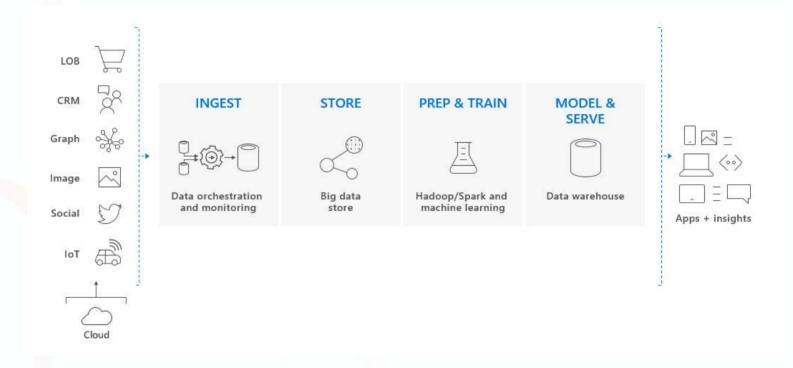
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Agenda

- Data Analytics Evolution
- Data Lake Evolution
- Azure Synapse Analytics
- SQL DW / Dedicated SQL Pool
- Implementation Issues
- References

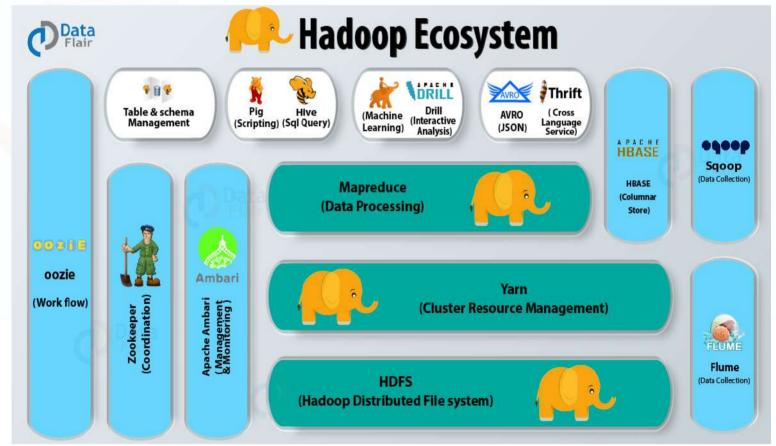
Data Analytics Evolution

Data Warehouse Solution



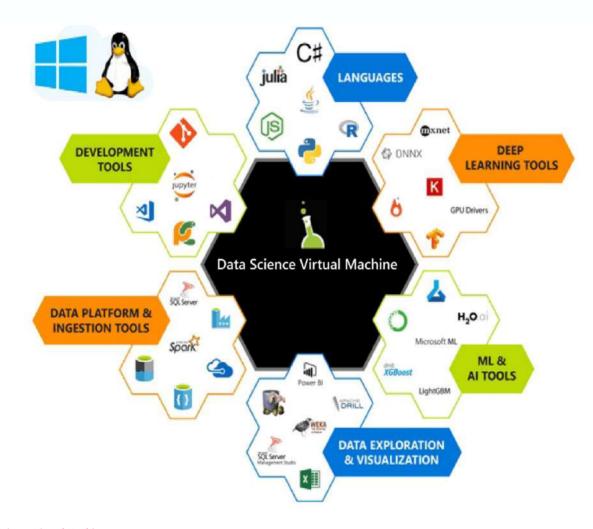
Apache Hadoop Ecosystem

- 根據 Google 在 2003 年發表的 Google File System 論文而開發
 主要包含 Hadoop Distributed File System (HDFS) 與 MapReduce Engine



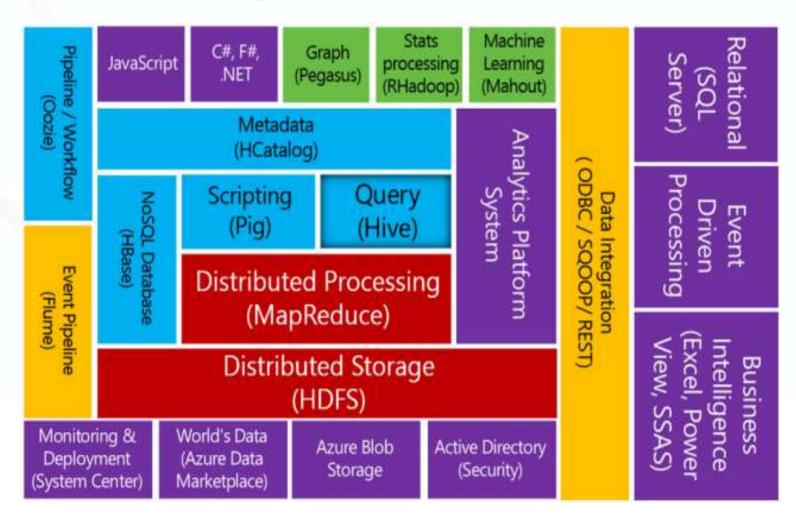
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Azure Data Science Virtual Machine

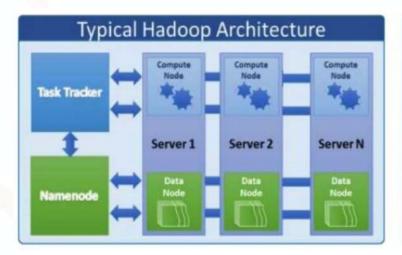


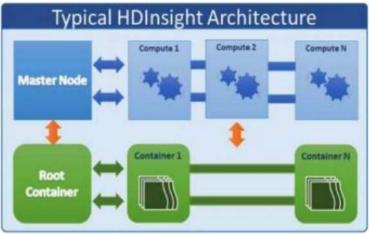
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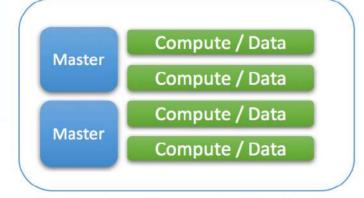
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Apache Hadoop vs. Azure HDInsight







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HDInsight Architecture

On-Premises Hadoop Architecture

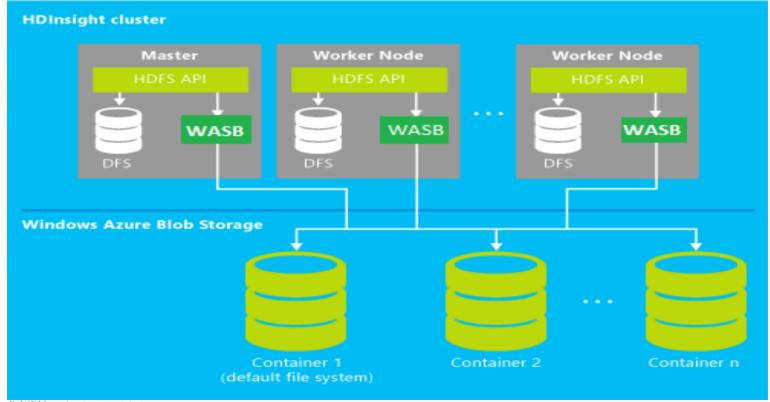
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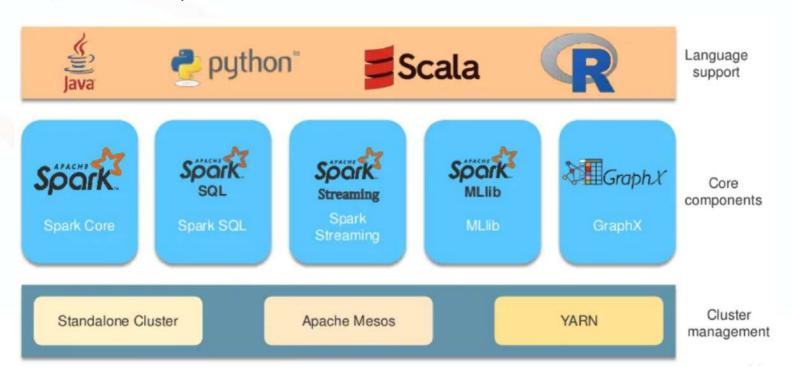
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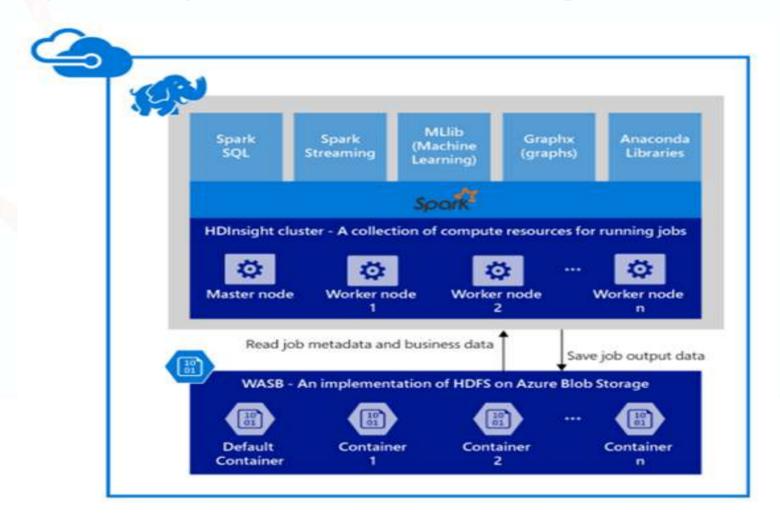
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Apache Spark

