## [SQL MI] How to connect to SQL MI for Copy Activity (Public Endpoint)

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## Issue

The customer wants to open and connect to the public endpoint of a SQL MI and connect to a data factory for copy/dataflow activity.

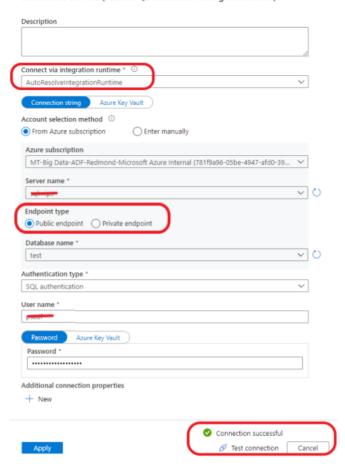
## Resolution

- 1. By default when enabling Public Endpoint in SQL MI, the is required to open port 3342 on the corresponding NSG for the subnet.
- 2. For pipeline activities (like Copy, Lookup, etc) port 3342 can restrict the incoming calls to only Data Factory IPs/Service tag.
- 3. To open the port, follow the steps below: -
  - Navigate to NSG for SQL MI (NSG name can be found from Virtual network > Subnets)
  - In NSG open "Inbound security rules" and click on Add.
  - Create a rule with the source as "Service Tag" and the value would be "DataFactory" with Destination port as 3342 and click "Add".
  - Note: Choose a priority where a smaller priority does not block the incoming network on the port.



4. Create a linked service with a public endpoint in Data Factory.

Edit linked service (Azure SQL Database Managed Instance)



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