

## 1. AZURE DATA FACTORY

**FUNDAMENTALS** 













## **Azure Data Factory Overview**

- Azure Data Factory a.k.a ADF is an ETL/ELT service provided by Microsoft in Azure cloud computing platform.
- > ADF was offered publicly in 2015.











## **Azure Data Factory Concepts**

Pipeline

**Activity** 

Linked Service

**Dataset** 

Integration Runtime











### **Pipeline**

- > A Pipeline controls the flow of tasks.
- > Tasks are performed using activities.
- A pipeline can have one to many activities.
- These activities can be chained in serial or parallel depending on requirements.













## **Activity**

- Activity executes a task.
- Activities are broadly classified into 3 types:

Data movement activities

Data
Transformation
Activities

**Control Activities** 





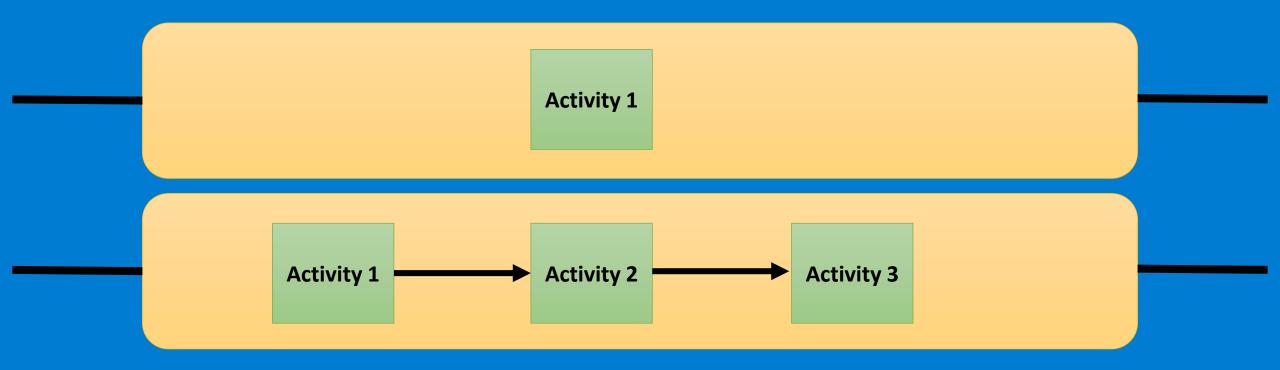






## **Pipeline & Activity**

#### **Serial**













## Pipeline & Activity Parallel

**Activity 1** 

**Activity 2** 

**Activity 3** 





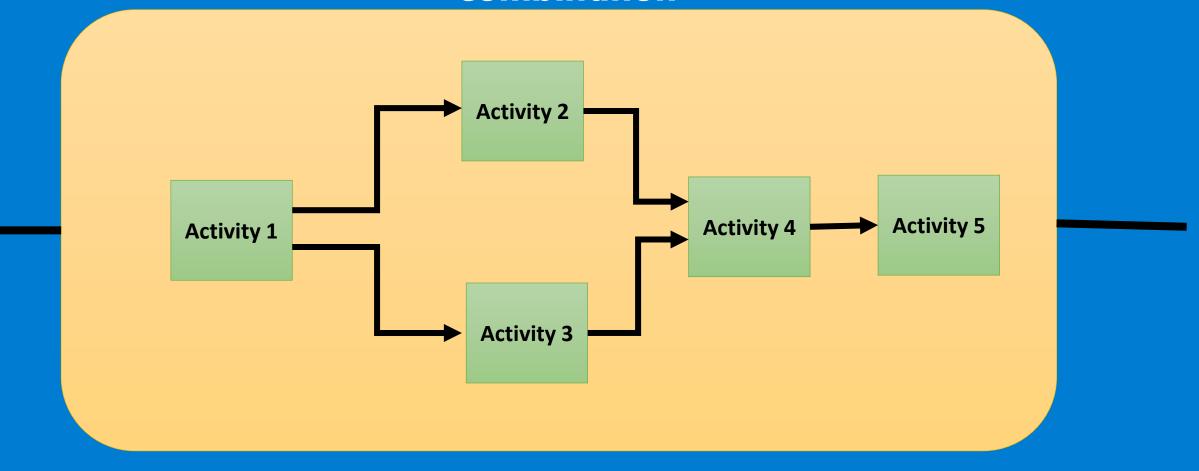






## **Pipeline & Activity**

#### **Combination**













## **Activity**

- > There is an activity for each task.
- Different activities include copy data, if, for each(loop), set variable, etc.











#### **Dataset**

Dataset is a pointer or reference to the application from where you need to extract or push the data.



Depending on the service/application is has configurations which need to be set.



When you create a dataset, ADF provides 90+ connectors which seamlessly help to connect to top services or applications.











