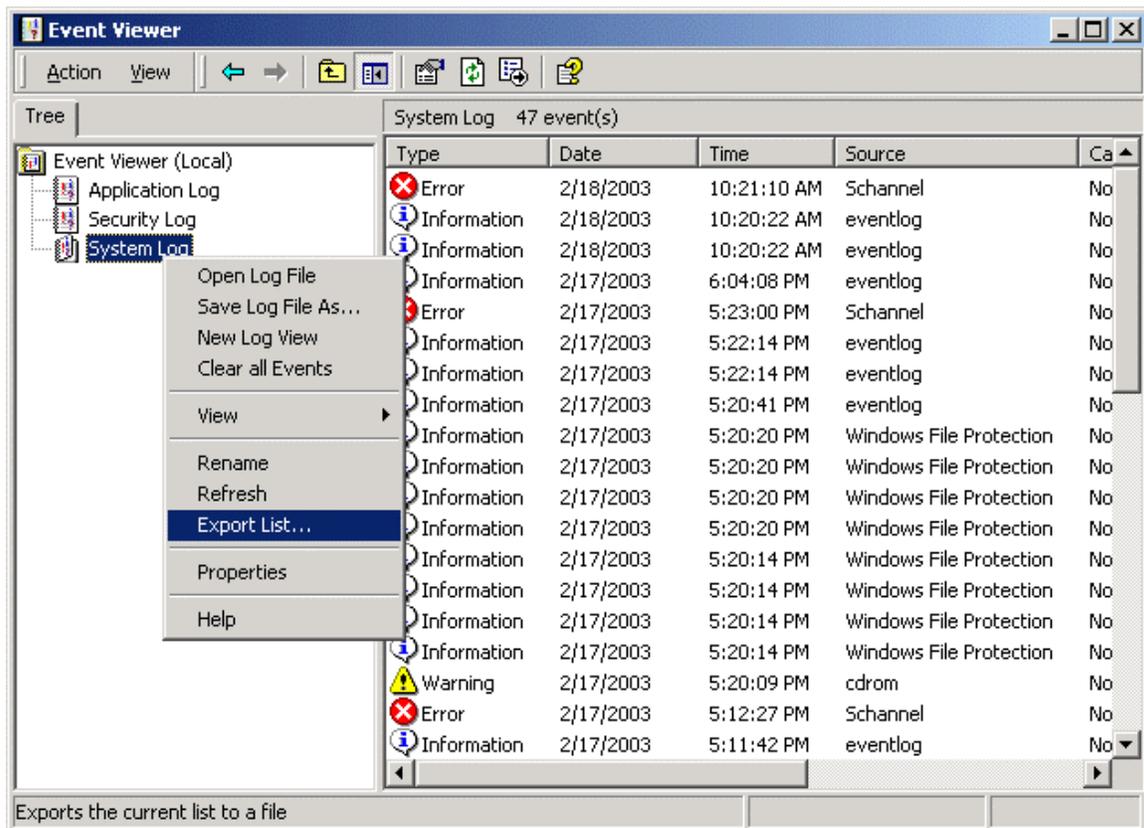


# Exporting System Log to SQL Database

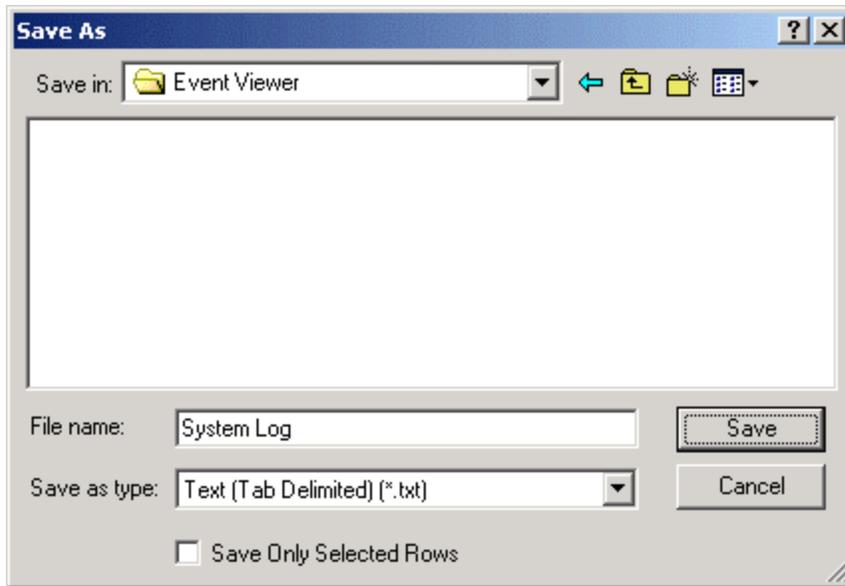
This article describes how to use the DTS Import/Export Wizard to import data to Microsoft SQL Server database named Event\_Viewer\_Record from an exported file of Event Viewer.

