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Subject: Re: jpegs and tiffs

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> Well, I don't think there are \*really\* two black sine  
> waves in the JPEG file. I think one of them is very dark  
> blue and the other is black. But, you are right, it is  
> not as blue as it is in the TIFF file. I think this is  
> probably because of the "lossy" nature of JPEG files.  
> I would try setting the QUALITY keyword on the WRITE\_JPEG  
> command to 100 and see if that doesn't help some.  
>  
> In any case, if you choose a RED color, you will see that  
> you are getting differences in your two lines. :-)

This makes sense -- unfortunately neither solution worked. I tried  
both  
quality=100 and RED='0000FF'XL (as well as both at the same time) and  
I always  
get two apparently black lines in the jpeg, but a colored line in the  
tiff.  
When I try LTGRAY='CCCCCC'XL, the jpeg does show the line as being  
light  
gray. It seems that the jpeg understands grayscale.

J

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