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SmartJCL – Release Notes

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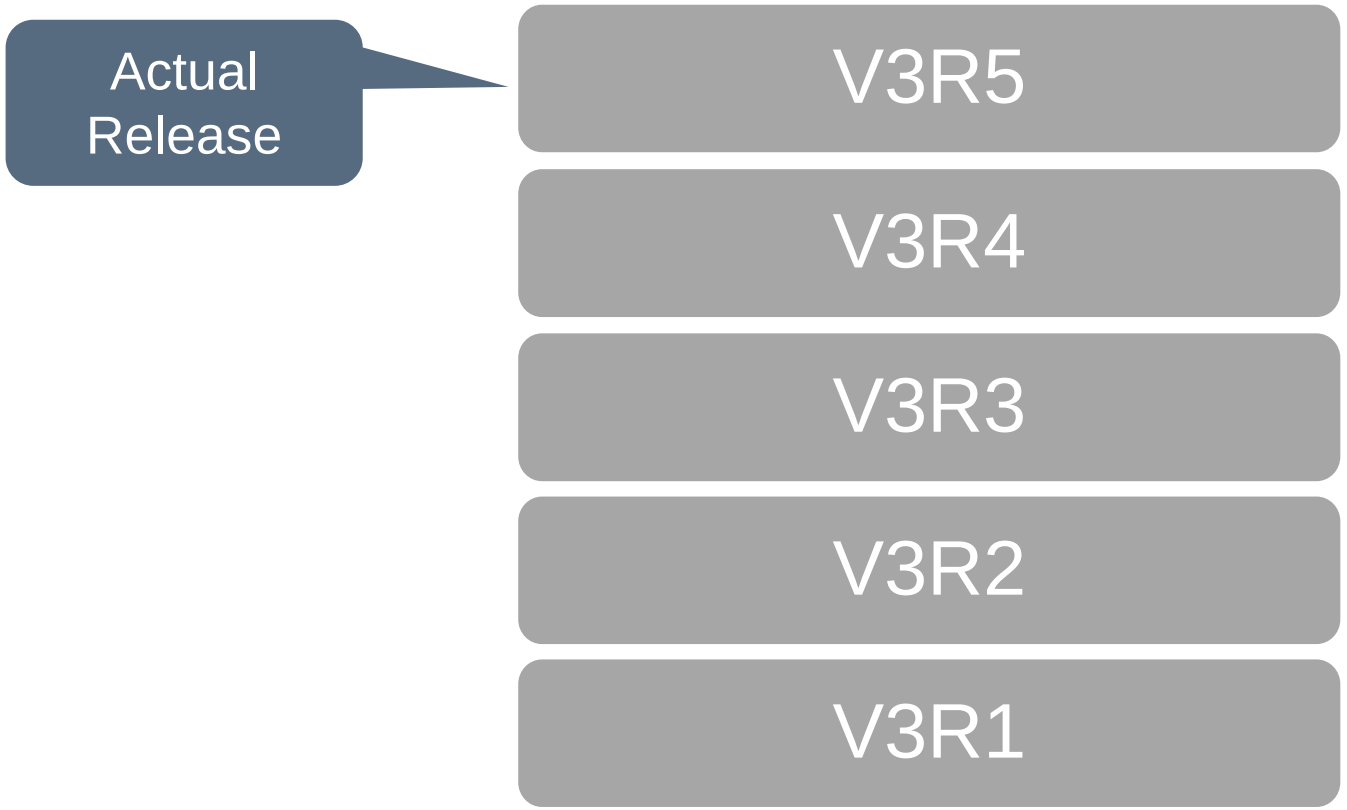

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SmartJCL 3.5

- SmartJCL V3R5 is available since July 2022. It offers following new functions:
- z/OS 2.5 support – new parameters and statements
  - No new parameters or statements
- z/OS 2.4 support – new parameters and statements
  - NULLOVRD parameter for JCL DD statement added
- New TCP/IP listener HORILST
  - installation with HORIZONT Shared Library
  - UWORK is no longer needed
  - simplified parameter setting

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- New JCL Check parameters:
  - CFS to check if there is enough free space to allocate a new data set
  - SUMOM defines mask for the JCKSUMO record
  - NLT to display output lines as INFO lines rather than NOTE lines
  - USEIWSAG to use IWS authority group user ID for the check
  - CGS for skipping the DFSORT SYSIN check when generated SYSIN data set is concatenated
  - JLT defines maximum JCL lines to check
  - MSGPOS specifies positioning of messages output because of the DDNCHK parameter
  - FMO to check only the first member of a given name in the JUPJInnn concatenation
  - ISC specifies if substitution of instream symbols is checked
  - CIEBC, CIEBG, CIEHP, CPDSF, CSORT to check the SYSIN control statements of only specified utilities

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- New SmartJCL Reformat parameters:
  - FORMATORDER for formatting JCLLIB ORDER parameter
  - RFMTNONBLANK72 to not reformat statements containing a character in column 72
- New Change Facility parameter:
  - SJCLNCHRP for generating SJC LNCHANGE command report
- New REXX Interface function:
  - SRIGetOverLn
  - SRISayLnCnt
  - SRISayStmtSubType
  - SRIVolumeInfo
- Support of TWS 10.1

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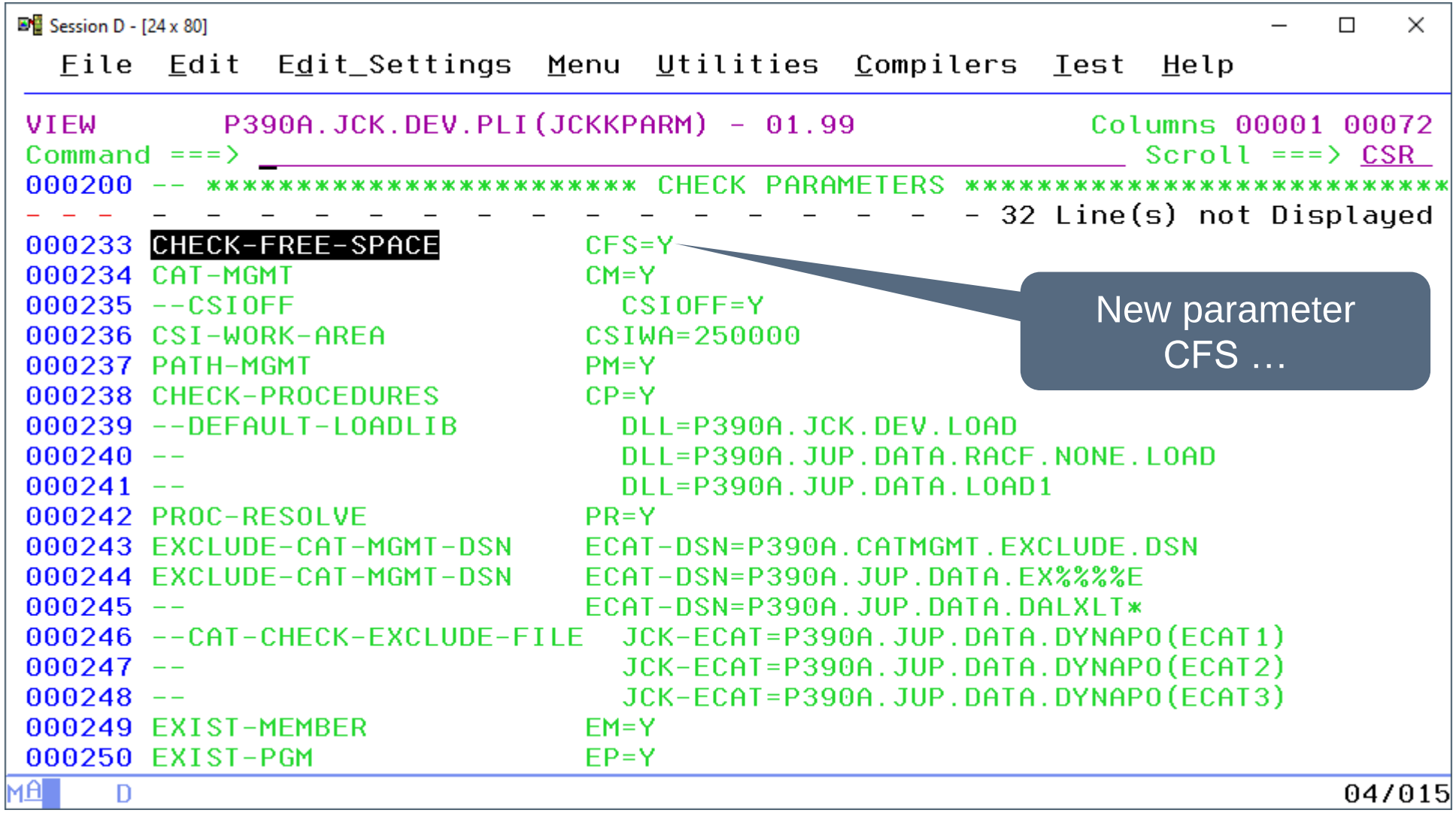

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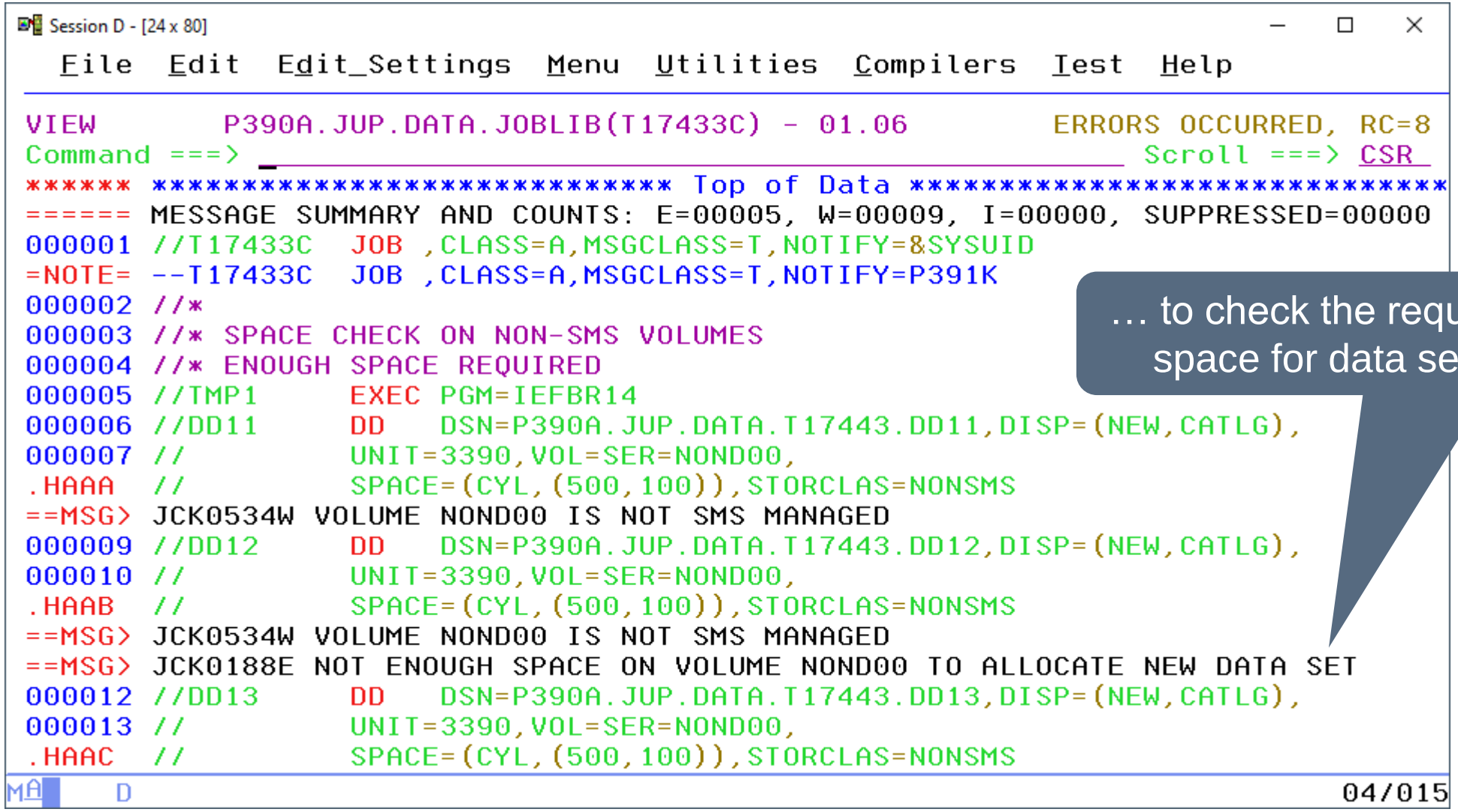

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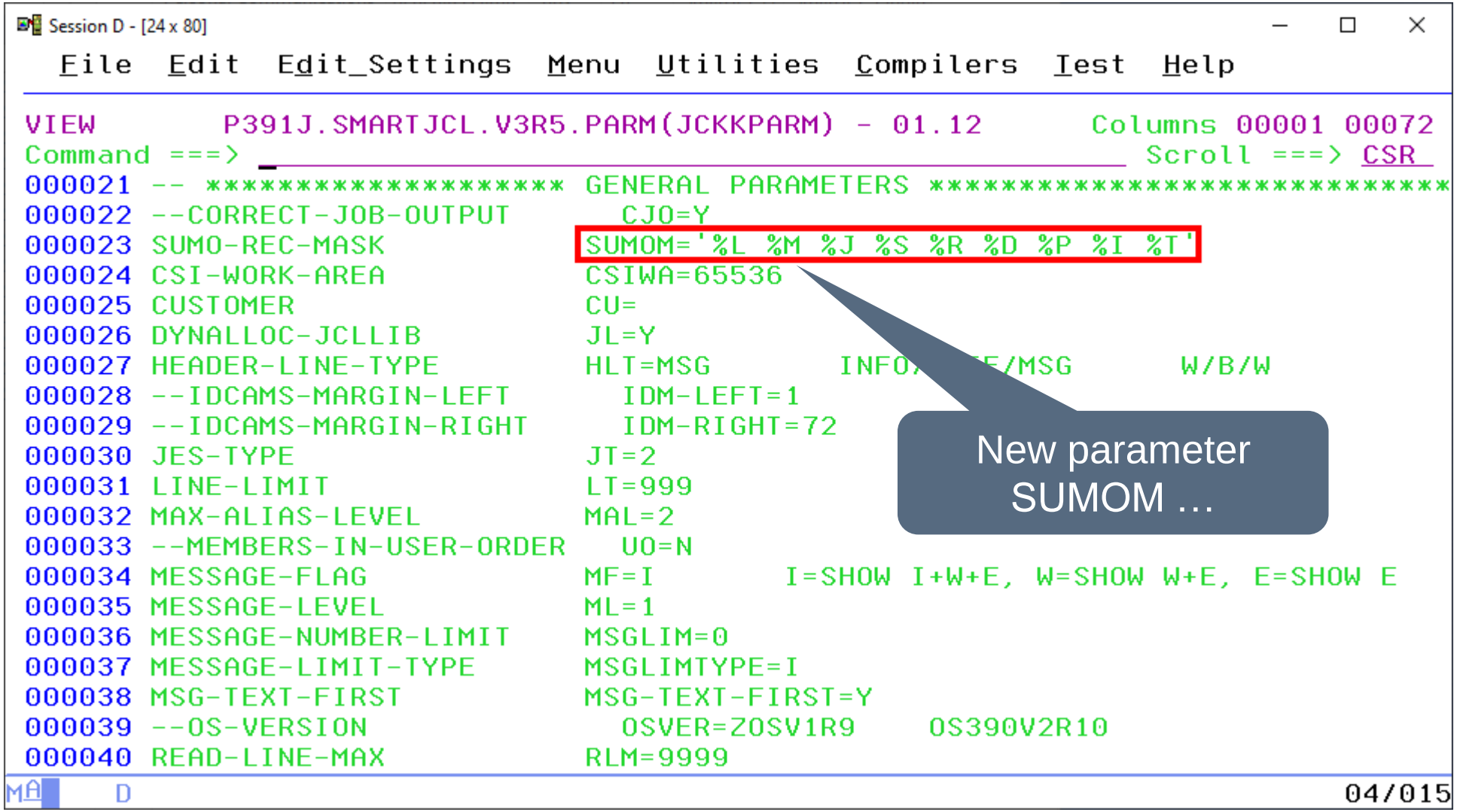

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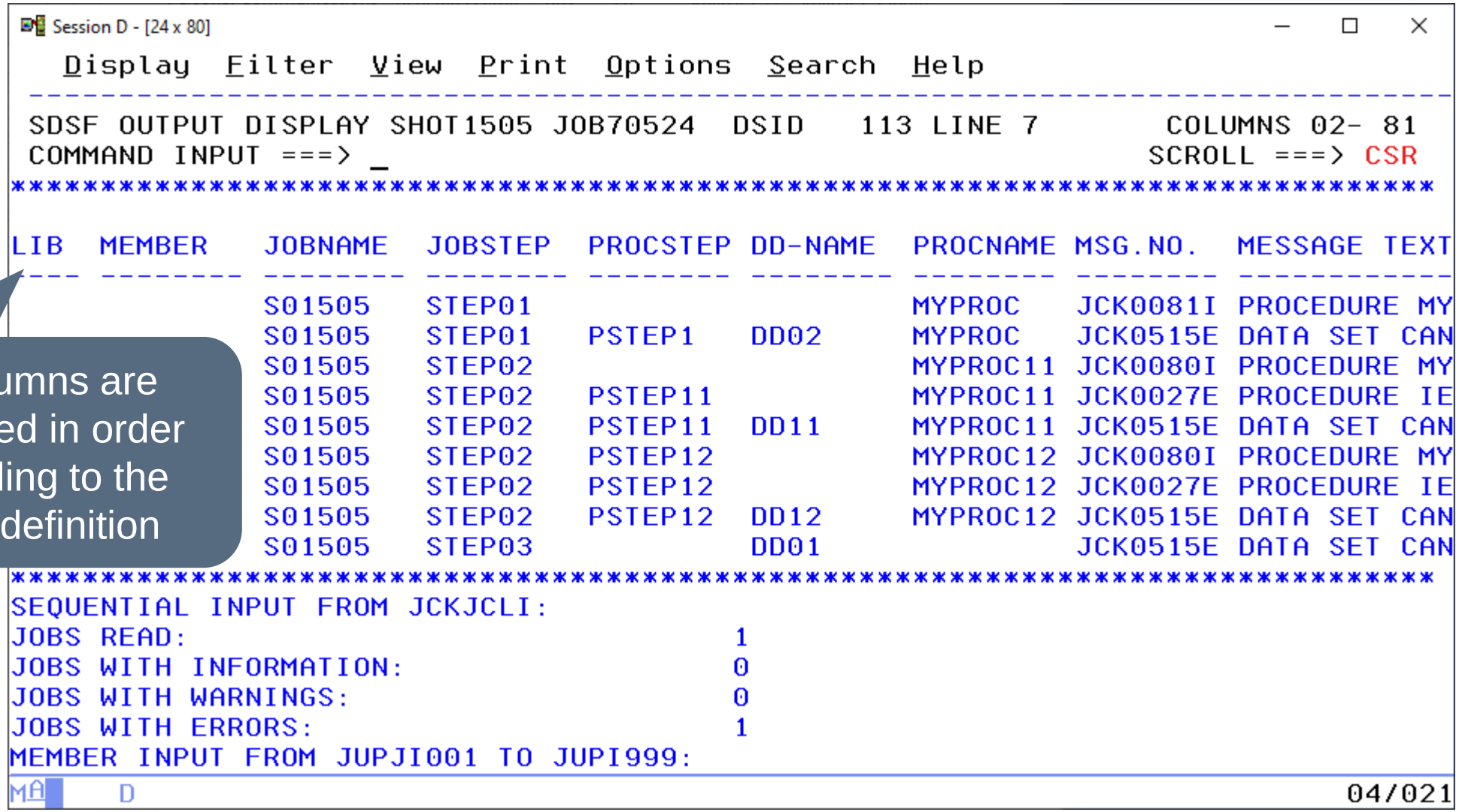

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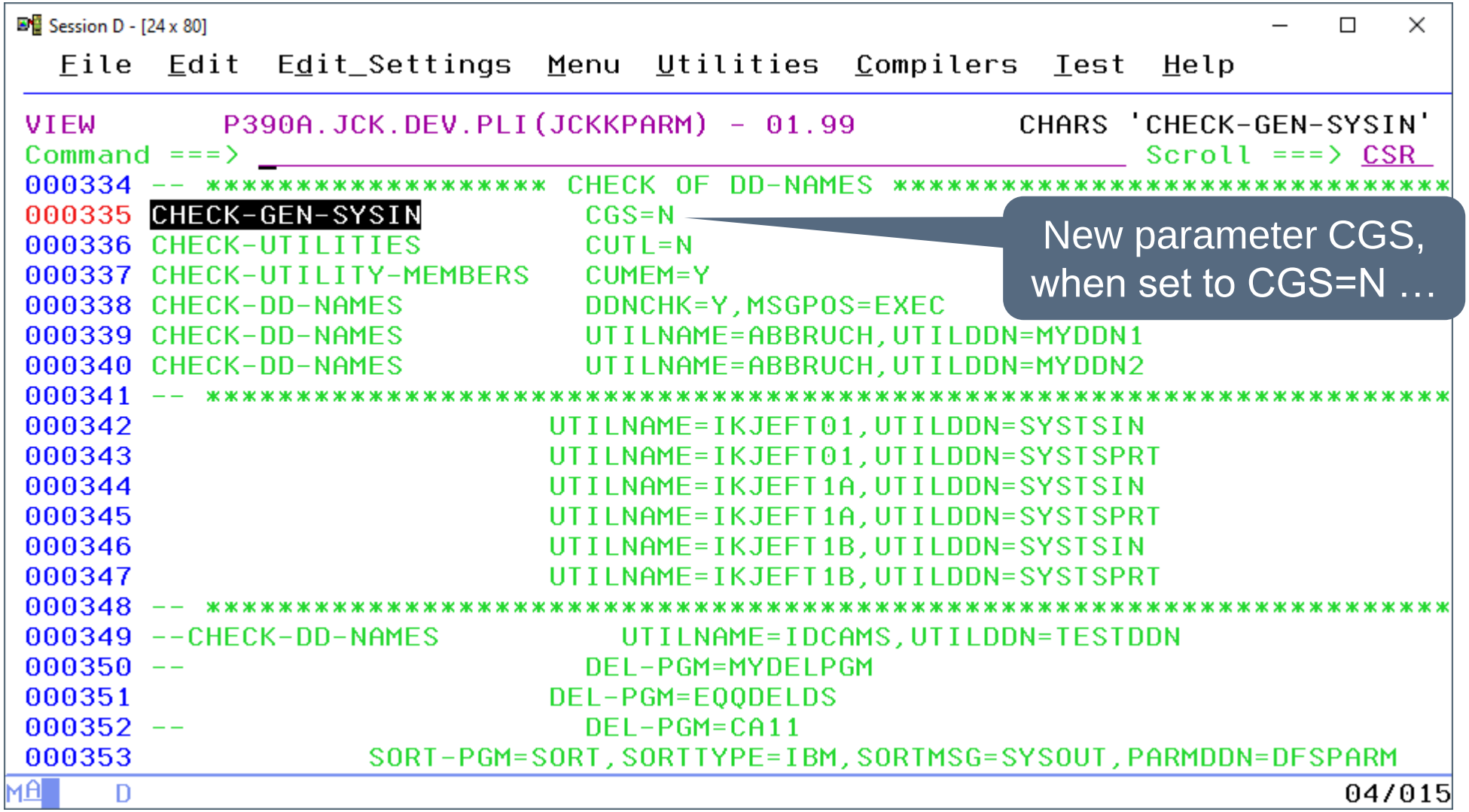

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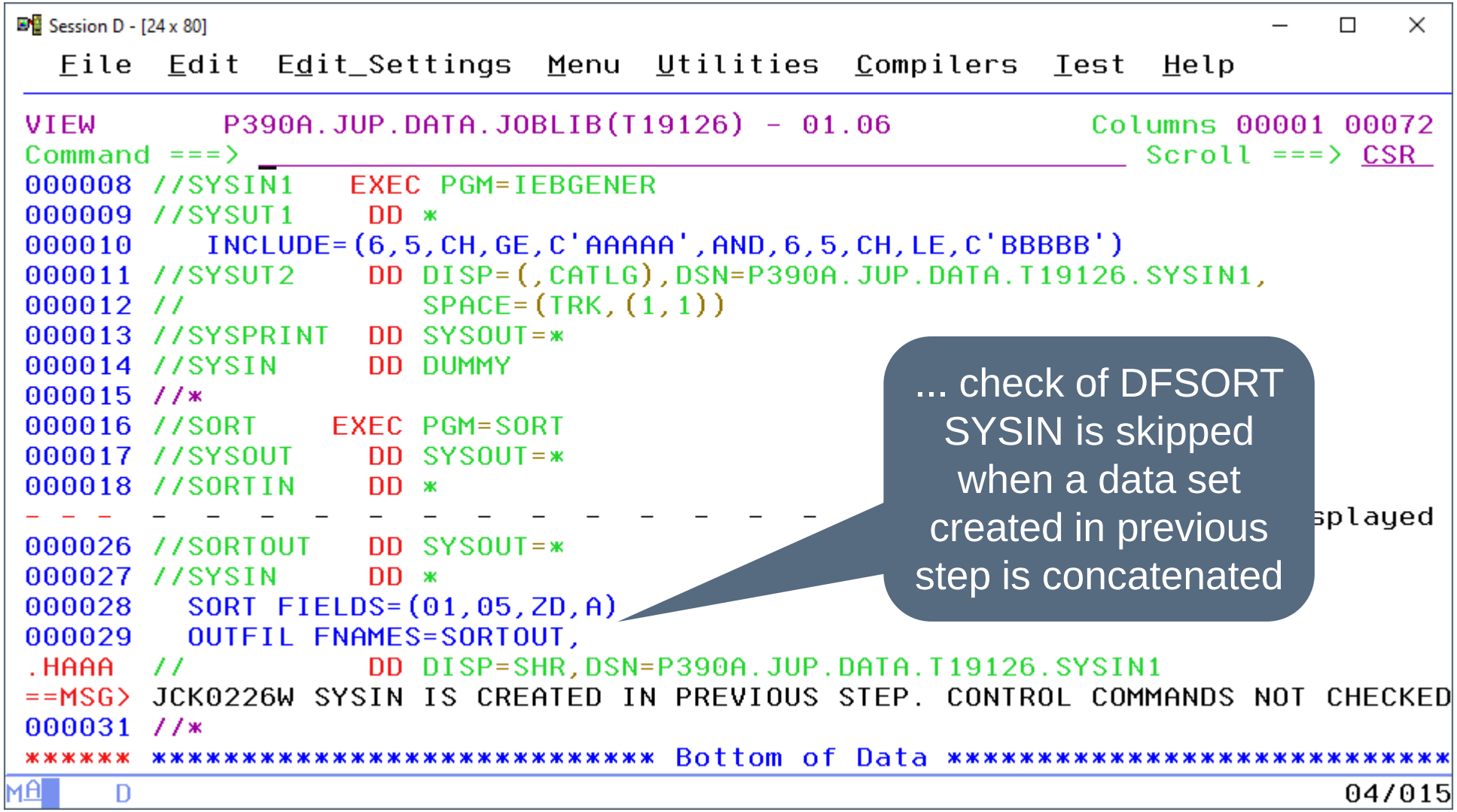

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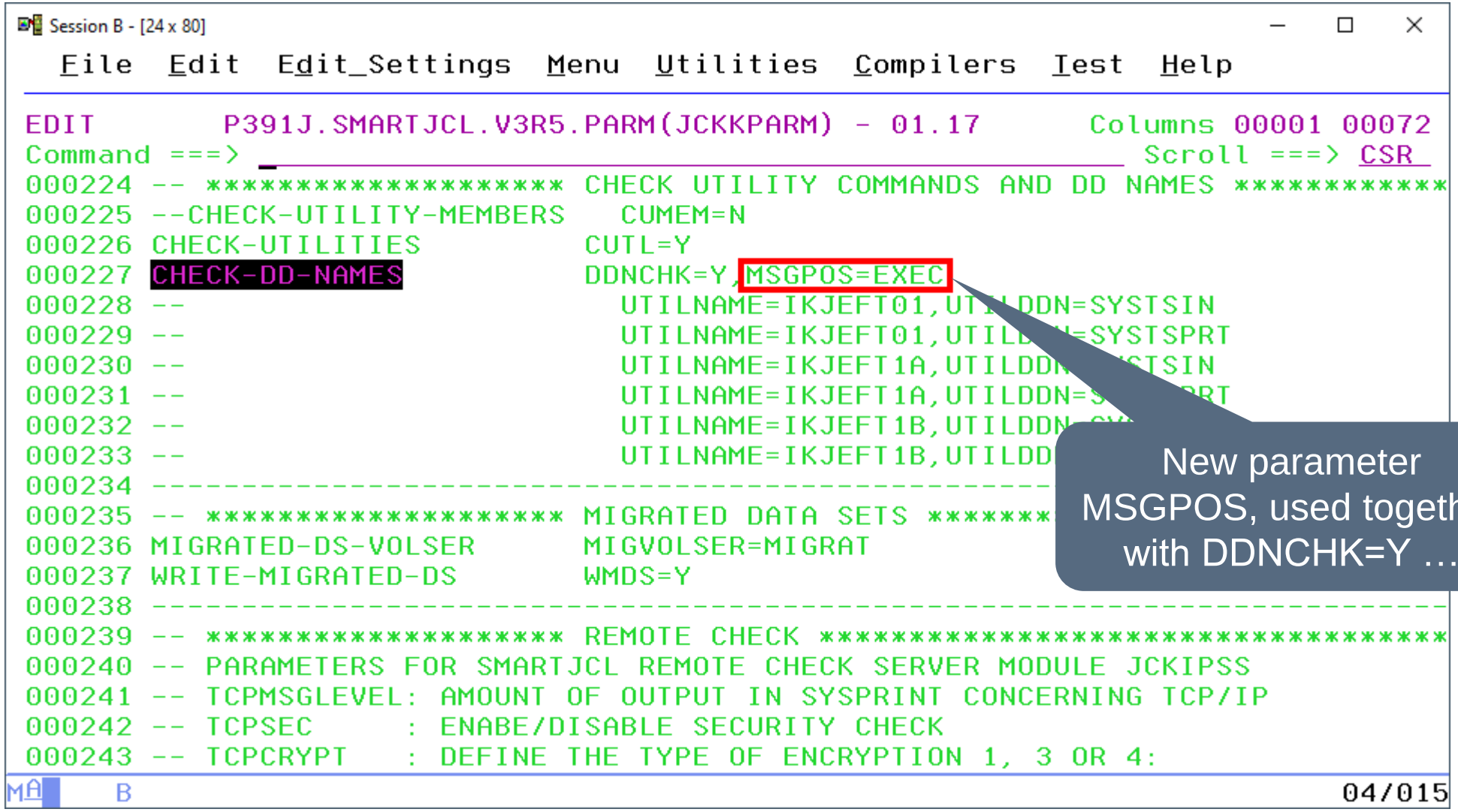

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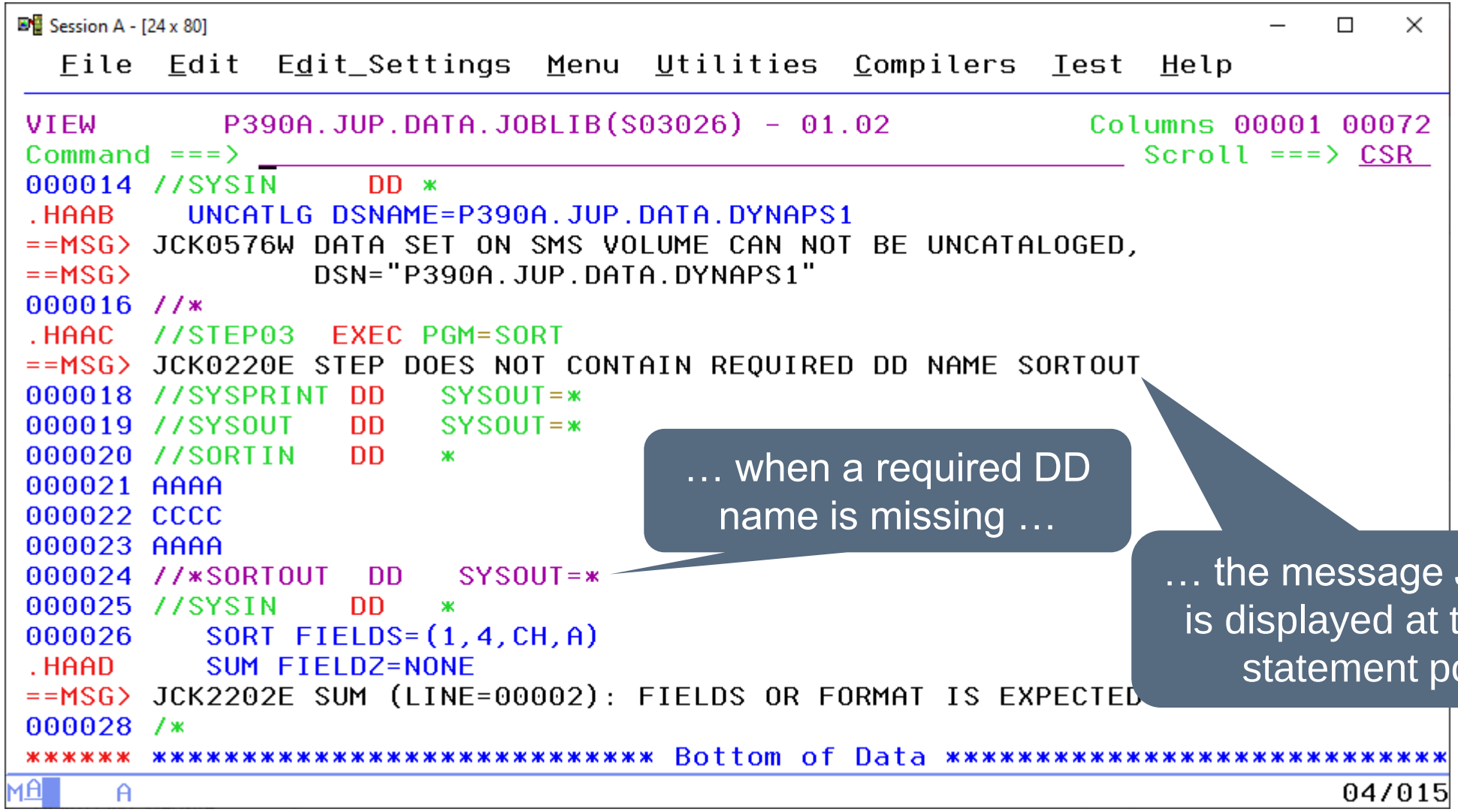

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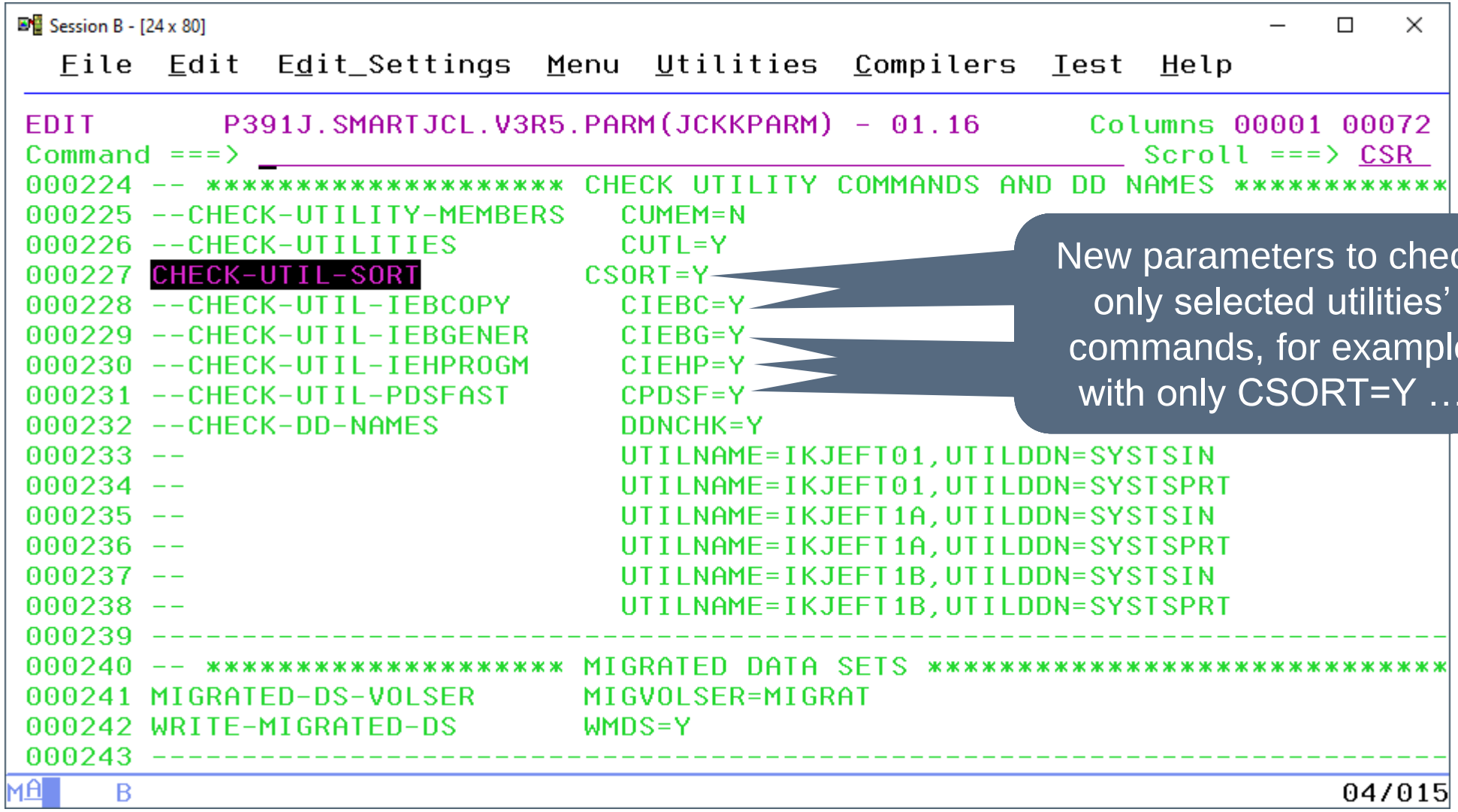

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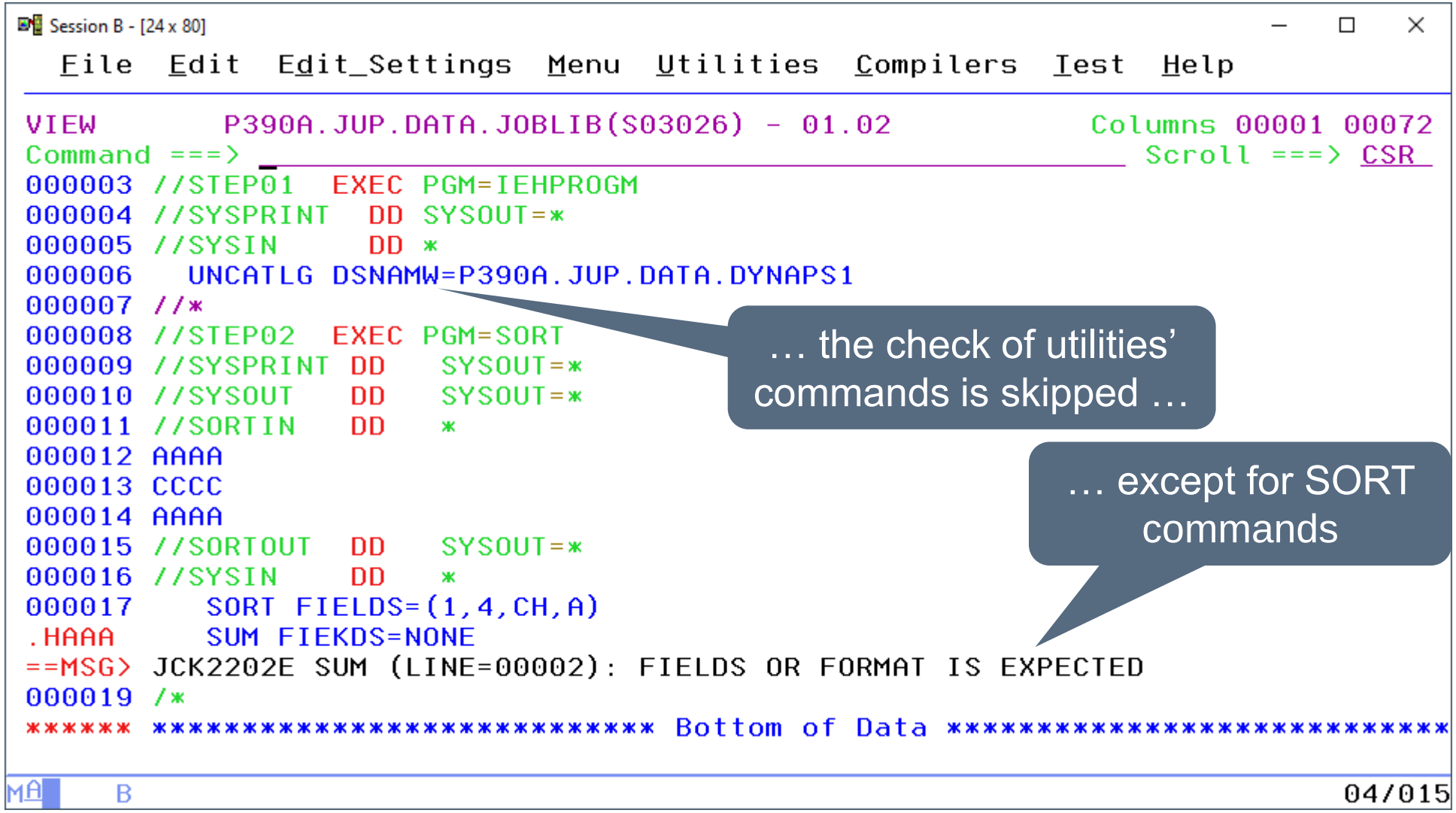