- 2009 年開發
- 2010 年 Open Source
 2013 年捐給 Apache Software Foundation



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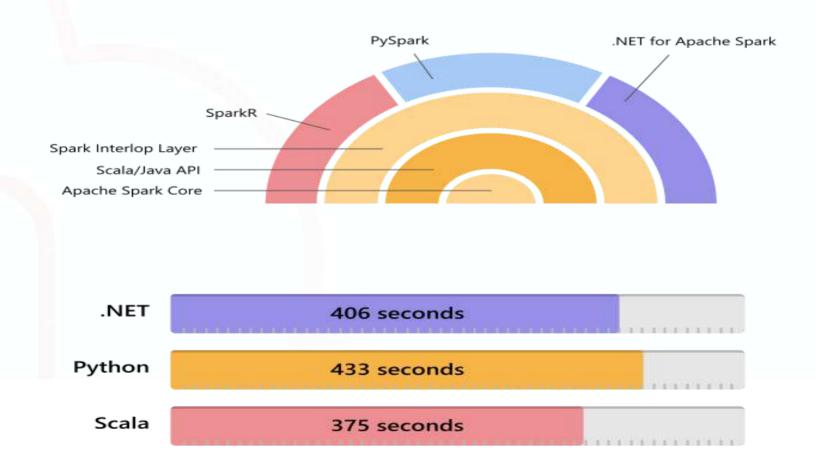
abfs:

- Azure Blob File System
- HDFS File System Driver Compatible with Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2

Store Type	File System	Speed	Transient	Use Cases
Azure Blob Storage	wasb://url/	Standard	Yes	Transient cluster
Azure Blob Storage (secure)	wasbs://url/	Standard	Yes	Transient cluster
Azure Data Lake Storage Gen 2	abfs://url/	Faster	Yes	Transient cluster
Azure Data Lake Storage Gen 1	adl://url/	Faster	Yes	Transient cluster
Local HDFS	hdfs://url/	Fastest	No	Interactive 24/7 cluster

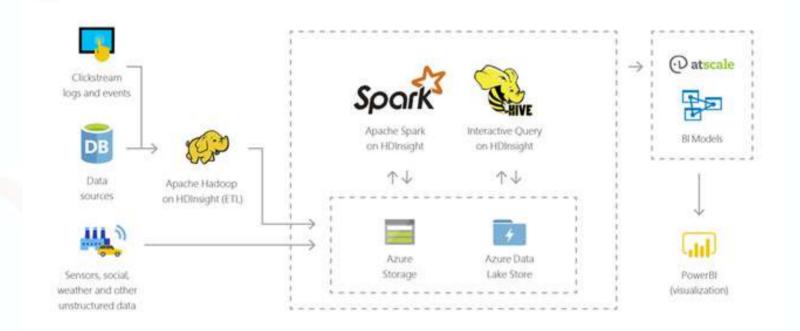
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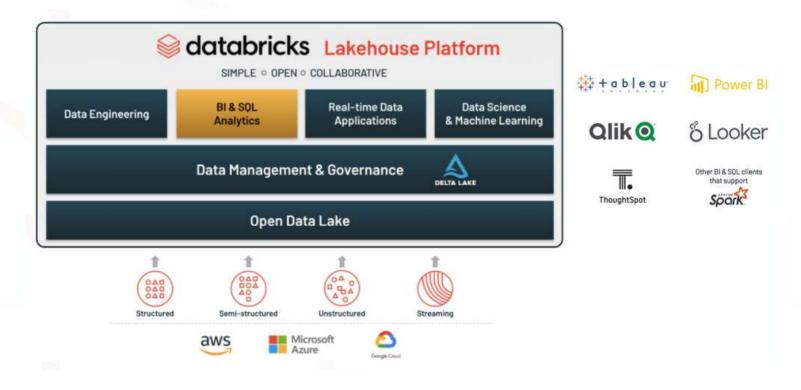
Azure HDInsight and Datawarehouse



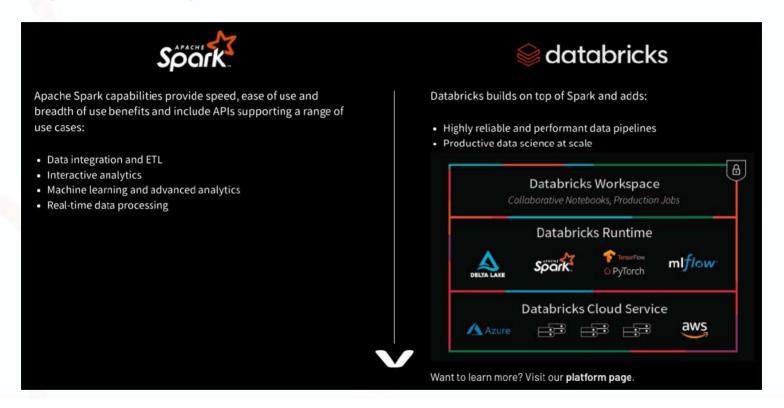
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Databricks

- 由 Apache Spark 原始開發者建立
 同時也開發 Delta Lake、MLflow、與 Koalas 等知名 Open Source 專案
 2017 年 11 月推出與 Microsoft Azure 整合的 Azure Databricks 平台



Apache Spark vs. Databricks

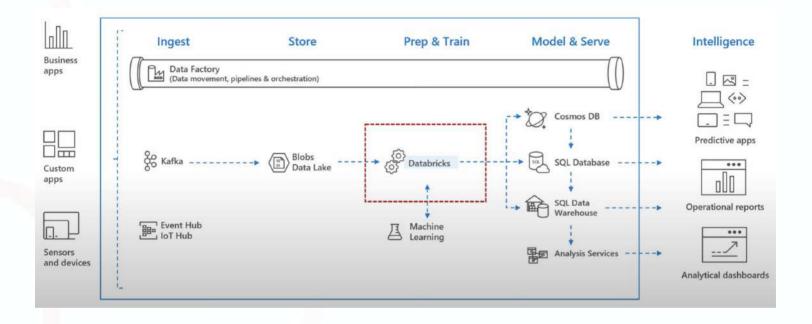


Spark Comparisons

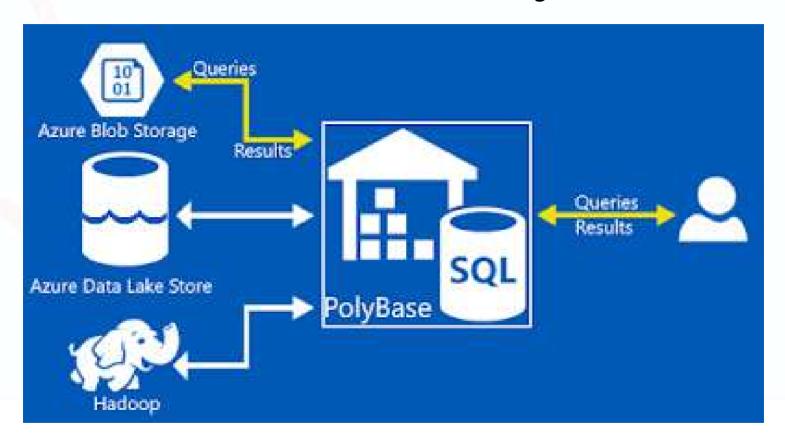
Apache Spark vs. Azure HDInsight vs. Azure Databricks vs. Synapse Spark:

	Apache Spark	HDInsight	Azure Databricks	Synapse Spark
WHAT	Is an Open Source memory optimized system for managing big data workloads	Microsoft implementation of Open Source Spark managed within the realms of Azure	A managed Spark as a Service solution	Embedded Spark capability within Azure Synapse Analytics
WHEN	When you want to benefits of spark for big data processing and/or data science work without the Service Level Agreements of a provider	When you want to benefits of OSS spark with the Service Level Agreement of a provider	Provides end to end data engineering and data science solution and management platform	Enables organizations without existing Spark implementations to fire up a Spark cluster to meet data engineering needs without the overheads of the other Spark platforms listed
WHO	Open Source Professionals	Open Source Professionals wanting SLA's and Microsoft Data Platform experts	Data Engineers and Data Scientists working on big data projects every day	Data Engineers, Data Scientists, Data Platform experts and Data Analysts
WHY	To overcome the limitations of SMP systems imposed on big data workloads	To take advantage of the OSS Big Data Analytics platform with SLA's in place to ensure business continuity	It provides the ability to create and manage an end to end big data/data science project using one platform	It provides the ability to scale efficiently with spark clusters within a one stop shop DataWarehousing platform of Synapse.

