



Lab Manual- Azure Data Factory Provisioning and Data Ingestion Part1

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1. Introduction

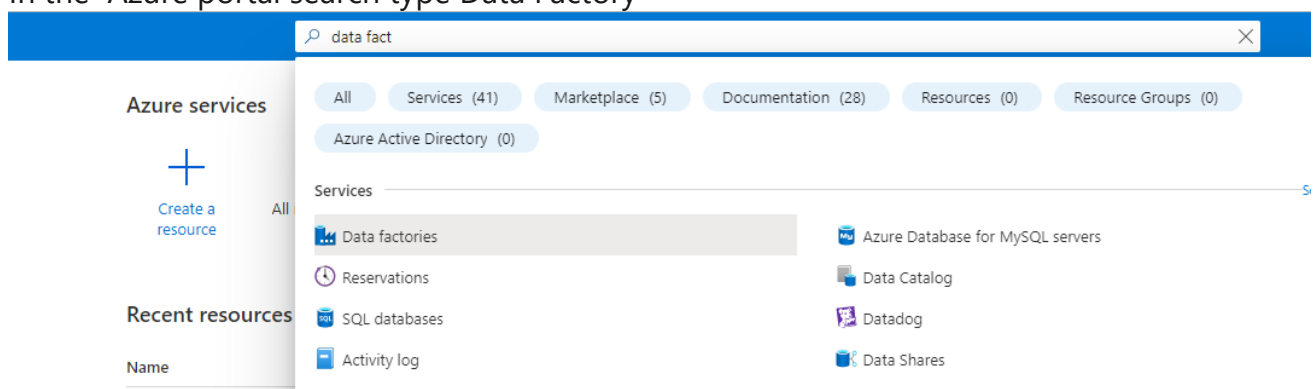
Azure Data Factory (ADF) is a data pipeline orchestrator and ETL tool that is part of the Microsoft Azure cloud ecosystem. ADF can pull data from the outside world (FTP, Amazon S3, Oracle), transform it, filter it, enhance it, and move it along to another destination. In my work for a health-data project we are using ADF to drive our data flow from raw ingestion to polished analysis that is ready to display.

- Stores data with the help of Azure Data Lake Storage
- Analyzes the data
- Transforms the data with the help of pipelines (a logical grouping of activities that together perform a task)
- Publishes the organized data
- Visualizes the data with third-party applications like Apache Spark or Hadoop.

In this Azure Data Factory tutorial, you will learn about Azure Data Factory, its basic concepts and why do we need it. Also, you will learn the working process of Azure Data Factory and will be introduced to Azure Data Lake. Here, you will learn how to copy data from Azure SQL to Azure Data Lake,

2. Exercise 1 – Provisioning Azure Data Factory

1. Go to the [Azure portal](#).
2. In the Azure portal search type Data Factory



3. Click **Create Data Factory** page,

Home >


Data factories

Default Directory (shrutisinhahotmail.onmicrosoft.com)

+ Create Manage view Refresh Export to CSV Open query Assign tags

Filter for any field... Subscription == all Type == all Resource group == all Location == all Add filter

Name ↑↓ Type ↑↓ Subscription ↑↓ Resource group ↑↓



No data factories to display

Try changing or clearing your filters.

[Create data factory](#)

[Learn more](#)

4. Under **Basics** tab, select your Azure **Subscription** in which you want to create the data factory.
5. For **Resource Group** Select an existing resource group from the drop-down list.
6. For **Name**, enter **ADFDemo+number**

Home > Data factories >

Create Data Factory

Basics Git configuration Networking Advanced Tags Review + create

Project details

Select the subscription to manage deployed resources and costs. Use resource groups like folders to organize and manage all your resources.

Subscription * ⓘ Visual Studio Enterprise Subscription

Resource group * ⓘ BipeenRG

[Create new](#)

Instance details

Name * ⓘ ADFdemo7yu6

Region * ⓘ East US

Version * ⓘ V2 (Recommended)

7. Select **Next: Git configuration**, and then select **Configure Git later** check box.

[Home](#) > [Data factories](#) >

Create Data Factory ...

Basics **Git configuration** Networking Advanced Tags Review + create

Azure Data Factory allows you to configure a Git repository with either Azure DevOps or GitHub. Git is a version control system that allows for easier change tracking and collaboration.

[Learn more about Git integration in Azure Data Factory](#)

Configure Git later  ☒

8. Click Next in Networking

[Home](#) > [Data factories](#) >

Create Data Factory ...

Basics Git configuration **Networking** Advanced Tags Review + create

Managed virtual network

Choose whether you want the default AutoResolveIntegrationRuntime to be provisioned on demand inside an ADF-managed virtual network. If this setting is disabled, after the data factory is created, you can still choose whether to provision explicitly created Azure integration runtime inside an ADF-managed virtual network.

[Learn more](#)


Enable Managed Virtual Network on the default AutoResolveIntegrationRuntime ☐

Self-hosted integration runtime inbound connectivity to Azure Data Factory service

Choose whether to connect your self-hosted integration runtime to Azure Data Factory via public endpoint or private endpoint. This applies to self-hosted integration runtime running either on premises or inside customer managed Azure virtual network

[Learn more](#)

Connect via *  ☒ Public endpoint ☐ Private endpoint

 You can change this or configure another connectivity method after this resource is created. [Learn more](#) 

9. Click Next in Advance


[Home](#) > [Data factories](#) >

Create Data Factory ...

Basics Git configuration Networking **Advanced** Tags Review + create

Datafactory Encryption

By default, data is encrypted with Microsoft-managed keys. For additional control over encryption keys, you can supply customer-managed keys to use for encryption of blob and file data. Customer-managed keys must be stored in an Azure Key Vault. You can either create your own keys and store them in a key vault, or you can use the Azure Key Vault APIs to generate keys. The storage account and the key vault must be in the same region, but they can be in different subscriptions.

Enable encryption using a Customer Managed Key ☐ 

10. Select **Review + create**, and select **Create** after the validation is passed.

Home >



Microsoft.DataFactory-20220505093606 | Overview

Deployment

Search (Ctrl+/)

Delete Cancel Redeploy Refresh

Overview

Inputs

Outputs

Template

We'd love your feedback! →



Your deployment is complete



Deployment name: Microsoft.DataFactory-20220505093606

Subscription: Visual Studio Enterprise Subscription

Resource group: BipeenRG

Start time: 5/5/2022, 9:39:16 AM

Correlation ID: 4acca17a-e04d-4a0d-9077-1ed52

Deployment details (Download)