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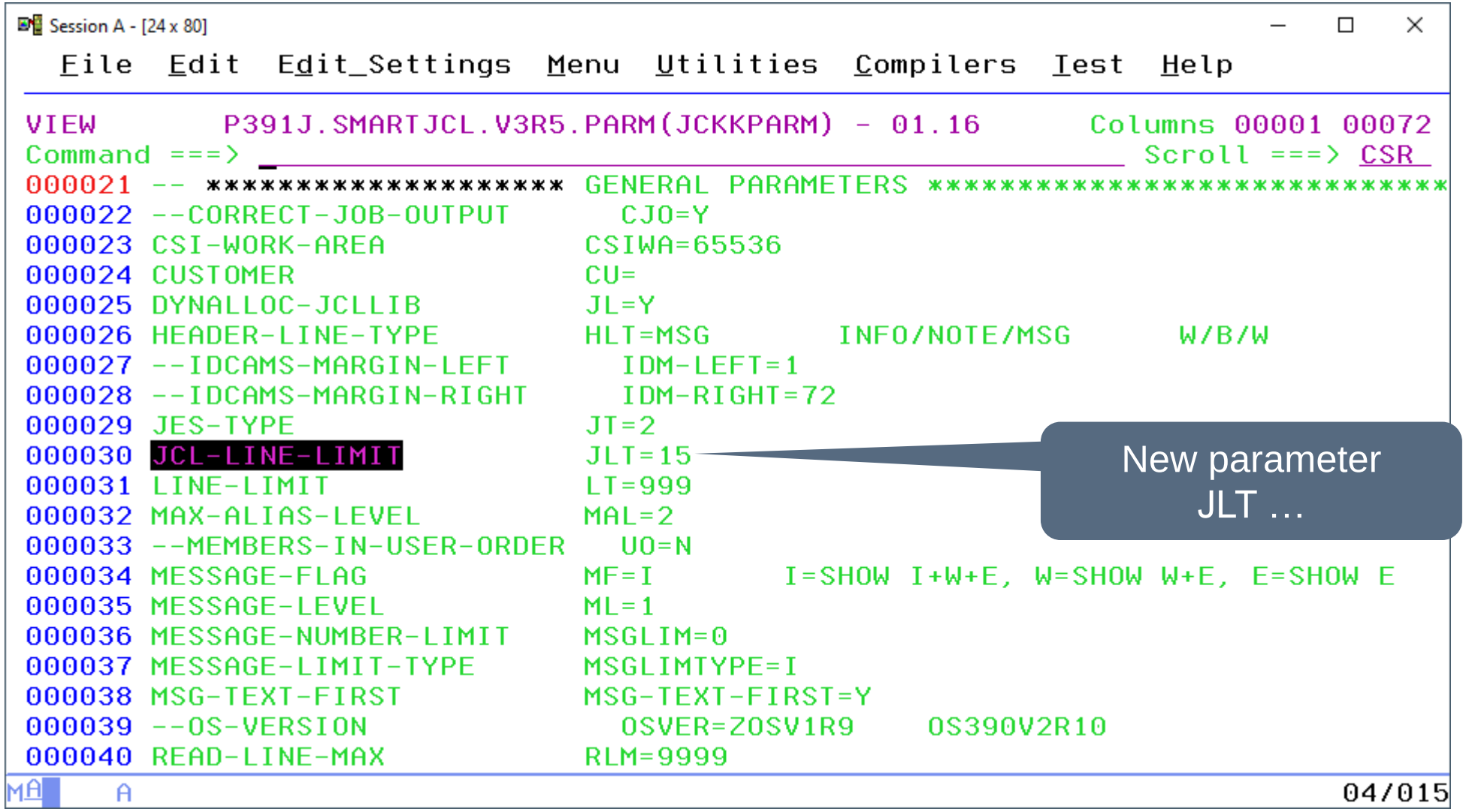

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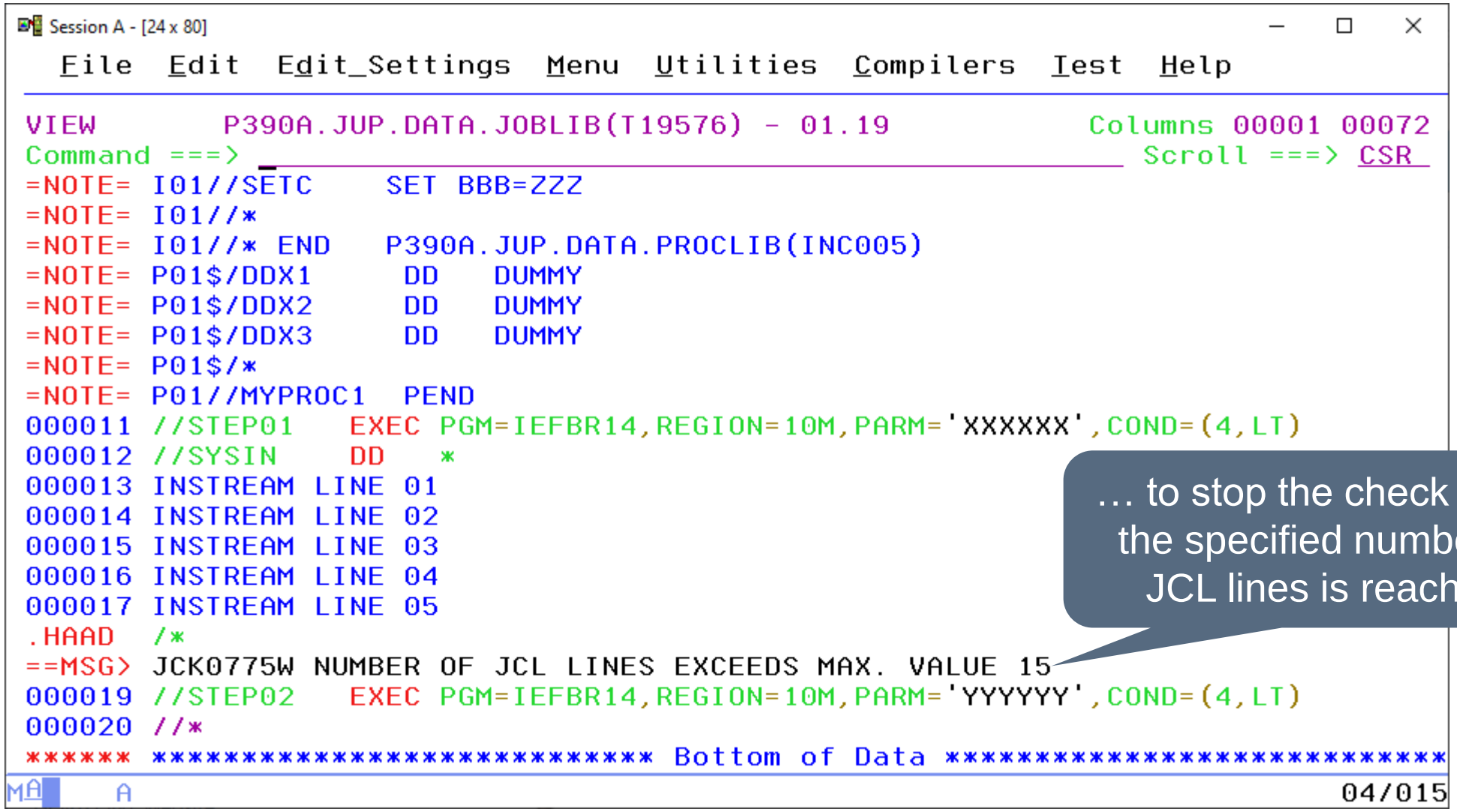

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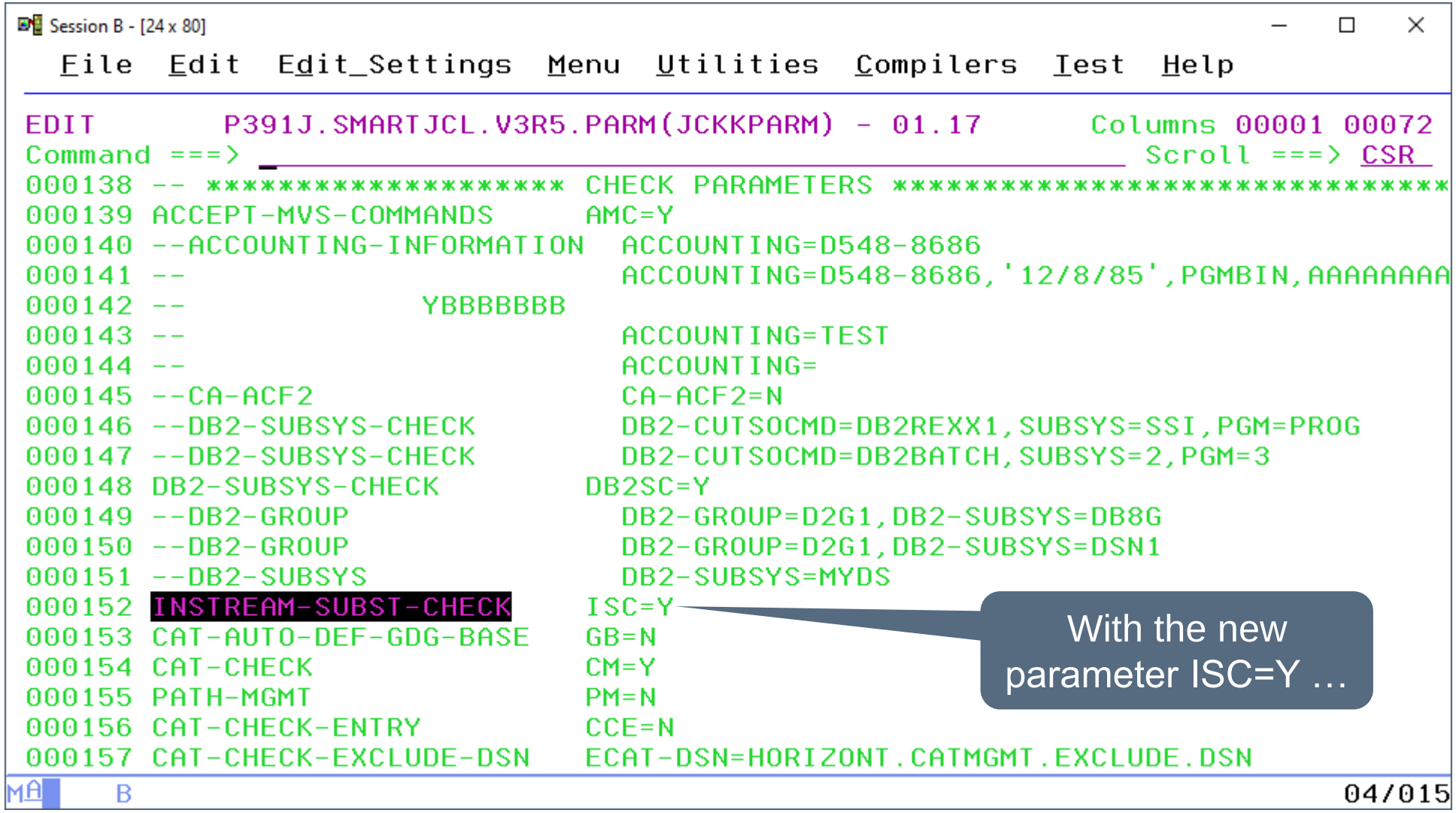

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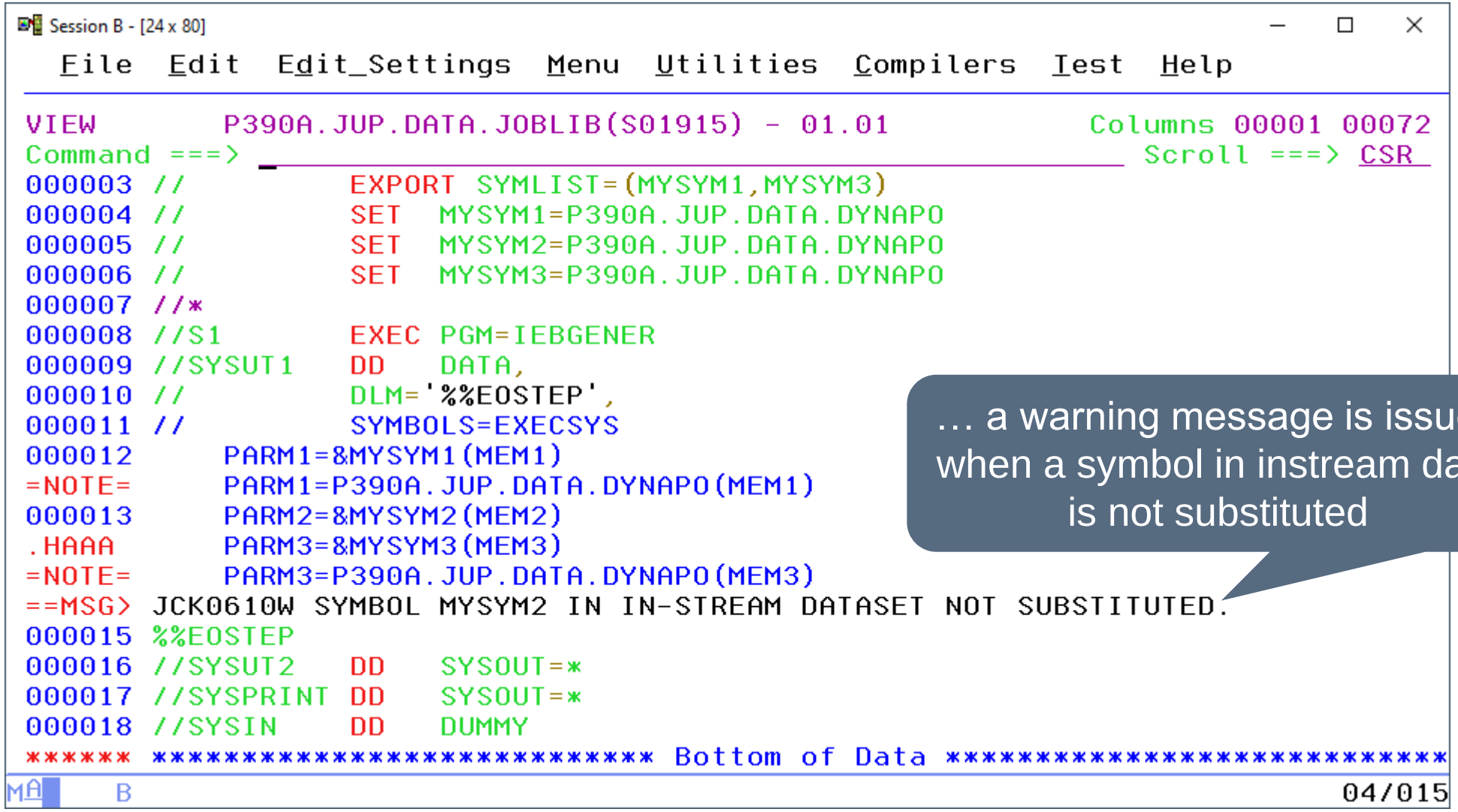

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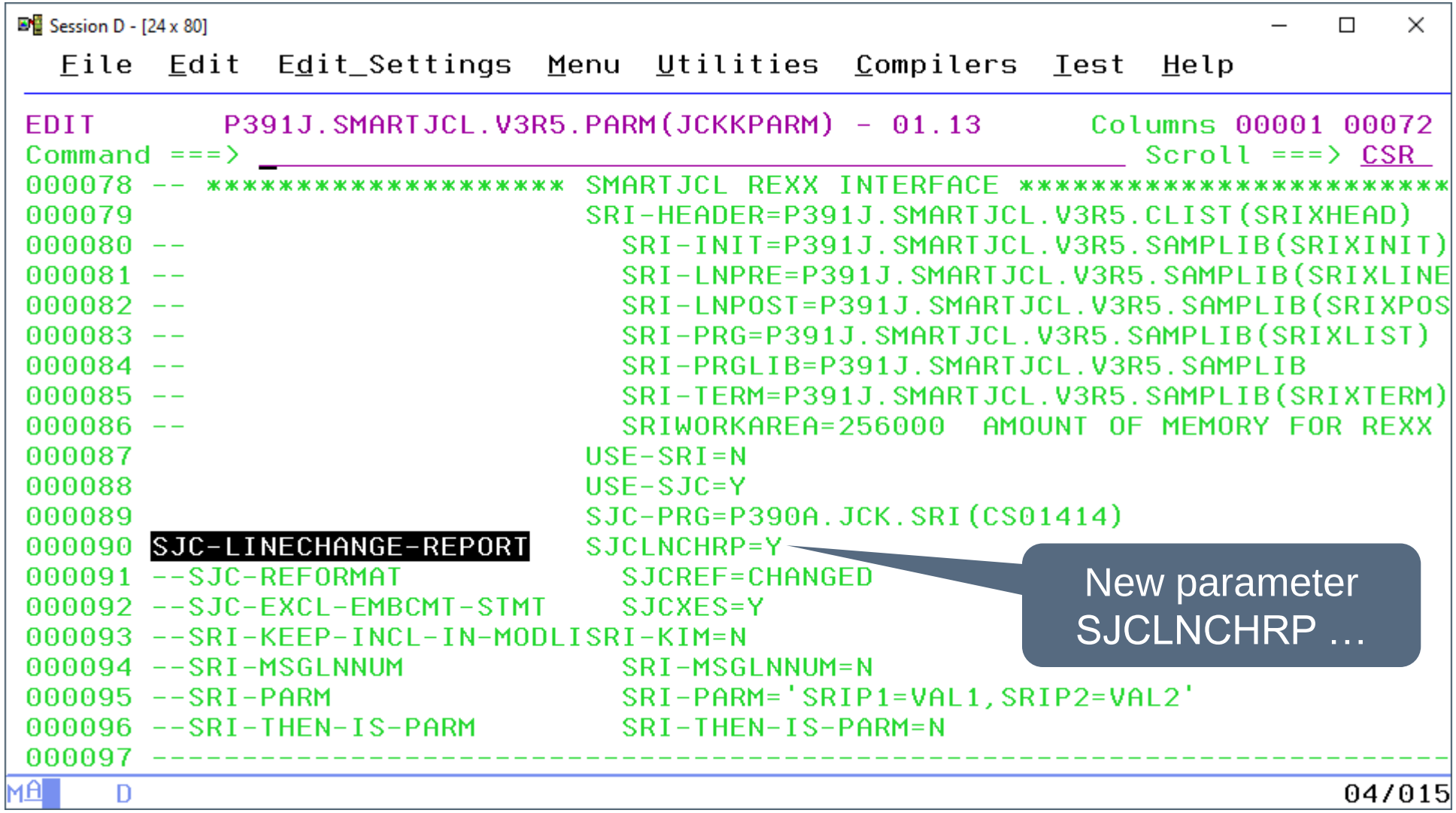

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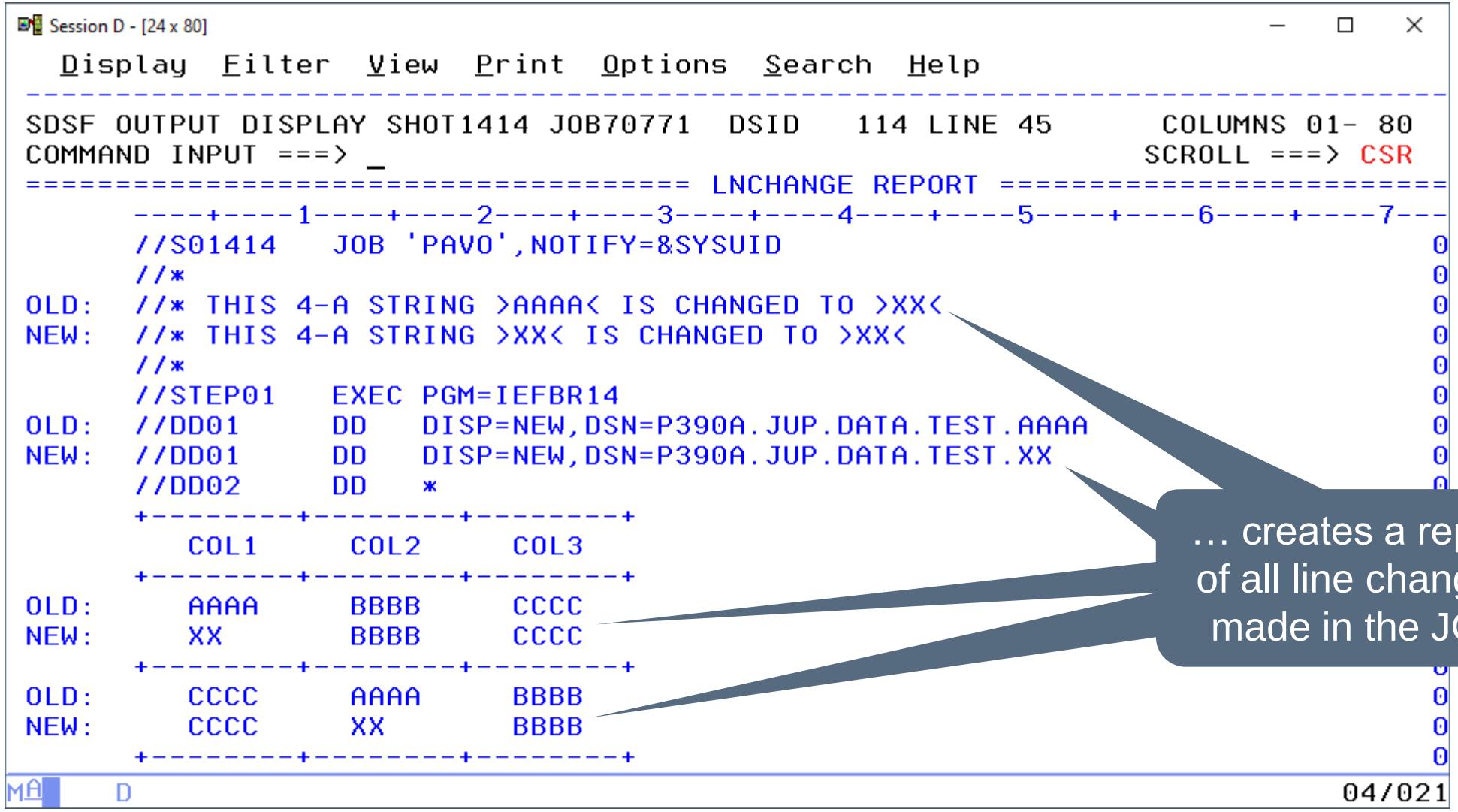

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SmartJCL 3.4

- SmartJCL V3R4 is available since February 2019. It offers following new functions:
- z/OS 2.3 support – new parameters and statements
  - Length for DLM= is increased from 2 characters to 18 characters
  - &SYSJOBNM, job name and &SYSJOBID, job ID added
  - ROACCESS and DSKEYLBL parameter on JCL DD statement added
  - Password phrases and new password on PASSWORD parameter supported
  - EMAIL, GDGBIAS parameter on JOB statement added
  - Limit for TSO/E user Ids is changed to 8 characters
  - NOTIFY JCL statement is added
  - EMAIL= is added, PASSWORD= is changed in JOBGROUP
  - System symbol &SYSEMAIL
  - AFTER, BEFORE and DELAY on SCHEDULE statement supported

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SmartJCL 3.4

- New JCL Check parameters:
  - DB2-CUTSOCMD for customer specific DB2 program calls
  - DEFAULTIMSID specifies a default IMSID value
  - STEPGENNAME and STEPGENOPT for generated step names
  - JES3-SYSNAME defines user specified JES3 system names
- New Change Facility command:
  - LNCHANGEALL
- New REXX Interface function:
  - SRIFillStem
- Support of TWS 9.5

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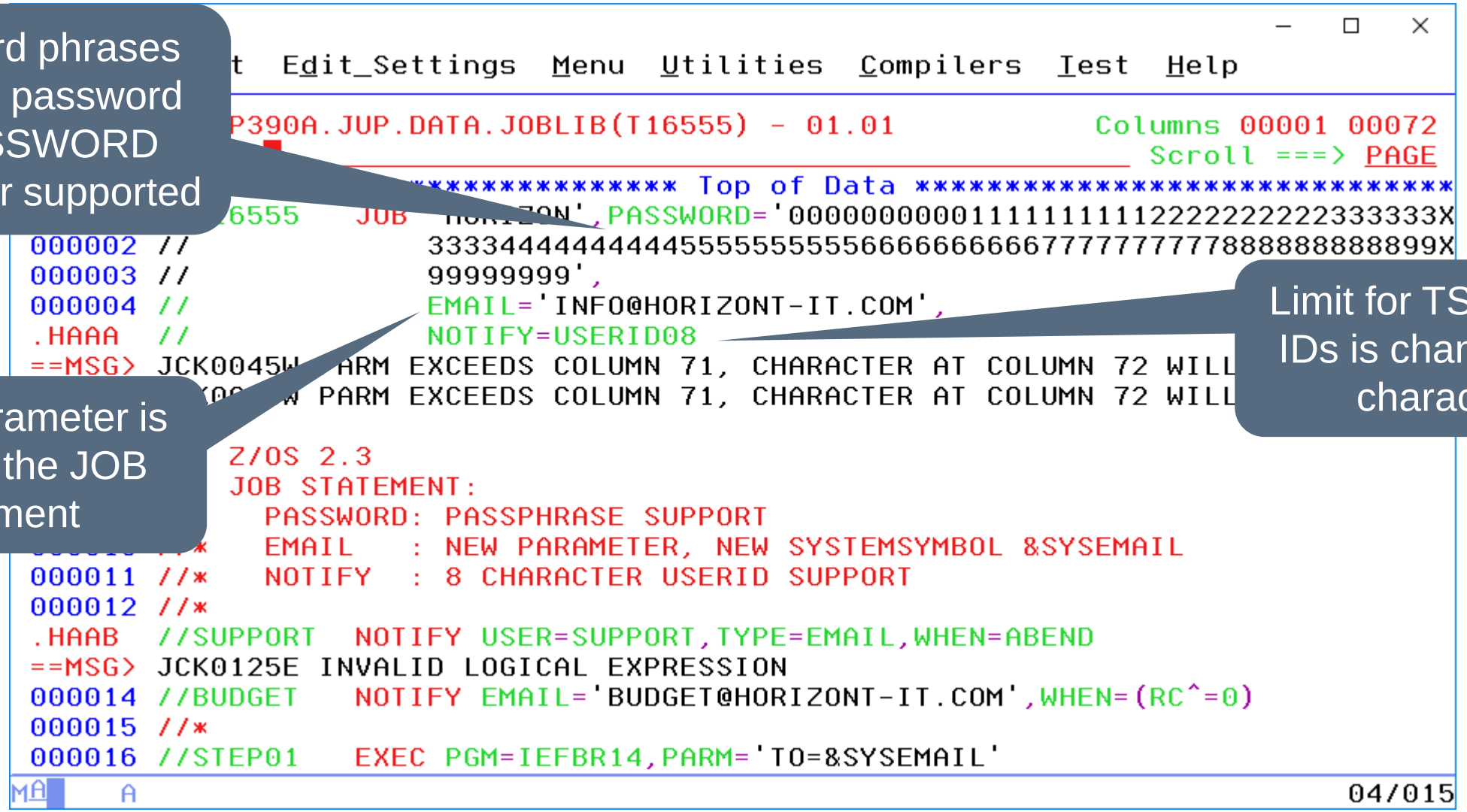
SmartJCL 3.4 – z/OS 2.3

Password phrases and new password on PASSWORD parameter supported

EMAIL parameter is added to the JOB statement

Limit for TSO/E user IDs is changed to 8 characters



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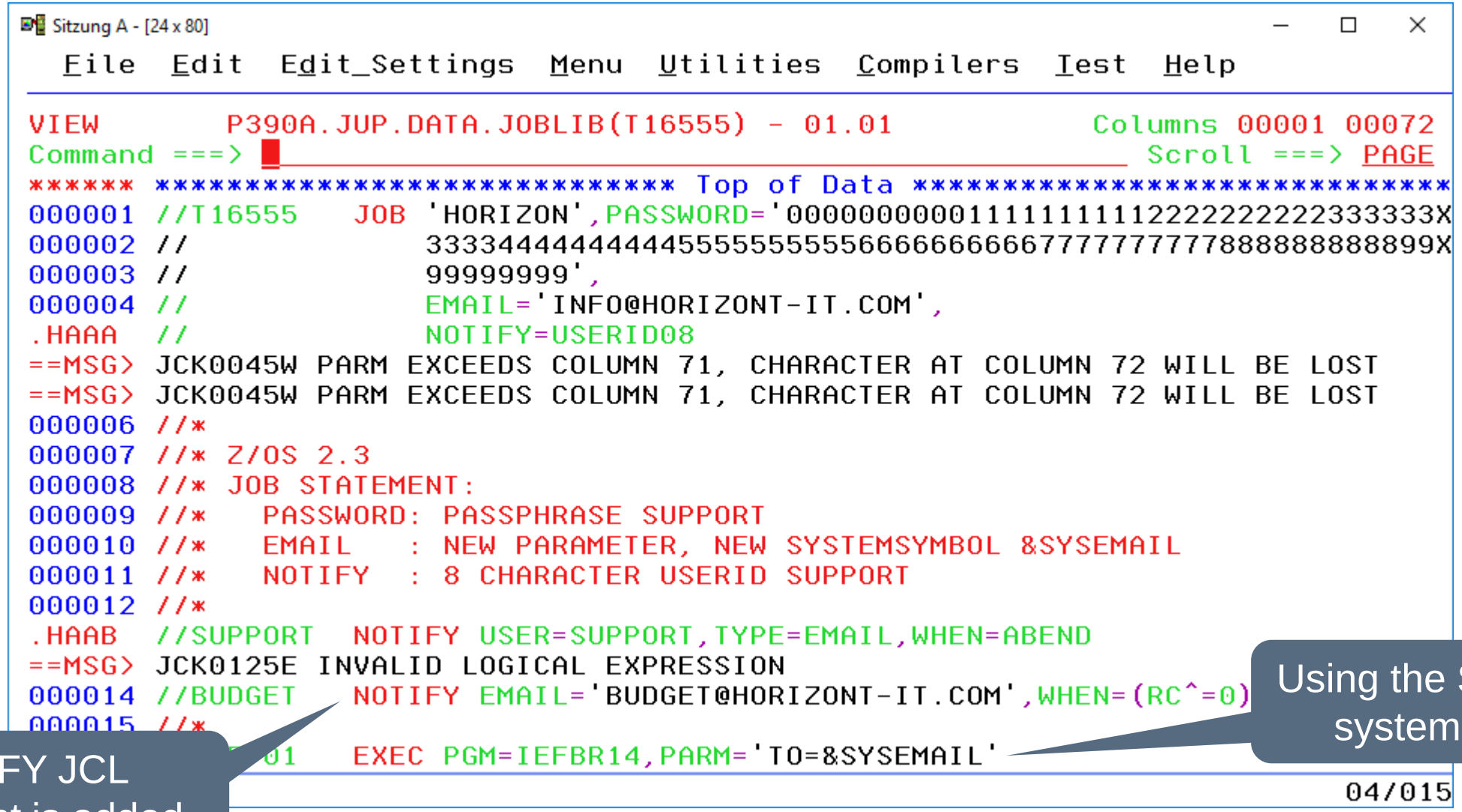

NOTIFY JCL statement is added

Using the SYSEMAIL system symbol

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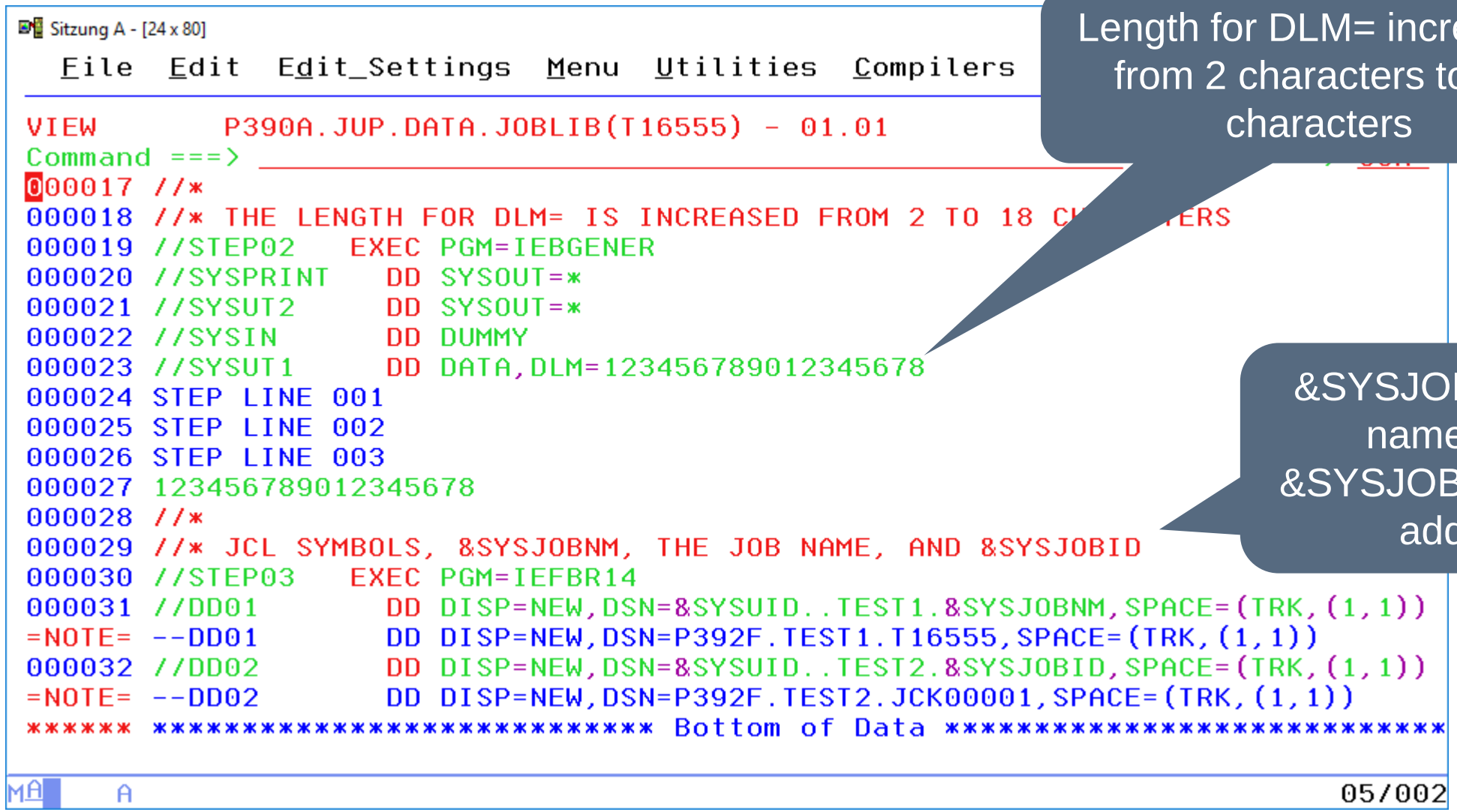

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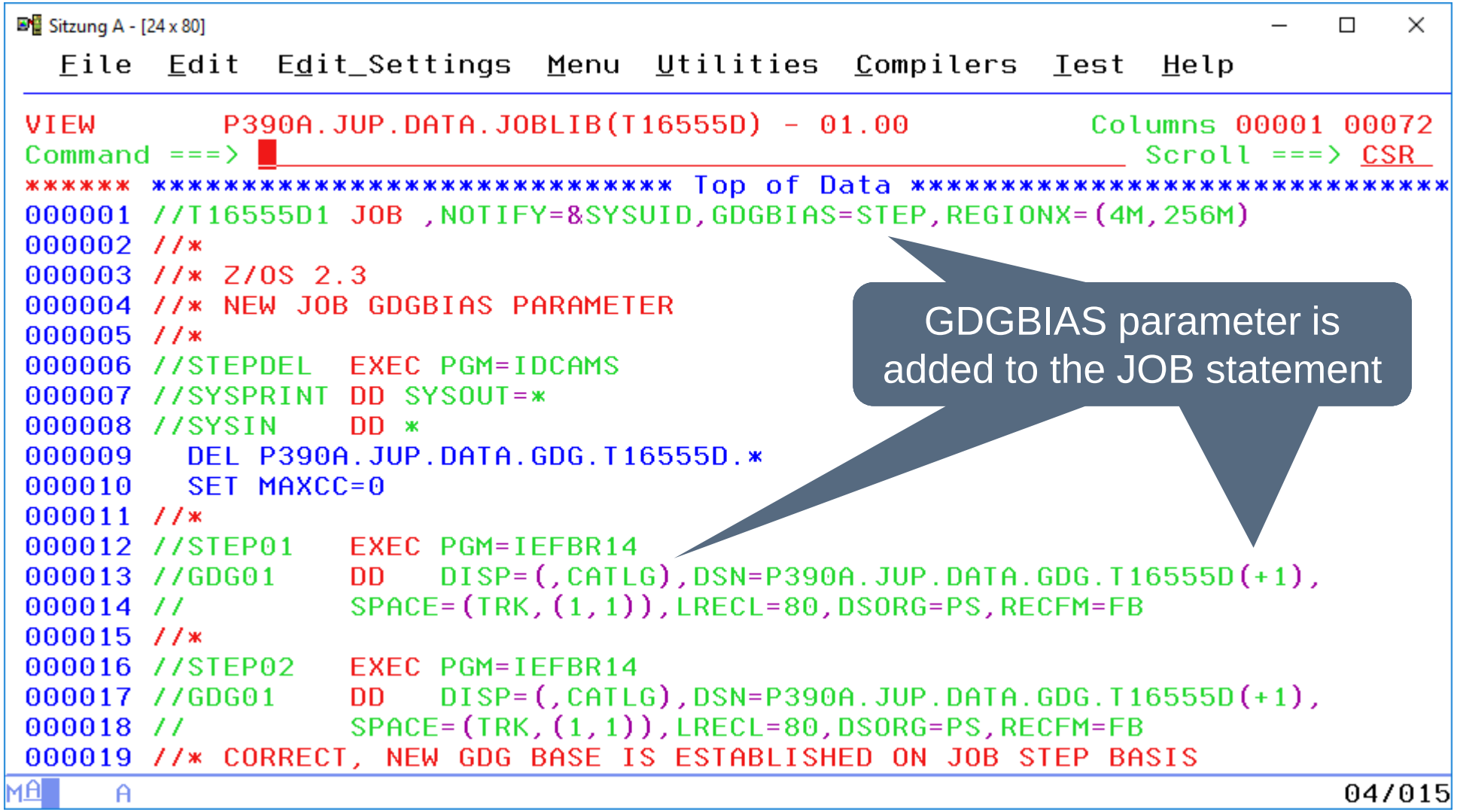

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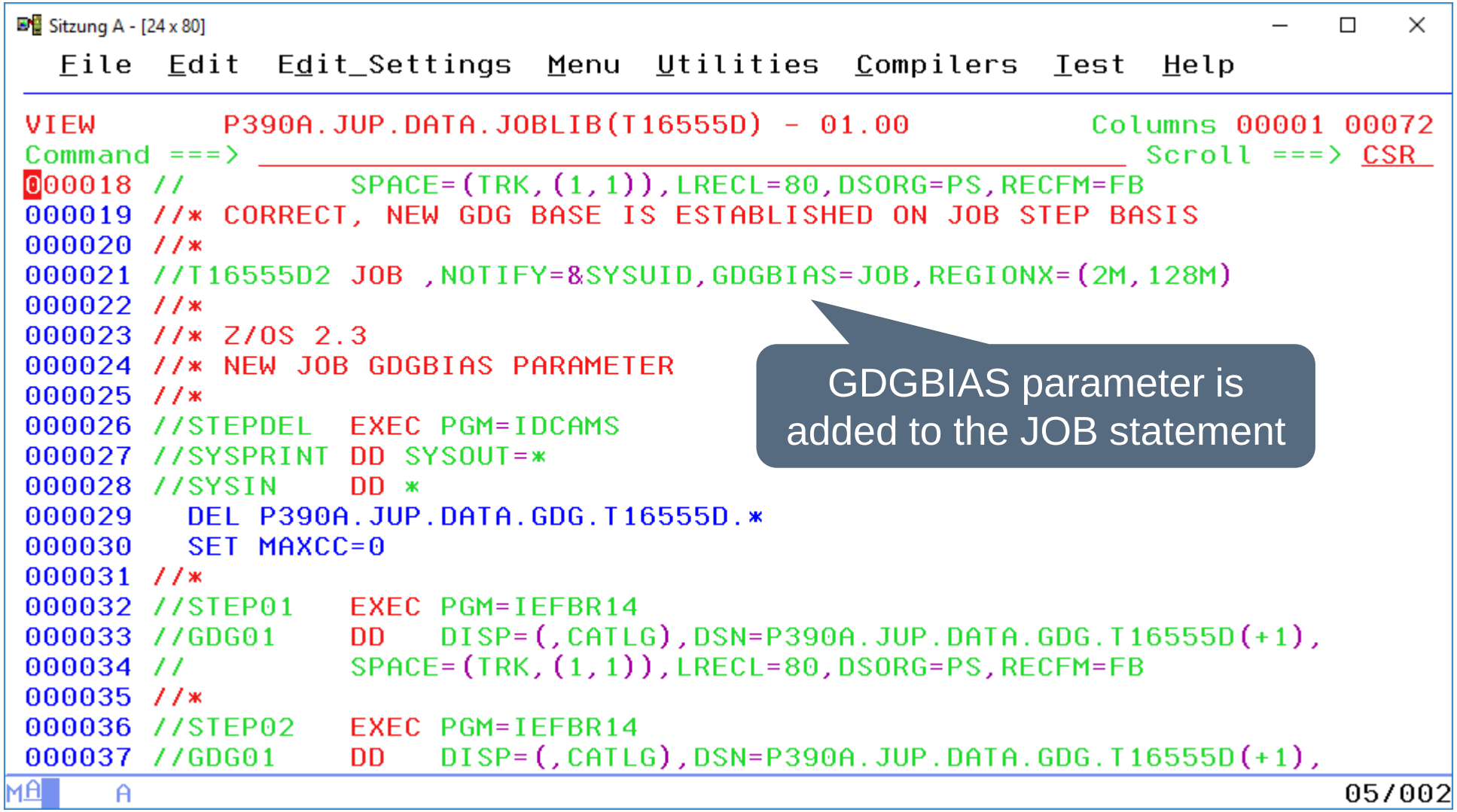

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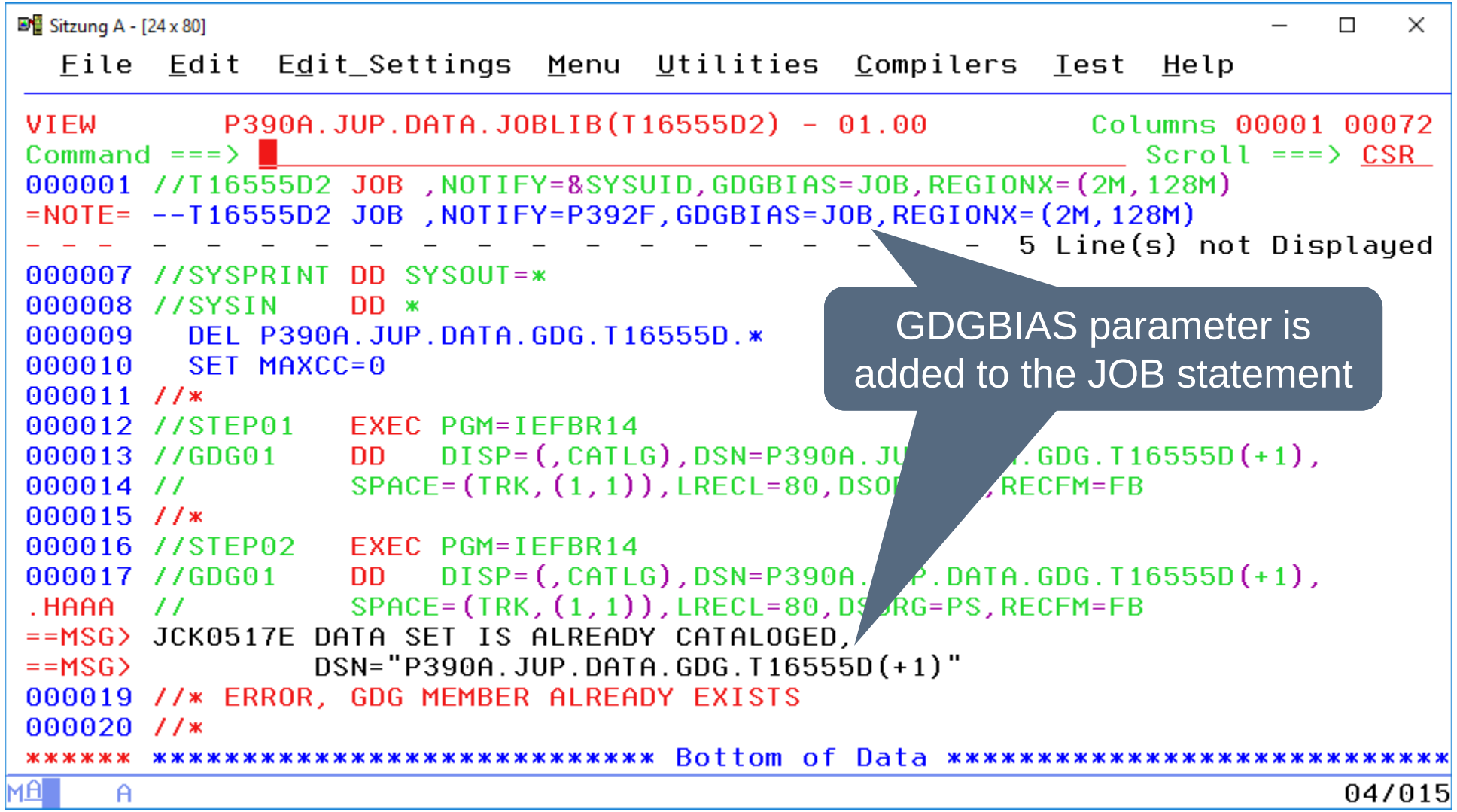

