
Question

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Converting VarBinary to VarChar

Hello,

I'm looking to find if there is a datatype convert equivalent in Object Script to SQL convert function. Have a VarBinary string coming in from source application (which is really performing a SQL dump). The source application uses the standard SQL convert function to convert from varchar to varbinary on their side.

I know &sql(Convert()) should work in Object Script, but am wondering if there is a better way of doing this.

Getting data in via flat file (Record Map), then using data transform to transpose this data to SDA3.

Does someone have a suggestion or know of a better method of doing this data type conversion in Ensemble? Or is &SQL() the only feasible option available.

Thank you

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