COMPLETE END TO END PROJECT OF MATILLION INVOLVING AWS S3 & SNS, SNOWFLAKE, POWER BI AND GIT.



1. What is matillion?

Matillion ETL is a **cloud-native ETL solution** that simplifies the process of collecting, preparing, and loading data. It's a drag and drop interface which helps build scalable data pipelines without the need for extensive coding.

DID YOU KNOW: Matillion named a **Challenger** in the **2023 Gartner®Magic Quadrant™ report** for <u>Data Integration Tools.</u>

CHALLENGERS

LEADERS

Informatica

Oracle

Microsoft

IBM

Armazon Web Services Google

TIBCO Software

Fivetran

Precisely

Matilian

Confluent

Safe Software

Software AG (StreamSets)

Niche Players

Visionaries

Visionaries

Completeness of Vision

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Figure 1: Magic Quadrant for Data Integration Tools

2. What is AWS S3?

Simply say, it's a cloud based storage service.

3. What is snowflake?

Like matillion, snowflake is built for the cloud. It's a cloud-hosted, relational database that enables you to build data warehouses on demand

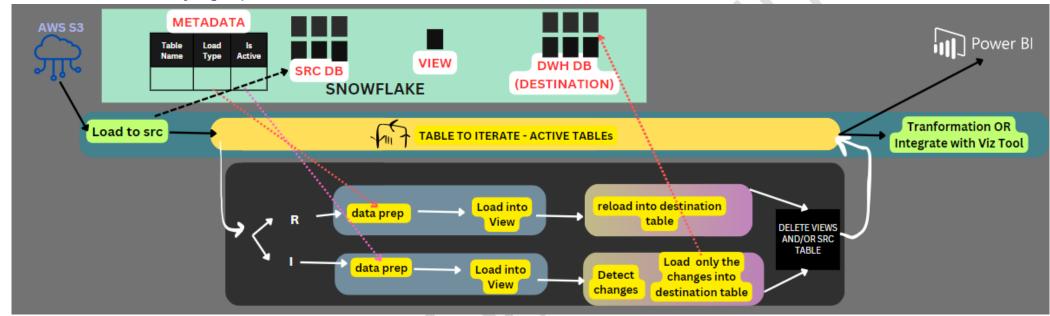
4. What is always- on tables?

The data in table is available always.

Why is it a best practice?

- Reload can take a long time for huge tables
- When reloading, only partial data will be available to integrated tools, hence incorrect results

5. Architecture of today's project:

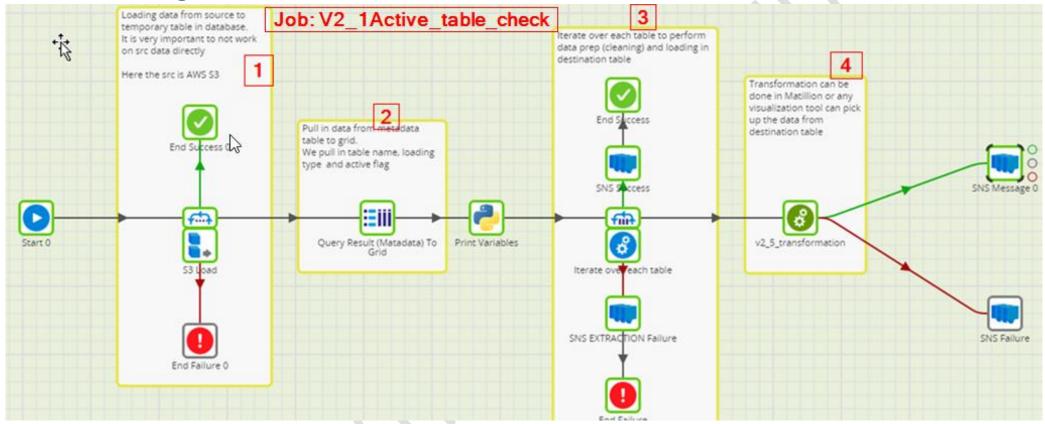


I. Prep:

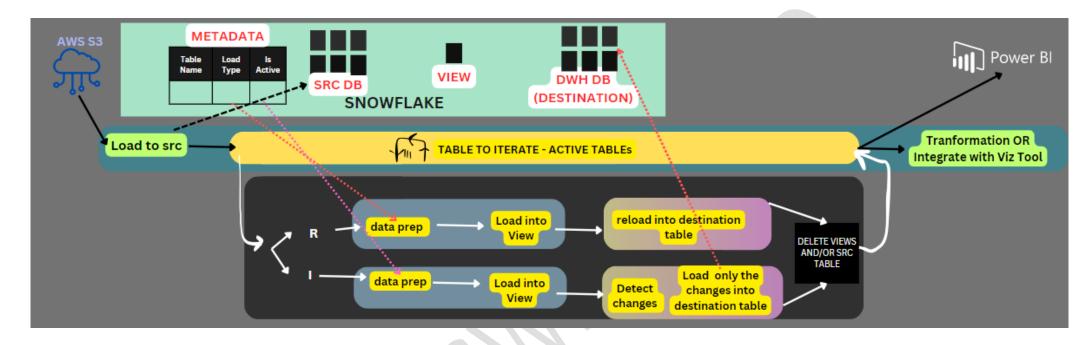
- An active AWS and Snowflake account
- Create an matillion account (ETL setup) refer doc: Steps To Configure Matillion.docx

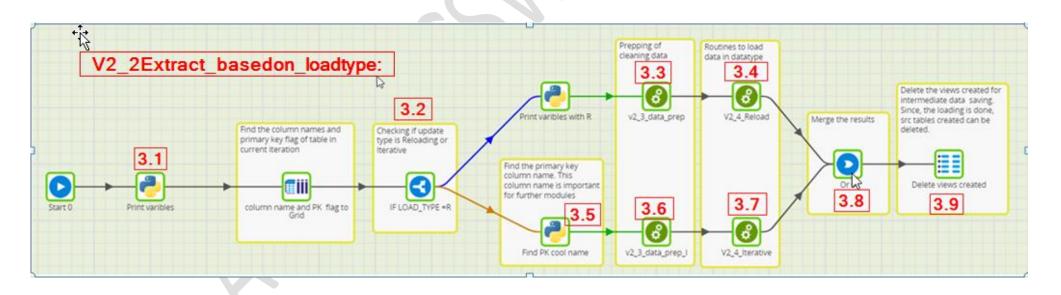
II. Gist of Working:

4.

