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Subject: Re: Importing IDL Postscript output into Windows apps

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In article <49ddlu\$ftp@spool.cs.wisc.edu> Liam Gumley <liamg@ssec.wisc.edu> writes:

>  
> Recent postings mentioned ps2epsf, a ghostscript/netpbm front-end  
> Unix script for converting IDL postscript output into an encapsulated  
> form that could be read by Windows applications (e.g. Word for Windows).  
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Hello,

Normaly to convert from PS to EPS you just need to add the %%boundingbox  
parameter line at the top and remove the 'showpage' command at the end  
of the PS-file. This can be done by a simple Text-Editor !

BTW: Have you tried set plot, 'ps'  
device, /encapsulated

...  
which should do the job for most(?) export problems.

Another way might be to convert your output to tiff-format, which  
is readable by Word (for MAC)

Servus, Helge

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