Subject: Re: PostScript and TrueColor images
Posted by David Fanning on Fri, 22 Oct 2010 18:57:17 GMT

Karl writes:

> Why are you saying "bits=8"?
> This might imply bits per pixel and you have 24-bits of image data.
> I'm not real sure how the PS device works in this respect, but you
> might be knocking 24-bits of color information down to 8 bits, which
> would certainly make the image look different. Try "bits=24"?

From the IDL documentation (I know):

When writing TrueColor images to a PostScript file, the
BITS_PER_PIXEL value applies to each channel of the image.
Thus, to write a 24-bit image, which consists of three
8-bit image planes, set BITS_PER_PIXEL=8.

Cheers,

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