
Subject: READ_TIFF error with 5.2

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Since IDL V5.2 I cannot read my good old TIFF files anymore....

BTW: These files have been created by IDL 5.0 or 5.1 with
WRITE_TIFF and never made trouble before.

Below some lines of my IDL log, which shows the difference
between IDL 5.1 (OK) and IDL 5.2 (not OK).

Any help ?

Best,
Gerhard

IDL 5.1

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```
IDL> img = READ_TIFF('R:\IDL\lib\gb_lib\PWfinder\angle.tif')
```

```
% Compiled module: READ_TIFF.
```

```
IDL> help, img
```

```
IMG          BYTE      = Array[3, 192, 144]
```

IDL 5.2

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```
IDL> img = READ_TIFF('R:\IDL\lib\gb_lib\PWfinder\angle.tif')
```

```
% Loaded DLM: TIFF.
```

```
% READ_TIFF: Unable to open TIFF file: R:\IDL\lib\gb_lib\PWfinder\angle.tif.
```

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

once again, but now in verbose mode:

```
IDL> img = READ_TIFF('R:\IDL\lib\gb_lib\PWfinder\angle.tif', /VERB)
```

```
% READ_TIFF: libtiff warning: incorrect count for field "StripByteCounts"
```

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(3,
```

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    expecting 1); tag ignored
```

```
% READ_TIFF: Unable to open TIFF file: R:\IDL\lib\gb_lib\PWfinder\angle.tif.
```

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