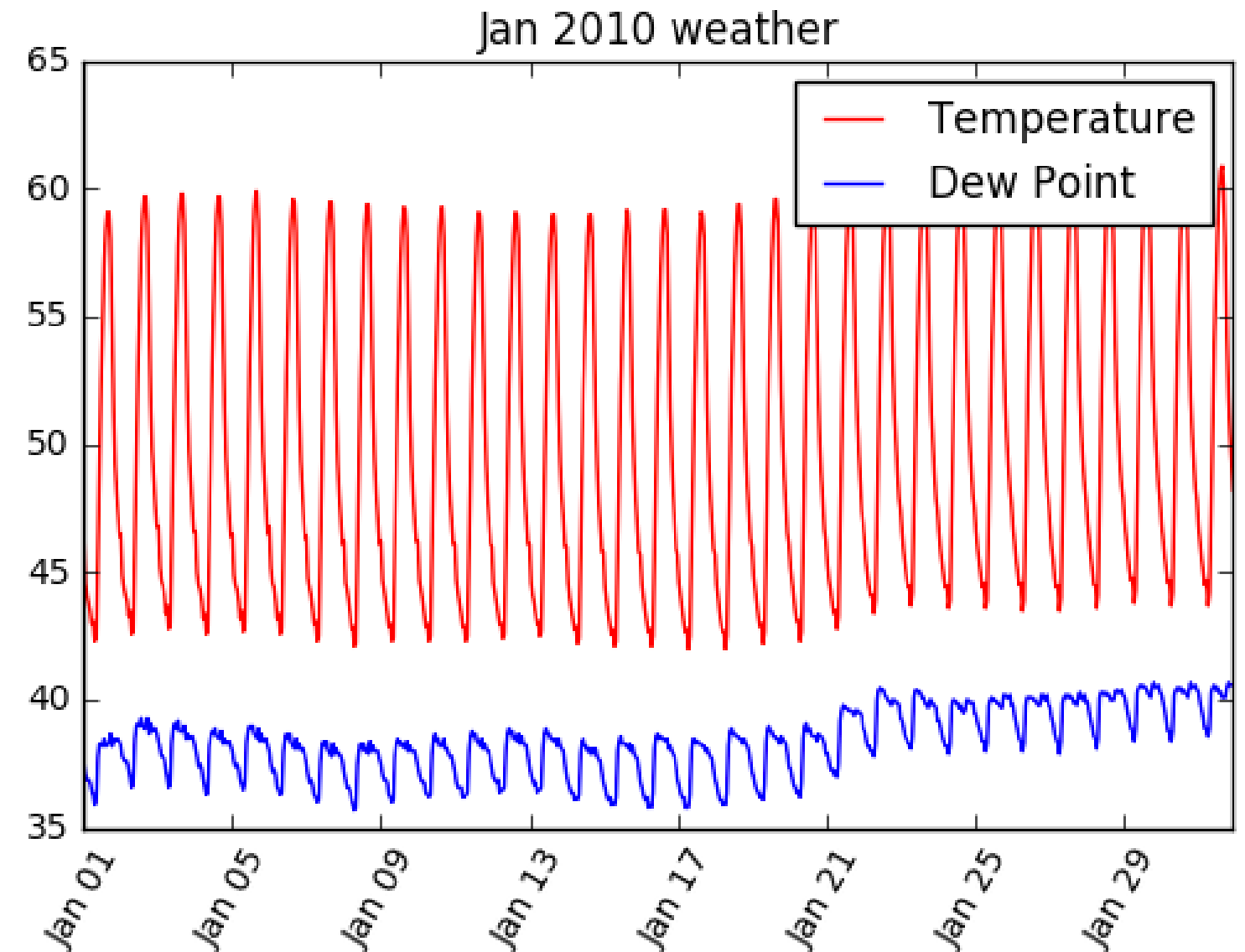
```
['Jan 01' 'Jan 05' 'Jan 09' 'Jan 13' 'Jan 17' 'Jan 21' 'Jan 25' 'Jan 29']
```


Cleaning up ticks on axis



Cleaning up ticks on axis

```
plt.plot(temperature['2010-01'],  
         color='red',  
         label='Temperature')  
  
plt.plot(dewpoint['2010-01'],  
         color='blue',  
         label='Dewpoint')  
  
plt.xticks(dates, labels, rotation=60)  
  
plt.legend(loc='upper right')  
plt.show()
```

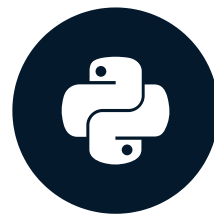


Let's practice!

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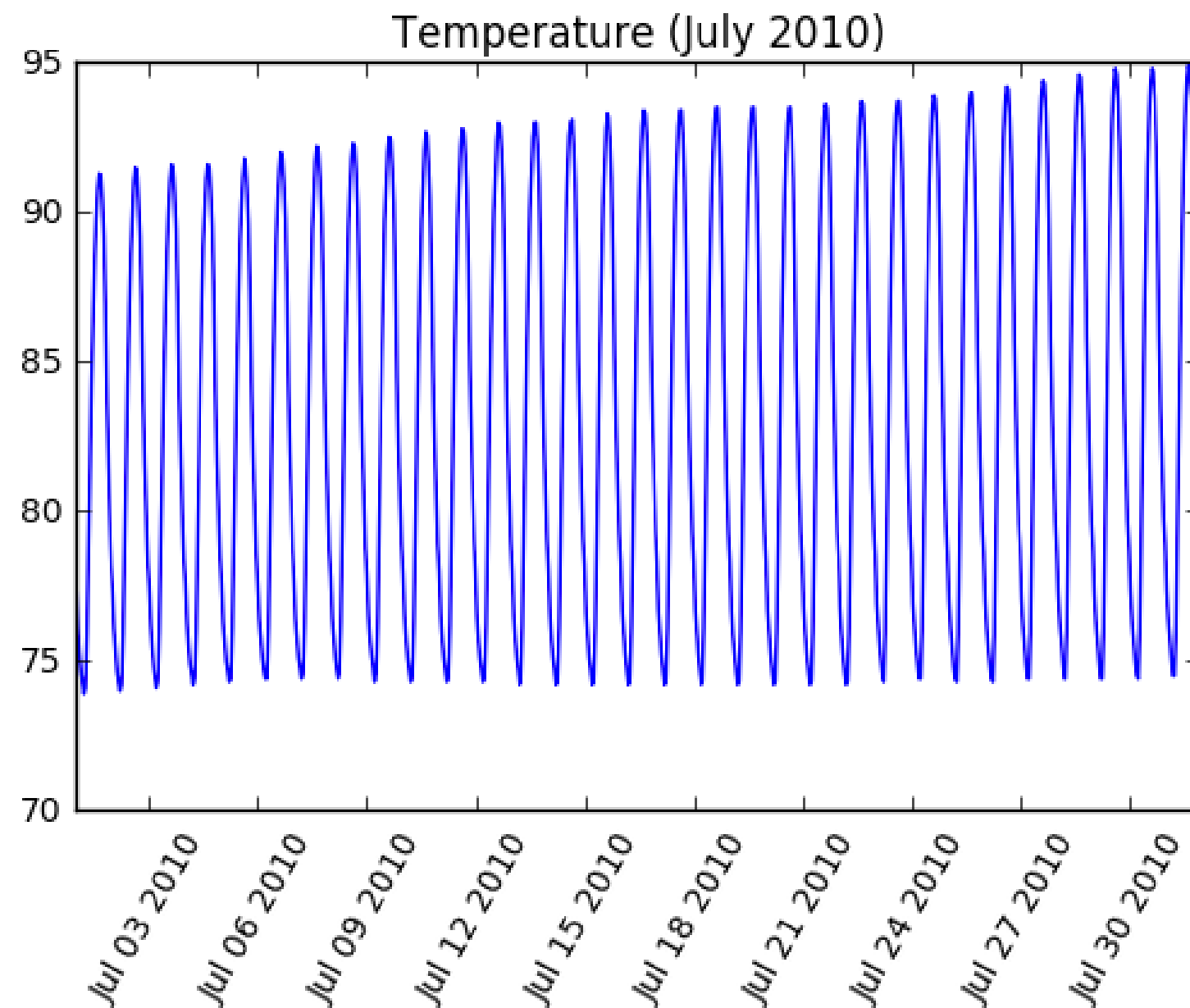
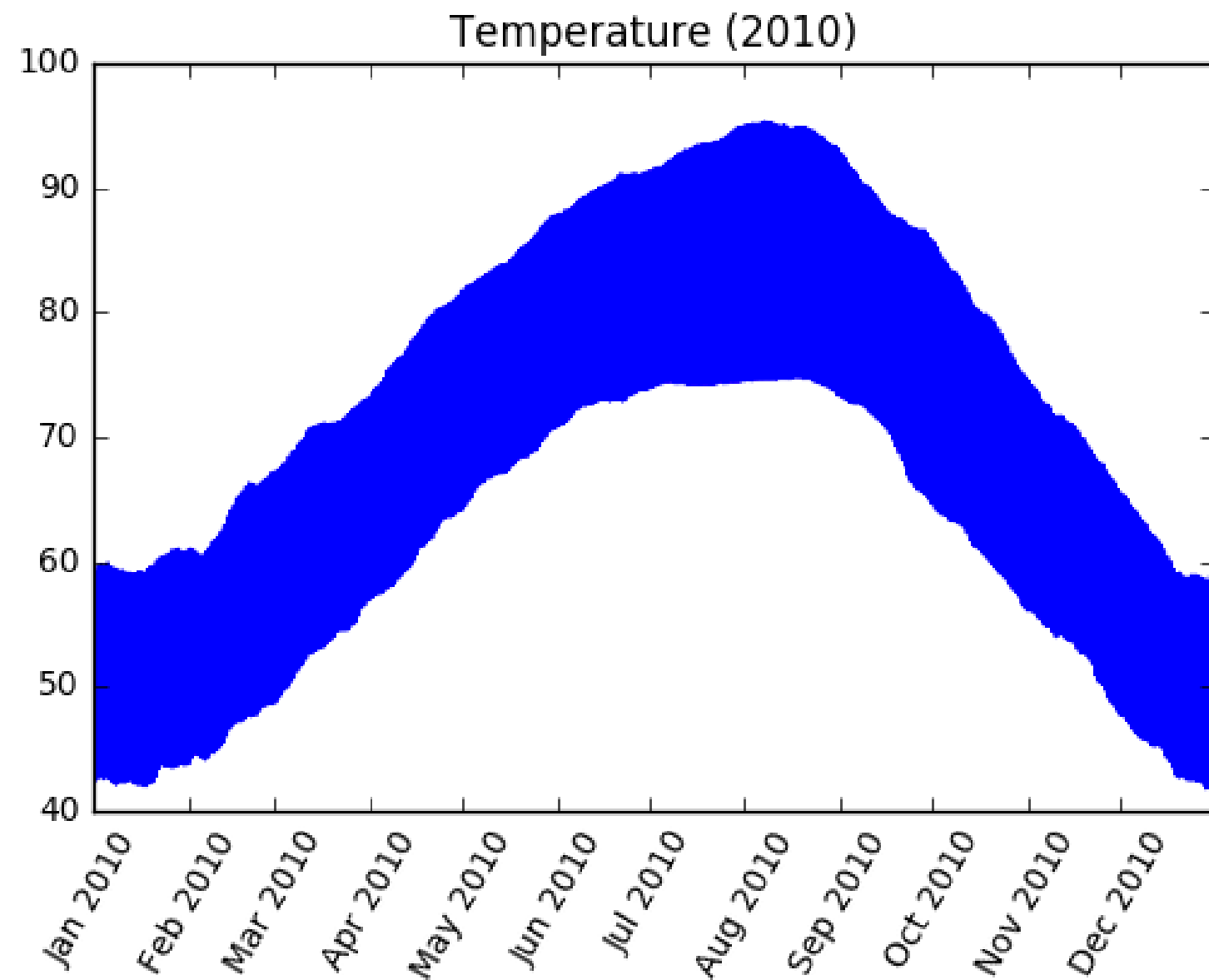
Time series with moving windows