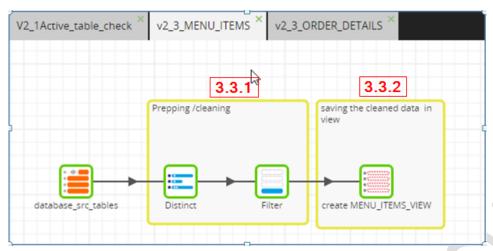


- 1. Load the data from S3 to Snowflake src table [S3 LOAD]
- 2. Pull in info from metadata table into the GRID Variable [QUERY RESULT TO GRID]
- 3. Iterate all the next steps for each table [FIXED ITEARATOR + ORCHESTRATION JOB] + Notification [SNS]

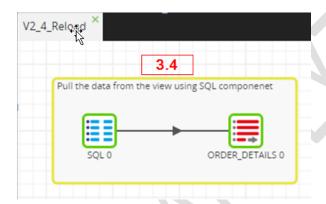




- 4.1. Retrieve the column name and primary key of the table [table metadata to grid]
- 4.2. Check if the table needs to be iterated or reloaded [IF component]
- 4.3. For R: Prepare /clean the data [Run transformation component]

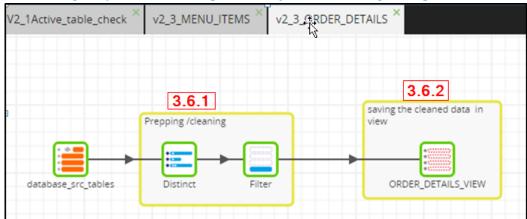


- 4.3.1. Cleaning [DISTINCT + FILTER NULLS]
- 4.3.2. Save it in a view [CREATE VIEW]

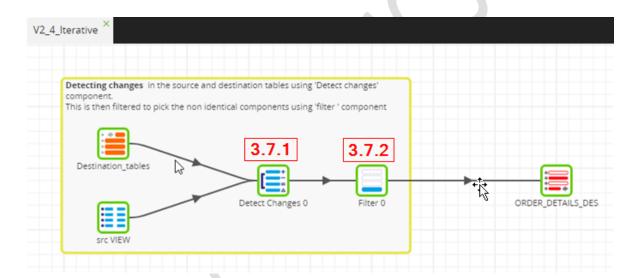


- 4.4. For R: Load the data from the VIEW into the destination database [RUN transformation component]
- 4.5. For I: Identify the name of the primary key using the flag [Python script]

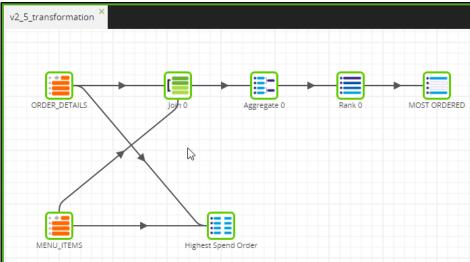




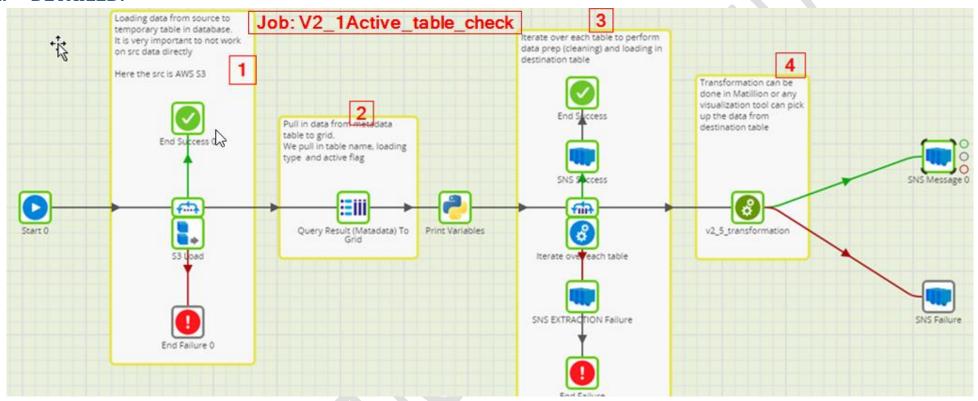
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- 4.7. For I: Load the data from the VIEW into the destination database [RUN transformation component]
 - 4.7.1. Detect changes [Detect changes]
 - 4.7.2. Filter rows that need to be Upserted [filter]
- 4.8. Irrespective of R or I, the pipeline needs to be merged [OR]
- 4.9. Since the cleaning and loading is completed, Unnecessary data/structure is removed [SQL SCRIPT]
- 5. You can perform transformations to retrieve value /KPI OR use the data as input to any visualization tool. [RUN transformation component]



III. DETAILED:



Create an orchestration job V2_1Active_table_check

1. Prep:

• First Create following Job Variables:



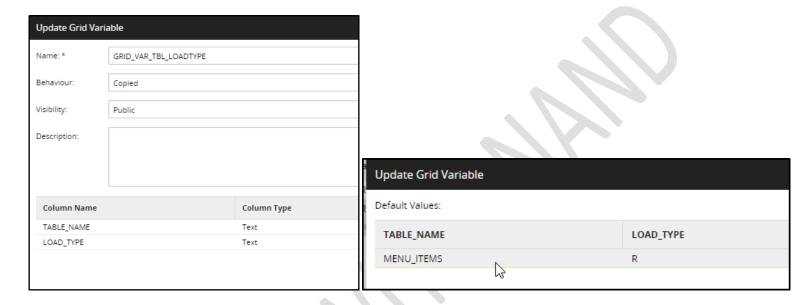
Text Mode:

Shared Public Mat_Tableinput dictionary_name Text MENU_ITEMS file_name Shared Public Text **RESTAURANTSALES** JV DB Text Shared Public JV_LOADTYPE Text Shared Public RESTAURANT_DB JV_SCHEMA Text Shared Public Shared Public JV_TABLE_NAME Text ORDER_DETAILS

Create Grid variables:



GRID_VAR_TBL_LOADTYPE



TEXT Mode:

TABLE_NAME Text LOAD_TYPE Text

- Configuring SNS
 - o AWS SNS > Create SNS topic > Configure subscription
- 1. Load the data from S3 to Snowflake src table [S3 LOAD + File Iterator]
 - properties of S3 load:

S3 Load		S3 Load
Name	Value	
Name	S3 Load	
Stage	Matillion_Stage	
Pattern	\${file_name}.csv	
Warehouse	MATILLION_PRG	
Database	\${JV_DB}	
Schema	\${JV_SCHEMA}	
Target Table	\${file_name.replace(/"/g,")}	
Load Columns		
Format	[Custom]	
File Type	CSV	
Compression	AUTO	
Record Delimiter		
Field Delimiter	,	
Skip Header	1	

 Name
 Matillion_Stage

 Stage
 Matillion_Stage

 Pattern
 \${file_name}.csv

 Warehouse
 MATILLION_PRG

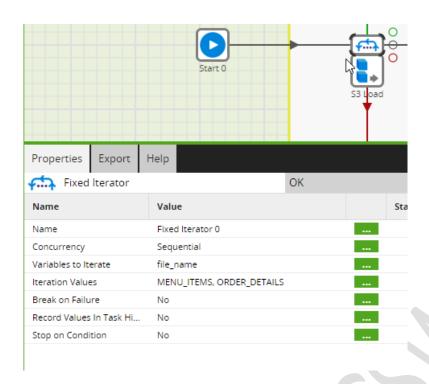
 Database
 \${JV_DB}

 Schema
 \${JV_SCHEMA}

 Target Table
 \${file_name.replace(/"/g,")}

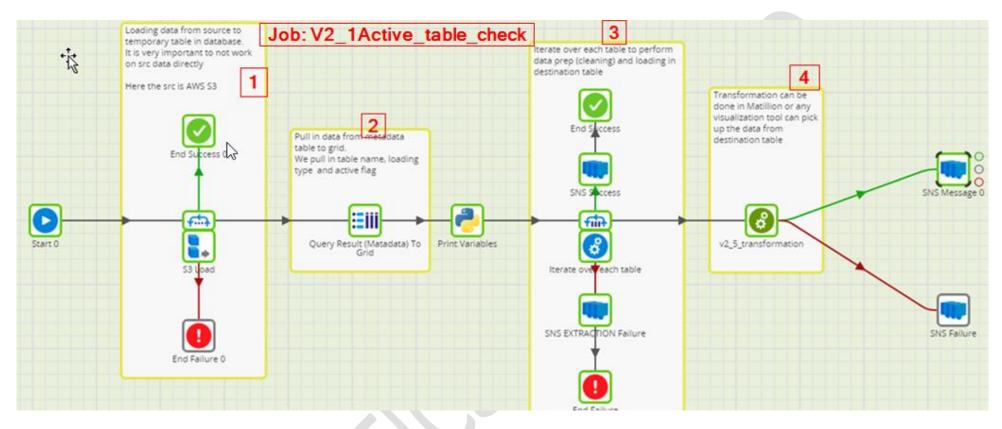
NOTE: Please set 'Force Load ' to True

Properties of Fixed Iterator:



Variables to Iterate file_name

Iteration Values MENU_ITEMS, ORDER_DETAILS



$2. \ \ Pull \ in \ info \ from \ metadata \ table \ into \ the \ GRID \ Variable \ [QUERY \ RESULT \ TO \ GRID]$

Properties:

Query Result To Gr	d	ОК		
Name	Value		Sta	itus
Name	Query Result (Matadata)	To Grid		
Basic / Advanced	Advanced			
SQL Query	/* Note: this query will b	e run as a subque		
Grid Variable	GRID_VAR_TBL_LOADTY	PE		
Grid Variable Mapping	TABLE_NAME, LOAD_TY	PE		

SQL QUERY:

SELECT

UPPER(TABLE_NAME) TABLE_NAME,UPPER(LOAD_TYPE) LOAD_TYPE,IS_ACTIVE FROM

RESTAURANTSALES.RESTAURANT_METADATA.TABLE_LOAD_METADATA

WHERE IS_ACTIVE =1

Python script – just to display variables (Also helps in displaying message in the logs

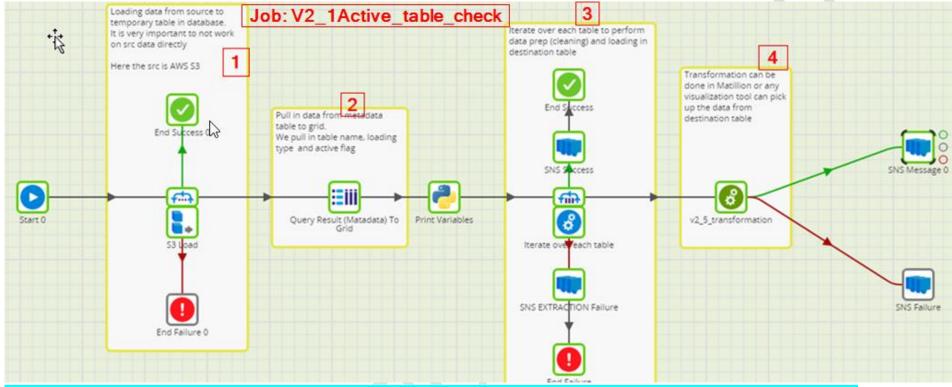
Script:

print (context.getGridVariable('GRID_VAR_TBL_LOADTYPE'))
print(JV_TABLE_NAME)
print (JV_LOADTYPE)

<mark>Logs</mark>:

	. ,					. , , , ,
V2_1Active_trble_check	Print Variables	0.2s	23:18:26	23:18:26	23:18:26	[['MENU_ITEMS', 'R'], ['ORDER_DETAILS'
2//						





Points to ponder: Why we have added iterator here? Since we are iterating to another transformation job, why don't we do it in the same job?

