

Q: How can I send a PostScript file directly to the WindowServer?

A: You should usually use NXImage. However, if that's not appropriate in your situation use the following code snippet. Warning: Do **not** use **PSRun()**, because your application may not work with -NXHost since the file you specified may not exist on the other machine.

```
int SendFileToPS(const char *fileName)
{
    NXStream *st;
    char *addr;
    int len, maxlen;

    st = NXMapFile(fileName, NX_READONLY);
    if (st) {
        NXGetMemoryBuffer(st, &addr, &len, &maxlen);
        DPSWriteData(DPSGetCurrentContext(), addr, len);
        NXCloseMemory(st, NX_FREEBUFFER);
        return 0;
    } else
        return -1;
}
```

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