



# NHSC Web-Tutorials

## **PACS-104**

*How to access and use PACS phot  
and spec data reduction scripts*

## Purpose of this tutorial

The hiipe distribution for PACS includes scripts for interactive data reduction. The collection of these scripts is known as the *ipipe*, for Interactive Pipeline. The standard scripts these are used for automatic pipeline processing, but are written so they can easily be run interactively by stepping through line-by-line, or in blocks in of lines. Also included in the ipipe are special scripts, such as ChopNodSplitOnOff.py, that show you the guts of your observation in great detail, using plots and the MaskViewer. This tutorial will show you how to find and use these scripts.



## Pre-requisites:

You should have completed the following tutorials:

- ***PACS-101: How to use these tutorials.***
- ***PACS-102: Creating (and Saving to a Pool) an Observation Context for your observation in your HIPE session***



# Step 1

Startup a new hipec session from your shell.

```
# <your hipec directory>/bin/hipec
```

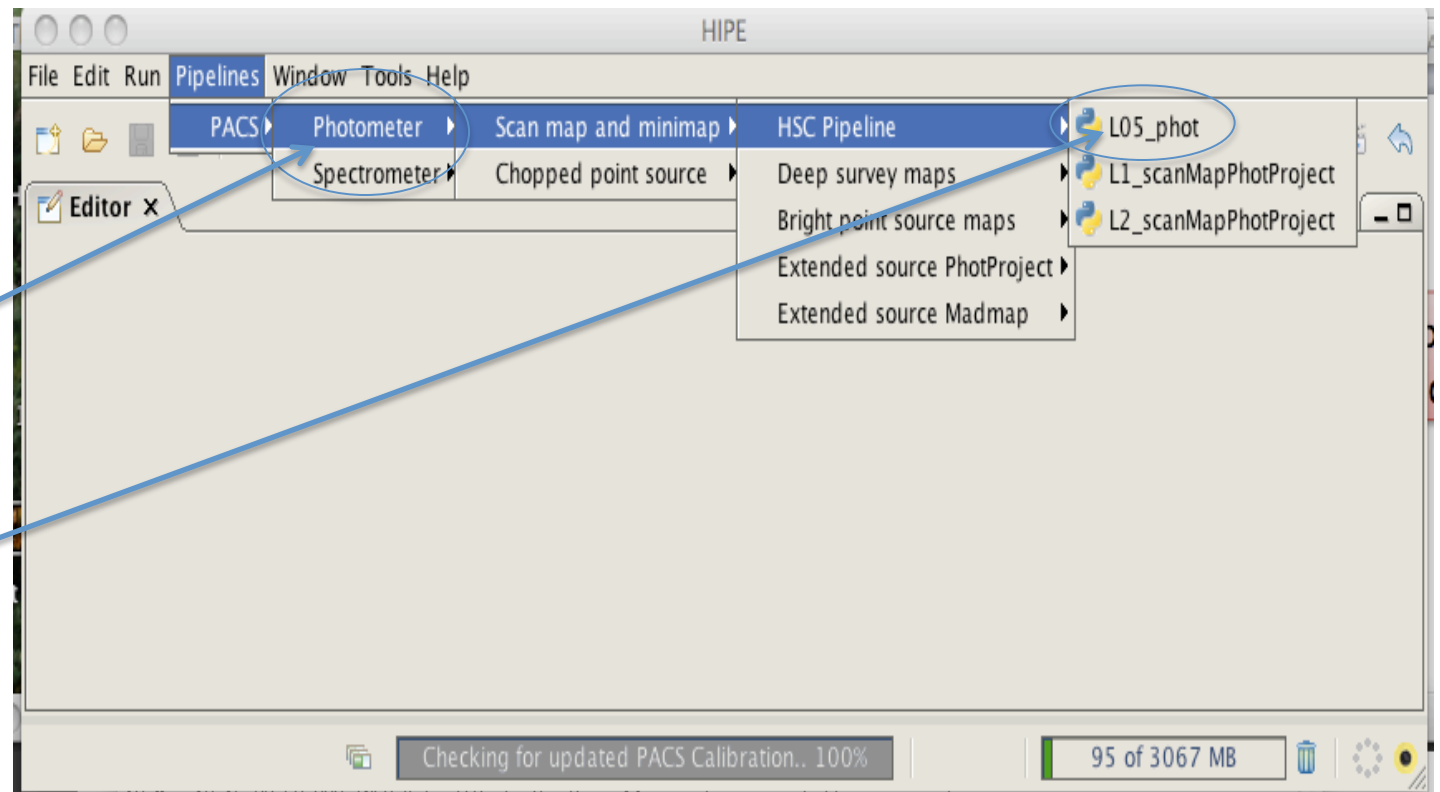


## Step 2

Hipe comes with interactive pipeline scripts. The next slide shows how to find these scripts.