Run Orchestration: V2 2Extract basedon loadtype2

Run Orchestration	OK
Name	Value
Name	Iterate over each table
Orchestration Job	V2_2Extract_basedon_loadtype2
Set Scalar Variables	JV_DB, \${JV_DB}, JV_TABLE_NAME, \${JV_T
Set Grid Variables	

First configure variables:

Job Variables:

Ma	Manage Job Variables				
	Name	Туре	Behaviour	Visibility	Value
+	JV_DB	Text	Shared	Public	RESTAURANTSALES
+	JV_LOADTYPE	Text	Shared	Public	1
+	JV_PRIMARYKEY	Text	Shared	Public	Р
+	JV_SCHEMA	Text	Shared	Public	RESTAURANT_DB
+	JV_TABLE_NAME	Text	Shared	Public	ORDER_DETAILS
+	SCALAR_VAR_BATCH_ID	Text	Shared	Public	000

Text mode:

JV_DB Text Shared Public RESTAURANTSALES

JV_LOADTYPE Text Shared Public I

JV_PRIMARYKEY Text Shared Public P

JV_SCHEMA Text Shared Public RESTAURANT_DB

JV_TABLE_NAME Text Shared Public ORDER_DETAILS

Set Scalar Variables		
Variable	Value	
JV_DB	\${JV_DB}	
JV_TABLE_NAME	\${JV_TABLE_NAME}	
JV_SCHEMA	\${JV_SCHEMA}	
JV_LOADTYPE	\${JV_LOADTYPE}	

Text Mode:

JV_DB \${JV_DB}

JV_TABLE_NAME \${JV_TABLE_NAME}

JV_SCHEMA \${JV_SCHEMA}
JV_LOADTYPE \${JV_LOADTYPE}

Points to ponder? What is set scalar variables?

Iterator:

Grid Iterato	r	OK
Name	Value	
Name	Grid Iterator 0	
Grid Variable	GRID_VAR_TBL_LOADTYPE	
Grid Variable Ma	TABLE_NAME, JV_TABLE_NAME, LOAD	_TYPE, JV_LOADTYPE
Break on Failure	No	
Concurrency	Sequential	
Record Values In	Yes	
Stop on Condition	No	

Grid Variable Mapping	
Grid Column	Variable Name
TABLE_NAME	JV_TABLE_NAME
LOAD_TYPE	JV_LOADTYPE

Text Mode:

TABLE_NAME JV_TABLE_NAME LOAD_TYPE JV_LOADTYPE

SNS Message:

SNS Message		OK
Name	Value	
Name	SNS Success	
AWS Region	eu-north-1	
Topic Name	Matillion_Status	
Subject	AWS Notification Message	
Message	EXTRACTION AND CLEANING SUC	CESSFULLY C

Message for success:

EXTRACTION AND CLEANING SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETED

JOB ID:\${job id}

JOB NAME: \${job name}

MESSAGE:\${component message}

Message for failure:

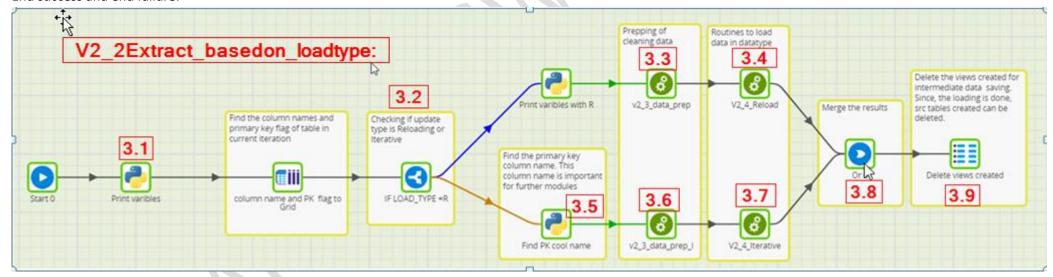
Needs attention!!! Job failed :-(

JOB ID:\${job_id}

JOB NAME: \${job_name}

MESSAGE:\${component_message}
DETAILED ERROR:\${detailed error}

End success and end failure:



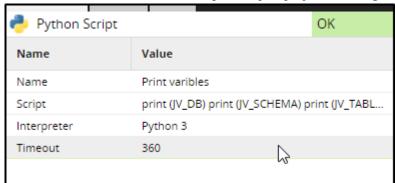
Create another Orchestration job: V2_2Extract_basedon_loadtype2

Man	nage Grid Variables		
	Name	Behaviour	Visibility
#	DES_COLUMNS	Shared	Public

Update Grid Vari	able		
Name: *	DES_COLUMNS		
Behaviour:	Shared		
Visibility:	Public		
Description:	This will have metadata	of the dest	
Column Name			Column Type
COI_name Primary_key			Text
	Text Mode:		
	COI_name	Text	
	Primary key	Text	

Update Grid \	/ariable		
Default Values:			
COI_name			Primary_key
ORDER_DETAI	LS_ID		Yes
ORDER_ID			No
ORDER_DATE			No
ORDER_TIME	B		No
(Text Mode: ORDER_DETAILS_ID ORDER_ID No ORDER_DATE No ORDER_TIME No	Yes	

3.1. Retrieve the column name and primary key of the table [table metadata to grid]

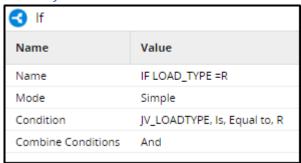


print (JV_DB)
print (JV_SCHEMA)
print (JV_TABLE_NAME)

Table Metadata To Grid:

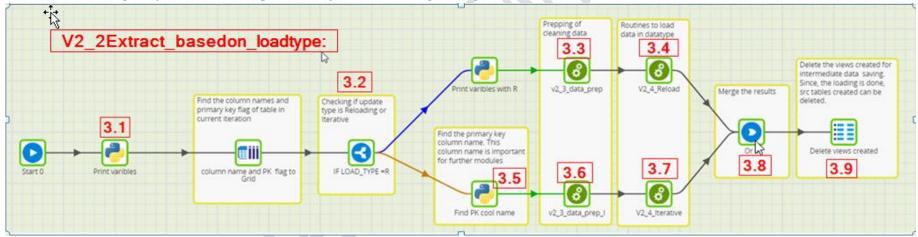
Table Metadata To Grid	
Name	Value
Name	column name and PK flag to Grid
Database	\${JV_DB}
Schema	\${JV_SCHEMA}
Grid Variable	DES_COLUMNS
Grid Variable Map	Name, Primary Key
Target Table	\${JV_TABLE_NAME}

