# Silva edges error

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```
library(lidR)
```

## Loading required package: magrittr

### Read in data

```
LASfile <- system.file("extdata", "MixedConifer.laz", package="lidR")
las = readLAS(LASfile, select = "xyz", filter = "-drop_z_below 0")
col = pastel.colors(200)
```

### Compute canopy model

```
chm = grid_canopy(las, res = 0.5, subcircle = 0.3)
chm = as.raster(chm)
kernel = matrix(1,3,3)
chm = raster::focal(chm, w = kernel, fun = mean, na.rm = TRUE)
```

# Perform segmentation

### Get convex hulls

These comes from a package/analysis i'm working on.

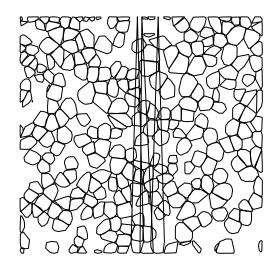
```
get_convex_hulls<-function(tile,ID){
    split_trees= split(tile@data, ID)
    tree_polygons<-lapply(split_trees,convex_hull)

names(tree_polygons)<-NULL

#assign treeID as slot ID for each polygon
for(x in 1:length(tree_polygons)){
        tree_polygons[[x]]@polygons[[1]]@ID<-names(split_trees)[x]
}

#bind into large SpatialPolygonsDataframe</pre>
```

```
convex_polygons<-do.call(raster::bind,unlist(tree_polygons))</pre>
  #make into sp dataframe
  IDs <- sapply(slot(convex_polygons, "polygons"), function(x) slot(x, "ID"))</pre>
  df <- data.frame(ID=1:length(IDs), row.names=IDs)</pre>
  result<-sp::SpatialPolygonsDataFrame(convex_polygons,df)</pre>
  sp::proj4string(result)<-tile@crs</pre>
  return(result)
}
convex_hull<-function(x,plot=FALSE){</pre>
  ch<-grDevices::chull(x$X,x$Y)</pre>
  poly_coords<-x[c(ch,ch[1]),c("X","Y")]</pre>
  sp_poly <- sp::SpatialPolygons(list(sp::Polygons(list(sp::Polygon(poly_coords)), ID=1)))</pre>
  return(sp_poly)
  if(plot){
    plot(sp_poly)
    points(cbind(x$X,x$Y))
  }
}
silva_convex<-get_convex_hulls(tile = las,ID = las@data$treeID)</pre>
#view convex hulls
raster::plot(silva_convex)
```



# Find strange polygons

The largest ones should be them.

```
areaF<-c()
for(x in 1:length(silva_convex)){
   areaF[x]<-silva_convex@polygons[[x]]@area
}
which.max(areaF)
## [1] 254</pre>
```

## Confirm thats a weird polygon

```
raster::plot(silva_convex[254,])
```

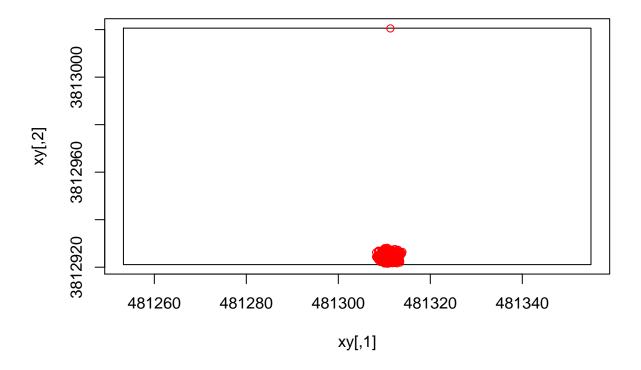
Is that confusion in the original tile or just an artifact of the convex hull?

```
split_trees= split(las@data, las@data$treeID)
original_data<-split_trees[[254]]</pre>
```

```
#Make sure that's the treeID
unique(original_data$treeID)

## [1] 254

#find those points in the las
bad_points<-las%>% lasfilter(treeID==254)
raster::plot(extent(las))
points(cbind(bad_points@data$X,bad_points@data$Y),col='red')
```



Its in the original segmentation. Those points all have the same treeID.