
Subject: Re: Please help. PostScript Import
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fskmjm@puknet.puk.ac.za (Mathews, MJ) writes:

> I'm running IDL 3.5.1 under Windows 3.1 and would like to import PostScript
> graphs into Word for Windows 6. I've tried device, /encapsulate, but all I
> get after importing to Word, is the title, creator and date, with a border
> around it. No plot!

This is the correct behavior. Although Word for Windows cannot display the PostScript graphic on the screen, the document will print okay on a PostScript printer. You can change this behavior by using

IDL> DEVICE, /ENCAPSULATE, /PREVIEW

It will then create a preview image that Word for Windows should be able to use to really show you what it will look like. See the reference manual for details.

Bill Thompson
