Context help in Bioclipse

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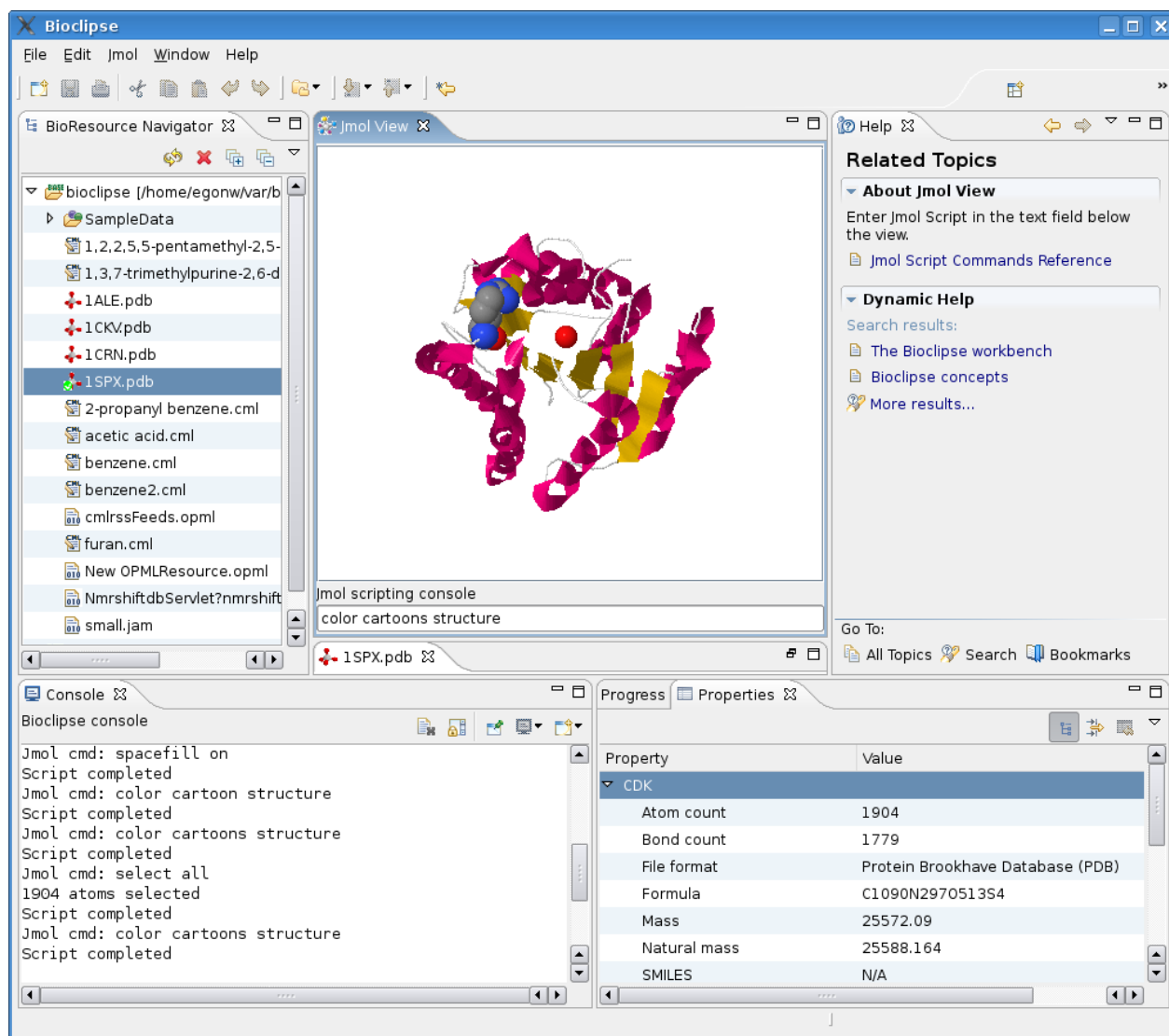
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Abstract

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As an example, the below figure gives the context help for the JmolView in the Jmol plugin (bc_jmol) plugin for Bioclipse:

On the right side of the Jmol view (showing 1SPX) is the Help View, showing the context help for the Jmol View pointing to the 'Jmol Script Commands Reference'.