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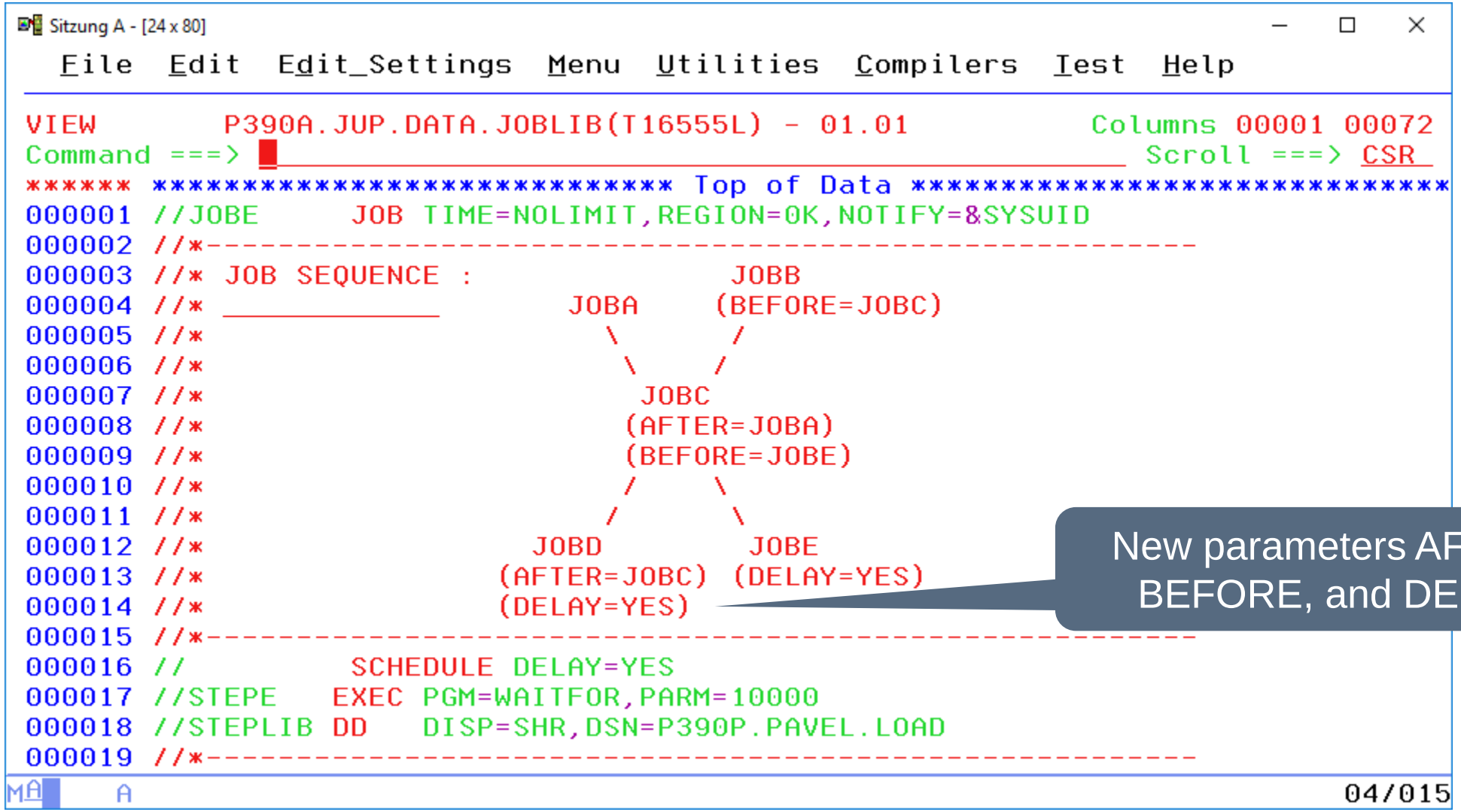

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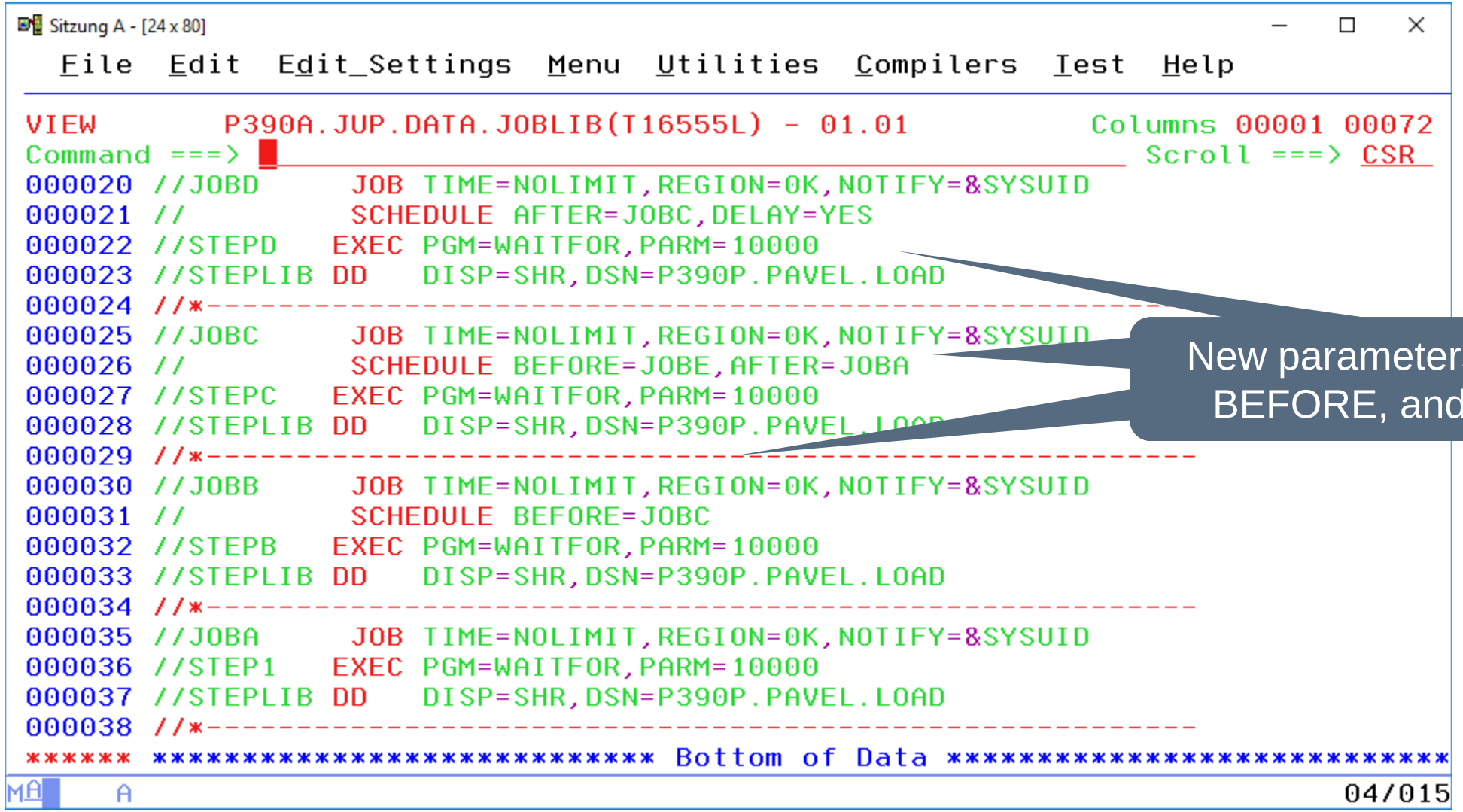

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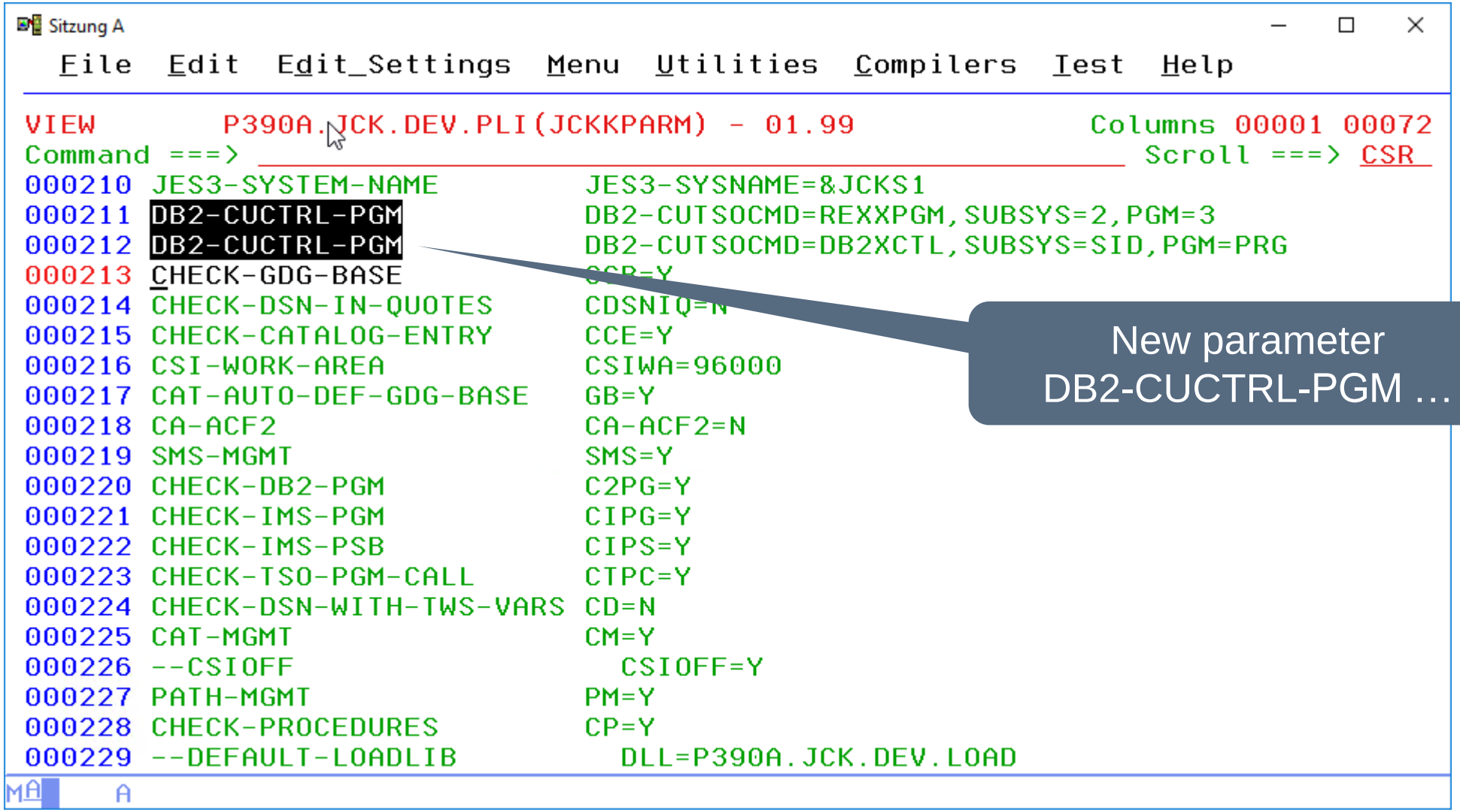

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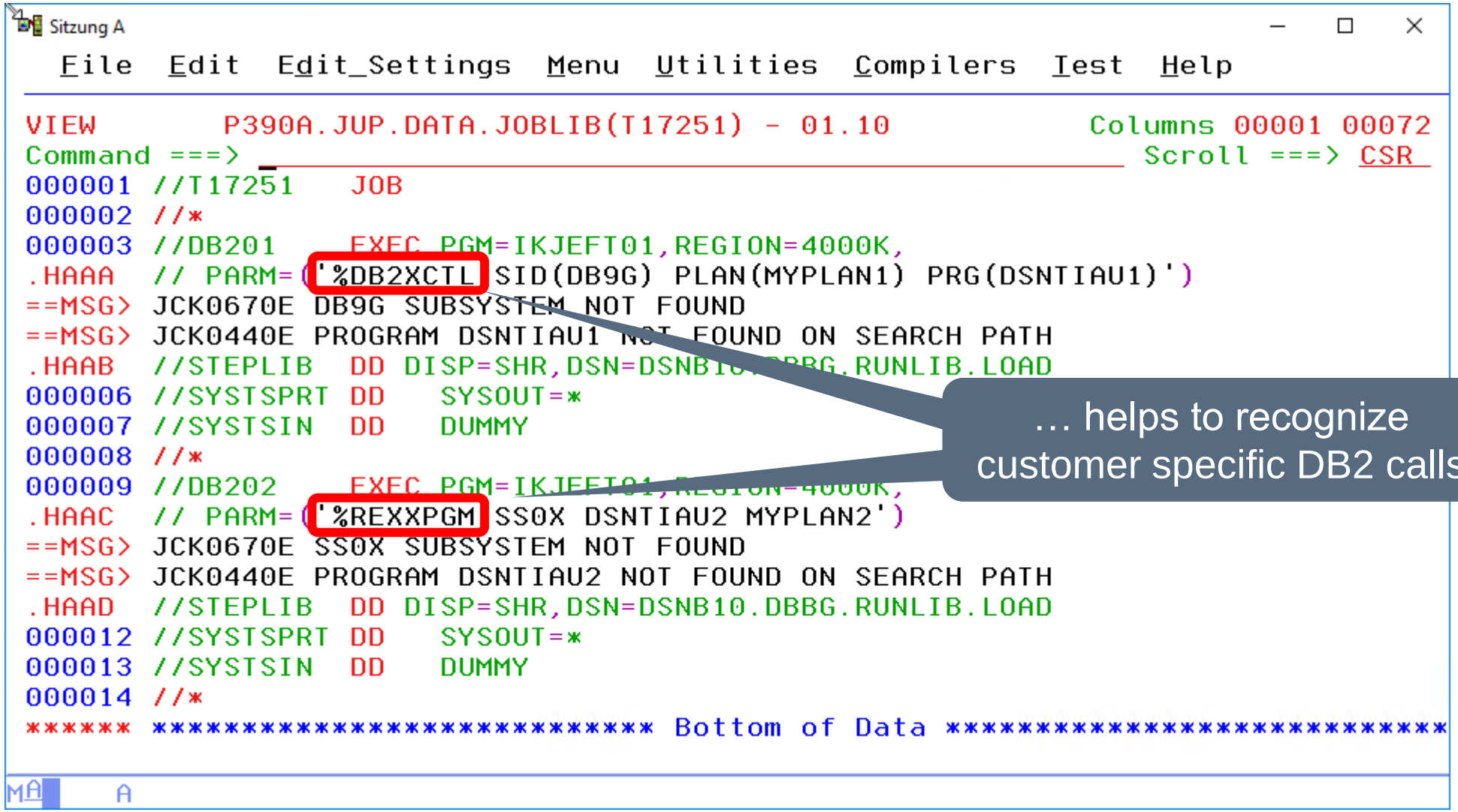

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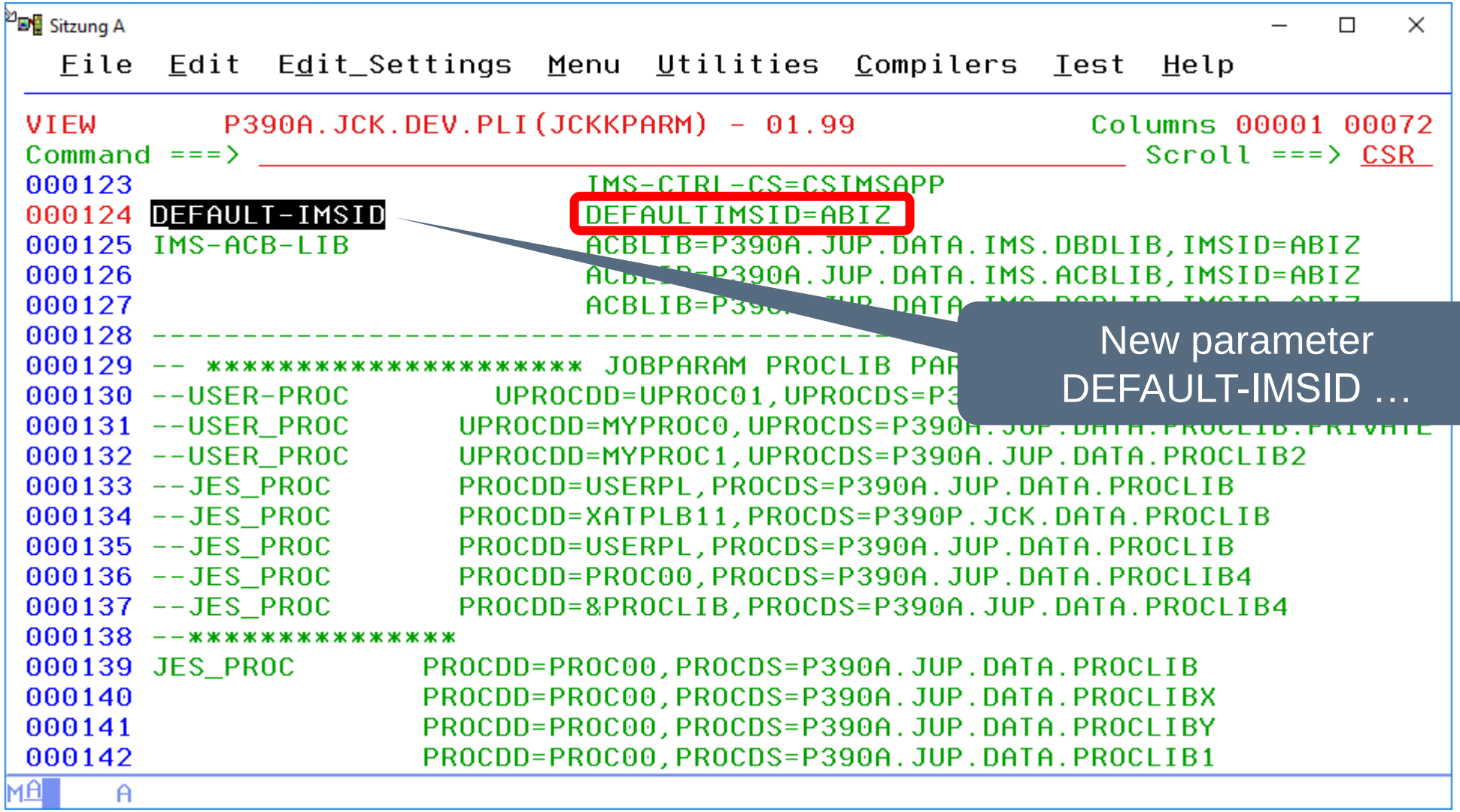

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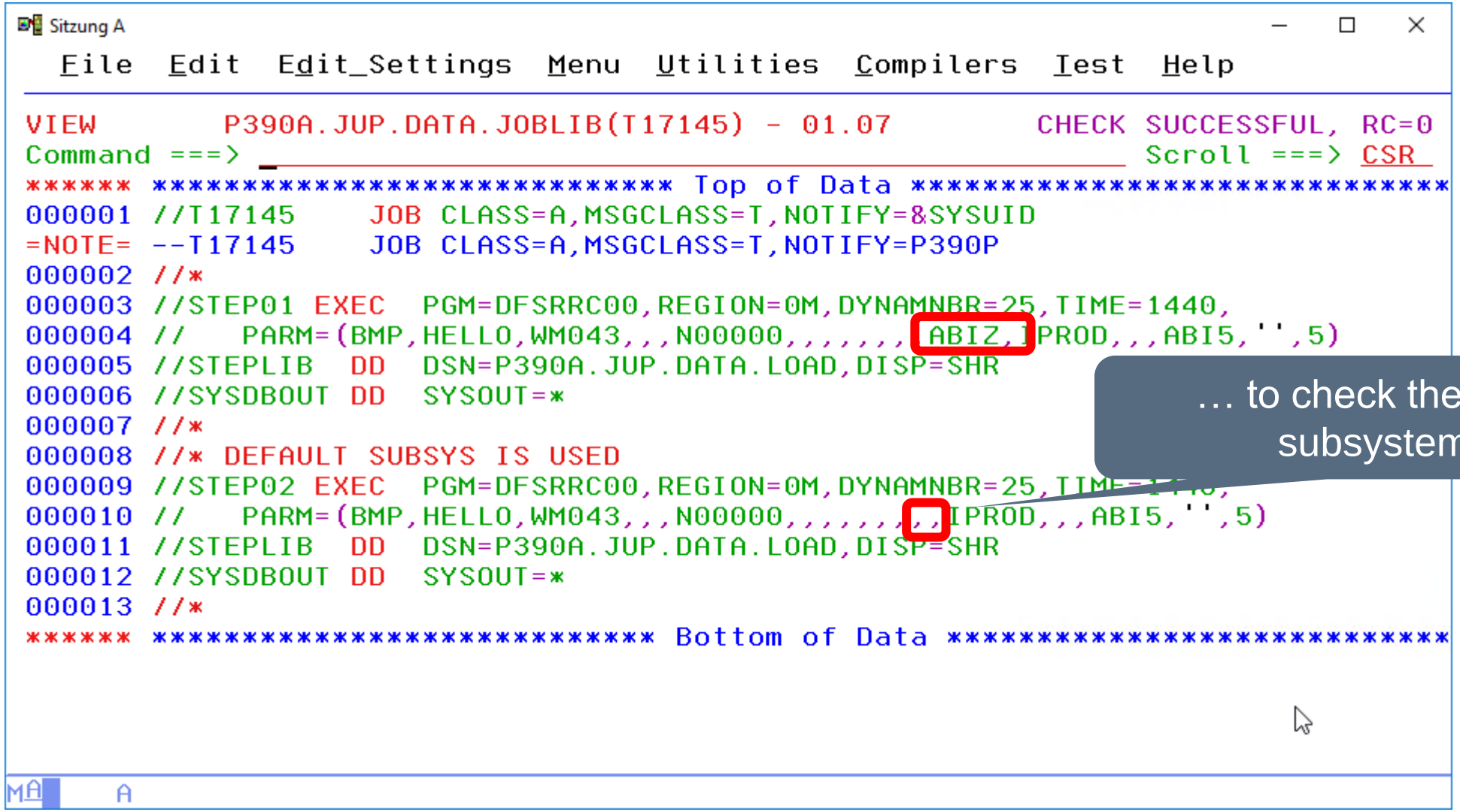

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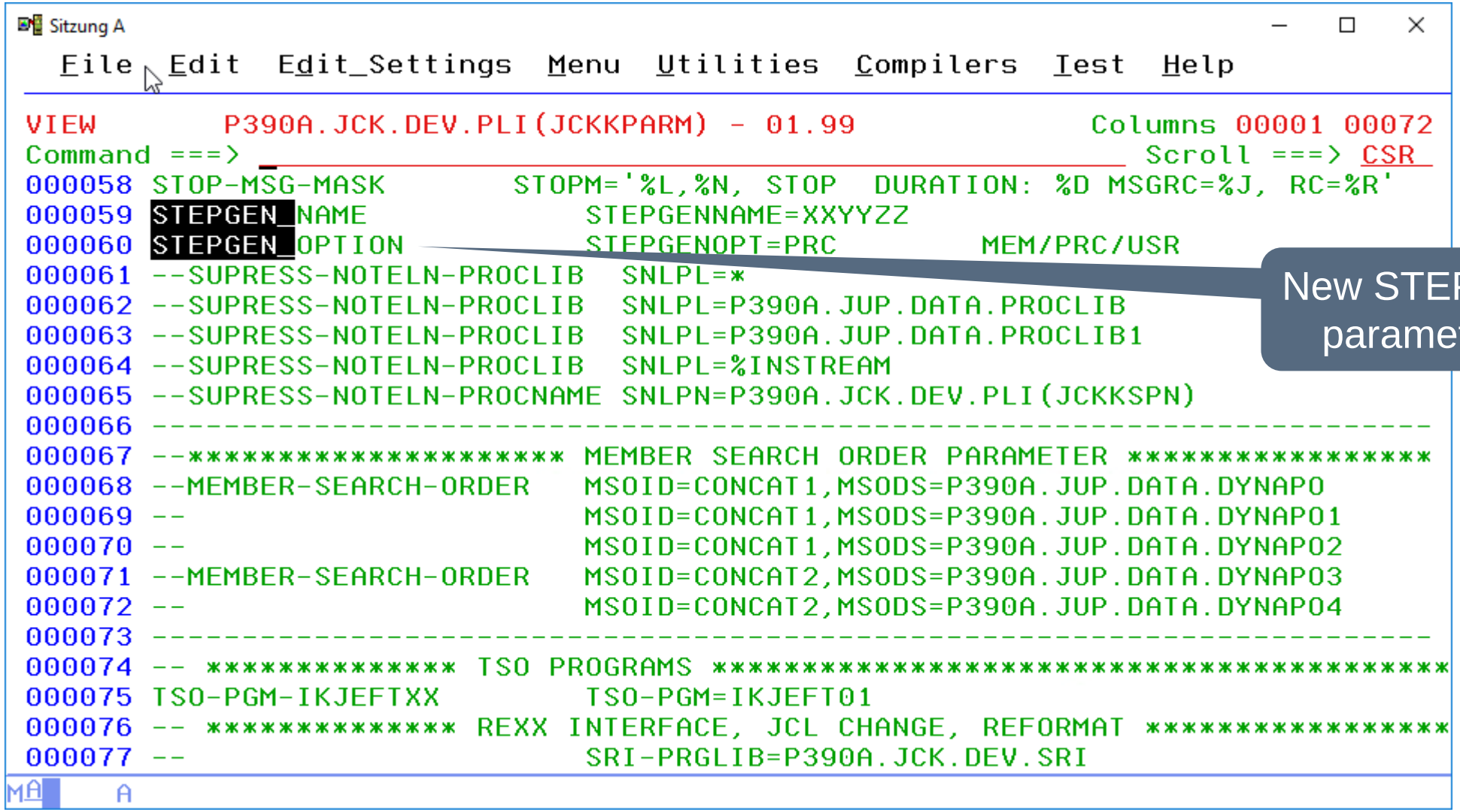

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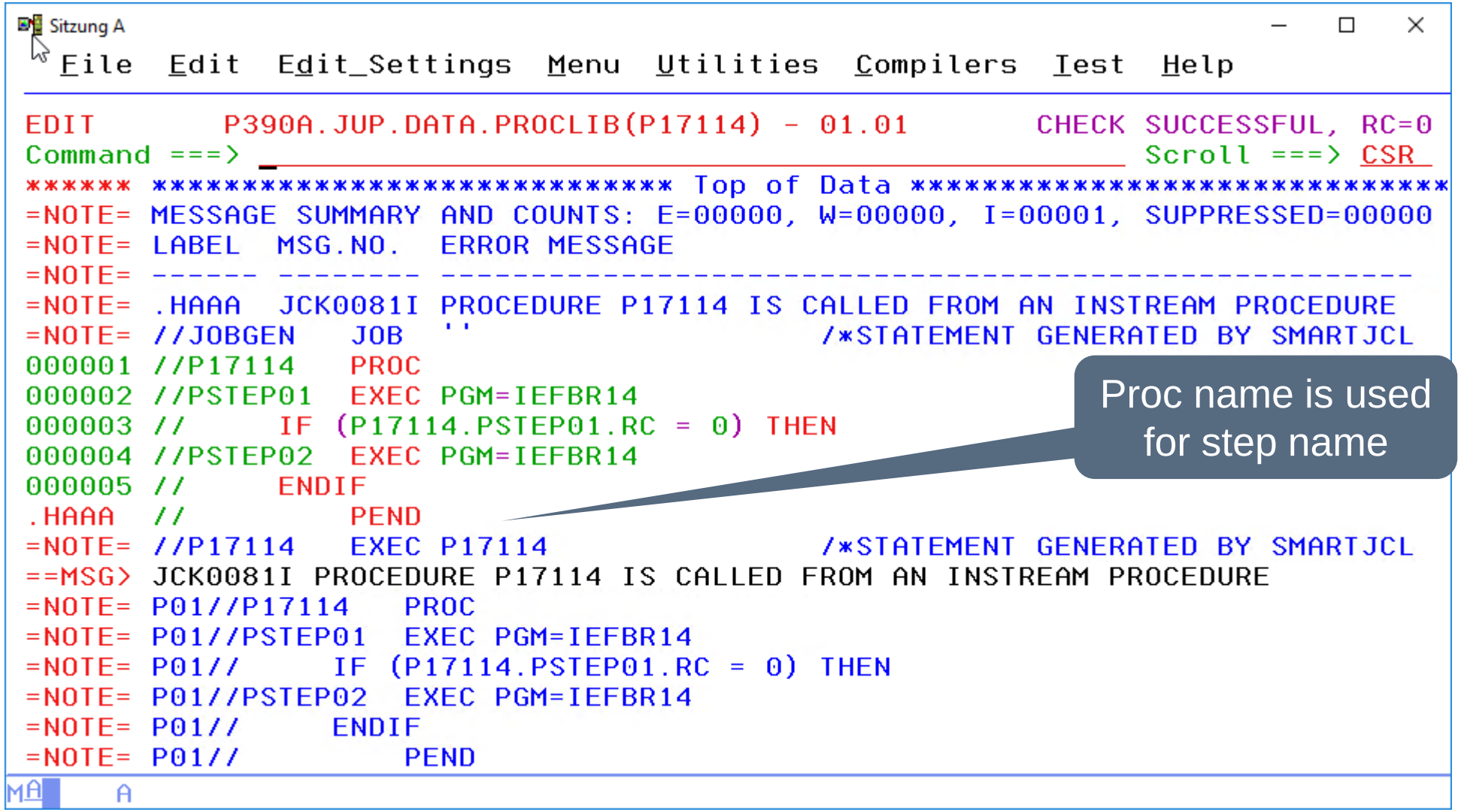

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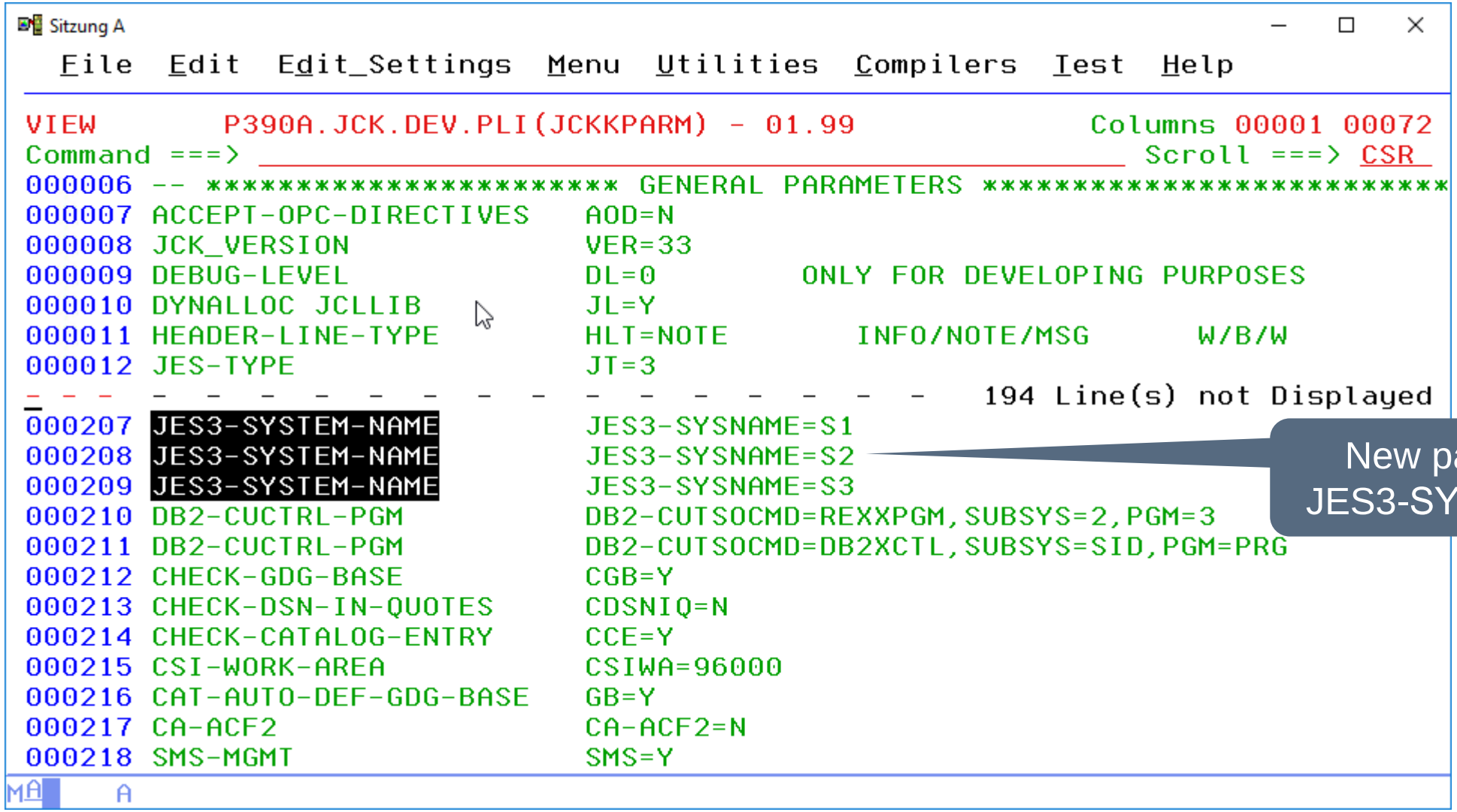

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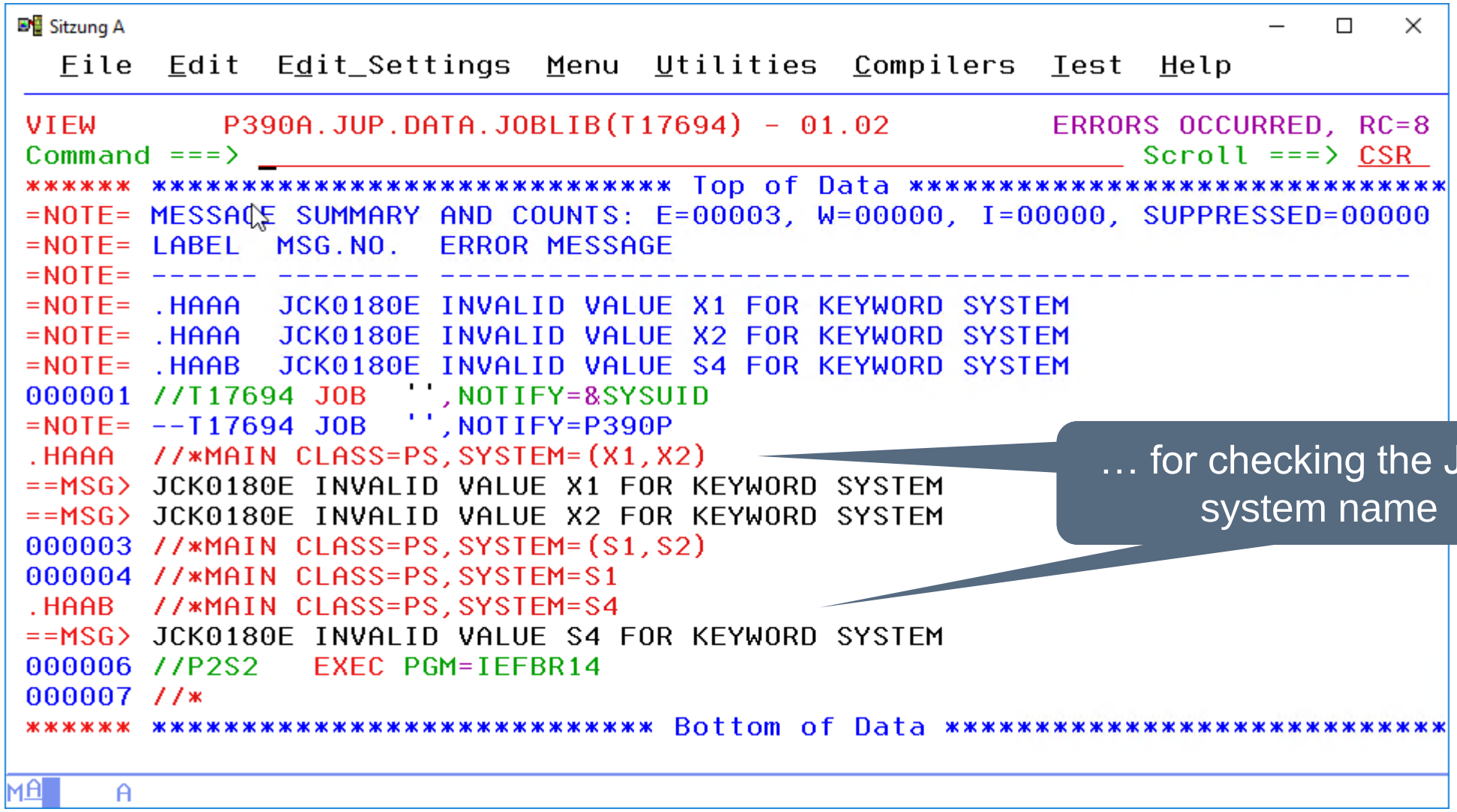

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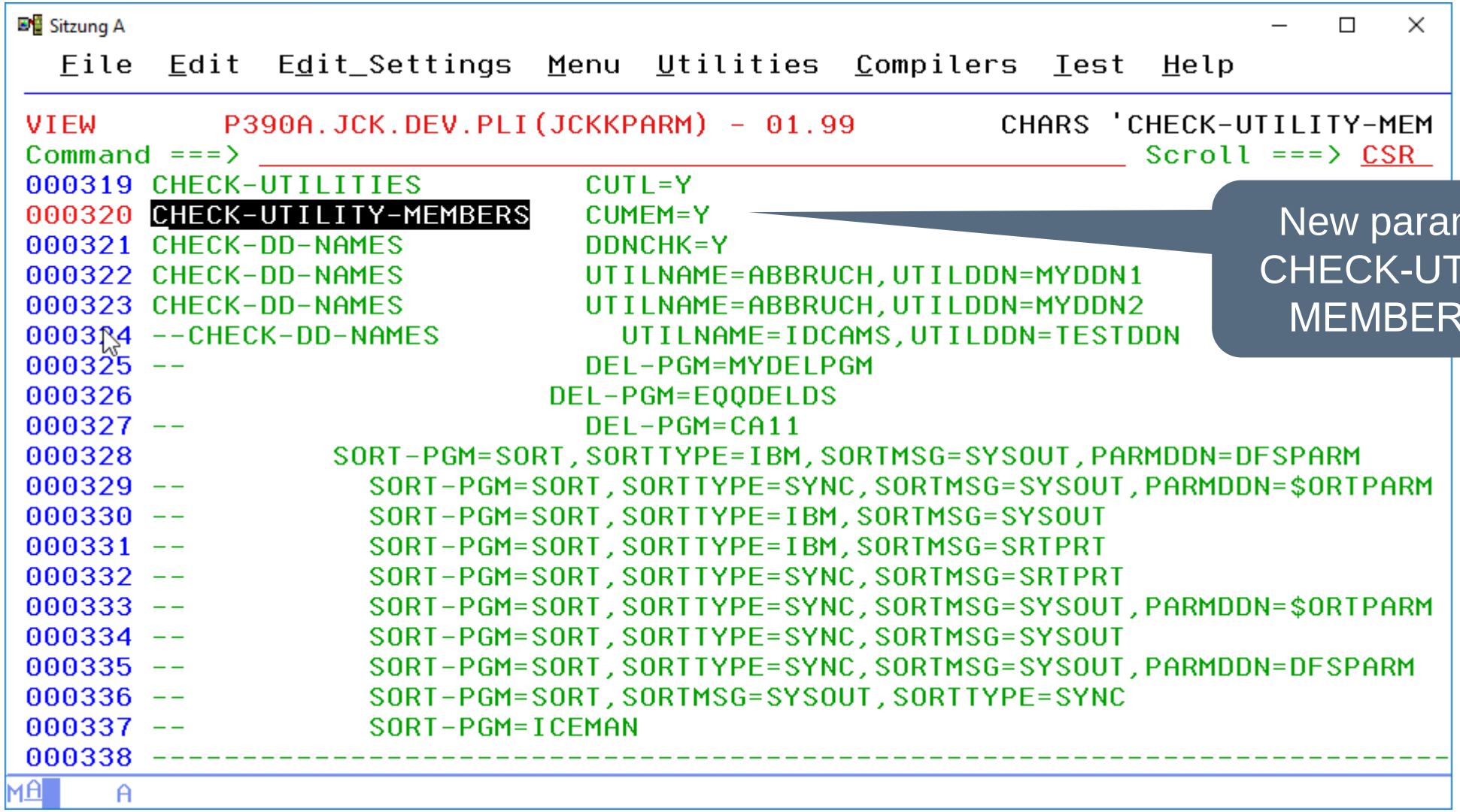

