

Register and Scan Google BigQuery source (preview)

This article outlines how to register a Google BigQuery project in Purview and set up a scan.

Supported capabilities

The BigQuery source supports Full scan to extract metadata from a BigQuery project and fetches Lineage between data assets.

Prerequisites

1. Set up the latest [self-hosted integration runtime](#). For more information, see [Create and configure a self-hosted integration runtime](#).
2. Make sure [JDK 11](#) is installed on your virtual machine where self-hosted integration runtime is installed.
3. Make sure "Visual C++ Redistributable 2012 Update 4" is installed on the self-hosted integration runtime machine. If you don't yet have it installed, download it from [here](#).
4. You will have to manually download BigQuery's JDBC driver on your virtual machine where self-hosted integration runtime is running from [here](#)
Note: The driver should be accessible to all accounts in the VM. Do not install it in a user account.
5. Supported Google BigQuery version is 11.0.0

Feature Flag

Registration and scanning of BigQuery source is available behind a feature flag. Append the following to your URL: &feature.ext.datasource={"bigQuery":"true"}

E.g., full URL [https://web.purview.azure.com/?feature.ext.datasource={"bigQuery":"true"}](https://web.purview.azure.com/?feature.ext.datasource={)

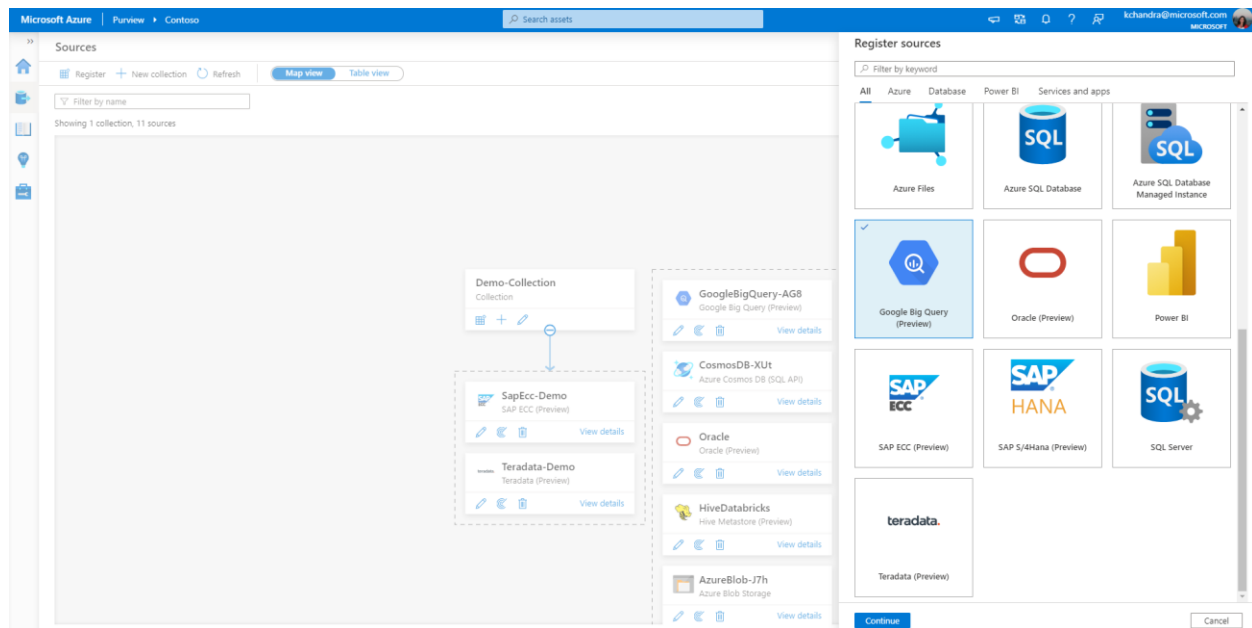
Setting up authentication for a scan

The only supported authentication for a BigQuery source is **Service account key**.

