

# Lateral Tool Transfer, Technique T1570 - Enterprise

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## [C0028 2015 Ukraine Electric Power Attack](#)

During the [2015 Ukraine Electric Power Attack](#), [Sandworm Team](#) moved their tools laterally within the corporate network and between the ICS and corporate network. [\[3\]](#)

## [C0025 2016 Ukraine Electric Power Attack](#)

During the [2016 Ukraine Electric Power Attack](#), [Sandworm Team](#) used `move` to transfer files to a network share. [\[4\]](#)

## [C0034 2022 Ukraine Electric Power Attack](#)

During the [2022 Ukraine Electric Power Attack](#), [Sandworm Team](#) used a Group Policy Object (GPO) to copy [CaddyWiper](#)'s executable `msserver.exe` from a staging server to a local hard drive before deployment. [\[5\]](#)

## [G1030 Agrius](#)

[Agrius](#) downloaded some payloads for follow-on execution from legitimate filesharing services such as `ufile.io` and `easyupload.io`. [\[6\]](#)

## [G1007 Aqin Dragon](#)

[Aqin Dragon](#) has spread malware in target networks by copying modules to folders masquerading as removable devices. [\[7\]](#)

## [G0050 APT32](#)

[APT32](#) has deployed tools after moving laterally using administrative accounts. [\[8\]](#)

## [G0096 APT41](#)

[APT41](#) uses remote shares to move and remotely execute payloads during lateral movement. [\[9\]](#)

## [S0190 BITSAdmin](#)

[BITSAdmin](#) can be used to create [BITS Jobs](#) to upload and/or download files from SMB file servers. [\[10\]](#)

## [G1043 BlackByte](#)

[BlackByte](#) transferred tools such as [Cobalt Strike](#) and the AnyDesk remote access tool during operations using SMB shares. [\[11\]](#)

## [S1180 BlackByte Ransomware](#)

[BlackByte Ransomware](#) spreads itself laterally by writing the JavaScript launcher file to mapped shared folders. [\[12\]](#)

#### [S1068 BlackCat](#)

[BlackCat](#) can replicate itself across connected servers via `psexec`. [\[13\]](#)

#### [C0015 C0015](#)

During [C0015](#), the threat actors used WMI to load [Cobalt Strike](#) onto additional hosts within a compromised network. [\[14\]](#)

#### [C0018 C0018](#)

During [C0018](#), the threat actors transferred the SoftPerfect Network Scanner and other tools to machines in the network using AnyDesk and PDQ Deploy. [\[15\]\[16\]](#)

#### [G0114 Chimera](#)

[Chimera](#) has copied tools between compromised hosts using SMB. [\[17\]](#)

#### [S0106 cmd](#)

`cmd` can be used to copy files to/from a remotely connected internal system. [\[18\]](#)

#### [S0062 DustySky](#)

[DustySky](#) searches for network drives and removable media and duplicates itself onto them. [\[19\]](#)

#### [G1003 Ember Bear](#)

[Ember Bear](#) retrieves follow-on payloads direct from adversary-owned infrastructure for deployment on compromised hosts. [\[20\]](#)

#### [S0367 Emotet](#)

[Emotet](#) has copied itself to remote systems using the `service.exe` filename. [\[21\]](#)

#### [S0404 esentutl](#)

`esentutl` can be used to copy files to/from a remote share. [\[22\]](#)

#### [S0361 Expand](#)

`Expand` can be used to download or upload a file over a network share. [\[23\]](#)

#### [G0051 FIN10](#)

[FIN10](#) has deployed Meterpreter stagers and SplinterRAT instances in the victim network after moving laterally. [\[24\]](#)

#### [S0095 ftp](#)

[ftp](#) may be abused by adversaries to transfer tools or files between systems within a compromised environment. [\[25\]\[26\]](#)

#### [G0093 GALLIUM](#)

[GALLIUM](#) has used [PsExec](#) to move laterally between hosts in the target network. [\[27\]](#)

#### [S1229 Havoc](#)

[Havoc](#) has the ability to copy files from one location to another. [\[28\]](#)

#### [S0698 HermeticWizard](#)

[HermeticWizard](#) can copy files to other machines on a compromised network. [\[29\]](#)

#### [C0038 HomeLand Justice](#)

During [HomeLand Justice](#), threat actors initiated a process named Mellona.exe to spread the [ROADSWEEP](#) file encryptor and a persistence script to a list of internal machines. [\[30\]](#)