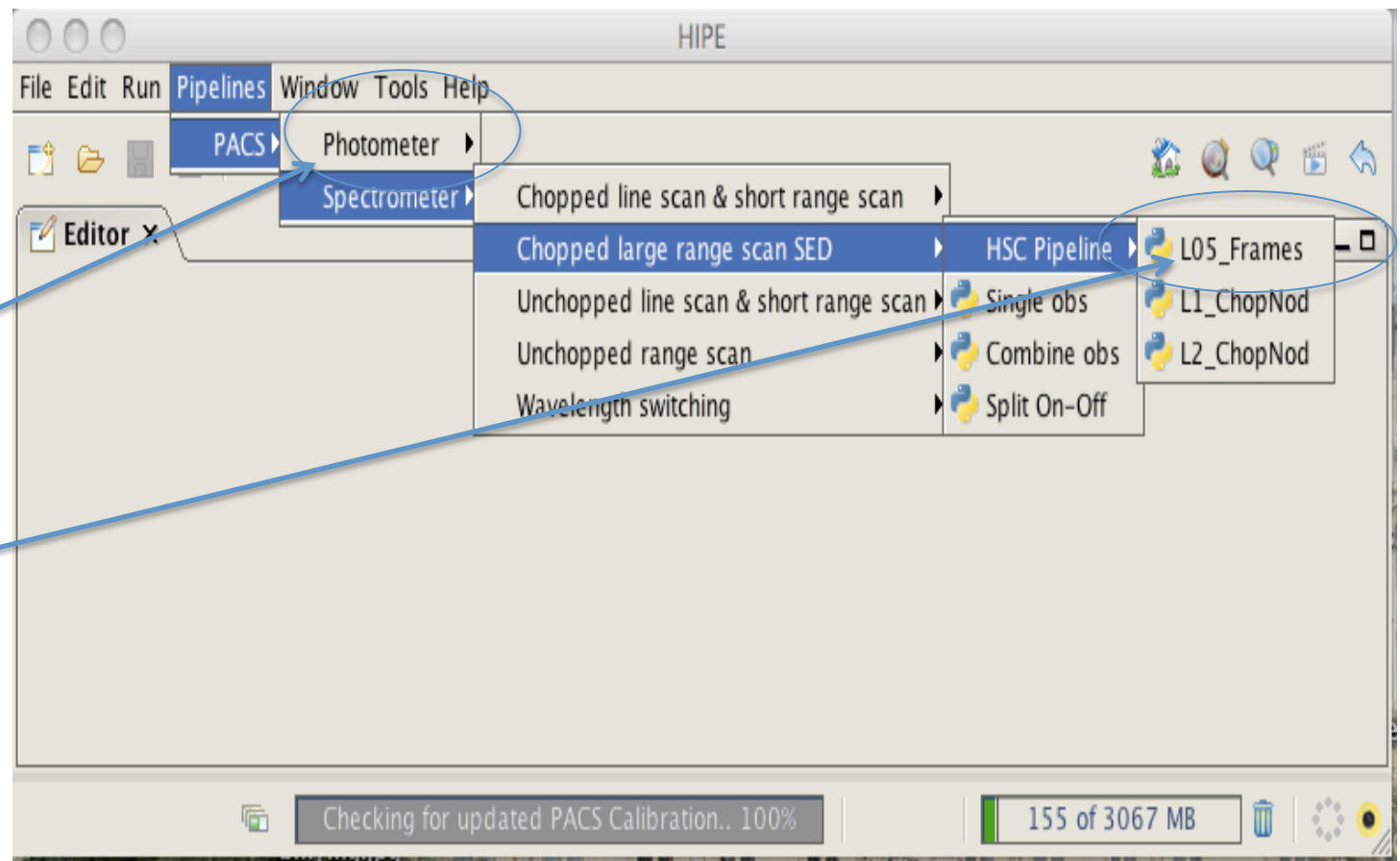
In this example you find the the pre-loaded ipipe scripts you can use to reduce your photometer data.

From the Pipeline Menu, Select PACS>Photometer->Scan map and ...->HSC Pipeline L05\_phot to load the Level 0 to Level 0.5 ipipe script.

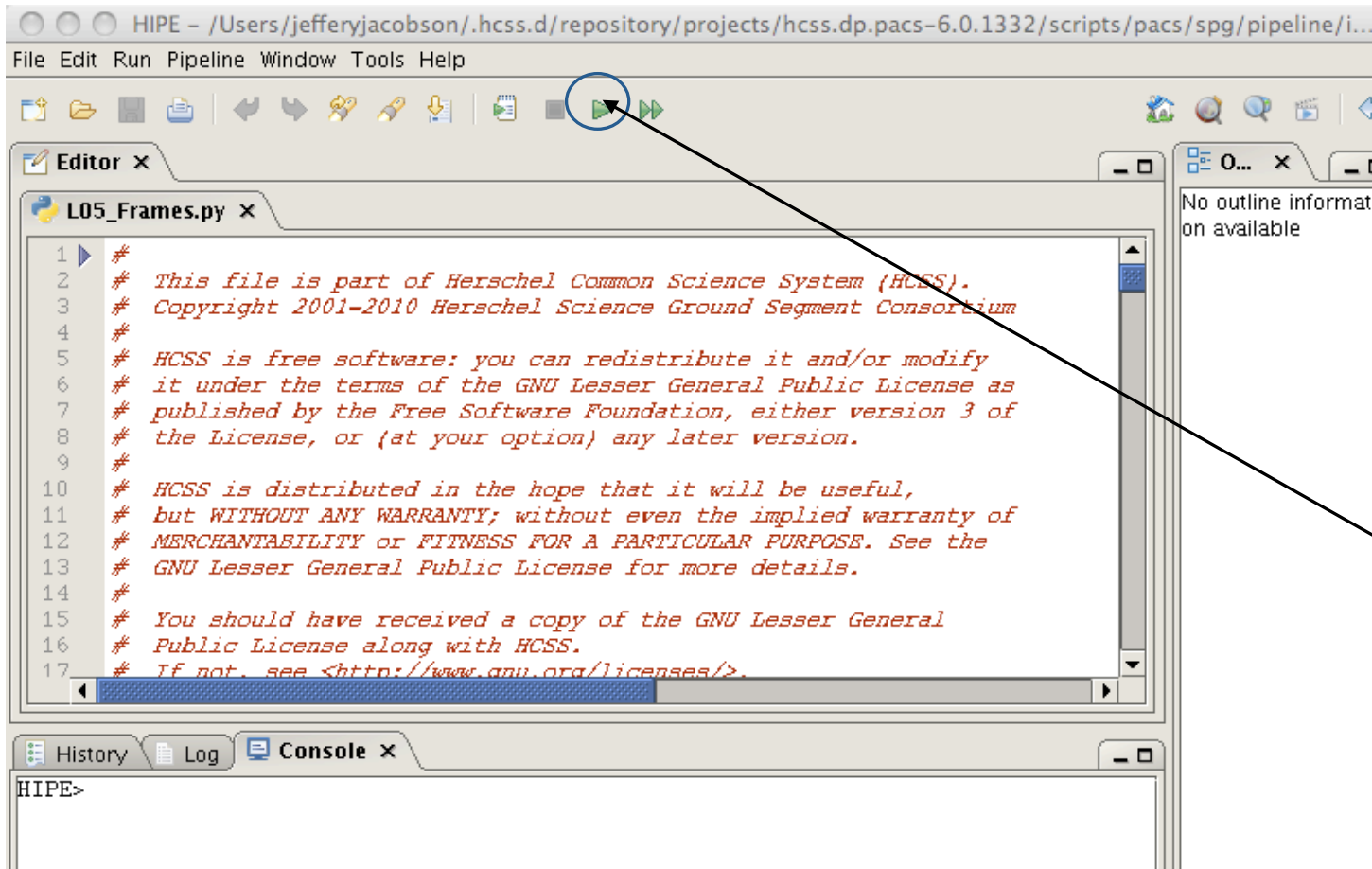


In this example you find the the pre-loaded ipipe scripts you can use to reduce your spectrometer data.