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Hourly data over a year



Moving windows and time series

- Moving window calculations
 - Averages
 - Medians
 - Standard deviations
- Extracts information on longer time scales
- See `pandas` courses on how to compute

Moving averages

```
# smoothed computing using moving averages
smoothed.info()
```

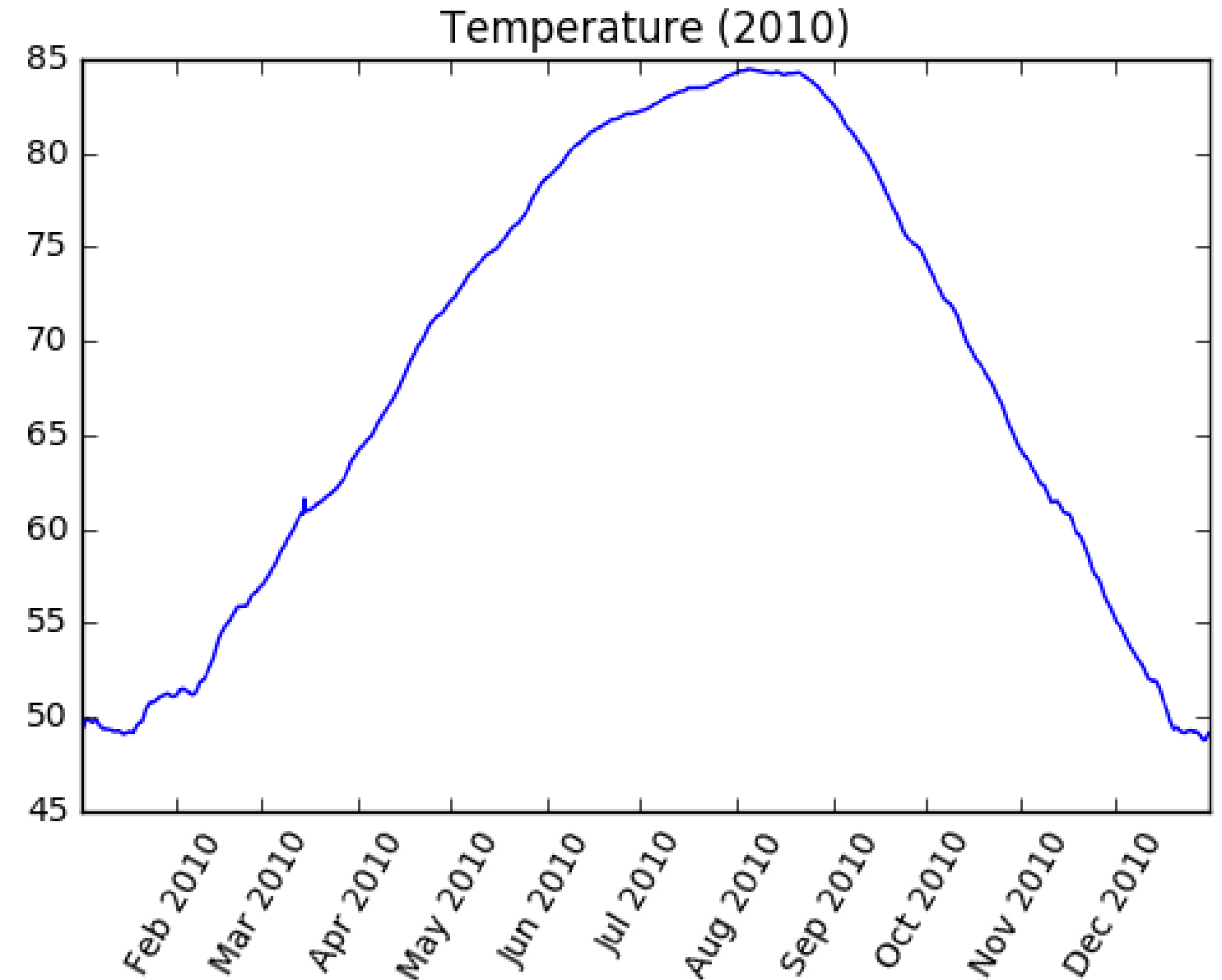
```
<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
DatetimeIndex: 8759 entries,
2010-01-01 00:00:00 to 2010-12-31 23:00:00
Data columns (total 5 columns):
14d          8424 non-null float64
1d           8736 non-null float64
3d           8688 non-null float64
7d           8592 non-null float64
dtypes: float64(5)
memory usage: 410.6 KB
```

```
print(smoothed.iloc[:3,:])
```