#### [S0357 Impacket](#)

[Impacket](#) has used its `wmiexec` command, leveraging Windows Management Instrumentation, to remotely stage and execute payloads in victim networks. [\[31\]](#)

#### [G1032 INC Ransom](#)

[INC Ransom](#) has used a rapid succession of copy commands to install a file encryption executable across multiple endpoints within compromised infrastructure. [\[32\]\[33\]](#)

#### [S1139 INC Ransomware](#)

[INC Ransomware](#) can push its encryption executable to multiple endpoints within compromised infrastructure. [\[32\]](#)

#### [S1132 IPsec Helper](#)

[IPsec Helper](#) can download additional payloads from command and control nodes and execute them. [\[34\]](#)

#### [S0372 LockerGoga](#)

[LockerGoga](#) has been observed moving around the victim network via SMB, indicating the actors behind this ransomware are manually copying files from computer to computer instead of self-propagating. [\[1\]](#)

#### [S0532 Lucifer](#)

[Lucifer](#) can use [certutil](#) for propagation on Windows hosts within intranets. <sup>[35]</sup>

#### [G0059 Magic Hound](#)

[Magic Hound](#) has copied tools within a compromised network using RDP. <sup>[36]</sup>

#### [G1051 Medusa Group](#)

[Medusa Group](#) has utilized legitimate software services such as PDQ Deploy to transfer malicious binaries and tools to other victimized hosts within the target environment. <sup>[37]</sup>

#### [S0457 Netwalker](#)

Operators deploying [Netwalker](#) have used psexec to copy the [Netwalker](#) payload across accessible systems. <sup>[38]</sup>

#### [S0365 Olympic Destroyer](#)

[Olympic Destroyer](#) attempts to copy itself to remote machines on the network. <sup>[39]</sup>

#### [C0014 Operation Wocao](#)

During [Operation Wocao](#), threat actors used SMB to copy files to and from target systems. <sup>[40]</sup>

#### [S1017 OutSteel](#)

[OutSteel](#) can download the [Saint Bot](#) malware for follow-on execution. <sup>[41]</sup>

#### [S0029 PsExec](#)

[PsExec](#) can be used to download or upload a file over a network share. <sup>[42]</sup>

#### [G0034 Sandworm Team](#)

[Sandworm Team](#) has used `move` to transfer files to a network share and has copied payloads--such as [Prestige](#) ransomware--to an Active Directory Domain Controller and distributed via the Default Domain Group Policy Object. <sup>[41][43]</sup> Additionally, [Sandworm Team](#) has transferred an ISO file into the OT network to gain initial access. <sup>[5]</sup>

#### [S0140 Shamoon](#)

[Shamoon](#) attempts to copy itself to remote machines on the network. <sup>[44]</sup>

#### [C0058 SharePoint ToolShell Exploitation](#)

During [SharePoint ToolShell Exploitation](#), threat actors used [Impacket](#) to remotely stage and execute payloads via WMI. <sup>[45]</sup>

#### [G1046 Storm-1811](#)

[Storm-1811](#) has used the [Impacket](#) toolset to move and remotely execute payloads to other hosts in victim networks. [\[46\]](#)

#### [S0603 Stuxnet](#)

[Stuxnet](#) uses an RPC server that contains a file dropping routine and support for payload version updates for P2P communications within a victim network. [\[47\]](#)

#### [G0010 Turla](#)

[Turla](#) RPC backdoors can be used to transfer files to/from victim machines on the local network. [\[48\]\[49\]](#)

#### [G1048 UNC3886](#)

[UNC3886](#) has utilized Python scripts to transfer files between ESXi hosts and guest VMs. [\[50\]](#)

#### [G1047 Velvet Ant](#)

[Velvet Ant](#) transferred files laterally within victim networks through the [Impacket](#) toolkit. [\[31\]](#)

#### [S1218 VIRTUALPIE](#)

[VIRTUALPIE](#) has file transfer capabilities. [\[51\]](#)

#### [S1217 VIRTUALPITA](#)

[VIRTUALPITA](#) is capable of file transfer and arbitrary command execution. [\[51\]](#)

#### [G1017 Volt Typhoon](#)

[Volt Typhoon](#) has copied web shells between servers in targeted environments. [\[52\]](#)

#### [S0366 WannaCry](#)

[WannaCry](#) attempts to copy itself to remote computers after gaining access via an SMB exploit. [\[53\]](#)

#### [G0102 Wizard Spider](#)

[Wizard Spider](#) has used stolen credentials to copy tools into the `%TEMP%` directory of domain controllers. [\[54\]](#)

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