Next steps

Go to resource

11. After the creation is complete, select **Go to resource** to navigate to the **Data Factory** page.

3. Exercise 2 – Launch Azure Data Factory Studio

1. Select Open on the Open **Azure Data Factory Studio**.

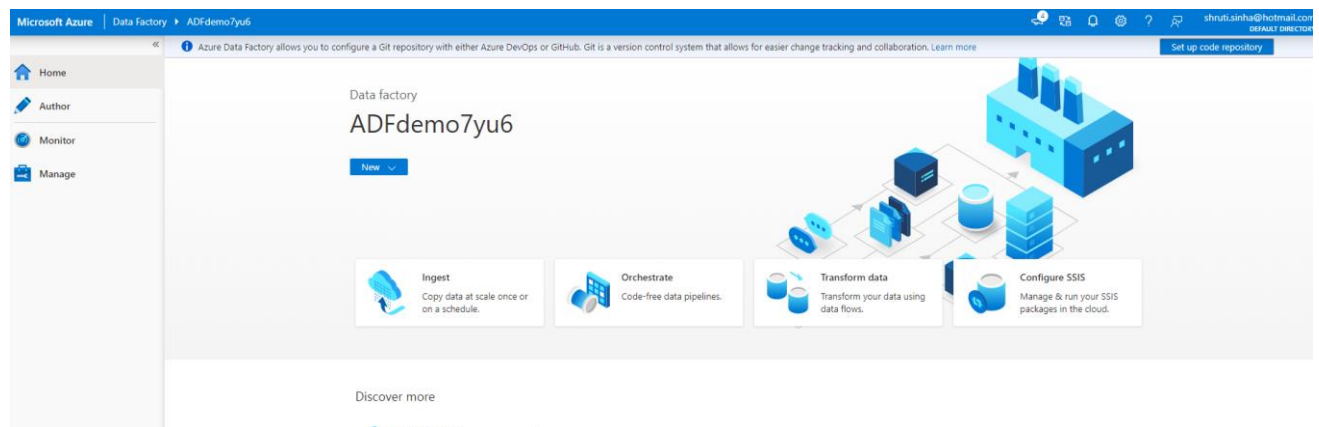
The screenshot shows the Azure portal interface for a new Data Factory resource. The left sidebar contains navigation options like Overview, Activity log, Access control (IAM), Tags, Diagnose and solve problems, Settings, Networking, Managed identities, Properties, Locks, Getting started, Quick start, Monitoring, Alerts, Metrics, Diagnostic settings, Logs, Automation, Tasks (preview), Support + troubleshooting, Resource health, and New Support Request. The main content area shows the 'Getting started' section with a red box highlighting the 'Open Azure Data Factory Studio' button. Below this, there are three monitoring charts: PipelineRuns, ActivityRuns, and TriggerRuns, each showing a line graph and a bar chart for successful and failed runs.

2. It start the Azure Data Factory user interface (UI) application on a separate browser tab.

<https://adf.azure.com/en/home?factory=%2Fsubscriptions%2F463fbf22-369d-445d-b8c3-c9dbb477ee76%2FresourceGroups%2FBipeenRG%2Fproviders%2FMicrosoft.DataFactory%2Ffactories%2FADFdemo7yu6>



3. You Should be in Azure Data Factory Studio



4. Exercise 3 – Create a New Data Lake Storage

1. Create new storage as we did in our prevision exercise

Create a storage account ...

Basics Advanced Networking Data protection Encryption Tags Review + create

Project details

Select the subscription in which to create the new storage account. Choose a new or existing resource group to organize and manage your storage account together with other resources.

Subscription *

Resource group *
[Create new](#)

Instance details

If you need to create a legacy storage account type, please click [here](#).

Storage account name ⓘ *

Region ⓘ *

Performance ⓘ * ☒ **Standard:** Recommended for most scenarios (general-purpose v2 account)
☐ **Premium:** Recommended for scenarios that require low latency.

Redundancy ⓘ *
☒ Make read access to data available in the event of regional unavailability.

Review + create

< Previous

Next : Advanced >

2. Enable Datalake and click Review and Create

[Home](#) > [Storage accounts](#) >

Create a storage account ...

Basics **Advanced** Networking Data protection Encryption Tags Review + create

ⓘ Certain options have been disabled by default due to the combination of storage account performance, redundancy, and region.

Security

Configure security settings that impact your storage account.

Require secure transfer for REST API operations ⓘ ☒

Enable blob public access ⓘ ☒

Enable storage account key access ⓘ ☒

Default to Azure Active Directory authorization in the Azure portal ⓘ ☐

Minimum TLS version ⓘ

Data Lake Storage Gen2

The Data Lake Storage Gen2 hierarchical namespace accelerates big data analytics workloads and enables file-level access control lists (ACLs). [Learn more](#)

Enable hierarchical namespace ☒

Blob storage

Review + create

< Previous

Next : Networking >

3. Click **Create**

[Home](#) > [Storage accounts](#) >

Create a storage account ...

✓ Validation passed

[Basics](#) [Advanced](#) [Networking](#) [Data protection](#) [Encryption](#) [Tags](#) [Review + create](#)

Basics

Subscription	Visual Studio Enterprise Subscription
Resource Group	BipeenRG
Location	eastus
Storage account name	adfdldemo379
Deployment model	Resource manager
Performance	Standard
Replication	Read-access geo-redundant storage (RA-GRS)

Advanced

Secure transfer	Enabled
Allow storage account key access	Enabled
Allow cross-tenant replication	Disabled
Default to Azure Active Directory authorization in the Azure portal	Disabled
Blob public access	Enabled
Minimum TLS version	Version 1.2
Enable hierarchical namespace	Enabled
Enable network file system v3	Disabled
Access tier	Hot
Enable SFTP (preview)	Disabled
Large file shares	Disabled

Create

< Previous

Next >

[Download a template for automation](#)

4. It should be created in few Minutes

[Home](#) >



adfdldemo379_1651724601241 | Overview ⭐ ...

Deployment

Search (Ctrl+/) <<

Delete Cancel Redeploy Refresh

Overview

Inputs

Outputs

Template

✓ We'd love your feedback! →

✓ Your deployment is complete



Deployment name: adfdldemo379_1651724601241
Subscription: [Visual Studio Enterprise Subscription](#)
Resource group: [BipeenRG](#)

Start time: 5/5/2022, 9:53:30 AM
Correlation ID: 7ef31f81-0184-4020-96c9-7dc33594f5a8

Deployment details [\(Download\)](#)

Next steps

[Go to resource](#)

5. Exercise 4 – Create Data Lake Container and Upload Data

1. From the storage account page, select **Overview** > **Containers**.

Home > adfldemo379_1651724601241 > adfldemo379



adfldemo379 | Containers

Storage account

Search (Ctrl+J)



+ Container



Change access level



Restore containers



Refresh



Delete

Overview

Activity log

Tags

Diagnose and solve problems

Access Control (IAM)

Data migration

Events

Storage browser (preview)

Data storage

Containers

File shares

Queues

Tables

Search containers by prefix

Name



\$logs

2. In the **New container** dialog box, enter **data** for the name, and then select **OK**

New container



Name *

data



Public access level ⓘ

Private (no anonymous access)



Advanced

3. The **Containers** page is updated to include **data** in the list of containers.

Home > adfldemo379_1651724601241 > adfldemo379



adfldemo379 | Containers

Storage account

Search (Ctrl+J)



+ Container



Change access level



Restore containers



Refresh



Delete

Overview

Activity log

Tags

Diagnose and solve problems

Access Control (IAM)

Data migration

Events

Storage browser (preview)

