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Azure Data Factory: Data Flows – first blood

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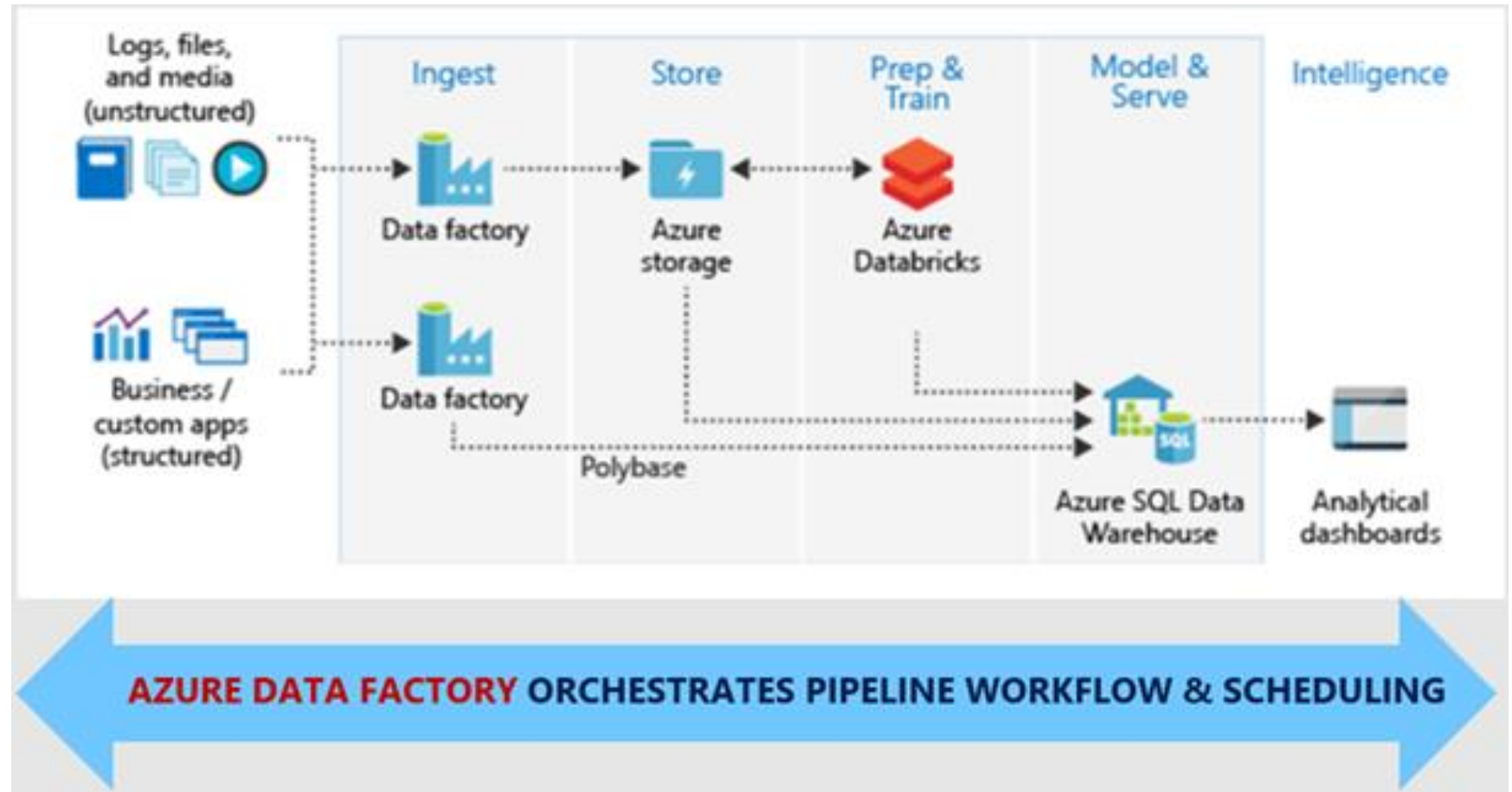
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What the Azure Data Factory is?