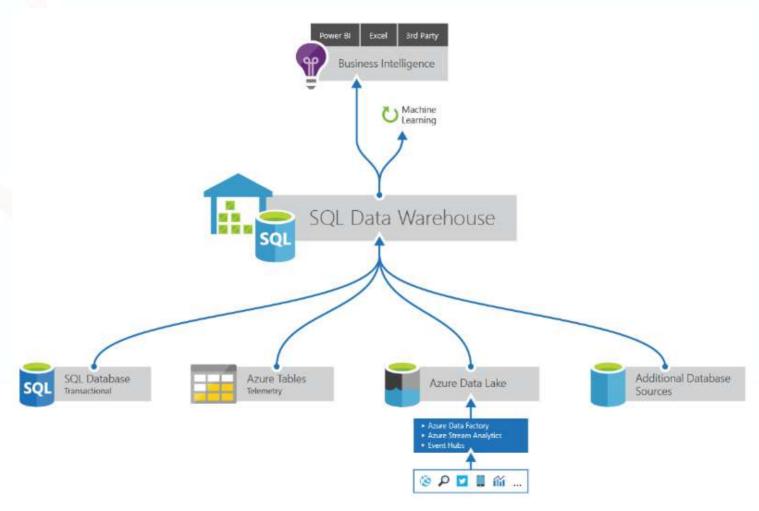
Azure Databricks and Data Warehouse



Microsoft SQL Server and PolyBase



Azure SQL Data Warehouse (SQL DW)



Data Lake Evolution

Database / Data Warehouse / Data Lake

Database:

- 比較 Operational 的 DataData 可以新增刪除修改

Data Warehouse:

- 比較 Analytical 的 Data, Quality 比較好的 Data
 Data 原則上是處理過的,不會刪除,不會修改,只會增加
 通常是 Database 的 Data 累積一段時間之後,再轉到 Data Warehouse
 Subject-Oriented、Integrated、Time-Variant、與 Non-Volatile
 是一種結構化的、可以分析查詢的 Transactional Data Copy
 經常用來產生 Report 或 Dashboard

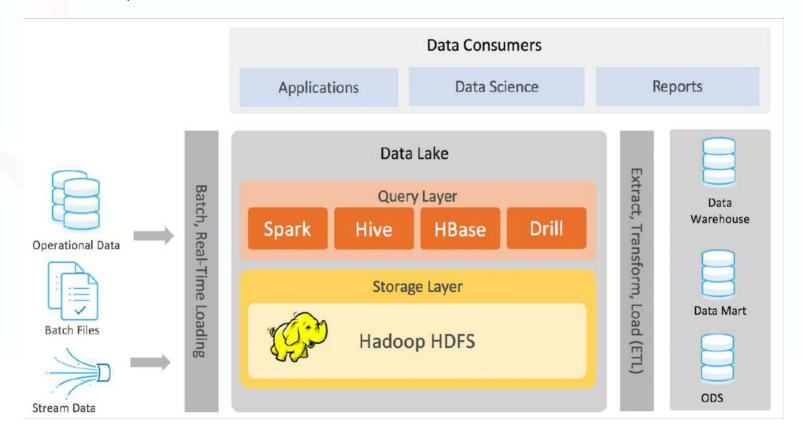
Data Lake:

- Repositories for Big Data in Its Native Form
 儲存各種 Un-Structured Data / Semi-Structured / Structured Data 的大型 **Data Storage**
- 不預先定義 Data 儲存的目的,或者說儲存就是它的目的
- 會比較在平成本效為

參考資料: 資料食儲的類型

Hadoop Data Lake Architecture

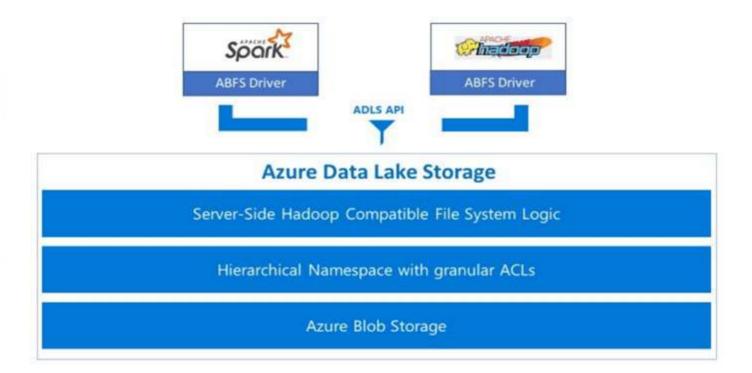
Hadoop 是常見的一種 Data Lake 實現方式



Azure Data Lake Storage Architecture

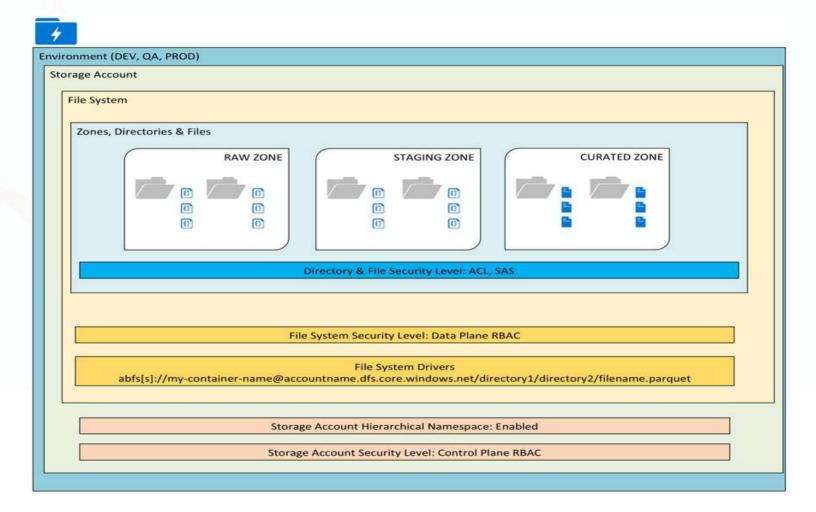
- File System Support Encryption of Data in Transit Encryption of Data at Rest Storage Account Firewall

- Compatible with HDFS
- Virtual Network Integration
 Role-Based Access Security
 Hierarchical Namespace



參考資料: What's new in Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2

Azure Data Lake Storage Layered Design



參考資料: Designing an Azure Data Lake Store Gen2

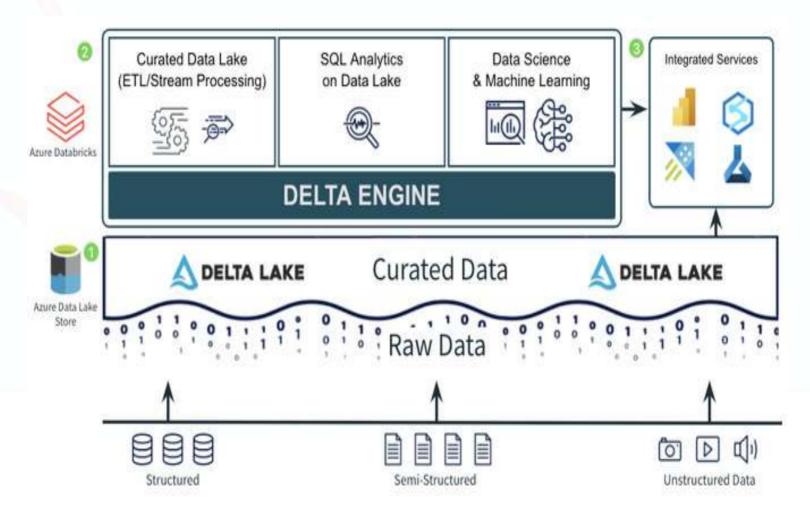
Databricks Delta Data Lake Architecture

• Databricks 的 Open Source Data Lake 實現方式



參考資料: Data Lake or Warehouse? Databricks Offers a Third Way

Data Lake + Warehouse = Lakehouse



Extract - Transform - Load (ETL)

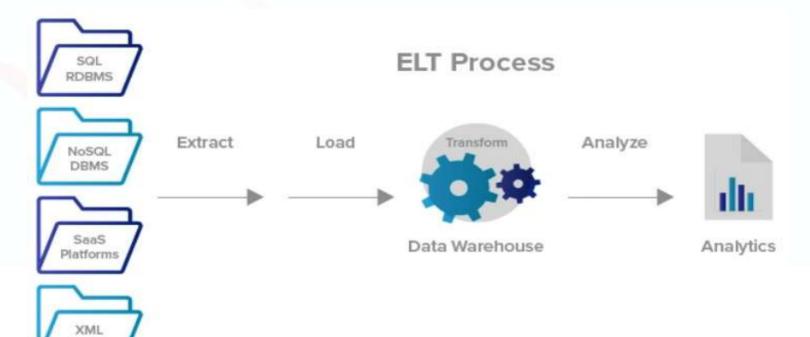
- 習慣上會先把 Data Extract 到所謂的 Staging Area,進行 Transform,再 Load 到 Data Warehouse 裡頭
- 通常處理 On-Premises 的 Relational Structured Data
- 比較不支援 Data Lake 的作法



參考資料: ETL vs ELT: 5 Critical Differences

Extract - Load - Transform (ELT)

- Data 直接 Extract 之後就 Load 到 Data Warehouse, 然後在 Data Warehouse 裡面進行 Transform
- 比較貼近在 Cloud 同時處理 Structured 與 Unstructured Data 的想法
 比較支援 Data Lake 的作法
 也比較適合處理 Big Data 進行分析



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Files

Azure Synapse Analytics

Azure Synapse Analytics

Limitless Analytics Service with Unmatched Time to Insight.

