

Azure Data Factory

Lab : Ingest Data from HTTP source to Azure Storage:

Pre-requisites:

- Azure Pass subscription
- Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2 storage account
- Azure Data Factory

Lab Objective:

After completing this lab, you will be able to:

- Ingest data using the Copy Activity
- Create Linked service and Dataset

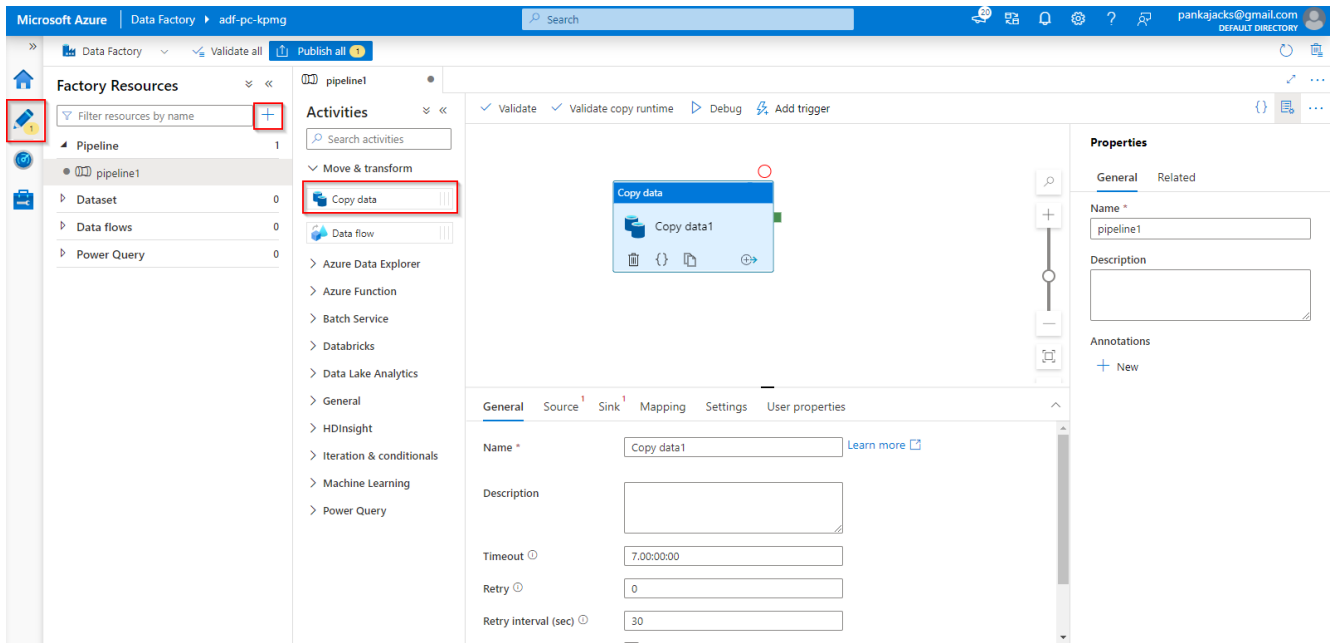
Exercise : Ingest Data using copy activity.

The task for this exercise are as follows:

1. Add the Copy Activity to the pipeline area
2. Create a new HTTP dataset to use as a source
3. Create a new ADLS Gen2 sink
4. Test the Copy Activity

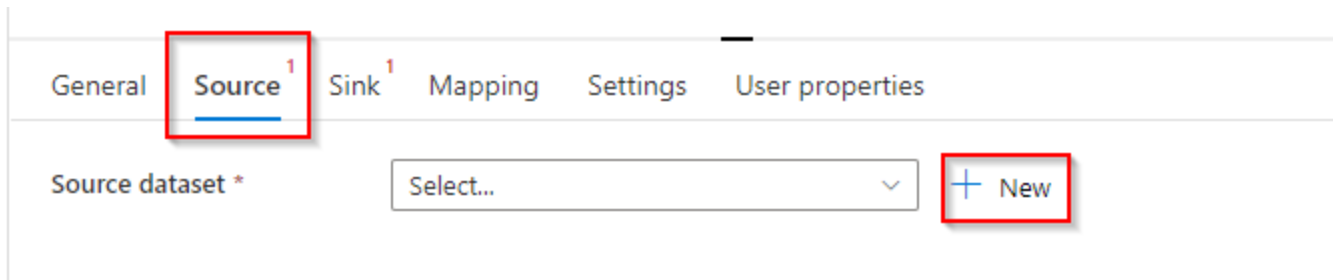
Task 1: Add the Copy Activity to the designer

1. Launch data factory studio from Azure Portal.
2. **Open the authoring canvas** If coming from the ADF homepage, click on the **pencil icon** on the left sidebar and select the **+ pipeline button** to open the authoring canvas and create a pipeline.
3. **Add a copy activity** In the Activities pane, open the **Move and Transform** accordion and drag the **Copy data** activity onto the pipeline canvas.