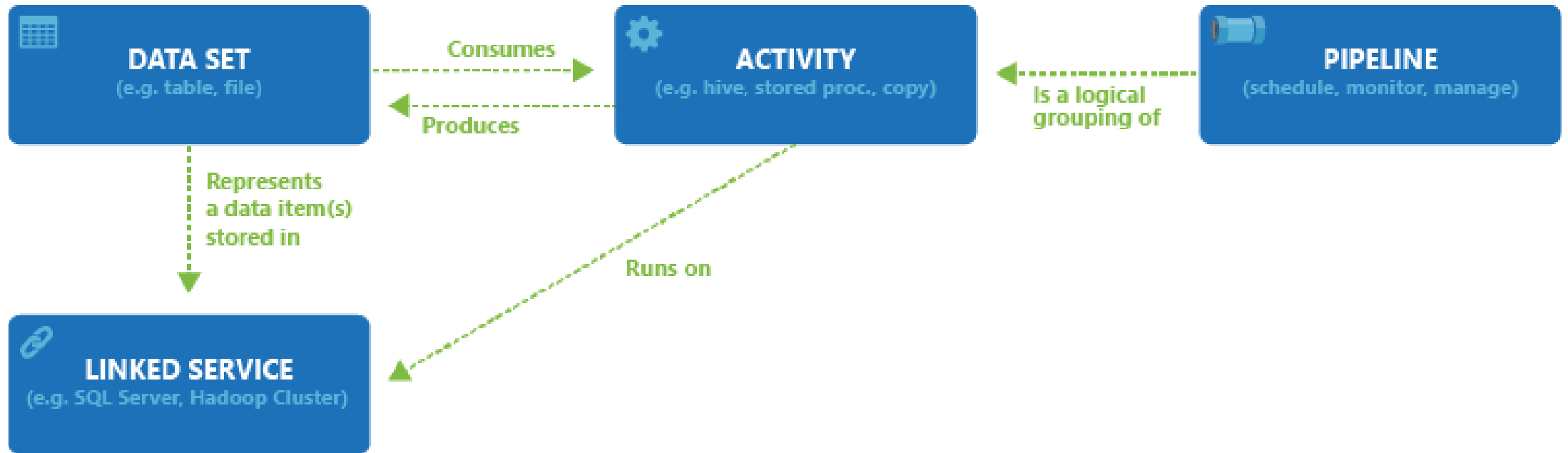


Access all your data:

- 75+ connectors & growing
- Azure IR available in 20 regions
- Hybrid connectivity using self-hosted IR: on-prem & VNet

Azure (13)	Database (24)		File Storage (5)	NoSQL (3)	Services and Apps (28)		Generic (4)
Blob Storage	Amazon Redshift	Netezza	Amazon S3	Cassandra	Amazon MWS	Office 365 *	HTTP
Cosmos DB (MongoDB API) *	DB2	Oracle	File System	Couchbase	CDS for Apps	Paypal	OData
Cosmos DB (SQL API)	Drill	Phoenix	FTP	MongoDB	Concur	QuickBooks	ODBC
Data Lake Storage Gen1	Google BigQuery	PostgreSQL	HDFS		Dynamics 365	Salesforce	REST *
Data Lake Storage Gen2	Greenplum	Presto	SFTP		Dynamics CRM	Salesforce Marketing Cloud	
DB for MySQL	HBase	SAP BW			GE Historian	Salesforce Service Cloud	
DB for PostgreSQL	Hive	SAP HANA			Google AdWords	SAP C4C	
File Storage	Impala	Spark			HubSpot	SAP ECC	
Kusto *	Informix	SQL Server			Jira	ServiceNow	
Search Index	MariaDB	Sybase			Magento	Shopify	
SQL DB	Microsoft Access	Teradata			Marketo	Square	
SQL DW	MySQL	Vertica			Oracle Eloqua	Web table	
Table Storage					Oracle Responsys	Xero	
					Oracle Service Cloud	Zoho	
	Supported as Source and Sink						
	Supported as Source only						
	Supported as Sink only						

ADF Key Concepts



How to create Azure Data Factory with Data Flow?