- SQL DW: Data Warehouse
 Apache Spark / Azure Databricks: Big Data Analytics
 Azure Synapse: Data Ware House + Big Data Analytics



參考資料:微軟推出Azure Synapse Analytics以串連分析系統、資料倉儲

Azure Synapse Studio

- Web-Based Single Hub of Azure Synapse Analytics

- Ingest / Explore / Prepare / Train / Analyze / Visualize Data
 不需要知道 Data Schema 就可以進行 Data Exploration
 透過 Knowledge Center 提供無止盡的 Learning Material / Sample Code / Template / Azure Open Dataset / Pipeline
- 內建 Pipeline Template 可以整合各種 Data Source

- 可以建立 Data Pipeline 進行 ETL
 內建 AI / ML 功能,不需要另外整合 Azure ML 或是 Cognitive Services
 以前的 SQL DW 變成現在 Built-in 的 Serverless SQL Pool
 可以根據專案需求自己建立一或多個 Dedicated SQL Pool
 SQL Pool 以 Columnar Format 儲存 Data,搭配 CLUSTERED COLUMNSTORE INDEX 會有更好的 Performance
- SQL Pool 直接可以使用 PREDICT Function 在 Query 中進行 Prediction
- Apache Spark Pool 可以使用 C# / Python / Scala / Spark SQL 語言,支援 Spark ML 與 Spart Streaming
- 整合 AutoML, 而且可以直接使用 Serverless Apache Spark Pool
 可以存取 Azure Machine Learning Model Registry 直接進行 Model Scoring, 不需要將 Data 搬進搬出
- 透過 Cognitive Services 可以 Enrich Data支援與 Jupyter 相同的 Notebook 格式
- 整合 Power BI,可以直接使用 Power BI 的 Dataset / Report / Dashboard 功能

Why Azure Synapse Analytics

Implementing an end-to-end analytics solution in Azure costs up to 13 percent less compared to AWS, up to 49 percent less compared to Google.

The Four Offerings of the Vendor Stacks for Dedicated Compute

	Vendor Offering	Pricing Used
1	Azure Synapse Analytics Workspace	Pay as you go (\$1.20/hour per 100 DWU) ²
aws	Amazon Redshift RA3	1-year commitment all-upfront (\$8.61 effective hourly) ³
٥	Google BigQuery	Annual slot commitment (\$1,700 per 100 slots) ⁴
*	Snowflake Computing	Enterprise+ (\$4.00 per hour per credit) ⁵

The Four Offerings of the Vendor Stacks for Storage

	Vendor Offering	Pricing Used
A	Azure Synapse Analytics SQL Pool	\$0.023 per GB-month ⁶
aws	Amazon Redshift Managed Storage	\$0.024 per GB-month ⁷
0	Google BigQuery Storage	\$0.023 per GB-month (uncompressed) ⁸
**	Snowflake Computing Storage	\$0.04 per GB-month ⁹

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Before vs. After Azure Synapse Analytics



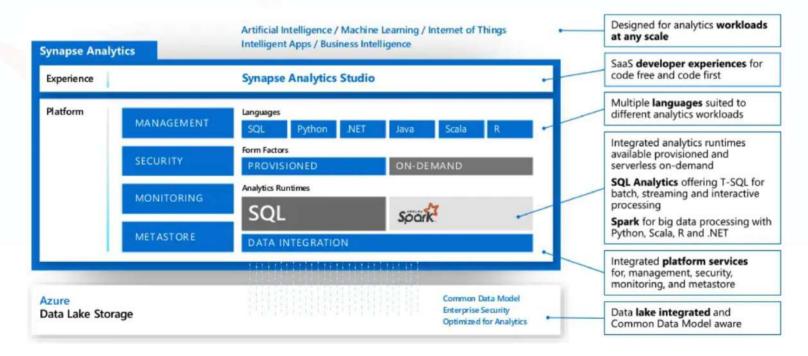
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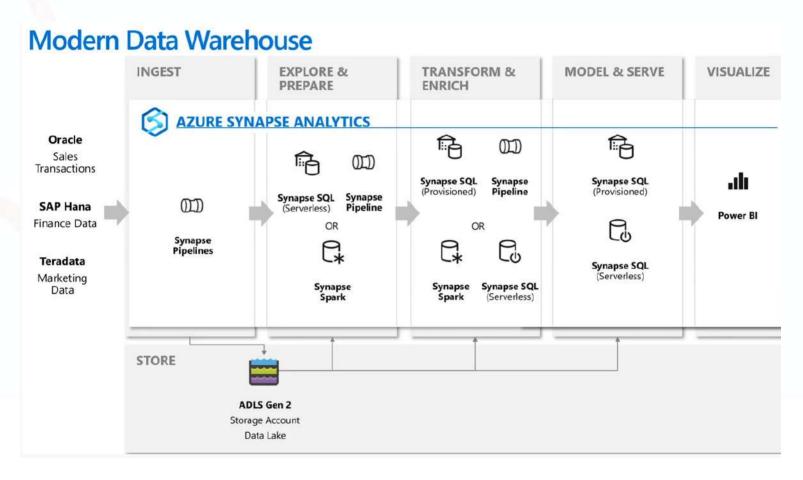
- Data Storage 集中存放在 Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2 之上
 ETL/ELT 提供比 Azure Data Factory 更簡單好用的 Synapse Pipeline
 Data Analysis 提供 SQL-Based Runtime 與 Apache Spark Runtime
 Security 直接整合 Azure Active Directory
 透過 Linked Service 架構整合各種 Data Source 與 Cloud Service

- 所有一切功能都整合在 Synapse Studio 之內



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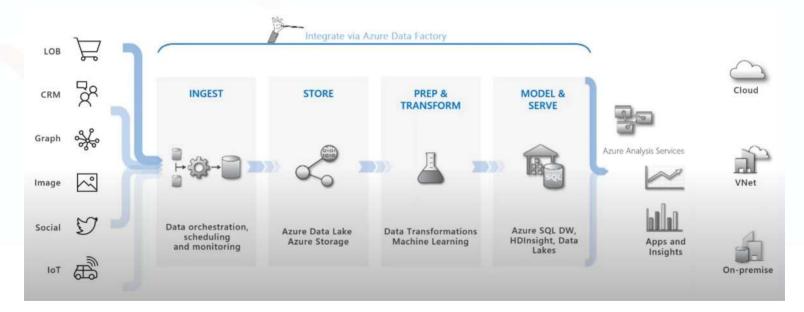
Before vs. After (Detailed Edition)



Data Warehouse/Analytics Solution

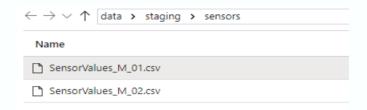
- Data Source: File / File Server / Database Server / Web / IoT

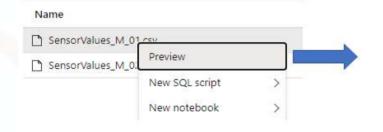
- Ingest: Synapse Pipeline / SQL BULK COPY
 Store: Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2
 Prepare & Train: Apache Spark Pool
 Model & Serve: Serverless SQL Pool (Metadata) / Dedicated SQL Pool (Data)
 Apps + Insights: Power BI / Tableau / Azure Service / O365 Service / Others