From the Pipeline Menu, Select  
PACS>Spectrometer -  
>Chopped large ...-  
>HSC Pipeline  
L05\_Frames  
to load the Level 0 to  
Level 0.5 ipipe script.



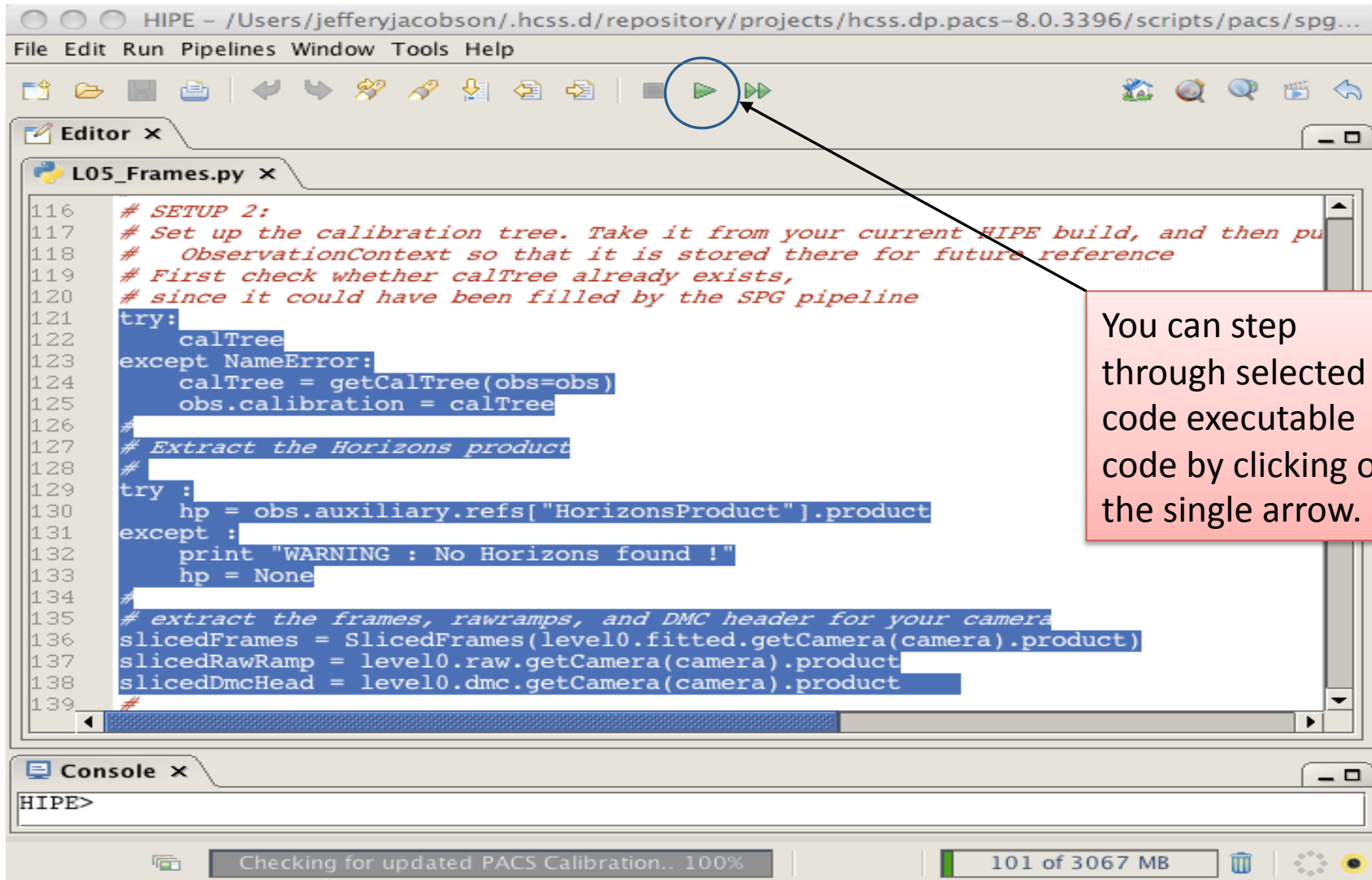
This should look like something like this when read in:



