

Useful Things to Know About CA Culprit

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Abstract

- In this session we will cover CA Culprit basics through to more advanced concepts
- We will not cover all the options available on the parameters we will investigate
- We will make you aware of many key features by teaching through example
- There is homework for this session on CA Communities that will help you to become proficient in CA Culprit

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Biography

- Retired after 42 years in computing
- 30 years specializing in CA IDMS— pre/post sales support for Cullinet (four and a half years) and Allen Systems Group (one year in Singapore)
- Roles— DBA, application developer, security specialist, performance and tuning specialist, IDD customisation and reporting, IDMS/SQL functions and procedures
- Training in all aspects of using IDMS DBA's and developers – wrote courseware for developers
- Where— Canada, Singapore, England, Malaysia, Thailand, Philippines and Australia

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Road Map

- Simple Report
 - Flat File
 - Basic CA Culprit Parameters
 - Database
 - PATH Parameter
- Execution Phases and Listings
- Record Selection
 - SELECT / BYPASS
 - By KEY
 - By INDEX
- Sorting and Totalling
- Output Options

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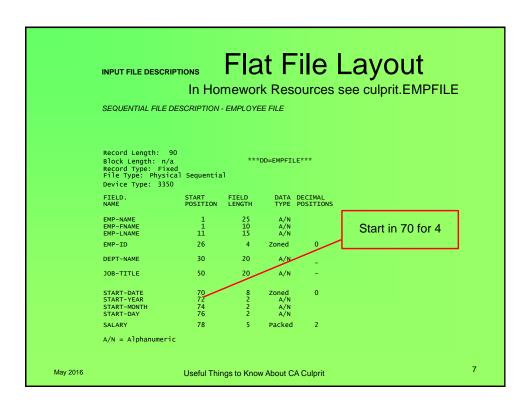
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Simple Report – Flat File

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BETH	CLOUD	0371BLUE SKIES	CUMULUS CARETAKER	19770304.*2
BETSY	ZEDI	0476PUBLIC RELATIONS	PR WRITER	19760223
BRIAN	NICEMAN	0101ACCOUNTING AND PAYR	OAP CLERK	19800506
BURT	LANCHESTER	0301BRAINSTORMING	RAINMAKER	19850203.Ý
c.	BREEZE	0467BRAINSTORMING	KEEPER OF THE WINDS	19790602
CAROL	MCDOUGALL	0127PUBLIC RELATIONS	PASTE-UP ARTIST	19800607
CAROLYN	CROW	0334BRAINSTORMING	RAINDANCE CONSULTANT	T197906178
CHARLES	BOWER	0119PUBLIC RELATIONS	PHOTOGRAPHER	19771214
CYNTHIA	JOHNSON	0051PERSONNEL	PERSONNEL CLERK	19770323
DANIEL	MOON	0321BLUE SKIES	MGR BLUE SKIES	19811003
DORIS	KING	0106ACCOUNTING AND PAYR	OAR CLERK	19800816
DOUGLAS	KAHALLY	0049COMPUTER OPERATIONS	COMPUTER OPERATOR	19790929
EDWARD	HUTTON	0100ACCOUNTING AND PAYR	OFINANCIAL ANALYST	19770907.k
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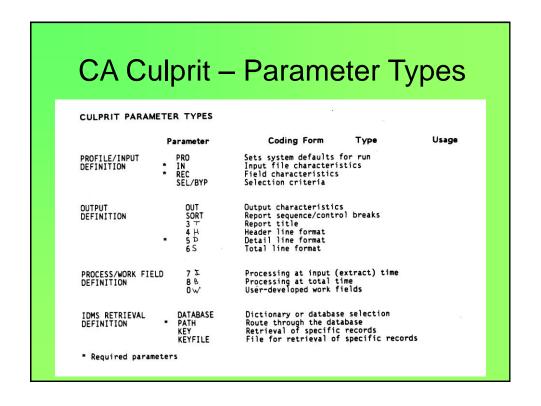