Explore Data

收集:Azure Stream Analytics 儲存:Azure Data Lake Storage 預覽:Synapse Studio





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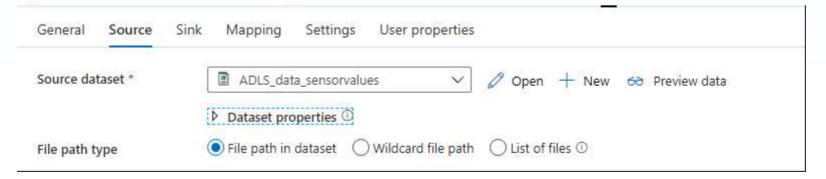
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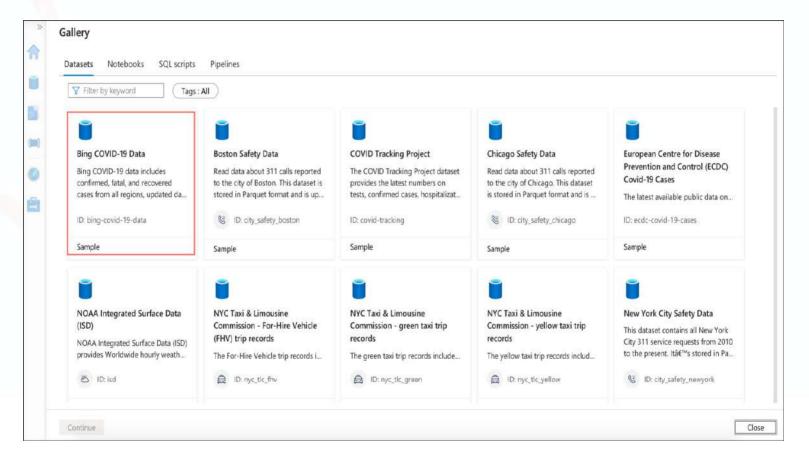
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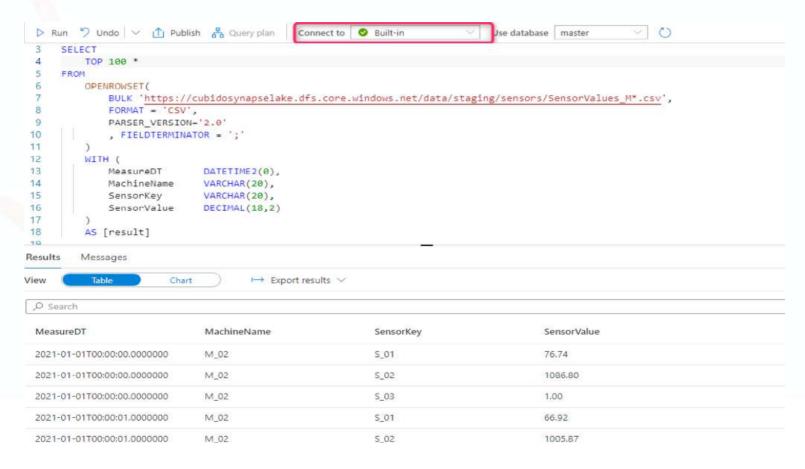
Synapse Pipeline



Knowledge Center Gallery



Query Data



Different Options of Compute / Query

Azure Synapse Analytics 整合了:

- Data Lake
- Data Warehouse
- Big Data Analytics

Azure Synapse Analytics 提供三種 Query Service:

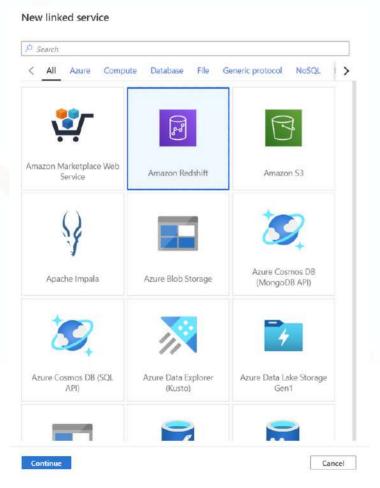
- Dedicated SQL Pool (原來的 SQL DW,底下的 Provisoned SQL)
 Serverless On-Demand SQL Pool (支援 Unstructured Data)
 Serverless Apache Spark Pool (Distributed In-Memory Computing)

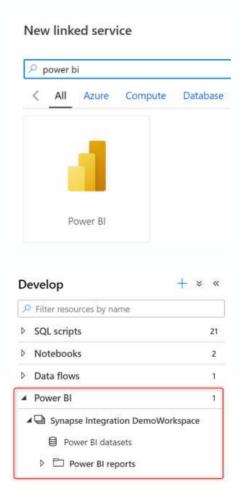
	Relational Data	ADLS Gen2	Spark Table	Cosmos DB
Provisioned SQL	Υ	Y (external table)	Soon (parquet format)	X
On-demand SQL	X	Υ	Y (parquet format)	Y (Synapse link)
Spark	Υ	Υ	Υ	Y (Synapse link)

SQL pool supported file formats in ADLS Gen2 are parquet, csv, json (Spark supports many more formats)

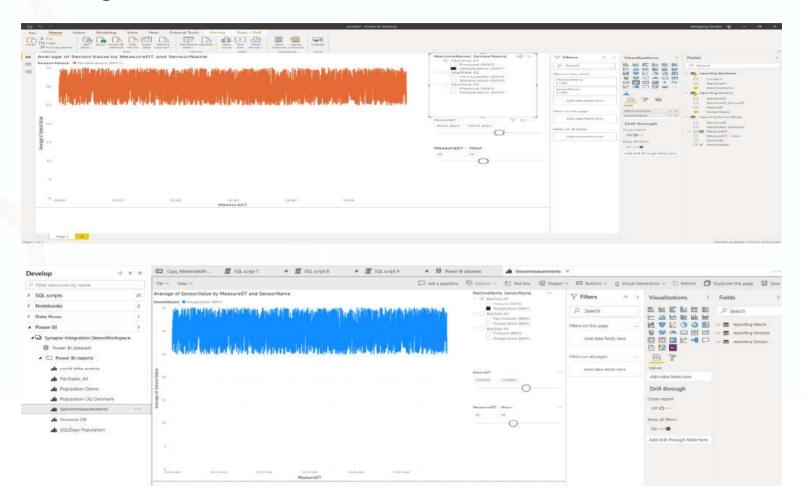
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Linked Service





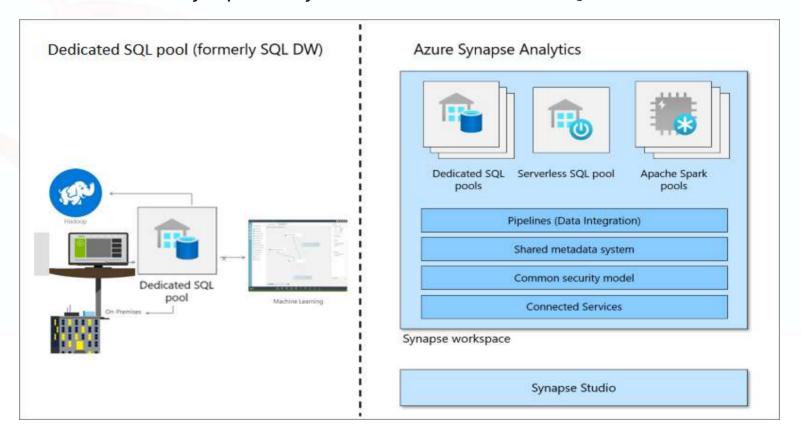
Analyze & Visualize Data



SQL DW / Dedicated SQL Pool

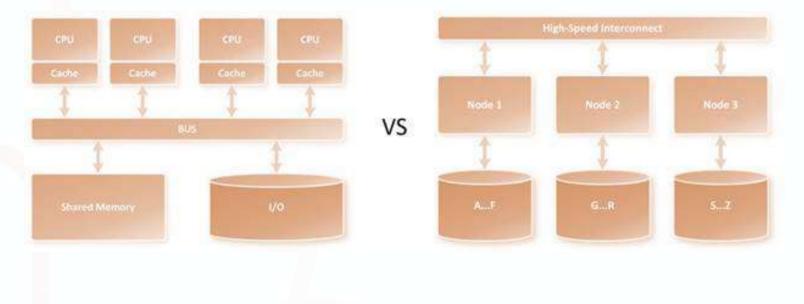
SQL DW vs. Azure Synapse Analytics

- 之前叫 SQL Data Warehouse現在是 Azure Synapse Analytics 裡面的一個 Dedicated SQL Pool

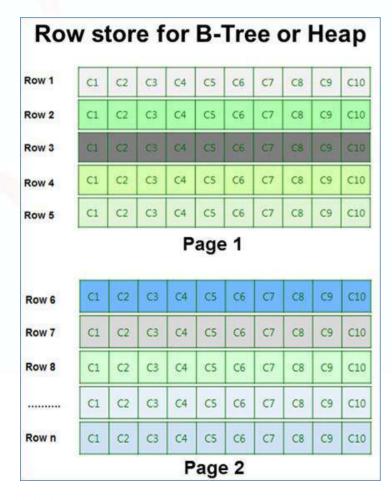


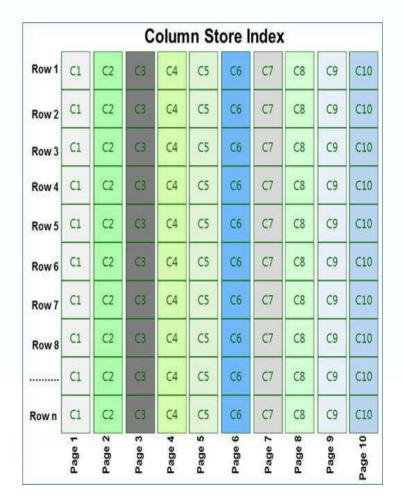
Shared-Memory vs. Shared-Nothing

• SQL DW 採用 Massively Parallel Processing 架構



Row Store vs. Column Store





參考資料: Understanding New Column Store Index of SQL Server 2012

Separated Compute/Storage

- 由 1 個 Control Node (Master) + 1 或 多個 Compute Node (Slave) 組成
 Compute Node 數目由 Data Warehouse Unit (DWU) 決定
 支援 PolyBase T-SQL Query Language
 透過 Distributed Query Engine 進行 High-Performance Analytics

