
Subject: how do i read compressed tiff files?

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How do i read a compressed tiff file in IDL?

When I try to read a compressed file from either the command line or in a program I get this error message:

```
IDL> image=READ_TIFF(filename,r,g,b)
```

```
% READ_TIFF: READ_TIFF: Images must be un-compressed
```

```
% Error occurred at: READ_TIFF      268
```

```
C:\RSI\IDL50\lib\read_tiff.pro
```

```
%           $MAIN$
```

```
% Execution halted at: $MAIN$
```

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