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Sandbox User Manual

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About tool

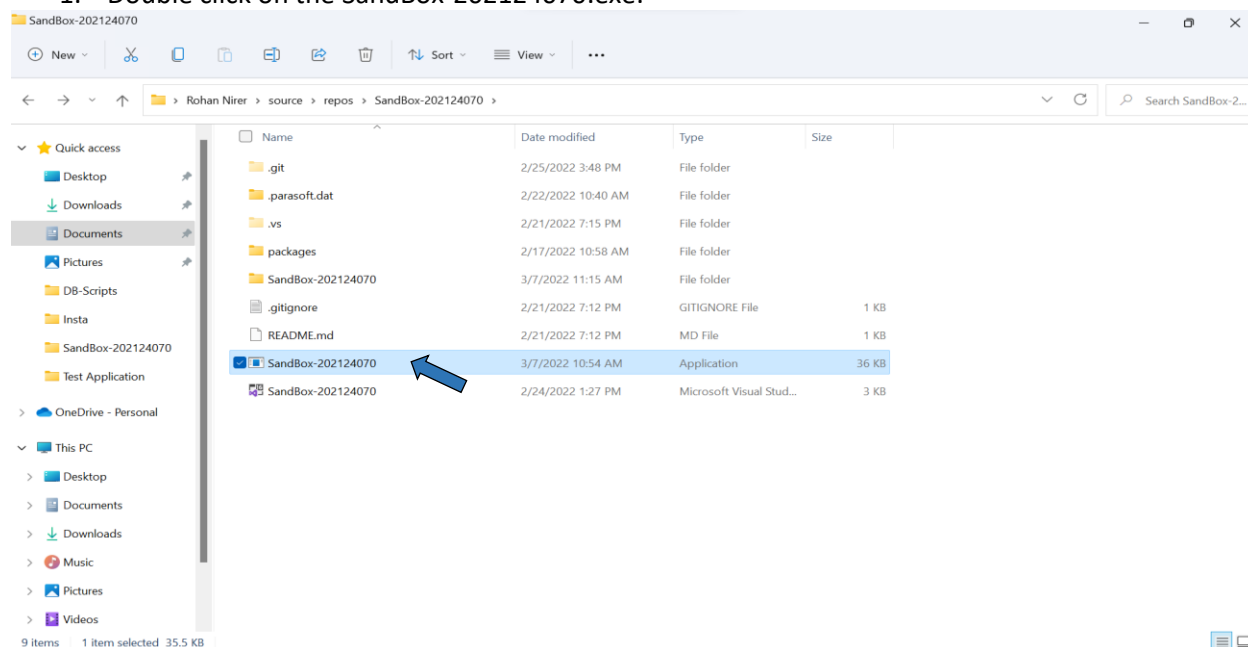
The Sandbox tool is implemented using C# and Windows forms for the UI. This tool provides a secure environment in which executable files can run with configuring various types of permissions. In addition, the tool can be run in two ways. First, can be executed by double-clicking on the .exe file, in which it will launch the tool with user interface. Second, by using command line, please refer the command line section for more details (page no 8).

How to use?

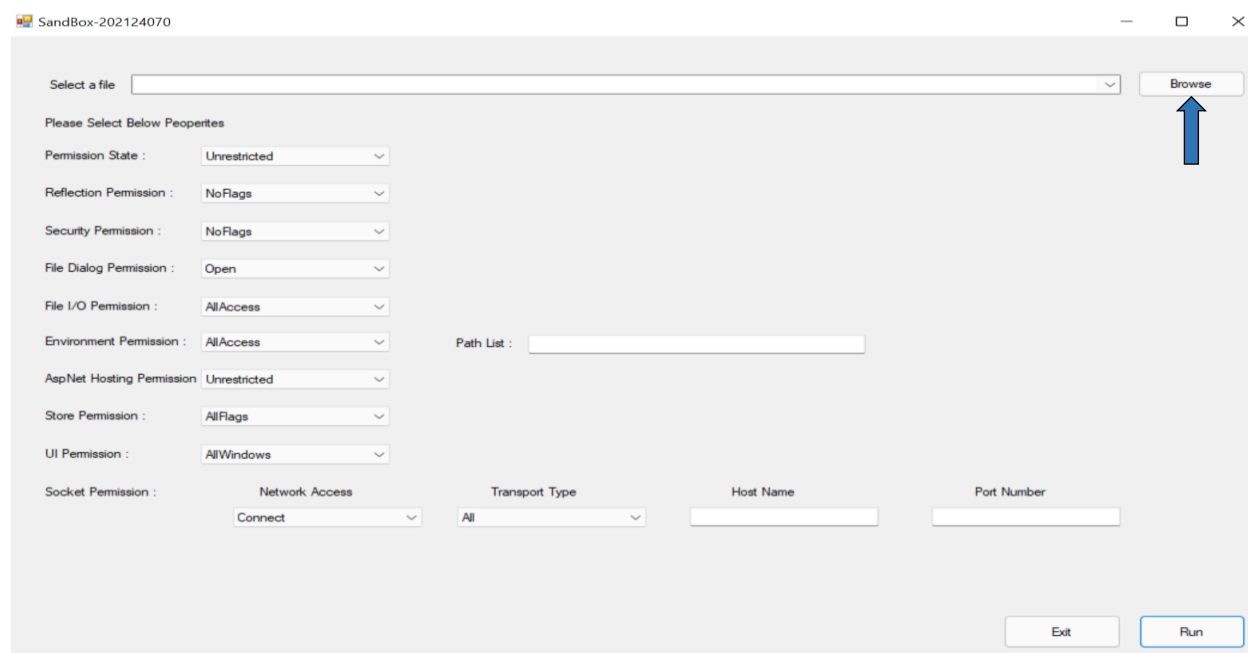
- Opening the SandBox-202124070.exe file.
- Through command line.

