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Posted by [lukesmm](#) on Wed, 19 Nov 2014 20:26:20 GMT

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second array

unit unit unit unit unit unit
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Third array

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unit unit unit unit unit unit  
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Subject: Re: extract subarrays

Posted by rryan%stsci.edu on Wed, 19 Nov 2014 20:32:31 GMT

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;now parse data accordingly  
  
endfor
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On Wednesday, November 19, 2014 3:26:22 PM UTC-5, lucesmm wrote:

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Posted by [lukesmm](#) on Wed, 19 Nov 2014 20:44:42 GMT

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Well

I was just doing Where(file EQ First array), Where(file EQ Tenth array)

and also I don't want all the sub arrays stored

let's say I want the first and the tenth (there are like 50 sub arrays in the file)
