

Retaining Past design / technical information for the future – Craig Tooke

Discussion

John Perkins – LTMS – as for details of what size scanner and dpi etc.

CT – Using up to an A0 scanner, 300 dpi to 400 dpi and pdf files. A3 scanners coming down in price.

Jeremy Kay – Hobart – asked about the use of digital camera on tripods and noted that State Archives Tas office had scanned plans for him.

David Critchley – STM – noted the need to back up files in different formats, backing up to current formats, as older formats can go out of use.

CT – noted that pdf format is now fairly universal and easier to go format – chosen by the Vic Government.

Tim Blythman – Bendigo – suggested that a protocol is need to prevent the doubling up on scanning of drawings.