Data storage

Containers

File shares

Search containers by prefix

Name

Last modified

Public access level



\$logs

5/5/2022, 9:54:06 AM

Private

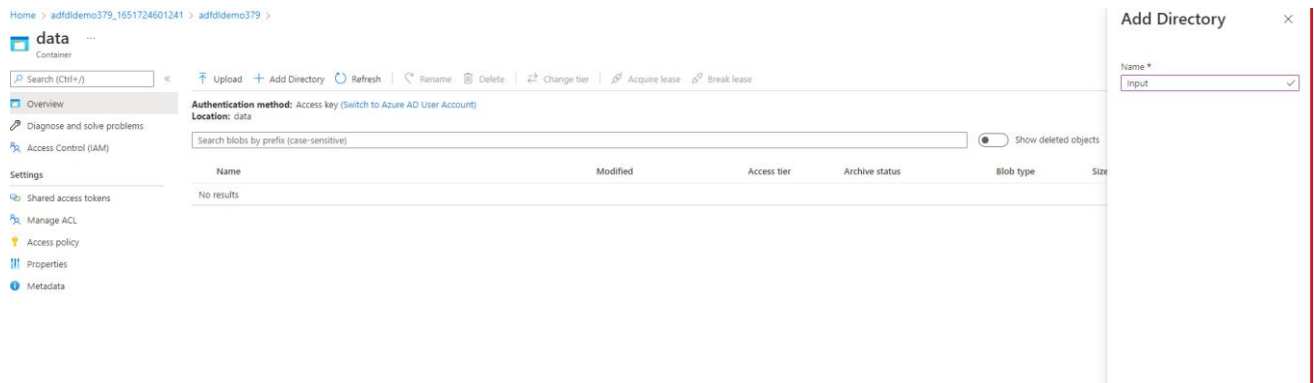


data

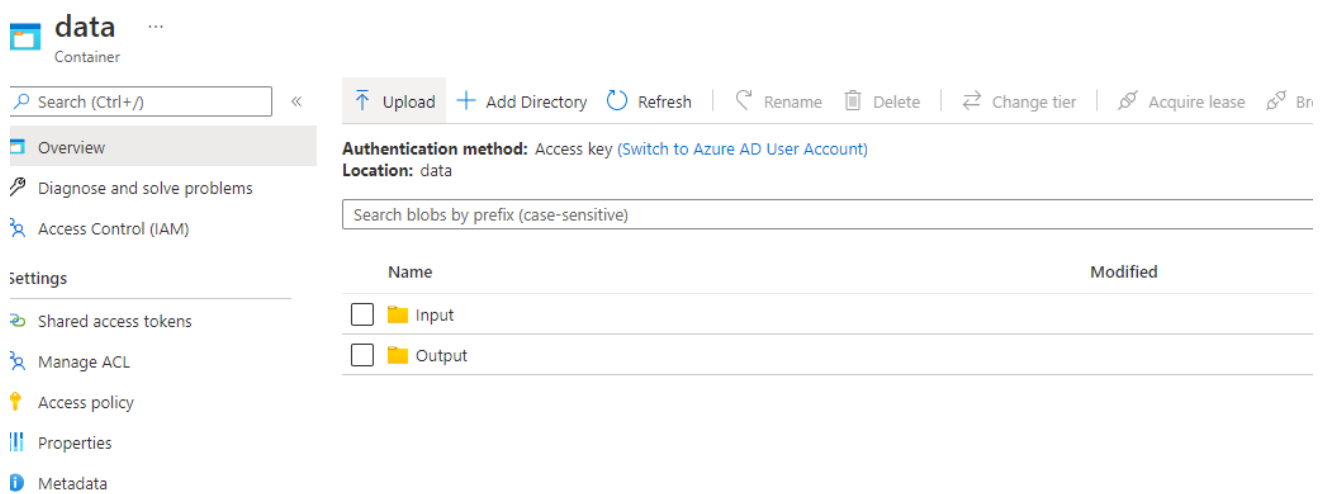
5/5/2022, 9:56:00 AM

Private

4. Click **Add Directory** and type **Input** and click ok

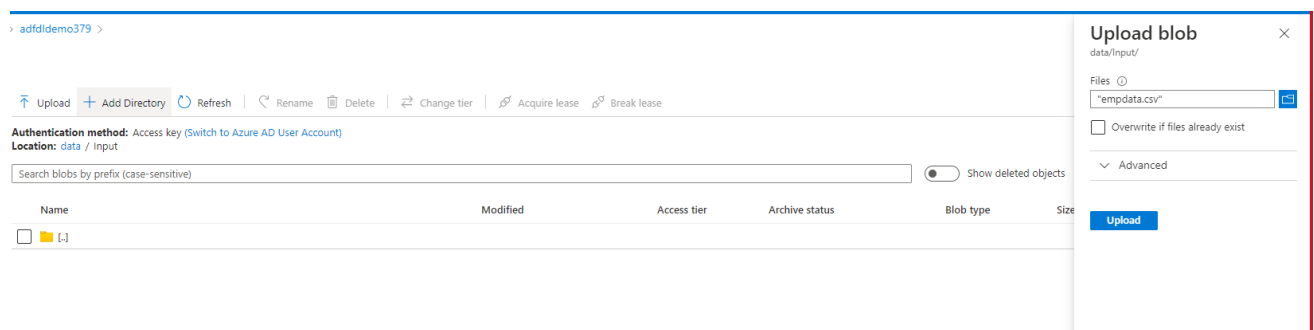


5. Click **Add Directory** and type **Output** and click ok



6. Click the **Input Directory** and Click **Upload**.

7. In the **Upload blob** page, select the **Files** box, and then browse to and select the **empdata.CSV** file.



Home > adfdldemo379_1651724601241 > adfdldemo379 >

data Container

Search (Ctrl+/) « Upload Add Directory Refresh Rename Delete Change tier Acquire lease Break lease

Overview

Diagnose and solve problems

Access Control (IAM)

Settings

Shared access tokens

Manage ACL

Access policy

Properties

Authentication method: Access key (Switch to Azure AD User Account)

Location: data / Input

Search blobs by prefix (case-sensitive)

Name	Modified	Access tier	Archive status
[-]			
empdata.csv	5/5/2022, 9:58:04 AM	Hot (Inferred)	

6. Exercise 5 – Create Linked Services

1. On the Azure Data Factory UI page, open **Manage** tab from the left pane.
2. On the Linked services page, select **+New** to create a new linked service.

Microsoft Azure | Data Factory > ADFdemo7yu6

Home Author Monitor **Manage**

Data Factory Validate all Publish all

Connections

Linked services

Integration runtimes

Azure Purview

Source control

Git configuration

ARM template

Author

Triggers

Linked services

Linked service defines the connection information to a data store or compute. [Learn more](#)

+ New

Filter by name Annotations : Any

Showing 0 - 0 of 0 items

Name ↑↓ Type ↑↓

3. On the **New Linked Service** page, select **Data Lake Verion2**, and then select **Continue**.

Data Factory Validate all Publish all

Connections

Linked services

Integration runtimes

Azure Purview

Source control

Git configuration

ARM template

Author

Triggers

Global parameters

Data flow libraries (preview)

Security

Credentials

Customer managed key

Managed private endpoints

New linked service

Data store Compute

data

All Azure Database File Generic protocol NoSQL Services and apps

Azure Data Explorer (Kusto)

Azure Data Lake Storage Gen1

Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2

Azure Database for MariaDB

Azure Database for MySQL

Azure Database for PostgreSQL

Azure Databricks Delta Lake

Azure SQL Database

Azure SQL Database Managed Instance



teradata

Continue Cancel

4. On the New Linked Service (Azure Blob Storage) page, complete the following steps:

- a. For **Name**, enter **AzureStorageLinkedService**.
- b. For **Storage account name**, select the name of your Azure Storage account.

New linked service

 Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2 [Learn more](#) 

Name *


Description

Connect via integration runtime * ⓘ

Authentication type

Account selection method ⓘ
☒ From Azure subscription ☐ Enter manually

Azure subscription ⓘ


Storage account name * 

Test connection ⓘ
☒ To linked service ☐ To file path

Annotations
[+ New](#)

> Parameters

> Advanced ⓘ

[Create](#) [Back](#)  Test connection [Cancel](#)

5. Select **Test connection** to confirm that the Data Factory service can connect to the storage account.
6. Select **Create** to save the linked service.

