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Subject: newbie: sub-array extraction

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Had a bit of look through the archive and did not see anything that relates specifically to what I am trying to do, but that probably because of my lack of understanding of the problem.

Anyway I am looking to extract a 5x5 array around a central pixel to calculate some background statistics. Is this something best accomplished with for loops or is there an idl function that does something similar already?

thanks for your help

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