

MCP SERVER

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Azure Synapse Analytics MCP for AI Agents

Govern Data Pipelines and Audit Enterprise Data Warehousing Pools

Azure Synapse Analytics MCP gives your AI agent full visibility into complex enterprise data workflows. You can monitor compute pools, trace pipelines, and audit every dataset or linked service within Azure Synapse using simple natural conversation.

F Quality Score 3.6/100

data-warehousing

big-data

spark-pools

sql-pools

pipeline-orchestration

data-integration



The connectivity layer between AI and the world's software.



Vinkius sits between AI and every application. All communication passes through Vinkius Cloud via the Model Context Protocol (MCP) — with governance, observability, and security at every layer.

Your AI Connections Run Through Vinkius Cloud

The world's largest
managed MCP catalog

Vinkius is the connectivity layer where AI connects to the software your business already runs. We handle the hosting, the security, the credentials, the uptime — you get agents that actually do things.

We operate the world's largest managed MCP catalog. Major SaaS platforms, CRMs, databases, and cloud providers — running, monitored, production-ready. This MCP server is hosted and maintained by the Vinkius Cloud for AI Agents.

The agent doesn't manage credentials, doesn't manage uptime, doesn't manage security. Vinkius does.

— Architecture principle

Four Pillars of the Vinkius Runtime

01 — Security by design

Credentials stay encrypted at rest via AES-256. The AI agent never touches raw keys — they're injected into a sandboxed V8 isolate at runtime. Actions are logged, and connections have an emergency kill switch.

03 — Deterministic observability

Eight immutable metrics per endpoint: request volume, p95 latency, error rate, active connections, cost attribution. A live payload feed logs every tool call with mutation detection.

02 — Built on MCP Fusion

This MCP server was built with **MCP Fusion**, the open-source framework (Apache 2.0) that powers the entire Vinkius catalog. Schema-as-firewall strips undeclared fields, compiled PII redaction runs at zero overhead, and cryptographic lockfiles produce git-diffable audit trails.

04 — Autonomous operations

Servers are deployed, monitored, and patched autonomously. New capabilities and security patches ship weekly. Zero-downtime deployments ensure continuous availability across all managed MCP servers.

AES-256

Encryption at rest

Ed25519

PKI vault signatures

24h TTL

Ephemeral session keys

V8 Isolate

Sandboxed execution

One Token. Instant Access.

Every MCP server on Vinkius is accessed through a **Connection Token**. Tokens are generated in the cloud dashboard and produce a unique MCP endpoint URL. Paste this URL into any MCP-compatible client — no SDK required.

A single token can serve **multiple AI clients simultaneously**, or you can issue separate tokens per client for granular access control. Each token tracks its own request count, last activity timestamp, and can be individually enabled or revoked.

MCP ENDPOINT

`https://edge.vinkius.com/{token}/mcp`

Claude



Cursor



VS Code



Windsurf



Grok



Gemini

Security Is the Architecture

Security in Vinkius is not a feature — it's the foundation of the runtime. The gateway enforces multiple independent protection layers between AI agents and third-party APIs.

01 — Ed25519 PKI Vault

Every workspace has an Ed25519 Master Key. Session keys are generated ephemerally (24h TTL) and signed by the Master Key. Credentials never leave the vault boundary.

02 — V8 Isolate Sandboxing

Tool code runs inside isolated-vm V8 isolates with 64 MB memory caps and per-request timeouts. No filesystem access, no network access except through the SSRF-guarded fetch bridge.

03 — SSRF Guard

All outbound HTTP requests are DNS-resolved and validated before execution. Private IP ranges (10.x, 172.16-31.x, 192.168.x, AWS metadata 169.254.x) are blocked at the network layer.

05 — Cryptographic Audit Trail

Every request is signed into a SHA-256 hash chain with Ed25519 signatures. Events form a tamper-proof, SIEM-exportable forensic record.

04 — DLP & PII Redaction

A ResponseGuard pipeline intercepts every tool response. Configurable redaction patterns strip sensitive fields (emails, SSNs, card numbers) before data reaches the AI agent.

06 — Honeypot Trap System

Phantom credentials are injected into isolated environments. If a honeypot is used outside Vinkius infrastructure, the server is quarantined instantly.

Emergency Kill Switch

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Compliant

The kill switch is an **emergency halt** mechanism — not a simple toggle. When triggered, it executes three actions atomically:

01 — Server deactivated

The MCP server is immediately taken offline across the entire cluster.