Test connection ⓘ

☒ To linked service ☐ To file path

Annotations

+ New

> Parameters

> Advanced ⓘ

Connection successful

Create Back Test connection Cancel

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Home Author Monitor Manage

Connections

- Linked services
- Integration runtimes
- Azure Purview

Source control

- Git configuration
- ARM template

Author

- Triggers
- Global parameters
- Data flow libraries (preview)

Security

Linked services

Linked service defines the connection information to a data store or compute. [Learn more](#)

+ New

Filter by name Annotations: Any

Showing 1 - 1 of 1 items

Name ↑↓	Type ↑↓	Related ↑↓
AzureDataLakeStorage1	Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2	0

7. Exercise 1 – Create Pipeline and Dataset

1. Select the + (plus) button, and then select **Pipeline**.

Microsoft Azure | Data Factory | ADFdemo7yu6

Home Author Monitor Manage

Factory Resources

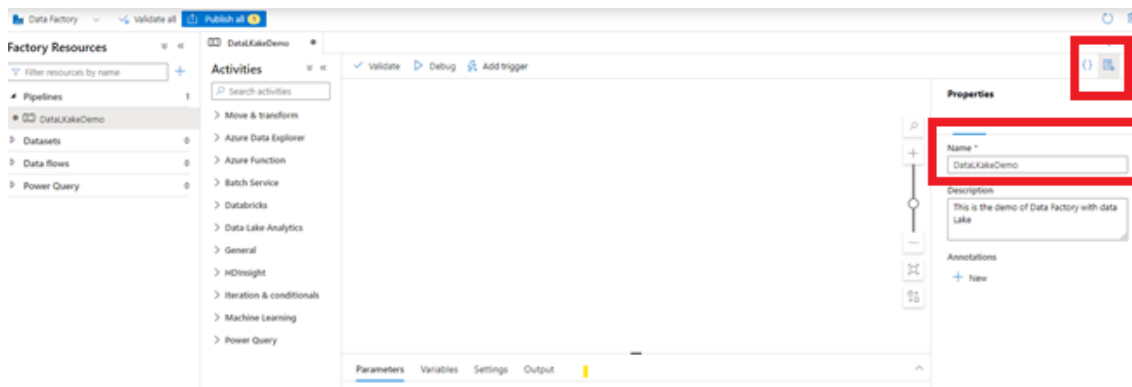
Filter resources by name +

Pipelines 0

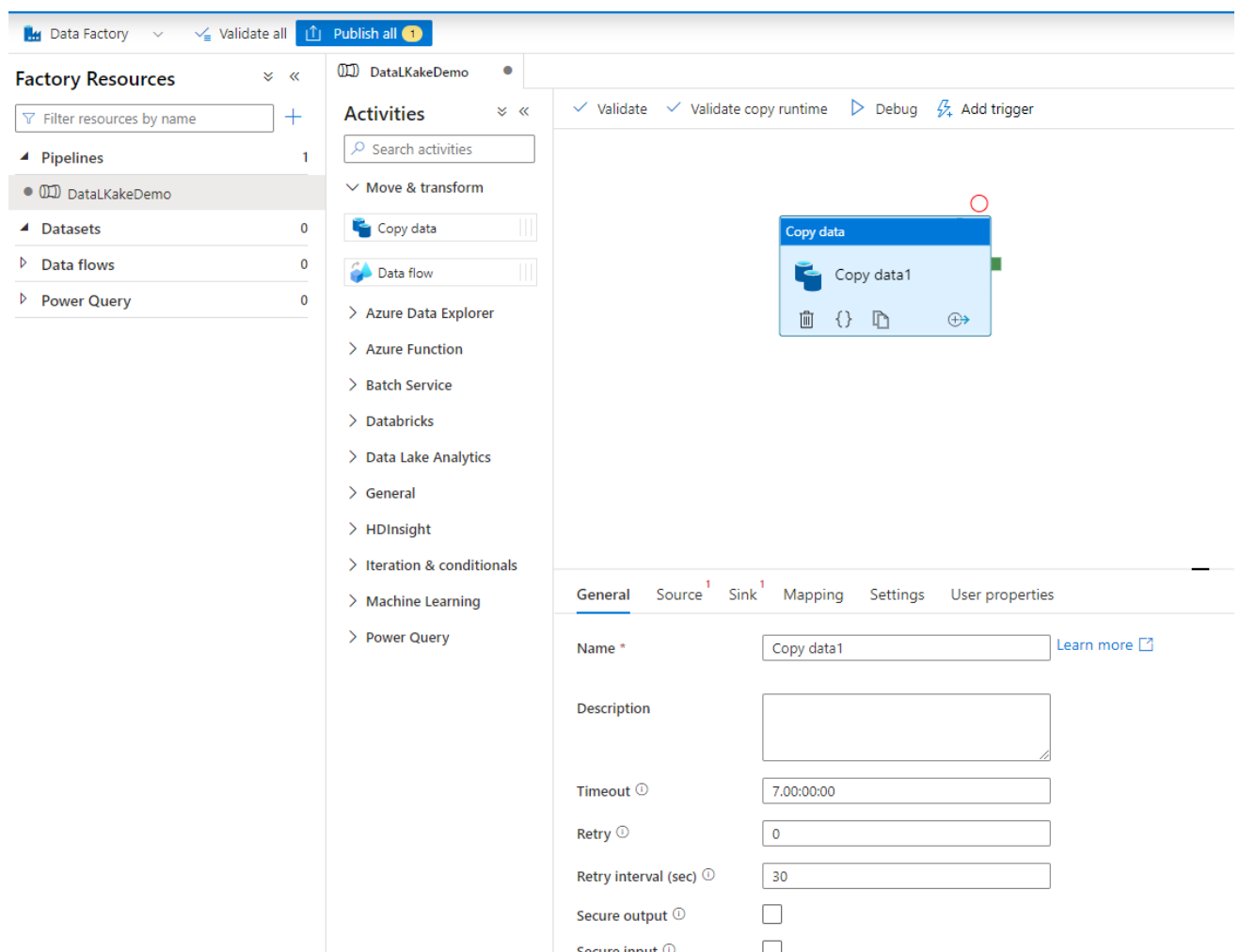
- Datasets
- Data flows
- Power Query

New pipeline
Pipeline from template
New folder

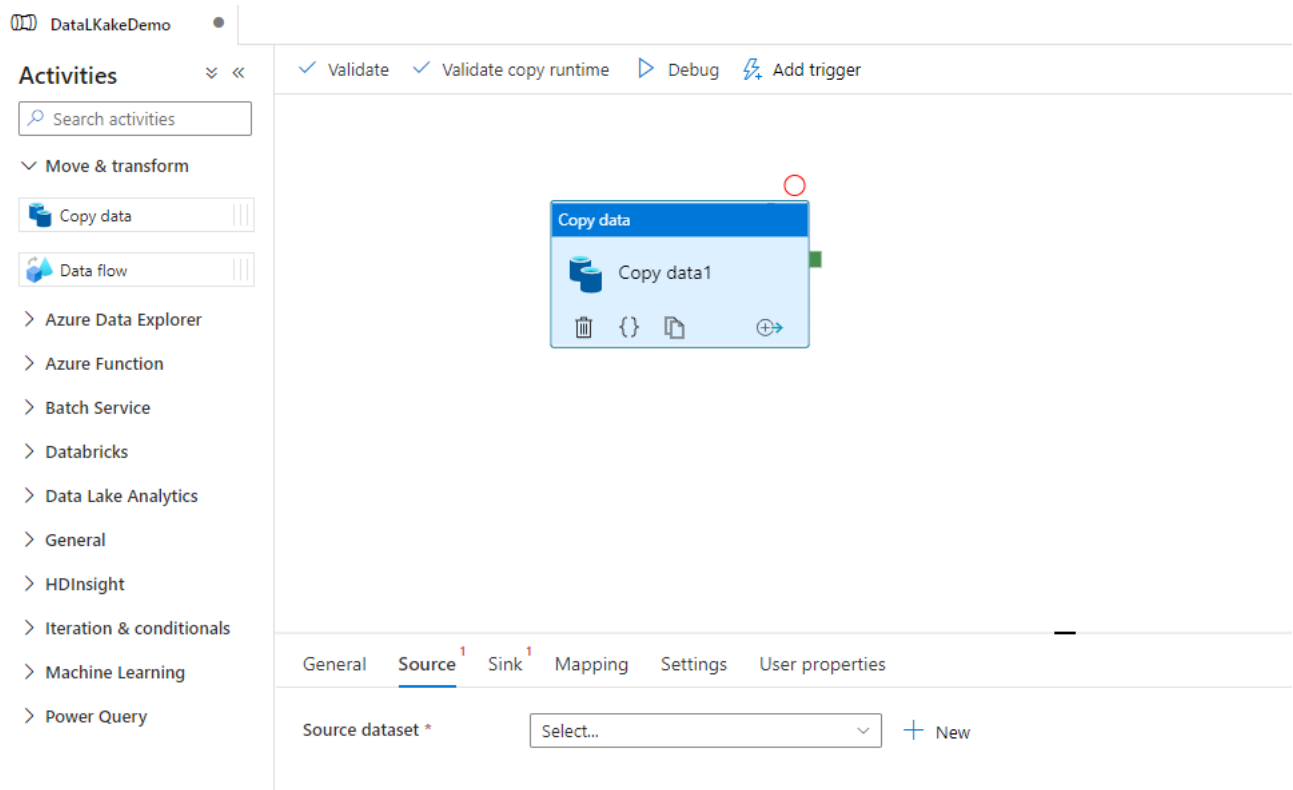
2. In the General panel under **Properties**, specify **CopyPipeline** for **Name**. Then collapse the panel by clicking the Properties icon in the top-right corner.



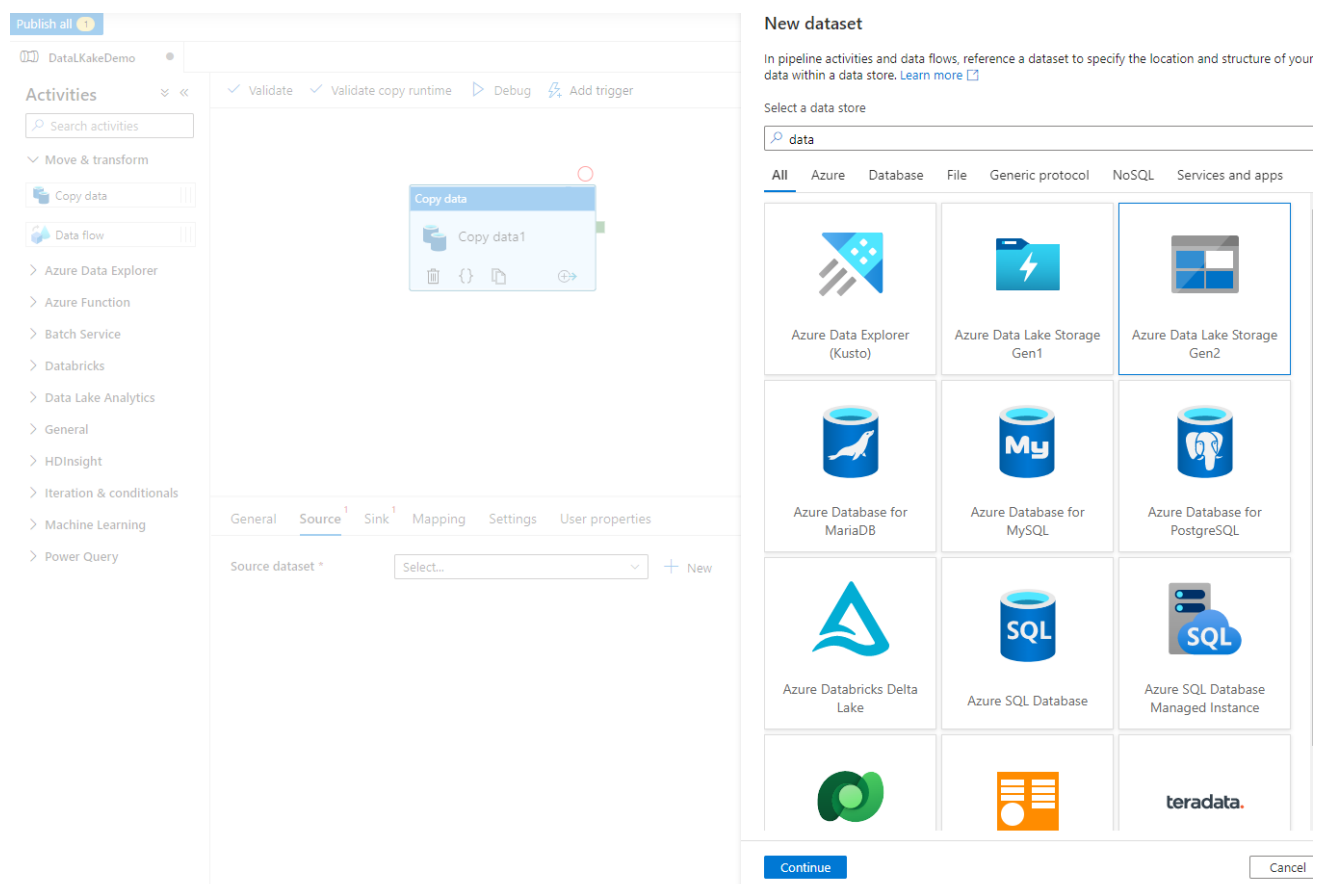
3. In the **Activities** toolbox, expand **Move & Transform**. Drag the **Copy Data** activity from the **Activities** toolbox to the pipeline designer surface.



4. Switch to the **Source** tab in the copy activity settings, and Click +New











5. On the **New Dataset** page, select **Azure Data Lake Storage V2**, and then select **Continue**.