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Simple Report – Parameters
    $ Excercise 1: A simple listing
         Report No: 11
              Input from extracted EMPDEMO Employee Database
              PS DD=EMPFILE
                                     'Employee' 'Last Name'
'Department'
    REC EMP-LNAME 11 15
    REC DEPT-NAME
                              30 20
                              78 5 3 DP=2 'Annual' 'Salary'
    REC SALARY
    $ Report 11 ---> OUTPUT + SEQUENCING PARMS
    11SORT DEPT-NAME 0 EMP-LNAME
          REPORT TITLE
    11T Employee Listing
    11D1*010 EMP-LNAME HR
11D1*020 DEPT-NAME HR
11D1*030 SALARY HR
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	Report Output		
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Employee		Annual	
Last Name	Department	Salary	
BLOOMER	ACCOUNTING AND PAYRO	15,000.00	
HUTTON	ACCOUNTING AND PAYRO	44,000.00	
JENSON	ACCOUNTING AND PAYRO	82,000.00	
KIMBALL	ACCOUNTING AND PAYRO	45,000.00	
KING	ACCOUNTING AND PAYRO	14,500.00	
NICEMAN	ACCOUNTING AND PAYRO	14,000.00	
		214,500.00	
CLOUD	BLUE SKIES	52,750.00	
DONOVAN	BLUE SKIES	33,500.00	
MOON	BLUE SKIES	72,000.00	
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11D1*020 DEPT-NAME	HR		
	HR DP=2	SZ=12	



Simple Report - Database

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Simple Report - Database RECORD: **EMPLOYEE** ID: 0415 VER: LEVEL STRT LENGTH TYPE PICTURE 1 5 5 4 DISPLAY 9(4) EMP-ID-0415 EMP-NAME-0415 EMP-FIRST-NAME-0415 X(10) 15 A/N 46 GROUP 20 A/N 15 A/N 2 A/N 03 02 EMP-LAST-NAME-0415 X(15) 15 30 EMP-ADDRESS-0415 03 30 EMP-STREET-0415 X(20) EMP-CITY-0415 03 EMP-STATE-0415 X(2) <<<<<c> START-DATE-0415 97 8 GROUP 02 97 8 GROUP 03 97 4 DISPLAY 9(4) 03 101 2 DISPLAY 9(2) 03 103 2 DISPLAY 9(2) 02 105 8 GROUP 03 105 4 DISPLAY 9(4) 03 109 2 DISPLAY 9(2) 03 111 2 DISPLAY 9(2) 02 113 8 GROUP 03 113 4 DISPLAY 9(4) 03 117 2 DISPLAY 9(2) 03 117 2 DISPLAY 9(2) START-YEAR-0415 START-MONTH-0415 START-DAY-0415 TERMINATION-DATE-0415 TERMINATION-YEAR-0415 TERMINATION-MONTH-0415 TERMINATION-DAY-0415 BIRTH-DATE-0415 BIRTH-YEAR-0415 BIRTH-MONTH-0415 BIRTH-DAY-0415 May 2016 Useful Things to Know About CA Culprit

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Simple Report – Parameters
   55$ Excercise 5: Creating a PATH Parameter
   55$
        Report No: 55
   55$==
   GW0 WORK-ID
            Input from EMPDEMO Employee Database
   55$
   55$=====
   IN DB SS=EMPSS01
   PATHAA EMPLOYEE EMPOSITION JOB
   55$==
   550UT 80
   55T
          Employee Detail List
   55H10001 '
   55$==
   55D1*030 EMP-NAME-0415 HH 'Employee' ' Name '
55D1*040 EMP-ID-0415 HH 'Employee' ' ID' FM '9999'
55D1*050 START-DATE-0415 HH 'Start' ' Date'
55D1*060 TITLE-0440 HH ' Job' 'Title'
   55D1*070 SALARY-AMOUNT-0420 HH 'Salary'
   55$===
   55$
          IF EMP-ID-0415 EQ WORK-ID DROP
   55I
         M EMP-ID-0415
                                WORK-ID
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PATH Parameter for Database

RULES FOR CODING PATH PARAMETERS

When accessing database records, moving from one record type to another requires a set relationship (known to the subschema) between the two record types. If more than one set relationship exists, the set to be used must be specified.

When defining a path through the database, the following rules apply:

- The entry record can be any record type, and the path can proceed from owner to member or from member to owner.
- When a record named on a path is retrieved using an owner to member traversal, the next record on the path must be related directly to the member record.
- When a record named on a path is retrieved using a member to owner traversal, the next record on the path can be related directly to the owner record or to any previous record on the path as long as neither that previous record, nor any intervening record, was retrieved using an owner to member relationship.

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PATH Parameter for Database

MULTIPLE PATH PARAMETERS

In the following path, not all employees will be retrieved. Only complete paths are returned to CULPRIT. Thus, employees who do not have a position will not be returned as no EMPOSITION record will be found.