02 — All tokens revoked

Every connection token is invalidated. Total lockout — reconnection blocked until new tokens are issued.

03 — WebSocket connections killed

Active connections terminated via Redis pubsub broadcast. Propagates to every runtime node in the cluster.

Full Visibility. Zero Guesswork.

The Vinkius cloud dashboard includes a full MCP Governance suite — real-time analytics and security controls for production AI operations.

Control Plane

KPI dashboard with request volume, latency, success rate, token consumption, and AI-generated operational briefings.

FinOps

Cost tracking per tool, payload compression savings, budget optimization signals, and consumption trends.

Firewall & DLP

PII redaction activity, sensitive data protection counters, and security event timeline.

Agent Activity

Which AI clients are connecting, how often, and what they're doing — real-time session tracking.

Tool Health

Slowest and most error-prone tools, with actionable root-cause insights and performance baselines.

Incident Log

Error trends, failure rates, status-code breakdowns, and forensic audit trail access.

Get started at cloud.vinkius.com — connect your AI agent in under 60 seconds.

Azure Synapse Analytics MCP

7 tools available

Cloud-hosted on Vinkius

You're dealing with massive analytics infrastructure in Azure Synapse—pools of data, dozens of pipelines, and critical connections to external systems. Manually auditing this stuff is a nightmare; you spend hours clicking through dashboards just to find out why an ETL job failed or what datasets are linked elsewhere. This MCP gives your AI client direct access to the entire Synapse workspace, letting you take full control of your data integration limits using nothing but plain conversation.

Instead of jumping between the Azure portal and running manual queries, you talk to your agent, and it tells you exactly what's going on with everything. Need to check if a Spark pool is provisioned correctly? Ask. Want to map out all the steps in a data movement workflow? It does that. This capability lets Data Engineers debug failed pipelines and Cloud Ops teams inspect compute scaling thresholds without leaving their usual IDE. By connecting this MCP via Vinkius, you bring enterprise-grade Synapse governance straight into your daily coding flow.

Core Capabilities

01 – List all data integration pipelines

View a complete list of every Azure Synapse Analytics data movement pipeline.

03 – List Spark analytics notebooks

Retrieve a list of all Apache Spark analytic notebooks stored within your workspace.

05 – List explicit datasets targets

Audit all defined storage mappings that shape static or dynamic data structures within Synapse.

02 – Inspect specific data pipelines

Get the precise definition and parameters for any individual Azure Synapse pipeline you identify.

04 – Check compute pools status

See which dedicated or serverless SQL Analytics pools and active Apache Spark clusters are currently provisioned.

06 – Map external dependencies

Identify and review every linked service, showing which endpoints reference Key Vaults or Blob Storages.

One Click on Vinkius — From Prompt to Execution

Available at vinkius.com/mcp/azure-synapse-analytics — connect your AI agent in three steps.

- 01** Subscribe to this MCP on Vinkius and provide your Azure Synapse Workspace URL along with an active Access Token.
- 02** Connect your preferred AI client (Claude, Cursor, etc.) to the MCP. The agent authenticates against the workspace using your credentials.
- 03** Start asking complex questions in natural language, like 'Show me all datasets linked to the HR schema.' Your agent then executes the necessary API calls and presents the structured data.

The bottom line is that you treat your entire Synapse environment—its pools, pipelines, and connections—as a searchable knowledge base right inside your AI client.

Built For

Data Engineers who spend too much time clicking through the Azure portal just to trace data lineage. Cloud Ops specialists who need on-demand visibility into compute scaling thresholds, and Data Scientists needing quick access to dataset boundaries inside their IDE.

Data Engineer

Uses this MCP to quickly trace failed pipelines or dissect linked service misconfigurations without leaving the coding environment.

Data Scientist

Surveys available Spark Notebooks and retrieves dataset bounds rapidly, allowing them to test variables right within their AI IDE context.

Cloud Operations Engineer

Inspects compute scale thresholds for both SQL and Spark pools on demand, answering billing or architectural scaling questions quickly.

What Changes When You Connect

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- 01 Trace failed data movements: Use the `get_pipeline` tool to instantly dissect a specific pipeline's definition, showing you exactly which steps broke down.

 - 02 Know your compute limits: Listing both dedicated and serverless SQL pools via `list_sql_pools` gives Cloud Ops immediate visibility into resource capacity for billing checks.

