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Subject: Re: tiff\_read

Posted by [Christian Soeller](#) on Thu, 10 Apr 1997 07:00:00 GMT

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Craig Stevens <c.stevens@niwa.cri.nz> writes:

- > Does anyone know if there is a simple modification
- > to tiff\_read that will read an image sequence
- > stored in tiff as opposed to a single image?

One possible solution is to use the tiffsplit tool that comes with the libtiff implementation (<ftp://ftp.sgi.com/graphics/tiff>). IDL can spawn that tool to split your multi-page tiff into a number of single-page tiff in some temp area (e.g. /tmp under unix) and subsequently read the individual tiffs into an array using tiff\_read in a loop. Maybe not the most elegant solution but should be quick to hack together.

Christian

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