Home > Data factories > New data factory

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New data factory

* Name ⓘ
MyDataFactory666 ✓

* Subscription
Visual Studio Enterprise ▼

* Resource Group ⓘ
☐ Create new ☒ Use existing
rg-datafactory ▼

Version ⓘ
V2 with data flow (preview) ▼

* Location ⓘ
Southeast Asia ▼

Include data flow sample
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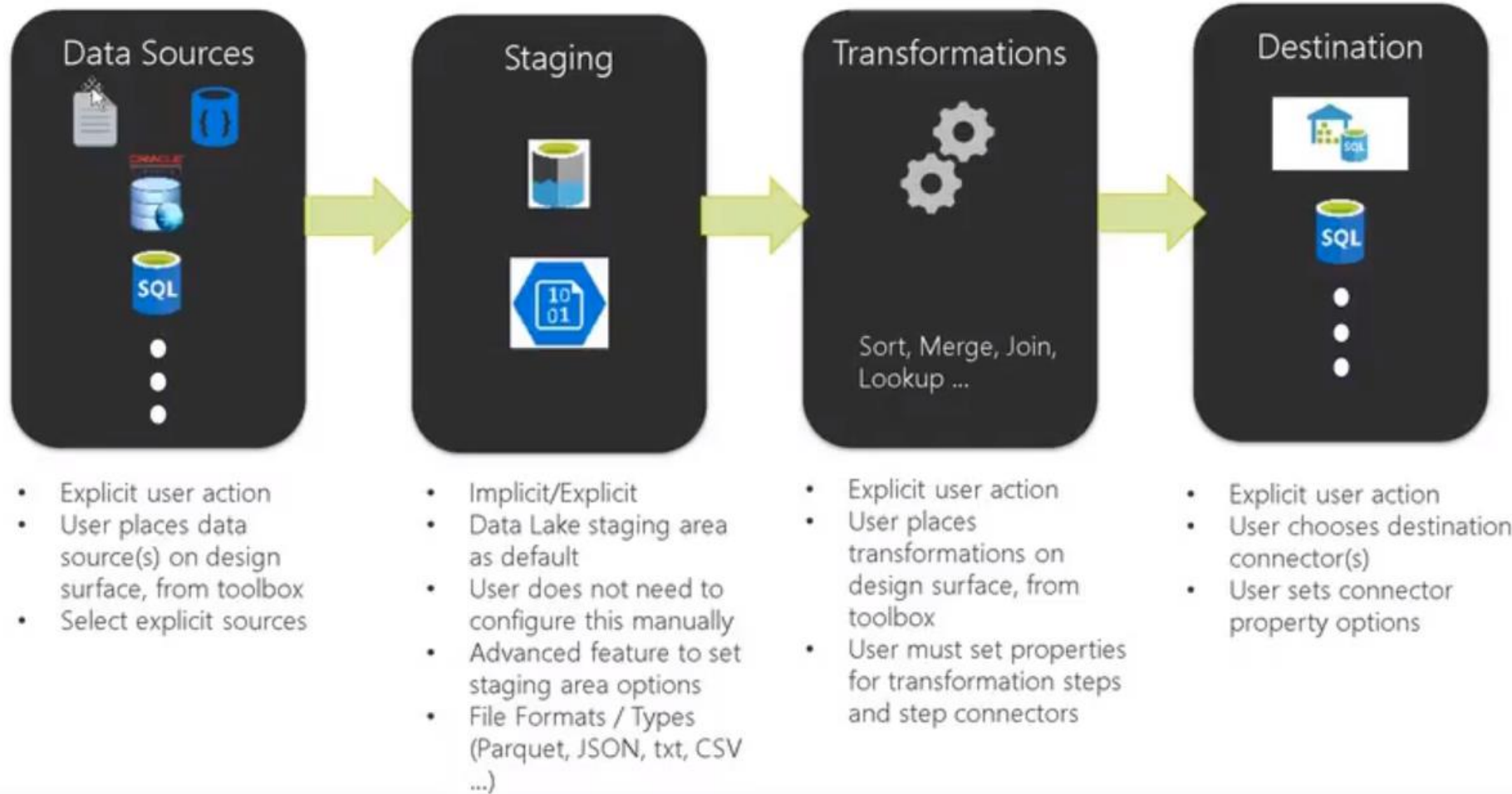
ADF Data Flow is currently in private preview. The normal Azure SLAs do not apply to use of this preview feature and all support must route through this email address:
adfdataflowext@microsoft.com