 - 03 Quickly assess data scope: The `list_datasets` tool lets Data Scientists survey every defined storage mapping, helping them evaluate variables before writing a single line of code.

 - 04 Manage compute resources: Running `list_spark_pools` tells you exactly what Spark clusters are provisioned, letting you decide if scaling up or down is necessary for the next big run.

 - 05 Audit external connections: By calling `list_linked_services`, you immediately see all critical endpoints—like Key Vaults and Blob Storages—that your system relies on.
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Real-World Applications

Debugging a broken ETL job

A Data Engineer discovers an ELT routine failed overnight. Instead of opening the portal, they ask their agent to list all data integration pipelines and then use `get_pipeline` on the failing one. The agent immediately points out which specific step has mismatched target parameters.

Evaluating new ML model inputs

A Data Scientist needs to know if a new feature set is available for testing. They ask their agent to list all datasets, and the agent provides the full list of explicitly defined storage mappings, allowing the scientist to confirm variable boundaries instantly.

Scaling infrastructure after peak load

Cloud Ops needs to report on current resource usage. They ask their agent to check compute pools, and the MCP runs ``list_sql_pools`` and ``list_spark_pools``, giving them a real-time count of both dedicated and serverless capacity.

Compliance audit of data connections

A compliance officer needs to verify all external system links. They ask their agent to list linked services, which executes ``list_linked_services`` and confirms that sensitive endpoints like Key Vaults are correctly referenced across the whole architecture.

Patterns to Avoid

Searching for data lineage in separate tools

✗ AVOID

Trying to manually combine results from a dataset listing, then cross-referencing it with a linked service list, and finally checking the pipeline definition in three different places.

✓ INSTEAD

You let your agent handle it. Ask your agent about a specific workflow, and it uses tools like ``list_pipelines`` and ``get_pipeline`` to pull all related definitions into one conversational output.

Assuming dataset status from the UI

✗ AVOID

Believing that because a dataset exists in the visible Synapse dashboard, it is fully mapped and ready for production use.

✓ INSTEAD

Always confirm the scope. Use ``list_datasets`` to audit all explicit targets and verify they meet your current schema requirements before relying on them.

Ignoring compute pool constraints

✗ AVOID

Writing a query that assumes unlimited resources, leading to unexpected throttling or billing overruns because the required pool wasn't checked first.

✓ INSTEAD

Before running large jobs, run ``list_sql_pools`` and ``list_spark_pools``. This confirms if dedicated capacity is available, preventing runtime failures.

The Right Fit

Use this MCP if your core job involves auditing or debugging complex data movement within Azure Synapse. You need to know the state of compute pools (Spark/SQL), trace specific pipelines, and verify external connections like Key Vaults. Don't use it if you are only building a simple dataset; simply listing datasets is enough. If you need to manage user permissions across different cloud accounts or perform cross-cloud data transfers that Synapse

doesn't natively handle, this MCP won't help—you'll need specialized governance tools instead.

Debugging Azure Synapse Data Pipelines with the Synapse Analytics MCP

Today, if a critical ETL job fails, you have to open the Synapse portal. You click through tabs—the pipeline overview, then the specific activity group, and finally the activity run details. Copying error messages, cross-referencing them with linked service definitions, and piecing together which dataset was affected is tedious; it takes minutes of clicking just to get a basic diagnosis.

With this MCP, you simply tell your agent, 'What went wrong with the nightly customer sync?' The system executes checks against all pipelines and can pull the precise definition using `get_pipeline`, telling you exactly where the flow broke. You get an immediate, actionable diagnosis without leaving your coding environment.

Monitoring Synapse Compute Pools with the Synapse Analytics MCP

Before this tool, knowing if your Spark cluster was available for a new model run required manually checking capacity dashboards and potentially running multiple queries just to compare dedicated vs. serverless SQL limits.

Now, you ask the agent to check compute pools. It runs `list_spark_pools` and `list_sql_pools`, providing an instant snapshot of all provisioned resources. You get a clear, single source of truth about your capacity, which is critical for cost planning and scaling.

7 Tools in the Azure Synapse Analytics MCP for Data Warehousing

These tools allow your agent to list, retrieve, and inspect every component within your Synapse environment, from datasets to compute pools.

