

android: stretch image in imageview to fit screen

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I have an `imageview` that has its height and width set to `fill_parent` with a `linearlayout` that has the same values set. So I suppose this should set my images to fit the screen. But it only fits like 80% (margin top and bottom in landscape mode).



I've tried the following code without success:

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```
Display display = getWindowManager().getDefaultDisplay();
int width = display.getWidth();
int height = display.getHeight();

imageView.setMinimumWidth(width);
imageView.setMinimumHeight(height);

imageView.setMaxWidth(width);
imageView.setMaxHeight(height);
```

Any other ideas?

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edited Dec 30 '15 at 13:20

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asked Jan 12 '11 at 11:00

[Johan](#)

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8 Answers

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use `imgview.setScaleType(ScaleType.FIT_XY);`


answered Jan 12 '11 at 11:46

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I know this is what you wanted, but for images where you care about aspect ratio, this will stretch it out. – [Artem Russakovskii](#) Nov 15 '11 at 1:39

Works wonders for ImageView inside a ScrollView. Even the aspect is kept correct. – [JNissi](#) Oct 17 '12 at 4:52
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The same can be defined in the layout xml, `android:scaleType="fitXY"` – [Sathesh](#) Oct 17 '14 at 10:46 
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To make the image fill all the area and keep a good aspect ratio use `v.setAdjustViewBounds(true);`
`v.setScaleType(ImageView.ScaleType.CENTER_CROP);` – [Marco Florian](#) Jun 20 '16 at 9:23 
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Works like a charm – [dave o grady](#) Mar 26 '18 at 20:39

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Give in the xml file of your layout
`android:scaleType="fitXY"`

P.S : this applies to when the image is set with
`android:src="..."` rather than `android:background="..."` as
backgrounds are set by default to stretch and fit to the
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the background thing didn't help solve the problem for me, am i doing something wrong? please take a look at:
stackoverflow.com/questions/14164473/... – [Dheeraj Bhaskar](#)
 Jan 7 '13 at 20:49

- 1 This doesnt take care of aspect ratio if you hardcode the images' width and want the height to scale – [Akshat Agarwal](#)
 Dec 5 '13 at 21:15

How can I get this to fit the whole screen then? I want it to still be proportional – [Ruchir Baronia](#) Nov 7 '15 at 21:27

+1 for telling it applies to android:src="..." rather than android:background="..." this is very important – [DragonFire](#)
 May 11 at 14:56

▲ use this:

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`ImageView.setAdjustViewBounds(true);`



edited Mar 13 '15 at 7:51

[bummi](#)**25.3k** 8 53 92

answered Mar 13 '15 at 6:31


[Lalit kumar](#)**1,139** 9 13

- 4 This in combination with `android:scaleType="fitXY"` is what worked. Thanks – [smac89](#) Jul 26 '15 at 19:20

@smac89 What is the difference between those combination and just using FIT_CENTER? Should not use FIT_CENTER?
 – [Jenix](#) Aug 1 '17 at 5:48

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set in. Using `FIT_CENTER` sounds like it will just place the image in the center of the view but does not fill the view. I may be wrong, but you can experiment with either to find out what works – [smac89](#) Aug 1 '17 at 15:19

@smac89 Before asking I already tested both of them and it worked just the same. I was curious about the reason but now think you didn't know `FIT_CENTER` just like the fact I didn't know about the combination you let me know. :) – [Jenix](#) Aug 2 '17 at 9:11 

@Jenix, well there you go. I just learned something new – [smac89](#) Aug 2 '17 at 13:24



if you use `android:scaleType="fitXY"` then you must specify

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`android:layout_width="75dp"` and
`android:layout_height="75dp"`

if use `wrap_content` it will not stretch to what you need

```
<ImageView
    android:layout_width="75dp"
    android:layout_height="75dp"
    android:id="@+id/listItemNoteImage"
    android:src="@drawable/MyImage"
    android:layout_alignParentTop="true"
    android:layout_alignParentStart="true"
    android:layout_marginStart="12dp"
    android:scaleType="fitXY"/>
```

edited May 16 '17 at 11:58



Rakshith Kumar

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answered Jun 17 '16 at 19:57

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The accepted answer is perfect, however if you want to do it from xml, you can use `android:scaleType="fitXY"`

answered Nov 11 '15 at 17:59



[Bibaswann Bandyopadhyay](#)

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1 This what I needed and it worked for me.Thanks – [Mohammad](#)
Dec 2 '15 at 9:20



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I Have used this `android:scaleType="fitXY"` code in Xml file.

answered Apr 1 '16 at 14:01

[user6011162](#)



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just change your ImageView height and width to `wrap_content` and use

```
exampleImage.setScaleType(ImageView.ScaleType.FIT_XY);
```

in your code.

answered Jun 11 '16 at 8:38



[Ankur Yadav](#)

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Trying using :

```
imageView.setFitToScreen(true);  
imageView.setScaleType(ScaleType.FIT_CENTER);
```

This will fit your imageview to the screen with the correct ratio.

answered Mar 6 '13 at 4:31




Lincy

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12 "imageView.setFitToScreen(true);" - what is that? some undocumented method? – [Malachiasz](#) Feb 6 '14 at 13:33

I am using eclipse and this does not compile:

```
imageView.setFitToScreen(true) – learner Mar 21 '14 at 21:45
```

5 There is no such method like this in the android. – [NightFury](#) Apr 3 '14 at 23:27 

2 lol..... – [Martin Capodici](#) Jun 8 '14 at 22:47

Maybe he meant `setFitsSystemWindows()` ?? – [ban-geoengineering](#) Oct 9 '14 at 16:37