Synapse SQL MPP architecture components Application or User connection Control Node Synapse SQL leverages a scale-out architecture to distribute Massively Parallel Processing (MPP) Engine computational processing of data across multiple nodes. The unit of scale is an abstraction of compute power that is known as a data warehouse unit. Compute is separate from storage, which Compute Compute Compute Compute enables you to scale compute Node Node Node Node independently of the data in your system. Azure Storage

參考資料: Dedicated SQL pool (formerly SQL DW) architecture in Azure Synapse Analytics

DWU vs. SLO vs. Performance Tier

Data Warehouse Unit (DWU):

- 是 CPU、Memory、與 I/O 的組合
 Abstract Normalized Measure of Compute Resources and Performance
 調整 Service Level Objective 就會改變 Data Warehouse Unit
 改變 Data Warehouse Unit 不會影響 Storage Cost

Service Level Objective (SLO):

- Scalability Setting of Cost and Performance Level
 Gen1 的 SLO 以 Data Warehouse Unit (DWU) 量測
 Gen2 的 SLO 以 Compute Data Warehouse Unit (cDWU) 量測

Performance Tier:

- 分爲 Gen1 (DW100-DW6000) 與 Gen2 (DW100c-DW30000c) 兩種
- Gen2 提供 Local Disk-Based Cache,所以 Performance 更好
- 之前使用 Gen1 部分原因是 Gen2 只支援比較高的 DWU (Gen2 現在支援 DW100c)

- SQL-DW DWU x 7.5 = SQL Server Required DTU
 SQL-DW cDWU x 9 = SQL Server Required DTU
 SQL Server DTU 上限預設 54,000 (DW6000c), 更高就要開 Support Ticket
- SQL DB Contributor 與 SQL Server Contributor 這兩種 Role 才能調整

Service Level vs. Compute Nodes

Performance Level	Compute Nodes	Distributions / Compute Node	Memory / Data Warehouse (GB)
DW100c	1	60	60
DW200c	1	60	120
DW300c	1	60	180
DW400c	1	60	240
DW500c	1	60	300
DW1000c	2	30	600
DW1500c	3	20	900
DW2000c	4	15	1200
DW2500c	5	12	1500
DW3000c	6	10	1800
DW5000c	10	6	3000
DW6000c	12	5	3600
DW7500c	15	4	4500
DW10000c	20	3	6000
DW15000c	30	2	9000
DW30000c	60	1	18000

Dedicated SQL Pool Pricing

Service Level	DWU	Pay As You Go (隨用隨付)	1 Year RC (節省約 37%)	3 Year RC (節省約 65%)
DW100c	100	NT\$54.399/hour	NT\$34.2709/hour	NT\$19.0391/hour
DW200c	200	NT\$108.797/hour	NT\$68.5417/hour	NT\$38.0781/hour
DW300c	300	NT\$163.195/hour	NT\$102.8125/hour	NT\$57.1172/hour
DW400c	400	NT\$217.593/hour	NT\$137.0833/hour	NT\$76.1562/hour
DW500c	500	NT\$271.991/hour	NT\$171.3541/hour	NT\$95.1952/hour
DW1000c	1000	NT\$543.982/hour	NT\$342.7081/hour	NT\$190.3904/hour
DW1500c	1500	NT\$815.972/hour	NT\$514.0621/hour	NT\$285.5856/hour
DW2000c	2000	NT\$1,087.963/hour	NT\$685.4161/hour	NT\$380.7808/hour
DW2500c	2500	NT\$1,359.953/hour	NT\$856.7702/hour	NT\$475.9759/hour
DW3000c	3000	NT\$1,631.944/hour	NT\$1,028.1242/hour	NT\$571.1711/hour
DW5000c	5000	NT\$2,719.906/hour	NT\$1,713.5403/hour	NT\$951.9518/hour
DW6000c	6000	NT\$3,263.887/hour	NT\$2,056.2483/hour	NT\$1,142.3422/hour
DW7500c	7500	NT\$4,079.858/hour	NT\$2,570.3104/hour	NT\$1,427.9277/hour
DW10000c	10000	NT\$5,439.811/hour	NT\$3,427.0805/hour	NT\$1,903.9036/hour
DW15000c	15000	NT\$8,159.716/hour	NT\$5,140.6207/hour	NT\$2,855.8553/hour
DW30000c	30000	NT\$16,319.431/hour	NT\$10,281.2413/hour	NT\$5,711.7106/hour

參考資料: Azure Synapse Analytics定價

Apache Spark Pool Pricing

以分計費:

Туре	Price	Free Quantity
Memory Optimized	NT\$4.646 / vCore-Hour	2021-07-31 前 120 Free vCore-Hours / Month

Data Exploration/Warehousing Pricing

Serverless / Dedicated 分別計費:

Туре	Price	Free Quantity
Serverless	NT\$202.866 / TB Data Processed	2021-07-31 前 10 TB of Free Queries / Month
Dedicated	與 Dedicated SQL Pool 相同計費	

參考資料: Azure Synapse Analytics定價

SLO/DWU Verification (PowerShell)

在 PowerShell 或是 Azure Cloud Shell 手動安裝 Az. Synapse Module:

```
Install-Module -Name Az.Synapse

Untrusted repository
You are installing the modules from an untrusted repository... install the modules from 'PSGallery'?
[Y] Yes [A] Yes to All [N] No [L] No to All [S] Suspend [?] Help (default is "N"): A
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建立後檢視:

```
PS /home/kc su> Get-AzSynapseSqlPool -WorkspaceName synapseworkspacem00 -Name sqlpoolm00
ResourceGroupName
WorkspaceName
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SqlPoolName
                      : sqlpoolm00
Sku
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MaxSizeBytes
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Collation
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RecoverableDatabaseId:
ProvisioningState
                      : Succeeded
                      : Online
Status
RestorePointInTime
                      : 1/1/0001 12:00:00 AM
CreateMode
CreationDate
                       7/15/2021 3:37:08 PM
Tags
TagsTable
Location
                      : southeastasia
Id
                      : /subscriptions/.../workspaces/synapseworkspacem00/sqlPools/sqlpoolm00
                      : Microsoft.Synapse/workspaces/sqlPools
Type
```

Data Distrubution (Sharding Pattern)

SQL-DW 載入資料的時候,最多會分成60個 Distribution:

- Hash

 - Distributed Using Hash Algorithm
 Equal Values Hashed to the Same Distribution
 Optimal for Joins and Aggregations on Large Fact Tables
- Round Robin
 - Distributed Evenly But Randomly

 - Not Requiring Knowledge about Data or Queries
 Optimal for Large Tables without Good Hash Columns or Varied Queries
 Fast Performance as a Staging Table for Loads
- Replicate
 - All Data Present on Every Node
 - Simplifying Query Plans and Reducing Data MovementBest for Small Lookup Tables

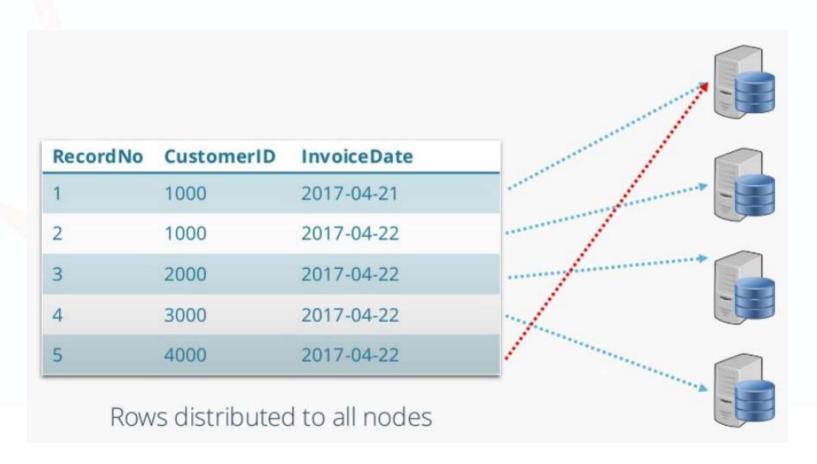
參考資料: Design and Manage Azure SQL Data Warehouse

Hash



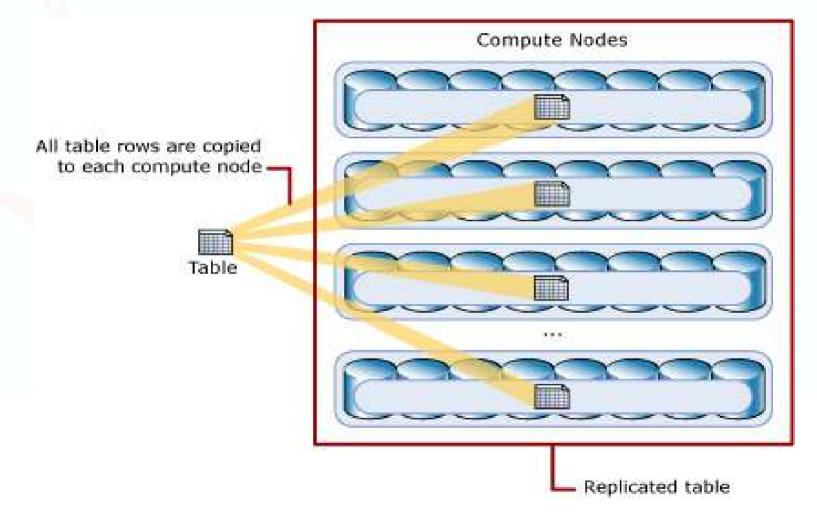
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Round Robin

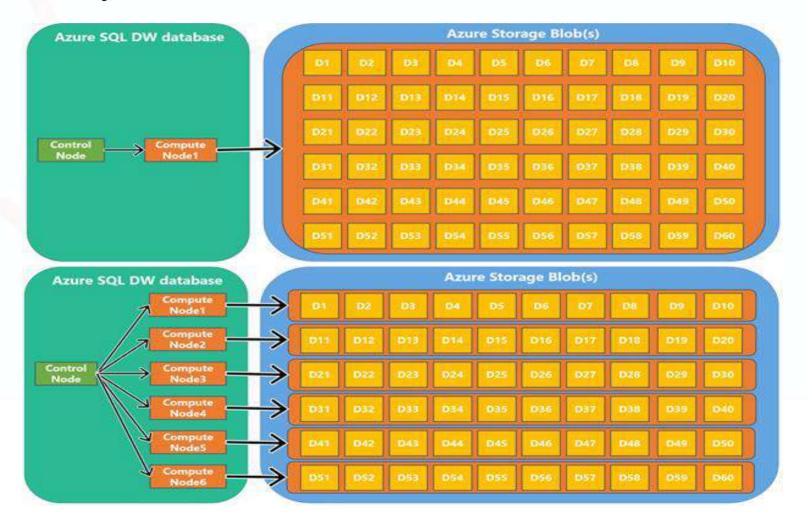


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Replicate



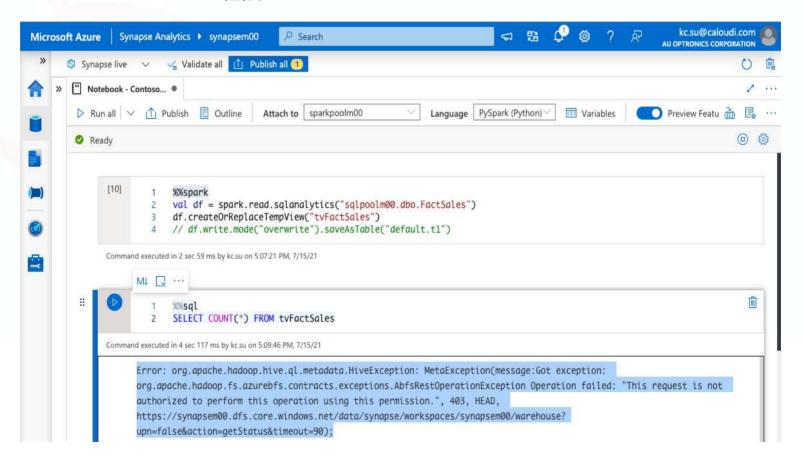
Compute Node vs. Data Distribution



Implementation Issues

Permission Error

• 爲了存取 Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2 Storage Account,需要 Storage Blob Data Contributor 權限



Problem and Answer

Error: org.apache.hadoop.hive.ql.metadata.HiveException: MetaException(
message:

Got exception: org.apache.hadoop.fs.azurebfs.contracts.exceptions.AbfsRestOperationException Operation failed: "This request is not authorized to perform this operation using this permission.", 403, HEAD,

https://synapsem00.dfs.core.windows.net/data/synapse/workspaces/synapsem00/warehouse ?upn=false&action=qetStatus&timeout=90);

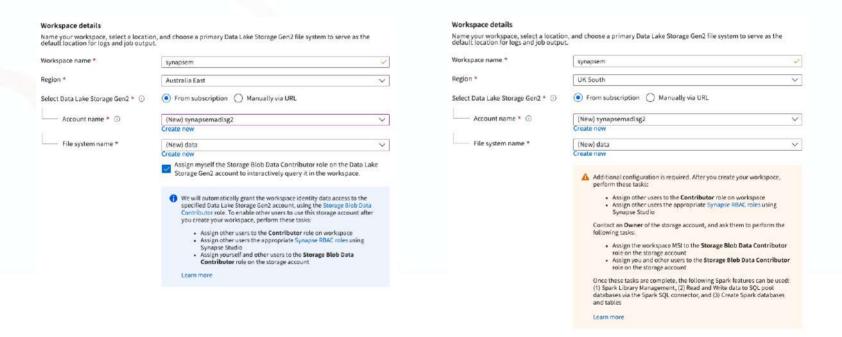
- We will automatically grant the workspace identity data access to the specified Data Lake Storage Gen2 account, using the Storage Blob Data Contributor role. To enable other users to use this storage account after you create your workspace, perform these tasks:
 - Assign other users to the Contributor role on workspace
 - Assign other users the appropriate Synapse RBAC roles using Synapse Studio
 - Assign yourself and other users to the Storage Blob Data Contributor role on the storage account

Learn more

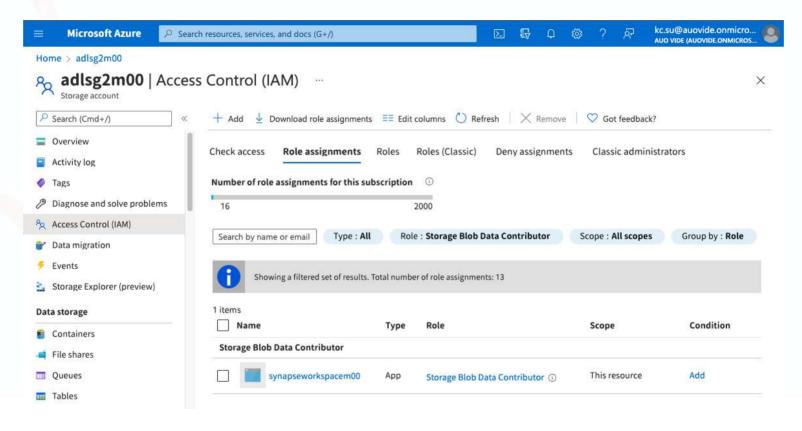
Subscription Owner vs. Non-Owner

底下這個選項只有在目前的 User 擁有 Subscription 的 Owner Role 時才會出現:

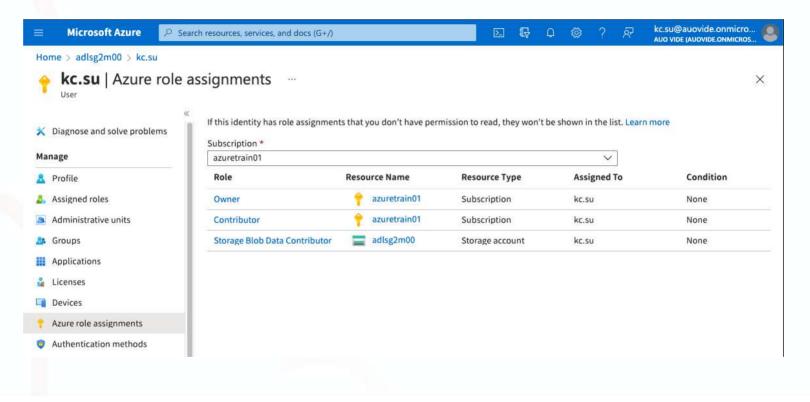
Assign myself the **Storage Blob Data Contributor** role on the Data Lake Storage Gen2 account to interactively query it in the workspace.



Storage Account -> Workspace



Storage Account -> User



PolyBase OPENROWSET

- 可以存取 Azure Storage 裡面的 File Data
 可以讀入 File Data,以 Relational Structure (A Set of Rows) 傳回

```
SELECT *
FROM OPENROWSET(
 BULK 'https://pandemicdatalake.blob.core.windows.net/.../covid-19/ecdc cases/latest/ecdc cases.csv',
 FORMAT = 'CSV',
 PARSER VERSION = '2.0',
 HEADER ROW = TRUE
) as [r]
```

```
SELECT TOP 1 *
FROM OPENROWSET(
 BULK 'https://azureopendatastorage.blob.core.windows.net/.../us population/year=20*/*.parquet',
 FORMAT= 'PAROUET'
) WITH (
 [stateName] VARCHAR (50),
  [population] BIGINT
) AS [r]
```

