
Subject: Re: Problem with .eps figure losing annotation in a LaTeX document

Posted by chris_torrence@NOSPAM on Wed, 14 Oct 2015 21:05:23 GMT

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On Wednesday, October 14, 2015 at 12:50:41 PM UTC-6, Barry Lesht wrote:

> I use LaTeX (via TeXShop (v3.56) on a Mac (OSX10.8.5) for documents. I generate most of my graphics using IDL (v8.2). This always has worked well in the past. Today, I generated a new plot using the same code (based on Coyote graphics) that I've used before and saved it (as before) as an .eps file. Now, however, when I import it into my LaTeX document, all the alphabetic annotation (including decimal points) disappears from the axis annotations and from any text that I have included in the plot. When I view the .eps file using either Preview on the Mac or gv, it looks fine - nothing is missing.

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> I'm not entirely sure that this is an IDL issue or if it something do with with TexShop (I posted a question to that group as well), or maybe something with ghostscript (version 9.16). I was wondering if anyone else had had a similar problem or maybe has some insight into what might be going on.

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> Thanks.

Hi Barry,

Do you happen to have any old IDL EPS files that worked in the past? You could import those into LaTeX and see what happens. If they also fail then that eliminates IDL from the problem, and suggests that something else changed like TeXShop, your Mac install, or ghostscript.

Cheers,
Chris