#	TOOL	DESCRIPTION
01	<code>list_pipelines</code>	Lists every data integration pipeline defined in Azure Synapse Analytics.
02	<code>get_pipeline</code>	Retrieves the full, detailed definition for a specific Azure Synapse pipeline.
03	<code>list_notebooks</code>	Shows all available Apache Spark analytic notebooks in the workspace.
04	<code>list_spark_pools</code>	Lists pre-provisioned clusters used for Apache Spark analytics computation.
05	<code>list_sql_pools</code>	Shows both dedicated and serverless SQL analytical pools in Synapse.
06	<code>list_datasets</code>	Lists all explicit dataset targets configured within Azure Synapse.
07	<code>list_linked_services</code>	Retrieves a list of every external service dependency linked to the workspace (e.g., Key Vaults).

See It in Action

Real prompts you can use once this MCP is connected to your AI agent through Vinkius Cloud.

U Show me the full connection path for 'BillingDataSync'.



Synapse Data Flow Audit

I traced the flow for your BillingDataSync job. It involves 3 major steps:

1. **Source:** Reads from the `Financial_Staging` dataset.
2. **Process:** Runs through a dedicated SQL Pool cluster (ID: `SQL-PROD-04`).
3. **Target:** Writes to an external Blob Storage location, linked via the `AzureKeyVaultProd` service.

The last step requires the token in 'StagingKeyVault' to be updated before it can run.

U What datasets are impacted by the Finance department?



I found 5 primary datasets associated with finance operations:

- `Dataset_GL` : Contains general ledger data.
- `Dataset_AR` : Accounts Receivable records. (Last updated: yesterday)
- `Dataset_AP` : Accounts Payable manifests.
- `Dataset_Tax` : Quarterly tax filings.
- `Dataset_Audit` : Internal audit trail logs.

You can view the full schema details for any of these by asking me to inspect them.

U List all available Spark notebooks and their owners.



You have 15 Apache Spark Notebooks saved. Here's a quick breakdown:

NOTEBOOK NAME	PRIMARY OWNER	LAST RUN DATE
MarketingML_v3	John D.	2026-06-10
ETL_Core_Sync	Ops Team	2026-06-12
ReportGen_Q2	Data Science	2026-05-28

The notebook `ETL_Core_Sync` is flagged as the primary orchestrator for your core data pipelines.

Frequently Asked Questions

01 How does Azure Synapse Analytics MCP help me trace data movement?

This MCP lets you audit complex data flows by listing and inspecting every single pipeline. You can get the full definition of a workflow, telling you exactly what happens from source to target, which is critical for debugging.

02 Can this MCP check my compute resource availability?

Yes, it gives you visibility into both dedicated and serverless SQL pools, plus your Apache Spark clusters. You can quickly see if the resources you need are provisioned and available before starting a job.

03 I'm not sure where my data comes from; what should I check?

Start by asking to list all linked services. This tool shows every external dependency—like Key Vaults or Blob Storages—that your Synapse environment is relying on, giving you a map of its connections.

04 Is this MCP useful for data governance and compliance?

Absolutely. By allowing you to list all datasets and audit linked services, it provides the necessary visibility to prove where sensitive data lives and what external systems reference it for compliance audits.

05 Can I use this MCP in my IDE while coding?







Yes, connecting this via your AI client means you don't have to switch tabs or open the cloud console. You can audit and debug Synapse components right from your familiar coding environment.

Go Live in 60 Seconds

Get your connection token from cloud.vinkius.com, then paste the endpoint URL into any MCP-compatible client.

YOUR MCP ENDPOINT

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https://edge.vinkius.com/[TOKEN]/mcp
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CLIENT	WHERE TO CONFIGURE
 Claude AI	Profile → Customize → Connectors → "+" → Add custom connector → Paste endpoint
 Cursor	Settings → Features → MCP Servers → "+ Add New MCP Server" → Type: SSE → Paste endpoint
 VS Code	Ctrl/Cmd+Shift+P → "MCP: Add Server" → add <code>"azure-synapse-analytics": { "url": "..." }</code>
 Windsurf	MCP Settings → <code>mcp_settings.json</code> → Add endpoint URL
 ChatGPT	Settings → Tools & plugins → Add MCP server → Paste endpoint
 Gemini	Extensions → Add MCP Server → Paste endpoint URL

ASK AN AI ABOUT THIS

Let your preferred AI explain this MCP server

-  **Ask ChatGPT** 
-  **Ask Claude** 
-  **Ask Perplexity** 
-  **Ask Gemini** 
-  **Ask Grok** 

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