SQL Prompt Snippets

Less typing more code
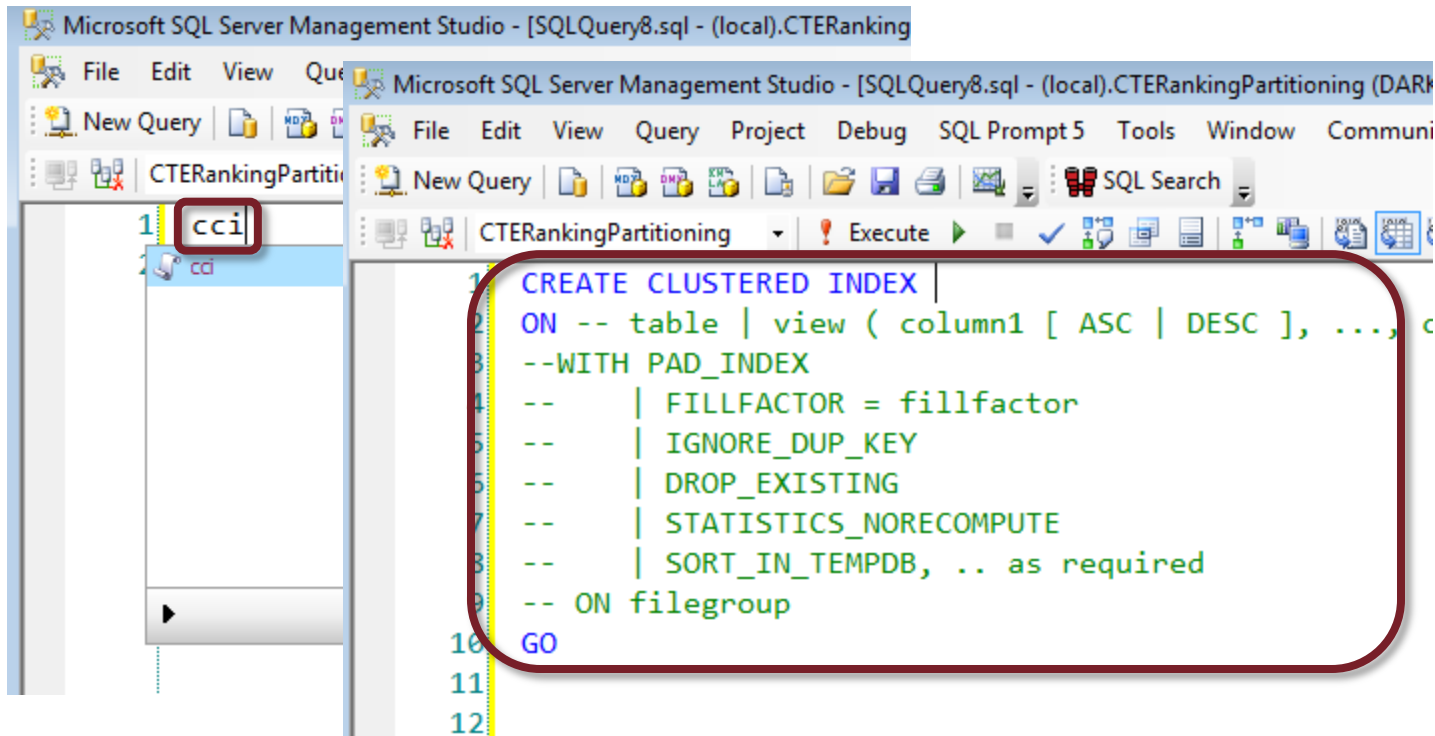
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Overview

- **Use snippets**
  - similar to snippets in Visual Studio, but static
- **Extend with parameters**
- **Use with SSMS templates**