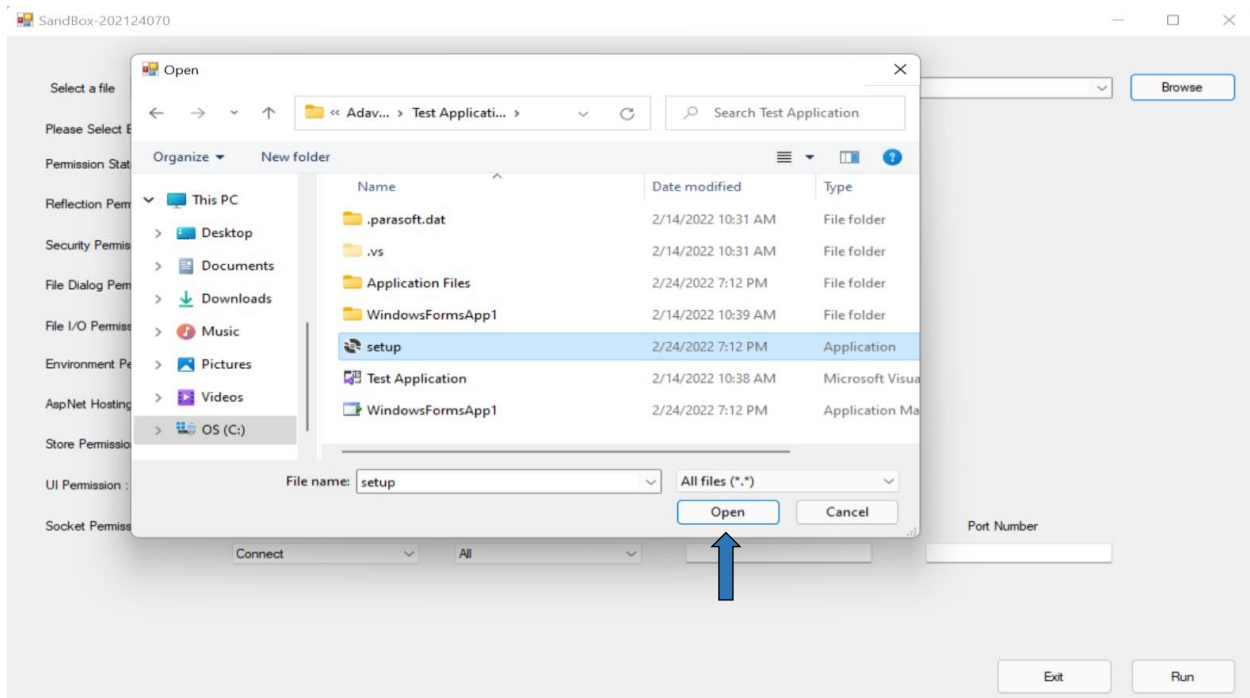
Opening the SandBox-202124070.exe file

1. Double click on the SandBox-202124070.exe.

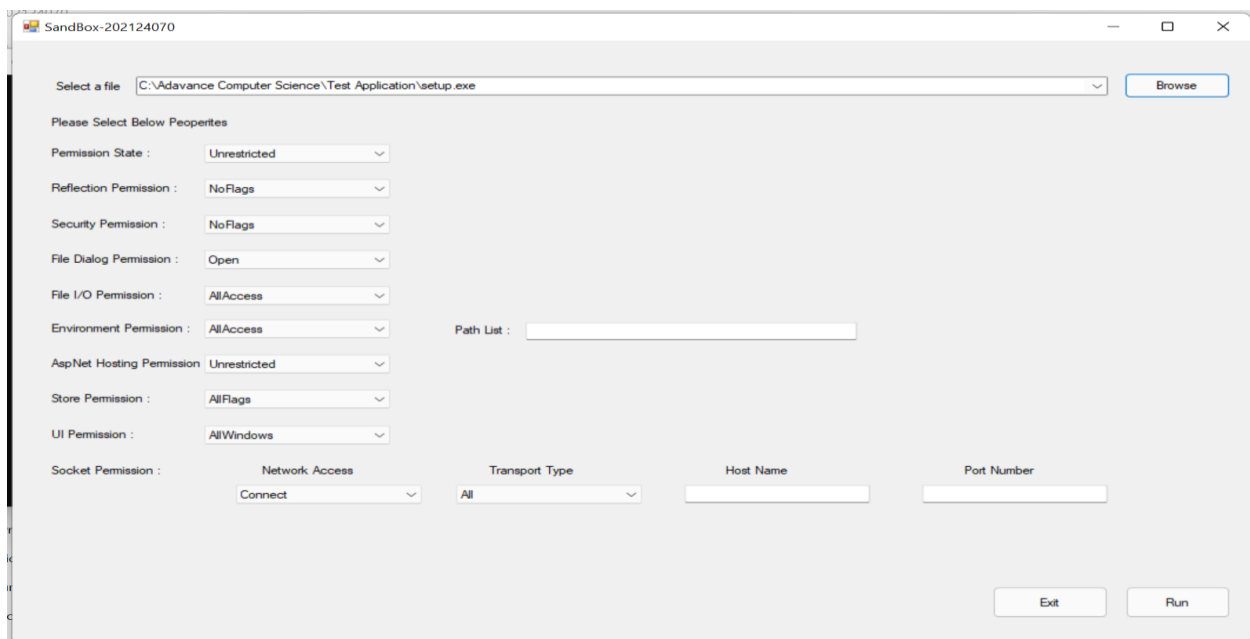


2. SandBox-202124070 window will open, as given below and click on Browse button and system files window will appear and select the file and click on Open button.

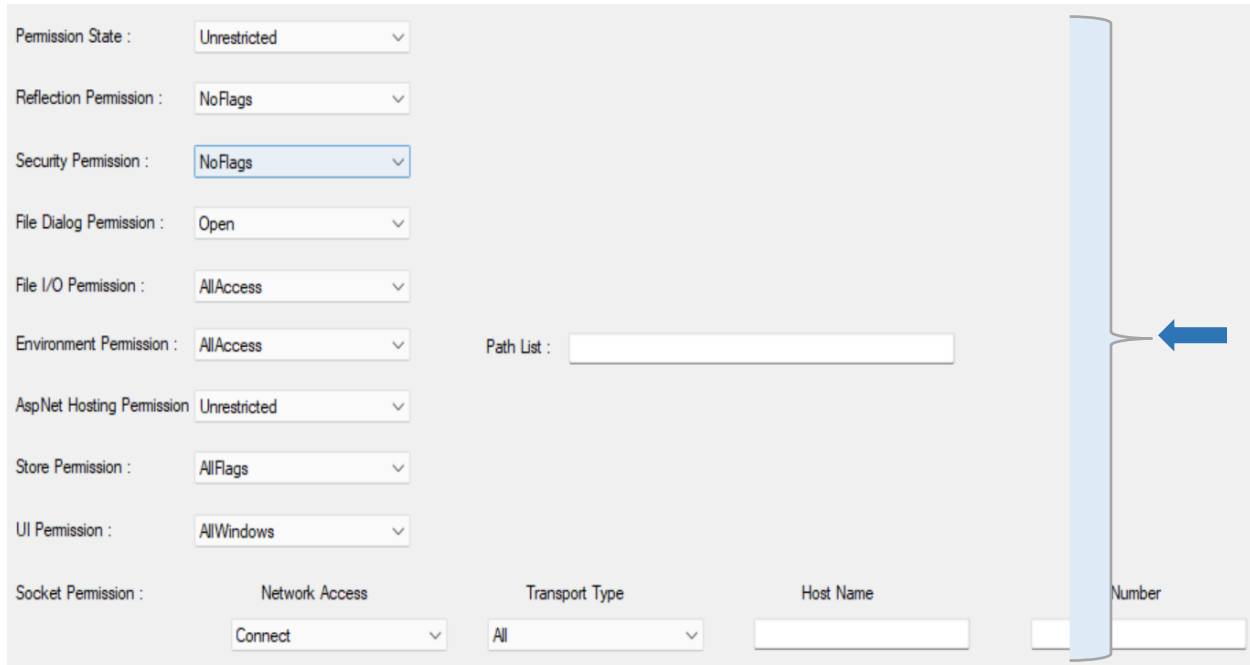




After selecting the file, the application window will look like as below, and the selected file and path will show in Select a file box.



3. Select the permissions properties from the dropdowns, if user does not enter any Path List, Host Name or Port Number the application will pick default value from the system.
Default value for Path list is same as selected file path and hostname is localhost and port number is 8080.



Permission State :

Reflection Permission :

Security Permission :

File Dialog Permission :

File I/O Permission :

Environment Permission : Path List :