## Exporting Application Log To a Text File

1. Launch Event Viewer from **Start→Programs→Administrative Tools→Event Viewer**.
2. Right Click **System log→Export List** to export this data in a Text file.

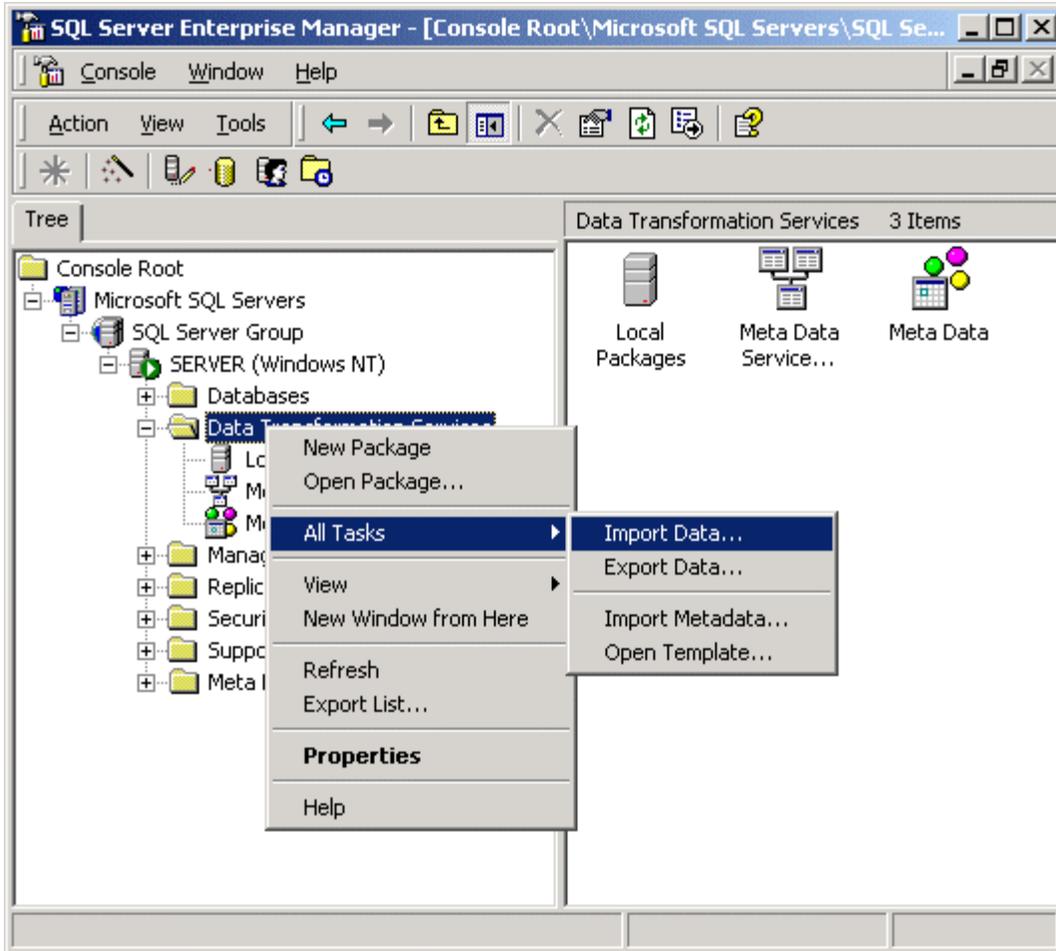


3. Save this file with a proper name like System Log.