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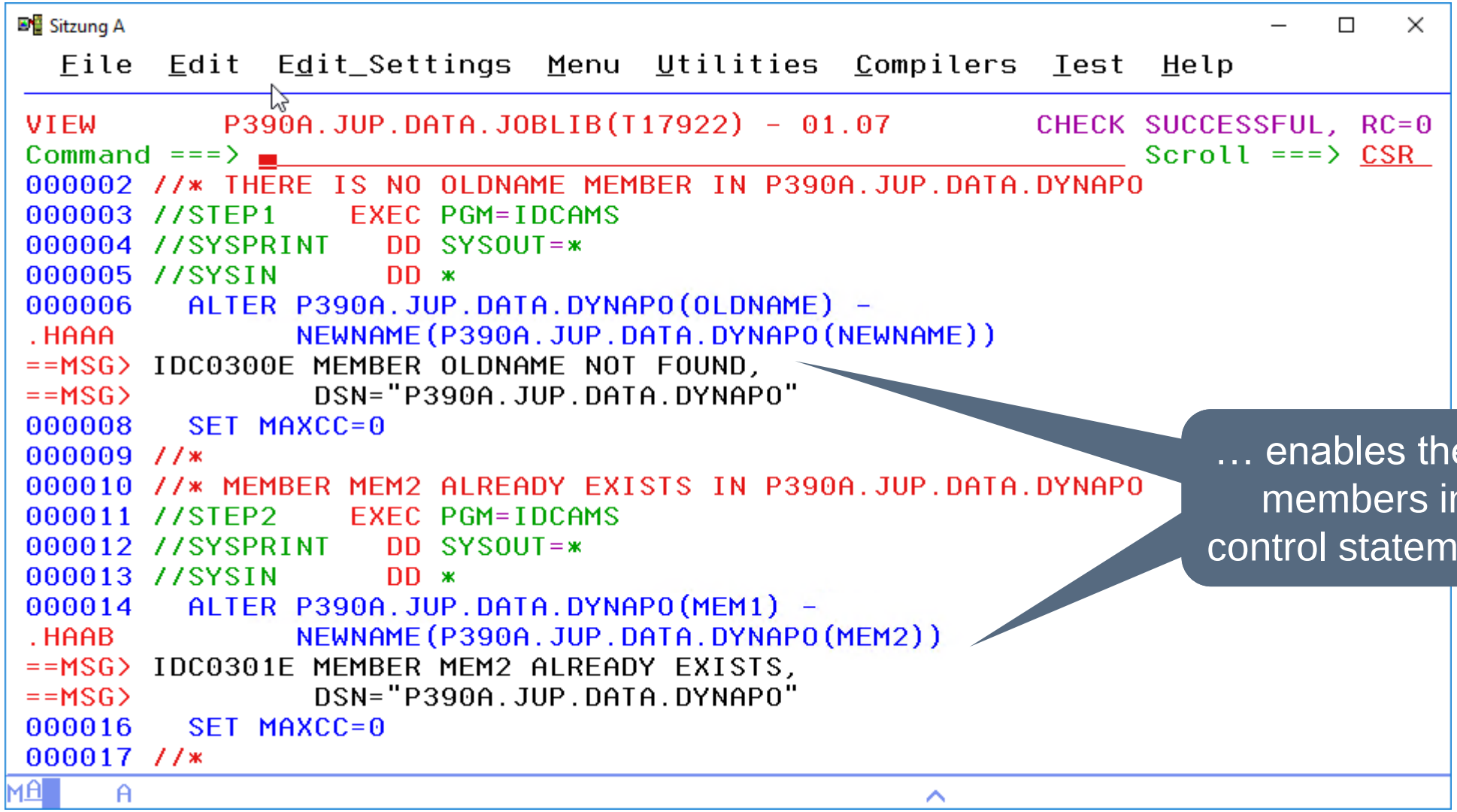

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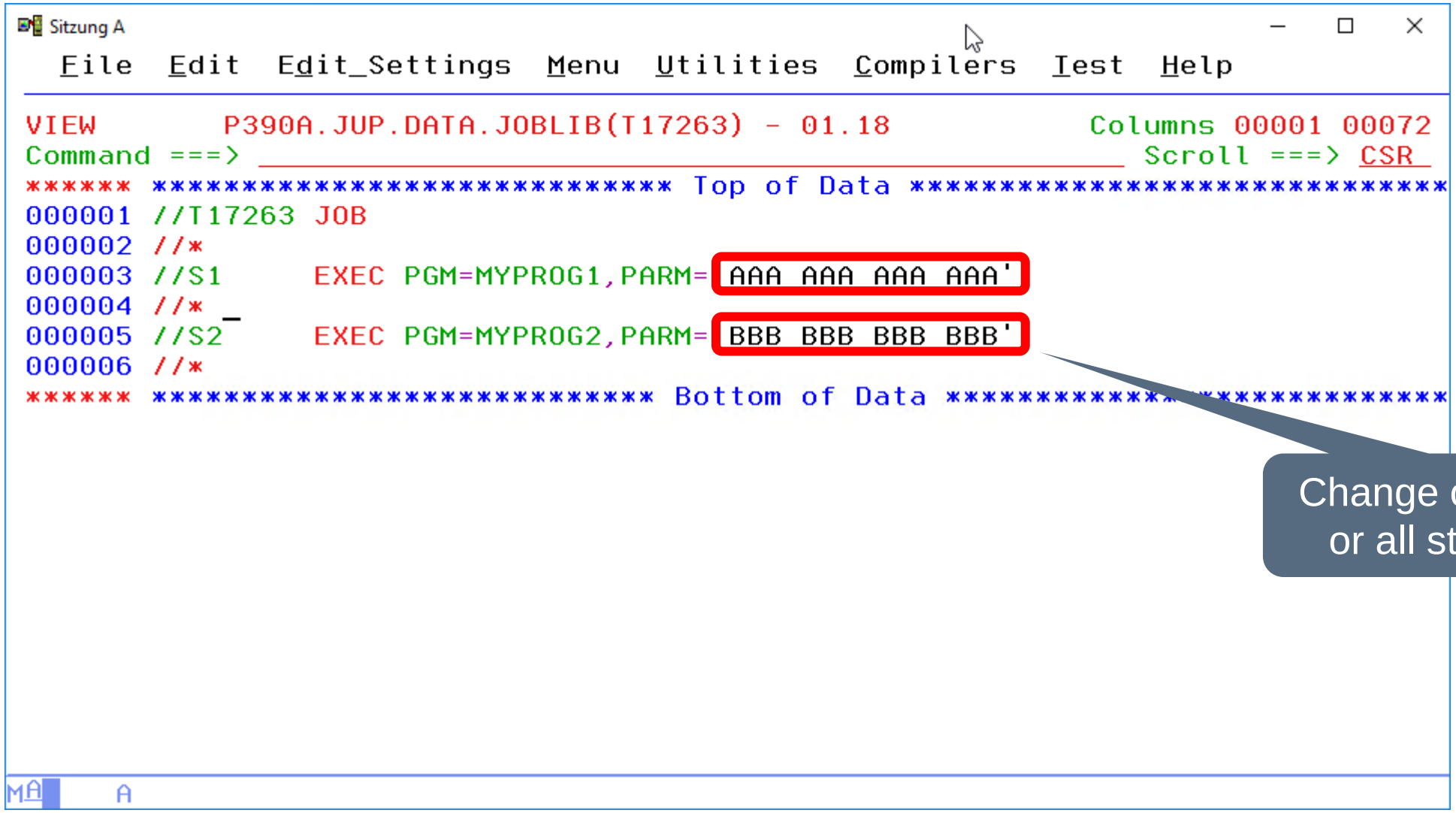

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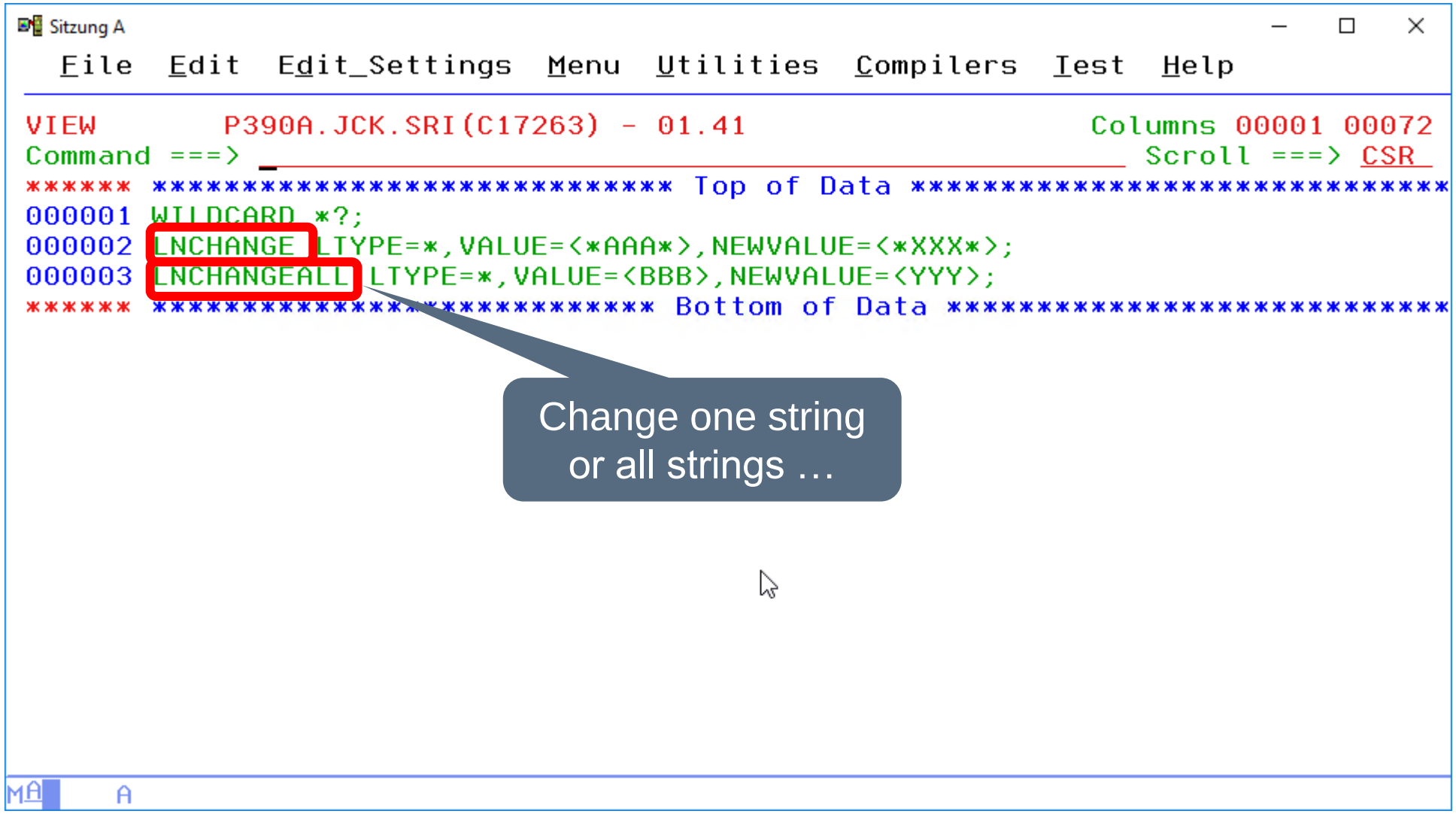

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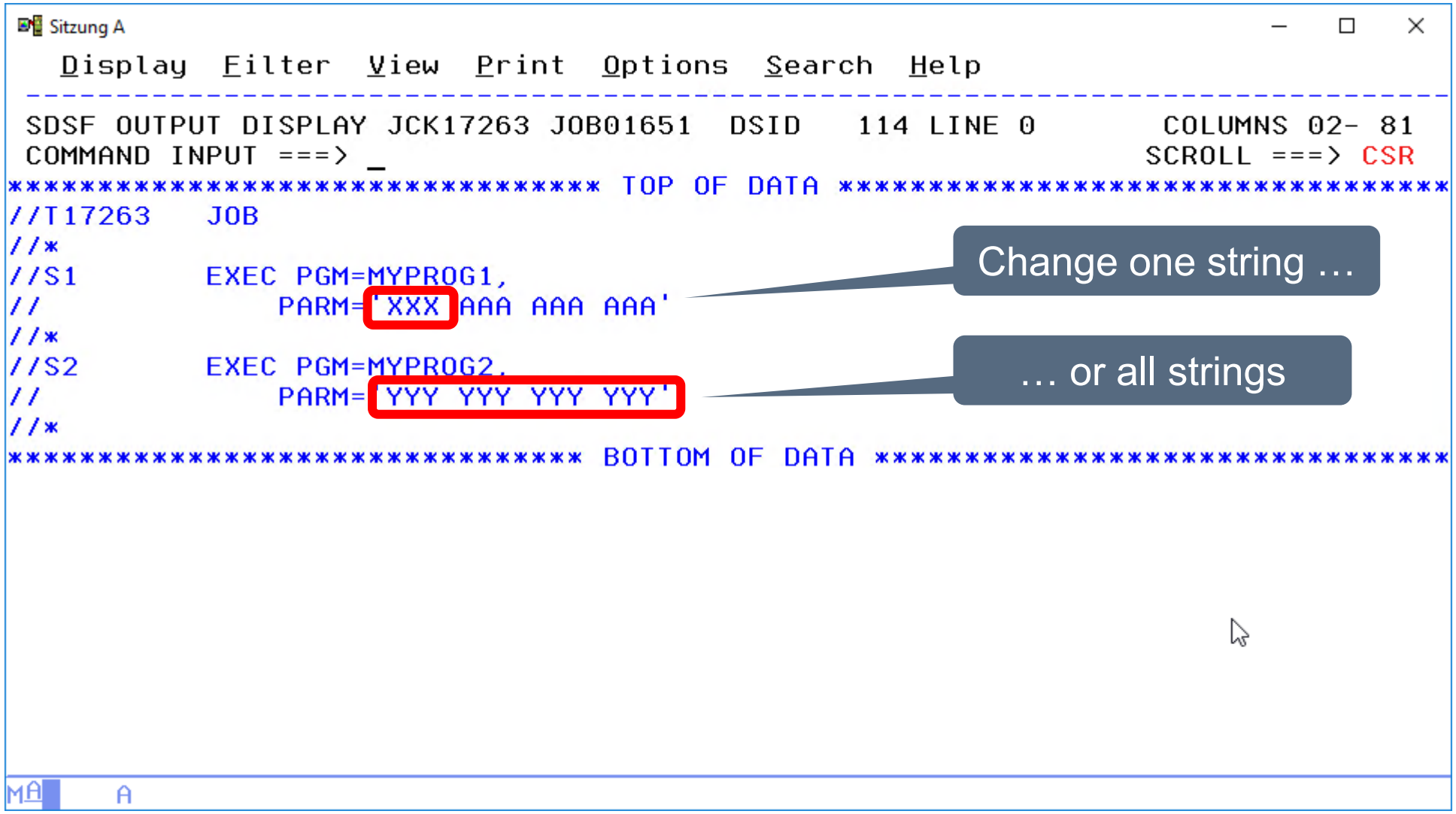

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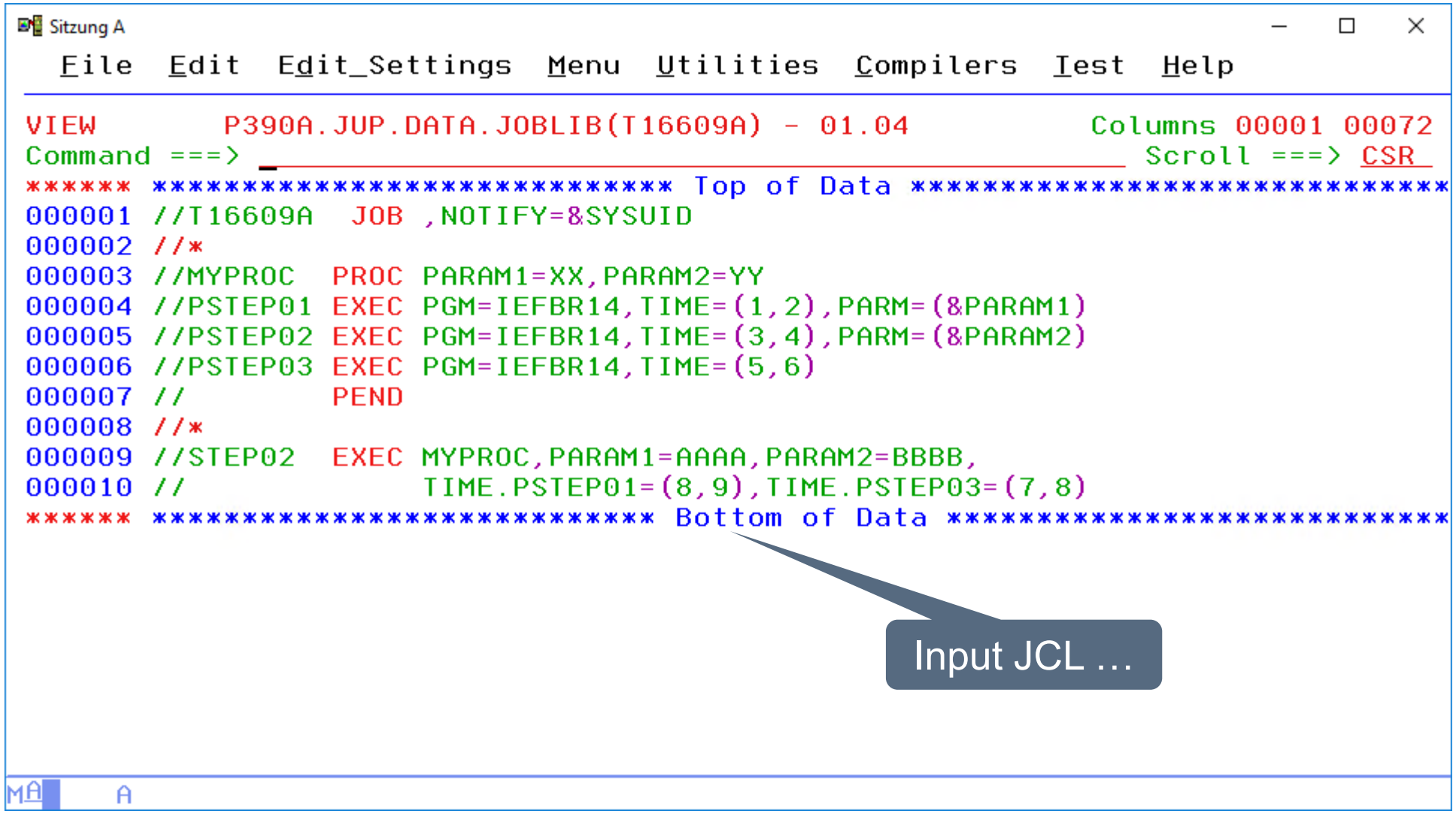

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****** ********************* Top of Data ***************************************
000001  /* REXX */
000002  /*************************************************************************/
000003  /* 16609: EXEC STATEMENT STEM VARIABLE. EXAMPLE 1                        */
000004  /*************************************************************************/
000005  STMTPTR = SRIGETSTMT(1);
000006  do while (stmtptr /= 0);
000007    call SRIFillStem(stmtptr);
000008    if (SRISayStmtType(stmtptr) = 'EXEC') then do;
000009      say '**** EXEC STEM VARIABLE ********************';
000010      say 'EXEC.NAME           =>'EXEC.NAME'<';
000011      if SYMBOL('EXEC.PGM')="VAR" then
000012        say 'EXEC.PGM            =>'EXEC.PGM'<';
000013      if SYMBOL('EXEC.PROC')="VAR" then
000014        say 'EXEC.PROC           =>'EXEC.PROC'<';
000015      if SYMBOL('EXEC.TIME')="VAR" then
000016        say 'EXEC.TIME           =>'EXEC.TIME'<';
000017      if SYMBOL('EXEC.TIME.MINUTES')="VAR" then
000018        say 'EXEC.TIME.MINUTES =>'EXEC.TIME.MINUTES'<';
000019      if SYMBOL('EXEC.TIME.SECONDS')="VAR" then
000020        say 'EXEC.TIME.SECONDS =>'EXEC.TIME.SECONDS'<';
000021      if SYMBOL('EXEC.TIME.MINUTES.PSTEP01')="VAR" then
000022        say 'EXEC.TIME.MINUTES.PSTEP01=>'EXEC.TIME.MINUTES.PSTEP01'<';
000023      if SYMBOL('EXEC.TIME.SECONDS.PSTEP01')="VAR" then
000024        say 'EXEC.TIME.SECONDS.PSTEP01=>'EXEC.TIME.SECONDS.PSTEP01'<';
000025      if SYMBOL('EXEC.TIME.MINUTES.PSTEP02')="VAR" then
000026        say 'EXEC.TIME.MINUTES.PSTEP02=>'EXEC.TIME.MINUTES.PSTEP02'<';
000027      if SYMBOL('EXEC.TIME.SECONDS.PSTEP02')="VAR" then
000028        say 'EXEC.TIME.SECONDS.PSTEP02=>'EXEC.TIME.SECONDS.PSTEP02'<';
000029      if SYMBOL('EXEC.TIME.MINUTES.PSTEP03')="VAR" then
000030        say 'EXEC.TIME.MINUTES.PSTEP03=>'EXEC.TIME.MINUTES.PSTEP03'<';
000031      if SYMBOL('EXEC.TIME.SECONDS.PSTEP03')="VAR" then
000032        say 'EXEC.TIME.SECONDS.PSTEP03=>'EXEC.TIME.SECONDS.PSTEP03'<';
000033      say '-------------------------------------';
000034      say 'EXEC.PROCSTEPS      =>'EXEC.PROCSTEPS'<';
000035      say 'EXEC.SYMBOLS        =>'EXEC.SYMBOLS'<';
000036      say '*************************************';
000037    end;
000038    stmtptr = SRIGetStmt(stmtptr, 'NEXT');
```

… is available in a stem

HORIZONT Classification: Restricted

SmartJCL 3.4 – REXX Interface