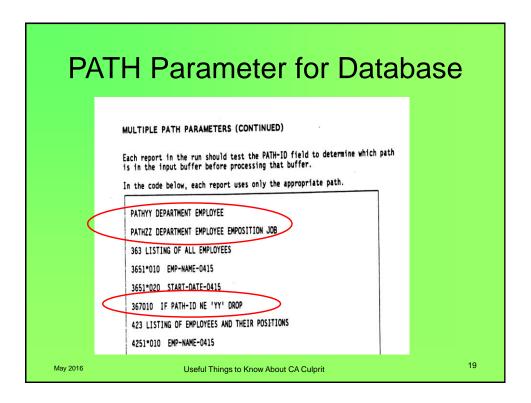
PATHZZ DEPARTMENT EMPLOYEE EMPOSITION JOB

You will need an additional PATH parameter if you want all employees to be retrieved. With multiple PATH parameters, as soon as a path is complete it will be put in the input buffer and turned over to the first report for processing.

PATHYY DEPARTMENT EMPLOYEE PATHZZ DEPARTMENT EMPLOYEE EMPOSITION JOB

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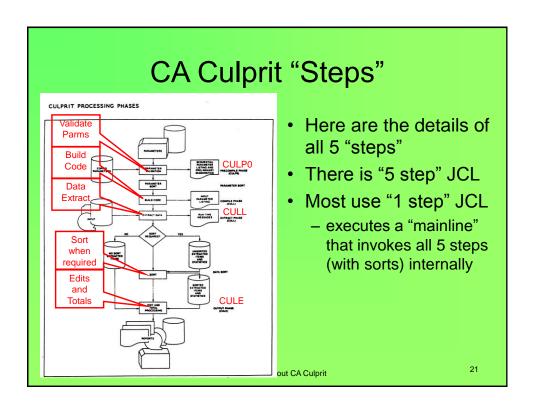


Execution Phases + Listings

- CA Culprit "Steps"
- Listings
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Listings
               Sequential Parameter Listing
                    ********* TOP OF DATA ******
10/08/07
                                           SEQUENTIAL PARAMETER LISTING
00 ** SYSIN **
                                  PROFILE RELEASE=6 EX=E DS=E LP=50 PARM
 C200138 INSTALLATION SECURITY OPTION IS YES
  C200084 CULPRIT/DIRECTORY INTERFACE - IDMS 16.0 CULPRIT 16.0
  C200175 DICTIONARY SECURITY OPTION IS OFF
  C200186 AUTO-ATTRIBUTES IS OFF
                                 $ Excercise 1: A simple listing
                                       Report No: 11
                                              Input from extracted EMPD
                                  IN 90 F PS DD=EMPFILE
                                  REC DEPT-NAME
                                                           11 15
                                                           30 20
                                  REC SALARY
                                                           78 5 3 D
                                 $ Report 11 ---> OUTPUT + SEQUENCING P
                                  110UT 80
                                  11SORT DEPT-NAME 0 EMP-LNAME
                                                                      23
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Listings Input Parameter Listing INPUT PARAMETER LISTING 08/10/07 INPUT RECORD TYPE BLOCK FILE DESCRIPTION... INPUT 00090 F DD=EMPFILE START SIZE TYPE DP FIELD-NAME REC RECORD-NAME, LEVE 00030 00020 DEPT-NAME 00011 00015 EMP-LNAME 00078 00005 3 2 SALARY 'Department' 'Employee' REC REC 'Annual' 08/10/07 INPUT PARAMETER LISTING OUTPUT RECORD BLOCK T/D FILE DESCRIPTION... 11 OUT 00080 SORT BREAK A/D SORT FIELD-NAME 11 SORT 0 DEPT-NAME EMP-LNAME May 2016 Useful Things to Know About CA Culprit