6. On the **Select Format** page, choose the format type of your data, and then select **Continue**. In this case, select **CSV** when copy files as-is without parsing the content.

Select format

Choose the format type of your data

 Avro	 Binary	 DelimitedText
 Excel	 JSON	 ORC
 Parquet	 XML	

Continue

Back

Cancel

7. On the **Set Properties** page, complete following steps:
- Under **Name**, enter **InputDataset**.
 - For **Linked service**, select **AzureStorageLinkedService**.

Set properties

Name

InputDataSet

Linked service *

AzureDataLakeStorage1

File path

File system

/ Directory

/ File

First row as header

☐

Import schema

☐ From connection/store ☐ From sample file ☒ None

> Advanced

8. . For **File path**, select the **Browse** button.
9. In the **Choose a file or folder** window, browse to the **input** folder in the **data** container, select the **empdata.csv**, and then select **OK**.

Browse

Select a file or folder.

Root folder > data > Input



10. Select **OK**.

Set properties

Name

InputDataSet

Linked service *

AzureDataLakeStorage1

File path

data

/ Input

/ empdata.csv

First row as header



Import schema

☒ From connection/store ☐ From sample file ☐ None

> Advanced

11. Repeat the steps to create the output dataset:

- a. Select the **+** (plus) button, and then select **Dataset**.
- b. On the **New Dataset** page, select **Azure Data Lake Storage V2**, and then select **Continue**.
- c. On the **Select Format** page, choose the format type of your data, and then select **Continue**.
- d. On the **Set Properties** page, specify **OutputDataset** for the name. Select **AzureStorageLinkedService** as linked service.
- e. Under **File path**, enter **data/output**. If the **output** folder doesn't exist, the copy activity creates it at runtime.

f. Select **OK**.

