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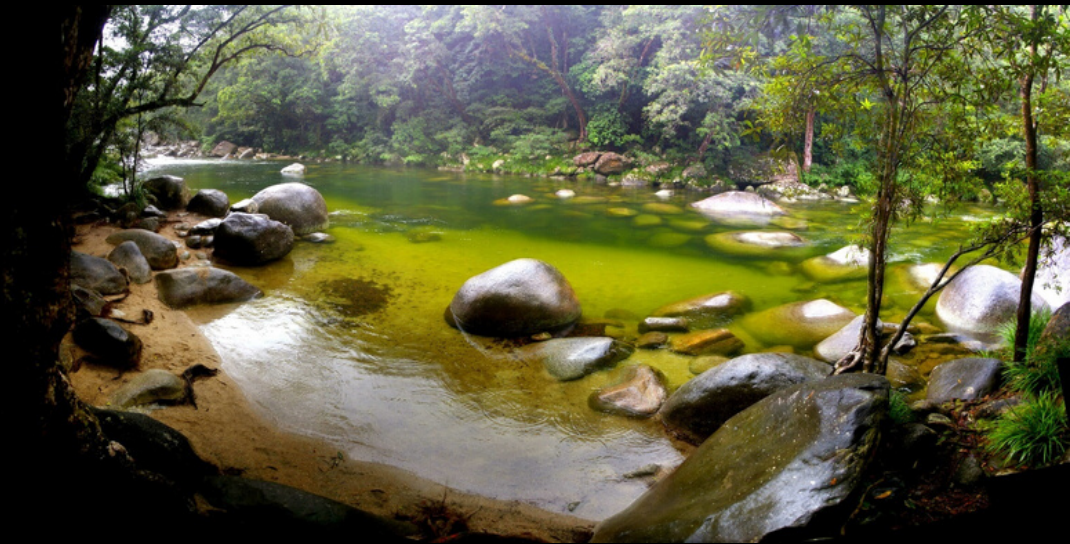
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# *2:1 is an aspect ratio*

I really like this format but few others seem to (I have not sold any photos or painting in that ratio). It's not quite panoramic and is wider than wide screen 16:9. I think I like it because it is much closer to my normal conscious view (I have two eyes still!). On the downside, most screens (computers, TVs and phones) and social media cannot display this format well. It is therefore probably a format reserved for printing, framing and display on the wall or presented in a photobook like this. Most cameras other than specialist panorama cameras (which I have never owned) cannot take a single image in this format and I have to resort to multi-image stitching or cropping.



































"There is nothing wrong with photography, if you don't mind the perspective of a paralyzed Cyclops."

DAVID HOCKNEY

Perhaps I don't!

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