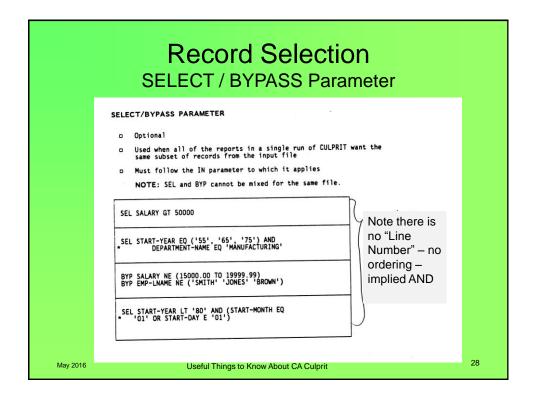
Listings - Database Input Input Parameter Listing + Run Time Messages 10/08/07 SEQUENTIAL PARAMETER LISTING 00 ** SYSIN ** DATABASE DICTNAME=EDUDICT DBNAME=EMPDE PROFILE RELEASE=6 EX=E DS=E LP=50 PARM C200138 INSTALLATION SECURITY OPTION IS YES C200084 CULPRIT/DIRECTORY INTERFACE - IDMS 16.0 CULPRIT 16.0 C200175 DICTIONARY SECURITY OPTION IS OFF C200186 AUTO-ATTRIBUTES IS OFF PARAM=NOLIST 08/10/07 INPUT PARAMETER LISTING C300106 EXTRACT WILL BE PERFORMED C300119 PROFILE OPTION IN EFFECT: RELEASE = 6 RUN TIME MESSAGES IDMS DATABASE EXTRACT STATISTICS STRINGS RETURNED FOR PATH AA -RECORD NAME NUMBER READ EMPLOYEE EMPOSITION ****** END OF FILE ****** 68 INPUT RECORDS READ 26 May 2016 Useful Things to Know About CA Culprit

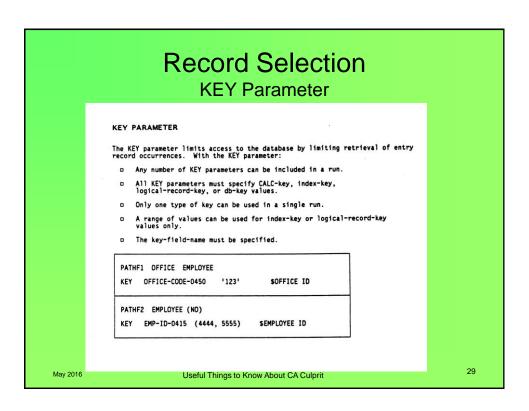
Record Selection

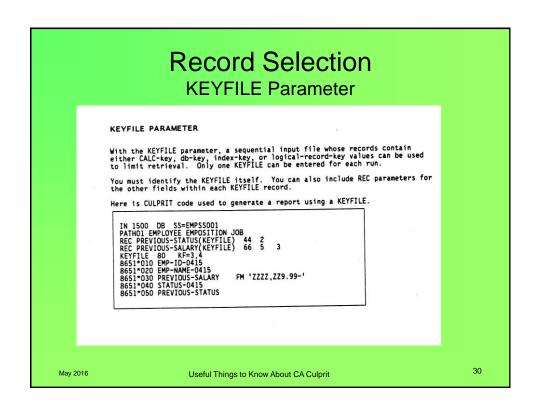
- SELECT / BYPASS
- KEY parameter
- KEYFILE parameter
- Database Access INDEX Set option

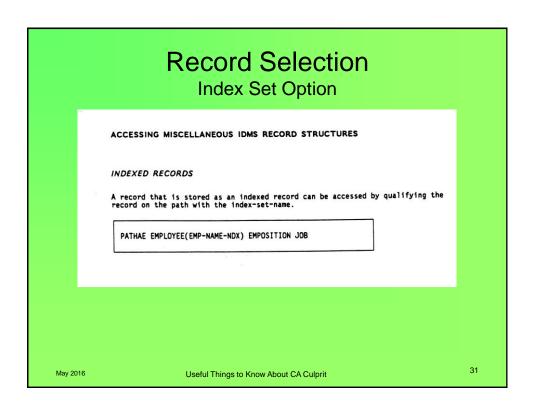
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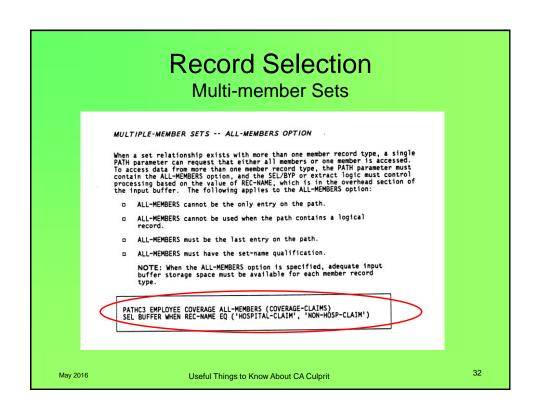
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Sorting + Totalling