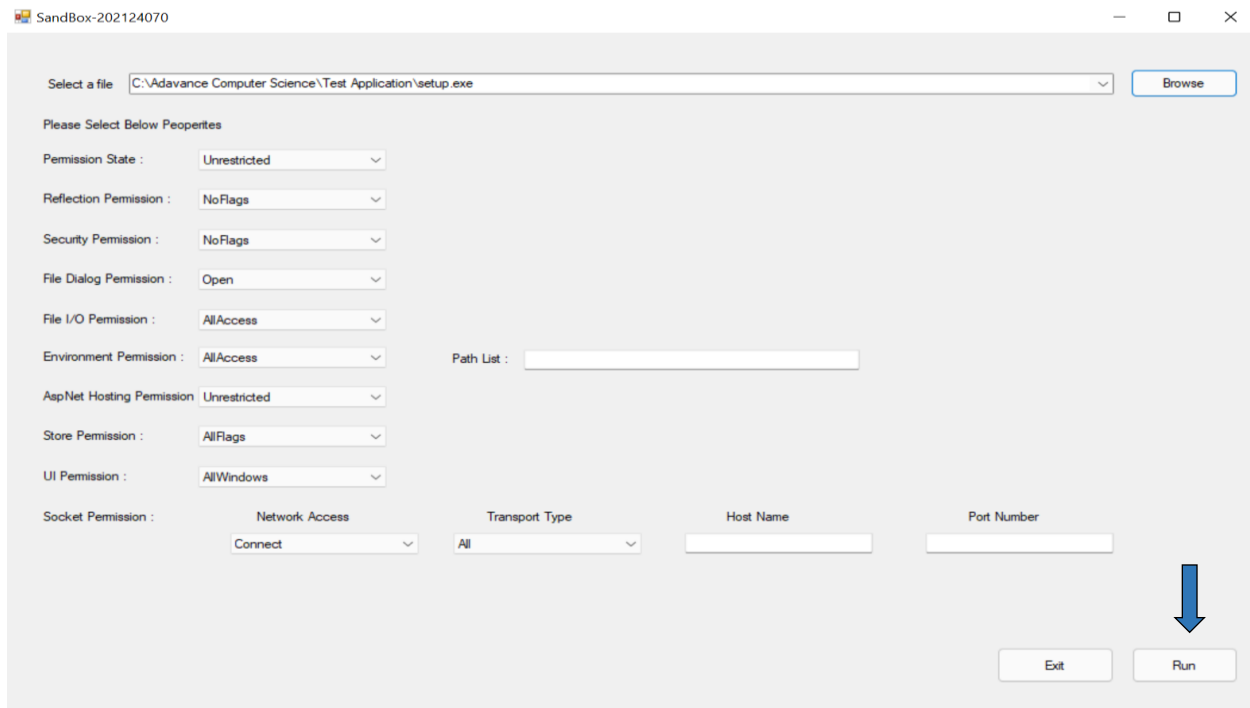
AspNet Hosting Permission :

Store Permission :

UI Permission :

Socket Permission :

4. Now click on the Run button to execute the executable file which you have selected.



Select a file :

Please Select Below Properties

Permission State :

Reflection Permission :

Security Permission :

File Dialog Permission :

File I/O Permission :

Environment Permission : Path List :

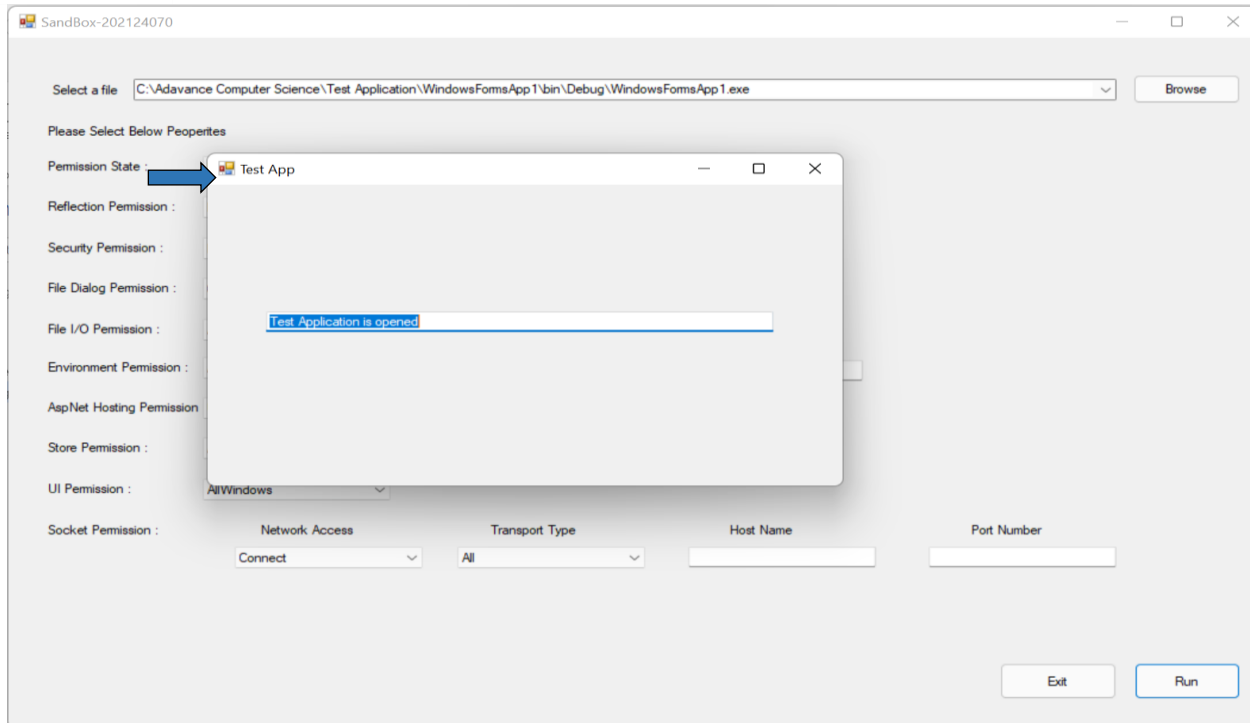
AspNet Hosting Permission :

Store Permission :