Task 2: Create a new HTTP dataset to use as a source

1. In the Source tab of the Copy activity settings, click **+ New**



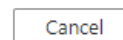
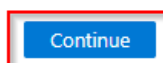
2. In the data store list, select the **HTTP** tile and click **continue**

New dataset

In pipeline activities and data flows, reference a dataset to specify the location and structure of your data within a data store. [Learn more](#)

Select a data store







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3. In the file format list, select the **DelimitedText** format tile and click **continue**

Select format

Choose the format type of your data

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 Excel	 JSON	 ORC

4. In **Set properties** blade, give your dataset an understandable name such as **HTTPSource** and click on the **Linked Service** dropdown. Create your HTTP Linked Service, select **New**.

Set properties

Name

HTTPSource

Linked service *

Select...

Filter...

Select...

+ New

5. In the **New Linked Service (HTTP)** screen, copy the URL of the TripData csv file below in the **Base URL** textbox. You can access the data with no authentication required using the following endpoint:

https://raw.githubusercontent.com/djpmsft/ADF_Labs/master/sample-data/TripData.csv

6. In the **Authentication type** drop down, select **Anonymous**. and click on **Create**.

New linked service
HTTP Learn more

Name *
HttpServer1

Description

Connect via integration runtime * ⓘ
AutoResolveIntegrationRuntime

Base URL *
https://raw.githubusercontent.com/djpmsft/ADF_Labs/master/sample-data/TripData.csv

Server Certificate Validation ⓘ
☒ Enable ☐ Disable

Authentication type *
Anonymous

Auth headers ⓘ
+ New

Annotations
+ New

> Parameters

> Advanced ⓘ

Create Cancel Test connection

- Once you have created and selected the linked service, specify the rest of your dataset settings. These settings specify how and where in your connection we want to pull the data. As the url is pointed at the file already, no relative

endpoint is required. As the data has a header in the first row, set **First row as header** to be true and select **None** in Import schema and click **OK**.

Set properties

Name

HTTPSource

Linked service *

HttpServer1

Relative URL

First row as header



Import schema



From connection/store



From sample file



None

> Advanced

OK

Back

Cancel

- Select **Get** as the request method. You will see the following screen

General **Source** Sink¹ Mapping Settings User properties

Source dataset * HTTPSource

Open + New Preview data Learn more

Request method * GET

- Click **OK** once completed.

To verify your dataset is configured correctly, click **Preview data** in the Source tab of the copy activity to get a small snapshot of your data.

General **Source** Sink¹ Mapping Settings User properties

Source dataset * HTTPSource

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Request method * GET

Preview data

Linked service: HttpServer1


Object:

medallion	hack_license	vendor_id	rate_code	store_and_
7E94181F851247ACE580CA73F8641E39	AC433CD9F60ED257513ED366F3025E8A	VTs	1	null
4263184A1D7A395FE51A29ED4CA86C9B	59BF85C9B1E404F0959BD543B9CAD213	VTs	1	null
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5A6290669C61155AC7D24054D9D80C78	81F6C1038745DE2E07020C6488E5D2F0	VTs	1	null
696321779D687411F2E5DF6991E9D474	23F9C64B453AE29002A74E46B3A4EA6C	VTs	1	null


Task 3: Create a new ADLS Gen2 dataset sink

1. Click on the **Sink tab**, and then click **+ New**
2. Select the **Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2** tile and click **Continue**.
3. Select the **DelimitedText** format tile and click **Continue**.

New dataset

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Select a data store

 Search

All

Azure










Database

File

Generic protocol

NoSQL

Services and apps

 Azure Blob Storage	 Azure Cosmos DB (MongoDB API)	 Azure Cosmos DB (SQL API)
 Azure Data Explorer (Kusto)	 Azure Data Lake Storage Gen1	 Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2
 My		

Continue

Cancel

4. In Set Properties blade, give your dataset an understandable name such as **ADLSGen2** and click on the **Linked Service** dropdown. If you have not created your ADLS Linked Service, select **New**.