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MULTIPLE TOTALS WITH DESCRIPTIVE INFORMATION

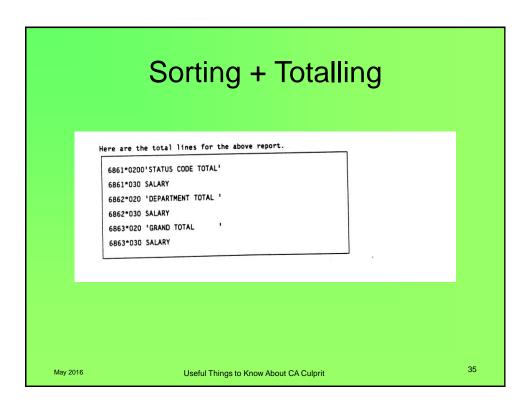
Isn't the report on this page easier to understand than the report on the previous page?

DEPARTMENT NAME	STATUS	EMPLOYEE NAME	ANNUAL SALARY
PUBLIC RELATIONS	4	ZEDI	37,000.00
		STATUS CODE TOTAL DEPARTMENT TOTAL	37,000.00 37,000.00
THERMOREGULATION THERMOREGULATION THERMOREGULATION	3 3 3	FINN TIME WILCO	45,000.00 33,000.00 80,000.00
		STATUS CODE TOTAL	158,000.00
THERMOREGULATION THERMOREGULATION	4	CLOTH KASPAR	38,000.00 31,000.00
		STATUS CODE TOTAL DEPARTMENT TOTAL GRAND TOTAL	69,000.00 227,000.00 264,000.00

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You need to use edit line selection in totals processing logic (8 Parameters) to tell CULPRIT which total line to print. But how will you know when it is time to print which line?

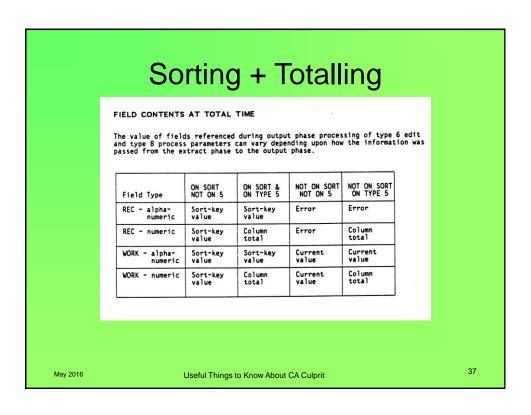
CULPRIT uses LEVL to keep track of the different levels of totals and subtotals.

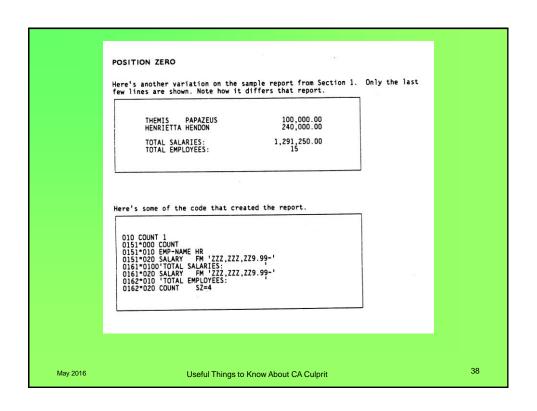
CULPRIT identifies total levels based on the use of a break-code for a sort field. CULPRIT numbers break-codes (not sort fields) from minor to major (right to left) and it always has a level for grand totals.