Basic Snippet
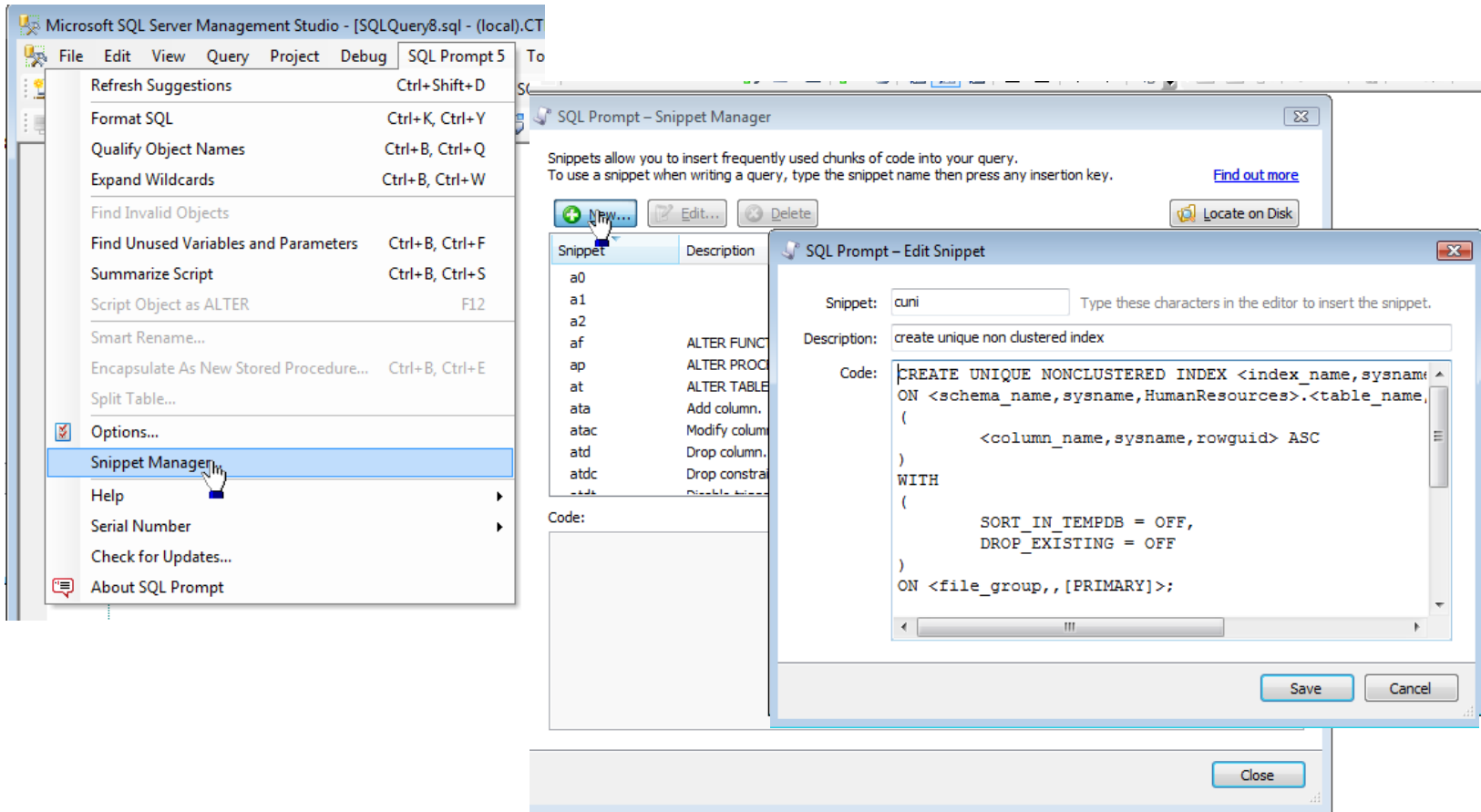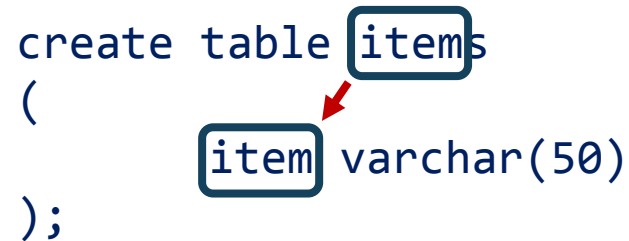
Keys ⇨ code

