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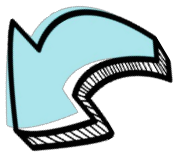
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# Overview

# Let's pre-process (and process) a Landsat 8 SR Collection...

```
1 import ee
2
3 ee.Authenticate()
4 ee.Initialize()
5
6 L8 = ee.ImageCollection('LANDSAT/LC08/C01/T1_SR')
```

First, we need to **mask clouds!**




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9     qa = image.select('pixel_qa')
10    mask = qa.bitwiseAnd(cloudShadowBitMask).eq(0).And(qa.bitwiseAnd(cloudsBitMask).eq(0))
11    return image.updateMask(mask)
12
13 L8 = (ee.ImageCollection('LANDSAT/LC08/C01/T1_SR')
14      .map(maskClouds()))
```


Second, we need to **scale** the  
image!

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12
13 def scaleImage(image):
14    scaled = image.select('B[1-7]').multiply(0.0001)
15    scaled = scaled.addBands(image.select(['B10', 'B11']).multiply(0.1))
16    scaled = scaled.addBands(image.select(['sr_aerosol', 'pixel_qa', 'radsat_qa']))
17    return scaled.copyProperties(image, image.propertyNames())
18
19 L8 = (ee.ImageCollection('LANDSAT/LC08/C01/T1_SR')
20      .map(maskClouds)
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Finally, let's compute some  
**spectral indices!**

e.g. NDVI, EVI and GNDVI...

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18
19 def addIndices(image):
20    NDVI = image.normalizedDifference(['B5', 'B4']).rename('NDVI')
21    EVI = image.expression('2.5 * (b("B5") - b("B4")) / (b("B5") + 6.0 * b("B4") - 7.5 * b("B2") + 1.0)').rename('EVI')
22    GNDVI = image.normalizedDifference(['B5', 'B3']).rename('GNDVI')
23    return image.addBands([NDVI, EVI, GNDVI])
24
25 L8 = (ee.ImageCollection('LANDSAT/LC08/C01/T1_SR')
26       .map(maskClouds)
27       .map(scale)
28       .map(addIndices))
```

28 lines of code? Well, it's not  
**THAT** bad!



But.. we have to do it **over**, and  
**over**, and **over** again...

What if we make it... **easier?**

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The fundamental raster data type in Earth Engine.



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A set of images.



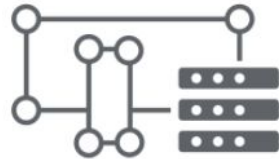
### Geometry

The fundamental vector data type in Earth Engine.



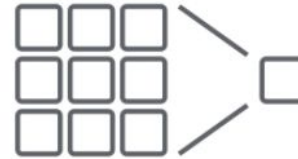
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A geometry with attributes.



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A set of features.



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An object used to compute statistics or perform aggregations.

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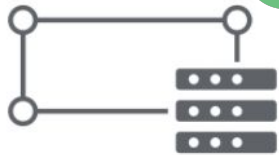
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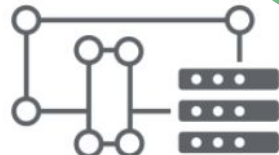
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**eemont 0.1.9**

```
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```



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### How does it work?

The eemont python package extends the following Earth Engine classes:

- [ee.Feature](#)
- [ee.FeatureCollection](#)
- [ee.Geometry](#)
- [ee.Image](#)
- [ee.ImageCollection](#)

New utility methods and constructors are added to above-mentioned classes in order to create a



# Key Features

## Closest image to a specific date

```
1 import ee, eemont
2
3 ee.Authenticate()
4 ee.Initialize()
5
6 poi = ee.Geometry.Point([-76.4, 3.21])
7
8 L8 = (ee.ImageCollection('LANDSAT/LC08/C01/T1_SR')
9      .filterBounds(poi)
10     .closest('2021-10-15'))
```

# Masking clouds and shadows

```
1 import ee, eemont
2
3 ee.Authenticate()
4 ee.Initialize()
5
6 poi = ee.Geometry.Point([-76.4, 3.21])
7
8 l8 = (ee.ImageCollection('COPERNICUS/S2_SR')
9       .filterBounds(poi)
10      .maskClouds(prob = 60,
11                  maskCirrus = False,
12                  buffer = 300,
13                  cdi = -0.5))
```

## Image scaling (and offsetting)