## Importing Text File to Database

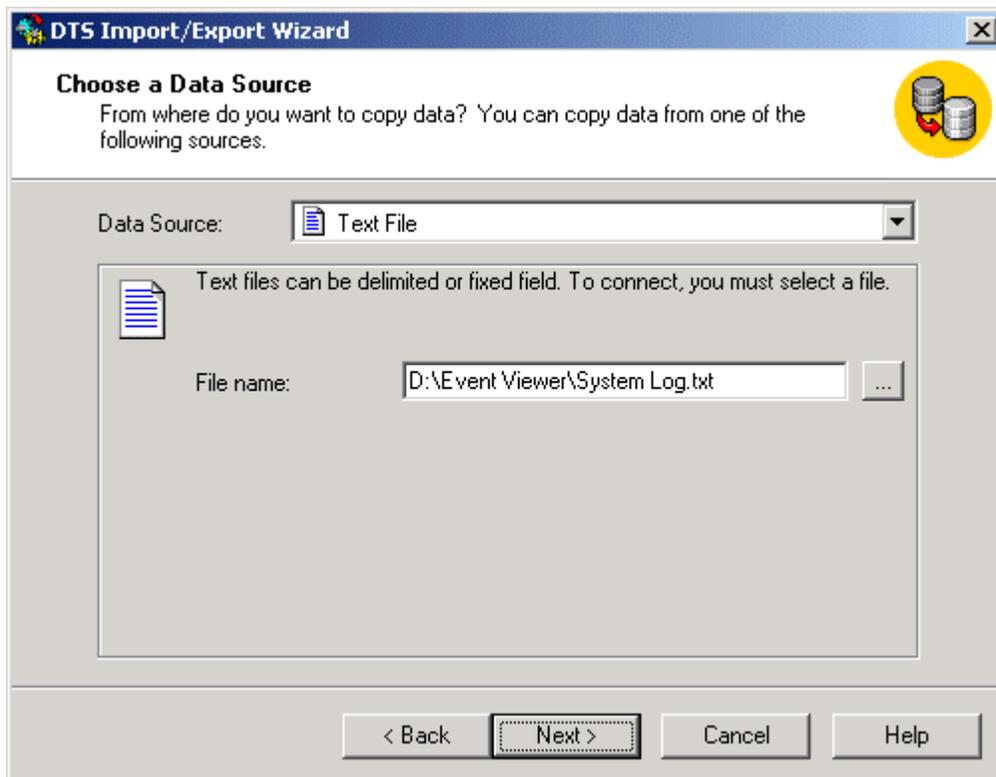
4. Start SQL **Enterprise Manager**, select **Data Transformation Services** and click the **Import Data** option to launch Data Transformation Services Import wizard.



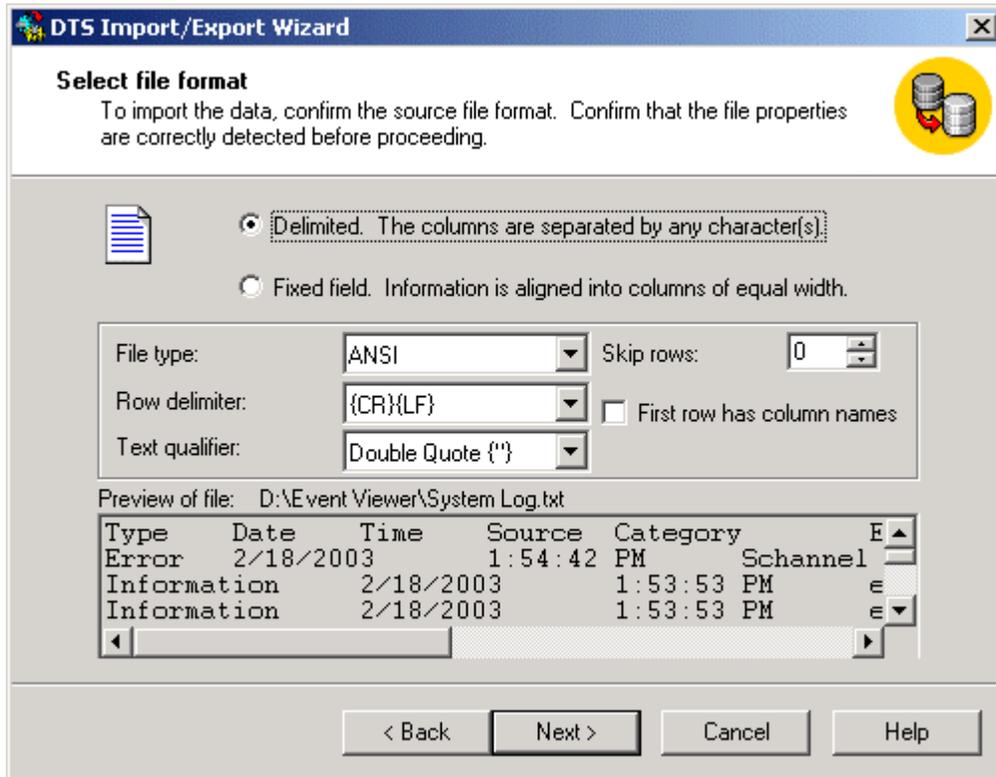
5. Click **Next** to Start the Data Transformation Import/Export Wizard.



