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The [Net](#) utility is a component of the Windows operating system. It is used in command-line operations for control of users, groups, services, and network connections. [\[1\]](#)

[Net](#) has a great deal of functionality, [\[2\]](#) much of which is useful for an adversary, such as gathering system and network information for Discovery, moving laterally through [SMB/Windows Admin Shares](#) using `net use` commands, and interacting with services. The net1.exe utility is executed for certain functionality when net.exe is run and can be used directly in commands such as `net1 user` .

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