```
1 import ee, eemont
2
3 ee.Authenticate()
4 ee.Initialize()
5
6 poi = ee.Geometry.Point([-76.4, 3.21])
7
8 l8 = (ee.ImageCollection('MODIS/006/MOD11A2')
9      .filterBounds(poi)
10     .scale())
```

# Spectral indices computation

```
1 import ee, eemont
2
3 ee.Authenticate()
4 ee.Initialize()
5
6 poi = ee.Geometry.Point([-76.4, 3.21])
7
8 l8 = (ee.ImageCollection('MODIS/006/MOD09GQ')
9       .filterBounds(poi)
10      .scale()
11      .index(['NDVI', 'EVI2', 'kNDVI']))
```

## Time series by region (or regions)

```
1 import ee, eemont
2
3 ee.Authenticate()
4 ee.Initialize()
5
6 pivots = ee.FeatureCollection([
7     ee.Feature(ee.Geometry.Point([27.724856,26.485040]).buffer(400),{'pivot':0}),
8     ee.Feature(ee.Geometry.Point([27.719427,26.478505]).buffer(400),{'pivot':1}),
9     ee.Feature(ee.Geometry.Point([27.714185,26.471802]).buffer(400),{'pivot':2})
10 ])
11
12 L8 = (ee.ImageCollection('LANDSAT/LC08/C01/T1_SR')
13     .filterBounds(pivots)
14     .maskClouds()
15     .scale()
16     .index(['EVI', 'GNDVI']))
17
18 ts = L8.getTimeSeriesByRegions(collection = pivots,
19                               bands = ['EVI', 'GNDVI'],
20                               reducer = [ee.Reducer.mean(), ee.Reducer.median()],
21                               scale = 30)
```

# Overloaded operators

Operator	Name
+	Addition
-	Subtraction
*	Multiplication
/	Division
%	Modulus
**	Exponentiation
//	Floor division

Operator	Name
==	Equal
!=	Not equal
>	Greater than
<	Less than
>=	Greater than or equal to
<=	Less than or equal to

# Overloaded operators

```
1 import ee, eemont
2
3 ee.Authenticate()
4 ee.Initialize()
5
6 point = ee.Geometry.Point([-76.0269,2.92846])
7
8 S2 = (ee.ImageCollection('COPERNICUS/S2_SR')
9       .filterBounds(point)
10      .sort('CLOUDY_PIXEL_PERCENTAGE')
11      .first()
12      .maskClouds()
13      .scale()
14      .index('NDSI'))
15
16 NDSI = S2.select('NDSI')
17 N = S2.select('B8')
18 G = S2.select('B3')
19
20 snowPixels = (NDSI > 0.4) & (N >= 0.1) & (G > 0.11)
```



# Constructors from queries

