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Subject: TIFF Data formats

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Dear All,

I have to convert several thousand(!) ENVI files to LZW compressed GeoTIFF's. ENVI outputs GeoTIFF but does not give access to the batch routine and does not offer LZW compression. IDL (`write_tiff`), while giving me a lot of flexibility with the GeoTIFF tags and the compression, does offer only byte, unsigned short&long and float. (Strange enough ENVI can write e.g. signed short and `read_tiff` ingest its correctly to IDL.)

Anyone an idea or a workaround? Can I modify the data type tag in a TIFF file after IDL has written it?

Thanks

Peter

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