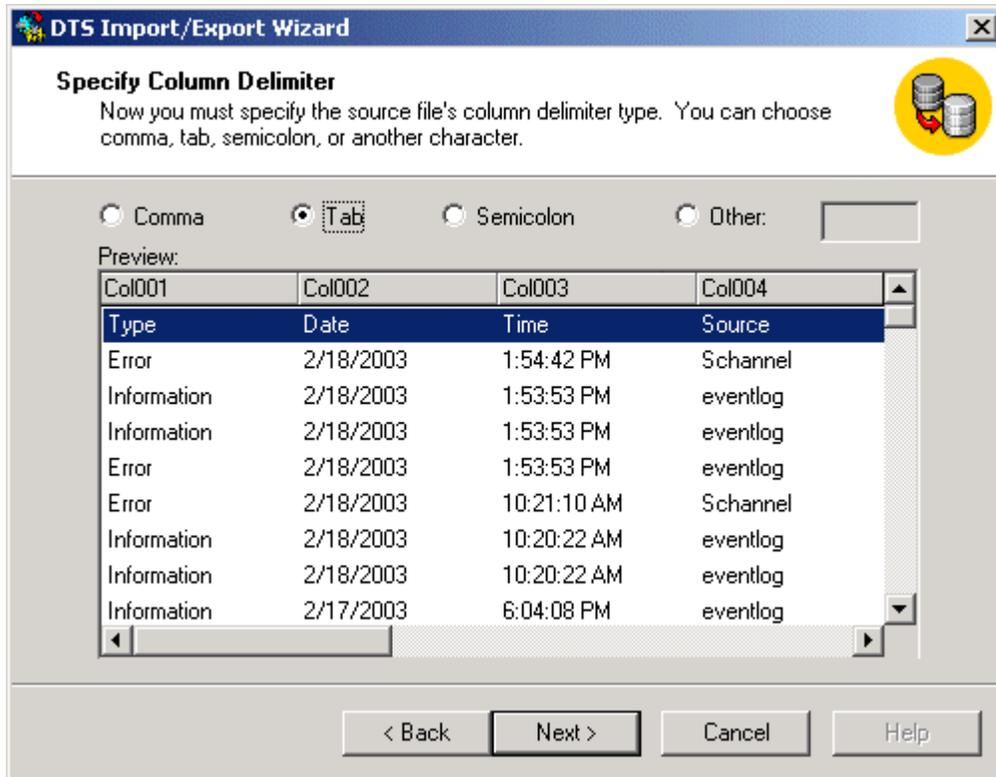
6. Select **Text File** as a data source, enter the **path** of your previously saved Event Viewer file and click next.



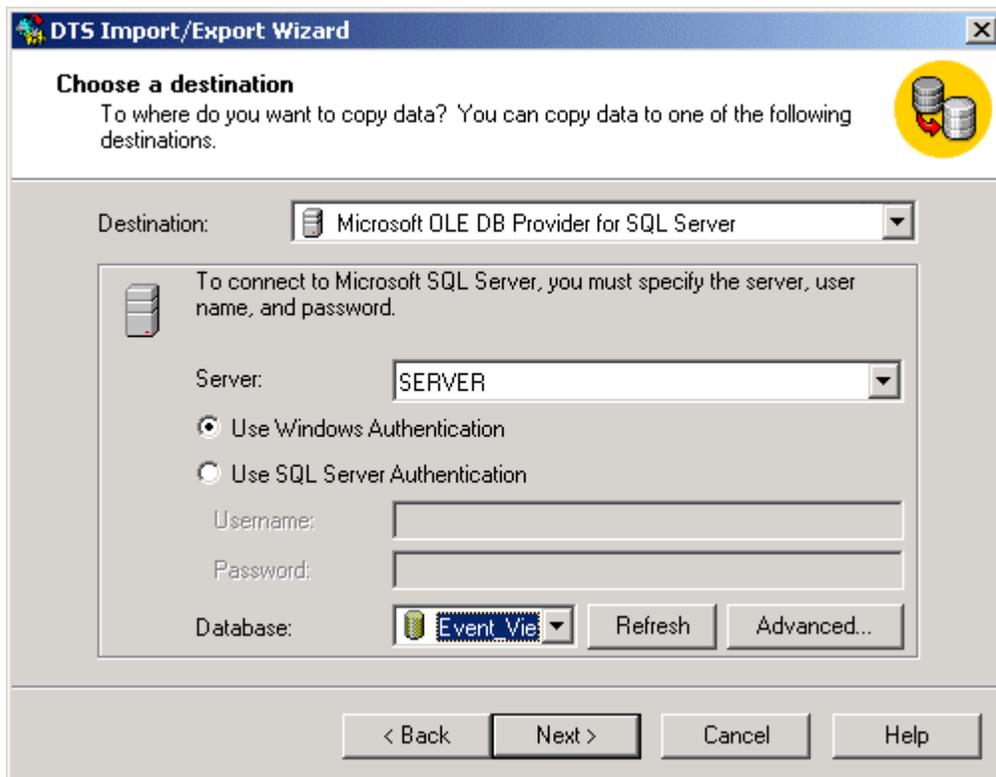
7. Select the proper **file format** of your saved file or leave the **default settings** (Recommended).