```
 SDSF OUTPUT DISPLAY JCK16609 JOB06425  DSID    111 LINE 2        COLUMNS 02- 81
 COMMAND INPUT ===> _                                          SCROLL ===> CSR
EXEC.NAME           =>PSTEP01<
EXEC.PGM            =>IEFBR14<
EXEC.TIME           =>(1,2)<
EXEC.TIME.MINUTES   =>1<
EXEC.TIME.SECONDS   =>2<
-----------------------------------------
EXEC.PROCSTEPS      =><
EXEC.SYMBOLS        =><
*****************************************
**** EXEC STEM VARIABLE *****************
EXEC.NAME           =>PSTEP02<
EXEC.PGM            =>IEFBR14<
EXEC.TIME           =>(3,4)<
EXEC.TIME.MINUTES   =>3<
EXEC.TIME.SECONDS   =>4<
-----------------------------------------
EXEC.PROCSTEPS      =><
EXEC.SYMBOLS        =><
*****************************************
**** EXEC STEM VARIABLE *****************
EXEC.NAME           =>PSTEP03<
EXEC.PGM            =>IEFBR14<
EXEC.TIME           =>(5,6)<
EXEC.TIME.MINUTES   =>5<
EXEC.TIME.SECONDS   =>6<
-----------------------------------------
EXEC.PROCSTEPS      =><
EXEC.SYMBOLS        =><
*****************************************
**** EXEC STEM VARIABLE *****************
EXEC.NAME           =>STEP02<
EXEC.PROC           =>MYPROC<
EXEC.TIME.MINUTES.PSTEP01=>8<
EXEC.TIME.SECONDS.PSTEP01=>9<
EXEC.TIME.MINUTES.PSTEP03=>7<
EXEC.TIME.SECONDS.PSTEP03=>8<
-----------------------------------------
EXEC.PROCSTEPS      => PSTEP01 PSTEP03 <
EXEC.SYMBOLS        => PARAM1 PARAM2 <
```

Result of the REXX program

HORIZONT Classification: Restricted

SmartJCL 3.3

SmartJCL V3R3 is available since May 2016. It offers following new functions:

- z/OS 2.2 support - many new statements
  - New SCHEDULE statement
  - JES2 Execution Control Statements:
    - AFTER
    - BEFORE
    - CONCURRENT
    - ENDGROUP
    - ENDSET
    - GJOB
    - JOBGROUP
    - JOBSET
    - SCHEDULE
    - SJOB

Classification: Restricted

SmartJCL 3.3

- PATH check
  - UNIX files are check in the same way as z/OS data sets
  - Files are managed in a temp. catalog of SmartJCL
- Retrieve Proclib information from system
  - z/OS 2.2 with SSI calls
- Adapted installation routine
  - ISPF dialog collects data
  - Jobs do the installation and create data sets
- Support of TWS 9.3

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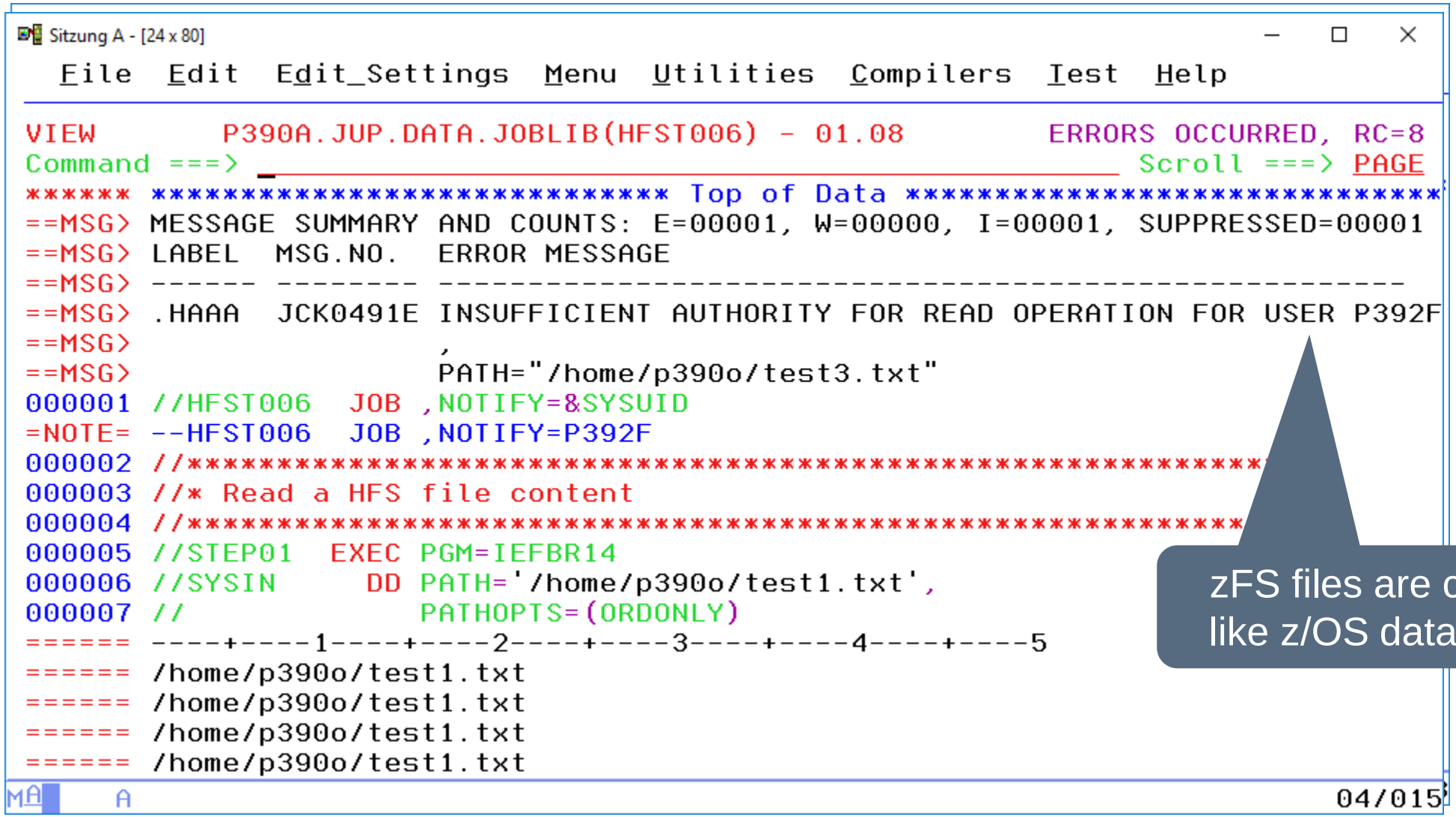
SmartJCL 3.3 – Path Management



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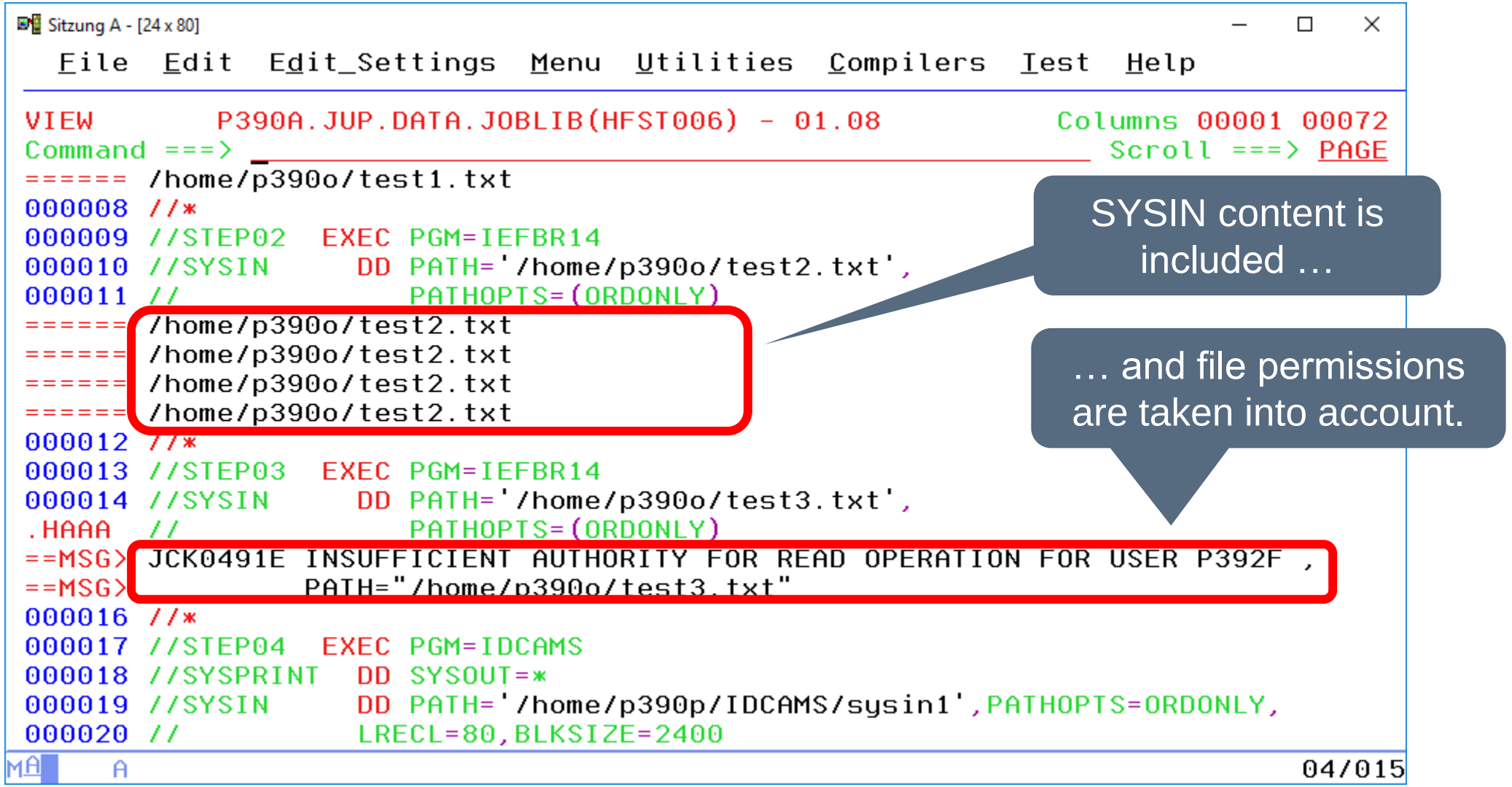

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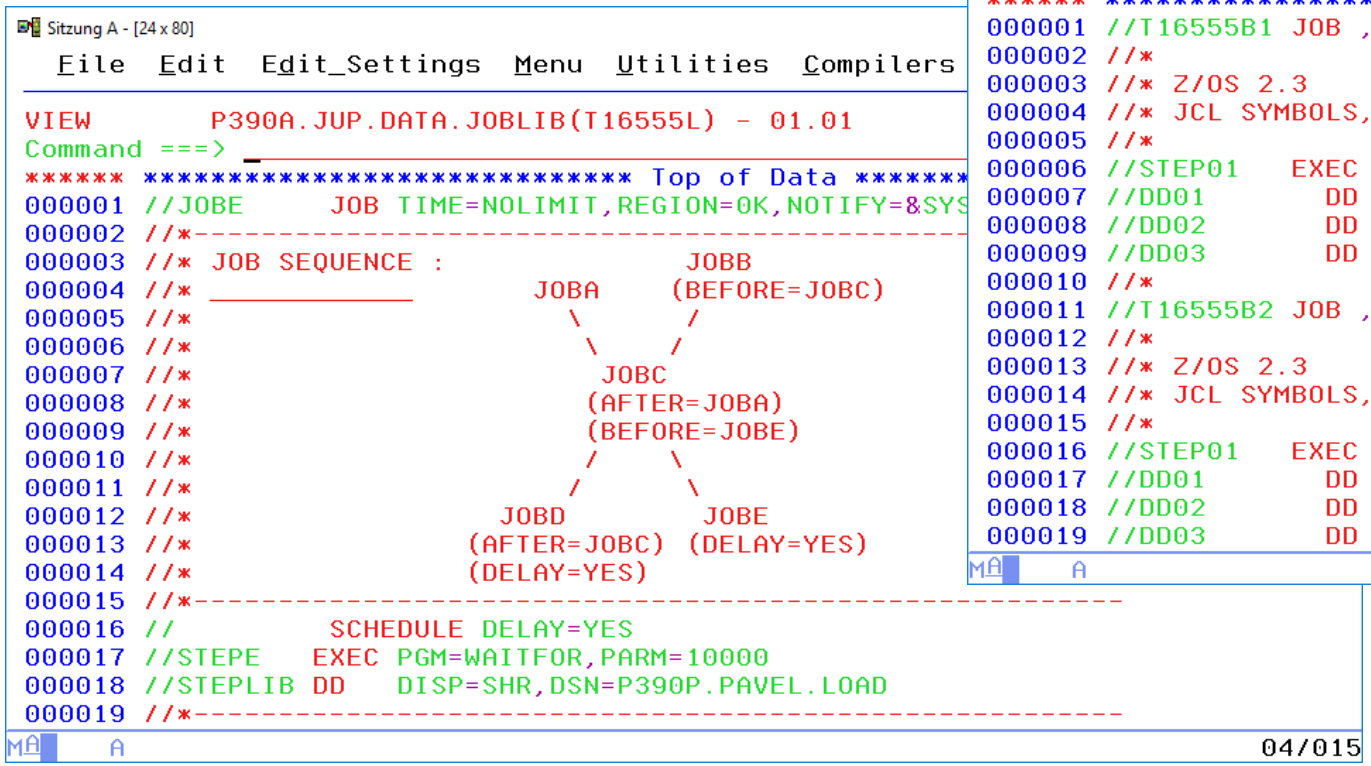

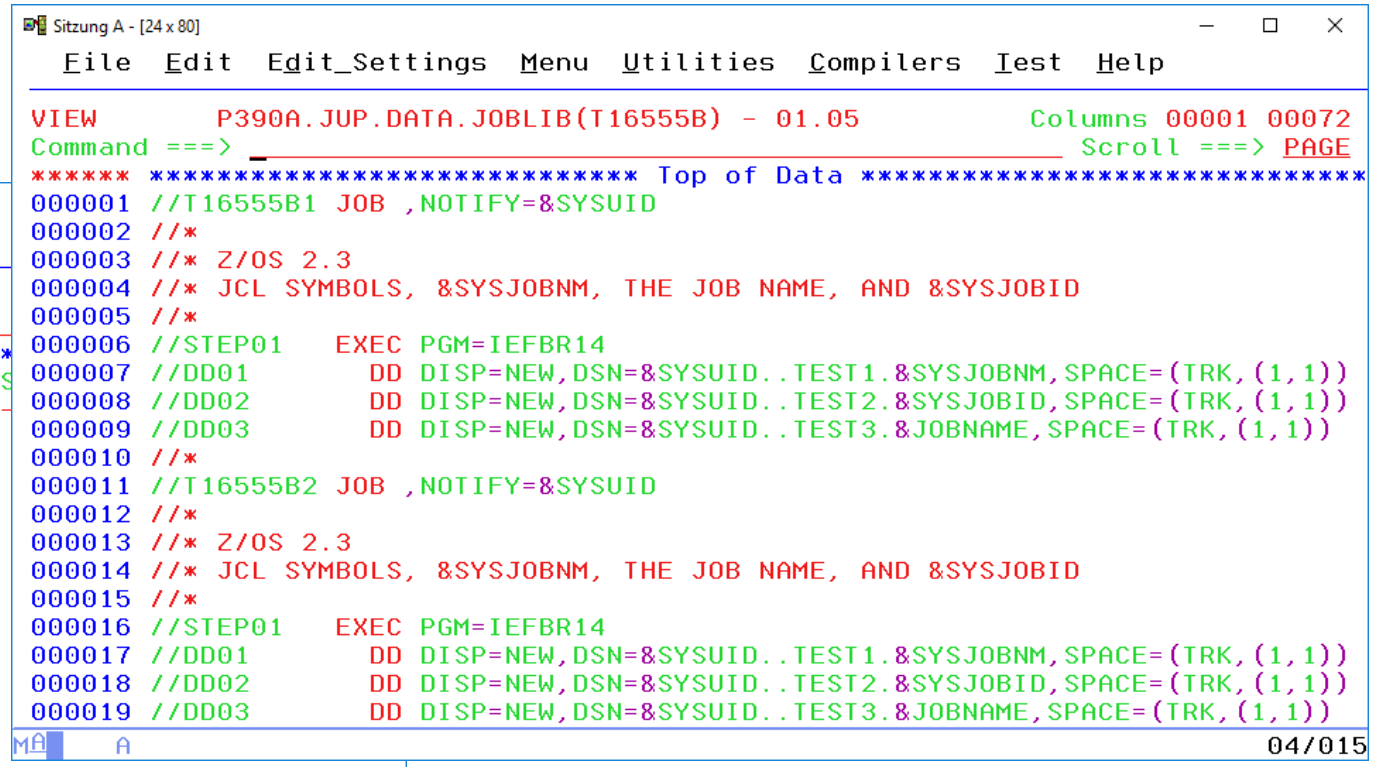

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SmartJCL 3.2

SmartJCL V3R2 is available since February 2014. It offers following new functions:

- New Eclipse / RDz plug-in
  - Uses Remote Check Server on z/OS for a complete JCL check on z/OS
- Enhanced support for condition code dependent steps

HORIZONT Classification: Restricted

SmartJCL 3.2

- Support System Symbols in PARM members
- New PARM member to exclude DSNs from catalog check
- REXX Interface supports compiled REXX pgms
