

# Data Copy Tool



The data copy tool (**CopyS**) lets you transfer data easily between different types of source. For example, it can be used to retrieve AS/400 file data into a PC-based SQL database (DB2, Oracle, SQL Server, etc.).

The tool uses a generic engine capable of dynamically loading function libraries to enable physical access to data.

The following data types are currently supported:

- AS/400 files,
- PC-based SQL databases (DB2, Oracle, SQL Server, etc.),
- Btrieve files,
- IXF files (IBM standardized exchange format),
- Delimited ASCII files.

## Access

To open the data copy tool, you must either:

- Select the **Data copy tool** option from the [Visual/Web Runtime](#) subfolder in the **Adelia Studio** folder.
- Open an MS-DOS command window and enter the **copys** command.

The tool is set out as a multi-window wizard:

1. [Data source selection window.](#)
2. [Data destination selection window.](#)
3. [Log file management window.](#)
4. [Data to transfer selection window.](#)

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