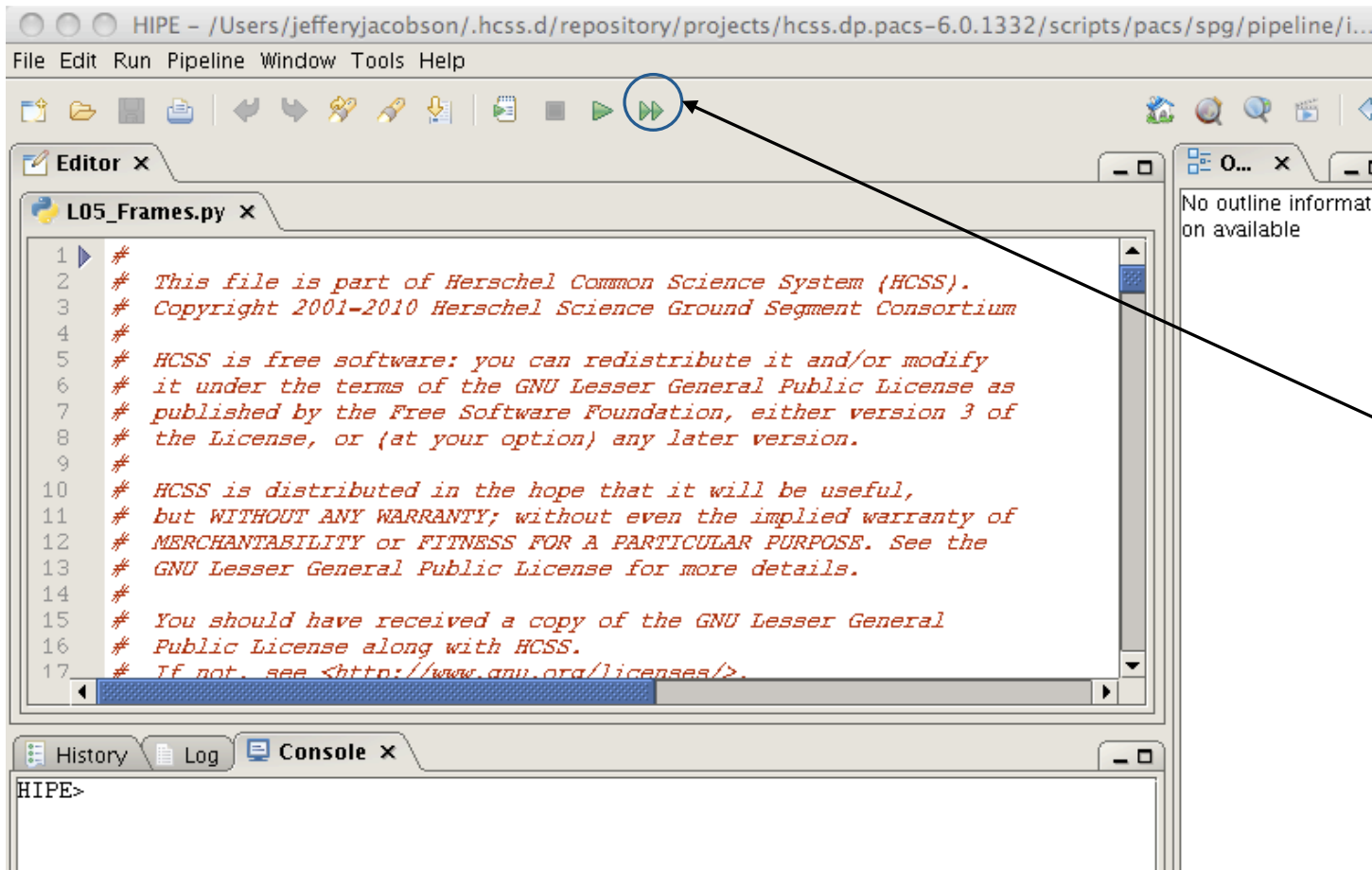
You can step to the first line of executable code by clicking on the single arrow.



You can also run more than one line of selected code.



You can step through selected code executable code by clicking on the single arrow.

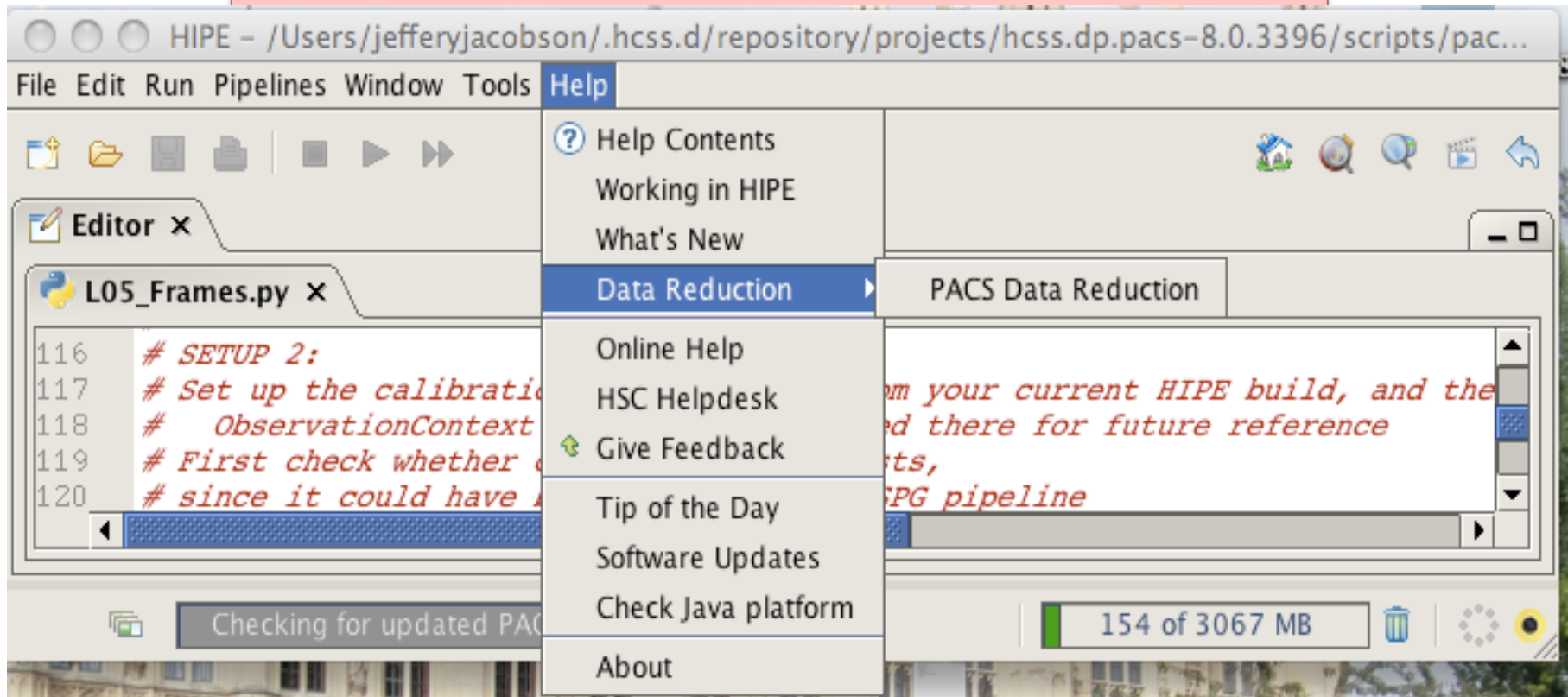


You can run the entire file by clicking on the double arrow.

