

png_options — Options for exporting to portable network graphics (PNG) format

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The *png_options* are used with `graph export` when creating graphs in PNG format; see [\[G-2\] graph export](#).

Syntax

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| <code>width(#)</code> | width of graph in pixels |
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Remarks and examples

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You have drawn a graph and wish to create a PNG file to include in a document. You wish, however, to set the width of the graph to 800 pixels and the height to 600 pixels:

```
. graph ...                               (draw a graph)
. graph export myfile.png, width(800) height(600)
```

Specifying the width or height

If the width is specified but not the height, Stata determines the appropriate height from the graph's aspect ratio. If the height is specified but not the width, Stata determines the appropriate width from the graph's aspect ratio. If neither the width nor the height is specified, Stata will export the graph on the basis of the current size of the Graph window.

Also see

[\[G-2\] graph export](#) — Export current graph

[\[G-2\] graph set](#) — Set graphics options