Set properties

Name

ADLSGen2

Linked service *

Select...

Filter...

Select...

+ New

5. In the New linked service (Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2) blade, select your authentication method as **Account key**, select your **Azure Subscription** and select your Storage account name of **datastorageexx**.

New linked service

Azure Data Lake Storage Gen2 [Learn more](#)

Name *

ADLSGen2

Description

Connect via integration runtime * ⓘ

AutoResolveIntegrationRuntime

Authentication method

Account key

Account selection method ⓘ

☒ From Azure subscription ☐ Enter manually

Azure subscription ⓘ

Azure Pass - Sponsorship (c8fd5e96-3329-4700-b2ef-455eb9a984e4)

Storage account name *

datastoragepc1

Test connection ⓘ

☒ To linked service ☐ To file path

Annotations

+ New

> Parameters

Create Cancel

Test connection

6. Click on **Create**
7. Once you have configured your linked service, you enter the set properties blade. As you are writing to this dataset, you want to point the folder where you want moviesDB.csv copied to. In the example below, I am writing to folder **output** in the **data container**. While the folder can be dynamically created, the file system must exist prior to writing to it. Set **First row as header** to be true and Import schema **None**.

Set properties

Name

ADLSGen2

Linked service *

ADLSGen2

File path

data

/ output

/ TripData.csv

First row as header



Import schema

☒ From connection/store ☐ From sample file ☐ None

> Advanced

OK

Back

Cancel

8. Click **OK** once completed.

Task 4: Test the Copy Activity

At this point, you have fully configured your copy activity. To test it out, click on the **Publish all** button at the top of the pipeline canvas. This will save the pipeline.

The screenshot shows the Microsoft Azure Data Factory interface. At the top, the breadcrumb navigation indicates 'Data Factory > adf-pc-kpmg'. A red box highlights the 'Publish all' button with a notification badge showing '3'. Below this, the 'Factory Resources' pane shows a search filter and a list of resources. The 'Activities' pane shows 'pipeline1' and 'HTTPSource'. The 'Publish all' dialog box is open, displaying a table of pending changes.

Publish all

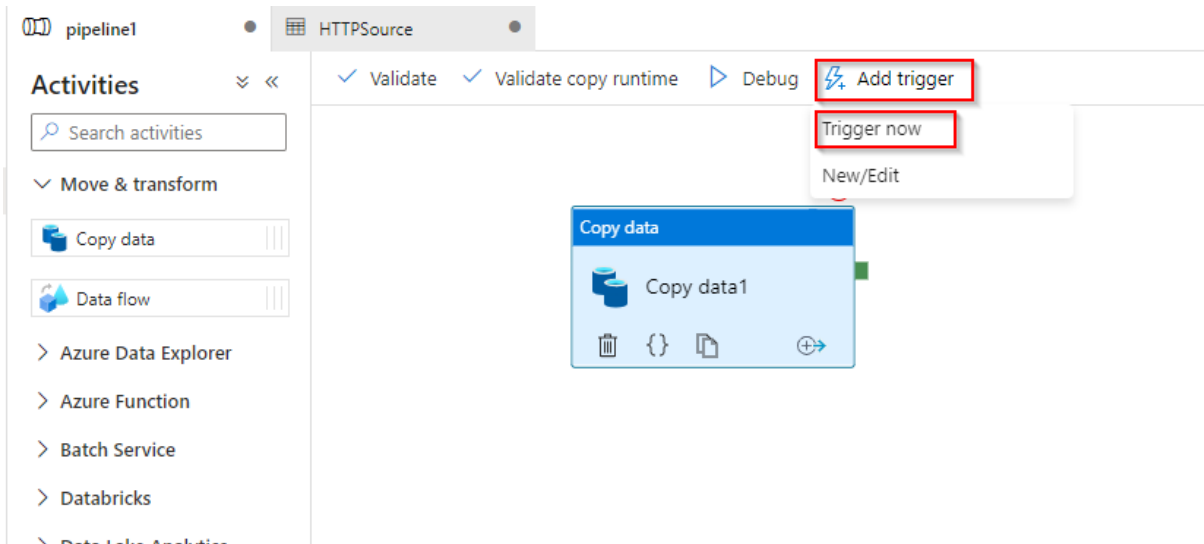
You are about to publish all pending changes to the live environment. [Learn more](#)