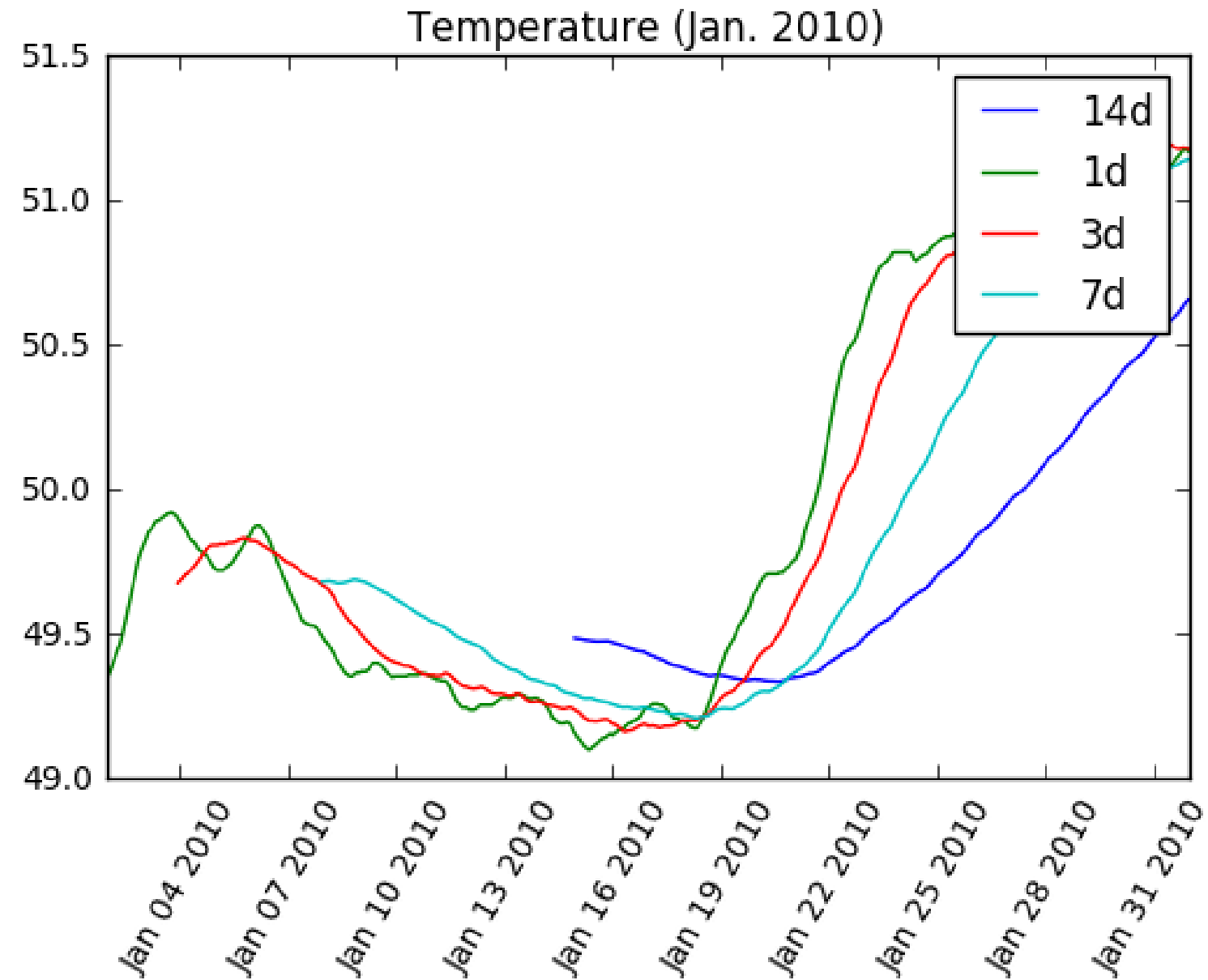
| Date | 14d | 1d | 3d | 7d | Temperature |
|---------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------------|
| 2010-01-01 00:00:00 | NaN | NaN | NaN | NaN | 46.2 |
| 2010-01-01 01:00:00 | NaN | NaN | NaN | NaN | 44.6 |
| 2010-01-01 02:00:00 | NaN | NaN | NaN | NaN | 44.1 |

Viewing 24 hour averages

```
# moving average over 24 hours
plt.plot(smoothed['1d'])
plt.title('Temperature (2010)')
plt.xticks(rotation=60)
plt.show()
```