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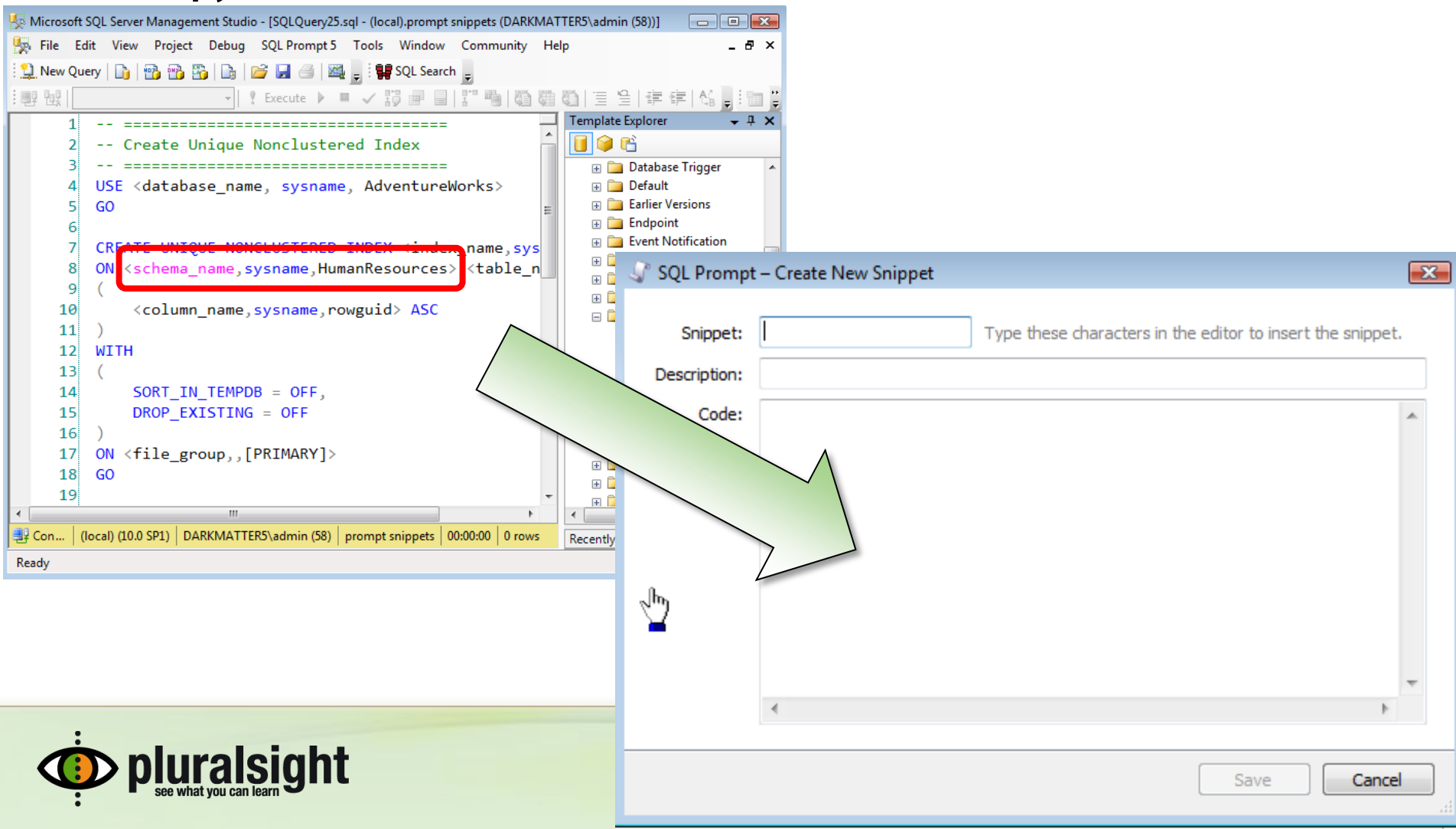# Parameterized Snippet

