

Msg 13822 - File cannot be opened because it does not exist or it is used by another process

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Issue

When customer try to read the data he get's the following error.

Msg 13822, Level 16, State 1, Line 1

File '< file path >' cannot be opened because it does not exist or it is used by another process.

Investigation/Analysis

Error is also discoverable from Kusto like:

```
AIrSQLErrorsReported  
| where TIMESTAMP > ago(3h) and LogicalServerName == "<instance name>"  
| summarize count() by NodeName, error_number, state  
| where error_number in (4860, 13822, 16561, 16562)
```

Mitigation

Happens for OPENROWSET queries in case of invalid file path (whether in BULK path of the query, or the LOCATION inside DATA_SOURCE)

Causes:

1. File path is invalid
- Validate file path and retry

Root Cause Classification

Cases resolved by this TSG should be coded to the following root cause:
(TBD)

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