Subject: Summary of Errors Analyzed in Power BI and Databricks Integration

Dear Team,

I hope this email finds you well. Below is a brief summary of the errors we recently encountered while integrating Power BI with Databricks via the Mashup engine and the gateway:

Key Issues:

1. **Mashup Engine Error**:
    - The Mashup engine encountered a `DM_GWPipeline_Gateway_MashupDataAccessError`, which occurred during data processing through the gateway.
    - **Root Cause**: Unrecognized or unsupported transformations in the query, combined with potential resource constraints.

2. **ODBC Connection Error (`HY000`)**:
    - An `ODBC ERROR HY000` (Memory allocation error) was raised during query execution.
    - **Root Cause**: High memory usage or insufficient resources at the Databricks SQL endpoint or the Power BI gateway. This may be due to large dataset size, complex queries, or inefficient processing.

3. **ODBC Connection Error (`HY001`)**:
    - A `HY001` (Memory allocation error) was encountered. This indicates the system or driver could not allocate sufficient memory to perform the requested operation.
    - **Root Cause**:
        - Queries or transformations requiring more memory than is available.
        - Unoptimized queries leading to excessive resource usage.
        - Gateway or driver resource constraints.

Possible Causes:

- Complex queries or large datasets exceeding the memory limits of the Mashup engine or the gateway.
- Lack of query folding, resulting in operations being performed locally by Power BI instead of Databricks.
- Insufficient resources in the gateway or Databricks SQL cluster.
- Driver limitations or inefficiencies in handling large result sets.

Recommendations:

1. **Optimize Queries**:
    - Simplify queries in Databricks to minimize resource usage and improve execution efficiency.
    - Ensure filters and transformations are applied directly in Databricks by enabling query folding.

2. **Increase Resources**:
    - Review the current capacity of the gateway and upgrade its memory or CPU resources if necessary.
    - Verify that the Databricks SQL Warehouse is configured to handle the required workloads (e.g., use higher-performing instance types or increase cluster size).

3. **Leverage Query Folding**:
    - Ensure that all applicable transformations are folded back to the source system to reduce local memory usage.

4. **Fetch Data in Smaller Chunks**:
    - Modify queries or application logic to retrieve data in smaller batches rather than a single large result set.

5. **Enable Logs for More Details**:
    - Review Power BI gateway logs and Databricks SQL execution logs to identify specific points of failure.

Next Steps:

We recommend applying the above solutions incrementally, starting with query optimization and resource scaling. Testing with smaller datasets or workloads can also help identify the specific root cause of these issues.

Let me know if there are any questions or further steps you'd like me to take regarding these errors.

Best regards,
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