

# Threat Group Cards: A Threat Actor Encyclopedia

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## Tool: Spark

Names	Spark
Category	<a href="#">Malware</a>
Type	<a href="#">Reconnaissance</a> , <a href="#">Backdoor</a> , <a href="#">Keylogger</a> , <a href="#">Info stealer</a> , <a href="#">Downloader</a>
Description	<p>(<a href="#">Cybereason</a>) The Spark backdoor allows the attackers to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Collect information about the infected machine.</li> <li>• Encrypt the collected data and send it to the attackers over the HTTP protocol.</li> <li>• Download additional payloads.</li> <li>• Log keystrokes.</li> <li>• Record audio using the computer's microphone.</li> <li>• Execute commands on the infected machine.</li> </ul> <p>The creators of the Spark backdoor use a few techniques that are intended to keep the backdoor under-the-radar, including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Packing the payloads with the Enigma packer.</li> <li>• Checking for antivirus and other security products using WMI.</li> <li>• Validating Arabic keyboard and language settings on the infected machine.</li> </ul>
Information	< <a href="https://www.cybereason.com/blog/new-cyber-espionage-campaigns-targeting-palestinians-part-one">https://www.cybereason.com/blog/new-cyber-espionage-campaigns-targeting-palestinians-part-one</a> >
MITRE ATT&CK	< <a href="https://attack.mitre.org/software/S0543/">https://attack.mitre.org/software/S0543/</a> >
Malpedia	< <a href="https://malpedia.caad.fkie.fraunhofer.de/details/win.spark">https://malpedia.caad.fkie.fraunhofer.de/details/win.spark</a> >

Last change to this tool card: 30 December 2022

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## All groups using tool Spark

Changed	Name	Country	Observed
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## APT groups

	<a href="#">Molerats</a> , <a href="#">Extreme Jackal</a> , <a href="#">Gaza Cybergang</a>	[Gaza]	2012-Jul 2023	
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*1 group listed (1 APT, 0 other, 0 unknown)*

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Source: <https://apt.etda.or.th/cgi-bin/listgroups.cgi?u=934e2c2c-e02e-4deb-afa4-064a1b10c29b>