### **Linked Service**

- Linked service establishes connection to a service or application from where you need to extract or push the data.
- This is an authentication entity which performs the handshake between the data factory and source/target service or application













#### **Linked Service**

> Linked services are consumed in datasets











#### **Integration Runtime**

Integration Runtime a.k.a IR is the compute infrastructure needed to execute the pipelines in ADF.







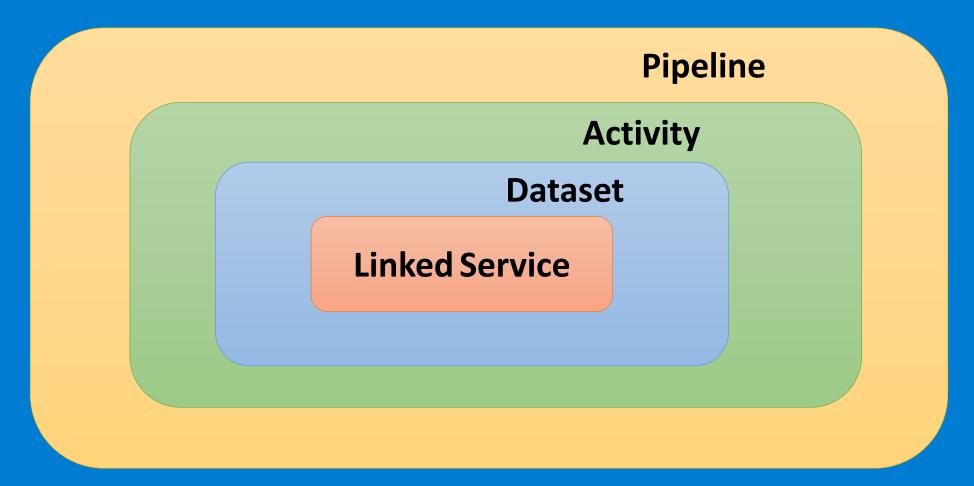








## Summary



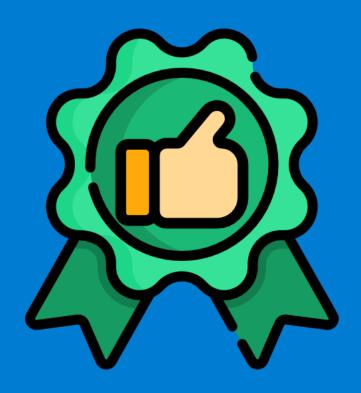
























COPY DATA WITHIN DATALAKE







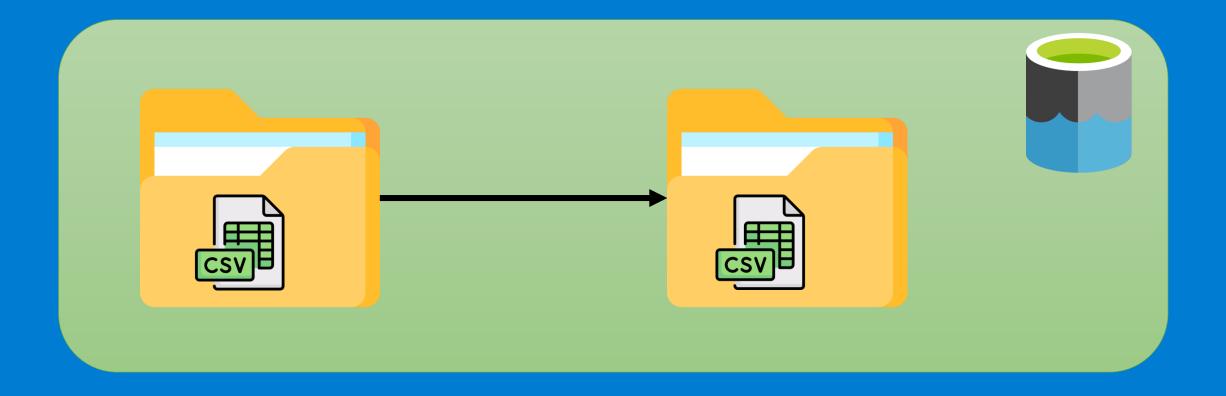








# Copy data within ADLS gen2













## Copy data within ADLS gen2

The task of copying from one folder to another can be performed in ADF using a copy data activity.