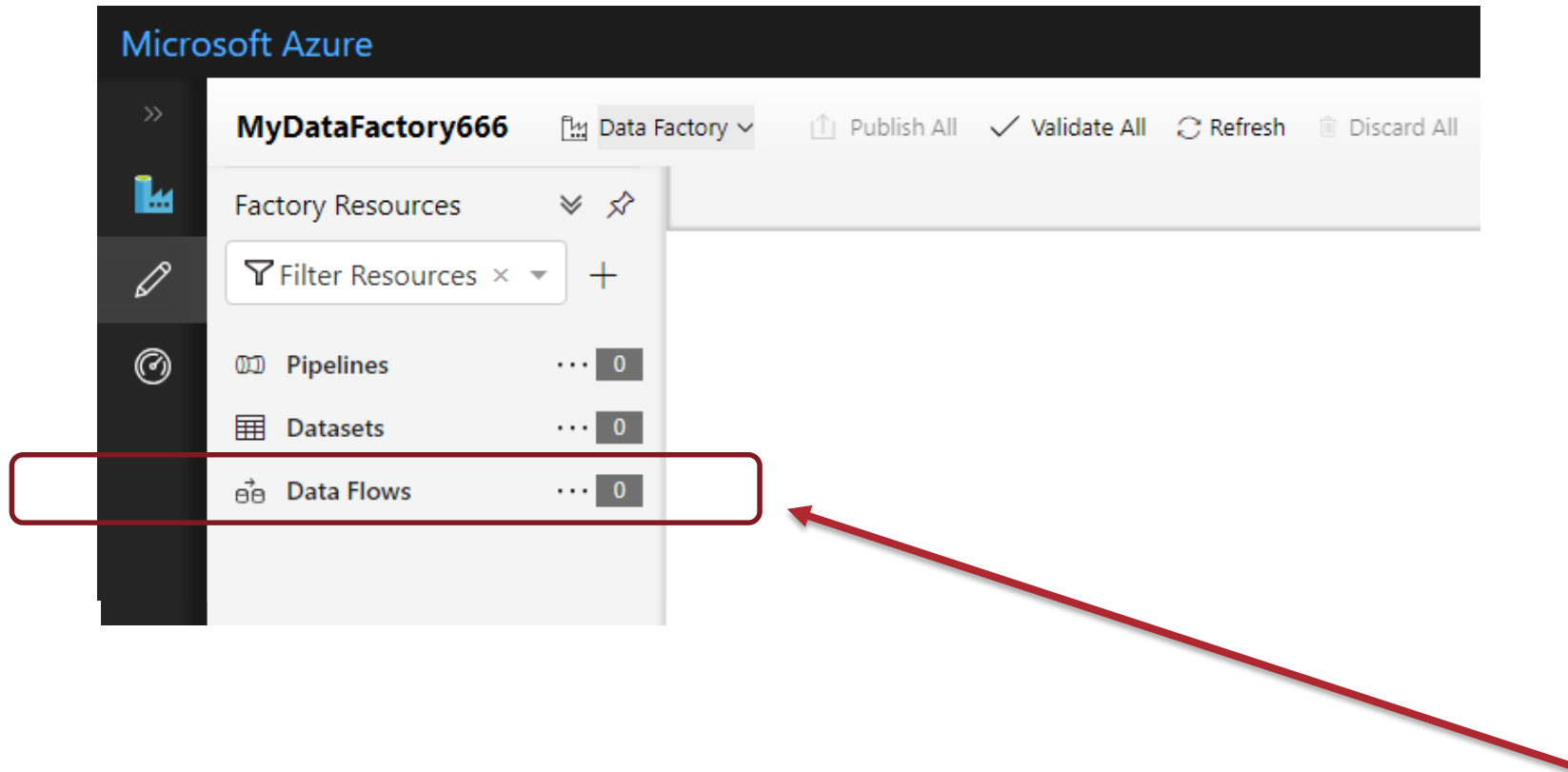
Visual Data Transformations with

Data Flow

What the hell Data Flows are?



Authoring of Azure Data Factory (v2) – what's new?



Code-free Data Transformation At Scale

Does not require understanding of Spark, Big Data Execution Engines, Clusters, Scala ...

