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Subject: Printing IDL EPS from Windows 3.1  
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Greetings-

I can't imagine that I am the only one using Microsoft Word and other windows applications along with IDL 3.6. So I wanted to post a quick message regarding Windows Postscript printer drivers and IDL Encapsulated Postscript files.

The Problem- When I tried importing EPS files into windows apps, I see only information regarding the graphic when I print the document.

Configuration:

Microsoft Windows 3.1  
IDL 3.6.1 for Windows  
Microsoft's Generic Postscript printer driver (PSCRIP.DRV)

If you have a problem with printing EPS files from windows apps, then you may need to upgrade the Postscript driver (PSCRIP.EXE is the self extracting archive available from Microsoft's Download Service and possibly from ftp.microsoft.com).

I now have version 3.58 of this postscript driver, display of the preview images (set by ./preview in the device statement in IDL) still doesn't work in the application, but it does seem print correctly.

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