The screenshot shows the Azure Data Factory (ADF) interface for a pipeline named 'DataLakeDemo'. On the left, the 'Activities' pane is expanded, showing 'Move & transform' with 'Copy data' and 'Data flow' options. The 'Copy data' activity is selected. The main canvas displays a 'Copy data' activity box labeled 'Copy data1'. Below the activity box, the 'Sink' tab is active, showing the 'Sink dataset *' dropdown menu with a 'Select...' button and a '+ New' link. The top navigation bar includes 'Validate', 'Validate copy runtime', 'Debug', and 'Add trigger' buttons.

Set properties

Name

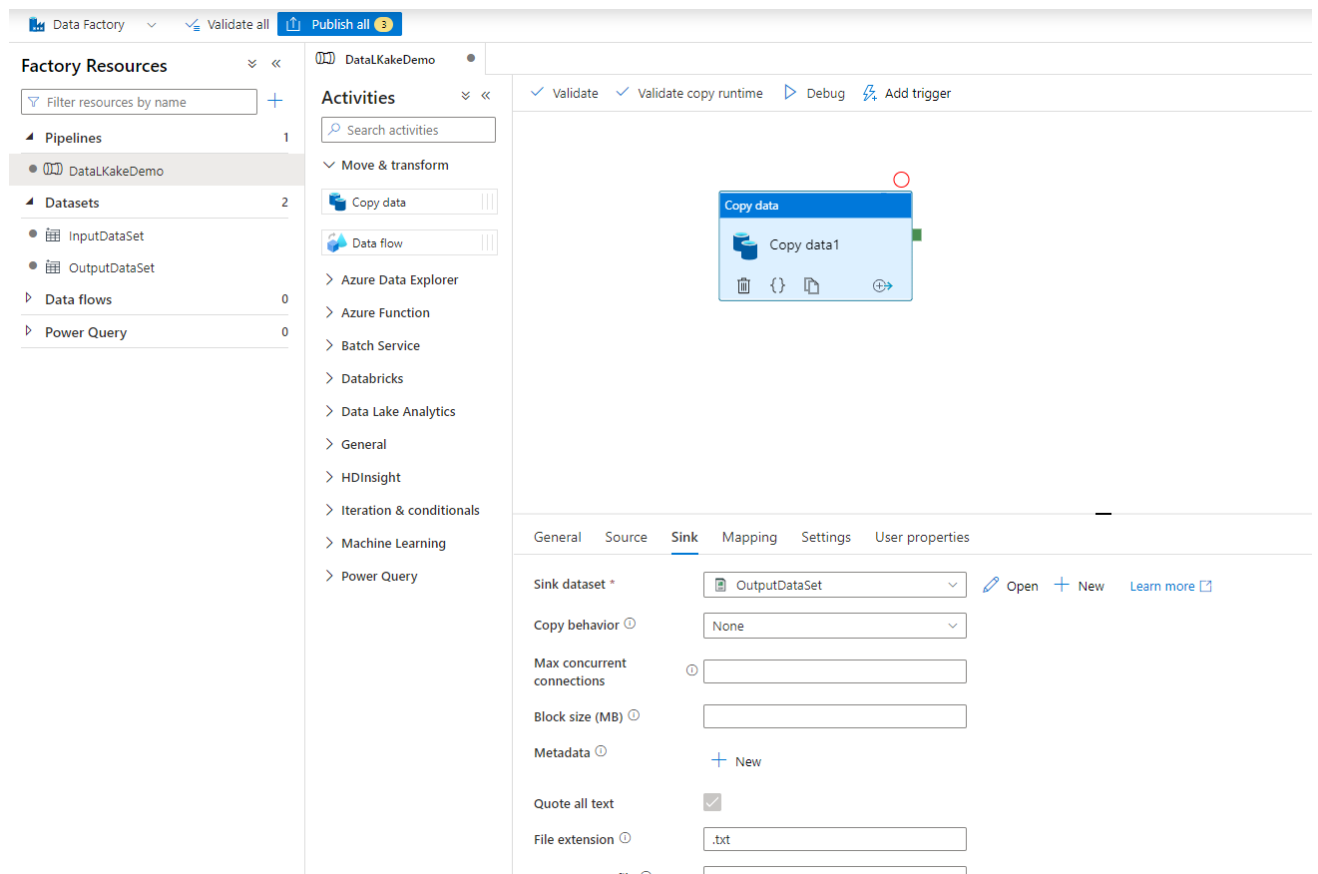
Linked service *

File path
 / /

First row as header ☐

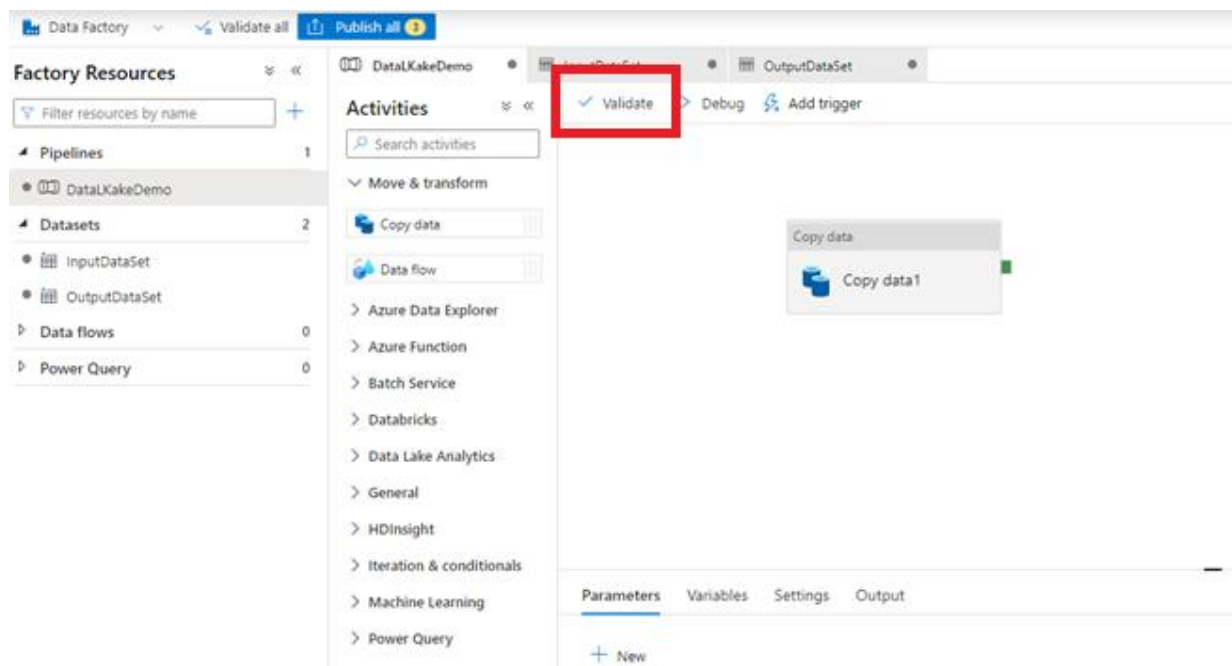
Import schema
☒ From connection/store ☐ From sample file ☐ None