Focus on building business logic and data transformation

Data cleansing

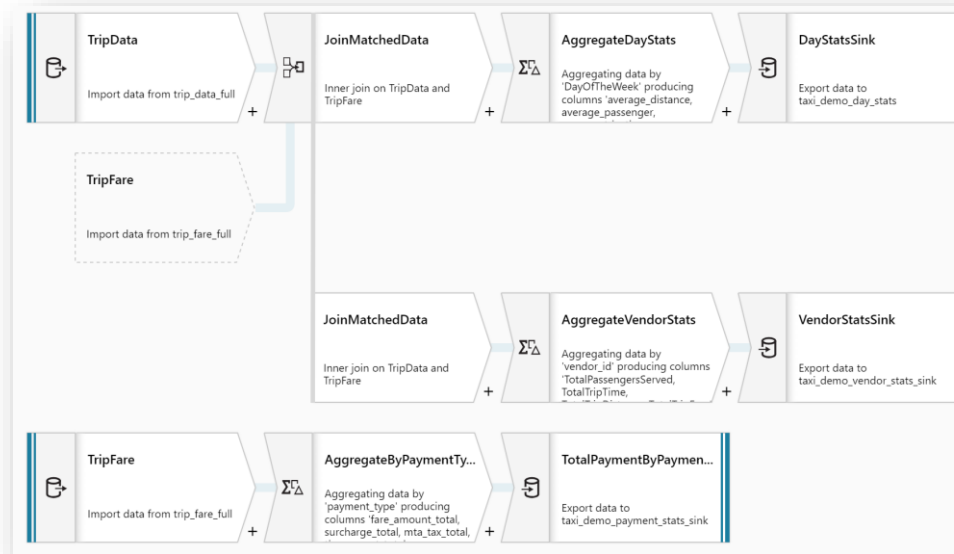
Aggregation

Data conversions

Data prep

Data exploration

ETL Data Loading
into DW



... not

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5 MovieRecommendation2Demo.txt
6
7 HIVE Cluster Details:
8 AdfHdi.azurehdinsight.net
9 Admin
10 Adf@123456
11
12 Storage:
13 adfhdistorage
14 /anyPw6G1j718119Wm15o/V6DjyGf4d+S1jAr+5m57bJg95470g0CMaks219UXsof40x28x1K4WdWuQ==
15
16 Cluster Remote Login Details:
17 Adf
18 India@1234
19
20 HiveQuery:
21 DROP TABLE IF EXISTS MovieRatings;
22 CREATE EXTERNAL TABLE MovieRatings
23 (
24     UserID int,
25     MovieID int,
26     Rating int,
27     Timestamp string
28 ) ROW FORMAT DELIMITED FIELDS TERMINATED BY ',' LINES TERMINATED BY '\n' STORED AS TEXTFILE LOCATION '${hiveconf:MovieRatings}';
29
30 DROP TABLE IF EXISTS MovieTitles;
31 CREATE EXTERNAL TABLE MovieTitles
32 (
33     MovieID int,
34     MovieName string
35 ) ROW FORMAT DELIMITED FIELDS TERMINATED BY ',' LINES TERMINATED BY '\n' STORED AS TEXTFILE LOCATION '${hiveconf:MovieTitles}';
```


Authoring of Azure Data Factory (v2)

Microsoft Azure

Search resources

BigPlayer Data Factory Publish All Validate All Refresh Discard All ARM Template

Factory Resources

Filter Resources

Pipelines 2

Datasets 9

Badges

BadgesBlob

BadgesBlobWithHeader

BadgesStatsByName

BadgesStatsByNameBlob

Crimes_BlobCsv

Src_Users

Users_BlobCsv

UsersTest

Data Flows 3

StackOverflow 3

badgesGroupByName

badgesGroupByName2

users

users

Debug Validate

sourceUsers

Import data from Users_BlobCsv

Select1

Renaming sourceUsers to Select1 with columns 'DisplayName, DownVotes, LastAccessDate, Location, ...'

FilterByReputation

Filtering rows using expressions on columns 'Reputation'

GroupByLocation

Aggregating data by 'Location' producing columns 'SumOfReputation, SumOfViews, Count'