3.2. Check if the table needs to be iterated or reloaded [IF component]



Con	dition			
	Input Variable	Qualifier	Comparator	Value
	JV_LOADTYPE	Is	Equal to	R

3.3. For R: Prepare /clean the data [Run transformation component]



Python component:

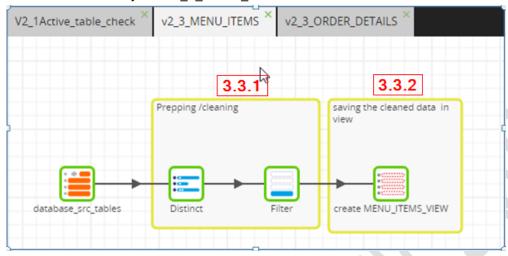
print (JV_DB)

print (JV_SCHEMA)

print (JV_TABLE_NAME)

print(context.getGridVariable('DES_COLUMNS'))

Create a Transformation job – V2_3_MENU_ITEMS



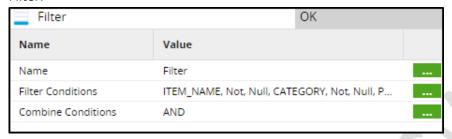
ä Table Inp	ut	OK
Name	Value	
Name	database_src_tables	
Database	RESTAURANTSALES	
Schema	RESTAURANT_DB	
Target Table	MENU_ITEMS	
Column Na	MENU_ITEM_ID, ITEM_NAME, CATEO	GORY, PRICE
Offset		

3.3.1. Cleaning [DISTINCT + FILTER NULLS]

Distinct:

Distinct		OK
Name	Value	
Name	Distinct	
Columns	MENU_ITEM_ID, ITEM_N	IAME, CATEGORY, PRICE

Filter:



Filter Condition (Text Mode)

ITEM_NAME Not Null CATEGORY Not Null

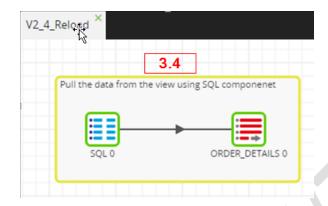
PRICE Not Null

3.3.2. Save it in a view [CREATE VIEW]

Create view:

Create View	
Name	Value
Name	create MENU_ITEMS_VIEW
Database	RESTAURANTSALES
Schema	RESTAURANT_DB_DES
View Name	MENU_ITEMS_VIEW
Secure View	No 13
View Type	Standard

Create a Transformation job - V2 4 Reload



• Configure job variables:

JV_DBText Shared Public RESTAURANTSALES

JV_SCHEMA Text Shared Public RESTAURANT_DB

JV_TABLE_NAME Text Shared Public MENU_ITEMS

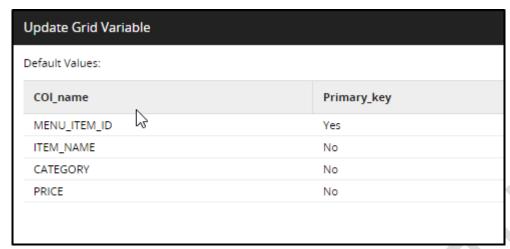
configure grid variable
 DES_COLUMNS grid variables

IVIC	mage drid variables					•	
	Name	Behaviour	Visibility	Columns	Values		
+	DES_COLUMNS	Shared	Public	2	2	×	

Update Grid Variable			
Name: *	DES_COLUMNS		
Behaviour:	Shared		
Visibility:	Public		
Description:			
		I	
Column Name		Column Ty	pe
COI_name		Text	
Primary_key		Text	

TEST mode:

COI_name Text
Primary_key Text



TExt mode:

MENU_ITEM_ID Yes
ITEM_NAME No
CATEGORY No
PRICE No

• SQL:

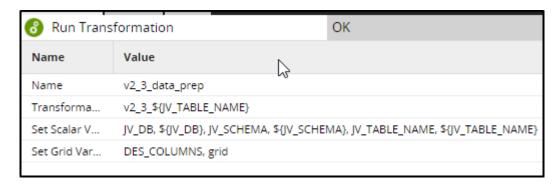


SELECT * FROM RESTAURANTSALES.RESTAURANT_DB_DES.\${JV_TABLE_NAME}_VIEW

Table output: - write an input data flow out to an existing output table.

☐ Table Output ☐		
Jame	Value	
Name	ORDER_DETAILS 0	
Warehouse	COMPUTE_WH	
Database	\${JV_DB}	
Schema	\${JV_SCHEMA}_DES	
Target Table	\${JV_TABLE_NAME}_DES	
Fix Data Ty	No	
Column M	III DES_COLUMNS, COI_name, COI	
Order By		
Truncate	Truncate	

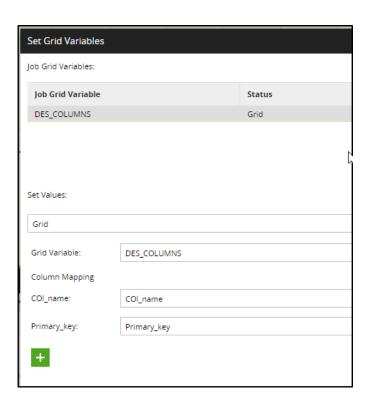
Column Mapping	
Grid Variable:	DES_COLUMNS
Column Mapping	
Input Column:	COI_name
Output Column:	COI_name