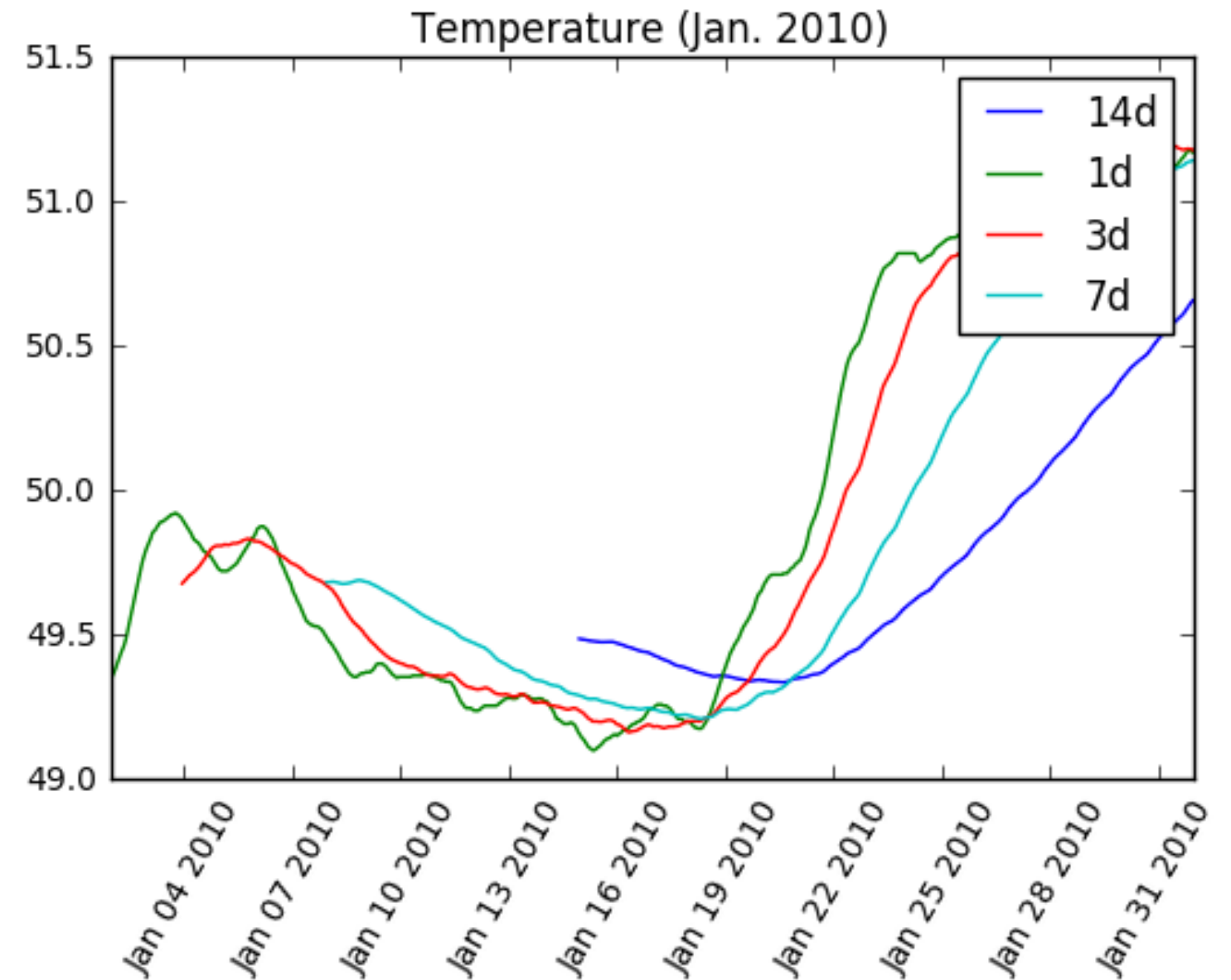


Viewing all moving averages

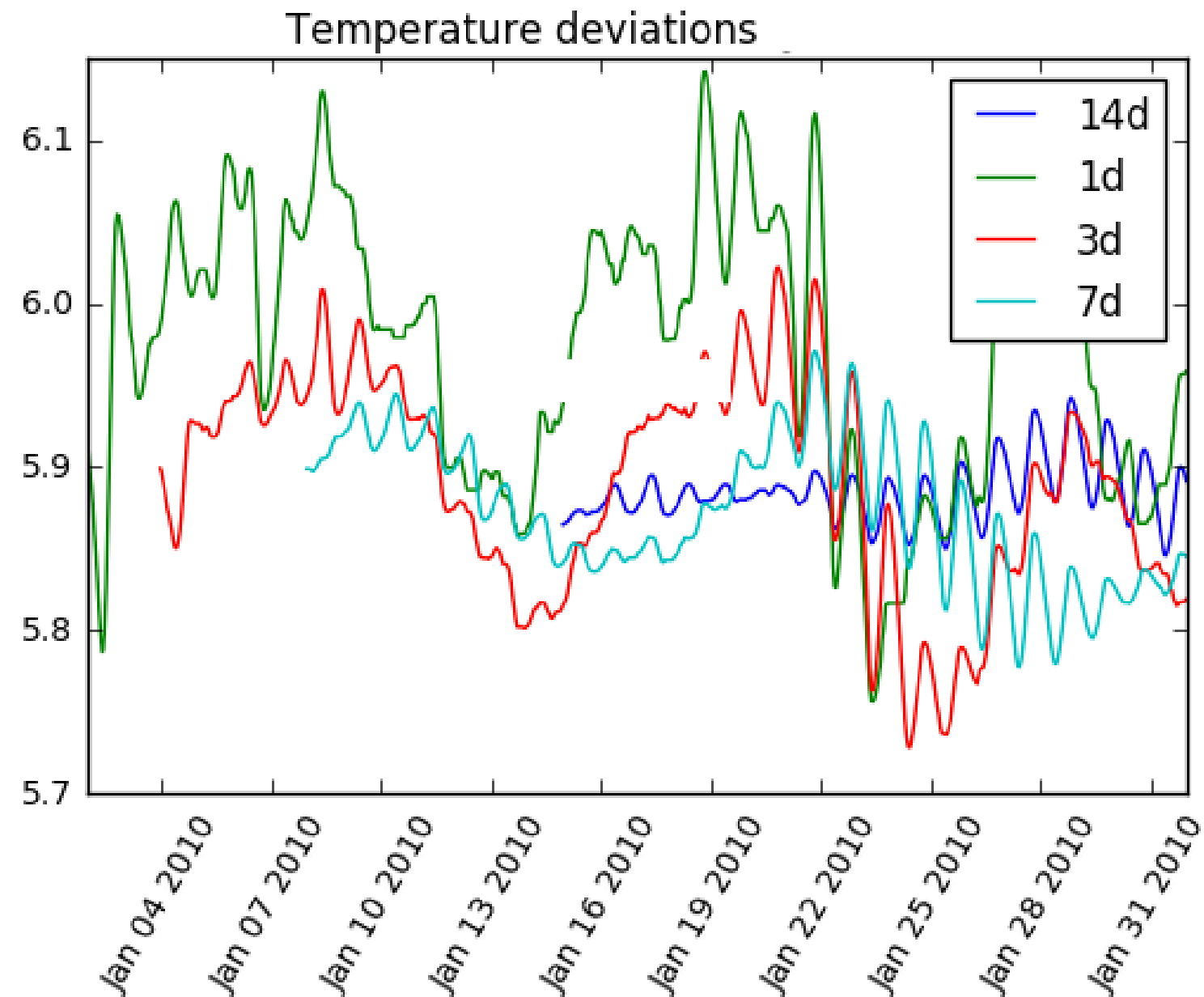


Viewing all moving averages

```
# plot DataFrame for January
plt.plot(smoothed['2010-01'])
plt.legend(smoothed.columns)
plt.title('Temperature (Jan. 2010)')
plt.xticks(rotation=60)
plt.show()
```

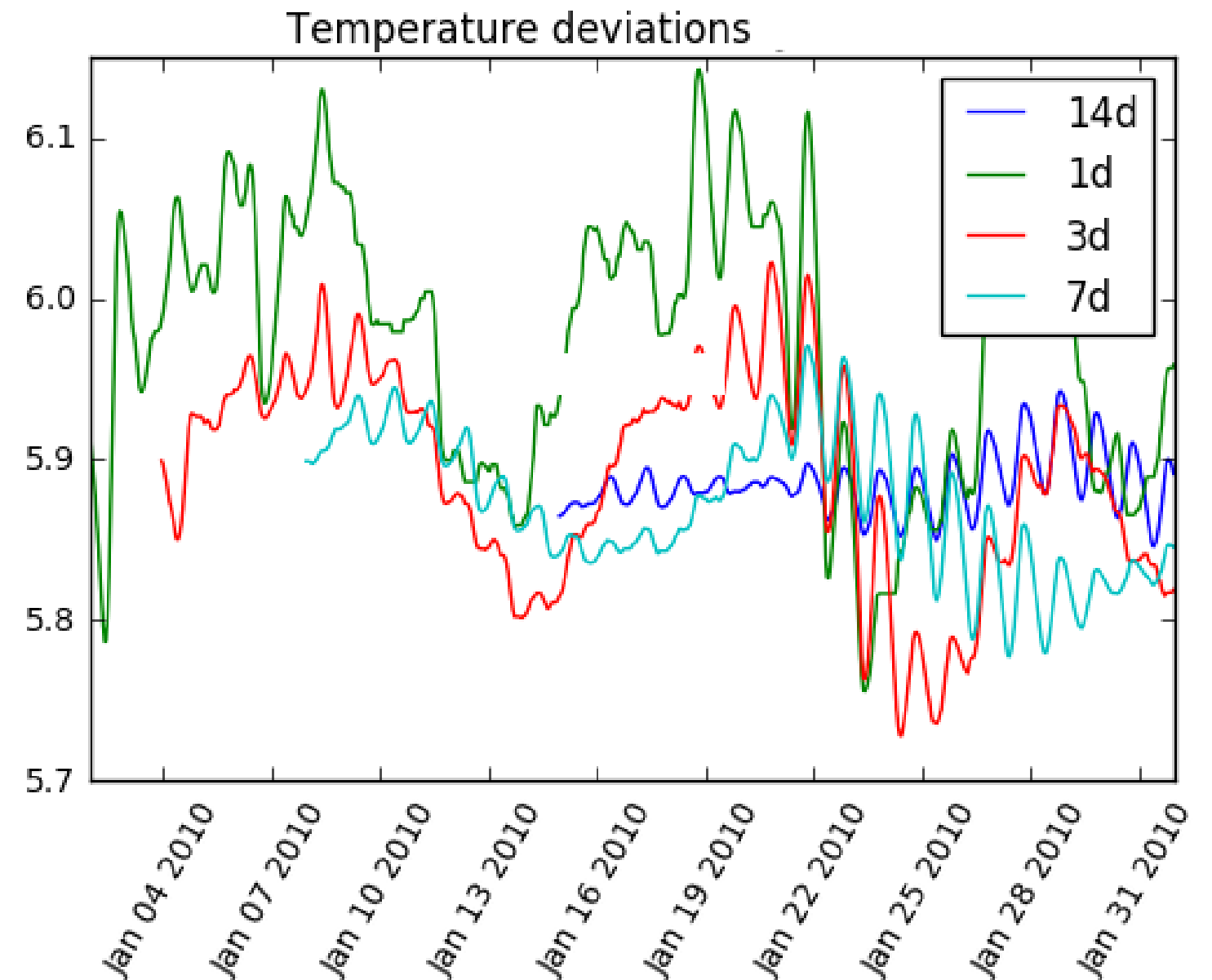


Moving standard deviations



Moving standard deviations

```
plt.plot(variances['2010-01'])  
plt.legend(variances.columns)  
plt.title('Temperature deviations')  
plt.xticks(rotation=60)  
plt.show()
```



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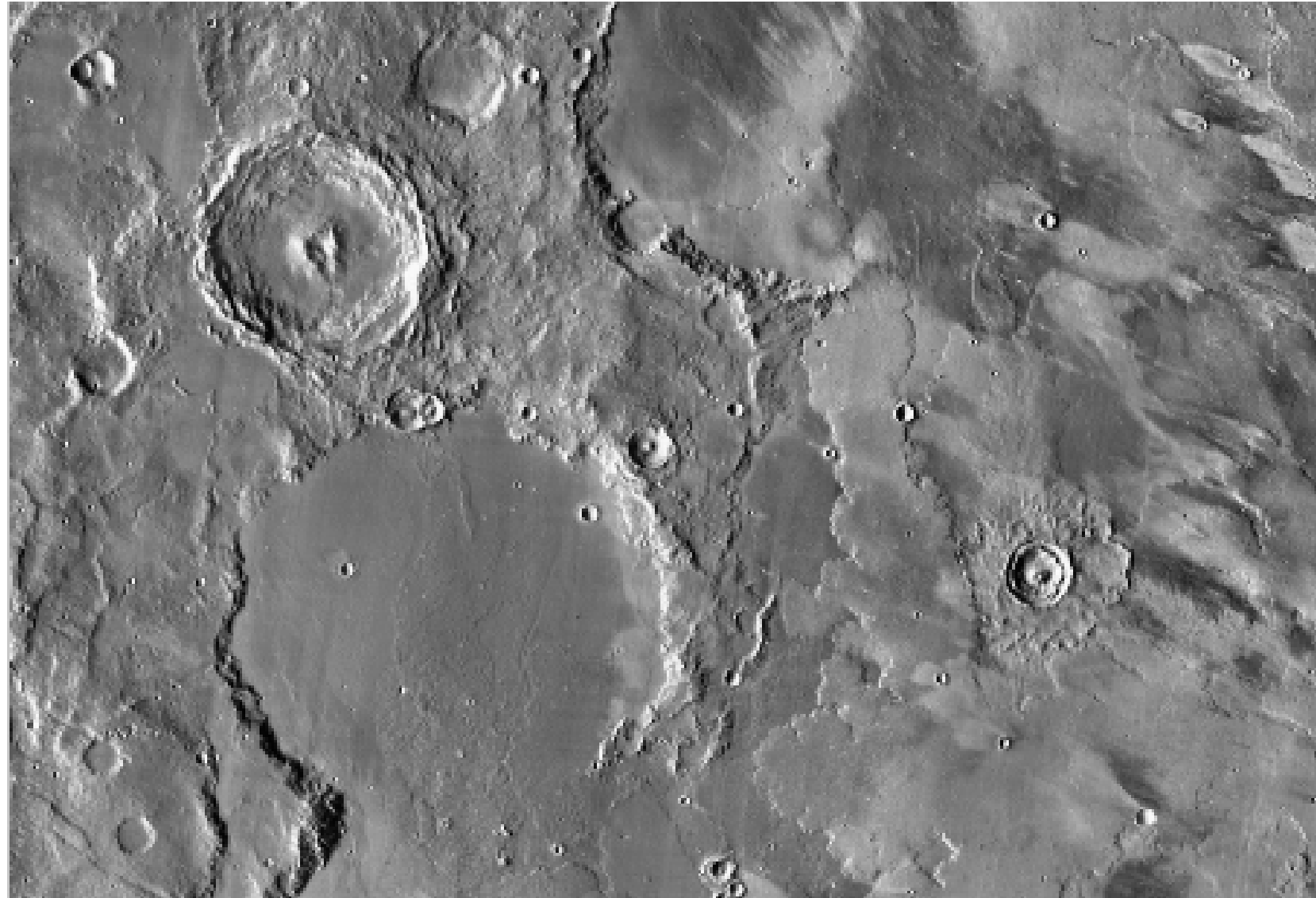
Histogram equalization in images

