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Subject: Re: Filter image with moving window and averaging pixels

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rpertaub@gmail.com writes:

- > I need to filter some noise out of an image and was pointed towards
- > making a moving/sliding window (size, say 7x7) and compare the center
- > pixel with surrounding pixels right next to border (ignoring middle
- > pixels). And compare the value of center pixel with the border average
- > pixels and thus filter out noise. However, I am not sure how to do
- > this.
- > Anyone has any idea?
- > Did I say I was new to IDL...?
- > Thanks for all your help,
- > my last query was met by very helpful replies, and I am grateful!

I think I would start with SMOOTH, or perhaps MEDIAN,  
and then let us know how you are getting on. :-)

Cheers,

David

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