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Express Modem: Fax Driver Unable to Display EPS Image (7/93)

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TOPIC -----

I'm importing an EPS (Encapsulated PostScript) graphic into Word Perfect (v.2.1.1.) using a Duo 230, and an Express Modem. When I attempt to send it (fax), the graphic does not show up. The rest of the document shows up, but the graphic never makes it.

DISCUSSION -----

To verify the problem, I created an EPS file, opened a PICT in Photoshop and did a "Save As" using the EPS file type. After clicking on the "Save" button I was presented with another dialog box which had an option for specifying a PICT preview. I specified "None" and pasted the EPS file into my word processor. No graphic was displayed on the screen or in a fax created by that document. However, if I selected a PICT preview both the screen and fax versions of the document displayed the graphic.

The fax driver only uses QuickDraw, the same way the video display does, so it's unable to display an EPS image unless the PICT preview is included. If the same document were to be printed to a non-PostScript device (StyleWriter, LaserWriter LS, and so on) that the same thing would happen. In other words, no PICT preview, no graphic.

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