

Threat Group Cards: A Threat Actor Encyclopedia

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Tool: FatDuke

Names	FatDuke
Category	Malware
Type	Backdoor
Description	(ESET) FatDuke, the third stage. This sophisticated backdoor implements a lot of functionalities and has a very flexible configuration. Its code is also well obfuscated using many opaque predicates. They re-compile it and modify the obfuscation frequently to bypass security product detections.
Information	< https://www.welivesecurity.com/2019/10/17/operation-ghost-dukes-never-left/ > < https://www.secureworks.com/research/threat-profiles/iron-hemlock >
MITRE ATT&CK	< https://attack.mitre.org/software/S0512/ >
Malpedia	< https://malpedia.caad.fkie.fraunhofer.de/details/win.fatduke >

Last change to this tool card: 30 December 2022

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All groups using tool FatDuke

Changed	Name	Country	Observed	
APT groups				
	APT 29, Cozy Bear, The Dukes		2008-Feb 2025	

1 group listed (1 APT, 0 other, 0 unknown)

Source: <https://apt.etda.or.th/cgi-bin/listgroups.cgi?u=0facfa50-ed1b-4449-b2cc-6f0ce5565706>