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Original image



Equalized image

Equalized image

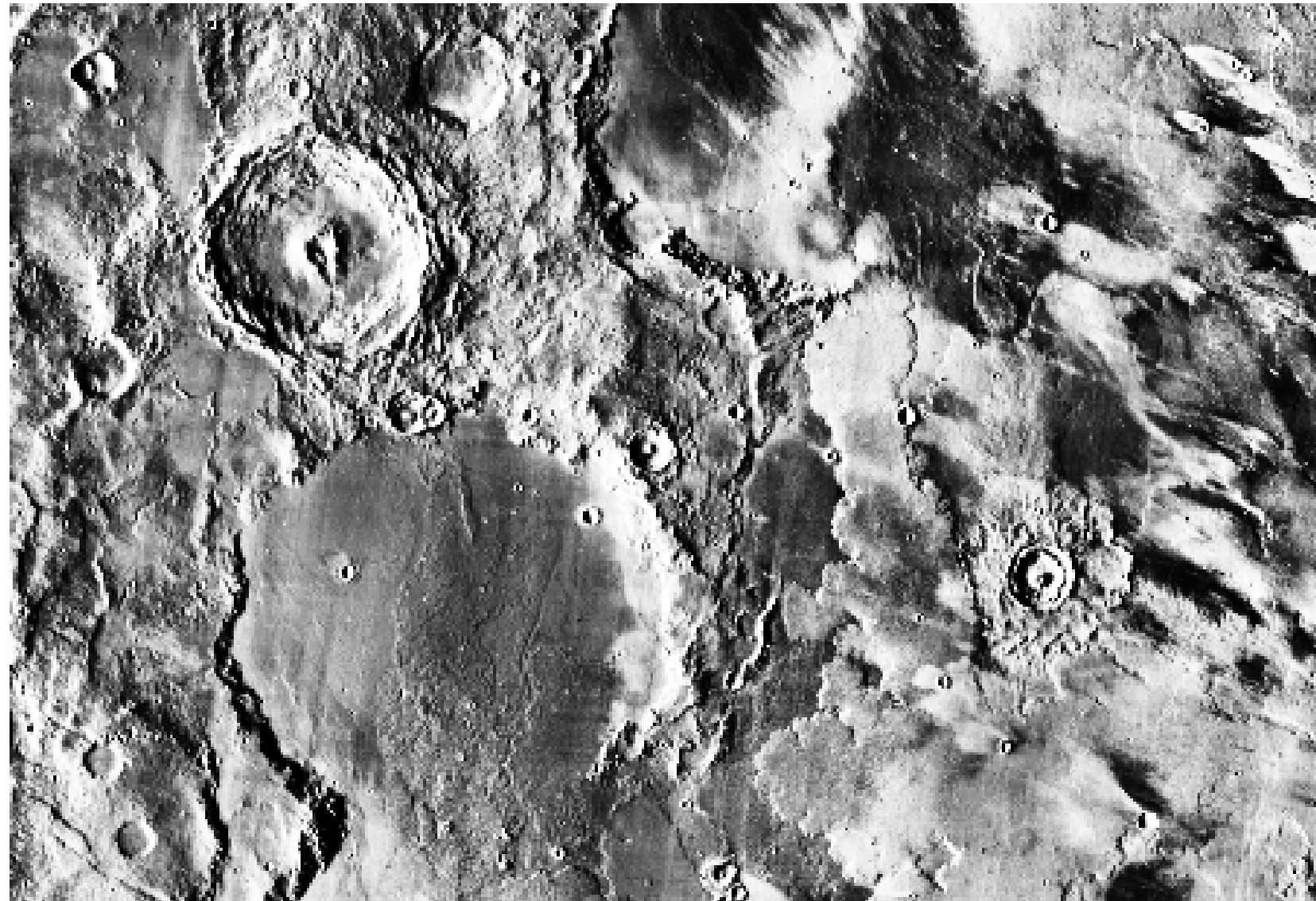


Image histograms

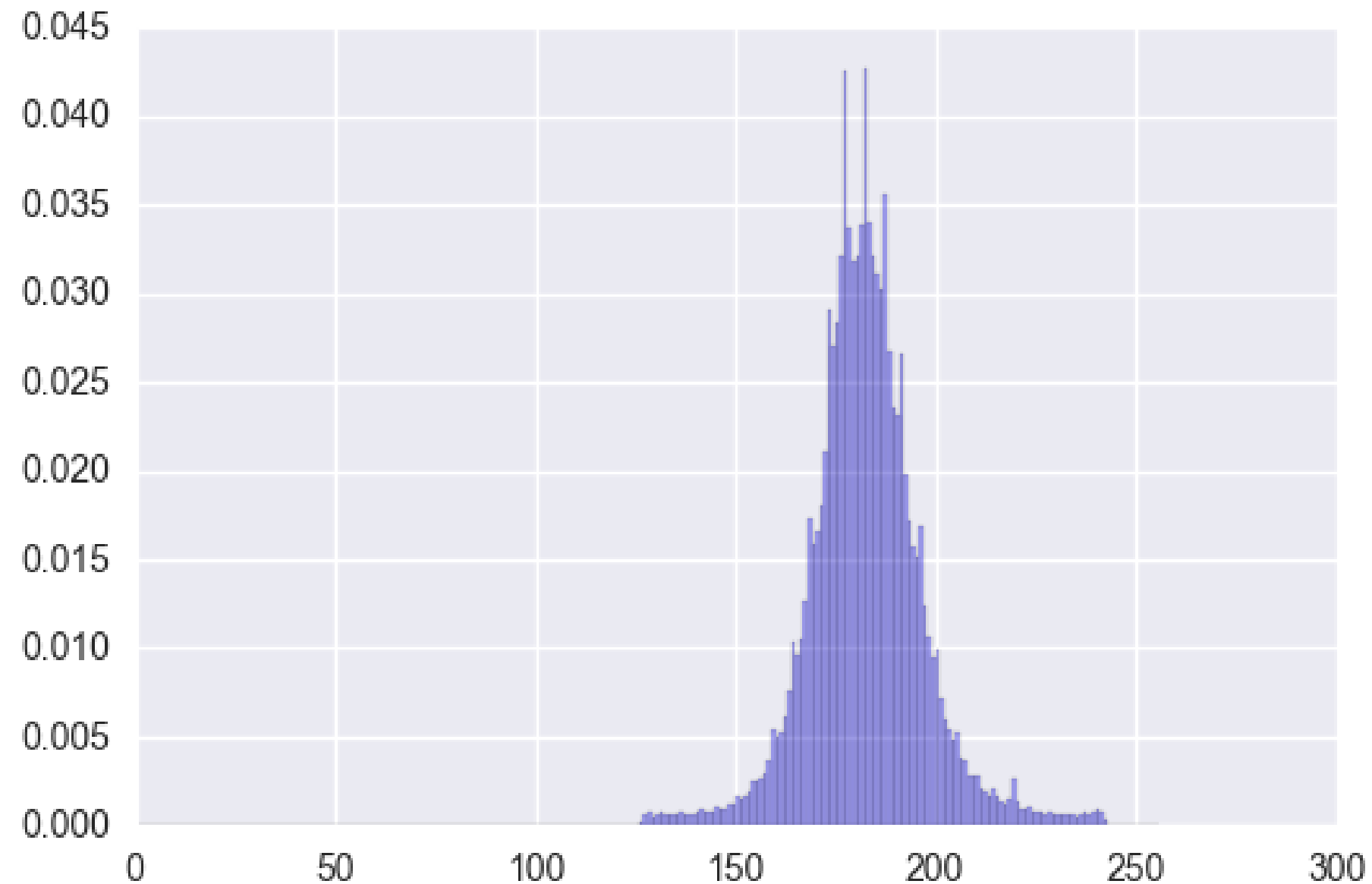
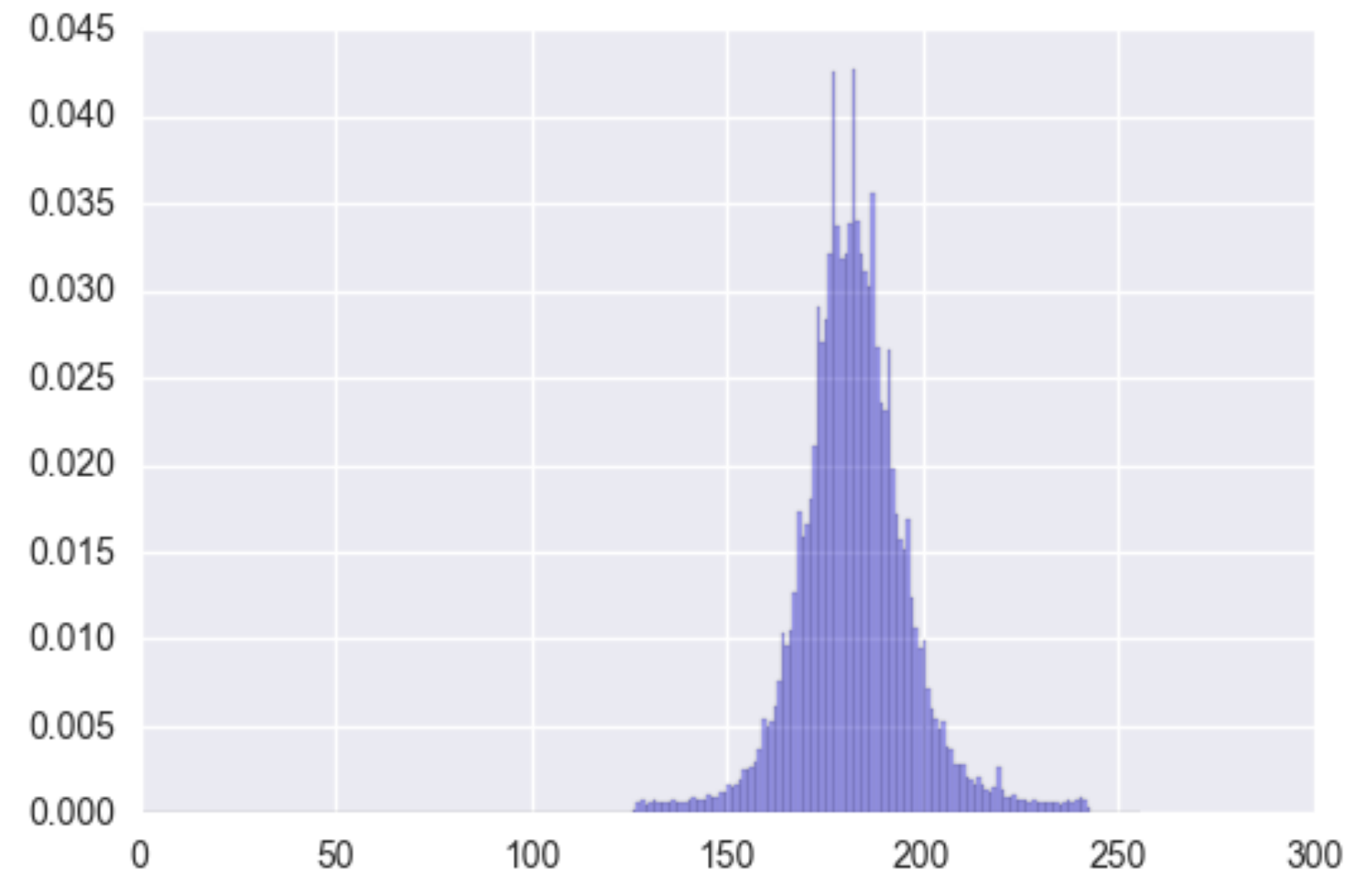


Image histograms

```
orig = plt.imread('low-contrast-moon.jpg')
pixels = orig.flatten()
plt.hist(pixels, bins=256, range=(0, 256),
        normed=True,
        color='blue', alpha=0.3)

