## NAME
epstopdf – convert an EPS file to PDF

## SYNOPSIS
**epstopdf** [*options*] *epsfile*

## DESCRIPTION
**epstopdf** transforms the Encapsulated PostScript file *epsfile* so that it is guaranteed to start at the 0,0 coordinate, and it sets a page size exactly corresponding to the BoundingBox. This means that when Ghostscript renders it, the result needs no cropping, and the PDF MediaBox is correct. The result is piped to Ghostscript and a PDF version written.

If the bounding box is not right, of course, you have problems.

## OPTIONS
**--outfile**=*file*
write result to *file* instead of standard output.

**--[no]filter**
read standard input   (default: --nofilter).

**--[no]gs**
run ghostscript       (default: --gs).

**--[no]compress**
use compression      (default: --compress).

**--[no]hires**
scan HiresBoundingBox (default: --nohires).

**--[no]exact**
scan ExactBoundingBox (default: --noexact).

**--[no]debug**
debug informations    (default: --nodebug).

**--help**    print usage

## EXAMPLE
Examples for producing "test.pdf":

epstopdf test.eps
produce postscript | epstopdf --filter >test.pdf
produce postscript | epstopdf -f -d -o=test.pdf

Example: look for HiresBoundingBox and produce corrected PostScript:

epstopdf -d --nogs -hires test.ps>testcorr.ps

## BUGS
The case of "%%BoundingBox: (atend)" is not supported.

Please send reports regarding the program or this man page to tex-k@tug.org.

## SEE ALSO
**gs**(1).

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