

## Re: complicated array

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Have a look at Aladin's contribution here...

<http://www.excelforum.com/showthread.php?t=333697>

The example returns a Top 3 list. For a Top 5 list, enter 5 in D1 instead of 3.

Hope this helps!

In article <260d01c51dfb\$1d47f8e0\$a401280a@phx.gbl>, "boris" <anonymous@discussions.microsoft.com> wrote:

- > *I saw something like this in a book once, but don't know*
- > *which book. It was pretty complex when I saw it, but know*
- > *that it, within itself, sorted and did some of the*
- > *functions I need. The problem:*
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- > *List of multi-column entries for a sales order. Two of*
- > *the columns are account name and amount of order. I need*
- > *an array (multi-cell, or single cell, with reference to a*
- > *neighboring "counter" cell) which will look at the list*
- > *(based on named ranges which are sized the same - for*
- > *sumif purposes - for both the account column and amount*
- > *column) and produce for me the top 5 accounts by total*
- > *amount. In other words, from the following list:*
- >
- > *Acct Amount*
- > *A 10*
- > *B 20*
- > *C 12*
- > *D 45*
- > *E 34*
- > *F 5*
- > *G 45*
- > *A 5*
- > *C 10*
- > *D 8*

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- > *I need the section where this array would be to look as*
- > *follows:*
- >
- > *Acct Amount*
- > *D 53*
- > *G 45*
- > *E 34*
- > *C 22*
- > *B*