

# Symbol Modification without Prompting

You can adapt the symbol table for each run by defining a user routine without prompting (in background). Set the field Modification without Prompting in the Symbol Prompting User Routine window to **Y**.

This can be used to modify active symbols depending on the values of other symbols, or of anything else.

The user routine is called by the Entire Operations Monitor after the creation of the active symbol tables, but before the JCL loading. If the user routine is missing or receives a run time error, the network activation will be stopped and a message will be sent to the mailbox, which is assigned to the network as message recipient. If no mailbox is assigned, the message is sent to the SYSDBA mailbox. For more details on mailboxes, see the section Mailboxes.

Code the user routine analogous to the symbol prompt user routine and use the delivered parameter list NOPSYP-A. Do not code any screen I/O's.