- Support for
  - z/OS 1.13 Enhancements
    - JOBRC parameter
    - In-stream data in JES2 procedures
  - z/OS 2.1 Enhancements
  - TWS 9.1

HORIZONT
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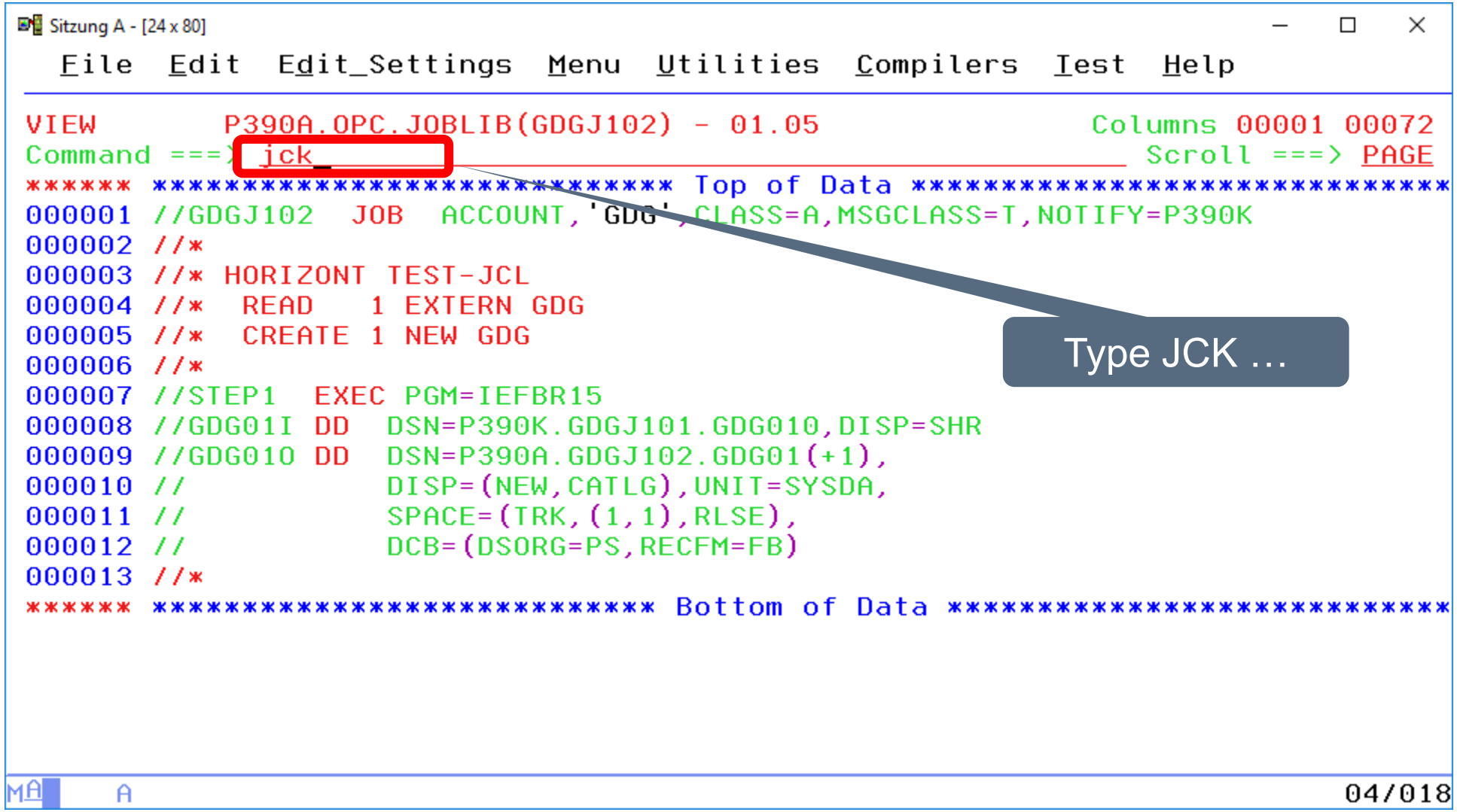
SmartJCL 3.2 – Edit Macro



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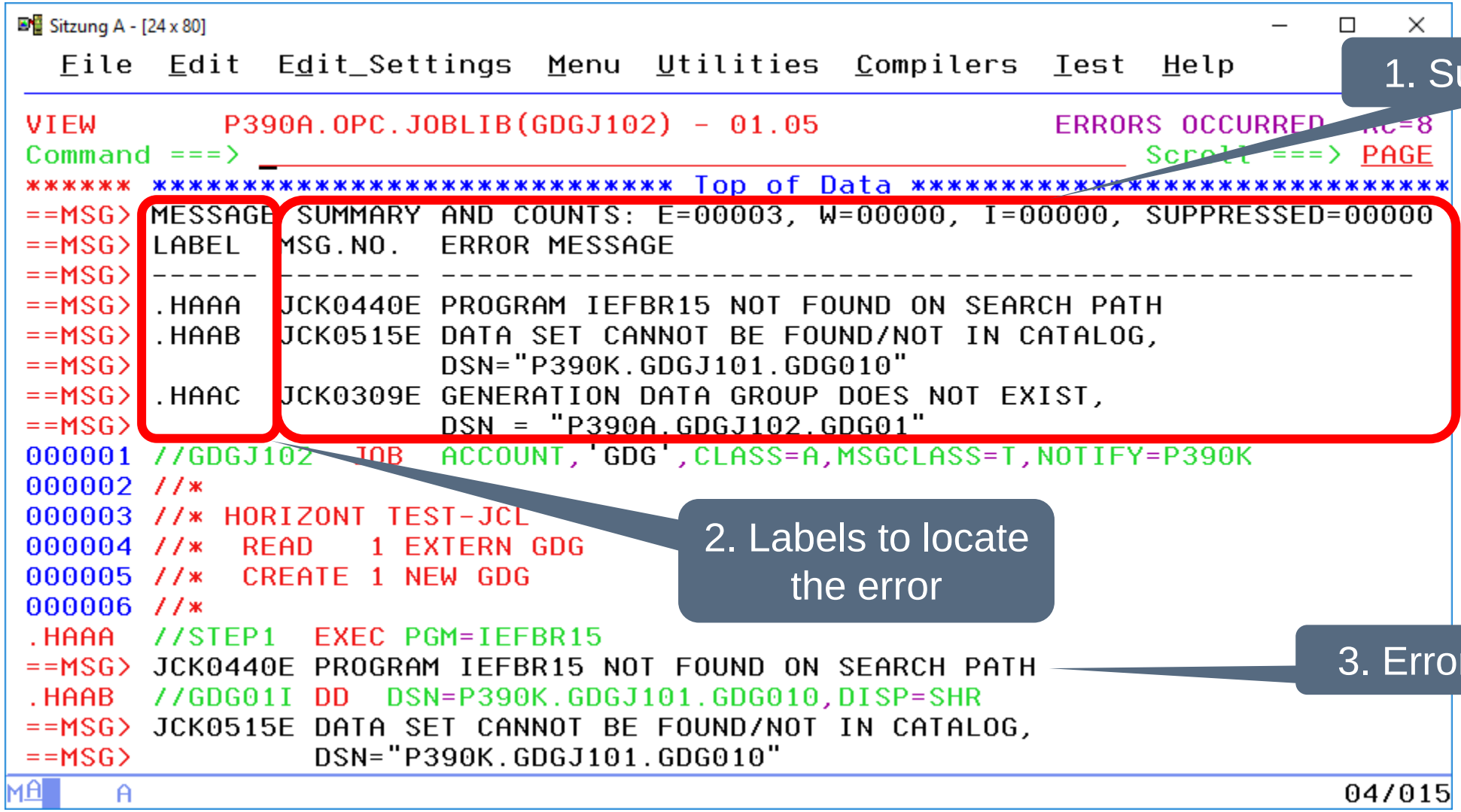

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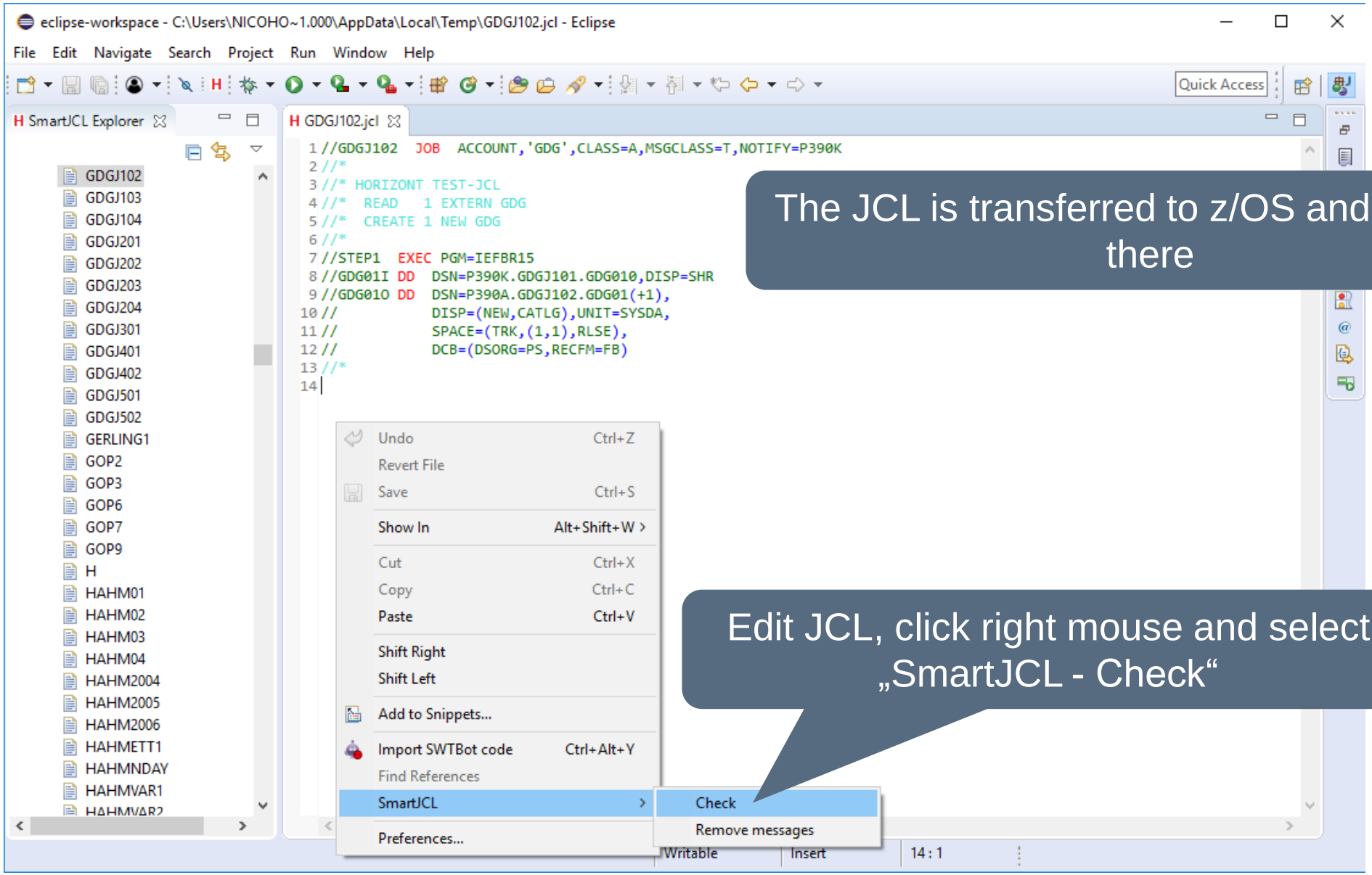

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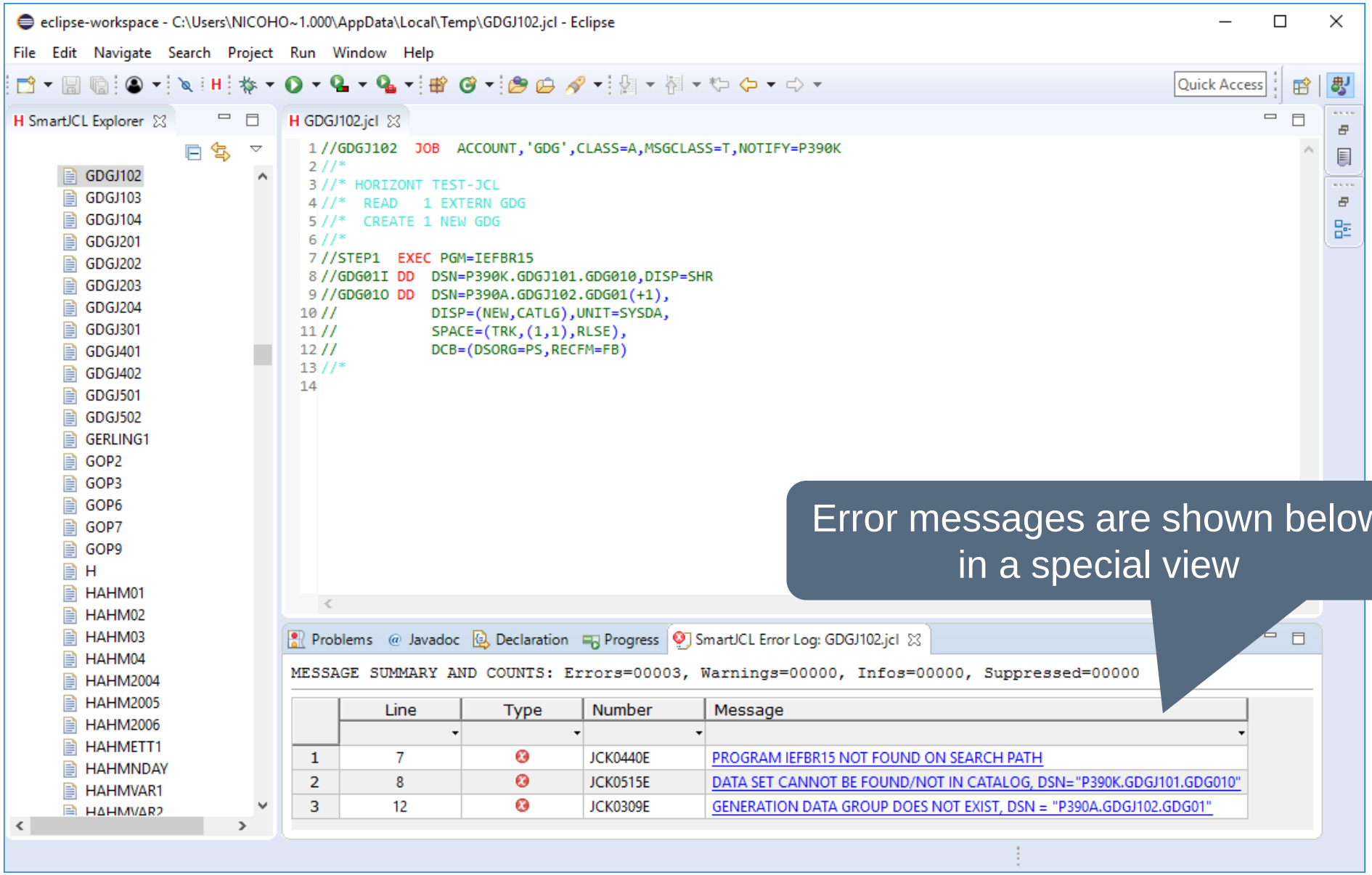

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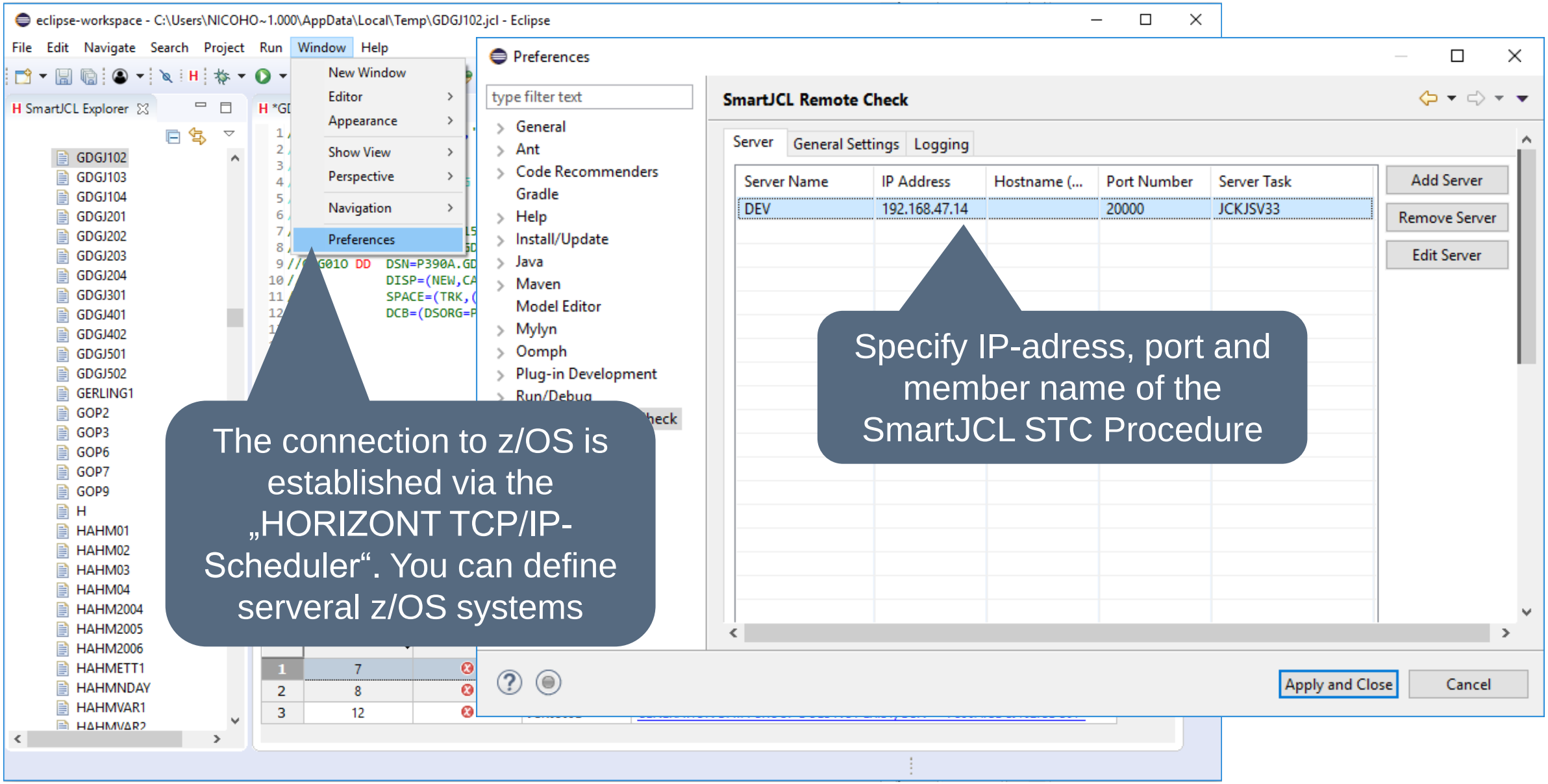

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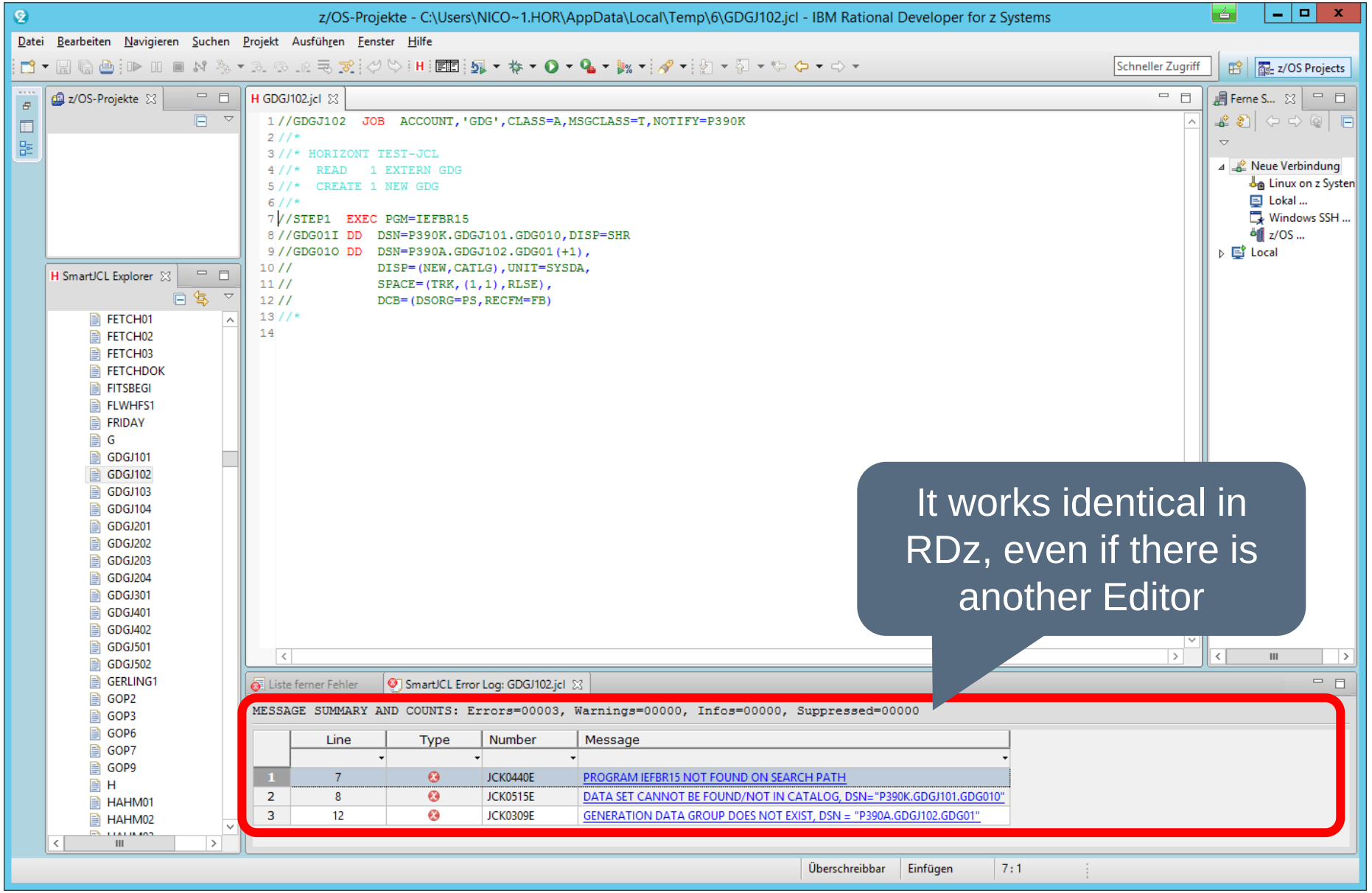

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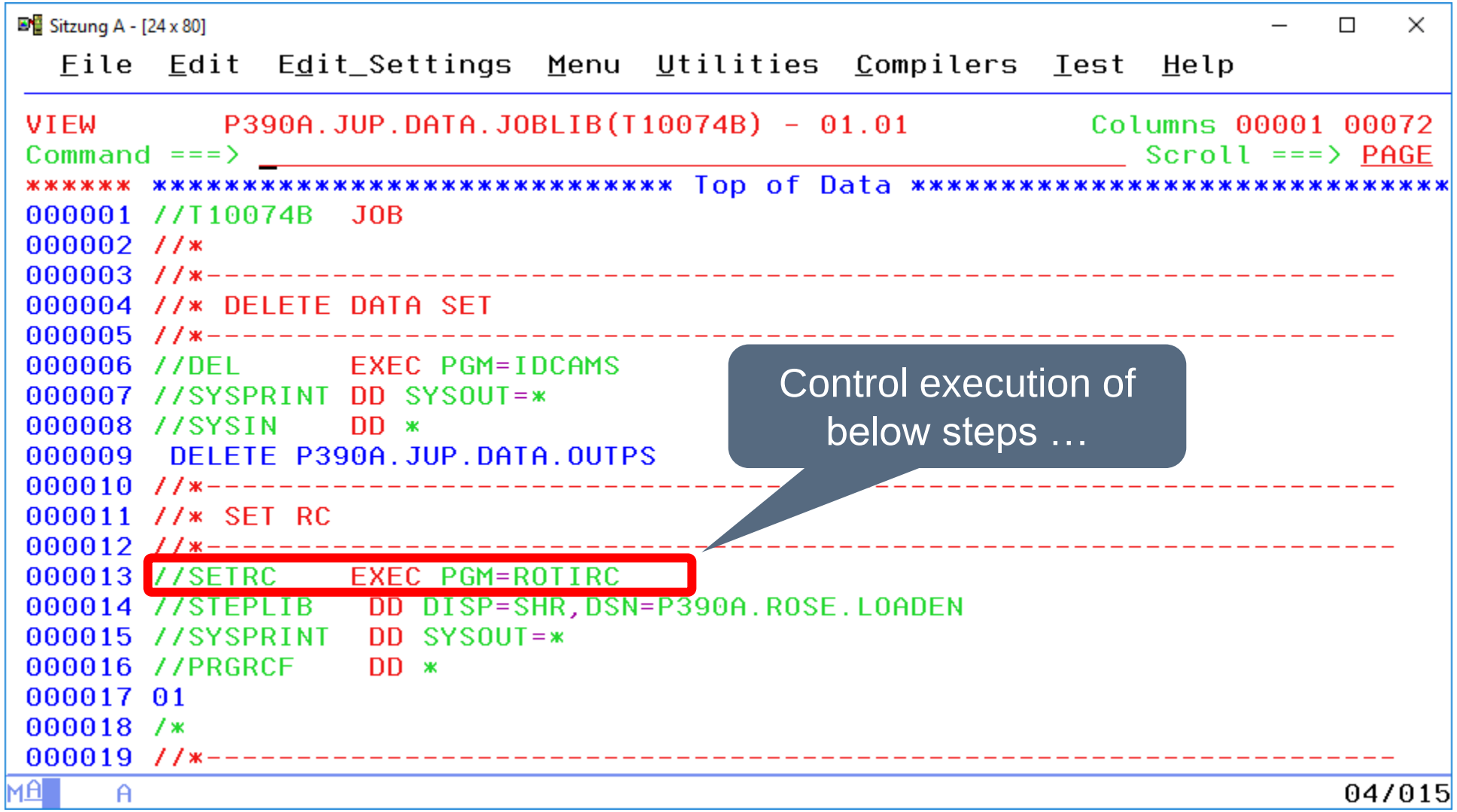

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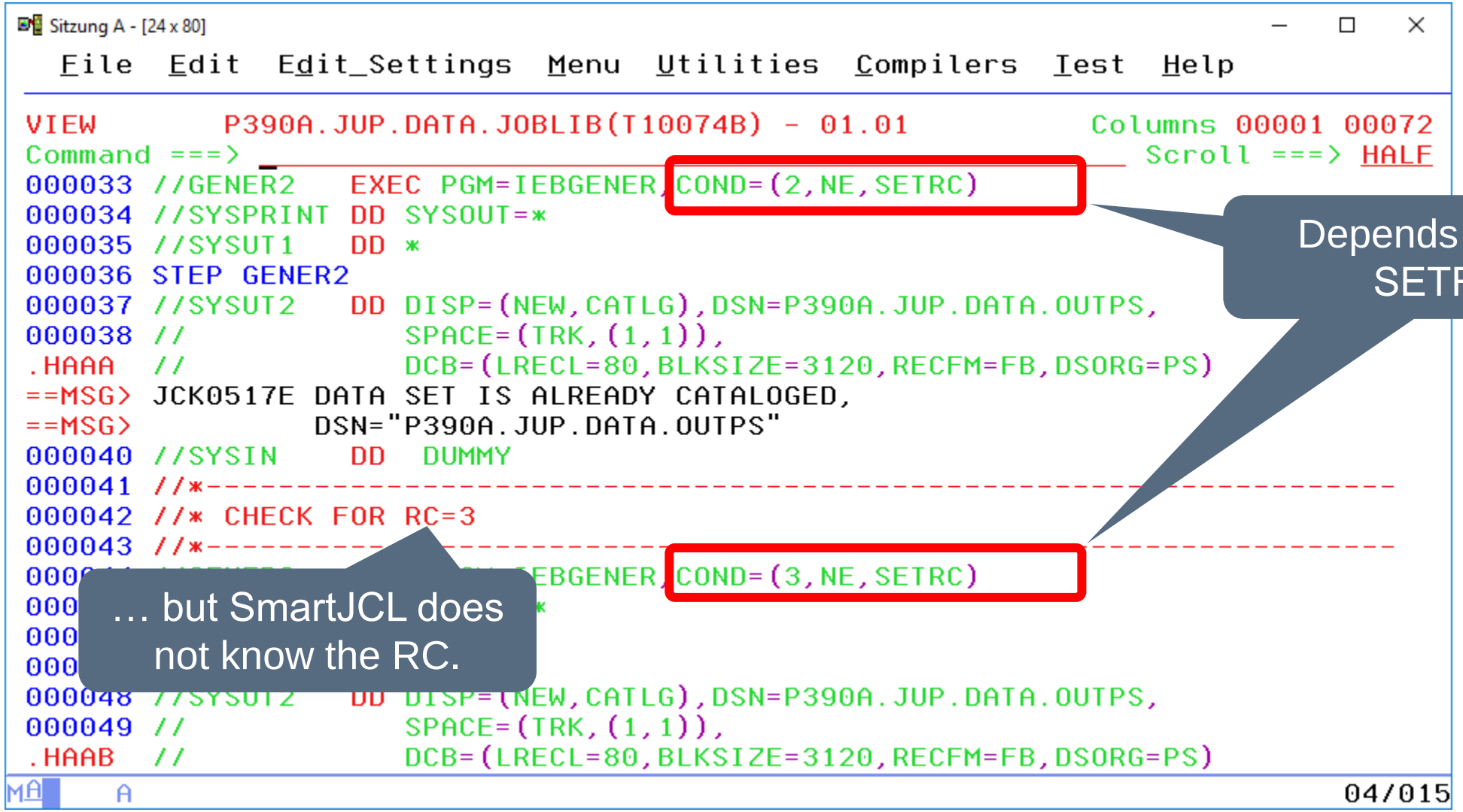

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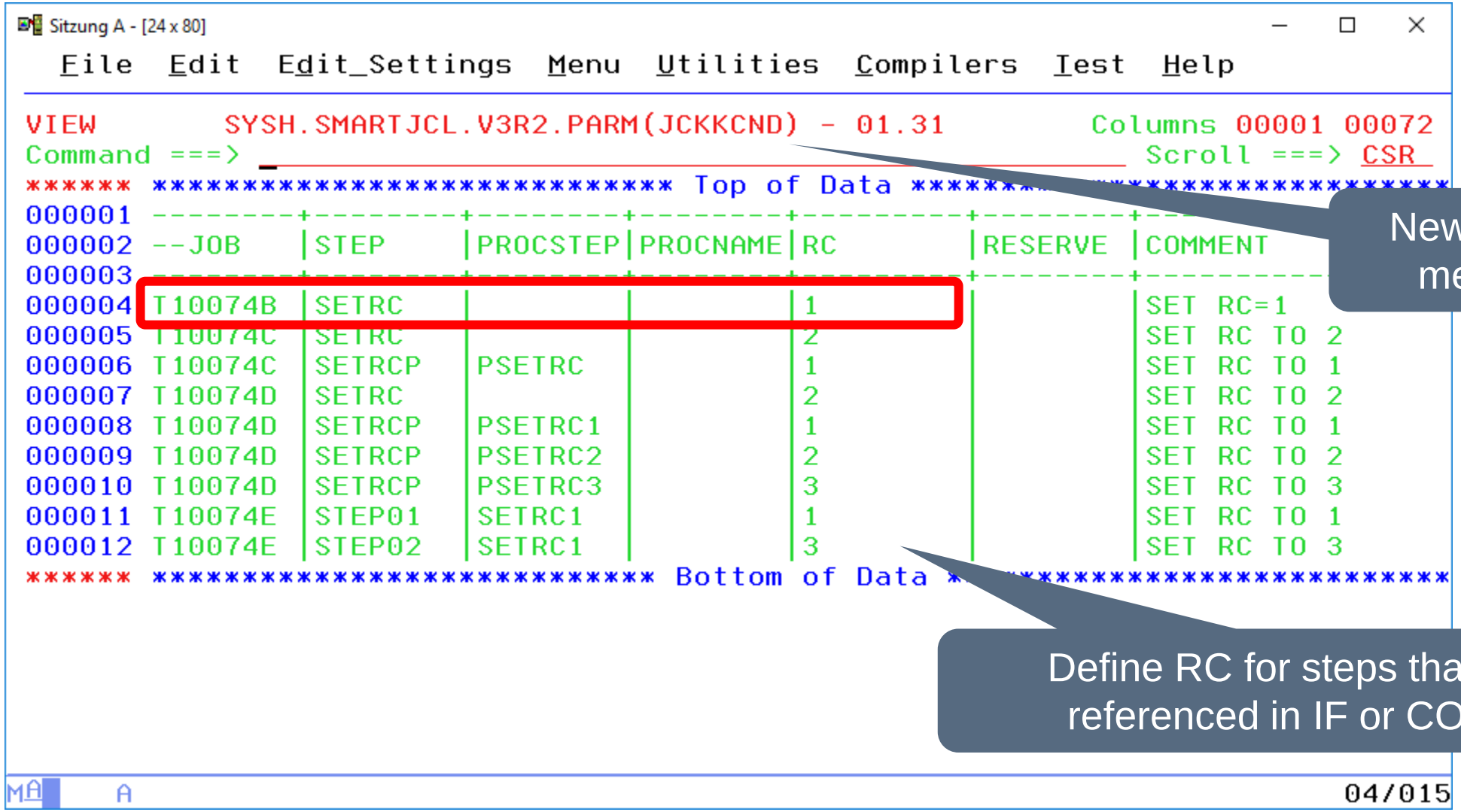

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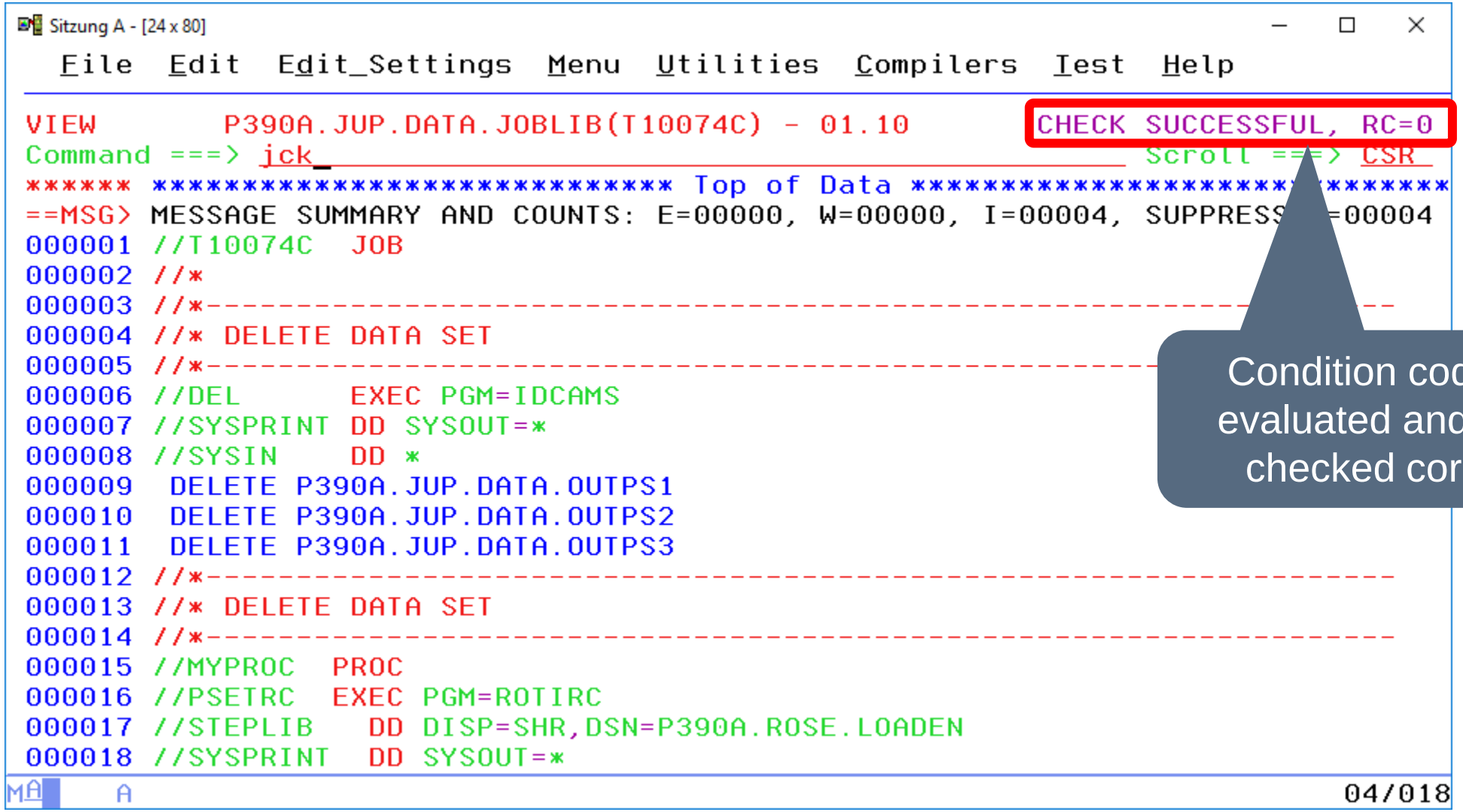

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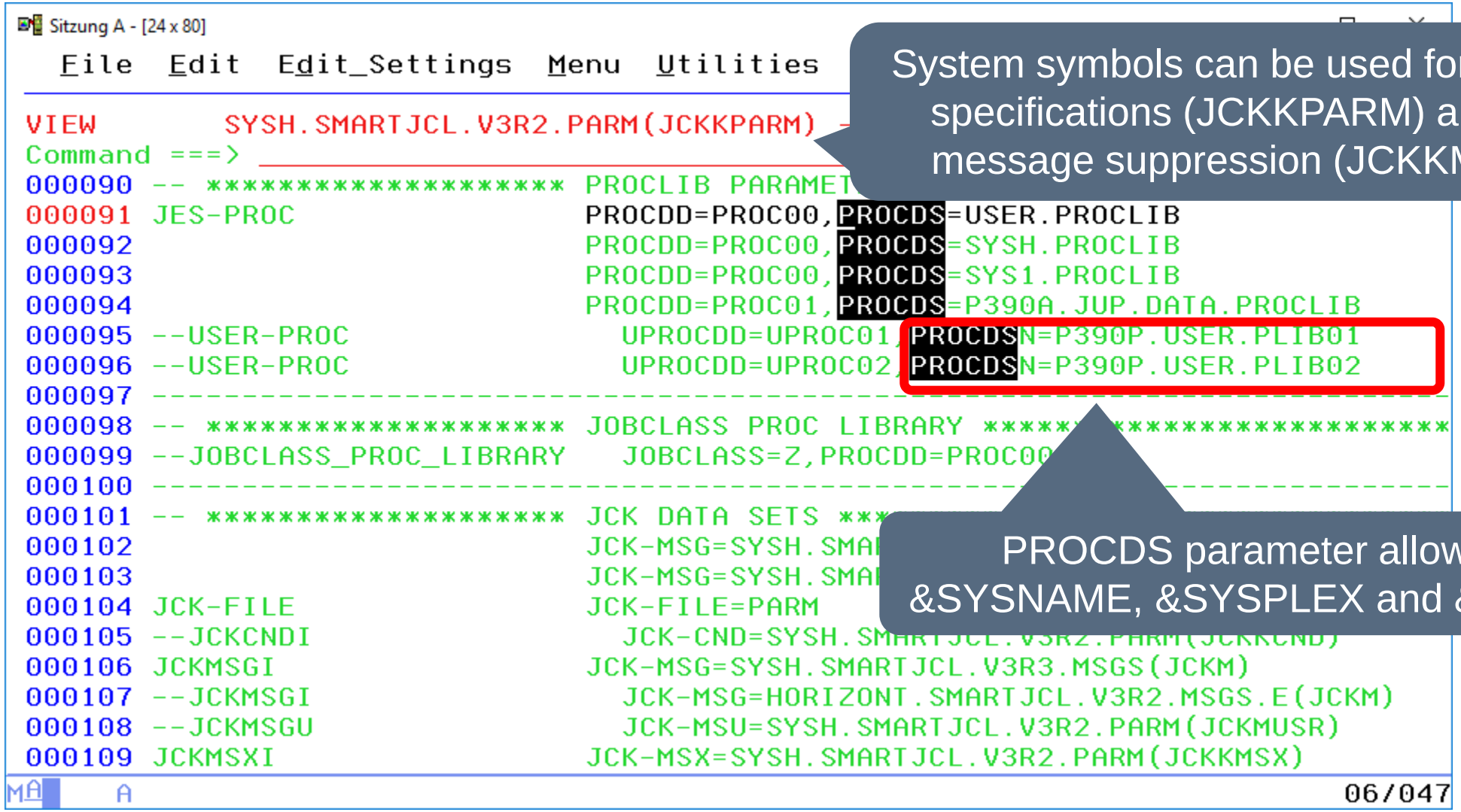

System symbols can be used for proclib specifications (JCKKPARM) and for message suppression (JCKKMSX).

PROCDS parameter allows &SYSNAME, &SYSPLEX and &LPAR

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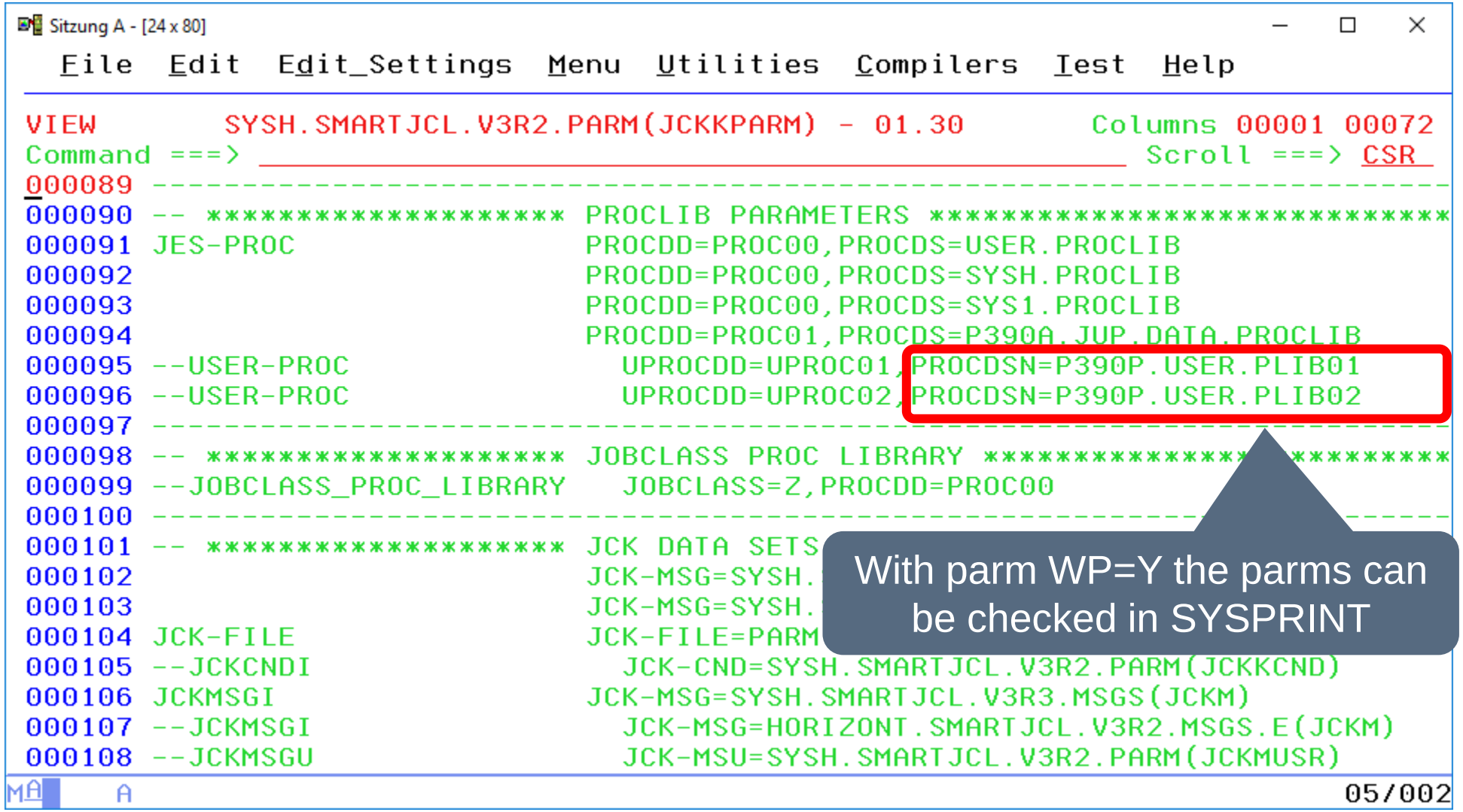

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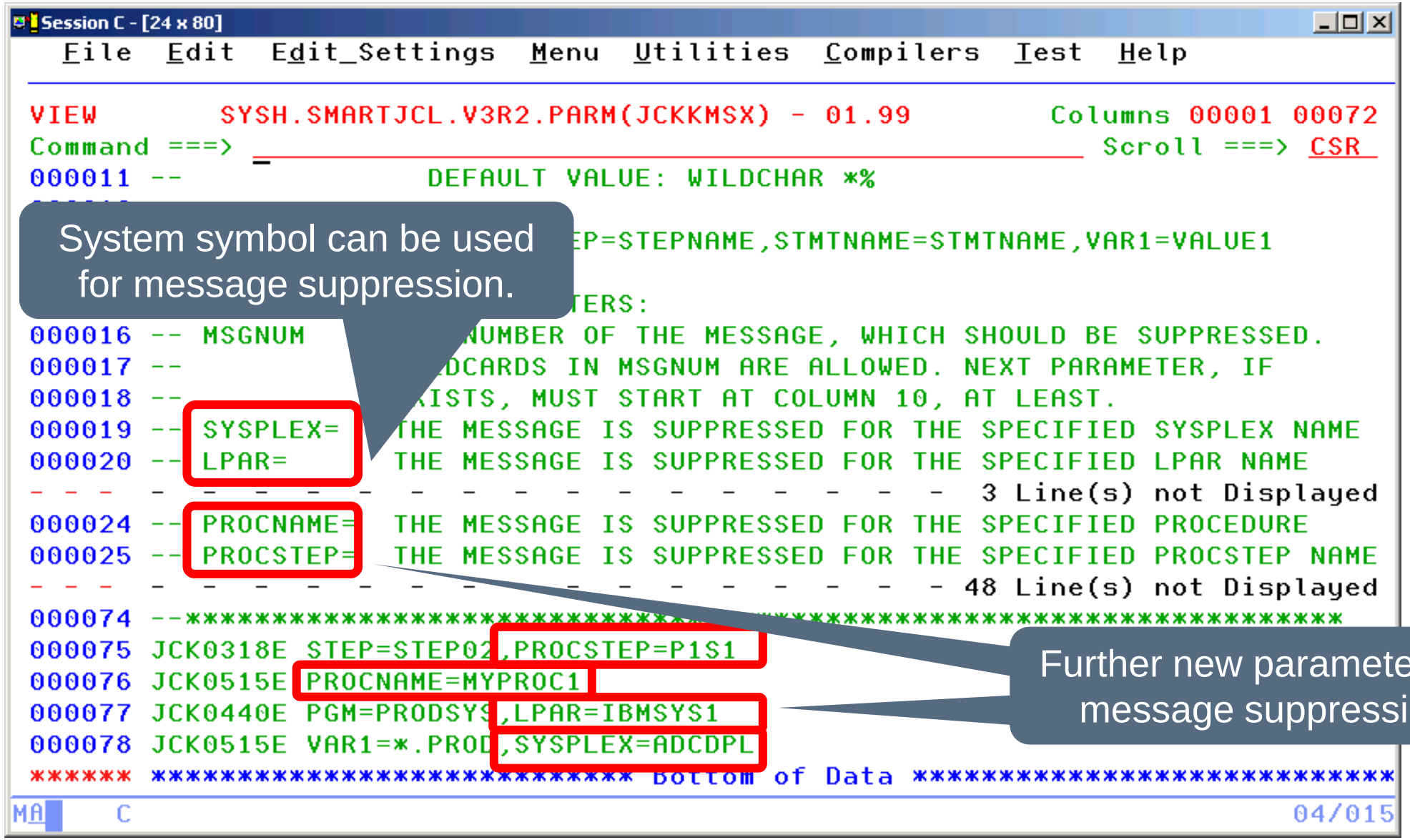

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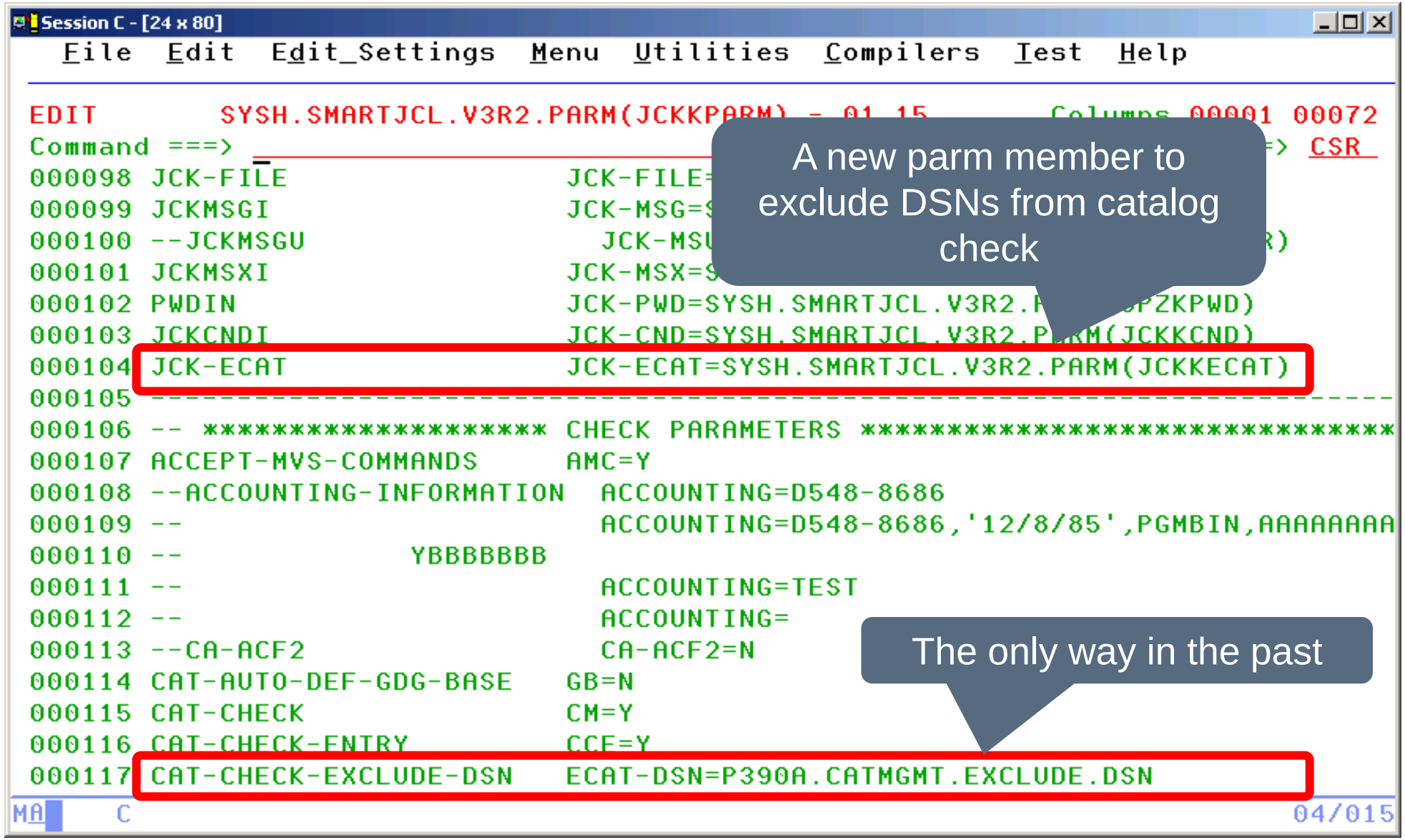

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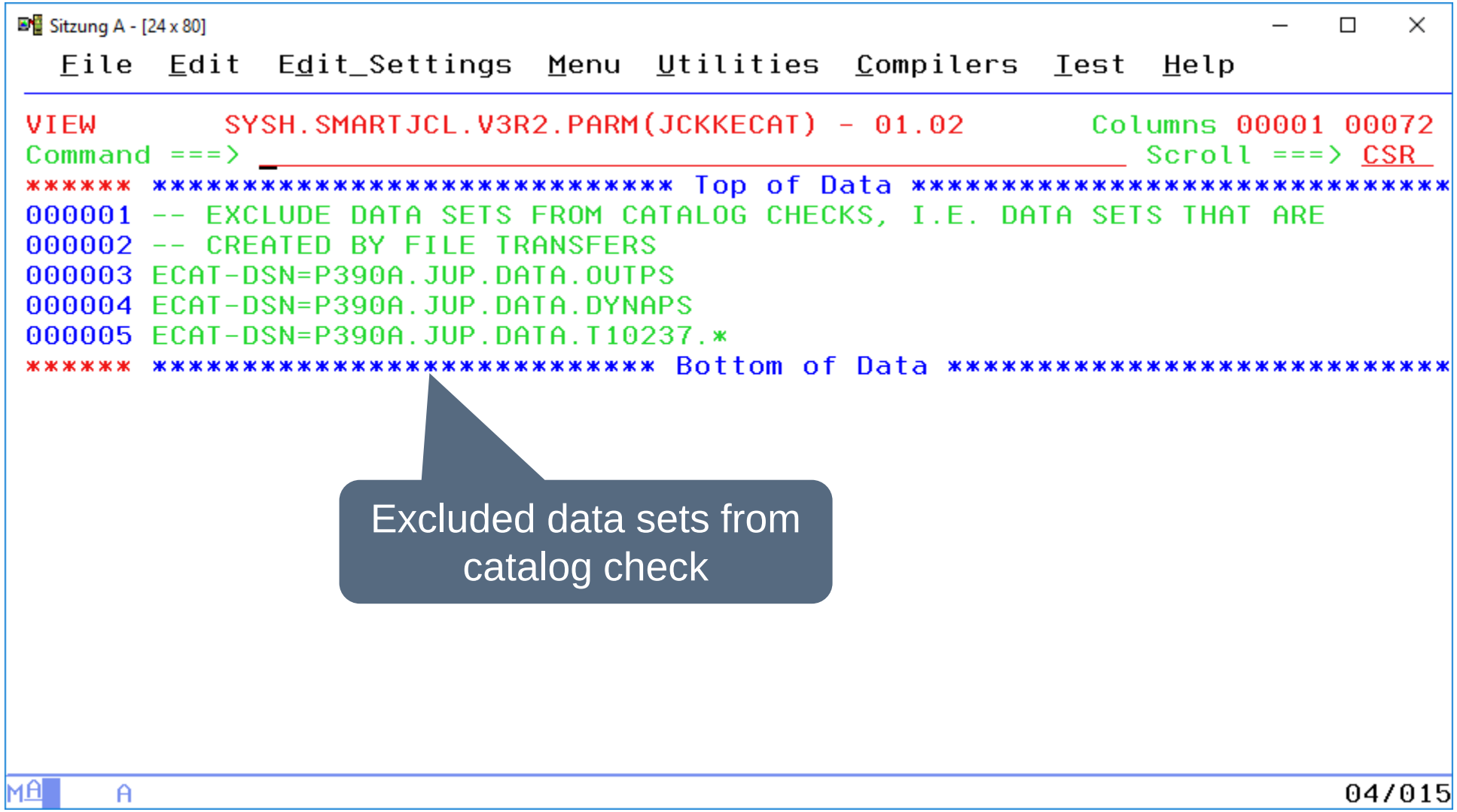

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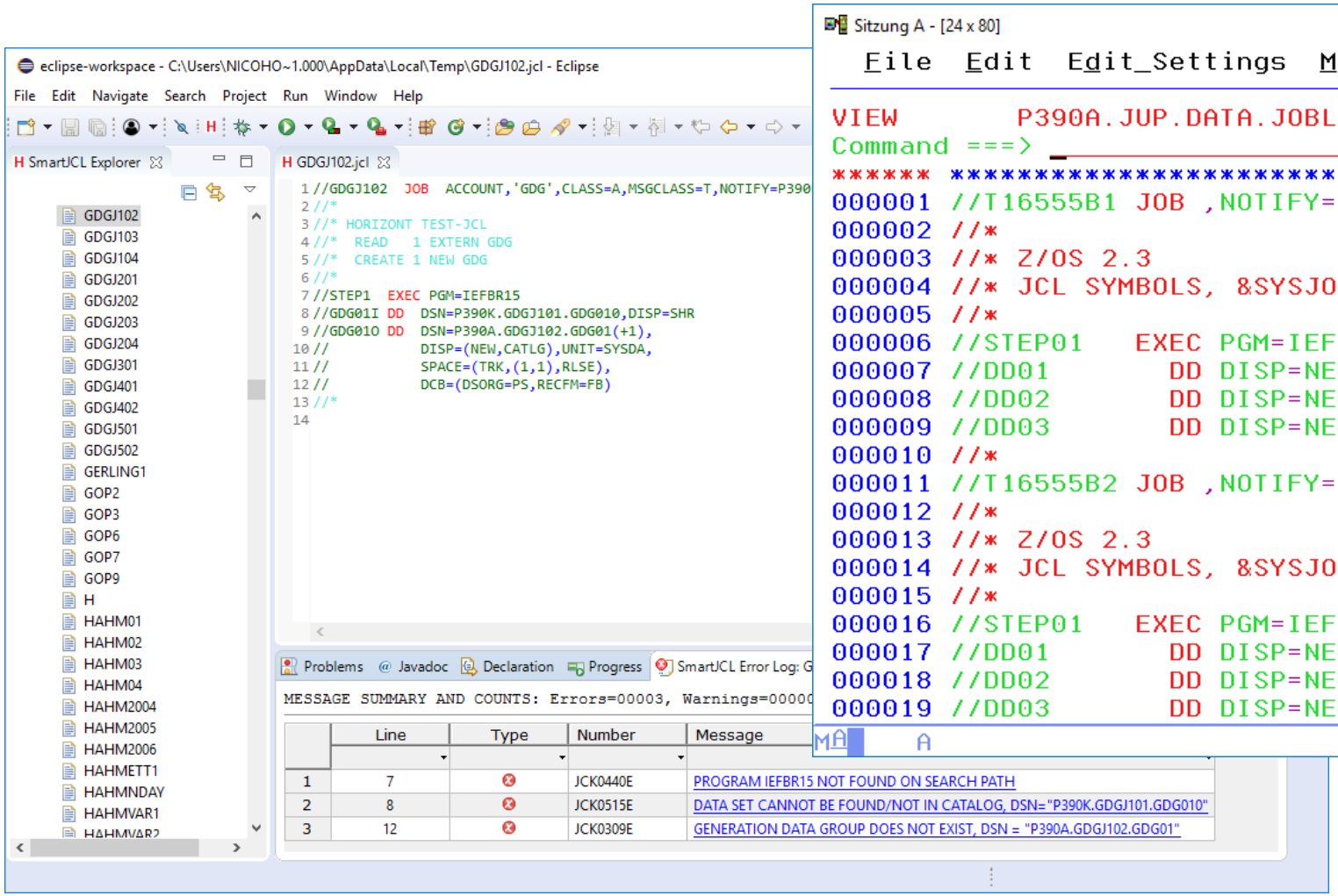

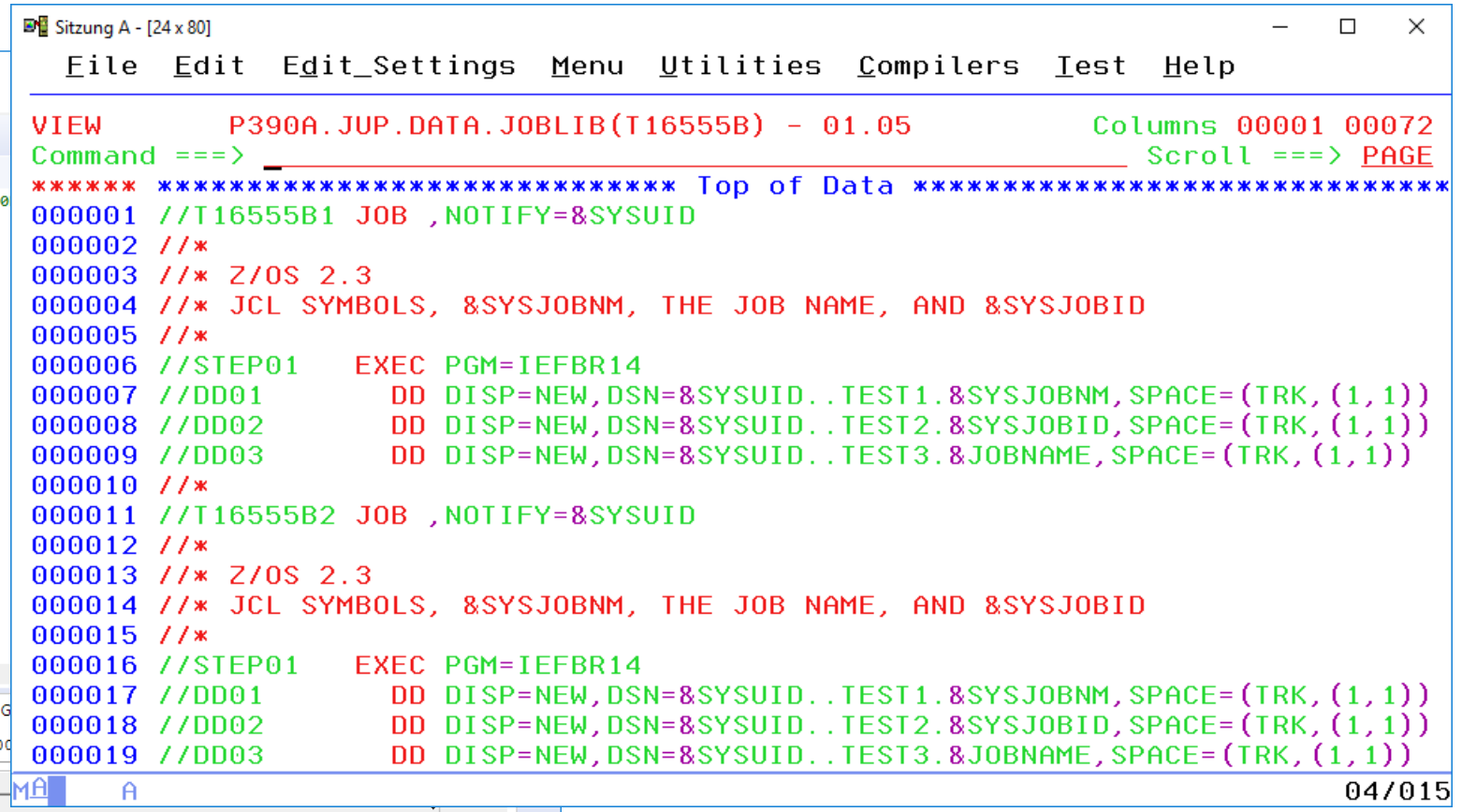

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SmartJCL 3.1

SmartJCL V3R1 will be available in September 2011. It will have following new functions:

- Many new parameters and options for JCL Check and Reformat
  - Get DB2 subsystem from system control blocks
  - Reformat only selected or changed JCL statements
  - Control setting ISPF member statistics in output file JCKJCLO
  - Check TSO program call

HORIZONT Classification: Restricted

SmartJCL 3.1

- Support for z/OS 1.12 SORT enhancements
  - JOINKEYS Application
  - Date Field Conversions
  - MERGE Operator
  - MERGEIN Alternate ddnames
  - …
- Support for TWS 8.6

HORIZONT
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SmartJCL 3.1

- ISPF dialog supports administrators
  - Admins are defined during installation or in JCKXPARM
  - Admins have additional configuration options
  - Users can only “use” SmartJCL

HORIZONT
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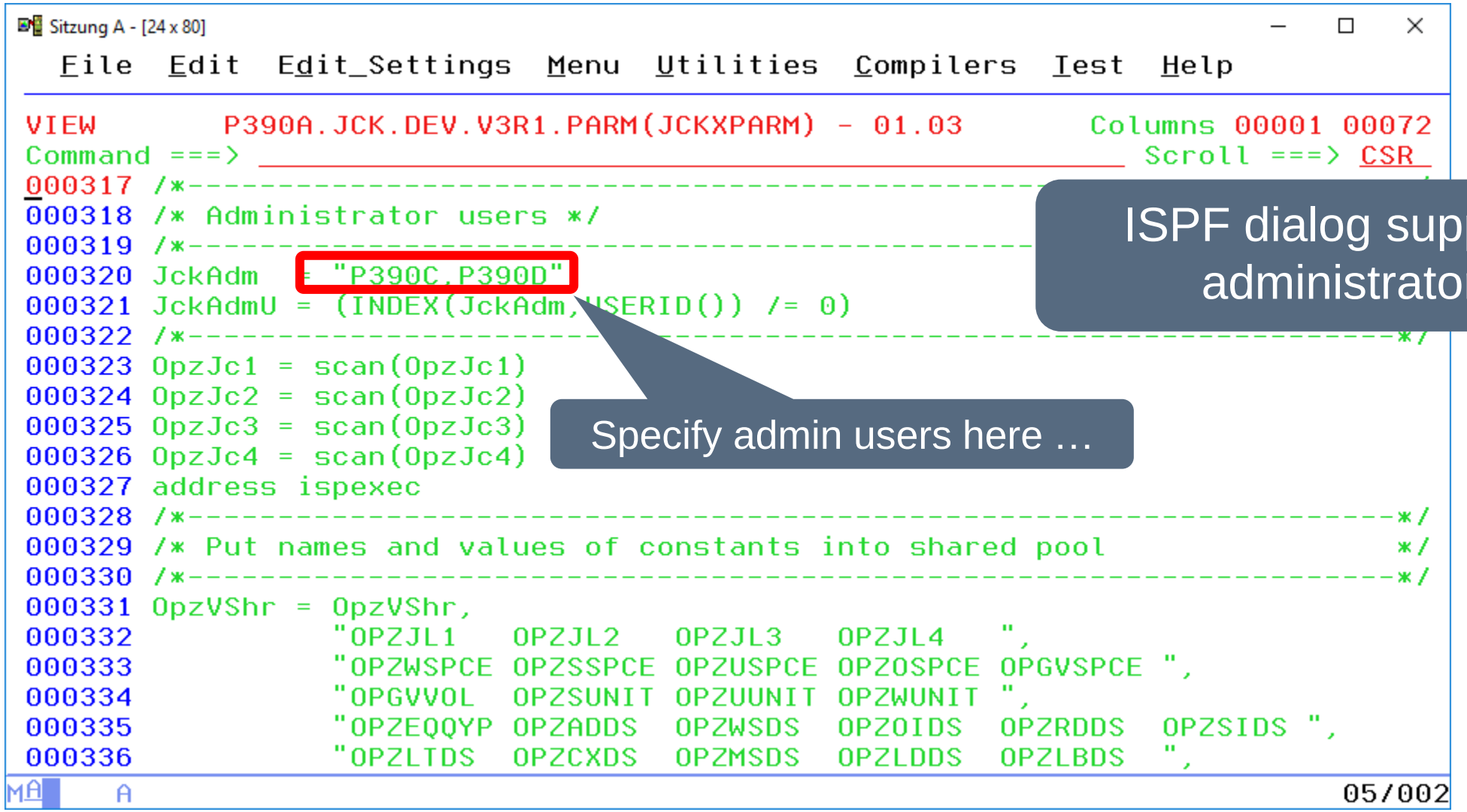
SmartJCL 3.1



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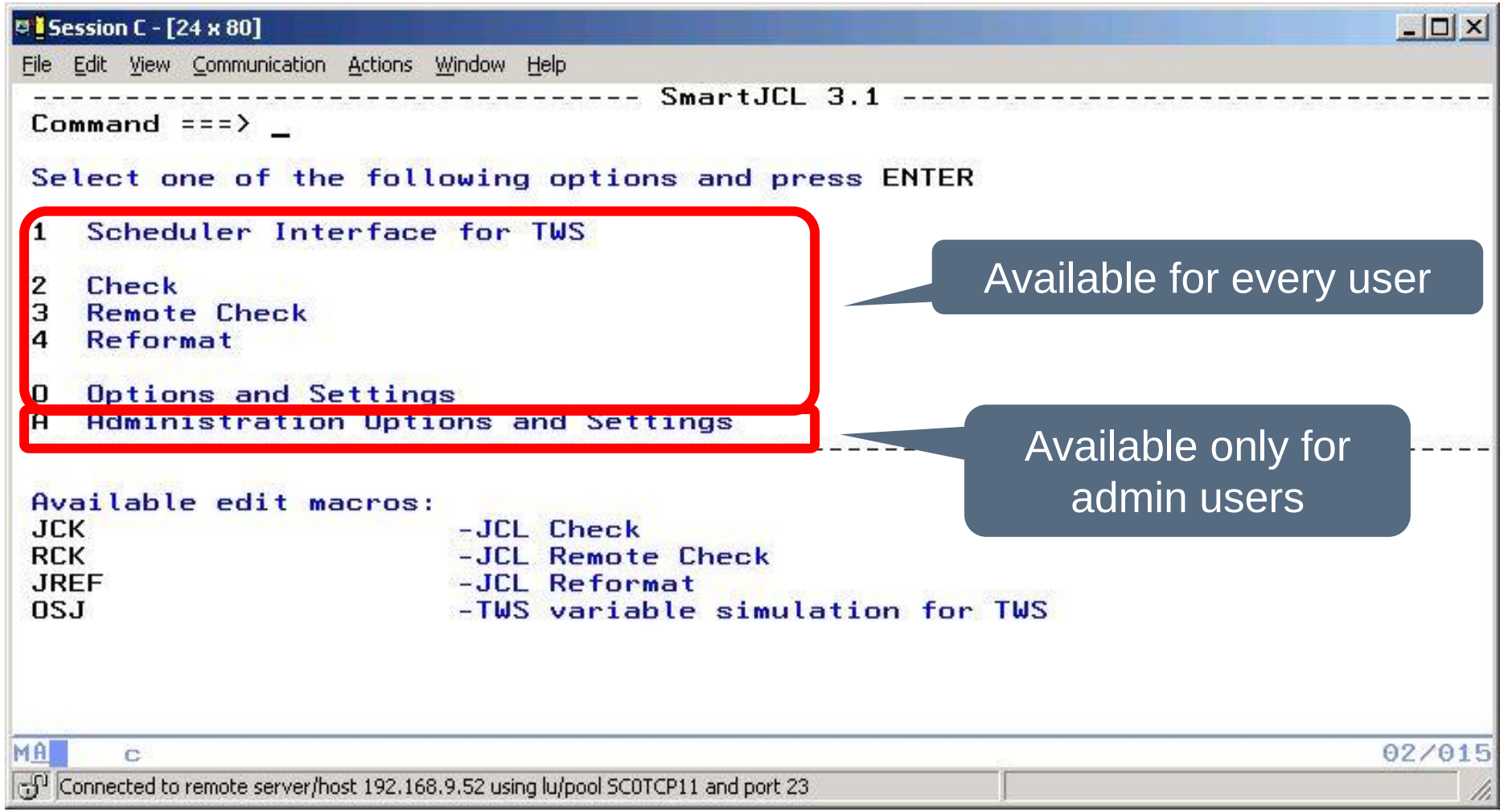

