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Subject: Re: Agenda for CIE Division 8 Meeting

Hi Todd,  
Hi Dave,

Here is a Brief Report of the state of CIE TC 8-07 "Multispectral Imaging"

The new TC 8-07 was approved by the CIE Board of Administration at the beginning of November 2002.

The first meeting was held on November 12, 2002 at the Color Imaging Conference, Scottsdale.

At this meeting it was decided to begin work with a survey of the existing data formats for multispectral images, to specify the requirements of a general data format, and to define a new such data format, based on the knowledge gained before. Extensions of existing image formats such as TIFF are taken into account as well as defining a new format.

Information on existing data formats have been submitted by 4 groups, and the details are currently being reviewed.

It is planned to hold the next official meeting at the upcoming Color Imaging Conference, Scottsdale, this year, and to be able to discuss about first draft proposals of such a data format at the meeting.

It is also planned to hold a further official TC meeting at the 6th International Conference of Multispectral Color Science, which is to be held as part of the 2nd CGIV conference, Aachen, Germany, April 5--8 2004.

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