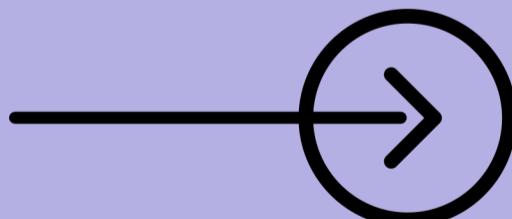


Part - 1

Power Query Interview Questions and Answers...!



krishna kumar
@Krishan kumar



What is Query Folding in Power Query and the Power BI Query Editor?

this will used massively whenever we have working on larger dataset and our pbix file is like in higher sizes, and

for doing the best performance optimization, grouping, billing and minimizing the size of the pbix file we used query folding there.

Okayyyy... i get it but



what is the Process to use query folding

Process to Use Query Folding

- we need to connect power bi with you data source like SQL oracle/ sharepoint/ azure and all.
- Catching the table that you want to do transformation. then
- in “Applied Steps” click on the New Native Query.
- and just copy the Native query which is in the M language. and came to your SQL server and paste it.



Use Of Query Folding

- **Query folding operations like removing of columns, addition subtraction, grouping can be done.**
- **Merging can be done in query folding.**
- **but the merging with different datatypes can't be done in the query folding.**



1. What are the Data sources does Query folding support?

- **Query folding does not support all data sources, it support Sql, oracl, azure sharepoint, xls and csv .**
- **Query folding doesn't support web folder, google drive.**

Next Question Please



2. Why you use Query folding for this?

- we need to transform in the SQL but for that in SQL we needs to write long queries for achieving that. also its timing consuming as well. so that we fetched the table in the power query, we did all transformation fastly, and copy that M language code and paste it here.
- this will used massively whenever we have working on larger dataset and our pbix file is like in higher sizes so , and for performance optimization, grouping , billing and minimizing the size of the pbix file we used query folding there.
- if SQL developer is not there and as a data analyst that time i urgently need to work on SQL and if i used SQL for getting the report i need to work on cte joins and all stuff that time consuming as well. so In emergency i fatch the table in power bi using native query and paste it in the SQL and get my table and use it for my visualization. it take less time and high return 😊

Find This Useful



Time to hit that like button
and give it some love! 😍

Visit my LinkedIn for such amazing Content😊