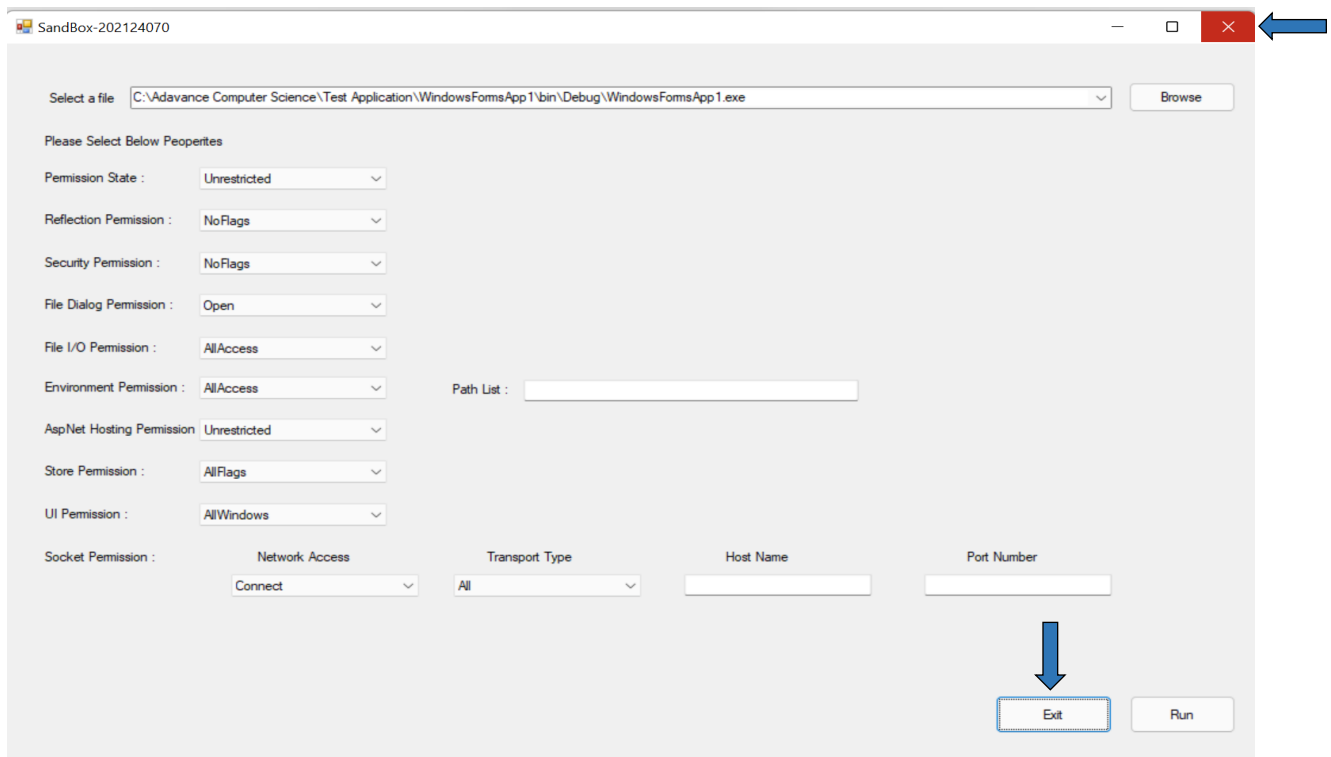
UI Permission :

Socket Permission :

5. After clicking on Run button, the selected application will open, as given below.



6. To terminate the Sandbox tool, click on exit button or you can click on red close button in the title bar.



Through Command Line

1. Open the command prompt in the directory of SandBox-202124070.exe file.

```

C:\Windows\System32\cmd.exe

C:\Users\rnire\source\repos\SandBox-202124070>dir
Volume in drive C is OS
Volume Serial Number is EC03-9A46

Directory of C:\Users\rnire\source\repos\SandBox-202124070

02/22/2022  10:40 AM  <DIR>          .
03/02/2022  07:23 PM  <DIR>          ..
02/21/2022  07:12 PM                301 .gitignore
02/22/2022  10:40 AM                .parasoft.dat
02/17/2022  10:58 AM                packages
02/21/2022  07:12 PM                95 README.md
02/28/2022  08:17 PM                SandBox-202124070
02/18/2022  11:54 AM       28,672 SandBox-202124070.exe
02/24/2022  01:27 PM        2,428 SandBox-202124070.sln
               4 File(s)        31,496 bytes
               5 Dir(s)      245,328,920,576 bytes free

C:\Users\rnire\source\repos\SandBox-202124070>
  
```

2. To run the application and ask for the help with commands, enter in the command prompt `SandBox-202124070.exe -help`. It will provide all the command keys for the permissions and example of using application in commands as given below. Please check Permissions detail section for more details (page no 10).

```

C:\Windows\System32\cmd.exe
Microsoft Windows [Version 10.0.22000.493]
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C:\Users\rnire\source\repos\SandBox-202124070\SandBox-202124070\bin\AnyCPU>SandBox-202124070.exe --help
Trustworthy ACW1 SandBox Tool

-- Usage --
SandBox-202124070.exe -exepath "path" -config default or "..\config details.."
Ex:- SandBox-202124070.exe -exepath " C:\TestApplication\WindowsFormsApp.exe" -config "-ps 1,-rp 0,-sp 1024,-fdp 2,-fiop 1,-anhp 300,-strp 0,-u
ip 1"

-- Commands Details --

PermissionState : -ps
0-None
1-Unrestricted

ReflectionPermission : -rp
7-AllFlags
2-MemberAccess
0-NoFlags
4-ReflectionEmit
8-RestrictedMemberAccess
1-TypeInformation

SecurityPermission : -sp
16383-AllFlags
1-Assertion
8192-BindingRedirects
1024-ControlAppDomain
256-ControlDomainPolicy
32-ControlEvidence
64-ControlPolicy
512-ControlPrincipal
16-ControlThread
8-Execution
4096-Infrastructure
0-NoFlags
  
