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Subject: Re: Averaging values in an array  
Posted by [wlandsman](#) on Tue, 21 Jul 2015 16:58:46 GMT  
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It sounds like you want

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IDL> topscans_avg = mean(topscans,dimension=2)
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On Tuesday, July 21, 2015 at 12:50:10 PM UTC-4, Wayana Dolan wrote:

> So I've got an array called 'topscans' which is [333,9], so I am looking through 9 different scans, and each scan has 333 spectral points. I want to average each spectral point for the 9 scans. For example I want to average the first spectral point for all 9 runs, then the 2nd, then the third etc. So that in the end I have a set of 333 spectral points which represents an average of all 9 scans.

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> Thanks for your help!

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