Mark Hadfield (m.hadfield@niwa.cri.nz) writes:

> Output destination & format is controlled through keywords to the
> IDLgrClipboard::Draw method. To send EPS output to a file the basic sequence
> of operations is
>
>   myview = [Create & populate your IDLgrView here]
>   myclipbrd = obj_new('IDLgrClipBoard')
>   myclipbrd->Draw, /VECTOR, /POSTSCRIPT, FILENAME=[your file name here]
>   obj_destroy, myclipbrd
>
> The name "IDLgrClipboard" is a little confusing. It was originally intended
> only for output to the system clipboard, but then the IDL developers
> thought, "Hey, we could use this to write files too."

I just point out what is probably obvious: this
produces PostScript output, not *encapsulated*
PostScript output as was requested in the original
post.

To get encapsulated PostScript output, you have
to convert PostScript files somewhere other than in
IDL.

Cheers,

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