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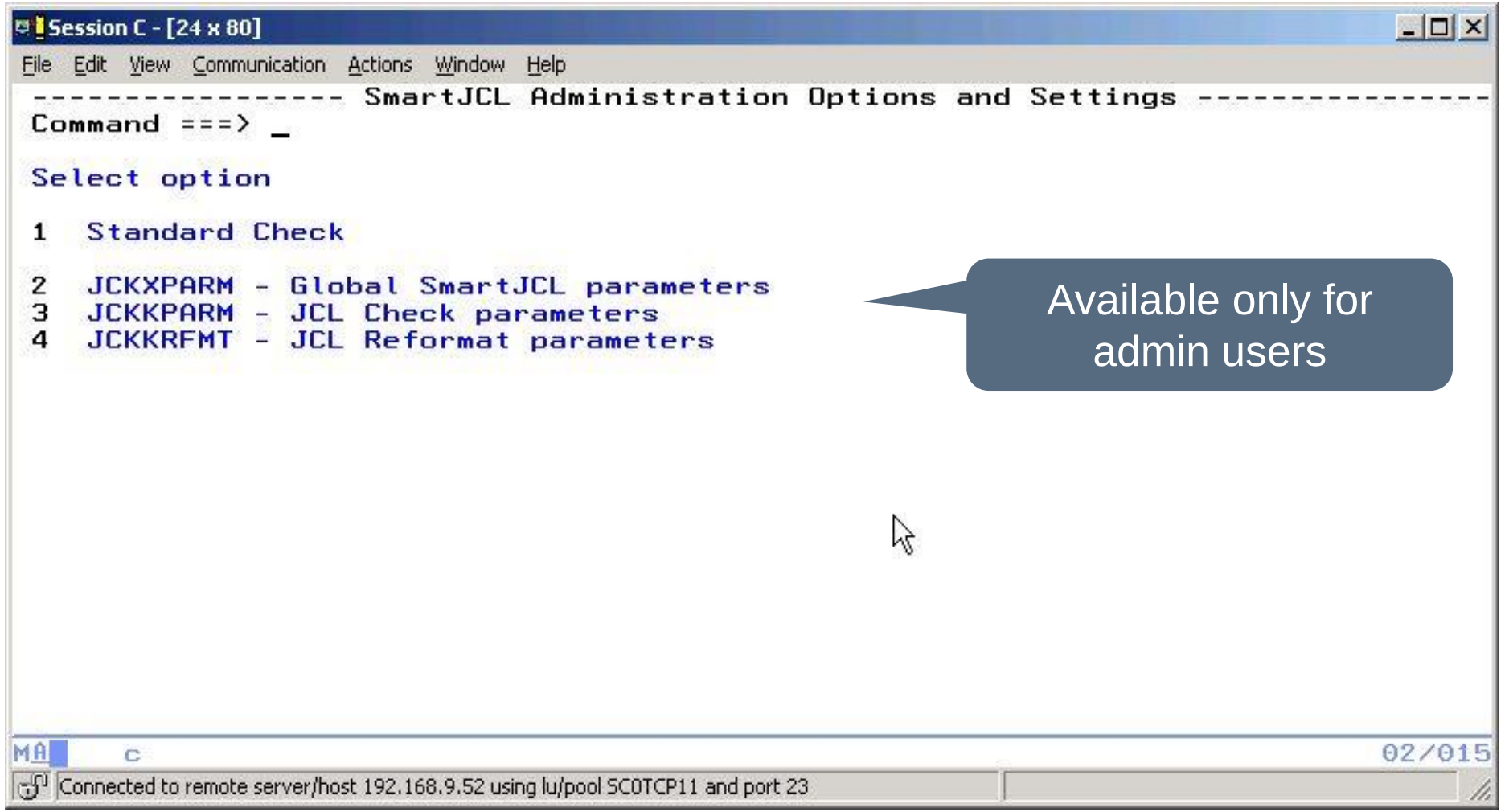

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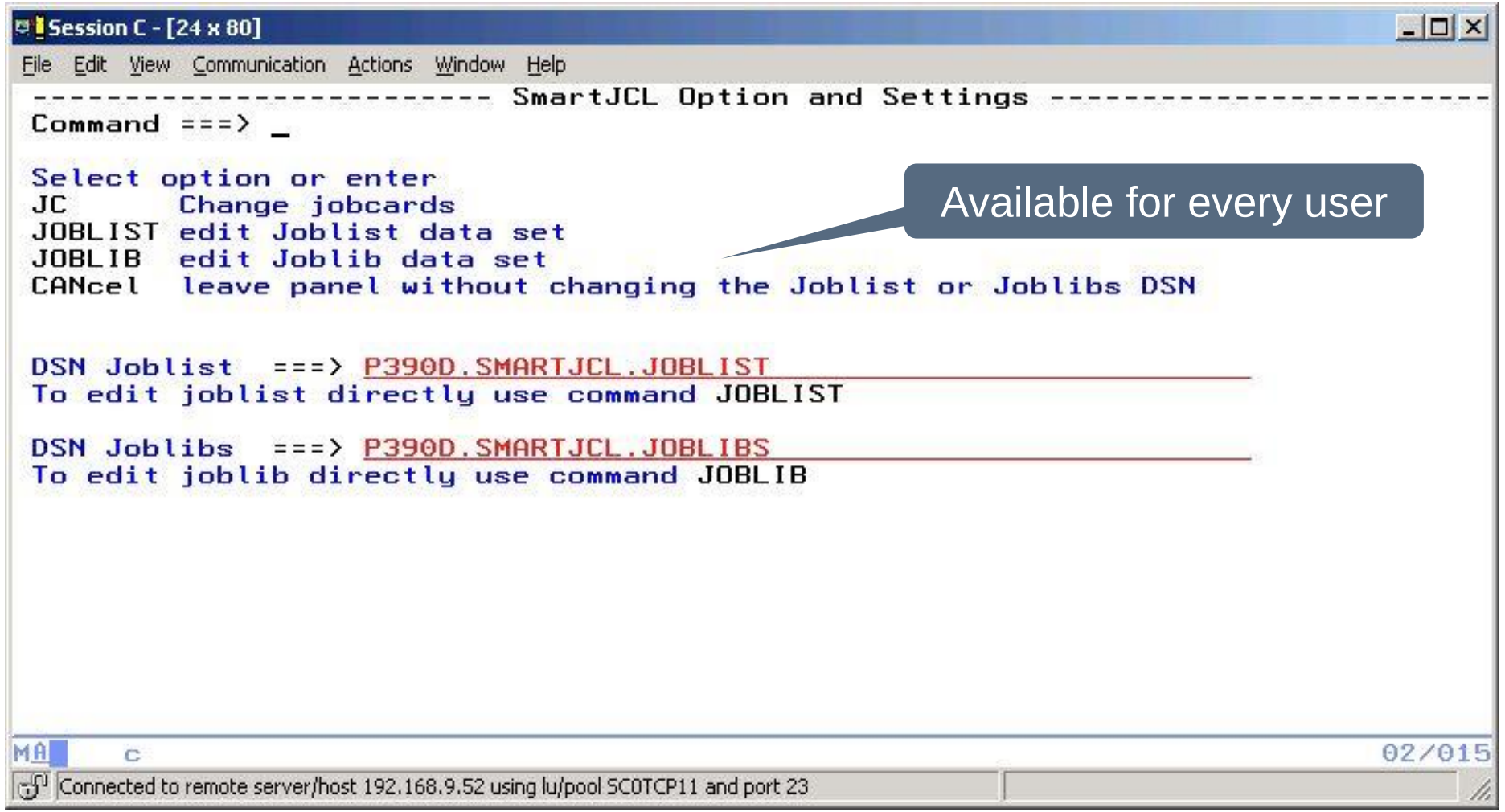

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SmartJCL 3.1

- New SRI function “SriCatEntry” for catalog access and informations
  - Returns
    - Entry name (=DSN)
    - Catalog name
    - Entey type
    - Volser
  - Easier than LISTCAT and scanning output

HORIZONT
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SmartJCL 3.1

- Enhanced JCL Change Facility
  - New commands DELSTMT, DELSTEP, INSERTSTMT, INSERTSTMT BEFORE FIRST (i.e. before first EXEC)
  - DO/ENDDO block to summarize more actions for one condition
  - RANGE (Column 1-72)

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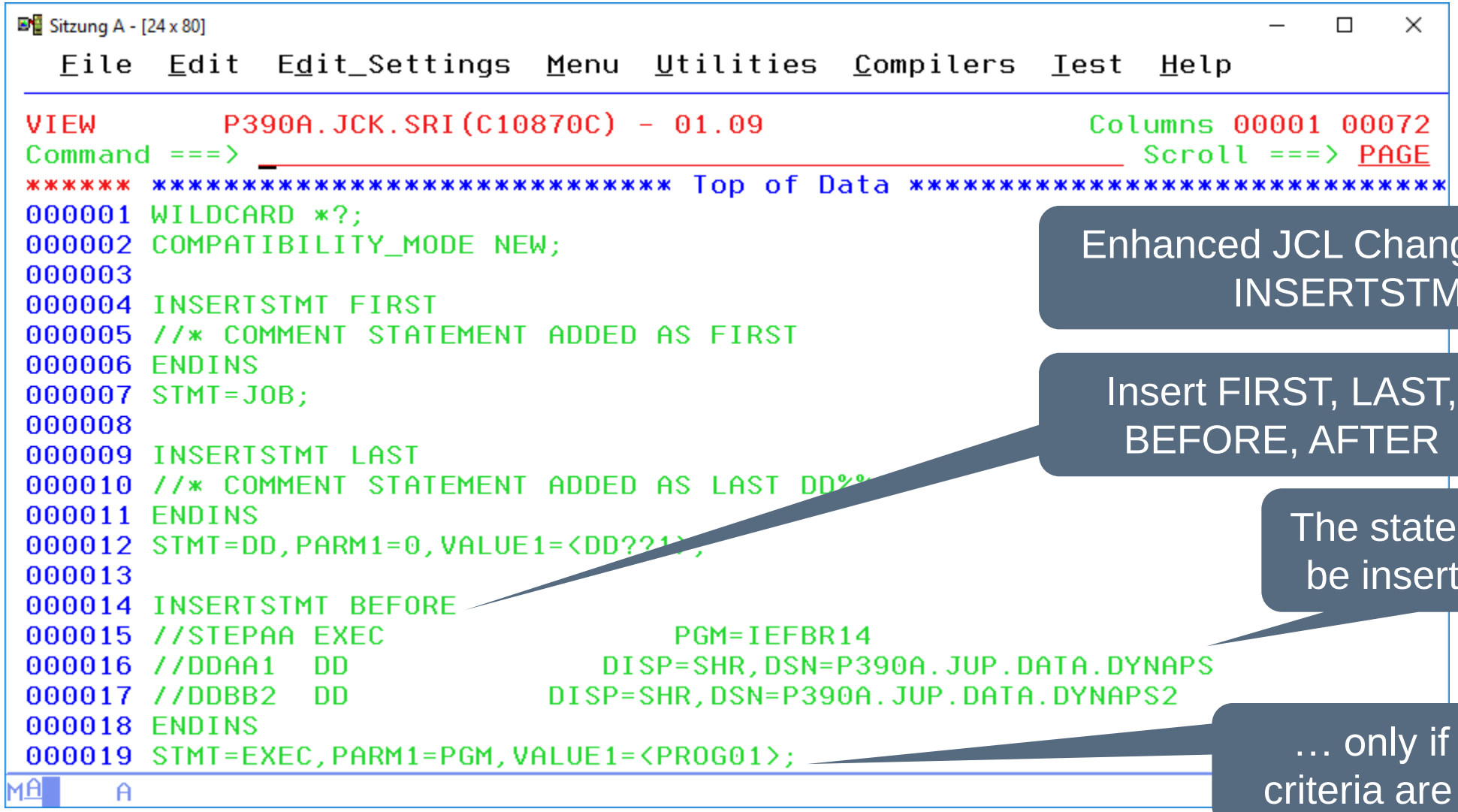
SmartJCL 3.1



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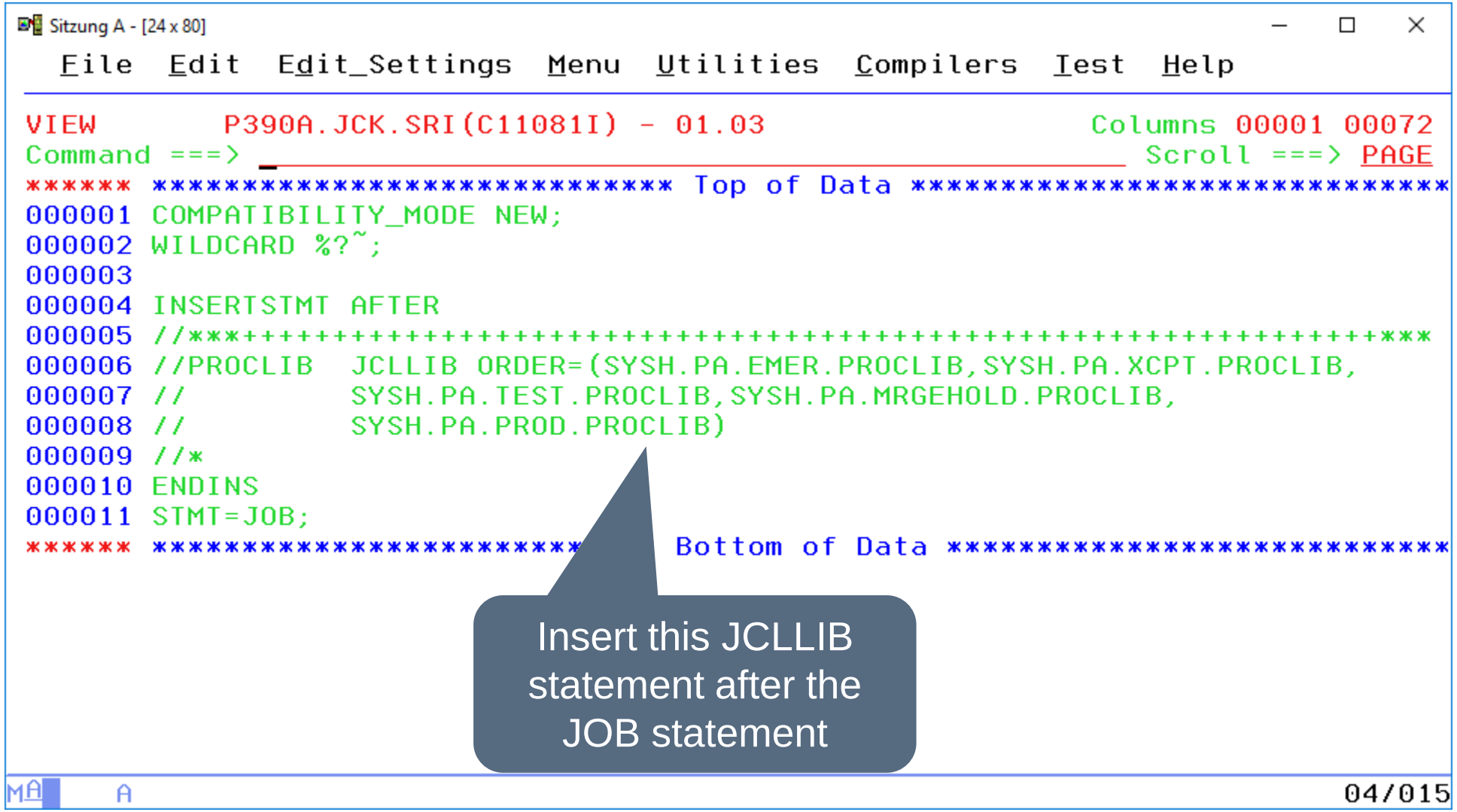

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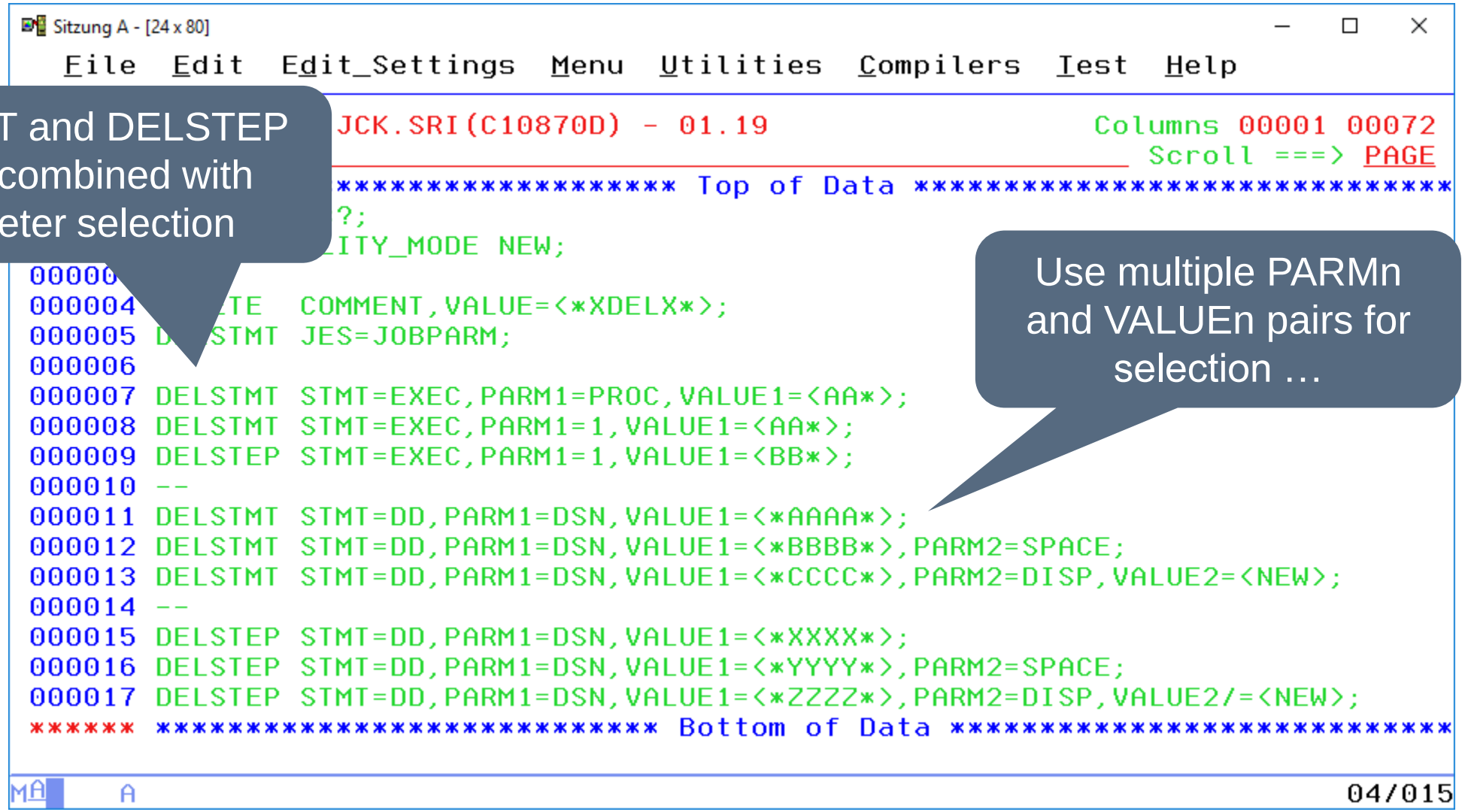
SmartJCL 3.1

DELSTMT and DELSTEP can be combined with parameter selection

Use multiple PARMn and VALUEn pairs for selection …



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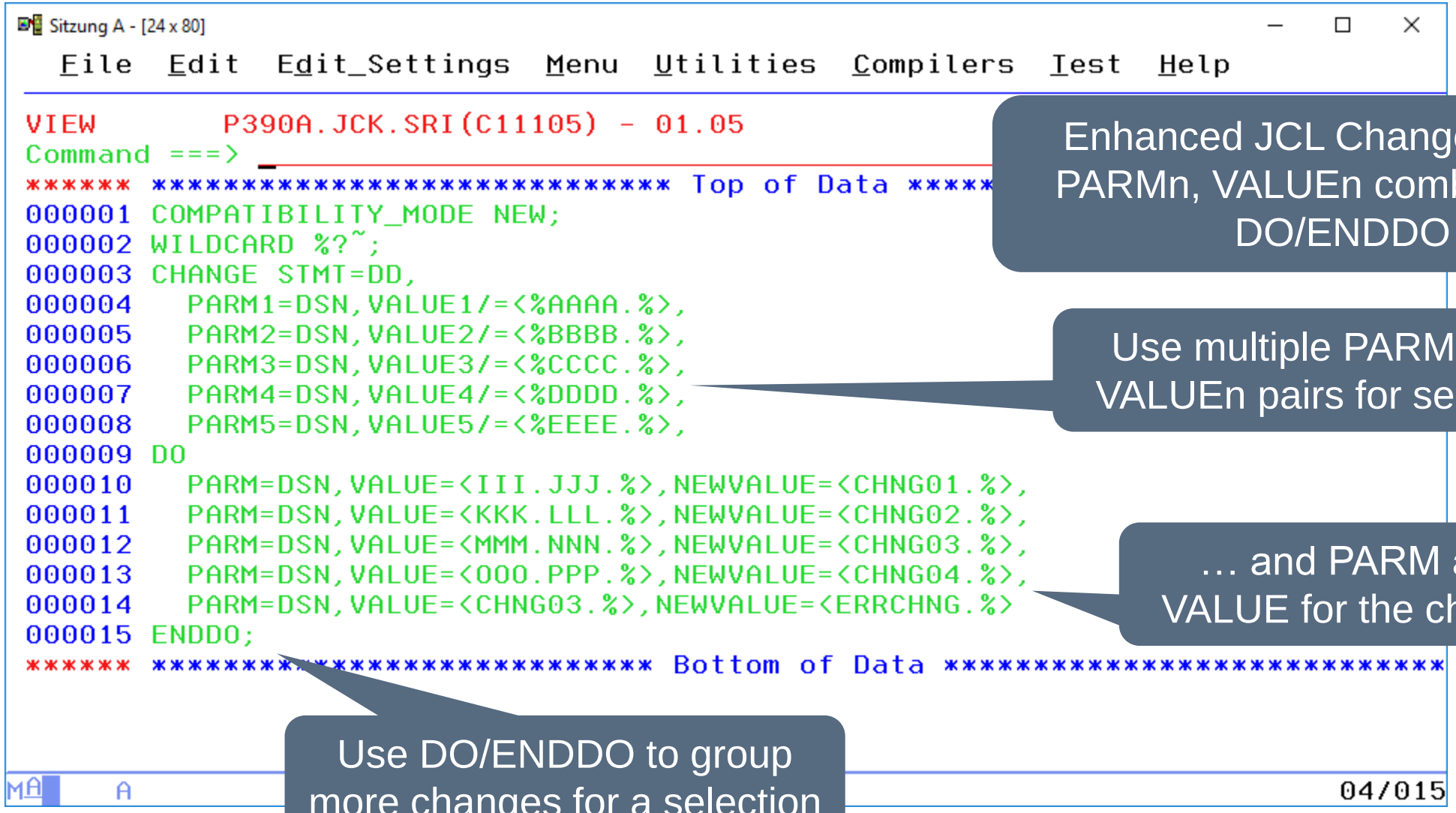

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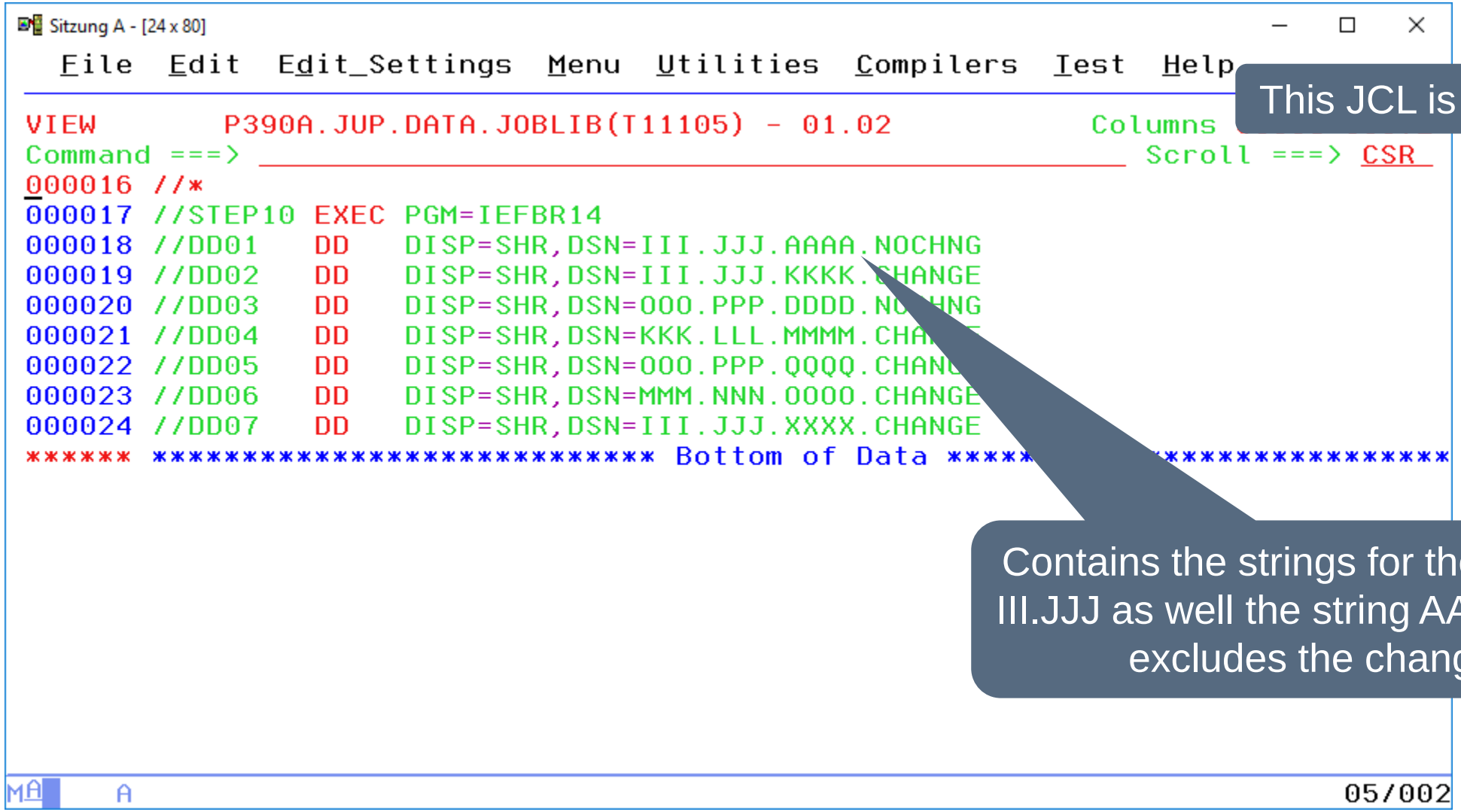

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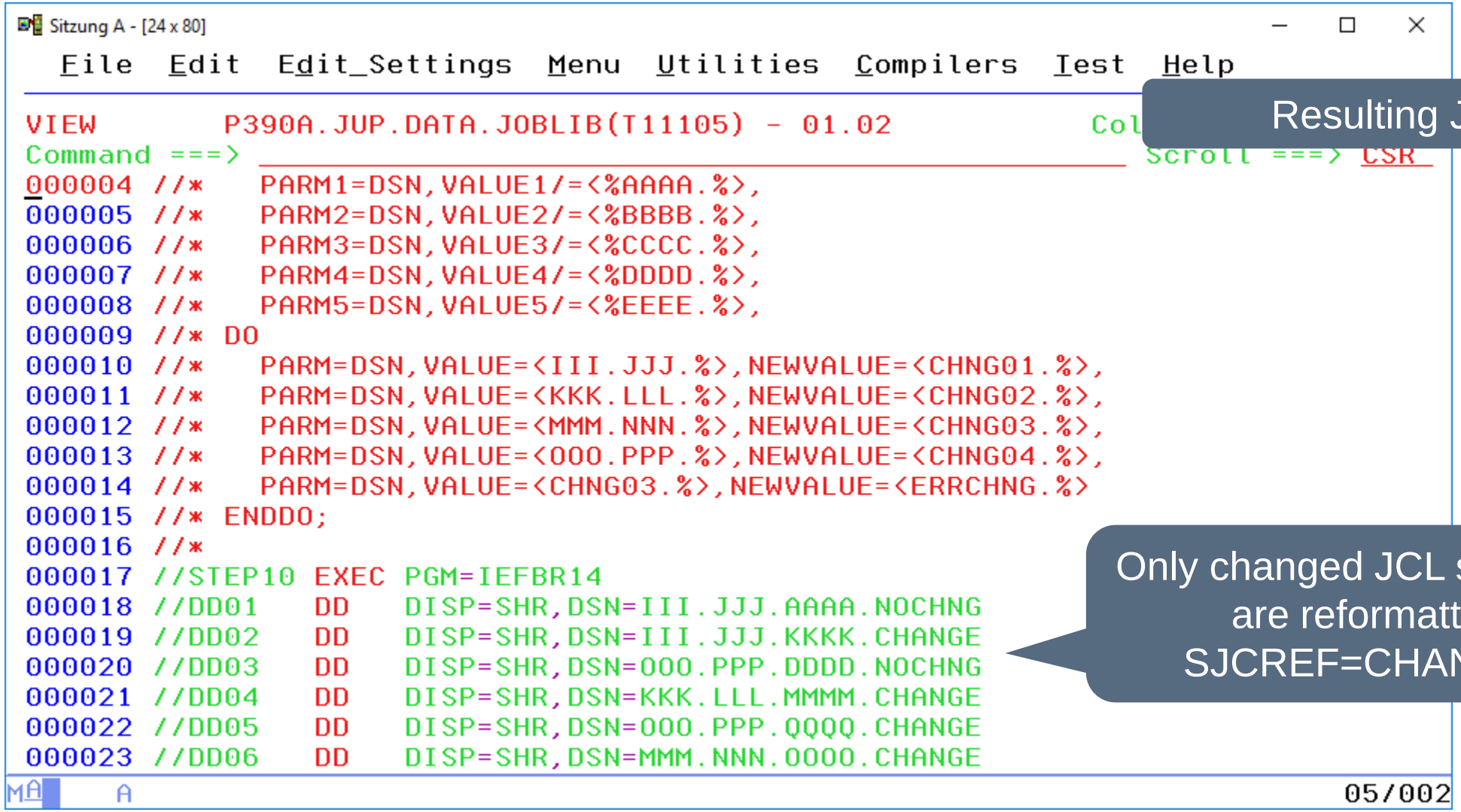

Resulting JCL:

Only changed JCL statement are reformatted:
SJCREF=CHANGED

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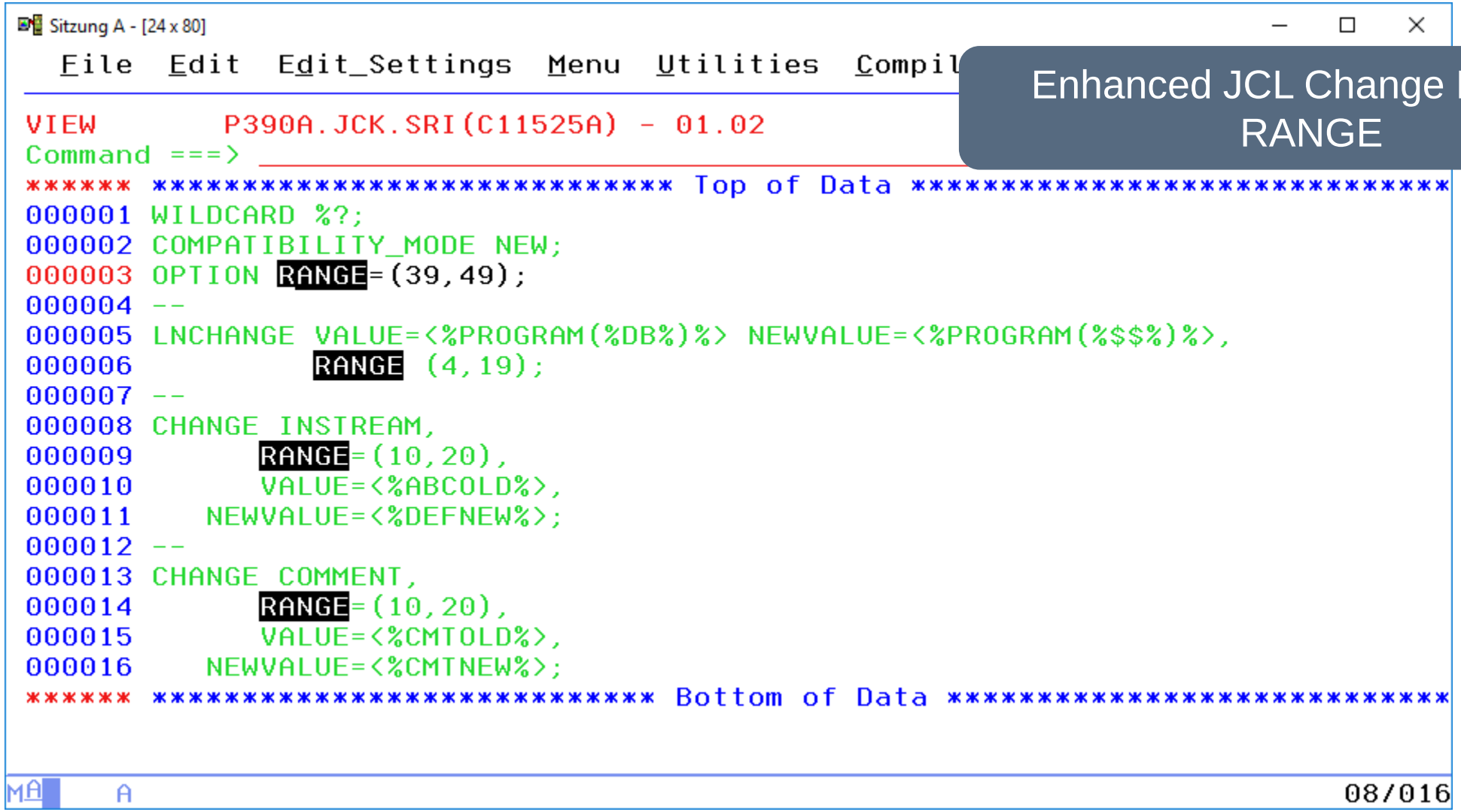
SmartJCL 3.1

Enhanced JCL Change Facility: RANGE



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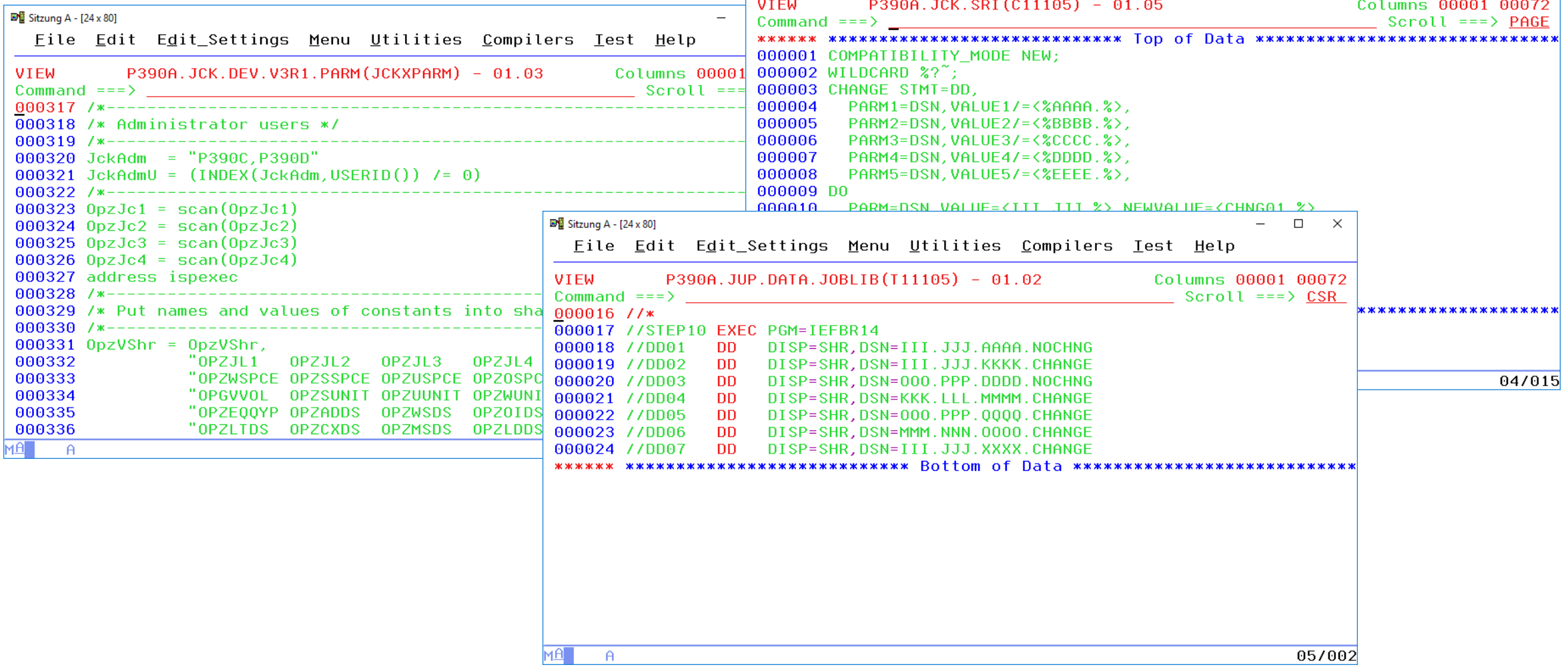

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SmartJCL 3.0

SmartJCL V3R0 is available since September 2009. It will have following major new functions:

- ISPF Dialog to specify rules according to customer specific standards
  - Every site has individual rules, e.g. „UNI must be SYSDA in SORT step“
  - Up to now checks required usage of SmartJCL‘s REXX interface
  - SmartJCL will enable non-programmers to specify complex rules by using a simple ISPF dialog
  - See dialog on next slides

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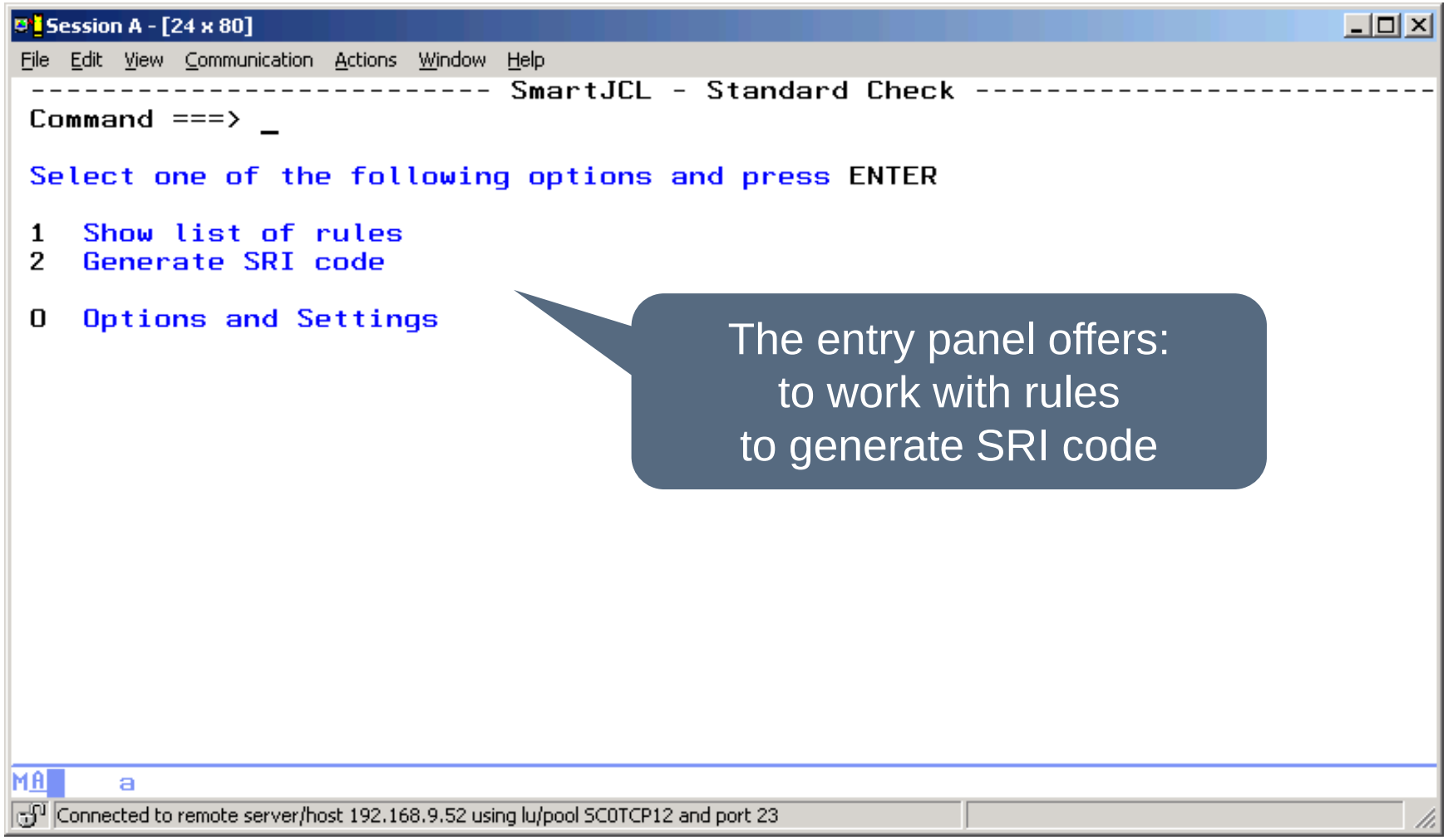
Standard Check: Entry Panel



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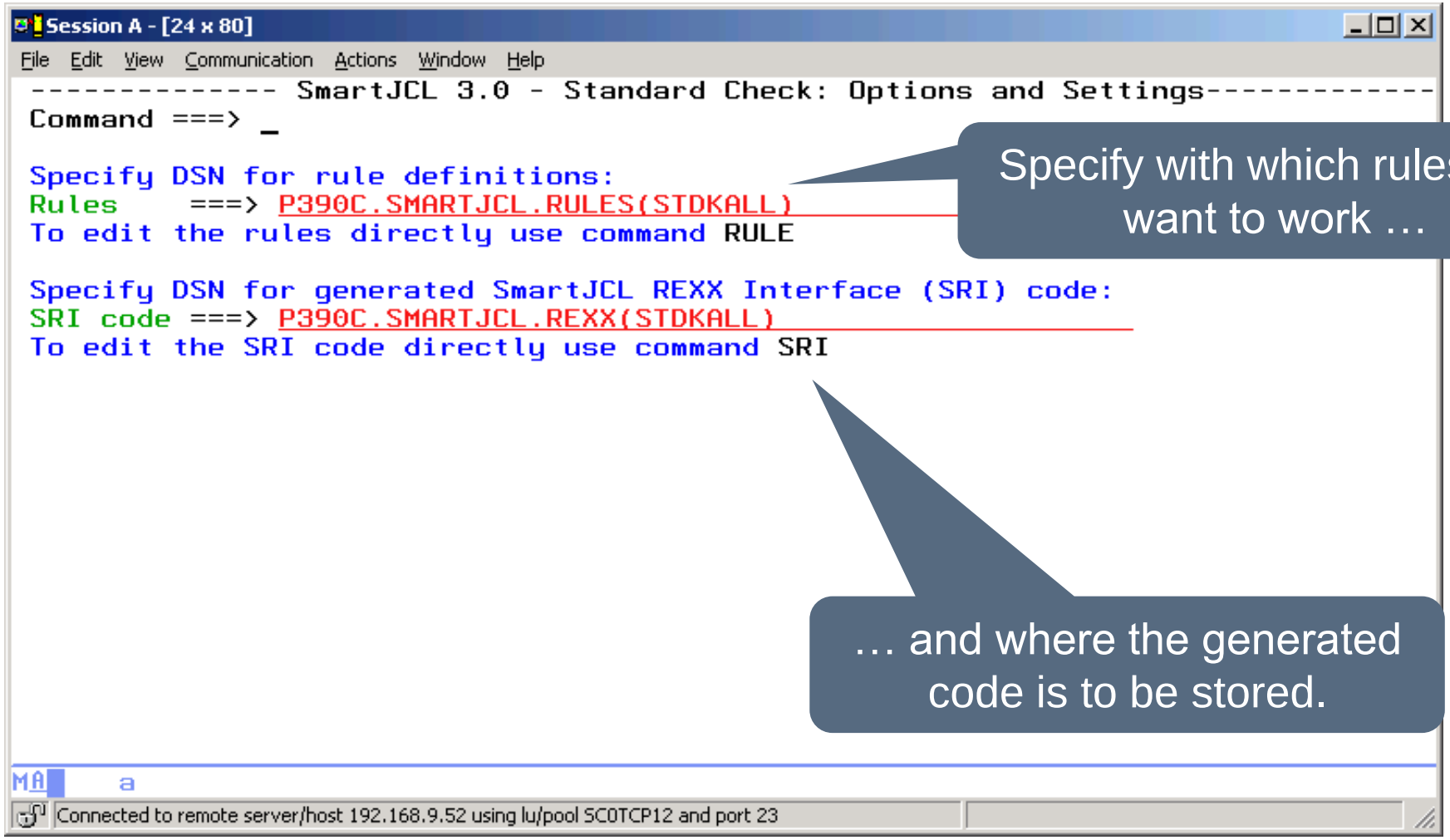

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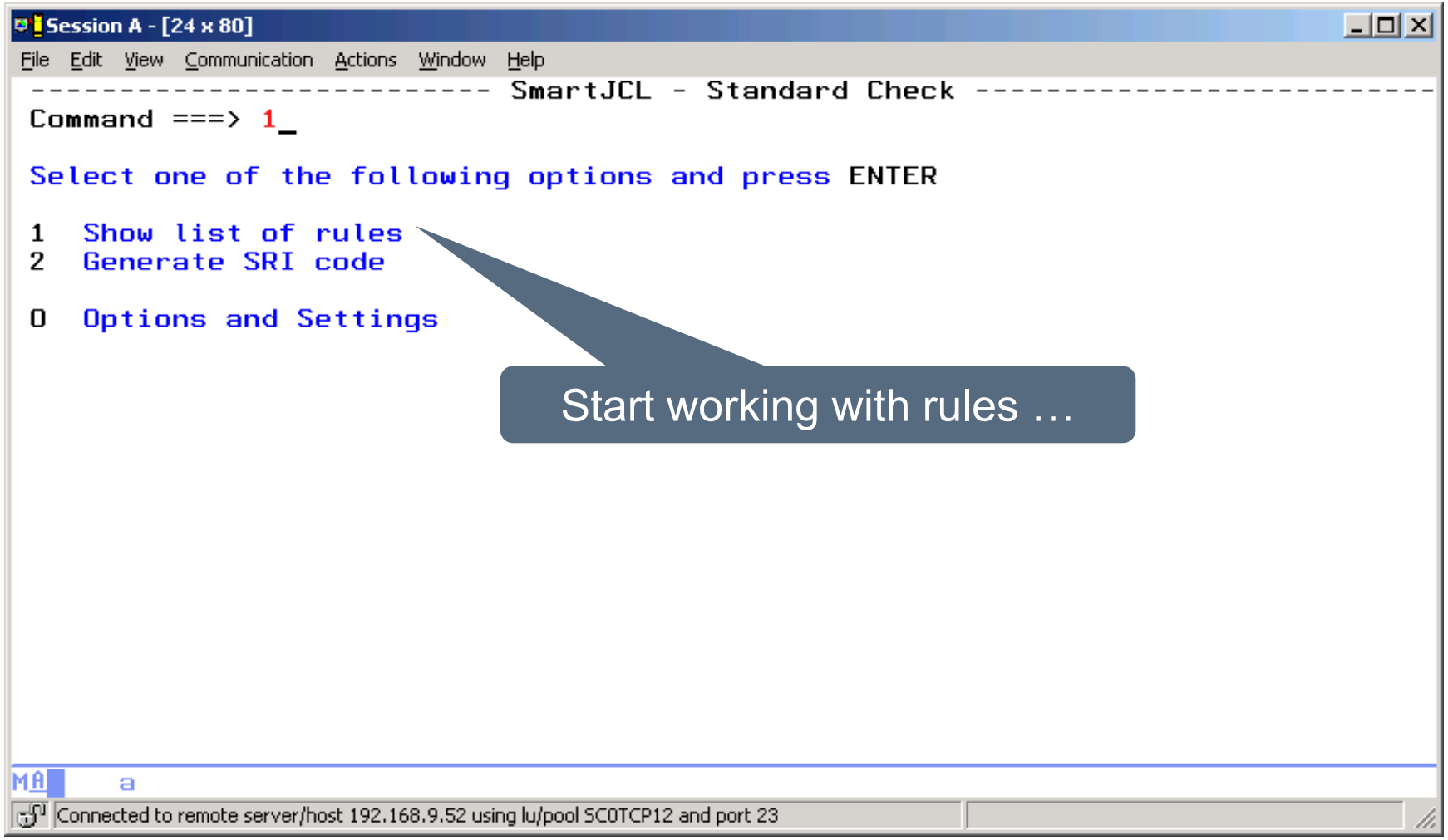

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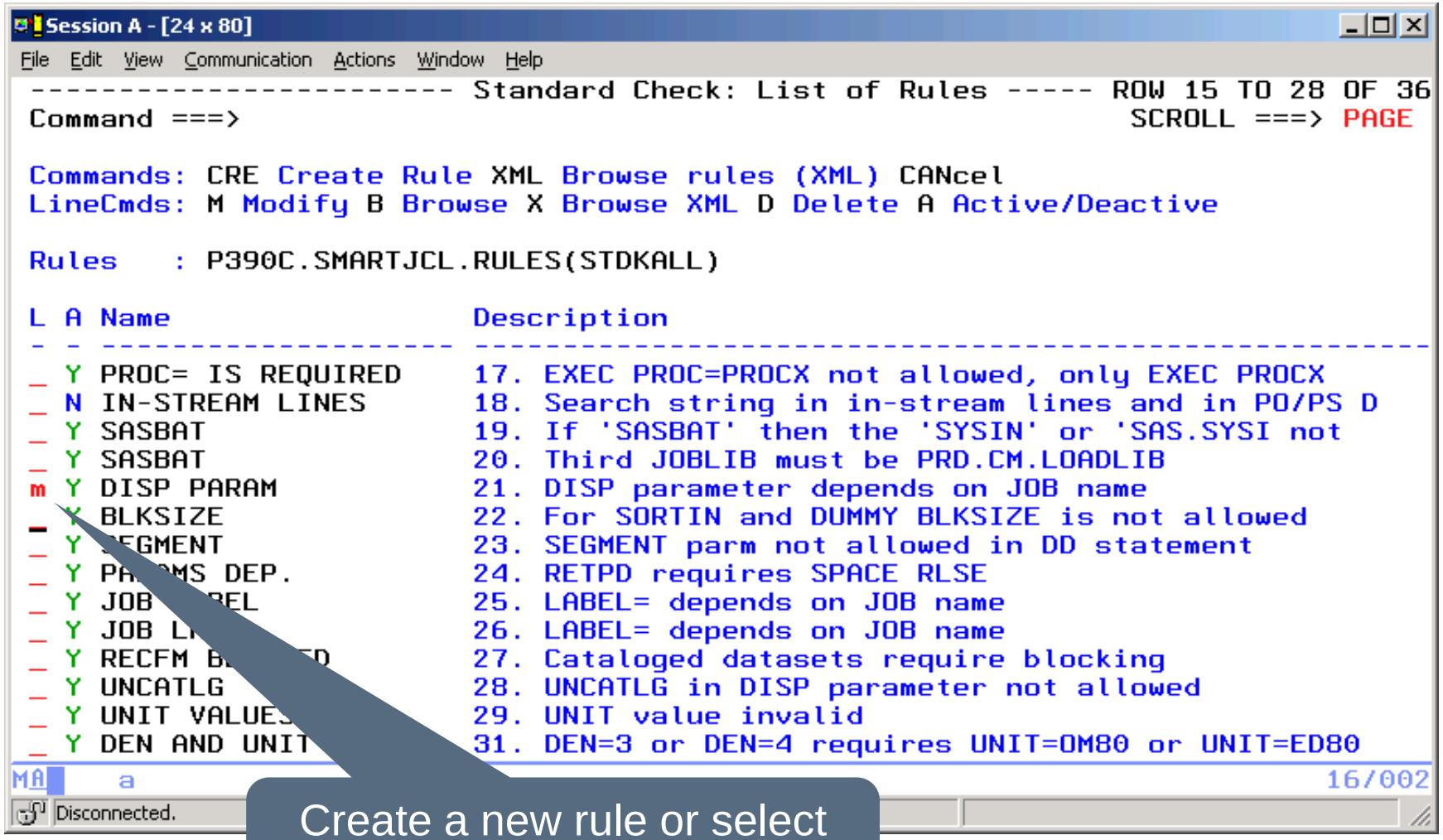
List of Rules



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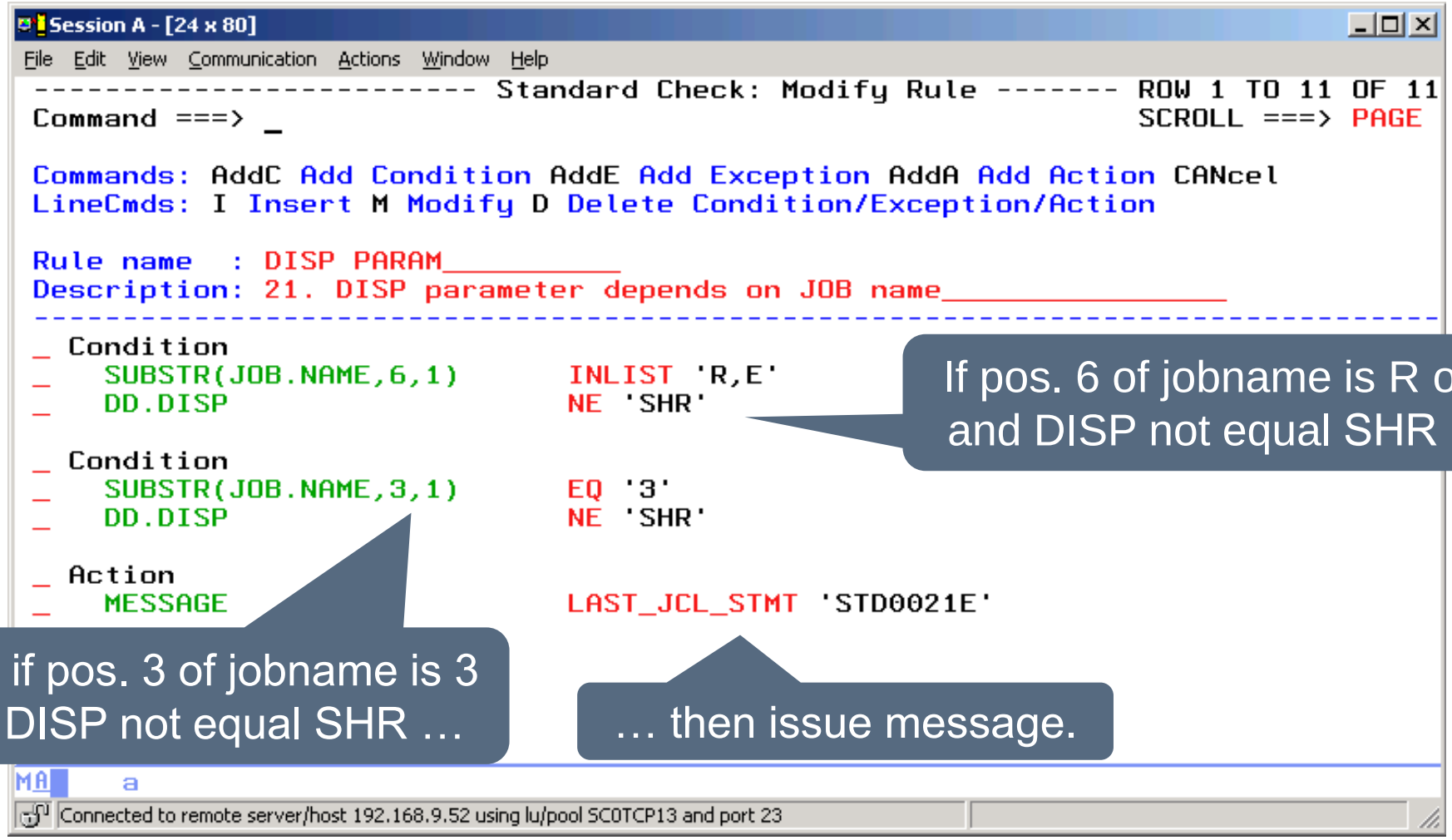

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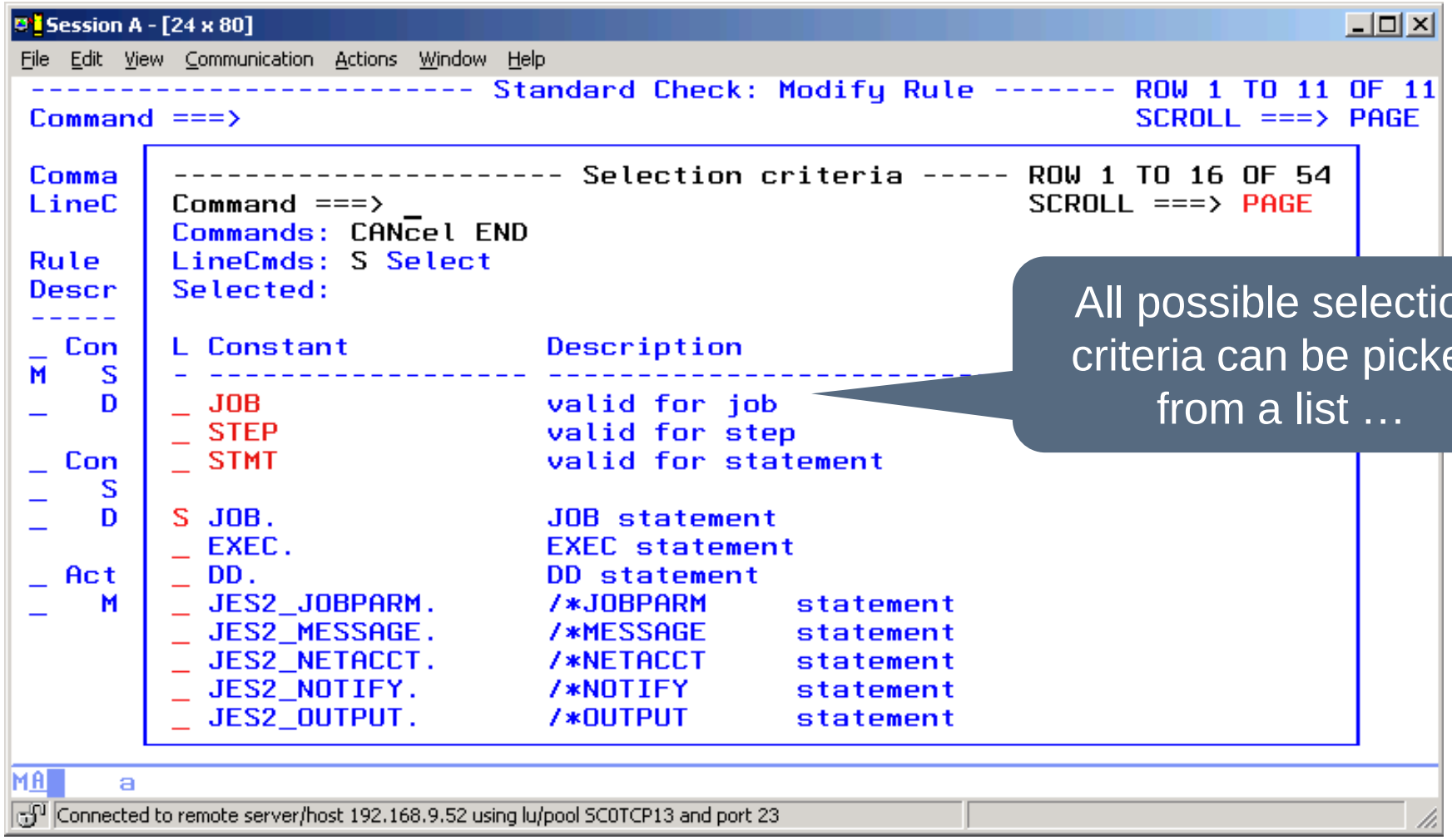

All possible selection criteria can be picked from a list …

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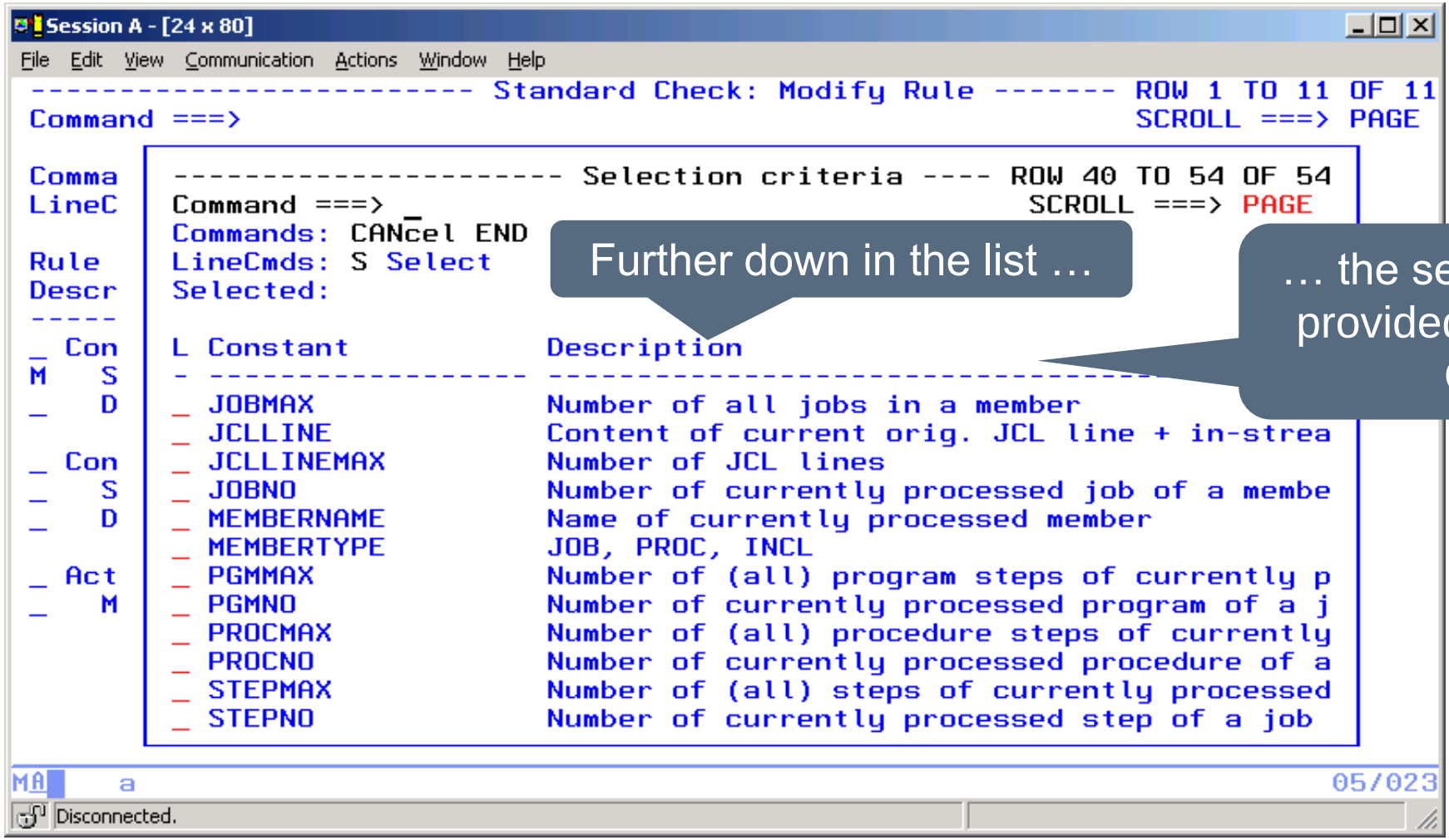