plt.show()
minval, maxval = orig.min(), orig.max()
print(minval, maxval)
```

```
125 244
```



Rescaling the image

```
minval, maxval = orig.min(), orig.max()  
print(minval, maxval)
```

```
125 244
```

```
rescaled = (255/(maxval-minval)) * (pixels - minval)  
print(rescaled.min(), rescaled.max())
```

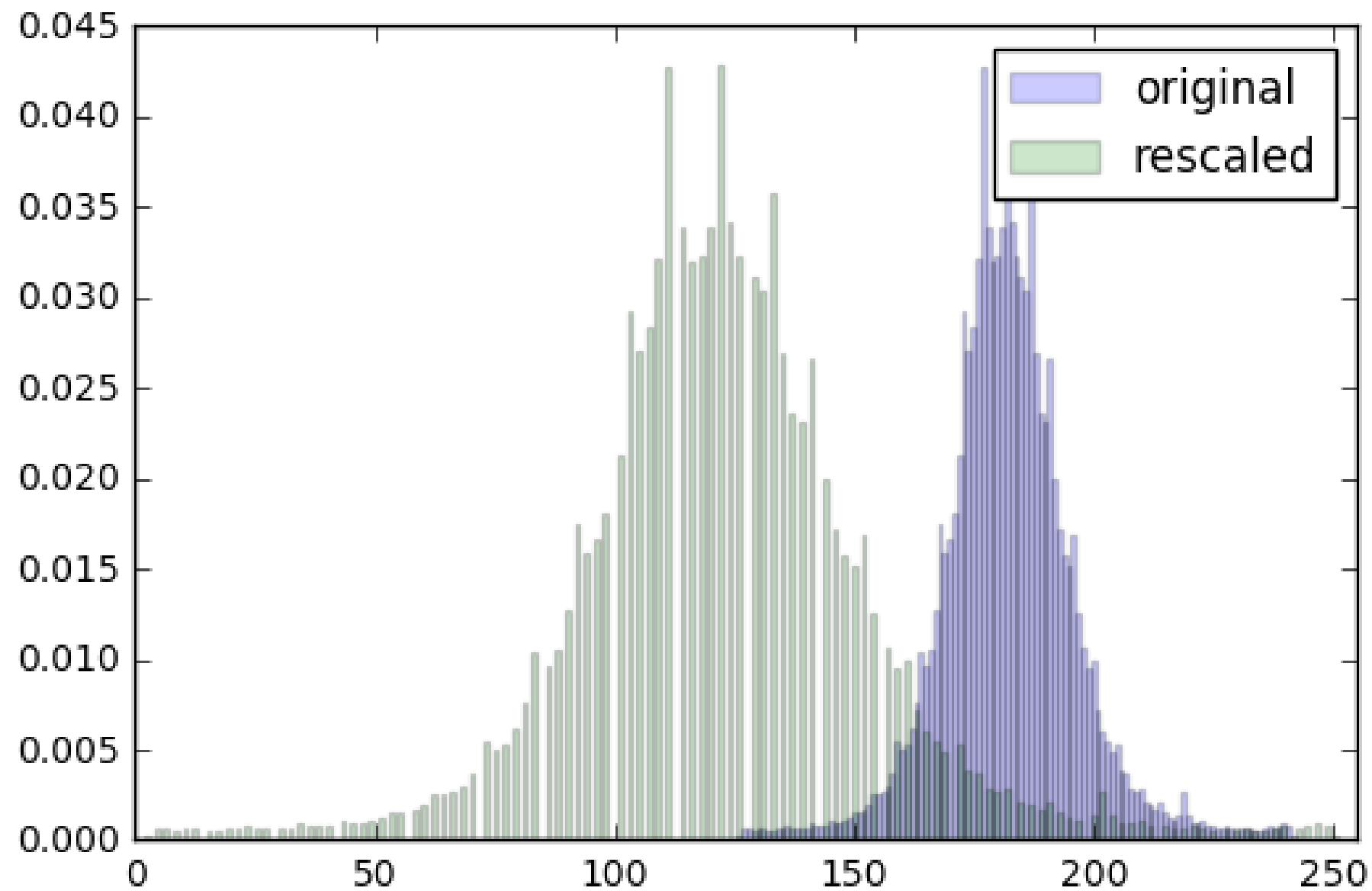
```
0.0 255.0
```

```
plt.imshow(rescaled)  
plt.axis('off')  
plt.show()
```