Pending changes (4)

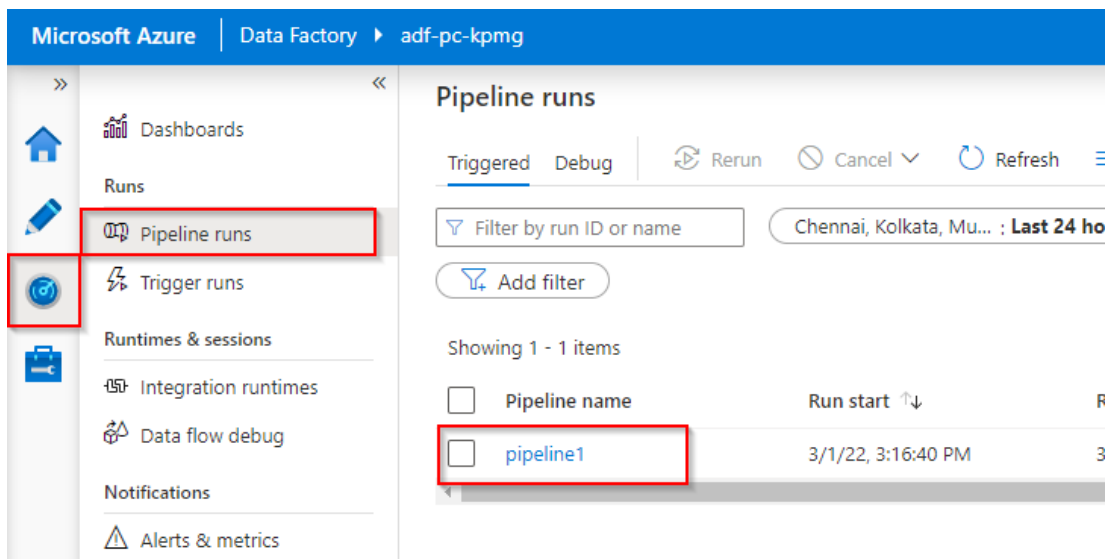
NAME	CHANGE	EXISTING
▼ Pipelines		
pipeline1	(New)	-
▼ Datasets		
HTTPSource	(New)	-
ADLSGen2	(New)	-
▼ Linked services		
HttpServer1	(Edited)	HttpServer1

Publish **Cancel**

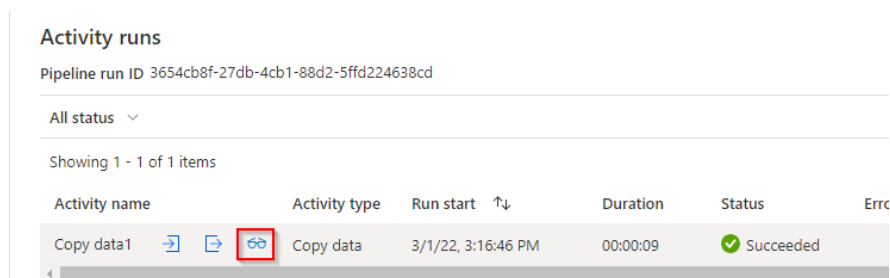
1. To run the pipeline click on Add trigger->Trigger now->Ok.



2. To monitor the progress of a pipeline debug run, click on the **Output** tab of the pipeline



3. To view a more detailed description of the activity output, click on the eyeglasses icon. This will open up the copy monitoring screen which provides useful metrics such as Data read/written, throughput and in-depth duration statistics.



4. To verify the copy worked as expected, open up your ADLS gen2 storage account and check to see your file was written as expected

[Home](#) > [Storage accounts](#) > [datastoragepc1](#) >



data

Container

Search (Ctrl+/)

<<



Upload



Add Directory



Refresh



Rename



Delete



Change



Overview



Diagnose and solve problems



Access Control (IAM)

Settings



Shared access tokens



Manage ACL



Access policy



Properties



Metadata

~~Authentication method:~~ Access key (Switch to Azure AD User Account)

Location: [data](#) / output

Search blobs by prefix (case-sensitive)

Name

Modified



[..]



TripData.csv

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