```
SELECT TOP 1 *
FROM OPENROWSET(
 BULK 'https://azureopendatastorage.blob.core.windows.net/.../us population/year=20*/*.parquet',
 FORMAT = 'DELTA'
) AS [r]
```

Serverless SQL Pool vs. Collation

- Serverless SQL Pool 可以將 UTF-8 Data 當成 VARCHAR Field 讀入,但是要注意 Collation 的影響
- 如果 VARCHAR Field 沒有指定 Collation,就會將 UTF-8 Character 強迫轉換為 Plain CARCHAR Character,可能會造成轉換錯誤
- 這類錯誤會發生在 OPENROWSET 沒有 WITH 子句,或是 OPENROWSET 與 External Table 傳回 VARCHAR Field 時沒有指定 Collation
- 這個議題對 NVARCHAR Field 不適用,因為 NVARCHAR Field 的轉換跟 Collation 無關,但是轉換成 NVARCHAR Field 會有一點 Performance 上的問題
- 改了 Database Colation 之後, 旣有的 External Table 必須重新建立才行

解決方式就是在 CREATE DATABASE 時指定 UTF-8 Collation:

```
CREATE DATABASE Database名稱 COLLATE Latin1_General_100_BIN2_UTF8
```

或是在 OPENROWSET 傳回的每個 VARCHAR Field 指定 UTF-8 Collation:

```
SELECT TOP 10 *
FROM OPENROWSET(
   BULK 'https://azureopendatastorage.blob.core.windows.net/.../us_population/year=20*/*.parquet',
   FORMAT='PARQUET'
) WITH (
   [stateName] VARCHAR (50) COLLATE Latin1_General_100_BIN2_UTF8 ,
   [population] BIGINT
) AS [r]
```

Azure Data Factory vs. Spatial Data Types

- Azure Data Factory 處理 SQL Server 的 Spatial Data Type 常常有問題
 Microsoft Contoso BI Demo Dataset 的 DimStore Table 的 GeoLocation 與 Geometry 兩個 Field 會匯入失敗
- 解決方式就是先刪掉這兩個 Field



Do data factories support the Geography/Geometry data type?





No, Azure Data Factory does not support spatial types at this time. When selecting a table to sync via the copy wizard, if the table has any spatial columns, you will receive an error:



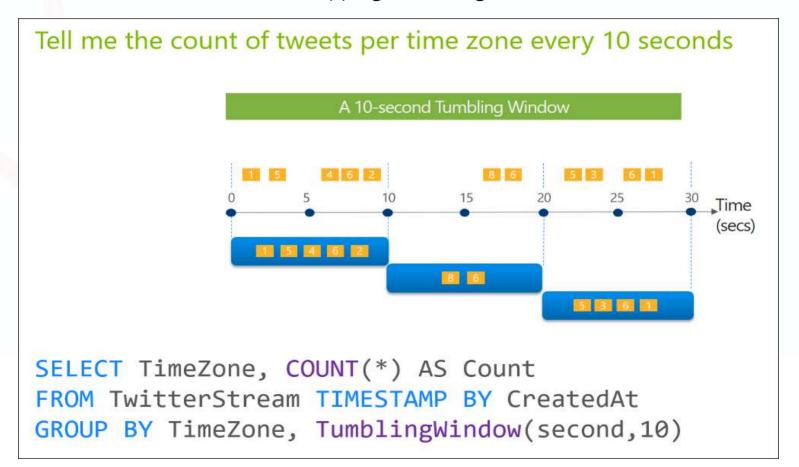
Error when processing request: Column: Location, The data type is not supported. activityId: [...]

Or if you select multiple tables, one of which has a spatial column, you will get the error:

Some tables contain unsupported data type or Object type: [dbo]. [Table]. Please use Custom Query to exclude them.

Tumbling Window

A series of fixed-sized, non-overlapping and contiguous time intervals.



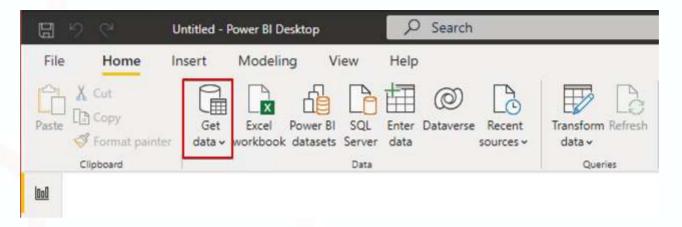
參考資料: Tumbling Window (Azure Stream Analytics)

Power Bl.pbids File

- .pbids 其實是 JSON 格式的檔案
- 所以也可以透過 Power BI 正常的 Get Data 程序連上 Data Source

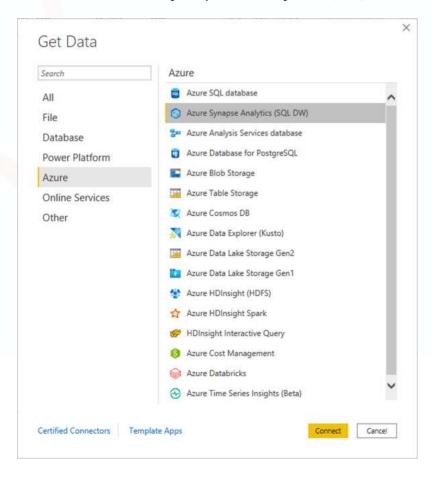
Power BI Get Data (01)

• 按下 Get data 圖示



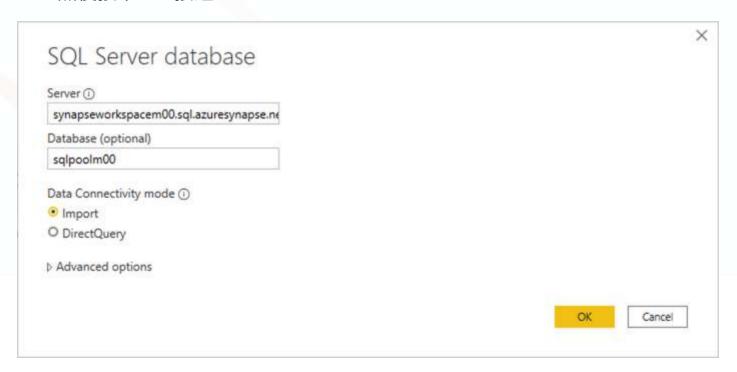
Power BI Get Data (02)

• 選取 Azure Synapse Analytics (SQL DW),按下 Connect 按鈕



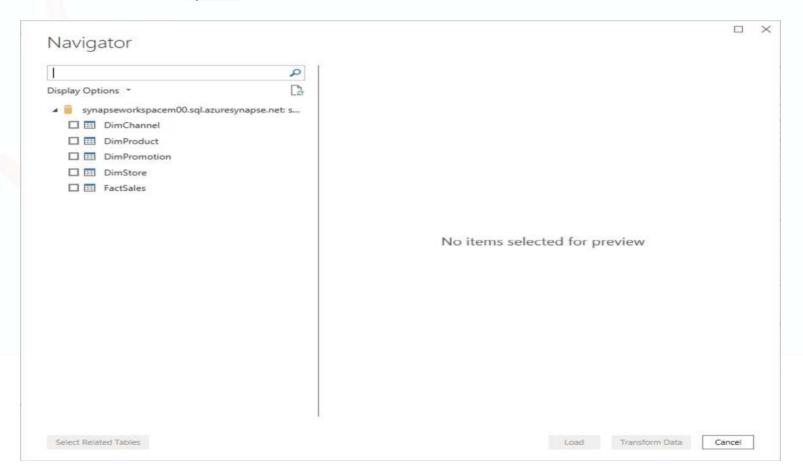
Power BI Get Data (03)

- Server 輸入 Dedicated SQL endpoint synapseworkspace員工編號.sql.azuresynapse.net
- Database 輸入 Dedicated SQL Pool sqlpoolm00
- Data Connectivity mode 選取 Import然後按下 OK 按鈕



Power BI Get Data (04)

• 之後就跟按下 .pbids 檔案的畫面一樣



Power BI Import vs. DirectQuery

Import 與 DirectQuery:

- 所有 Data Source 都支援 Import,少部分 Data Source 才支援 DirectQuery
 Import 會真的把 Data 匯入,所以一開始 Load Data 比較慢
 DirectQuery 只是建立 Connection,所以一開始 Load Data 很快就結束
 重點是: DirectQuery 不支援 LOOKUPVALUE() Function

Remarks

- If there is a relationship between the result and search tables, in most cases, using RELATED function instead of LOOKUPVALUE is more efficient and provides better performance.
- The search_value and alternateResult parameters are evaluated before the function iterates through the rows of the search table.
- This function is not supported for use in DirectQuery mode when used in calculated columns or row-level security (RLS) rules.

References

Reference Materials

- Azure Synapse Analytics
- What is dedicated SQL pool (formerly SQL DW) in Azure Synapse Analytics?
- Transact-SQL statements
- Az.Synapse
- Get Started with Azure Synapse Analytics
- Load data from Azure Data Lake Storage into dedicated SQL pools in Azure Synapse Analytics
- Load Contoso retail data into dedicated SQL pools in Azure Synapse Analytics