# What do these scripts do?

There are detailed comments in each script, describing inputs and outputs. script, but for a full explanation see the PACS Data Reduction Guide (PDRG)

-> Help Menu -> Data Reduction -> PACS Data Reduction



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### 2.1. A PACS observation

If you are not familiar with how PACS works we recommend you read the PACS Data Reduction Guide (see [here](#)). PACS observations involve the synchronous purpose of exploring the spatial and spectral space your AOR spectroscopy observation you can have: chopper movements between two mirrors rastering to make a bigger map or looking at off-positions: arating r

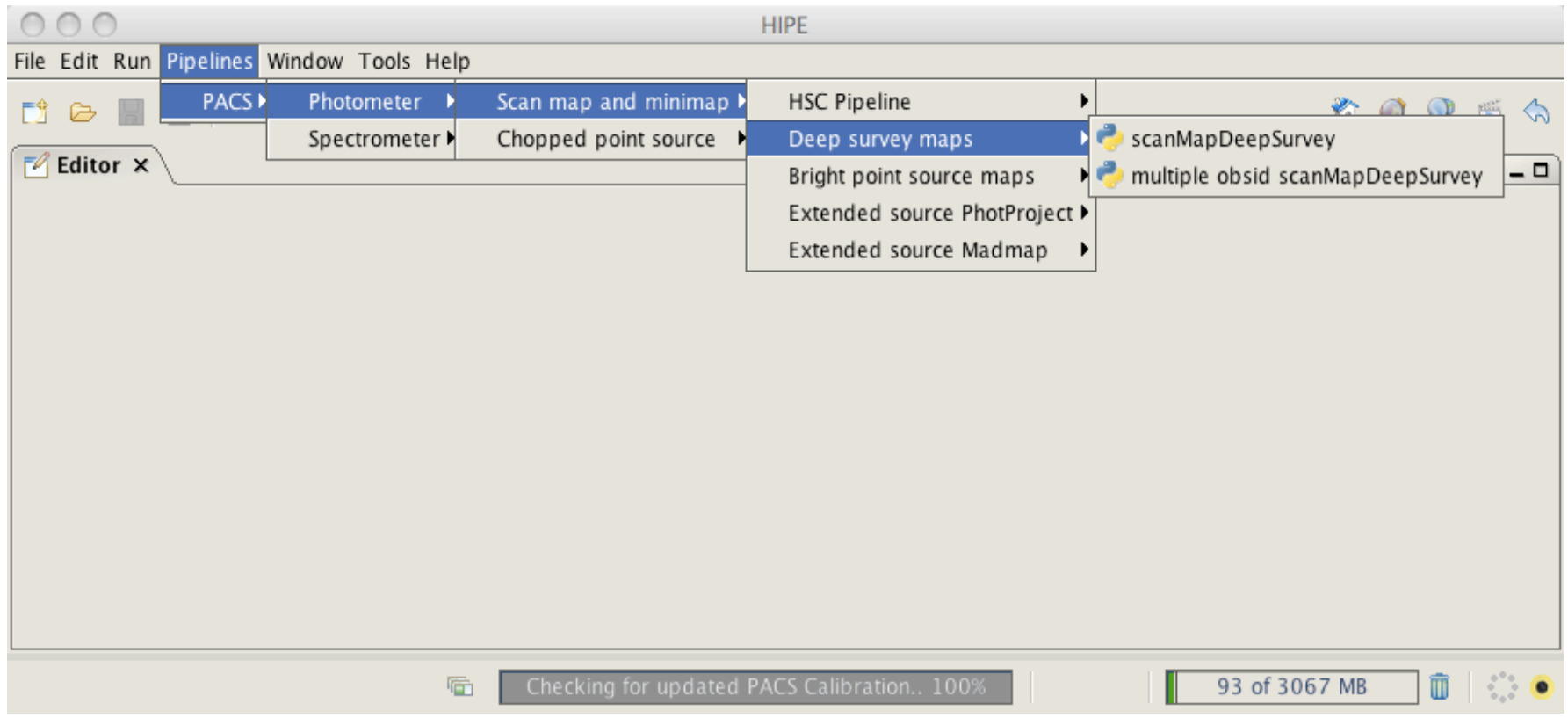


## Step 3

Run one of the extended scripts on your own obsid.  
This will required changing the ipipe script. We  
recommend that you save the file to a new file name.  
Otherwise, you will replace the file in you HIPE  
distribution. Save it using File->**Save As**



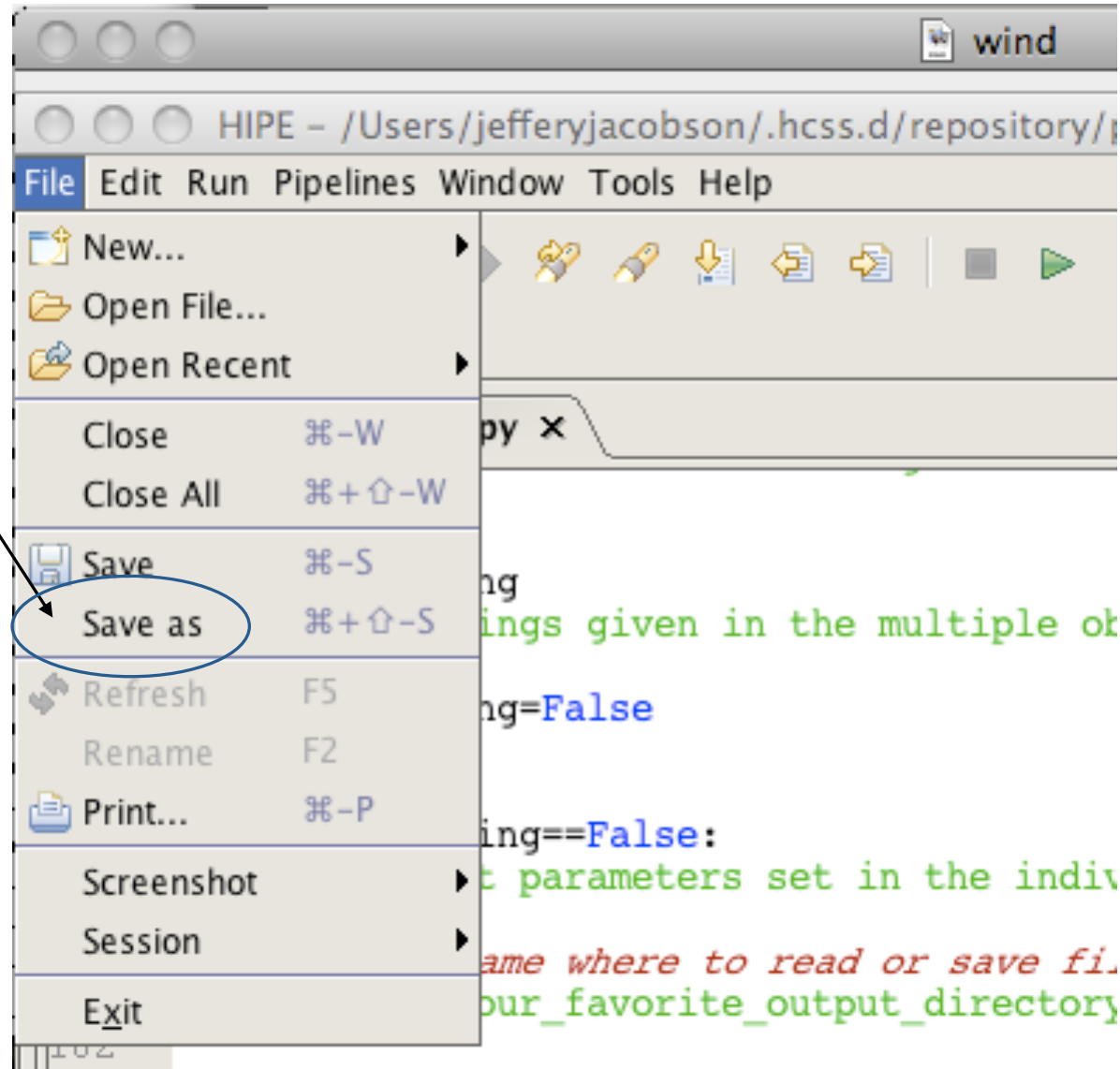
For example, find the scanMapDeepSurvey photometer pipeline script. Click to load it.