Rescaled image



Original and rescaled histograms



Original and rescaled histograms

```
plt.hist(orig.flatten(), bins=256,  
         range=(0,255), normed=True,  
         color='blue', alpha=0.2))  
plt.hist(rescaled.flatten(), bins=256,  
         range=(0,255), normed=True,  
         color='green', alpha=0.2))  
plt.legend(['original', 'rescaled'])  
plt.show()
```

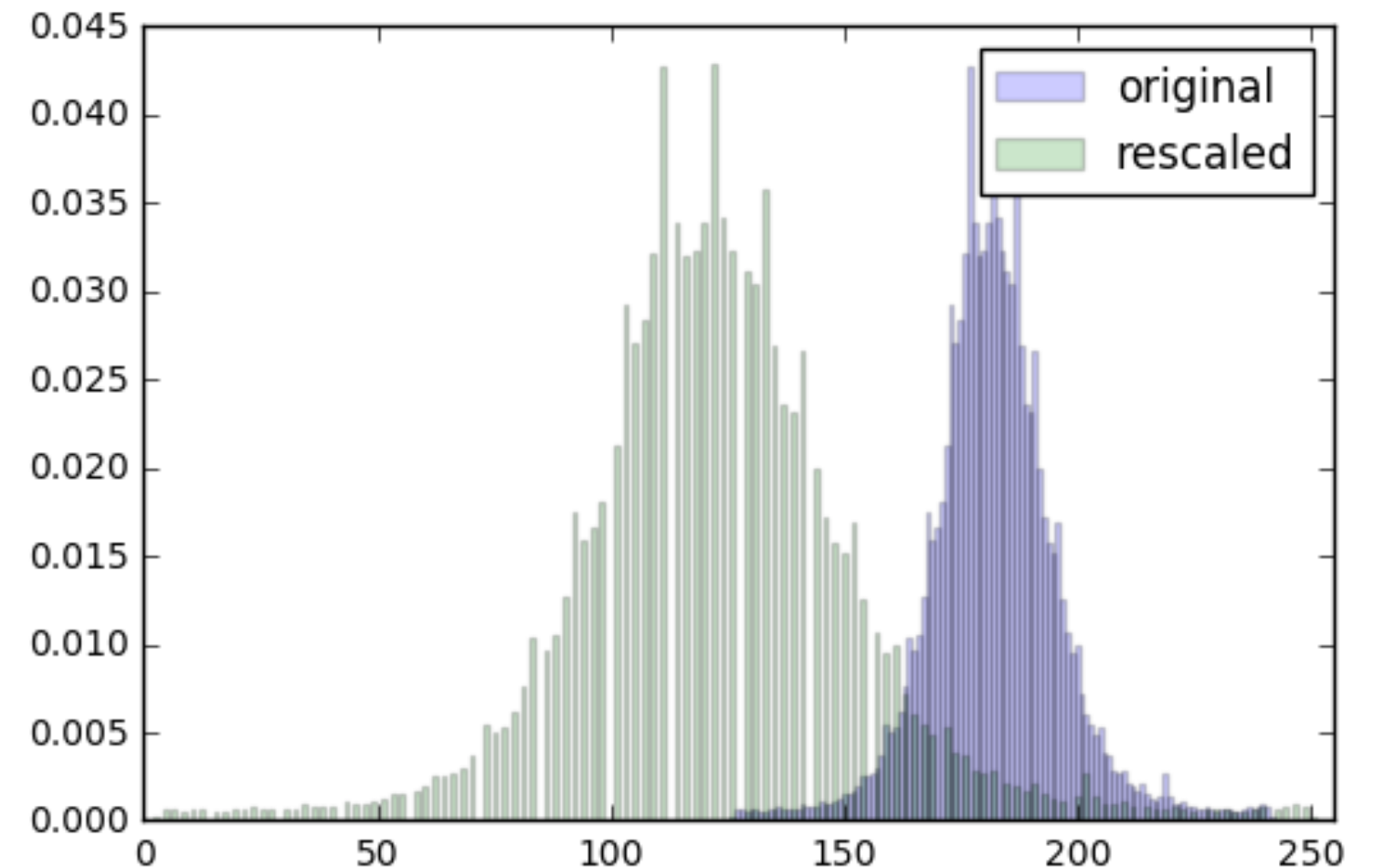


Image histogram & CDF

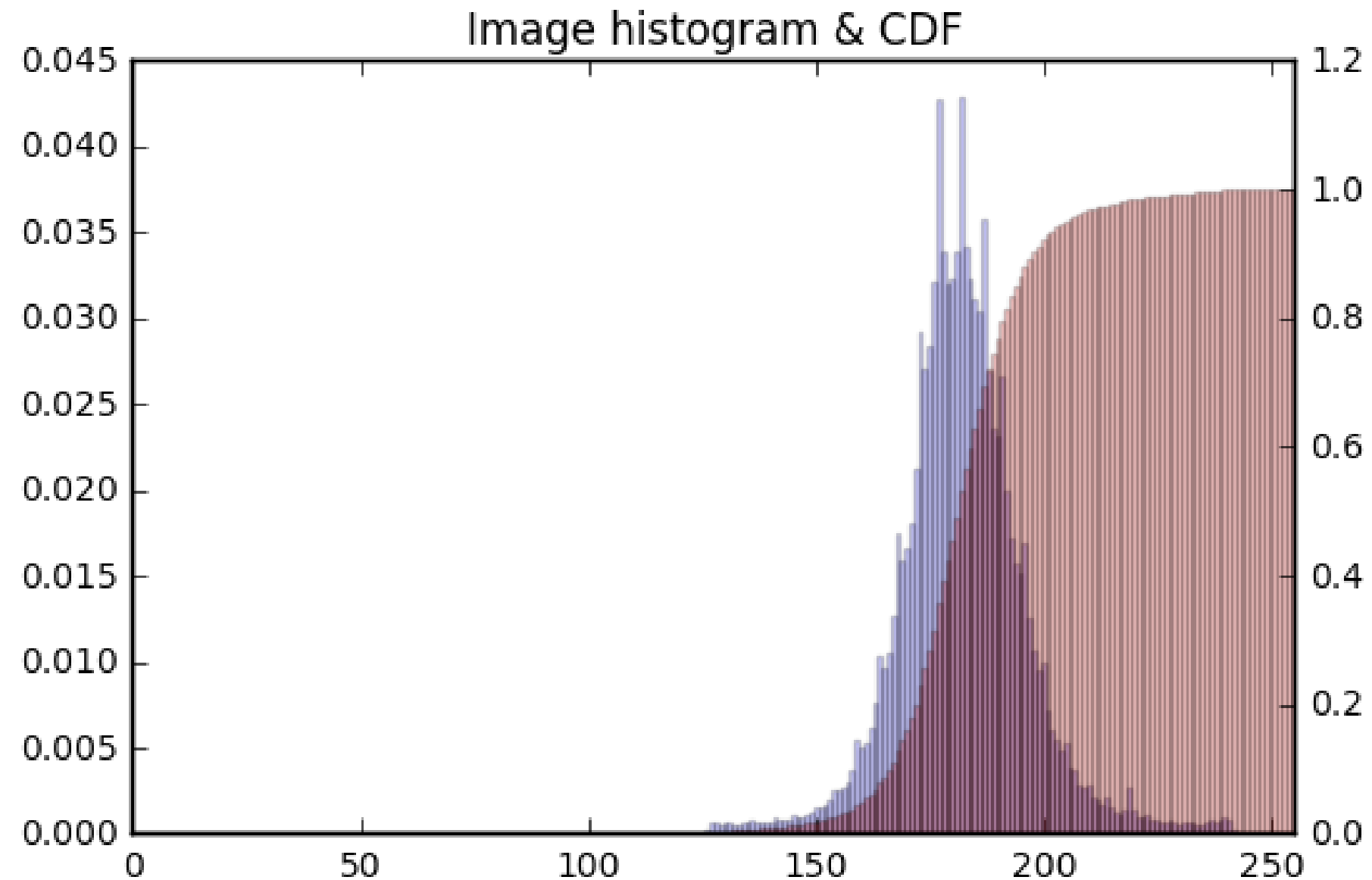
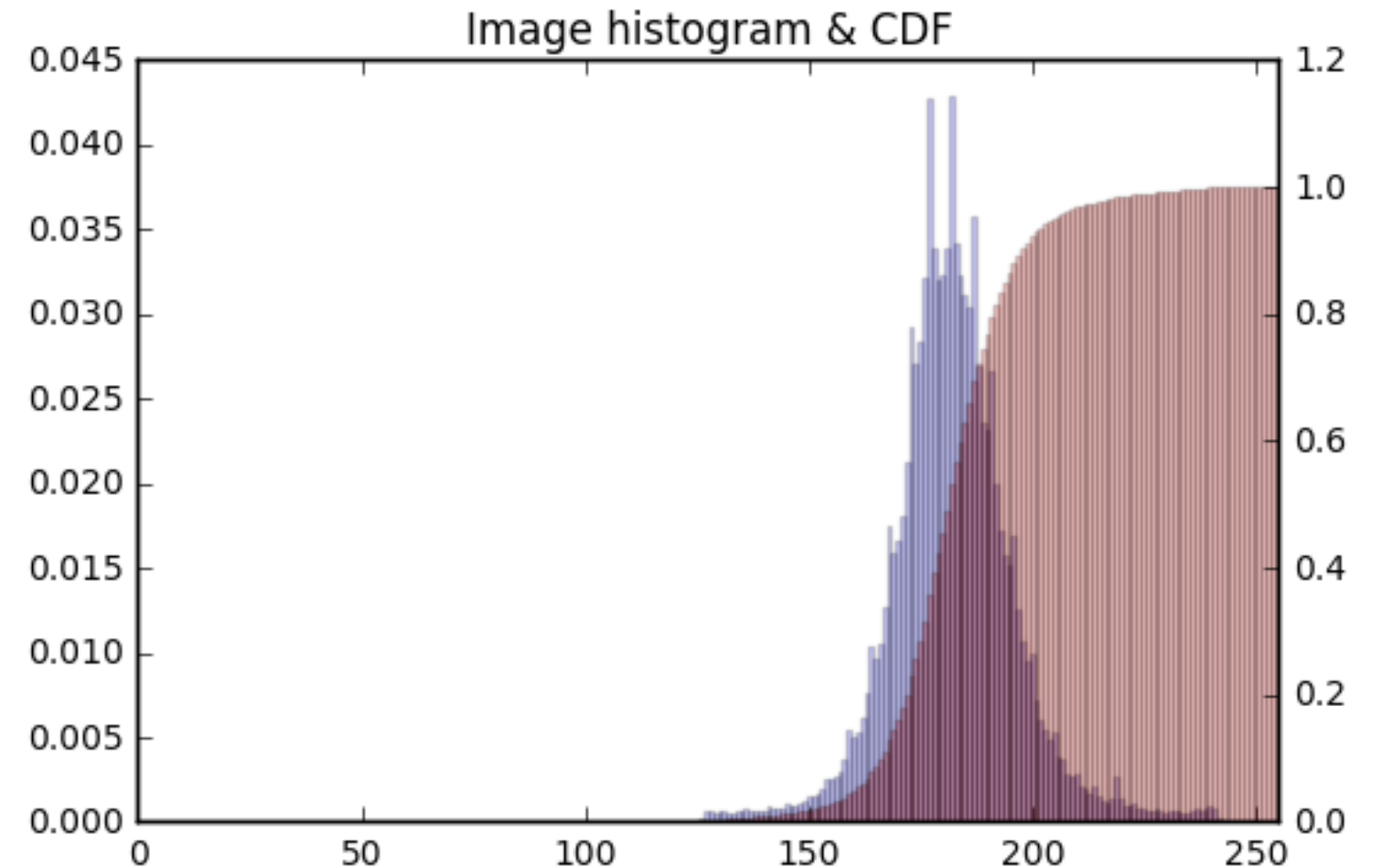


