# raster\_analysis

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## 1 Working with raster data in Python

#### 1.1 Libraries and Settings

```
[]: # Libraries
     import os
     import pprint
     import requests
     import numpy as np
     import pandas as pd
     import fiona
     import geopandas as gpd
     import rasterio
     from rasterio import plot
     import rasterio.mask
     from shapely.geometry import Polygon
     import matplotlib.patches as patches
     from matplotlib import pyplot as plt
     # Ignore warnings
     import warnings
     warnings.filterwarnings("ignore")
     print(os.getcwd())
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## 1.2 Download example raster (.geotiff) from SwissTopo

Source: https://www.swisstopo.admin.ch/de/orthobilder-swissimage-10-cm

```
[]: # Get example raster from swisstopo
url = "https://data.geo.admin.ch/ch.swisstopo.swissimage-dop10/

⇔swissimage-dop10_2022_2693-1246/swissimage-dop10_2022_2693-1246_0.1_2056.tif"
```

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response = requests.get(url)
with open('swissimage.tif', 'wb') as f:
    f.write(response.content)
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```
[]: # Import raster
src = rasterio.open("swissimage.tif")

# Show raster
fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(7,7))
rasterio.plot.show(src, ax=ax)

# Hide axes
ax.axis('off')
plt.show()
```



## 1.3 Show histogram of RGB colors

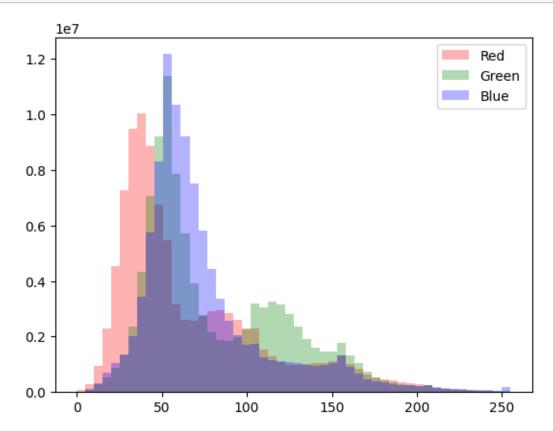
```
[]: # Open raster
with rasterio.open('swissimage.tif') as src:

    red_band = src.read(1)
    green_band = src.read(2)
    blue_band = src.read(3)

# Flatten the arrays
red = red_band.flatten()
green = green_band.flatten()
blue = blue_band.flatten()

# Plot a histogram
plt.hist(red, bins=50, color='red', alpha=0.3, label='Red')
plt.hist(green, bins=50, color='green', alpha=0.3, label='Green')
plt.hist(blue, bins=50, color='blue', alpha=0.3, label='Blue')

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



## 1.4 Masking a raster using a shapefile

#### 1.4.1 Create a shapefile

```
[]: # Read raster
     src = rasterio.open("swissimage.tif")
     # Bottom left corner of square (LV95 coordinates)
     x1, y1 = 2693300, 1246567
     # Side lenght of square in meters
     size = 250
     # Create the other three corners
     coordinates = [(x1, y1), (x1, y1 + size), (x1 + size, y1 + size), (x1 + size)_{\sqcup}
      y1)]
     # Create a shapely polygon from the coordinates
     polygon = Polygon(coordinates)
     # Create a GeoDataFrame
     gdf = gpd.GeoDataFrame(index=[0], geometry=[polygon])
     # Save the GeoDataFrame as a shapefile
     gdf.to_file("municipality_part.shp")
     # Plot the shapefile over the raster
     fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(7,7))
     rasterio.plot.show(src, ax=ax)
     patch = patches.Polygon(coordinates, fill=False, edgecolor='red', linewidth=2)
     ax.add_patch(patch)
     ax.axis('off')
    plt.show()
```



#### 1.4.2 Masking the raster

```
[]: # Read shapefile
with fiona.open("municipality_part.shp", "r") as shapefile:
    shapes = [feature["geometry"] for feature in shapefile]

# Mask the raster with the shapefile
with rasterio.open("swissimage.tif") as src:
    out_image, out_transform = rasterio.mask.mask(src, shapes, crop=True)
    out_meta = src.meta

# Plot the masked raster
fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(7,7))
rasterio.plot.show(out_image, ax=ax)
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# Hide the axes
ax.axis('off')
plt.show()
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# 1.5 Save masked raster as .geotiff

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[]: # Update metadata
out_meta.update({
    "driver": "GTiff",
    "height": out_image.shape[1],
    "width": out_image.shape[2],
    "transform": out_transform
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})
# Write the masked image to a new GeoTIFF file
with rasterio.open("masked_swissimage.tif", "w", **out_meta) as dest:
    dest.write(out_image)
# Print metadata
print('Meta data:')
pprint.pprint(out_meta)
Meta data:
{'count': 3,
 'crs': CRS.from_epsg(2056),
 'driver': 'GTiff',
 'dtype': 'uint8',
 'height': 2500,
 'nodata': None,
 'transform': Affine(0.1, 0.0, 2693300.0,
       0.0, -0.1, 1246817.0),
 'width': 2500}
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