Edit the file,  
change the  
directory for  
savgng your  
files, and the  
obsid.

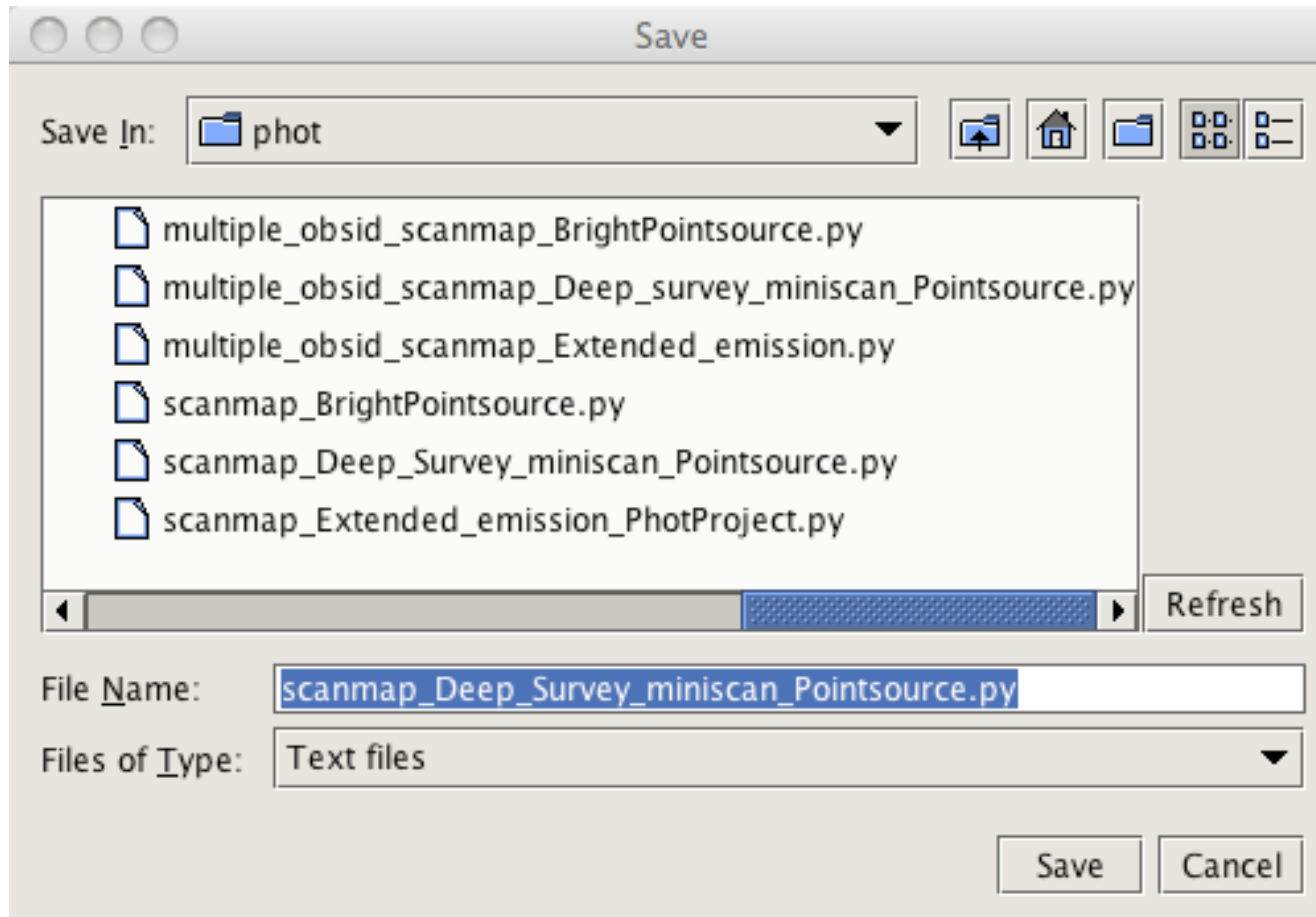
```
89  """
90  try:
91      input_setting
92      print "settings given in the multiple obsid script"
93  except:
94      input_setting=False
95
96
97  if input_setting==False:
98      print "input parameters set in the individual obsid script"
99  #
100 # directory name where to read or save files.
101 direc = "/your_favorite_output_directory/"
102 """
103 The settings for this data reduction are collected all in this section.
104 If the user wants to use this script in the loop contained in the
105 multiple_obsid_Brightsource.py, this section can be completely commented
106 and the settings will be contained in the multiple_obsid.py script .
107 """
108 #
109 obsid="000000000" #give here the obsid number
110 camera = "red"
111 #camera="blue"
112 print "Reducing OBSID:" obsid "camera:" camera
```

Open File->  
Click on  
"Save As".  
This will  
bring up a  
dialog box.  
See the next  
slide.

