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Subject: Re: Catch the area outside a contour  
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Im not sure this is what you are asking for but if you want all elements that are below or above the contour then you can use the function where().

```
;array is the array containing your contour data.  
;contourLevel = the value of the contour line you are interested in.
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```
contourLevel = .5  
outside = where(array LT contourLevel)
```

here "outside" will hold an index for every pixel that is below the contour level.

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