SortByLocation

Sorting rows on columns 'Location'

Wrong

Conditionally distributing the data in 2 groups, based on columns 'Location, Location, Location, Location, Location'

AllRight

Conditionally distributing the data in 2 groups, based on columns 'Location, Location, Location, Location, Location'

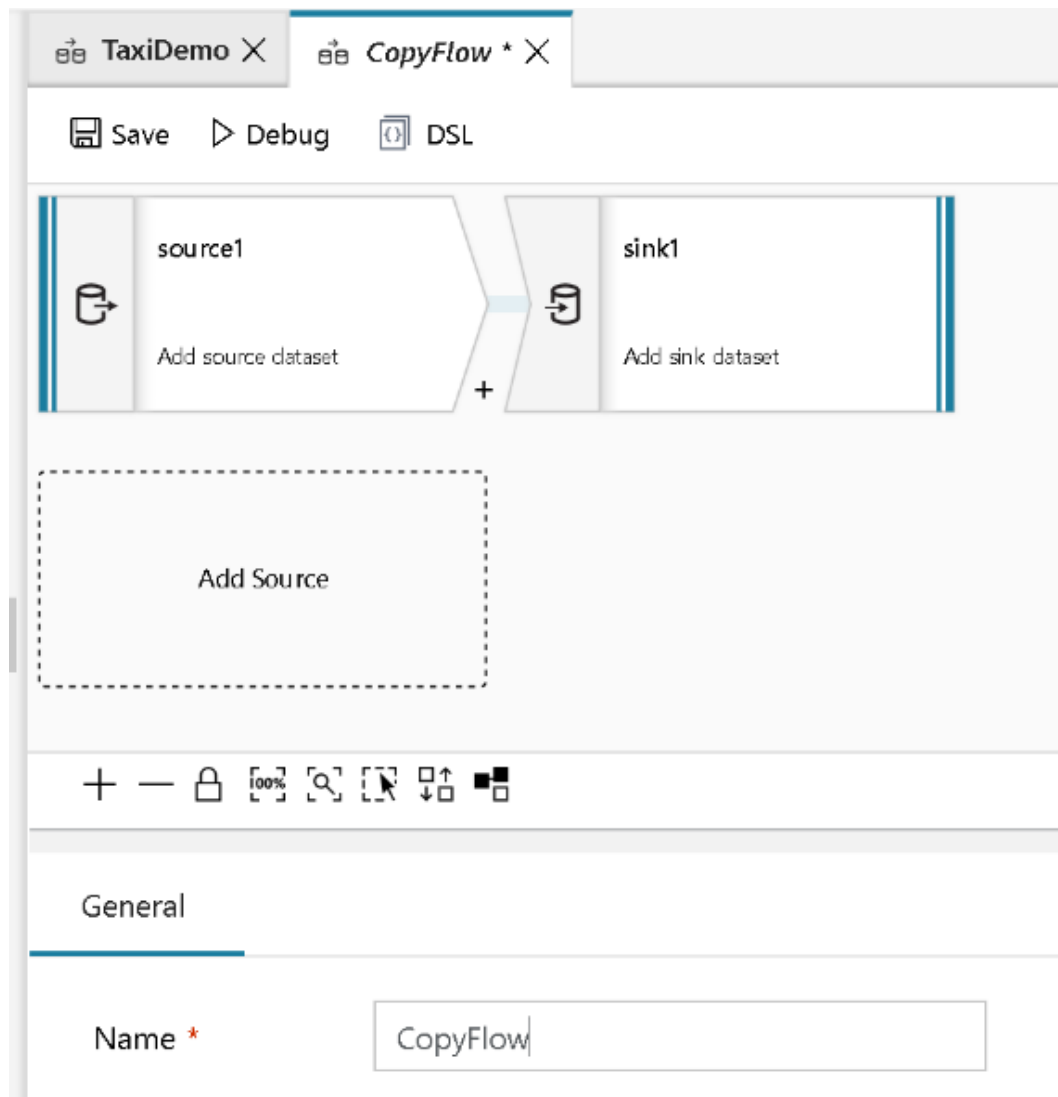
General External dependencies

Name *

users

Description

Simple Copy Flow








Guided experience to build data flows




The screenshot displays the Microsoft Azure Data Factory console. The top navigation bar includes the 'Microsoft Azure' logo, a search bar, and user profile icons. The left sidebar shows the 'Factory Resources' section with a filter dropdown set to 'Filter Resources'. Below this, a list of resources is shown: Pipelines (13), Datasets (21), and Data Flows (14). The 'TaxiDemoFull' data flow is selected and highlighted. The main workspace shows the data flow diagram for 'TaxiDemoFull'. It starts with two source datasets: 'TripData' (14 total columns) and 'TripFare' (Import data from trip_fare_full). These are joined using an 'Inner join on TripData and TripFare'. The resulting data is then processed through several transformation tasks: 'JoinMatchedData', 'AggregateDayStats' (aggregating data by 'DayOfTheWeek' to produce 'average_distance' and 'average_passenger'), 'DayStatsSink' (exporting data to 'taxi_demo_day_stats'), 'AggregateVendorStats' (aggregating data by 'vendor_id' to produce 'TotalPassengersServed' and 'TotalTripTime'), 'VendorStatsSink' (exporting data to 'taxi_demo_vendor_stats_sink'), and 'TotalPaymentByPayment...' (exporting data to 'taxi_demo_payment_stats_sink'). A context menu is open over the 'JoinMatchedData' task, listing various transformation options: New Branch, Derived Column, Join, Conditional Split, Exists, Select, Aggregate, Filter, Sort, Union, and Sink. The bottom of the interface shows the 'Source Settings' tab for the 'TripData' dataset, with fields for 'Output stream name' (TripData), 'Source Dataset' (trip_data_full), and an 'Options' section with a checkbox for 'Allow schema drift'.

