
Subject: Re: tiff to eps

Posted by [David Fanning](#) on Thu, 26 Apr 2007 18:17:37 GMT

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ebertf@gmx.de writes:

- > is there a simple way to convert a tiff or Jpg Picture into encapsuled
- > postscript using IDL without blowing up the size (1MB -> 20 MB That
- > usually happens when using Corel Draw). I want to include the
- > postscript into Latex Code. (For example a fotograph.)

I would guess it depends entirely on how big you want the PostScript image to be. Why don't you try it and see? It is only a couple of commands:

```
Read_JPEG, filename, image
Set_Plot, 'PS'
Device, /color, bits=8, /encap, xsize=5, ysize=3.5, /inches
TVImge, image
Device, /Close
```

Cheers,

David

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Sepore ma de ni thui. ("Perhaps thou speakest truth.")