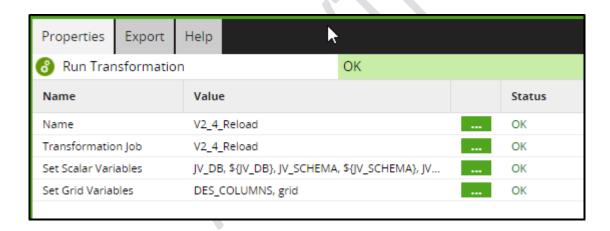
v2_3_\${JV_TABLE_NAME}

Text Mode:

JV_DB \${JV_DB}
JV_SCHEMA \${JV_SCHEMA}
JV_TABLE_NAME \${JV_TABLE_NAME}



3.4. For R: Load the data from the VIEW into the destination database [RUN transformation component]

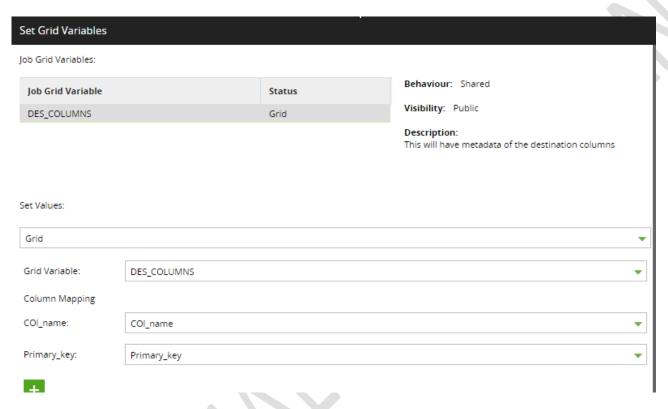


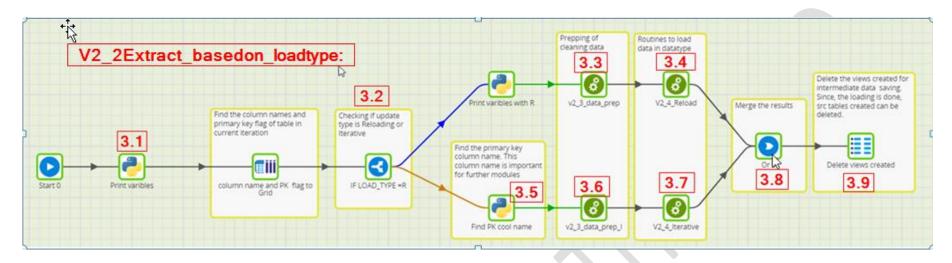
set scalar variable:

JV_DB \${JV_DB}

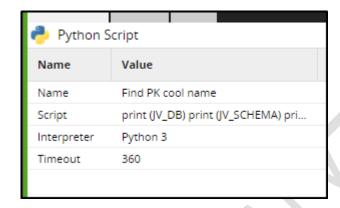
JV_SCHEMA \${JV_SCHEMA}

JV_TABLE_NAME \${JV_TABLE_NAME}





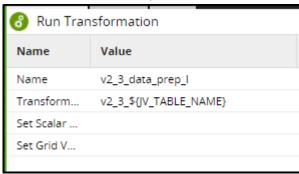
3.5. For I: Identify the name of the primary key using the flag [Python script] Python script:



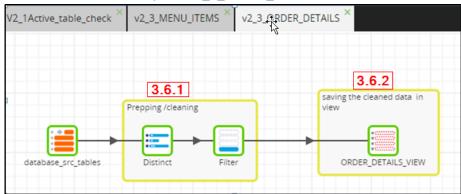
for i in context.getGridVariable('DES_COLUMNS'):
 if i[1]=='Yes':
 context.updateVariable('JV_PRIMARYKEY', i[0])
 print(JV_PRIMARYKEY)

3.6. For I: Prepare /clean the data [Run transformation component]

Run transformation component:



Create a Transformation job – V2_3_ORDER_DETAILS



adding variables:

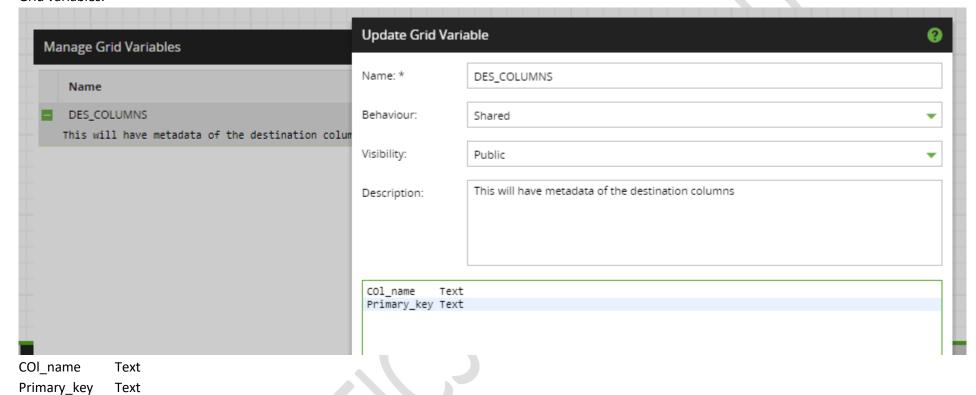
text mode:

JV_DB Text Shared Public RESTAURANTSALES

JV_SCHEMA Text Shared Public RESTAURANT_DB

JV_TABLE_NAME Text Shared Public ORDER_DETAILS

Grid variables:



Values:

ORDER_DETAILS_ID Yes

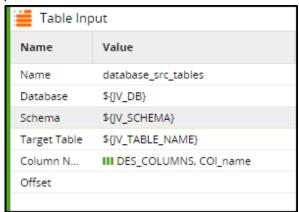
ORDER_ID No

ORDER_DATE No

ORDER_TIME No

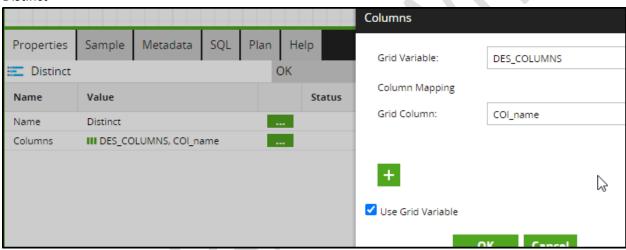
ITEM_ID No

Table input:



3.6.1. Cleaning [DISTINCT + FILTER NULLS]

Distinct



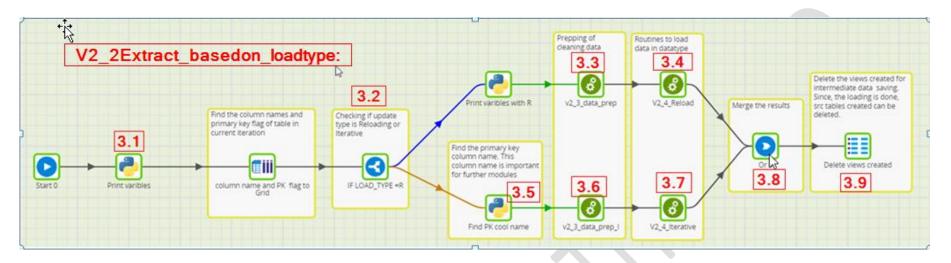
Filter

Filter	
Name	Value
Name	Filter
Filter Con	ITEM_ID, Not, Ilike, NULL
Combine	AND

3.6.2. Save it in a view [CREATE VIEW]

View

Create View	
Name	Value
Name	ORDER_DETAILS_VIEW
Database	RESTAURANTSALES
Schema	RESTAURANT_DB_DES
View Name	\${JV_TABLE_NAME}_VIEW
Secure View	No
View Type	Standard



3.7. For I: Load the data from the VIEW into the destination database [RUN transformation component]

Create a Transformation job – V2_4_Iterative

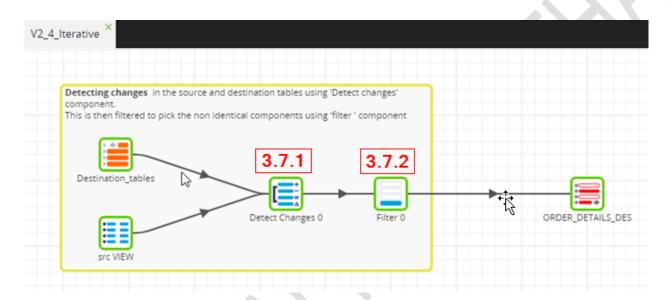
Copy the Grid variables and Job variables





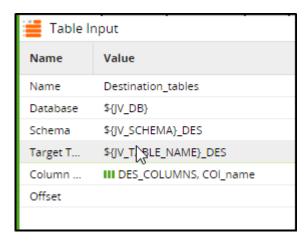
Run transformation component:

Run Transformation OK		
Name	Value	
Name	V2_4_Iterative	B
Transfor	V2_4_Iterative	
Set Scala	JV_DB, \${JV_DB}, JV_SCHEMA, \${JV_SCHEMA	A}, JV_T
Set Grid	DES_COLUMNS, grid	



3.7.1. Detect changes [Detect changes]

Table input:

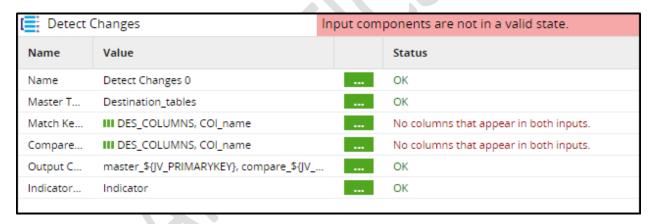


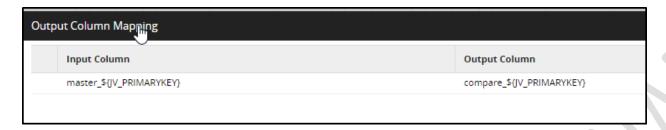
SQL query

SELECT * FROM RESTAURANTSALES.RESTAURANT_DB_DES.\${JV_TABLE_NAME}_VIEW

Detect changes

Don't worry about the errors at this point. It's because these don't have columns its searching for. Once the iteration start, the right columns will come in.



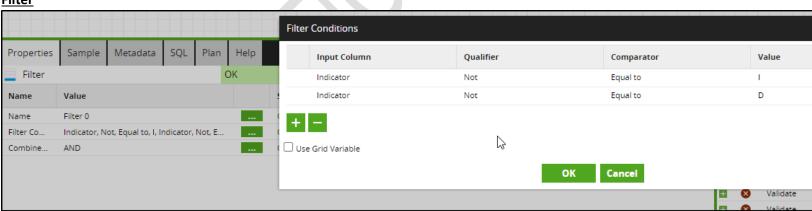


Test mode:

master_\${JV_PRIMARYKEY} compare_\${JV_PRIMARYKEY}

3.7.2. Filter rows that need to be Upserted [filter]

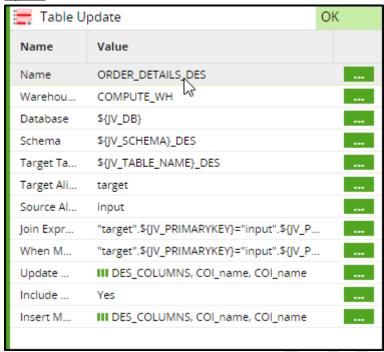
<u>Filter</u>



Text mode:

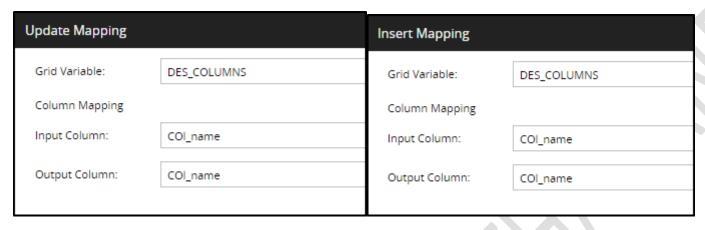
Indicator Not Equal to I Indicator Not Equal to D