Data Flow: Components = Actions *





Multiple inputs/outputs

-  New Branch
-  Join
-  Conditional Split
-  Union
-  Lookup


Schema modifier

-  Derived Column
-  Aggregate
-  Surrogate Key


Row modifier

-  Exists
-  Select
-  Filter
-  Sort

Custom

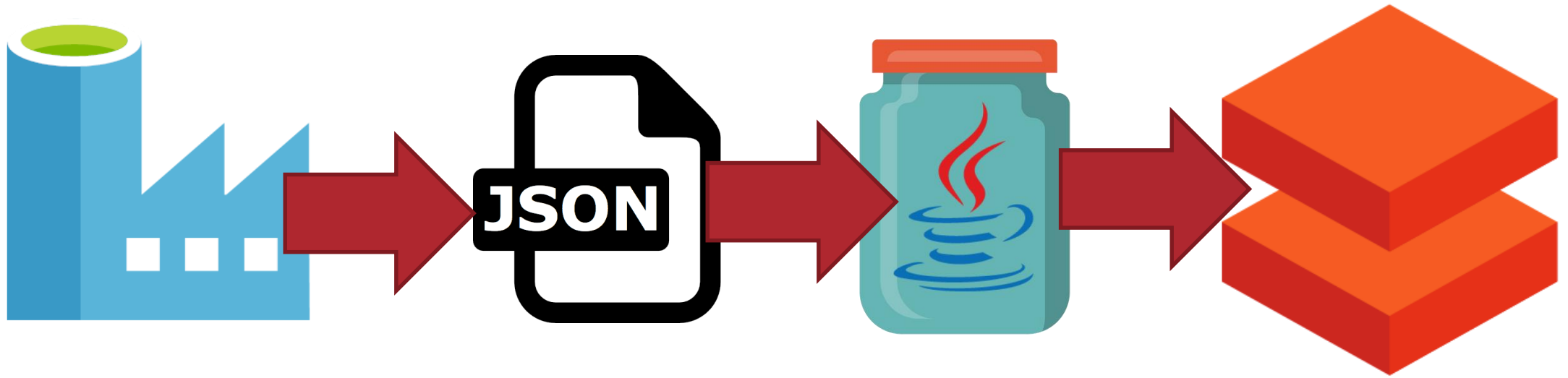
-  Extend

Destination

-  Sink

* With some small exceptions

What is going on behind the scenes?



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Azure Databricks version



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#Microsoft #Azure #DataFactory Data Flow Preview users: Please update your #azuredatabricks clusters and Linked Services to 5.0.

Databricks Runtime Version ?

- 5.0 (includes Apache Spark 2.4.0, Scala 2.11)
- 5.1 Beta (includes Apache Spark 2.4.0, Scala 2.11)
- ~~5.1 Beta (includes Apache Spark 2.4.0, GPU, Scala 2.11)~~
- ✓ 5.0 (includes Apache Spark 2.4.0, Scala 2.11)
- 5.0 ML Beta (includes Apache Spark 2.4.0, Scala 2.11)
- 5.0 (includes Apache Spark 2.4.0, GPU, Scala 2.11)
- 5.0 ML GPU Beta (includes Apache Spark 2.4.0, Scala 2.11)
- 4.3 (includes Apache Spark 2.3.1, Scala 2.11)
- 4.3 (includes Apache Spark 2.3.1, GPU, Scala 2.11)
- 4.2 (includes Apache Spark 2.3.1, Scala 2.11)
- 4.2 (includes Apache Spark 2.3.1, GPU, Scala 2.11)
- 4.1 (includes Apache Spark 2.3.0, Scala 2.11)
- 4.1 (includes Apache Spark 2.3.0, GPU, Scala 2.11)
- 3.5 LTS (includes Apache Spark 2.2.1, Scala 2.11)
- 3.5 LTS (includes Apache Spark 2.2.1, Scala 2.10)

5.0 (includes Apache Spark 2.4.0, Scala 2.11)

Min Workers: 2 Max Workers: 8



DEMO TIME



Debug mode provides row-level context and visible results in inspector pane