```
1 import ee, eemont
2
3 ee.Authenticate()
4 ee.Initialize()
5
6 user_agent = 'eemont-geopythonconf-2021'
7
8 point = ee.Geometry.PointFromQuery('Cali, Colombia',user_agent = user_agent)
9 bbox = ee.Feature.BBoxFromQuery('Germany',user_agent = user_agent)
10 multipoint = ee.FeatureCollection.MultiPointFromQuery('Amazonas',user_agent = user_agent)
```



\*\*\***BONUS**\*\*\*

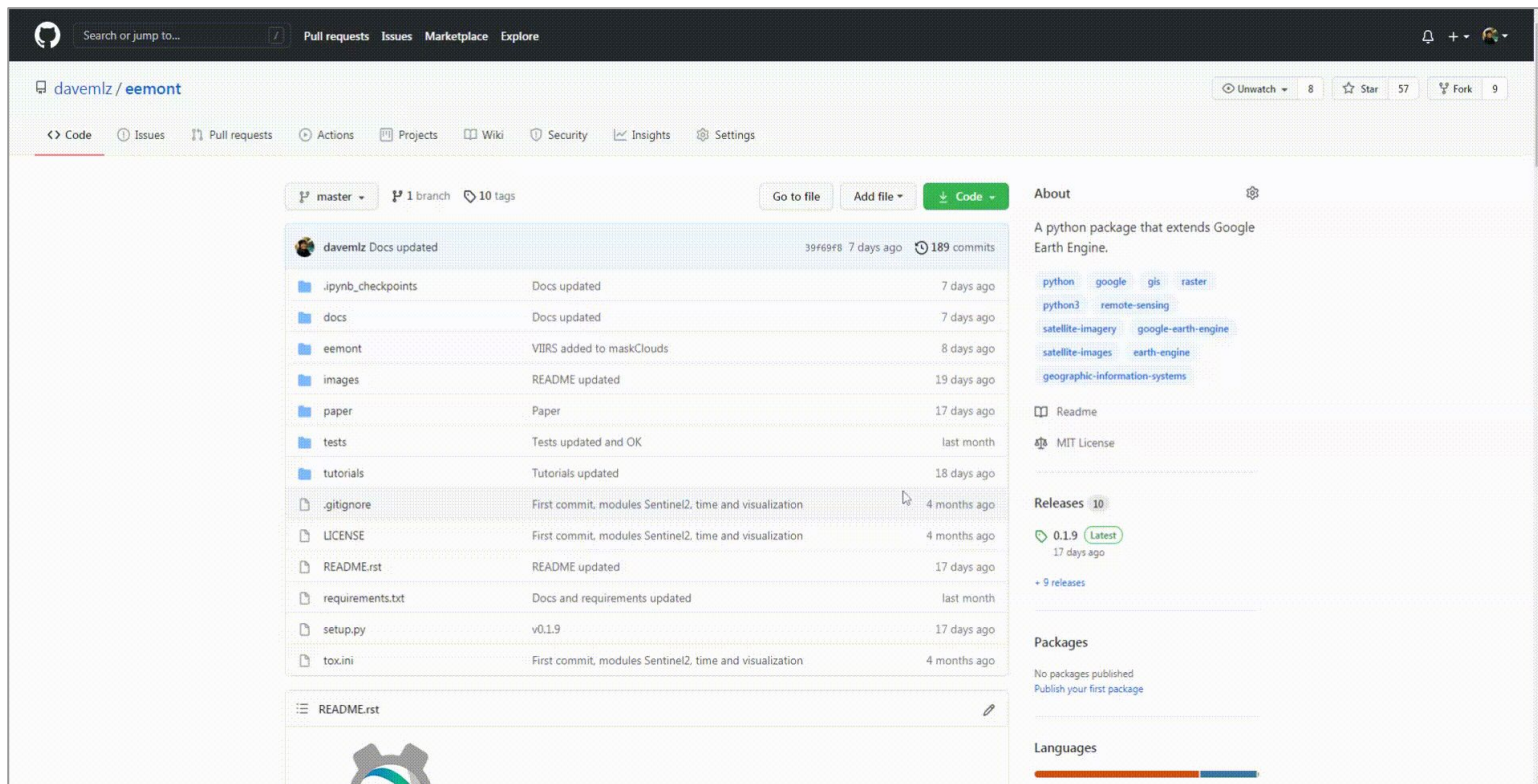
## Compatibility with

```
1 library(rgee)
2 library(reticulate)
3
4 ee_Initialize()
5
6 py_install("eemont")
7
8 eemont <- import("eemont")
9
10 point <- ee$Geometry$Point(c(-74.0592,11.3172))
11
12 L8 <- ee$ImageCollection('LANDSAT/LC08/C01/T1_SR')$filterBounds(point)
13 L8 <- L8$maskClouds()$scale()$index("NDWI")
```



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
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- ee.Number
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- ee.List
- ee.ConfusionMatrix

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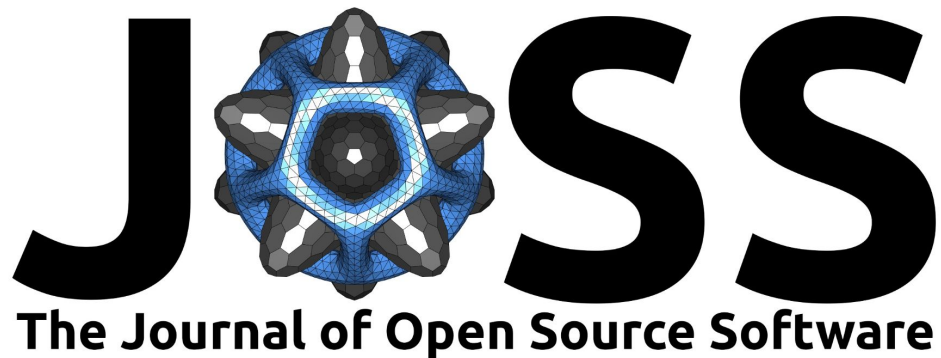
- [ee.Feature](#)
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- [ee.Image](#)
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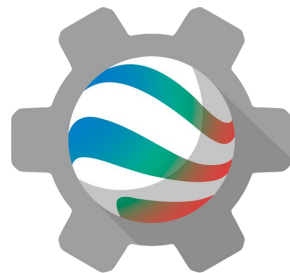


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