```

```

C:\Windows\System32\cmd.exe
FileDialogPermission : -fdp
0-None
1-Open
3-OpenSave
2-Save

FileIOPermission : -fiop
15-AllAccess
4-Append
0-NoAccess
8-PathDiscovery
1-Read
2-Write

AspNetHostingPermission : -anhp
500-High
300-Low
400-Medium
200-Minimal
100-None
600-Unrestricted

StorePermission : -strp
32-AddToStore
247-AllFlags
1-CreateStore
2-DeleteStore
128-EnumerateCertificates
4-EnumerateStores
0-NoFlags
16-OpenStore
64-RemoveFromStore

UIPermission : -uip
0-NoWindows
1-SafeSubWindows
3-AllWindows
2-SafeTopLevelWindows

```

3. To run the tool with untrusted code and default tool permissions use the

`SandBox-202124070.exe -exepath "path" -config default`

The -exepath states that you're passing the untrusted code file path in "path" (path should be in double quotes) and -config states the permission configuration and default used to run the tool with default permissions.

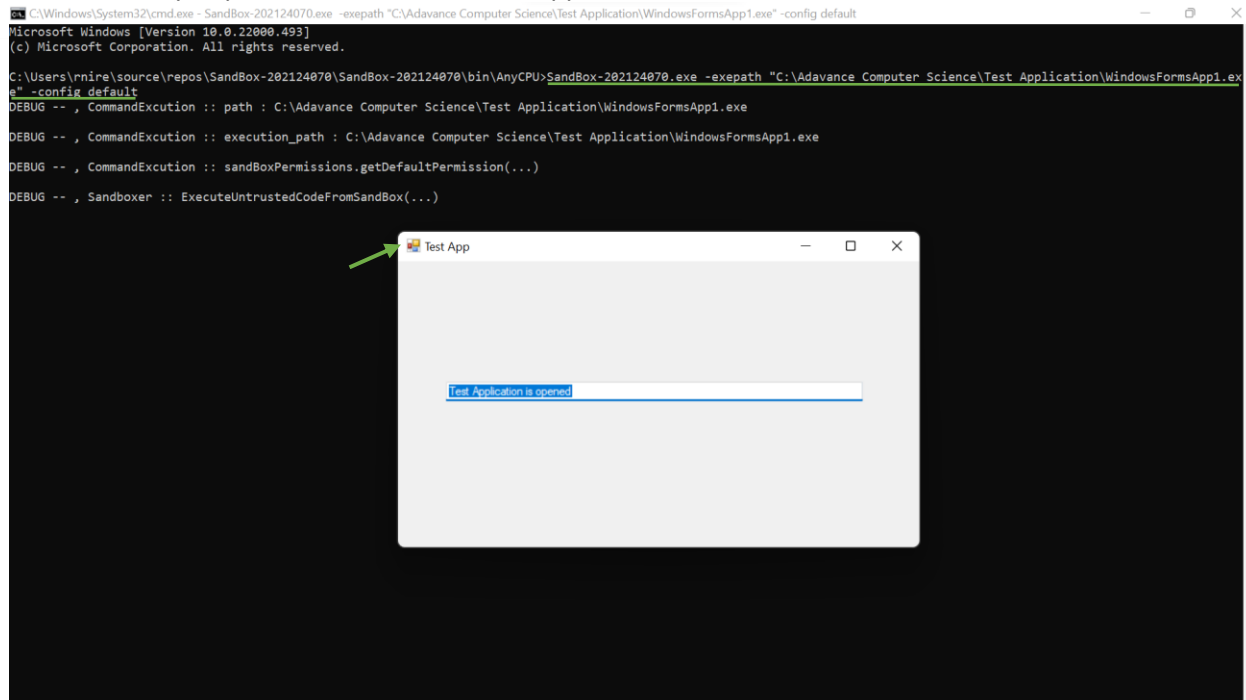
```

C:\Windows\System32\cmd.exe
Microsoft Windows [Version 10.0.22000.493]
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C:\Users\rnire\source\repos\SandBox-202124070\SandBox-202124070\bin\AnyCPU>SandBox-202124070.exe -exepath "C:\Adavance Computer Science\Test Application\WindowsFormsApp1.exe" -config default

```

Once you press enter the untrusted application will run.



4. In order to set the permissions instead of using tool default permissions, you need to pass them like `-config "-ps 1,-rp 0,-sp 1024,-fdp 2,-fiop 1,-anhp 300,-strp 0,-uip 1"`. The entire command will look like, `SandBox-202124070.exe -exepath "C:\AdvanceComputerScience\TestApplication\WindowsFormsApp1.exe" -config "-ps 1,-rp 0,-sp 1024,-fdp 2,-fiop 1,-anhp 300,-strp 0,-uip 1"`

Note: the permissions keys must be passed in the double quotes, and they will be comma separated without any space.