Image histogram & CDF

```
plt.hist(pixels, bins=256, range=(0, 256),  
         normed=True,  
         color='blue', alpha=0.3)  
  
plt.twinx()  
orig_cdf, bins, patches = plt.hist(pixels,  
                                   cumulative=True, bins=256,  
                                   range=(0, 256), normed=True,  
                                   color='red', alpha=0.3)  
plt.title('Image histogram and CDF')  
plt.xlim((0, 255))  
plt.show()
```



Equalizing intensity values

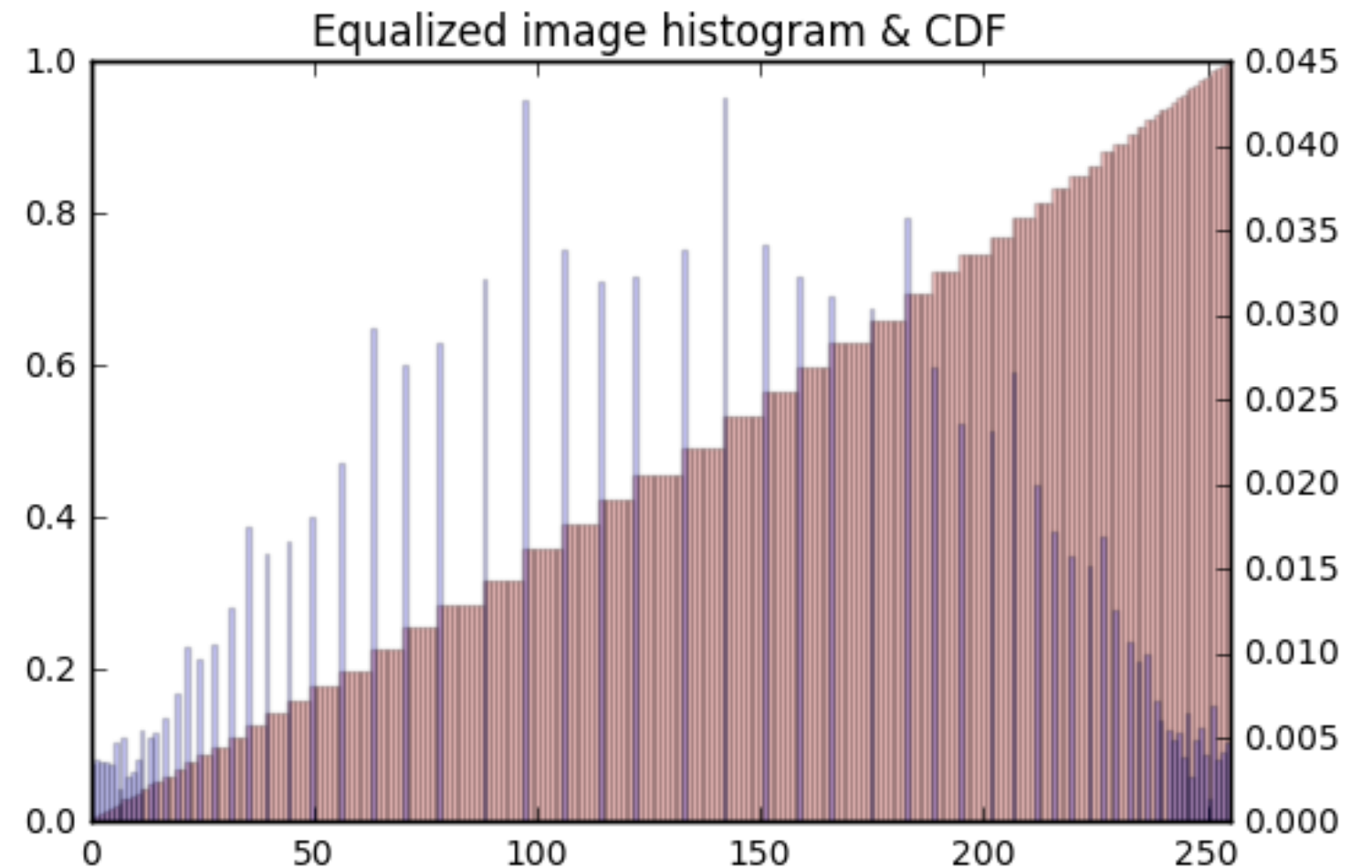
```
new_pixels = np.interp(pixels, bins[:-1],  
                       orig_cdf*255)  
  
new = new_pixels.reshape(orig.shape)  
plt.imshow(new)  
plt.axis('off')  
plt.title('Equalized image')  
plt.show()
```

Equalized image



Equalized histogram & CDF

```
plt.hist(new_pixels, bins=256, range=(0,256),  
         normed=True,  
         color='blue', alpha=0.3)  
  
plt.twinx()  
plt.hist(new_pixels, bins=256, range=(0,256),  
         normed=True, cumulative=True,  
         color='red', alpha=0.1)  
  
plt.title('Equalized image histogram and CDF')  
plt.xlim((0, 255))  
plt.show()
```

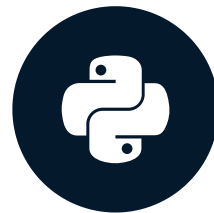


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