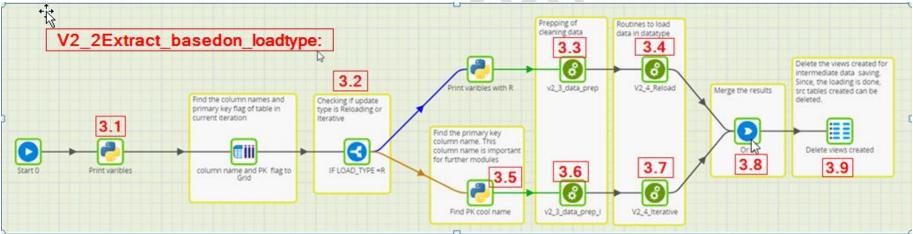
Upsert



JOIN expression: "target".\${JV_PRIMARYKEY}="input".\${JV_PRIMARYKEY}

WHEN marched: "target".\${JV_PRIMARYKEY}="input".\${JV_PRIMARYKEY} Update





- 3.8. Irrespective of R or I, the pipeline needs to be merged [OR]
 OR
- 3.9. Since the cleaning and loading is completed, Unnecessary data/structure is removed [SQL SCRIPT] SQL script

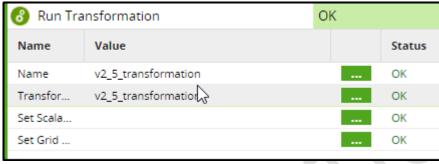


Script:

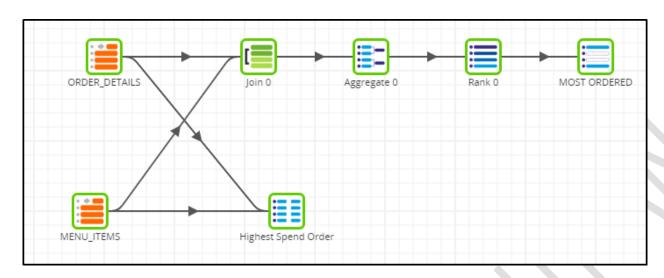
DROP VIEW \${JV_DB}.\${JV_SCHEMA}_DES.\${JV_TABLE_NAME}_VIEW;

-- TRUNCATE TABLE \${JV_DB}.\${JV_SCHEMA}.\${JV_TABLE_NAME}

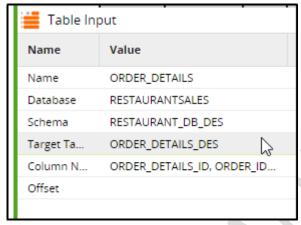
4. You can perform transformations to retrieve value /KPI OR use the data as input to any visualization tool. [RUN transformation component]



Create Transformation Job – V2_5_Tranformation



ORDER DETAILS/Menu Items:



JOIN:

Properties	Sample	Metadata	SQL	Plan	Help	
[Join		•		(OK	
Name	Val	Value				
Name	Joir	Join 0				
Main Table	OR	ORDER_DETAILS				
Main Table Ali	as ord	order_details				
Joins	ME	MENU_ITEMS, Menu_items, Inner				
Join Expression	ns "or	"order_details"."ITEM_ID"="Menu_items"."MENU_ITEM_ID", order_details				
Output Colum	ns ord	$order_details. ORDER_DETAILS_ID, ORDER_DETAILS_ID, order_details. ORDER_DETAILS_ID, order_details$				

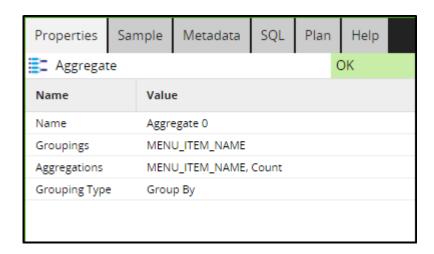
JOINS: "order_details"."ITEM_ID"="Menu_items"."MENU_ITEM_ID"

JOIN Expression: "order_details"."ITEM_ID"="Menu_items"."MENU_ITEM_ID"

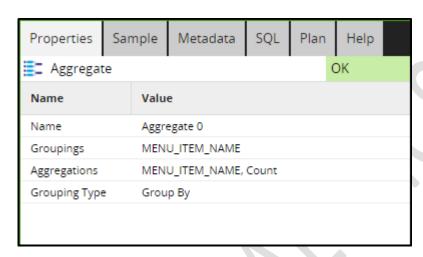
OUTPUT COLUMS:

ORDER_DETAILS_ID $order_details.ORDER_DETAILS_ID$ order_details.ORDER_ID ORDER_ID $order_details. ORDER_DATE$ ORDER_DATE $order_details. ORDER_TIME$ ORDER_TIME order_details.ITEM_ID ITEM_ID Menu_items.MENU_ITEM_ID MENU_ITEM_ID MENU_ITEM_NAME Menu_items.ITEM_NAME Menu_items.CATEGORYMENU_CATEGORY Menu_items.PRICE MENU_PRICE

AGGREGATE:



RANK:



FIRST/LAST:

First/Last					
Name	Value				
Name	MOST ORDERED				
Grouping Colu	MENU_ITEM_NAME				
Ordering within	DenseRank, Asc				
First/Last Colu	DenseRank, First				
Ignore Nulls	No				

SQL:

First/Last				
Name	Value			
Name	MOST ORDERED			
Grouping Colu	MENU_ITEM_NAME			
Ordering within	DenseRank, Asc			
First/Last Colu	DenseRank, First			
Ignore Nulls	No			

SELECT OD.order_ID, SUM(PRICE) ORDER_SPEND FROM RESTAURANTSALES.RESTAURANT_DB_DES.ORDER_DETAILS_DES OD INNER JOIN RESTAURANTSALES.RESTAURANT_DB_DES.MENU_ITEMS_DES MI
ON OD.ITEM_ID=MI.MENU_ITEM_ID
GROUP BY order_ID
ORDER BY 2 DESC LIMIT 1

SNS Message: Same as first SNS

Input to Viz tool:

You could use this data you stored in the destination database (in snowflake) as input to any visualization tool.

Here, we will just integrate with power BI and if time permits we can change the data src to new destination database.

GIT Integration:

https://docs.matillion.com/data-productivity-cloud/designer/docs/git-overview/

Scheduling:

- Project>schedules>add schedules>create new schedules
- Uses Cron expressions
- https://docs.matillion.com/data-productivity-cloud/designer/docs/schedules/

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