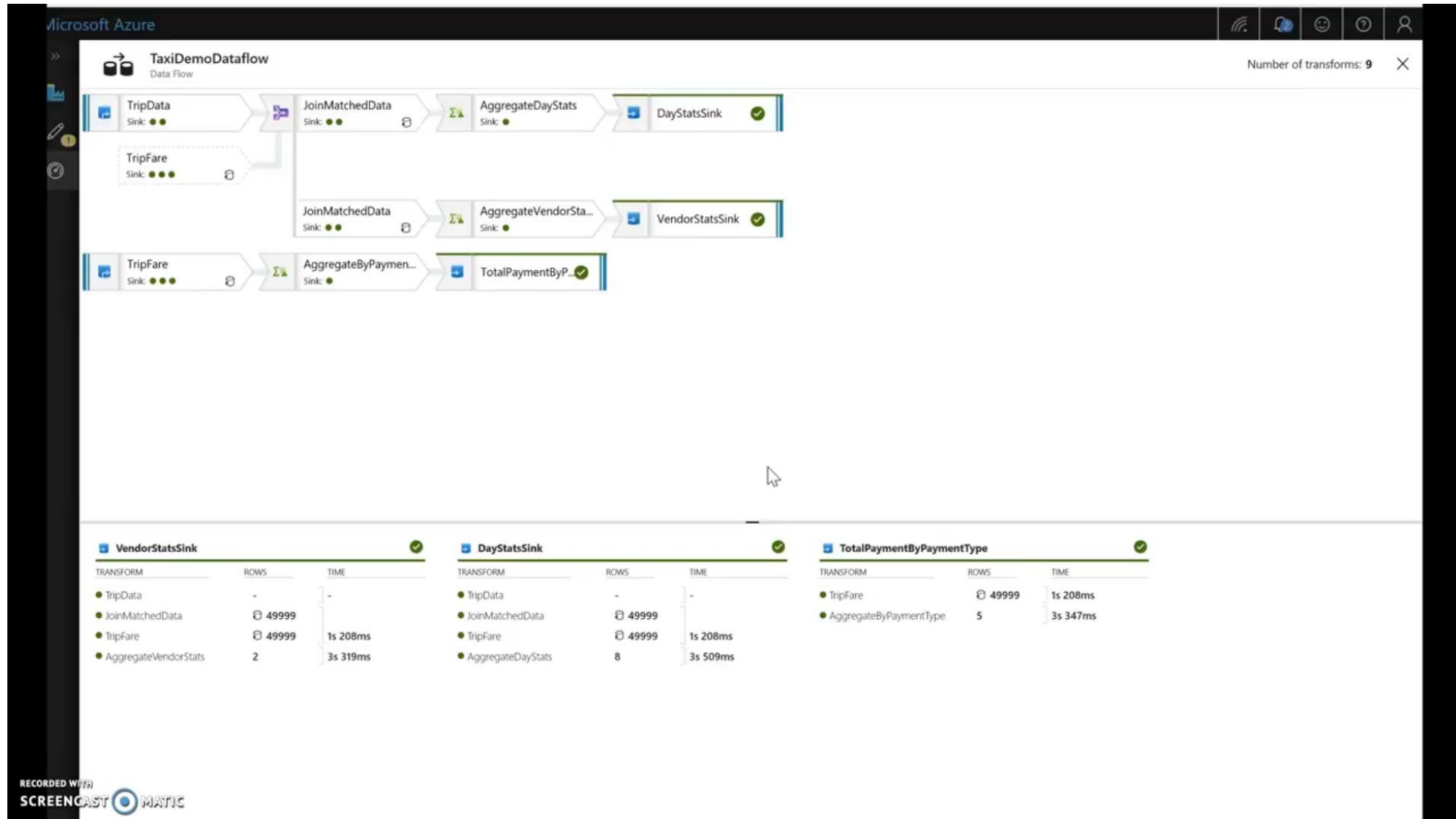
Setting Inspect Error log

	Update ⁺	New ⁺	Unchanged	Total
Nuber of columns	2	1	15	18
Nuber of rows	30	0	2,483	2,234

Output schema Data Preview Column [▼]

	Date ⁺	InUSA ⁺	Profit ⁺ 1.2	Column 123	Column abc	Column abc	Column
1	12/03/2018	True	2455.45	12345	Cell Contents	Cell Contents	09/23/2017, 23:00
2	12/03/2018	False	2455.45	12345	Cell Contents	Cell Contents	09/23/2017, 23:00
3	12/03/2018	True	2455.45	12345	Cell Contents	Cell Contents	09/23/2017, 23:00
4	12/03/2018	False	2455.45	12345	Cell Contents	Cell Contents	09/23/2017, 23:00
5	12/03/2018	False	2455.45	12345	Cell Contents	Cell Contents	09/23/2017, 23:00
6	12/03/2018	False	2455.45	12345	Cell Contents	Cell Contents	09/23/2017, 23:00

Data Flow Execution Plan



Data Flow Data Lineage

Microsoft Azure

TaxiDemoDataflow
Data Flow

Number of transforms: 9

VendorStatsSink
Sink

Total columns: 5
New columns: 0
Updated columns: 0
Dropped columns: 0
Drifted columns: 0

Stream information

Rows calculated: 2
Total partition: 1
Stage time: 3s 319ms

Partition chart

Row count: 2.0
1 Partition

Skewness: -
Kurtosis: -

VendorStatsSink

COLUMN	METHOD	ORIGINAL SOURCE
passenger_count	Calculated	TripData passenger_count
trip_time_in_secs	Calculated	TripData(trip_time_in_secs)
trip_distance	Calculated	TripData(trip_distance)
TotalTripFare	Calculated	TripFare(total_amount)
vendor_id	Mapped	TripData(vendor_id)
-	Used	TripData(hack_license, medallion, pickup_datetime, vendor_id), TripFare(medallion, pickup_datetime, vendor_id, hack_license)

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Resources

- Microsoft Azure Data Factory – [Tutorials & API Reference](#)
- Azure Data Factory [Overview](#)
- Azure Data Factory – [Data integration service](#)
- ADF Data Flow's [documentation](#)
- ADF Data Flow's [videos](#)
- SQLPlayer blog:
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