➡ **Replace pattern with value**

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create table items
(
        item varchar(50)
);
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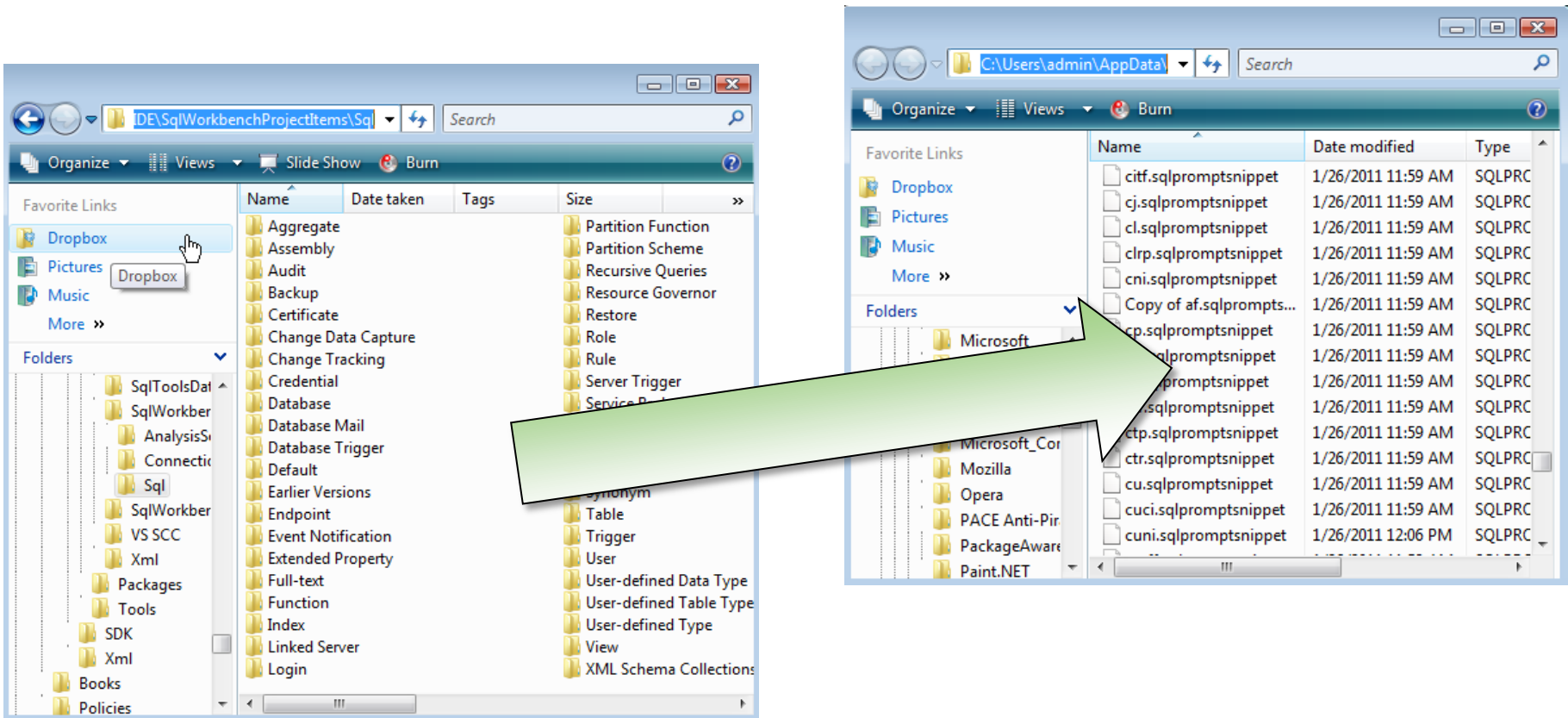
Template ➜ Snippet

- **Copy and Paste**

Leverage SSMS Templates

C:\Users\admin\AppData\Local\Red Gate\SQL Prompt 5\Snippets

C:\Program Files (x86)\Microsoft SQL
Server\100\Tools\Binn\VSShell\Common7\IDE\SqlWorkbenchProjectItems\Sql

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Summary

- Static snippets
- Snippet manager
- Parameterized snippets
- .sqlpromptsnippet files
- Converting SSMS templates

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create table…

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References

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- **Directory Opus**
  - http://www.gpsoft.com.au/