


# [Azure PostgreSQL] invalid message format

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Symptoms	<b>Copy activity fail with the following error:</b> Type=Npgsql.PostgresException,Message=08P01: <b>invalid message format</b> ,Source=Npgsql
Cause	This is the hidden <a href="#">limitation</a> inside PostgreSQL server, PostgreSQL use a 16 bits to represent the binding parameters in a prepare statement. So when customer set a large write batch size, thus (row size * column size)> 65536, then server will throw this error.
Resolution	Decrease Write batch size 
More Information	

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