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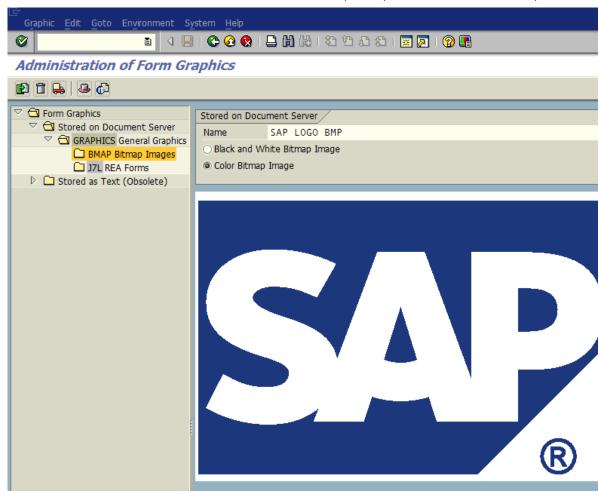
Export Graphics from SE78 SAP Form Graphics Administration using ABAP Program

ABAP developers can export graphics from SAP Form Graphics administration SE78 transaction using ABAP report whose source codes are shared in this ABAP tutorial. Unfortunately there is not a single click solution on SE78 SAP transaction screen to export graphics, logos or export images from SAP BDS system. This ABAP tutorial provides an easy program to extract bitmap images from SAP BDS (Business Document Service) and save on a local folder as a bitmap .bmp image file.

As well as uploading bitmap images or graphics to SAP images document server, it is sometimes a requirement to download and export images from SAP document server where ABAP developers and SAP customization specialists manage using SE78 tcode.

In this SAP tutorial, I will show and demonstrate how you can export images (for this tutorial SAP LOGO BMP). This is a color bitmap image as n below SE78 transaction UI screenshot.



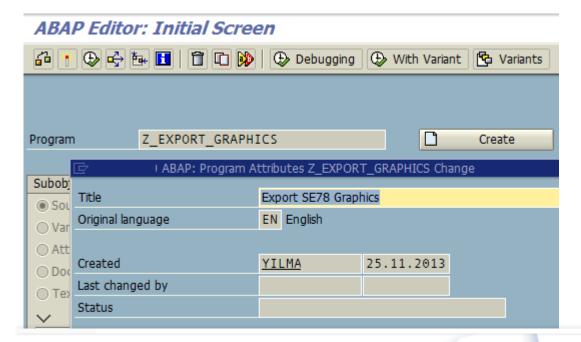


Export images and graphics from SAP SE78 transaction





Let's start out tutorial by creating a new ABAP report using ABAP Workbench.



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First, we will start by building the selection-screen codes.

Here as you see below, the ABAP report requests a file name in an input text area.

An other parameter that the user will provide is if the image is black and white bitmap image or a color bitmap image.

This parameter is displayed using a radiobutton group in the selection screen.

```
SELECTION-SCREEN: BEGIN OF BLOCK sel WITH FRAME TITLE text-000.

PARAMETERS: pa_image LIKE rstxt-tdname.

SELECTION-SCREEN BEGIN OF LINE.
SELECTION-SCREEN POSITION 30.

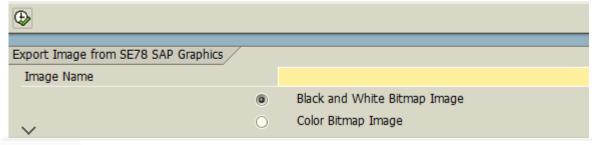
PARAMETERS: bw RADIOBUTTON GROUP icol DEFAULT 'X'.
SELECTION-SCREEN COMMENT 35(30) text-001.
SELECTION-SCREEN END OF LINE.

SELECTION-SCREEN BEGIN OF LINE.
SELECTION-SCREEN POSITION 30.
PARAMETERS: color RADIOBUTTON GROUP icol.
SELECTION-SCREEN COMMENT 35(30) text-002.
SELECTION-SCREEN END OF LINE.

SELECTION-SCREEN END OF BLOCK sel.
Code
```

Above provided ABAP source codes of the SAP selection screen generates the below screen for the user interface. This selection screen enables the user to enter the name of the bitmap image which is desired to export from SAP system.

Export SE78 Graphics





```
CALL FUNCTION 'SAPSCRIPT GET GRAPHIC BDS'
EXPORTING
 i object = 'GRAPHICS' " STXBITMAPS-TDOBJECT
 i_name = pa_image " STXBITMAPS-TDNAME, image name
 i id = 'BMAP' " STXBITMAPS-TDID
 i_btype = lv_tdbtype " STXBITMAPS-TDBTYPE, black/white or color
IMPORTING
 e bytecount = lv bytecount " I, size of binary image data
TABLES
 content = lv content " SBDST CONTENT, binary data
 EXCEPTIONS
 not found = 1
 bds get failed = 2
 bds_no_content = 3
 OTHERS = 4.
Code
```

The next step in our sample ABAP code is to call function module "SAPSCRIPT_CONVERT_BITMAP" to convert the returned binary data into bitmap file.