Below are the permission keys and their values.

-ps: Permission State

- 0 - None
- 1 - Unrestricted

-rp: Reflection Permission

- 7-AllFlags
- 2-MemberAccess
- 0-NoFlags
- 4-ReflectionEmit
- 8-RestrictedMemberAccess
- 1-TypeInformation

-sp: Security Permission

- 16383-AllFlags
- 1-Assertion
- 8192-BindingRedirects

1024-ControlAppDomain
256-ControlDomainPolicy
32-ControlEvidence
64-ControlPolicy
512-ControlPrincipal
16-ControlThread
8-Execution
4096-Infrastructure#
0-NoFlags
2048-RemotingConfiguration
4-SkipVerification
2-UnmanagedCode

-fdp: File Dialog Permission

0 - None
1-Open
3-OpenSave
2-Save

-fiop: File IO Permission

15-AllAccess
4-Append
0-NoAccess
8-PathDiscovery
1-Read
2-Write

-anhp: Asp.Net Hosting Permission

500-High
300-Low
400-Medium
200-Minimal
100-None
600-Unrestricted

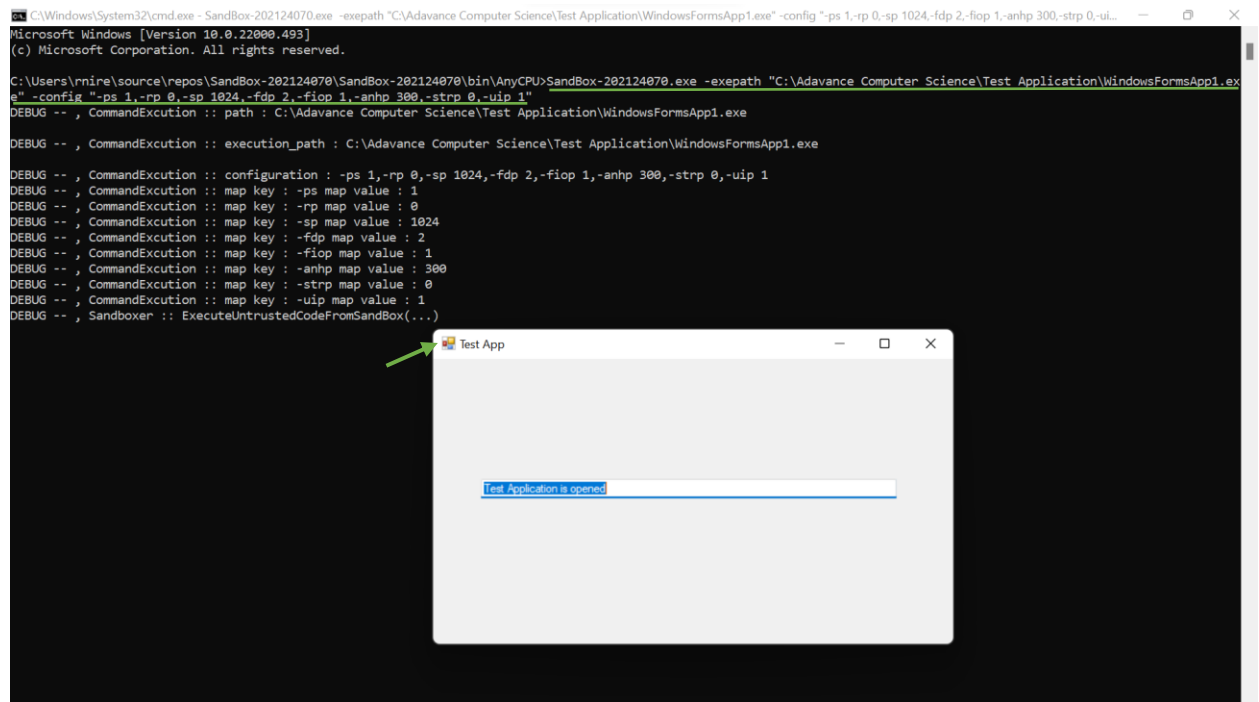
-strp: Store Permission

32-AddToStore
247-AllFlags
1-CreateStore
2-DeleteStore
128-EnumerateCertificates
4-EnumerateStores
0-NoFlags
16-OpenStore
64-RemoveFromStore

-uip: UI Permission

0-NoWindows
1-SafeSubWindows
3-AllWindows
2-SafeTopLevelWindows

After entering the command press enter to run the tool and the application will execute, as shown below.