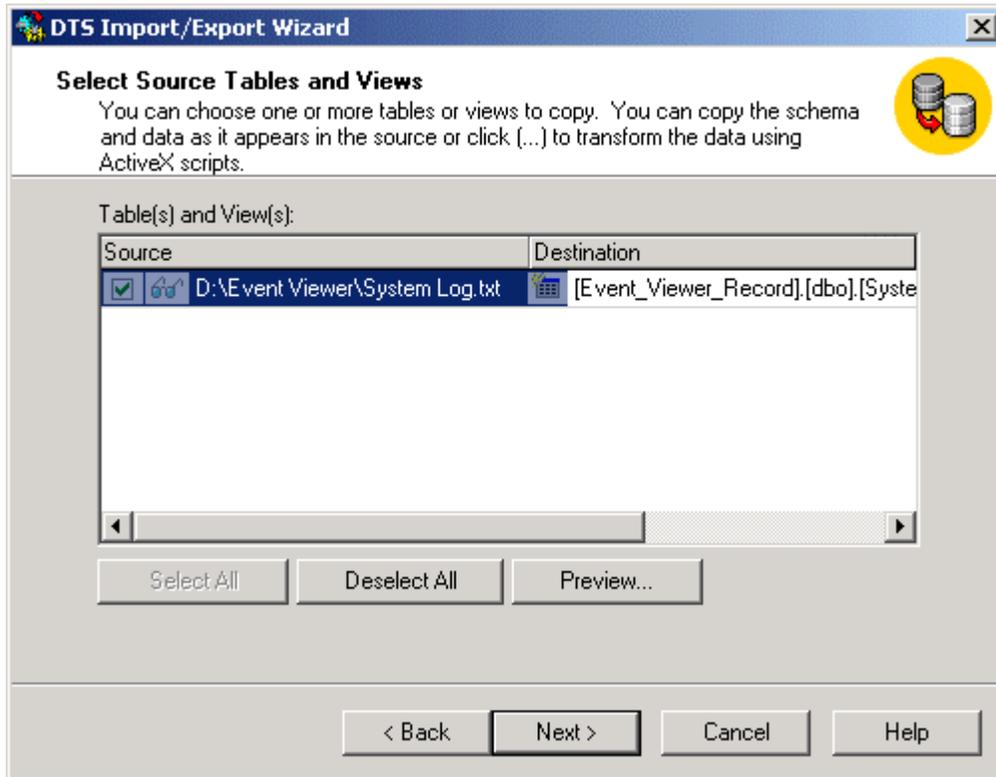
8. Select the desired **column delimiter**.