> Advanced

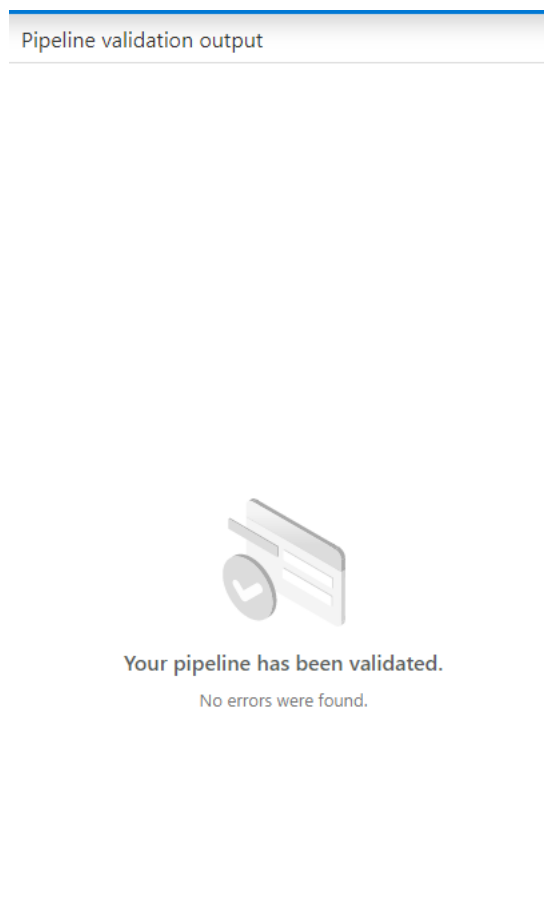


8. Exercise 7 – Validate and Debug the Pipeline

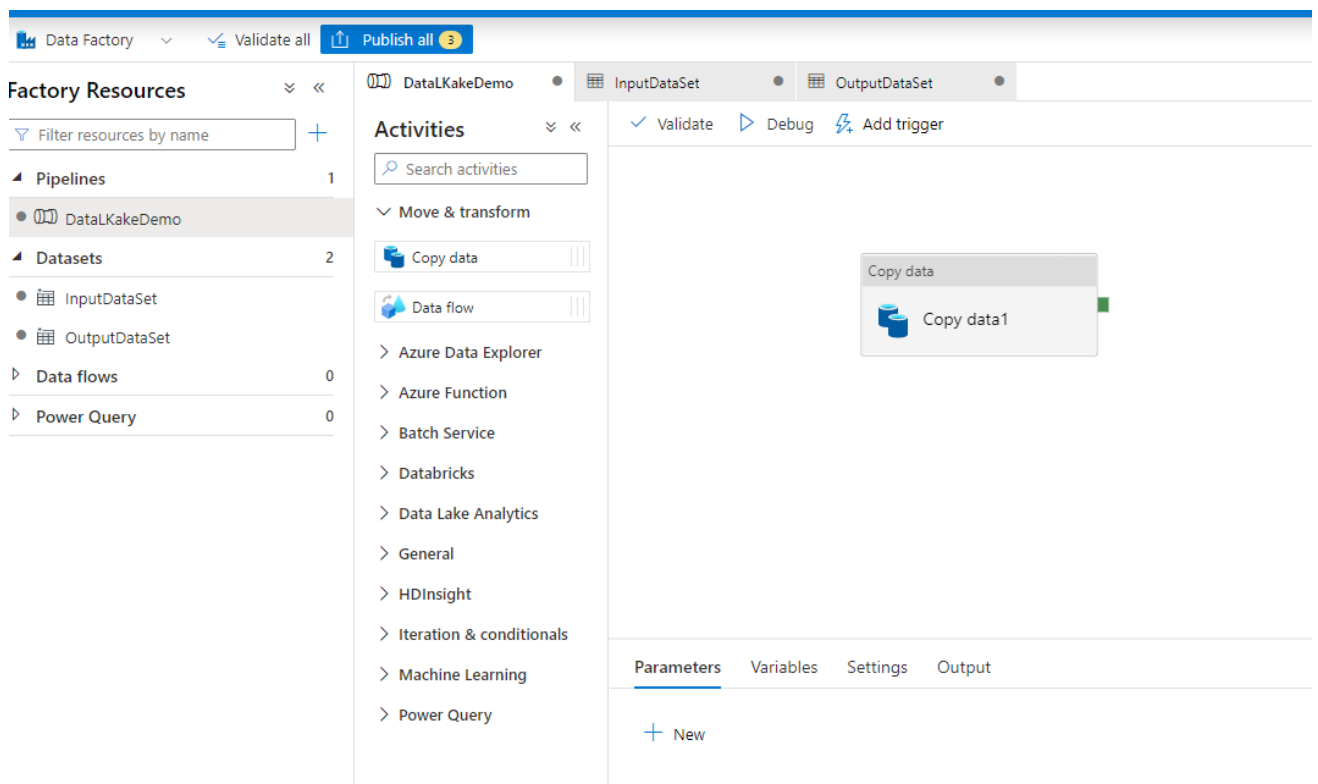
1. In the Pipeline click **Validate** to Validate the Pipeline for any configuration error



2. It Should show the message Validation is Passed



3. On the pipeline toolbar above the canvas, click **Debug** to trigger a test run.



- Confirm that you see the status of the pipeline run on the Output tab of the pipeline settings at the bottom.

The screenshot shows the Azure Data Factory pipeline configuration interface. The left sidebar contains the 'Activities' pane with a search bar and a list of activity categories: 'Move & transform' (containing 'Copy data' and 'Data flow'), 'Azure Data Explorer', 'Azure Function', 'Batch Service', 'Databricks', 'Data Lake Analytics', 'General', 'HDInsight', 'Iteration & conditionals', 'Machine Learning', and 'Power Query'. The main canvas displays a 'Copy data' activity with a sub-activity 'Copy data1'. The bottom pane shows the 'Output' tab of the pipeline settings. The pipeline run ID is 'e5bb066b-ff8c-41b6-b8bf-335e4fa47cf9'. Below this, a table lists the pipeline run details:

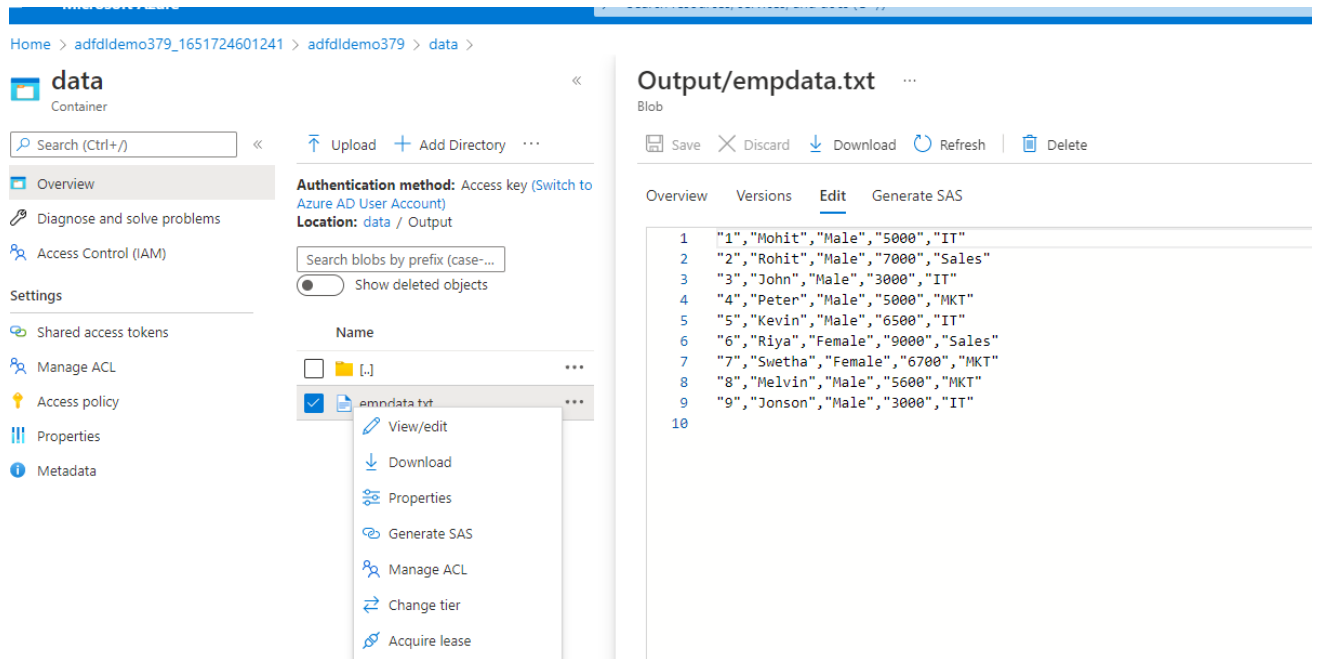
Name	Type	Run start	Duration	Status	Integration runtime	Run ID
Copy data1	Copy data	2022-05-05T04:42:35.44	00:00:02	Queued		9deeccd3-961a-4c77-b97

- Confirm that you see that you succeed Message .

The screenshot shows the Azure Data Factory pipeline configuration interface, similar to the previous one, but with the 'Copy data' activity now marked with a green checkmark, indicating success. The bottom pane shows the 'Output' tab of the pipeline settings. The pipeline run ID is 'e5bb066b-ff8c-41b6-b8bf-335e4fa47cf9'. Below this, a table lists the pipeline run details:

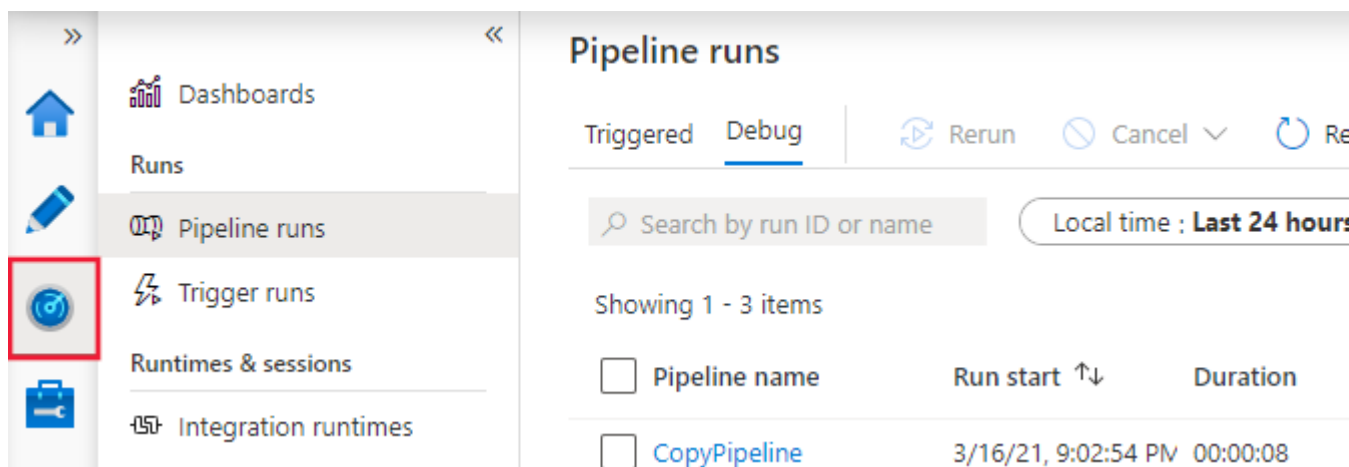
Name	Type	Run start	Duration	Status	Integration runtime	Run ID
Copy data1	Copy data	2022-05-05T04:42:35.4458	00:00:08	Succeeded	AutoResolveIntegrationRui	9deeccd3-961a-4c77-b97

- Go back to your storage and check output folder .



9. Monitor the pipeline

1. Switch to the **Monitor** tab on the left. Use the **Refresh** button to refresh the list.






2. Select the **CopyPipeline** link, you'll see the status of the copy activity run on this page.
3. To view details about the copy operation, select the **Details** (eyeglasses image) link. For details about the properties, see [Copy Activity overview](#).

[All pipeline runs](#) > CopyPipeline - Activity runs


CopyPipeline


[List](#) [Gantt](#)

 Refresh  Edit pipeline

 Pipeline was modified after this run. The current pipeline configuration is shown.


Copy data

 CopyfromBlobtoBlob






+ - [00%] 

Activity runs

Pipeline run ID 773ed5dc-382d-4dfa-b5bf-0c5bac34ff4e

All status 

Showing 1 - 1 of 1 items

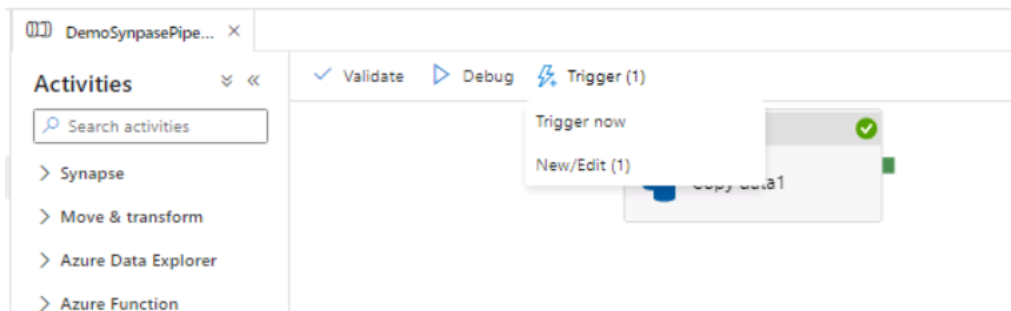
Activity name	Activity type	Run start 	Duration	Status
CopyfromBlo...   	Copy data	3/16/21, 9:02:57 PM	00:00:06	 Succeeded

4. Confirm that you see a new file in the **output** folder.
5. You can switch back to the **Pipeline runs** view from the **Activity runs** view by selecting the **All pipeline runs** link.

10. Trigger the pipeline on a schedule

1. Switch to the **Author** tab.

- Go to your pipeline, select **Add Trigger** on the pipeline toolbar, and then select **New/Edit**.



- On the **Add Triggers** page, select **Choose trigger**, and then select **New**.
- On the **New Trigger** page, under **End**, select **On Date**, specify an end time a few minutes after the current time, and then select **OK**.

A screenshot of the 'New trigger' dialog box in Synapse Studio. The dialog has the following fields and options:

- Name ***: Trigger 1
- Description**: (empty text area)
- Type ***: Schedule (dropdown menu)
- Start date ***: 5/5/22 06:34:51
- Time zone ***: Coordinated Universal Time (UTC) (dropdown menu)
- Recurrence ***: Every 15 Minute(s) (dropdown menu)
- ☐ Specify an end date
- Annotations**: + New
- Start trigger**: ☒ Start trigger on creation

At the bottom are 'OK' and 'Cancel' buttons.