
Subject: Re: EPS printouts from IDL 4.0.1
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In article <4d02v9\$4pk@newshost.rpms.ac.uk>, Dale Bailey <dale> wrote:
> * If I use /ENCAPSULATED, I can annotate at will (with XYOUTS), I can view it
> with the display tool (ImageTool) in Soalris on the screen, but it won't
print
> to any of our printers (tried a Xerox 4520MP and a HP);
> * I could not see how to position the plot with /ENCAPSULATED, as you can't
> use XOFFSET and YOFFSET with /ENCAPSULATED, and the reference manual's
> advice to change the size is not really for positioning it seems;

I do not believe that encapsulated PostScript files can be printed directly,
they have to be printed as part of a document. You might want to create a TEX
(or some other) document that uses your encapsulated PostScript file as a
figure. Then print the PostScript file that TEX produces. This would solve
your positioning problem as well.

> * Once I use the command DEVICE with /ENCAPSUALTED this appears to stay in
> effect for the rest of the IDL session, even if I remove /ENCAPSULATED from
> the command and re-compile the procedure.
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Use DEVICE, ENCAPSULATED=0 to turn it off.

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