Register a Google BigQuery project

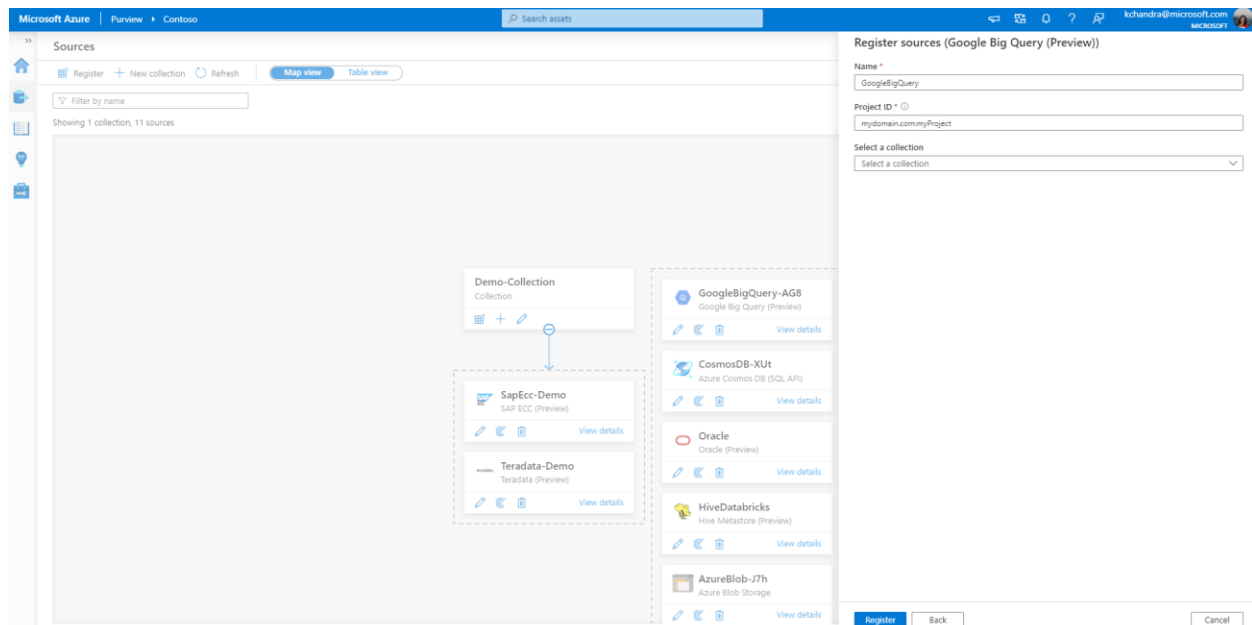
To register a new Google BigQuery project in your data catalog, do the following:

1. Navigate to your Purview account.
2. Select **Sources** on the left navigation.
3. Select **Register**.
4. On Register sources, select **Google BigQuery** . Select **Continue**.



On the Register sources (Google BigQuery) screen, do the following:

1. Enter a **Name** that the data source will be listed within the Catalog.
2. Enter the **ProjectID**. This should be a fully qualified project Id. For example, mydomain.com:myProject
3. Select a collection or create a new one (Optional)
4. Finish to register the data source.



Creating and running a scan

To create and run a new scan, do the following:

1. In the Management Center, click on Integration runtimes. Make sure a self-hosted integration runtime is set up. If it is not set up, use the steps mentioned [here](#) to setup a self-hosted integration runtime
2. Navigate to **Sources**.
3. Select the registered **BigQuery** project.
4. Select **+ New scan**.
5. Provide the below details:
 - a. **Name**: The name of the scan
 - b. **Connect via integration runtime**: Select the configured self-hosted integration runtime
 - c. **Authentication method**: Only “Service account key file” authentication is supported currently. This option will be selected by default.
 - d. **Private key file path**: Specify the absolute path to the private key file of the service account. The private key file should either be a JSON or P12 format (with either JSON or P12 file extension).

To create a new private key from Google’s cloud platform, in the navigation menu, click on IAM & Admin -> Service Accounts -> Select a project -> Click the email address of the service account that you want to create a key for -> Click the **Keys** tab -> Click the **Add key** drop-down menu, then select Create new key. Now choose either JSON or P12 format.

Place this file in your virtual machine where self-hosted integration runtime is running and provide the absolute path to this file.
 - e. **Client email ID**: Provide the email ID of the service account. For example, xyz@developer.gserviceaccount.com
 - f. **Driver location**: Specify the path to the JDBC driver location in your VM where self-host integration runtime is running. This should be the path to valid JAR folder location
 - g. **Dataset**: Specify a list of BigQuery datasets to import. For example, dataset1; dataset2. When the list is empty, all available datasets are imported. Acceptable dataset name patterns using SQL LIKE expressions syntax include using %, e.g. A%; %B; %C%; D
 - start with A or
 - end with B or
 - contain C or
 - equal D

Usage of NOT and special characters are not acceptable.
 - h. **Maximum memory available**: Maximum memory (in GB) available on customer’s VM to be used by scanning processes. This is dependent on the size of Google BigQuery project to be scanned.

Scan "GoogleBigQuery"

Name *

Scan-BigQuery

Connect via integration runtime * ⓘ

IntegrationRuntime-BZu (Running)

Authentication method

Service account key file

Private key file path * ⓘ

D:\Drivers\BigQuery\testproject.json

Client email ID * ⓘ

serviceaccount@testproject-30.iam.gserviceaccount.com

Driver location * ⓘ

D:\Drivers\BigQuery\Simba\JDBCdriverforGoogleBigQuery42_1.2.14.1017

Dataset ⓘ

Enter dataset

Maximum memory available ⓘ

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☒ Use default cache location ⓘ

Continue

 Test connection

Cancel

6. Click on **Test connection**.
7. Click on **Continue**.
8. Choose your **scan trigger**. You can set up a schedule or run the scan once.
9. Review your scan and click on **Save and Run**.