ABAP function module SAPSCRIPT_CONVERT_BITMAP converts graphics in BDS file format into BMP bitmap image format. Here is how ABAP developers can use SAPSCRIPT_CONVERT_BITMAP function module.

```
CALL FUNCTION 'SAPSCRIPT_CONVERT_BITMAP'

EXPORTING

old_format = 'BDS' " source image file type

new_format = 'BMP' " target image file type => .bmp

bitmap_file_bytecount_in = lv_bytecount

IMPORTING

bitmap_file_bytecount = graphic_size

TABLES

bitmap_file = graphic_table

bds_bitmap_file = lv_content " SBDST_CONTENT

EXCEPTIONS

OTHERS = 1.
```



ABAP developers should set the filename parameter of the **WS_DOWNLOAD** ABAP function module in the format including the full file path. In this ABAP tutorial sample case, I used a constant file folder to store exported BDS images.



Perhaps it is a better idea to use <u>ABAP folder selector or Display File Dialog control using cl_gui_frontend_services=>FILE_SAVE_DIALOG method</u>. But this is a topic of an other ABAP tutorial.

```
CALL FUNCTION 'WS_DOWNLOAD'

EXPORTING

bin_filesize = graphic_size

filename = lv_export_file_name " 'u:\export.bmp'

filetype = 'BIN'

TABLES

data_tab = graphic_table

EXCEPTIONS

invalid_filesize = 1

invalid_table_width = 2

invalid_type = 3

no_batch = 4

unknown_error = 5

gui_refuse_filetransfer = 6.
```



```
REPORT z export graphics.
SELECTION-SCREEN: BEGIN OF BLOCK sel WITH FRAME TITLE text-000.
PARAMETERS: pa image LIKE rstxt-tdname.
SELECTION-SCREEN BEGIN OF LINE.
SELECTION-SCREEN POSITION 30.
PARAMETERS: bw RADIOBUTTON GROUP icol DEFAULT 'X'.
SELECTION-SCREEN COMMENT 35(30) text-001.
SELECTION-SCREEN END OF LINE.
SELECTION-SCREEN BEGIN OF LINE.
SELECTION-SCREEN POSITION 30.
PARAMETERS: color RADIOBUTTON GROUP icol.
SELECTION-SCREEN COMMENT 35(30) text-002.
SELECTION-SCREEN END OF LINE.
SELECTION-SCREEN: END OF BLOCK sel.
CHECK pa image IS NOT INITIAL.
DATA:
lv bytecount TYPE i,
lv tdbtype LIKE stxbitmaps-tdbtype,
lv content TYPE STANDARD TABLE OF bapiconten INITIAL SIZE 0.
DATA: graphic size TYPE i.
DATA:
BEGIN OF graphic table OCCURS 0,
line(255) TYPE x,
END OF graphic table.
```

DATA: lv export file name TYPE RLGRAP-FILENAME.



```
lv_tdbtype = 'BMON'. " Black and White Bitmap Image
ELSE.
lv_tdbtype = 'BCOL'. " Color Bitmap Image
ENDIF.
*** get binary data from SAP BDS for specific graphics image
CALL FUNCTION 'SAPSCRIPT GET GRAPHIC BDS'
 EXPORTING
 i_object = 'GRAPHICS' " STXBITMAPS-TDOBJECT
 i_name = pa_image " STXBITMAPS-TDNAME
 i id = 'BMAP' " STXBITMAPS-TDID
  i btype = lv tdbtype " STXBITMAPS-TDBTYPE
 IMPORTING
  e bytecount = lv bytecount " I
 TABLES
  content = lv_content " SBDST_CONTENT
 EXCEPTIONS
  not found = 1
  bds get failed = 2
  bds no content = 3
  OTHERS = 4.
CHECK sy-subrc IS INITIAL.
*** convert graphics in BDS file format to BMP bitmap image format
CALL FUNCTION 'SAPSCRIPT CONVERT BITMAP'
 EXPORTING
  old format = 'BDS' " source image file type
 new format = 'BMP' " target image file type => .bmp
  bitmap file bytecount in = lv bytecount
 IMPORTING
  bitmap file bytecount = graphic size
 TABLES
```



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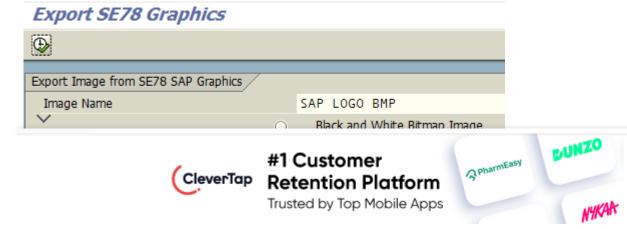
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CHECK sy-subrc IS INITIAL.

```
CALL FUNCTION 'WS DOWNLOAD'
 EXPORTING
  bin filesize = graphic size
 filename = lv export file name " 'u:\export.bmp'
 filetype = 'BIN'
 TABLES
 data tab = graphic table
 EXCEPTIONS
 invalid filesize = 1
 invalid_table_width = 2
 invalid type = 3
 no batch = 4
 unknown\_error = 5
 gui_refuse_filetransfer = 6.
IF sy-subrc <> 0.
MESSAGE ID sy-msgid TYPE sy-msgty NUMBER sy-msgno
 WITH sy-msgv1 sy-msgv2 sy-msgv3 sy-msgv4.
ENDIF.
Code
```

After you activate your ABAP report, you can now export SAP logo from SAP BDS system. If you run the ABAP program z_export_graphics and enter "SAP LOGO BMP" as the name of the bitmap image and choose Color Bitmap Image option and execute the report, a graphics file will be created in the target folder with the same image name.



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