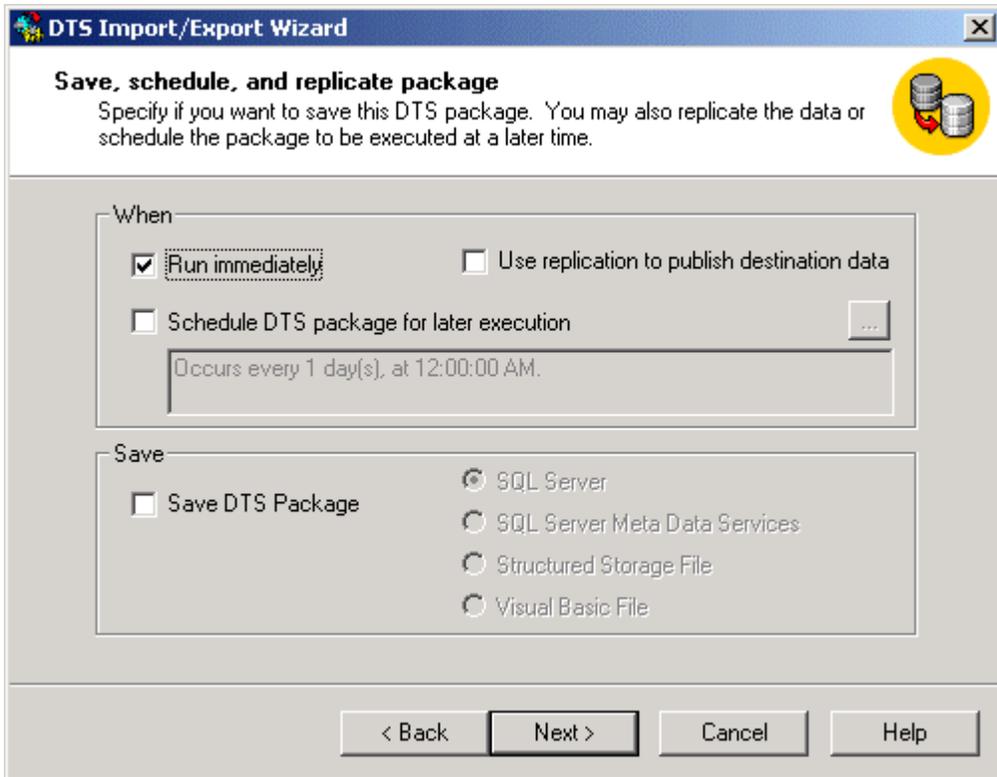
9. Select your **database provider** (Destination), **database server** and **database name** (Event\_Viewer\_Record) where you want to import data in the next phase.



10. Select your **source** and **destination** tables.



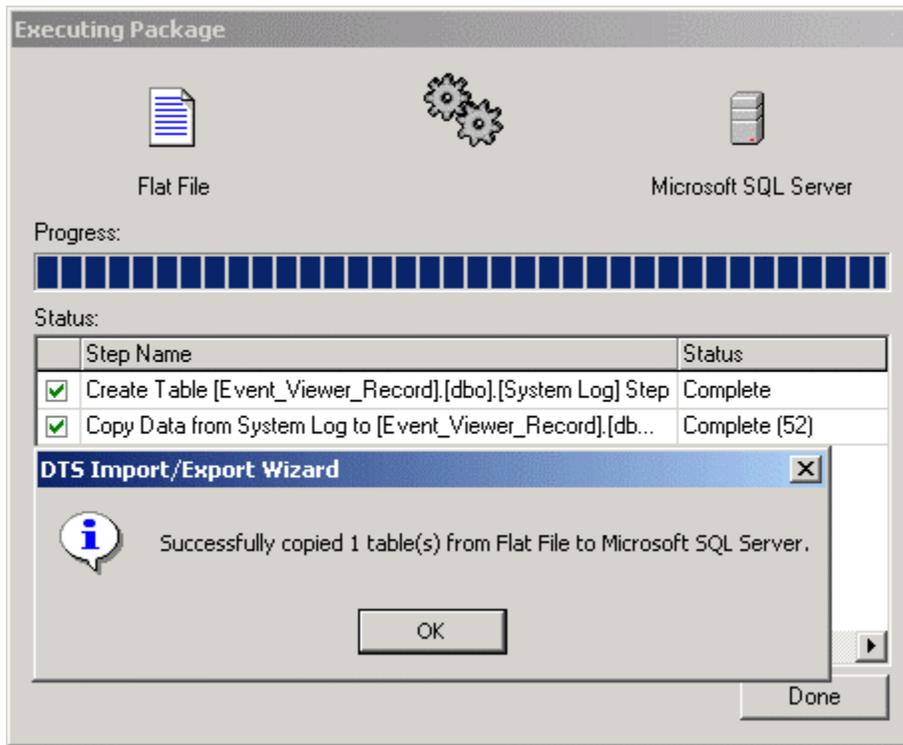
11. Run this import export process **immediately** or define a **scheduling** for this process. Similarly, you can also save this process as a DTS package.



12. Finally confirm your whole wizard process by reviewing the **Summary**.



13. After Successfully completing this wizard, you will receive this type of message.



14. At last, click **Ok** and then click **Done** to end this process.

15. Your System log has been successfully imported to an SQL database.