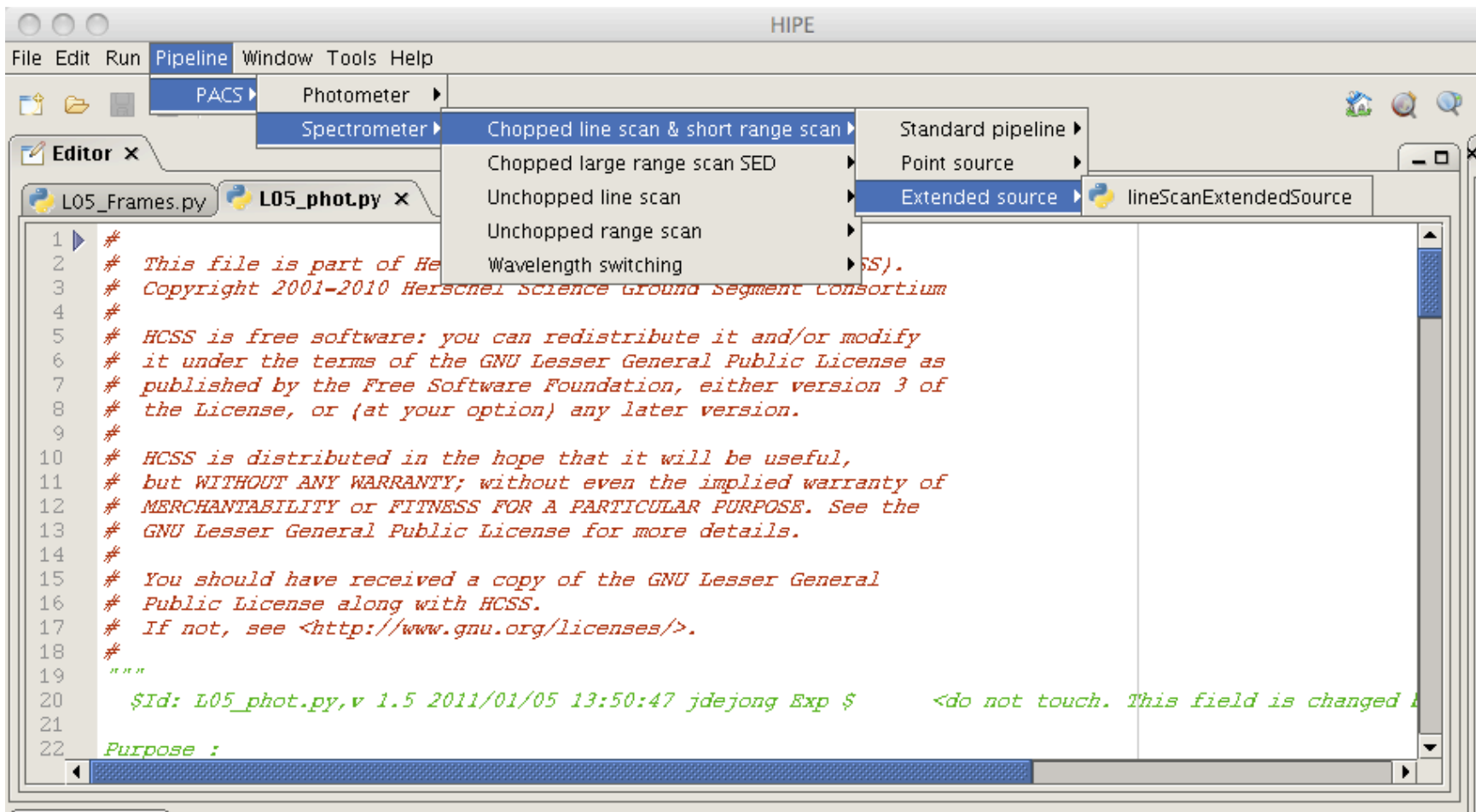




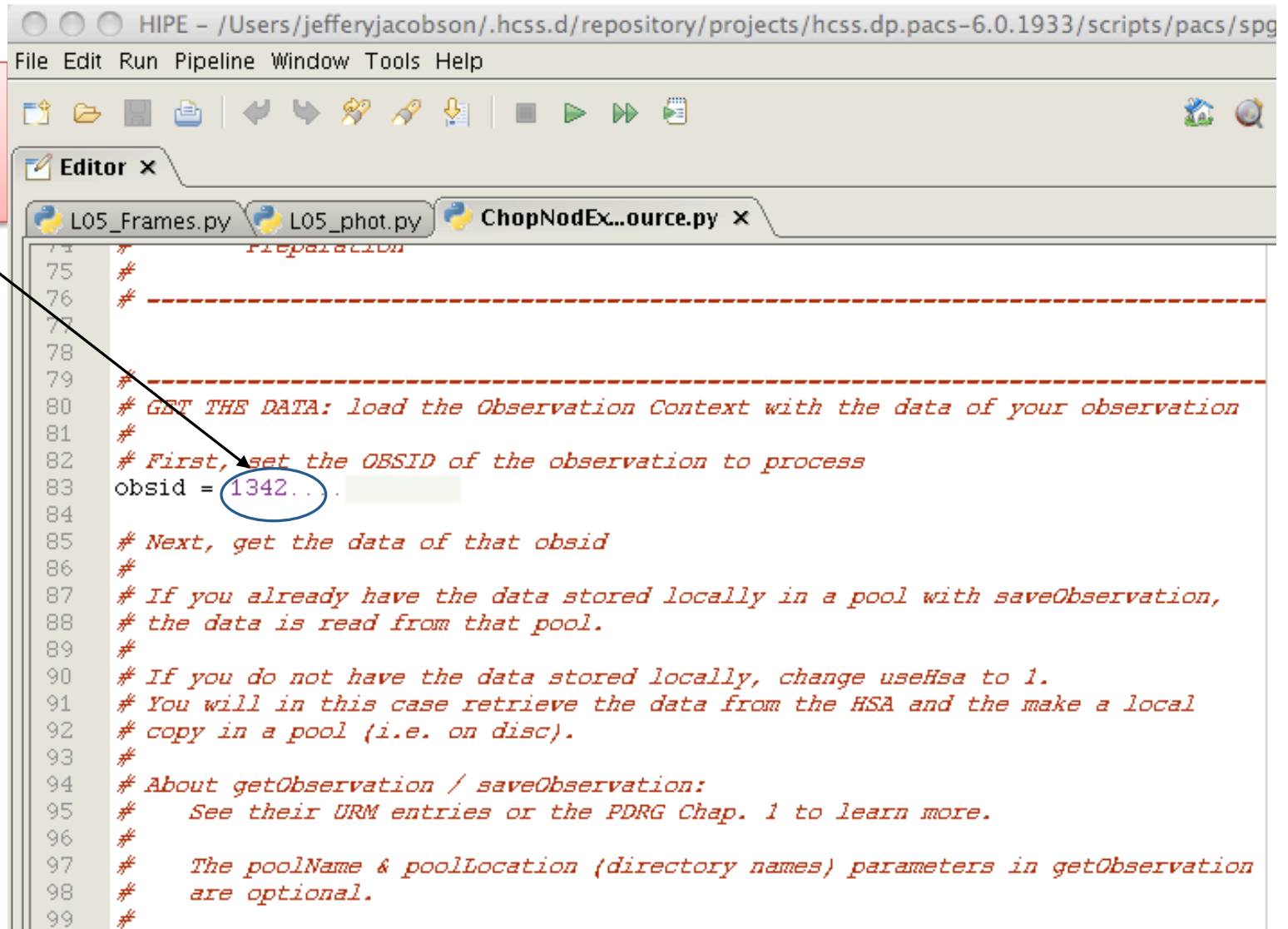
Use this dialog to change the directory and filename.