COPY DATA WITHIN DATALAKE



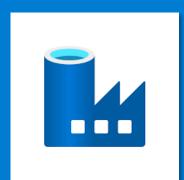














COPY ENTIRE FOLDER/SPECIFIC FILE TYPES IN DATALAKE







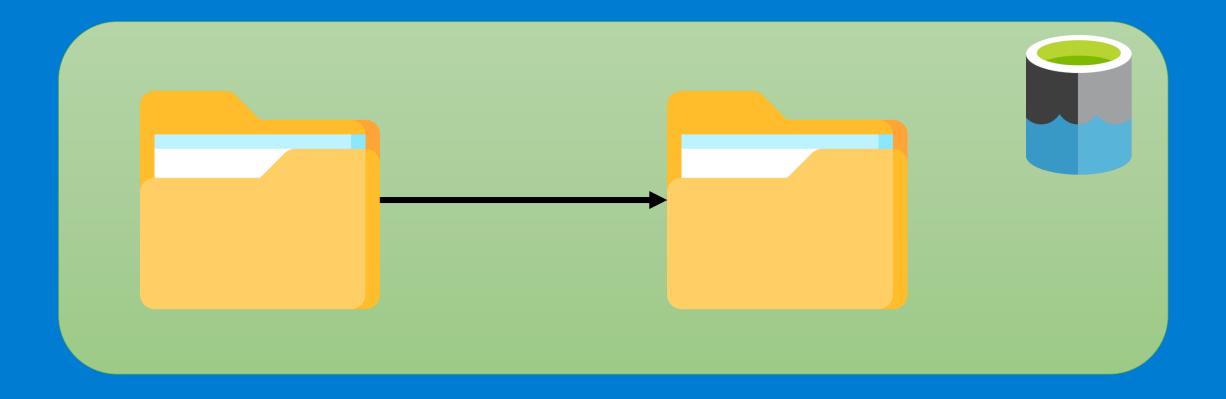








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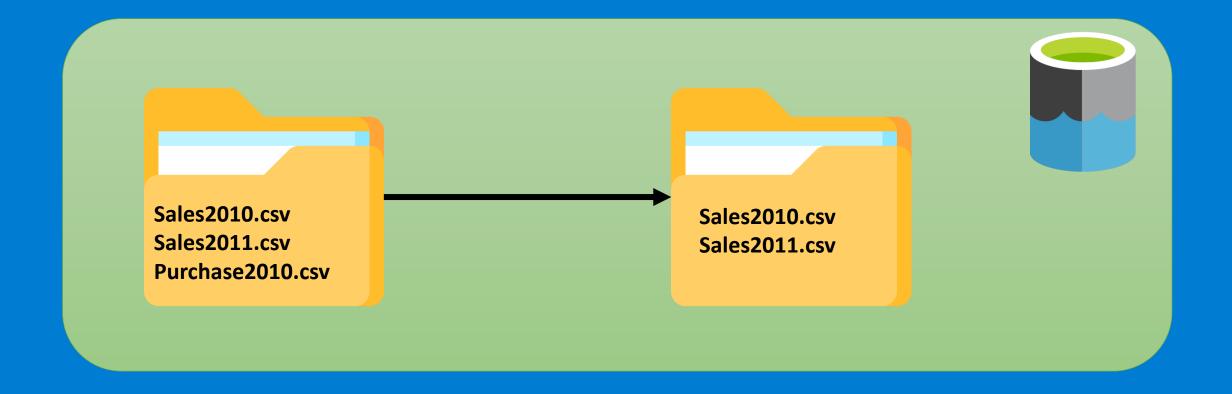








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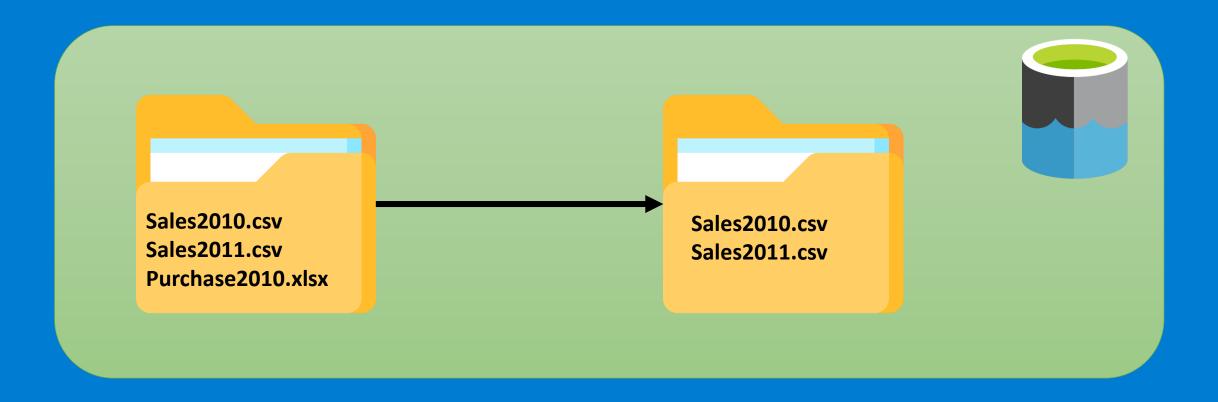








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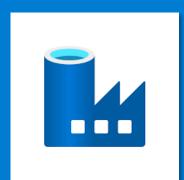














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