Sql Link Error: The selected source cannot be used without a managed identity

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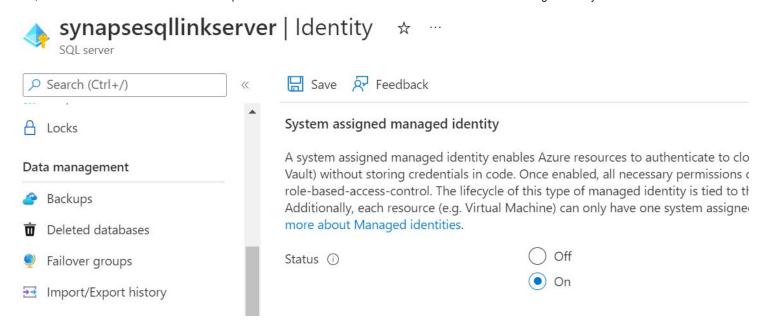
New link connection

Synapse Link connection allows you to perform analytical processing on your operational data. Learn more [7] Source database settings Select a source and the set of tables you would like to include in the link connection. Source type * Azure SQL database Source linked service * (i) AzureSqlDatabaseSOurce The selected source cannot be used without a managed identity.

Investigation:

To Overcome this issue and create Link connection successfully, we need to enable SQL server System assigned managed identity as ON.

Go to Azure SQL SERVER - Home -> Identity -> System assigned managed identity (ON)



Once After enable, now proceed to create SQL Link connection