For a spectroscopy example, find a Chopped line scan ipipe script. Click on lineScanExtendedSource to load it.



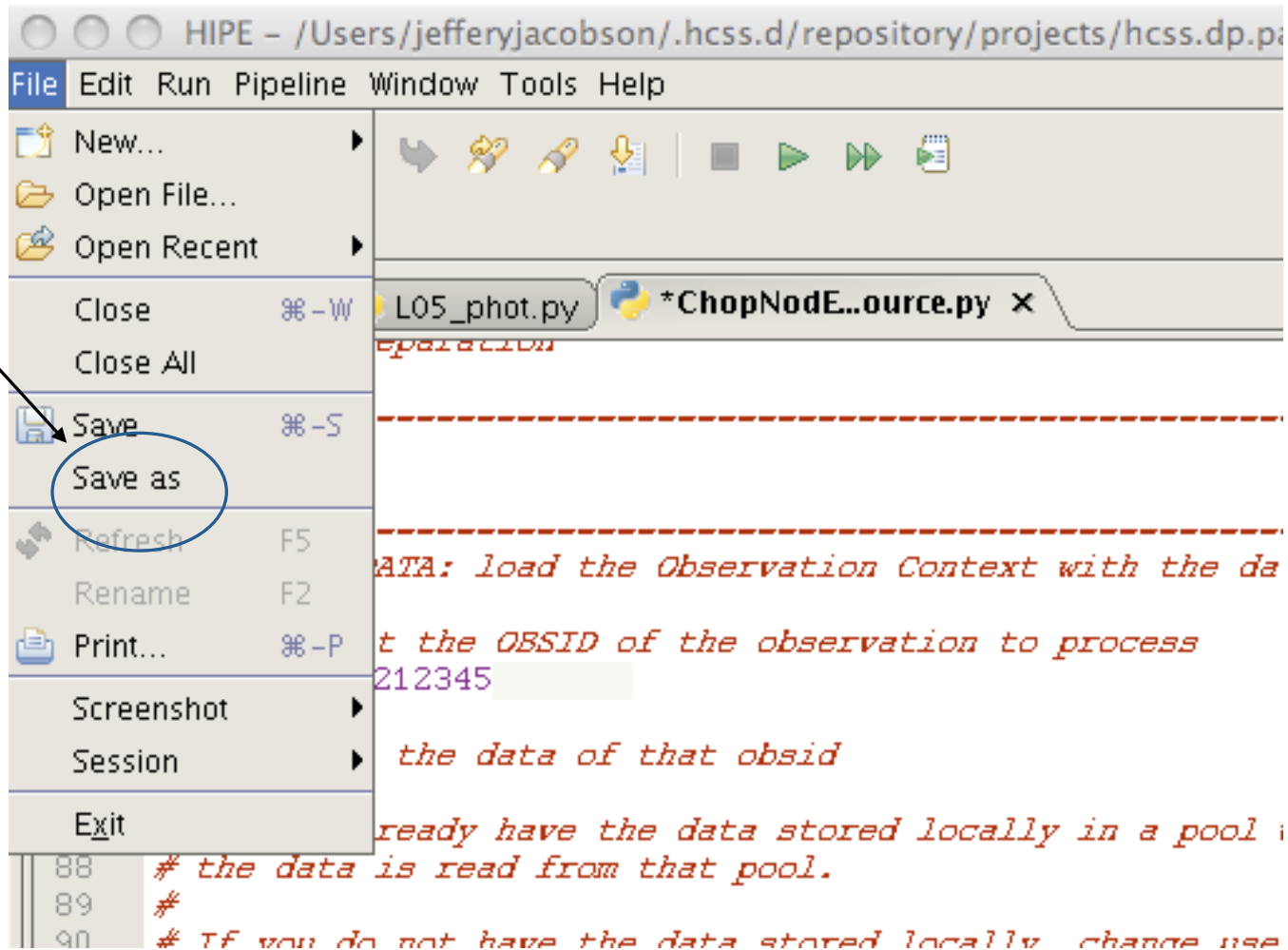
Edit the file,  
changing the  
obsid.



```
HIPE - /Users/jefferyjacobson/.hcss.d/repository/projects/hcss.dp.pacs-6.0.1933/scripts/pacs/spg
File Edit Run Pipeline Window Tools Help

Editor x
L05_Frames.py L05_phot.py ChopNodEx...ource.py x
74 # Preparation
75 #
76 # -----
77 #
78 # -----
79 #
80 # GET THE DATA: load the Observation Context with the data of your observation
81 #
82 # First, set the OBSID of the observation to process
83 obsid = 1342...
84
85 # Next, get the data of that obsid
86 #
87 # If you already have the data stored locally in a pool with saveObservation,
88 # the data is read from that pool.
89 #
90 # If you do not have the data stored locally, change useHsa to 1.
91 # You will in this case retrieve the data from the HSA and the make a local
92 # copy in a pool (i.e. on disc).
93 #
94 # About getObservation / saveObservation:
95 # See their URM entries or the PDRG Chap. 1 to learn more.
96 #
97 # The poolName & poolLocation (directory names) parameters in getObservation
98 # are optional.
99 #
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