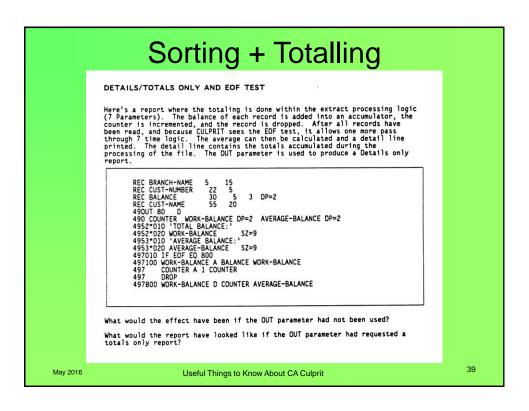
68SORT DEPT-NAME 0 STATUS 0 LAST-NAME

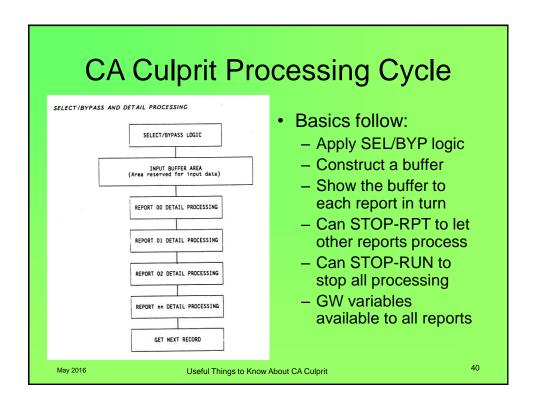
Here's the code you need to find out where you are in the totals processing for the report on the previous page.

688010 IF LEVL EQ 3 300
688020 IF LEVL EQ 2 200
688030 TAKE 1
688200 TAKE 2
688300 TAKE 2
688300 TAKE 3
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Output Options

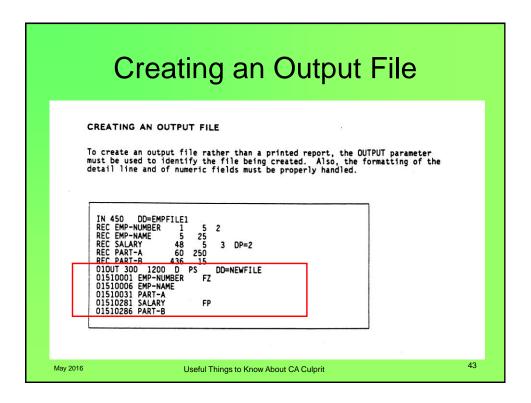
- Tidying Up Report Output
- Creating an Output File

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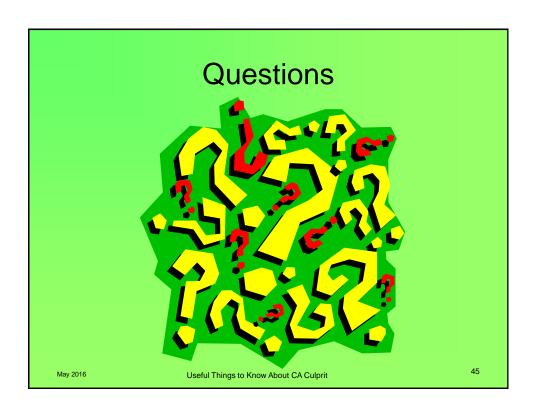
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Tidying up Report Output ELIMINATING THE LISTINGS After you have successfully coded a CULPRIT run, there may be no need to have the Sequential and Input Parameter Listings print every time you run the Job, especially since these listings can be lengthy. To eliminate the bulk of these listings, insert the PARAMENOLIST parameter in front of the parameter; that you do not want to be listed. If you do want to list some of the parameters, the PARAMENTST parameter (the default) at the point at which you wish to resume the listing. PARAMENOLIST IN 430 UDEFMPFILE1 REC EMP-NUMBER 1 5 2 REC



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Creating the Flat File for the Homework
   IN DB SS=EMPSS01
   PATHOK EMPLOYEE DEPARTMENT
                            EMPOSITION JOB
   000UT 90 D PS DD=EMPFILE
   00SORT EMP-NAME-0415
   00D10001 EMP-NAME-0415
                                SZ=25 FN
   00D10026 EMP-ID-0415
  00D10030 DEPT-NAME-0410
                                SZ=20 FN
  00D10050 TITLE-0440
  00D10070 START-DATE-0415
                                SZ=8 FN
   00D10078 SALARY-AMOUNT-0420
       CALL DB-EXIT ('NEXT' 'EMPOSITION ' 'EMP-EMPOSITION ')
       IF IDMS-STATUS EQ '0307'
       CALL DB-EXIT ('OWNER' 'JOB '
                                           'JOB-EMPOSITION ')
         IF IDMS-STATUS NE '0000'
  //IDMSCULP.EMPFILE DD DSN=JIS.DEV.CULPRIT.EMPFILE,UNIT=SYSDA,
  //\ \ \texttt{DCB=(RECFM=FB,LRECL=90,BLKSIZE=0),DISP=(NEW,CATLG,DELETE),SPACE=(TRK,(5,2))}
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