Selection Criteria



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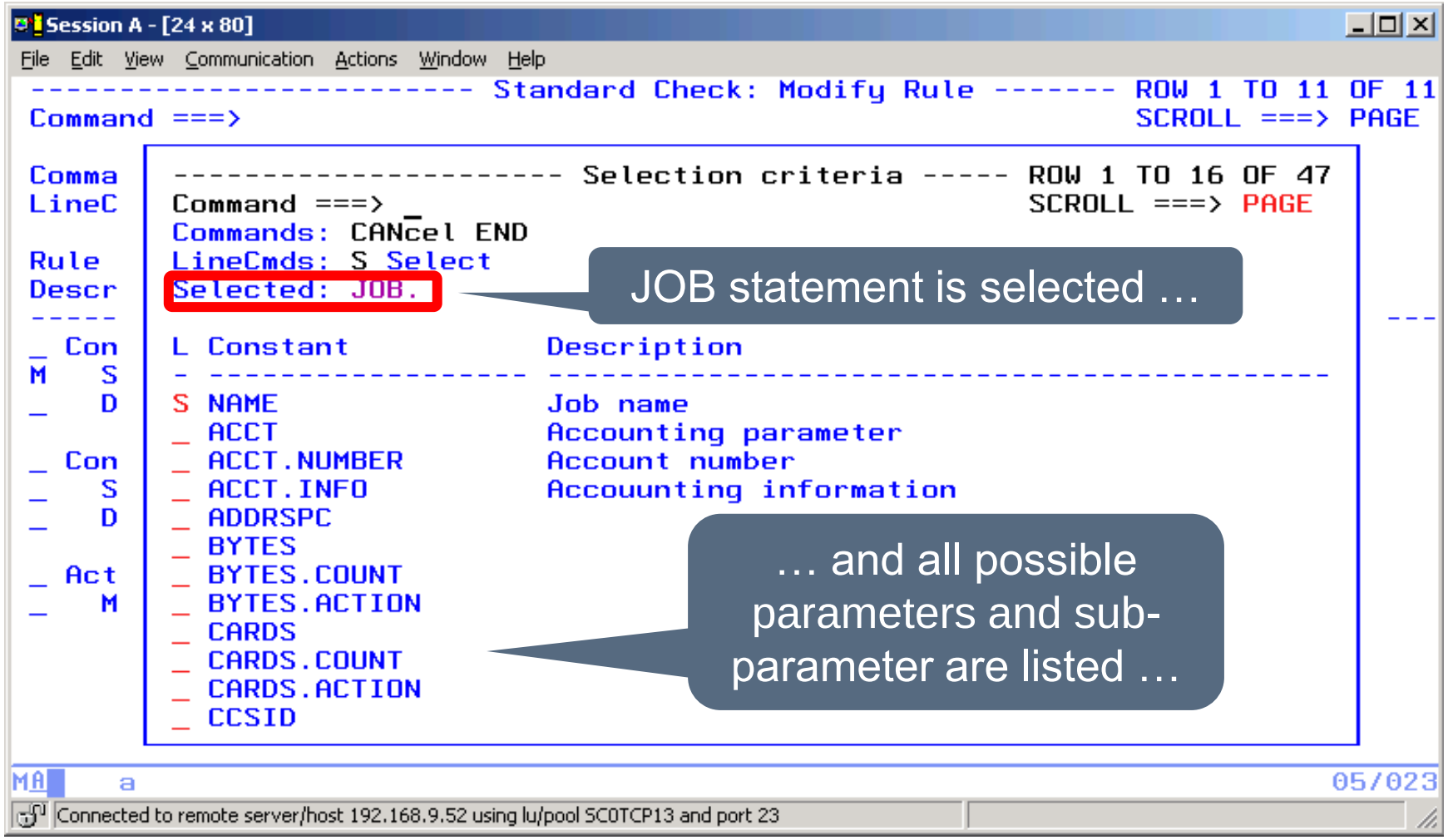

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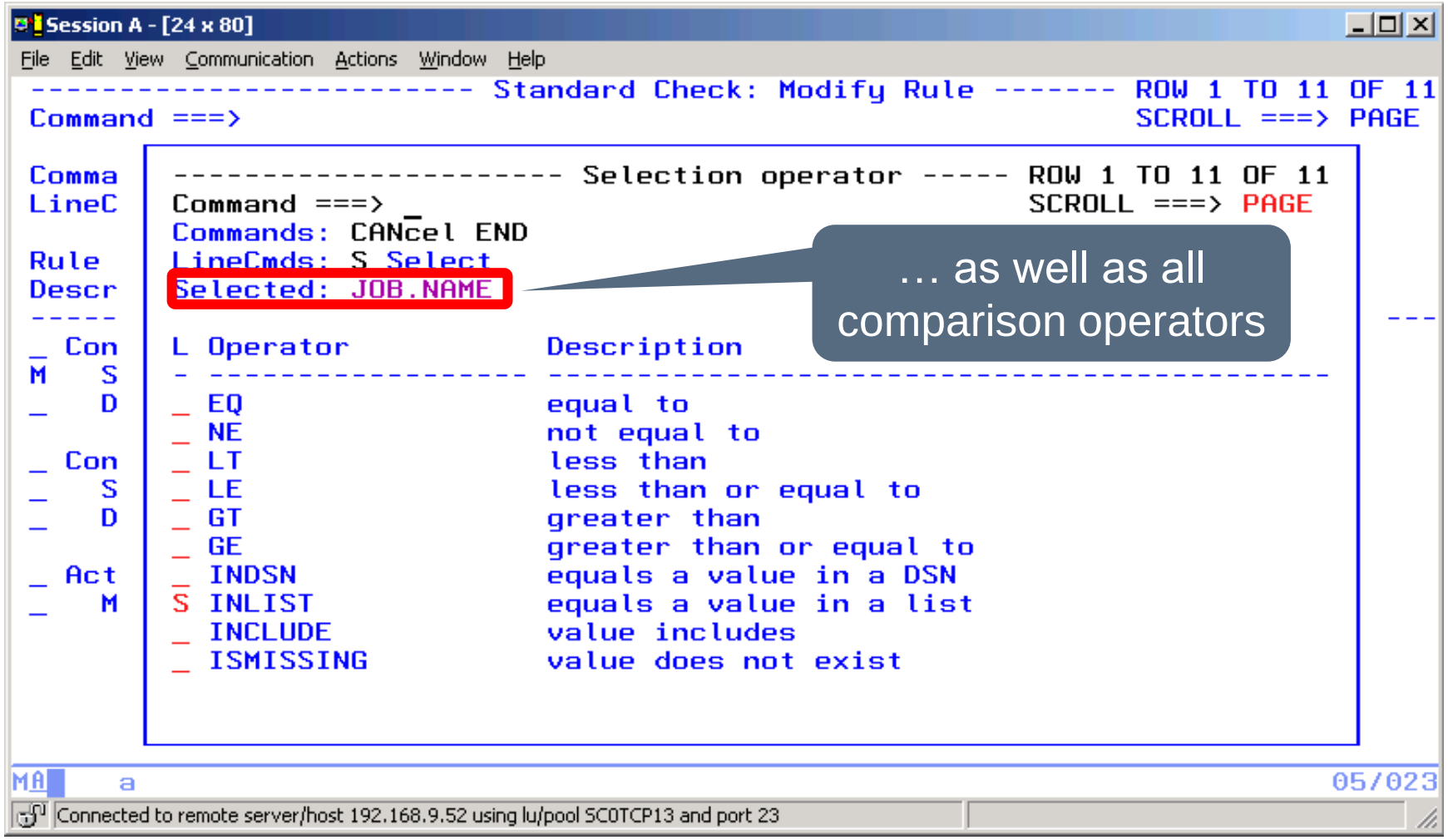
Comparison Opertors



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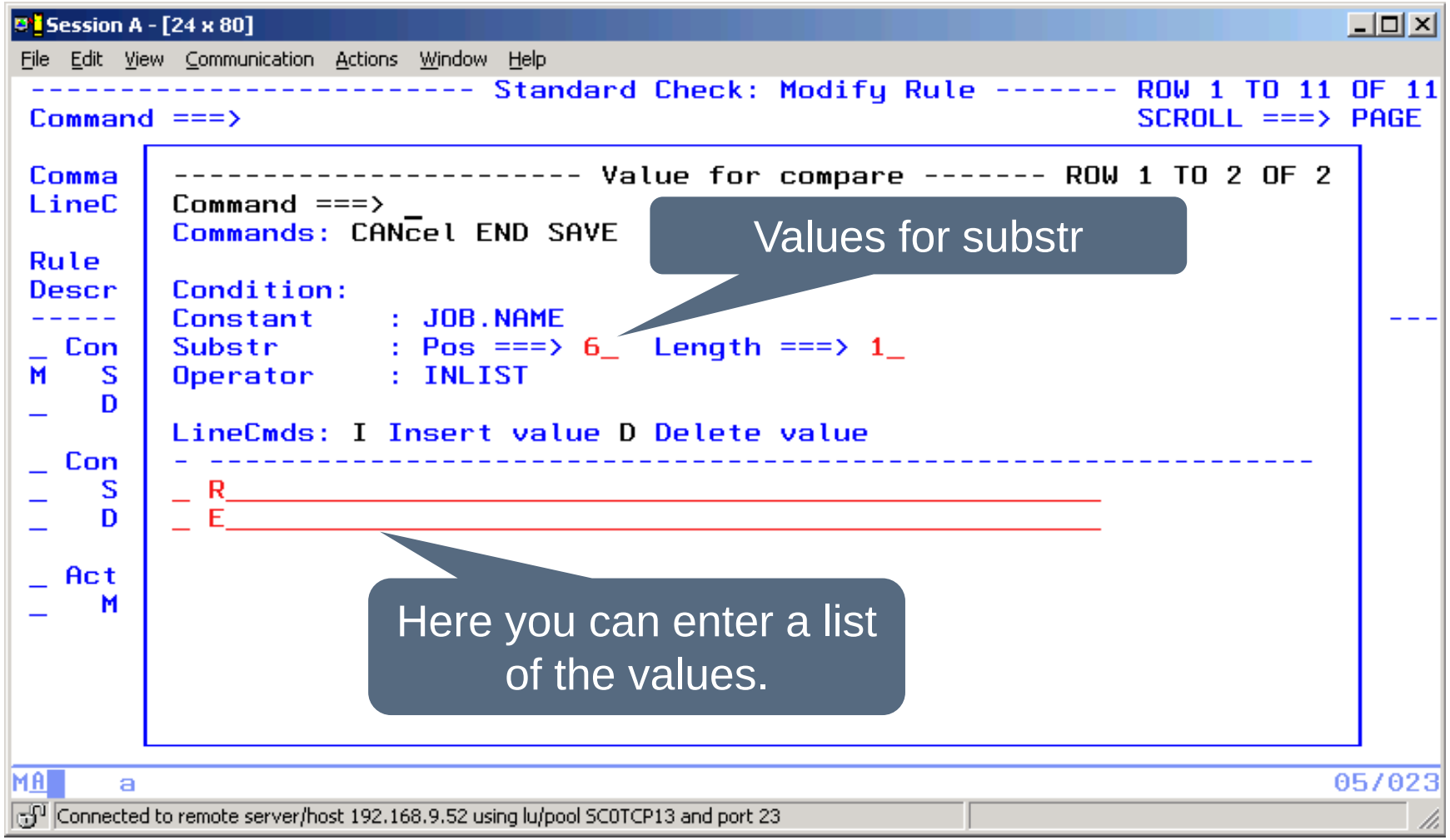
Specify Compare Values



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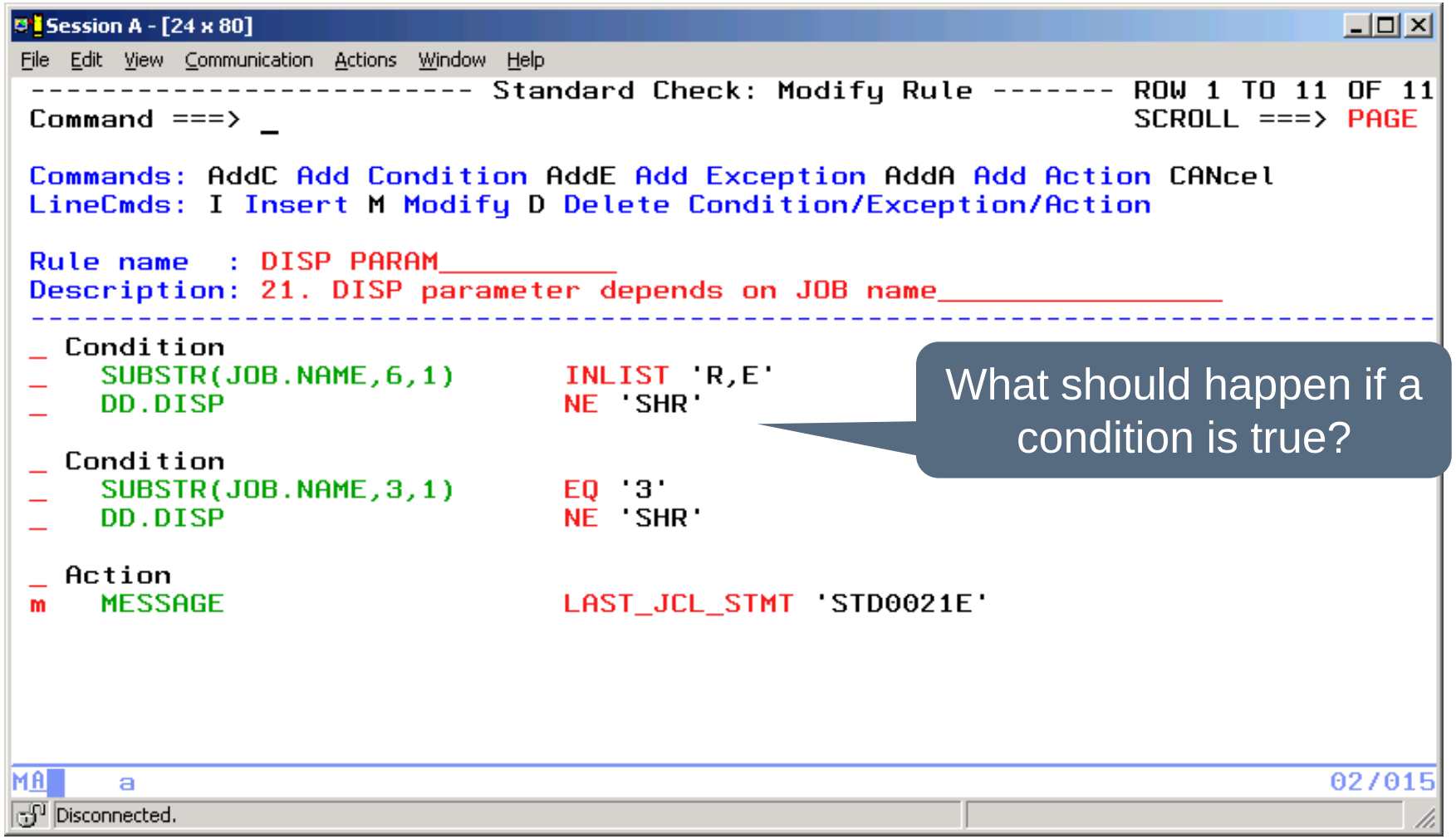
Action for a Rule



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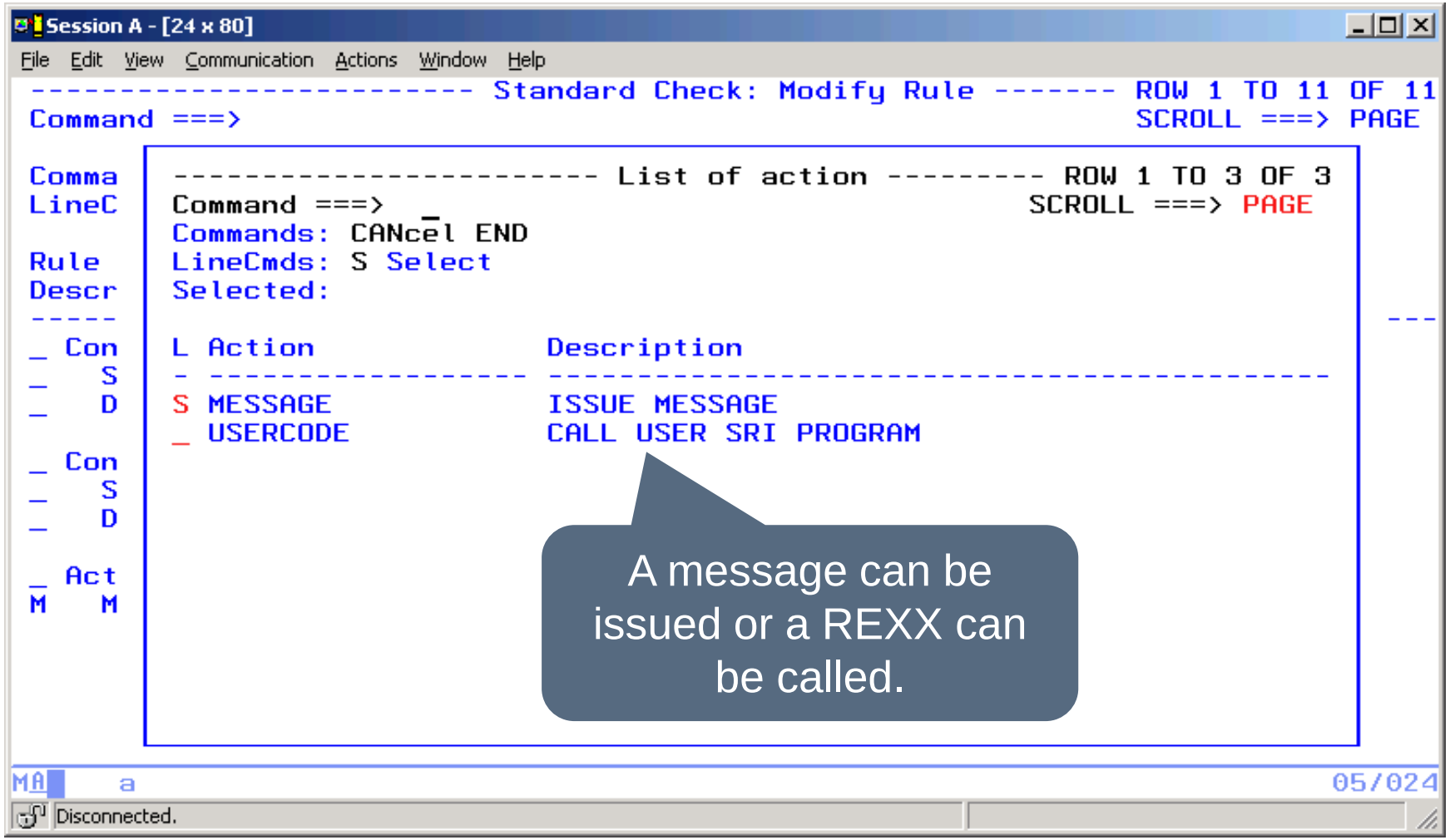

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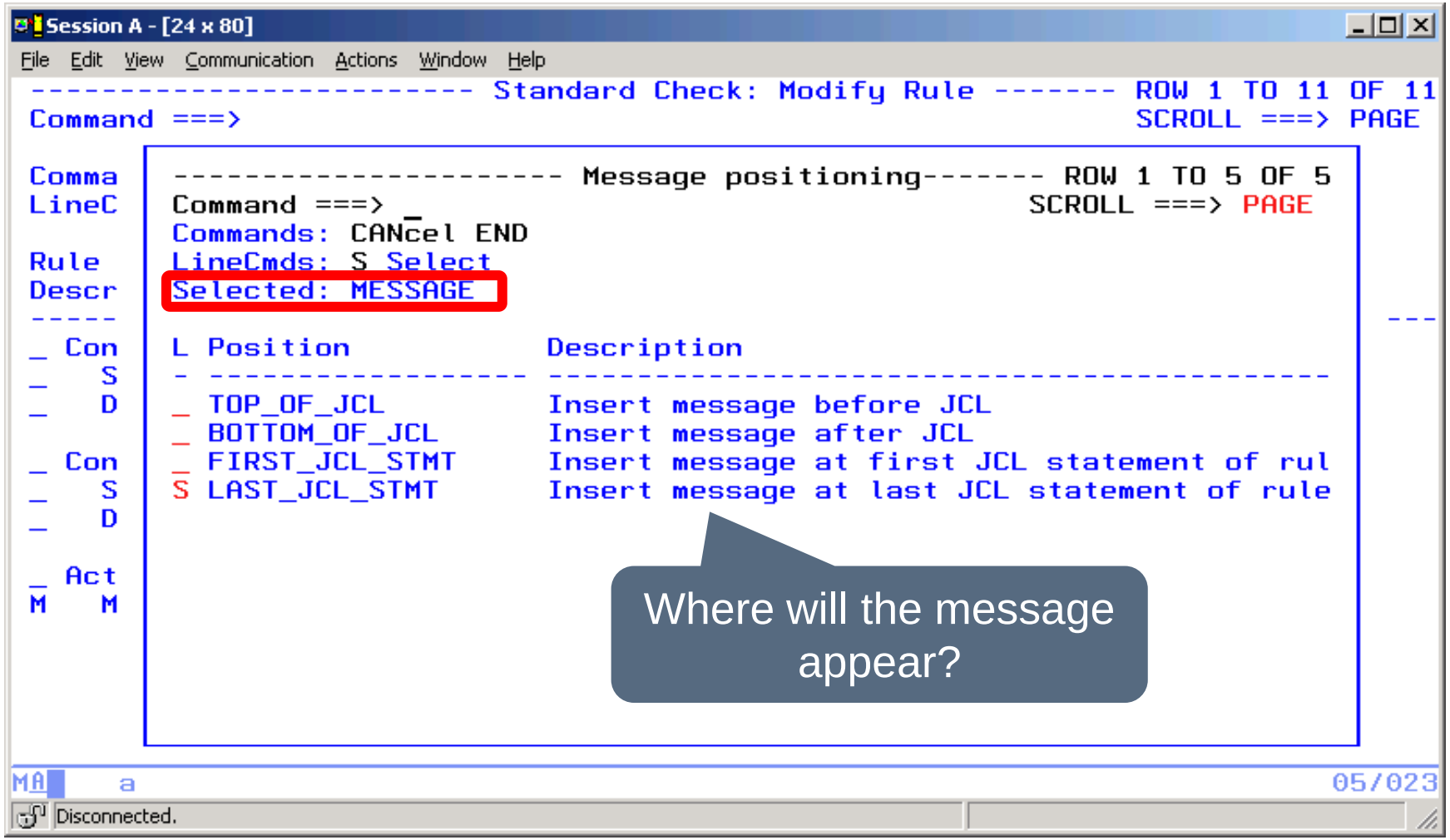

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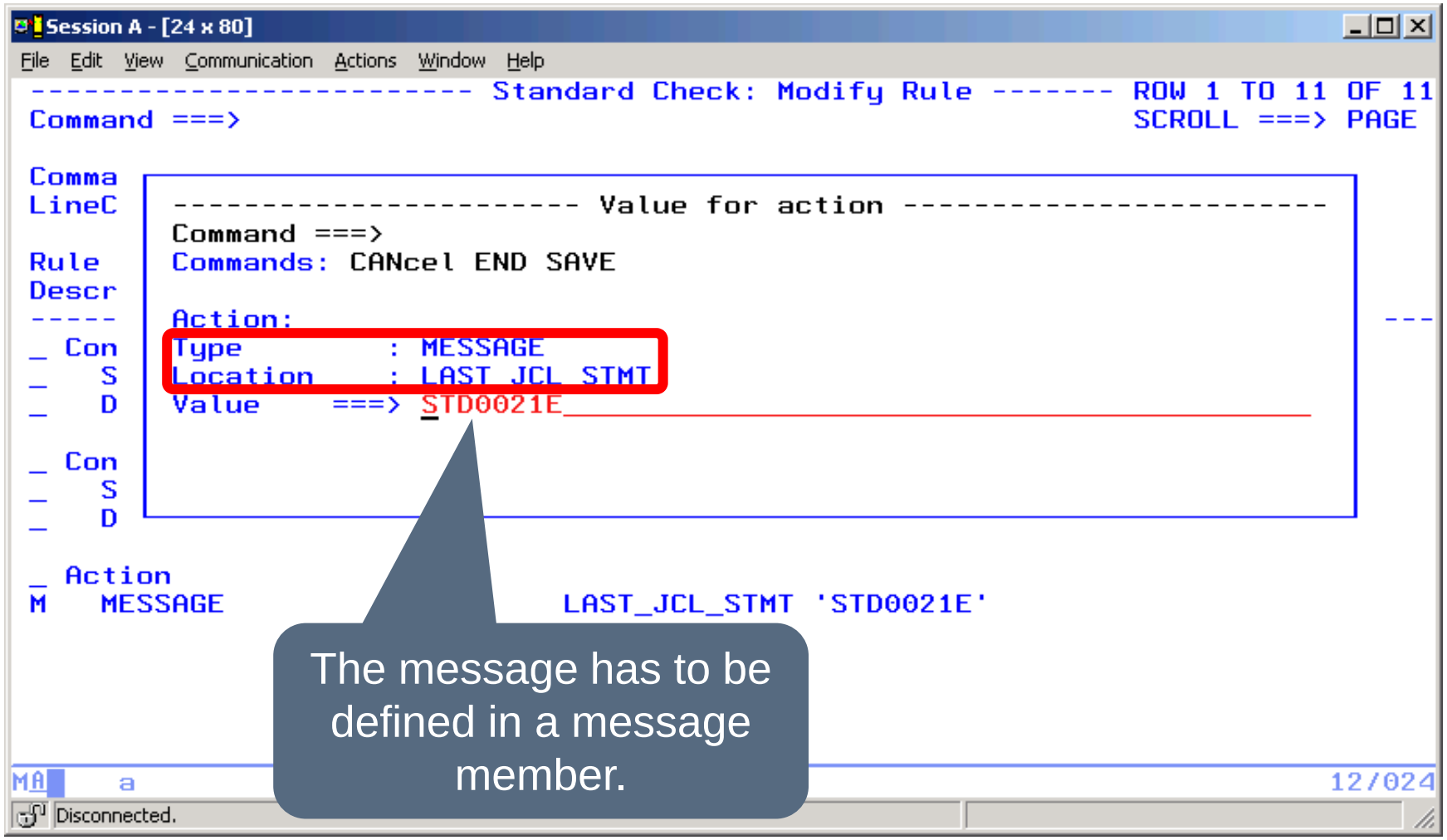

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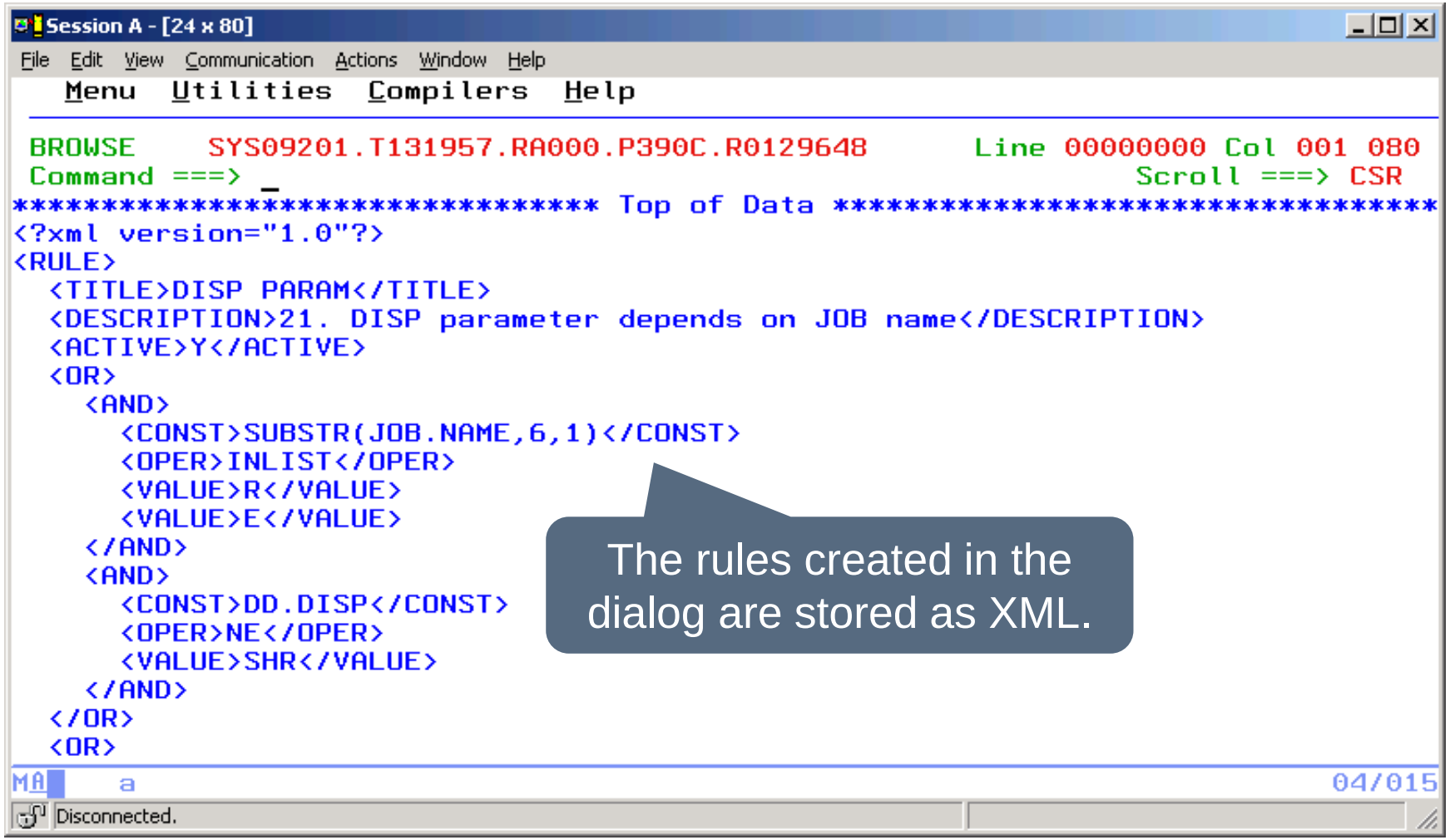
XML for a Rule



The rules created in the dialog are stored as XML.

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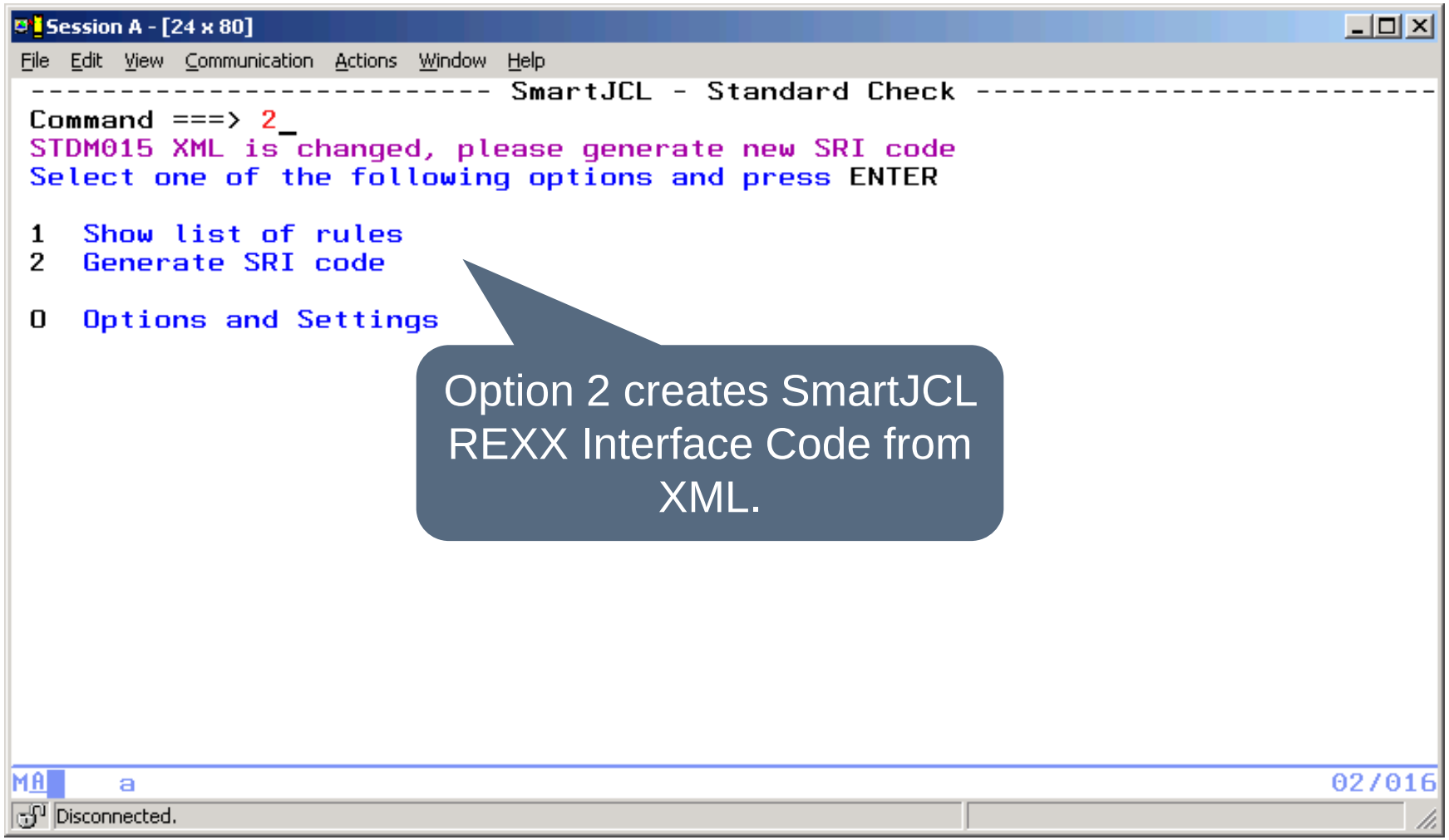
Generate SRI Code



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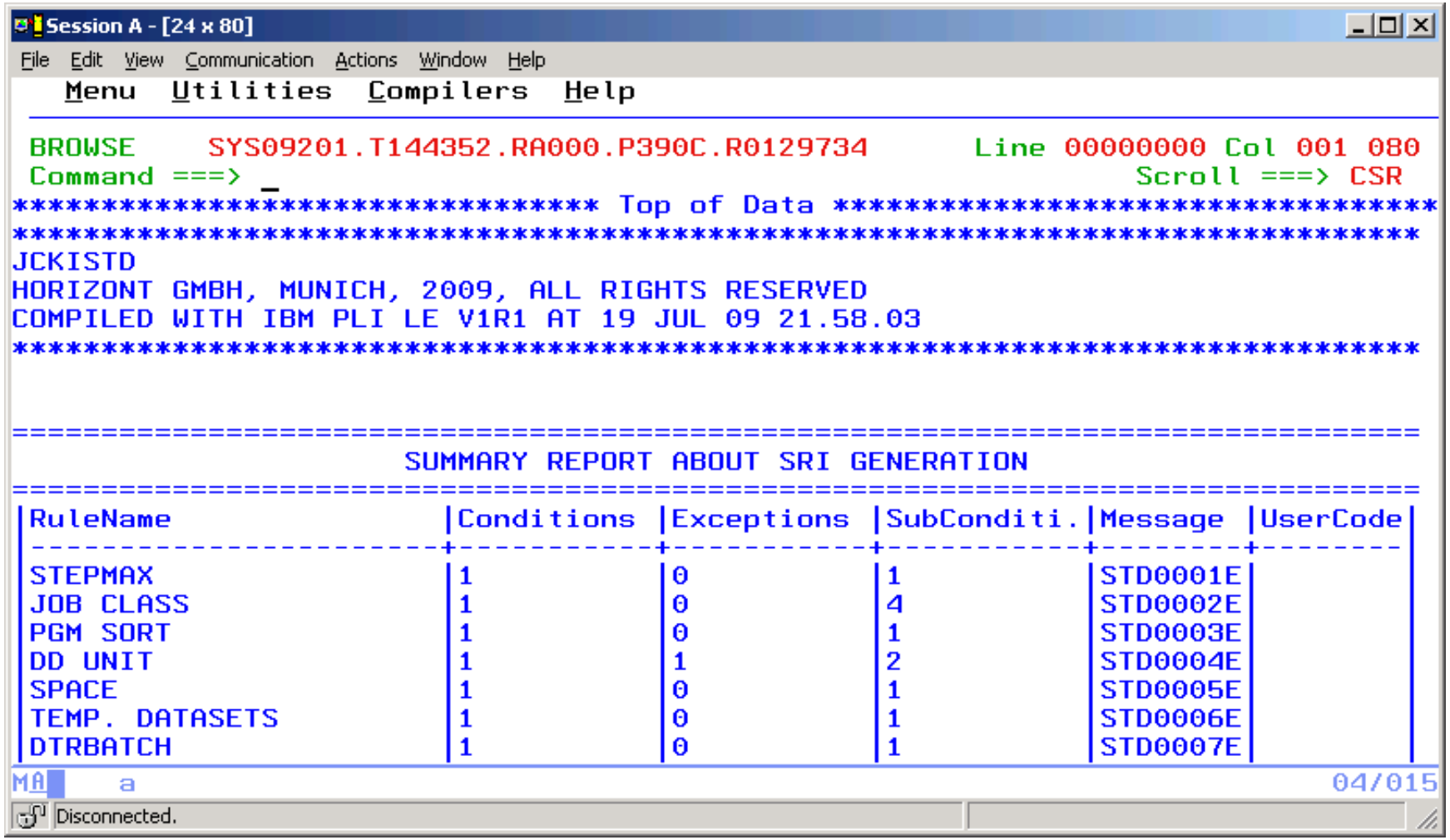

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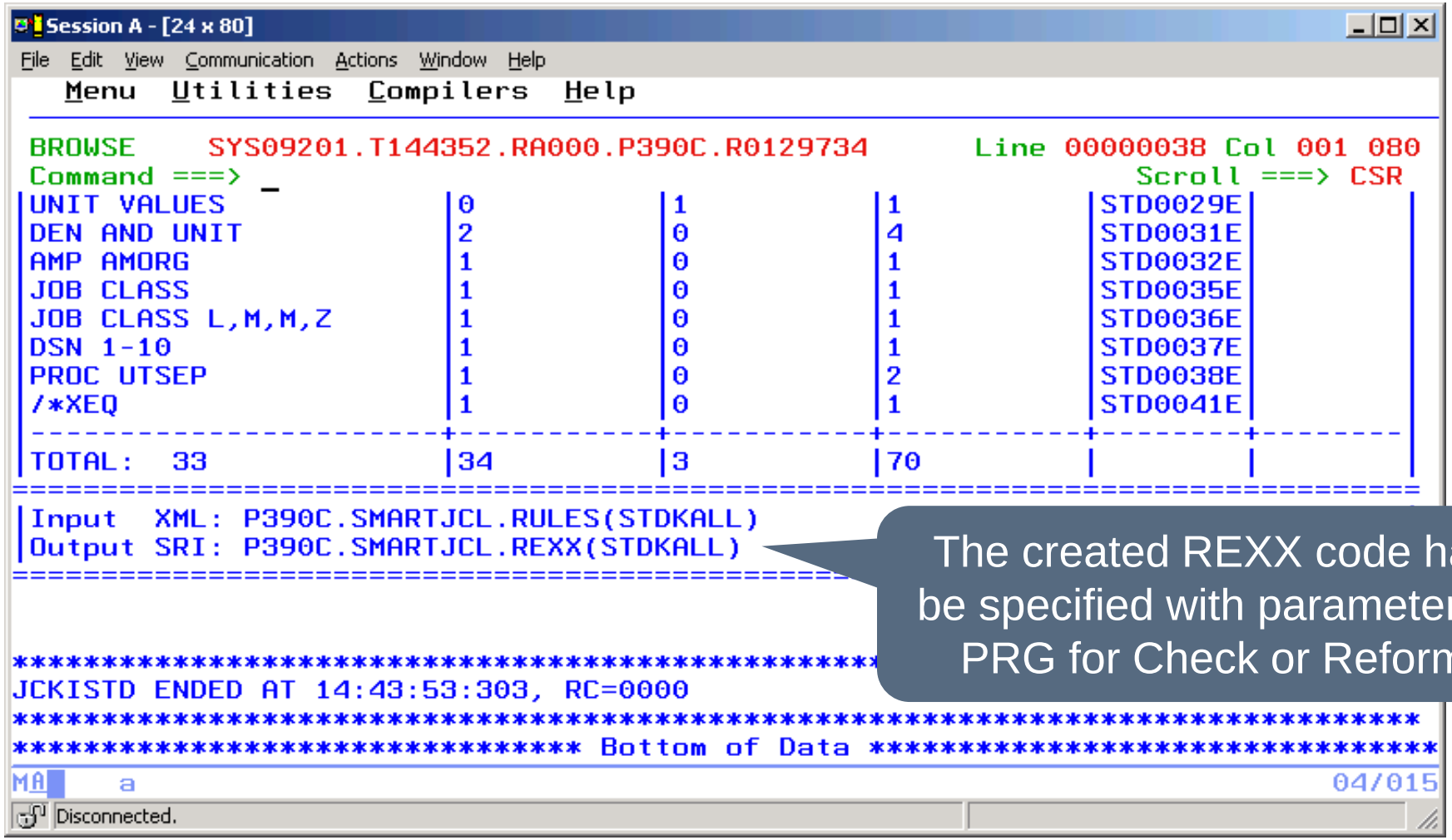

The created REXX code has to be specified with parameter SRI-PRG for Check or Reformat.

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Other new functions and enhancements:

- Installation – Own PARM dataset
  - Strict separation of product libraries and parameter library (OPZXPARM in CLIST caused problems).
  - Easier distribution/maintenance of SmartJCL to multiple z/OS systems.
- Scheduler Interface for TWS
  - TWS 8.5 support

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Other new functins and enhancements (2):

- JCL Checker
  - z/OS 1.11 support
    - DD EATTR parameter and SORT enhancements
  - Check IEHPROGM control statements and consider them for catalog check
  - Issue warning for RACF unprotected datasets
  - Issue warning if no alias exists for first qualifier
    - To avoid data sets in the master catalog
  - Message suppression: allow wildcards for message number
    - To suppress all messages for particular members
    - Example for PARM (JCKKMSX): JCK*MEMBER=MEMNAME

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Other new functions and enhancements (3):

- JCL Reformat
  - Reformat writes directly to PO files
    - In the past a PS dataset with IEBUPDTE format was used
    - ISPF member statistic is updated
  - Reformat COMMAND statement

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Other new functions and enhancements (4):

- SmartJCL REXX Interface (SRI)
  - New function %SRIInclude to avoid copies of same code
  - New function SRIChangeRef to adapt references to changes stepnames
  - Same line numbers in SRI messages as in trace

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Thanks for your attention! Do you have any questions?

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