The screenshot shows a Windows command prompt window with the following text:

```
C:\Windows\System32\cmd.exe - Sandbox-202124070.exe -exepath "C:\Advance Computer Science\Test Application\WindowsFormsApp1.exe" -config "-ps 1,-rp 0,-sp 1024,-fdp 2,-fiop 1,-anhp 300,-strp 0,-uiop 1"
Microsoft Windows [Version 10.0.22000.493]
(c) Microsoft Corporation. All rights reserved.

C:\Users\rnire\source\repos\Sandbox-202124070\Sandbox-202124070\bin\AnyCPU>Sandbox-202124070.exe -exepath "C:\Advance Computer Science\Test Application\WindowsFormsApp1.exe" -config "-ps 1,-rp 0,-sp 1024,-fdp 2,-fiop 1,-anhp 300,-strp 0,-uiop 1"
DEBUG -- , CommandExcution :: path : C:\Advance Computer Science\Test Application\WindowsFormsApp1.exe
DEBUG -- , CommandExcution :: execution_path : C:\Advance Computer Science\Test Application\WindowsFormsApp1.exe
DEBUG -- , CommandExcution :: configuration : -ps 1,-rp 0,-sp 1024,-fdp 2,-fiop 1,-anhp 300,-strp 0,-uiop 1
DEBUG -- , CommandExcution :: map key : -ps map value : 1
DEBUG -- , CommandExcution :: map key : -rp map value : 0
DEBUG -- , CommandExcution :: map key : -sp map value : 1024
DEBUG -- , CommandExcution :: map key : -fdp map value : 2
DEBUG -- , CommandExcution :: map key : -fiop map value : 1
DEBUG -- , CommandExcution :: map key : -anhp map value : 300
DEBUG -- , CommandExcution :: map key : -strp map value : 0
DEBUG -- , CommandExcution :: map key : -uiop map value : 1
DEBUG -- , Sandboxer :: ExecuteUntrustedCodeFromSandbox(...)
```

A green arrow points to a window titled "Test App". The window contains a text box with the text "Test Application is opened".

Permissions

In this section will be describing all the permission used in the tool and what are the default permissions are set in the tool.

Permissions used in the tool and their description

- ***PermissionSet***: Represents a collection that can contain many different types of permissions. You can use Permission Set to perform operations on several different permissions as a group.
- ***DnsPermission***: Controls rights to access Domain Name System (DNS) servers on the network. The default permissions allow all local and Intranet zone applications to access DNS services, and no DNS permission for Internet zone applications.
- ***SqlClientPermission***: Enables the .NET Framework Data Provider for SQL Server to help make sure that a user has a security level sufficient to access a data source. The Permission State enumeration takes precedence over the AllowBlankPassword property. Therefore, if you set AllowBlankPassword to false, you must also set Permission State to None to prevent a user from making a connection using a blank password. For an example demonstrating how to use security demands, see Code Access Security and ADO.NET.
- ***WebPermission***: Controls rights to access HTTP Internet resources. The value of the state parameter is either PermissionState.None or PermissionState.Unrestricted, respectively yielding fully restricted or fully unrestricted access to all security variables. If you specify PermissionState.None, then you can give access to individual URIs using AddPermission.
- ***TypeDescriptorPermission***: Initializes a new instance of the TypeDescriptorPermission class with the specified permission flags.
- ***SocketPermission***: Controls rights to make or accept connections on a transport address. This constructor creates a Socket Permission that controls access to the specified host name and port number using the specified transport. The hostname can be a DNS name, an IP address, or a specified IP subnet, such as 192.168.1.*. The port number can be any valid port number defined by the transport, or SocketPermission.AllPorts.
- ***ReflectionPermission***: Controls access to non-public types and members through the System.Reflection APIs. Controls some features of the System.Reflection.Emit APIs and initializes a new instance of the Reflection Permission class with the specified access.

- ***SecurityPermission***: Describes a set of security permissions applied to code. This class cannot be inherited and initializes a new instance of the Security Permission class with the specified initial set state of the flags.
- ***FileDialogPermission***: Controls the ability to access files or folders through a File dialog box. This class cannot be inherited and initializes a new instance of the File Dialog Permission class with the specified access.
- ***FileIOPermission***: Controls the ability to access files and folders. This class cannot be inherited and initializes a new instance of the File IO Permission class with the specified access to the designated file or directory.
- ***EnvironmentPermission***: Controls access to system and user environment variables. This class cannot be inherited and initializes a new instance of the Environment Permission class with the specified access to the specified environment variables.
- ***AspNetHostingPermission***: Controls access permissions in ASP.NET hosted environments. This class cannot be inherited and initializes a new instance of the Asp .Net Hosting Permission class with the specified permission level.
- ***StorePermission***: Controls access to stores containing X.509 certificates. This class cannot be inherited and initializes a new instance of the Store Permission class with the specified access.
- ***UIPermission***: Controls the permissions related to user interfaces and the Clipboard. This class cannot be inherited and initializes a new instance of the UI Permission class with the permissions for windows, and no access to the Clipboard.

Limitations of the tool

- In this tool only few of the permissions are considered.
- In this tool we are setting the Permission State value to Dns Permission, Sql Client Permission, Web Permission and Type Descriptor Permission.
- Through the command line we cannot set Socket and Environment Permissions.
- The tool will only run the applications which is built in C# and have proper assemblies.
- When you are running some application using the UI screen of the tool, the screen may shrink in size.

References

- All the permissions are taken from the Microsoft official site, which are given below,

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/dotnet/api/system.net?view=dotnet-plat-ext-6.0>

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/dotnet/api/system.data.sqlclient.sqlclientpermission?view=dotnet-plat-ext-6.0>

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/dotnet/api/system.security?view=net-6.0>

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/dotnet/api/system.web.aspnethostingpermission?view=dotnet-plat-ext-6.0>

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/dotnet/api/system.security.permissions?view=dotnet-plat-ext-6.0>

- For the sandbox referred from <https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/previous-versions/dotnet/framework/code-access-security/how-to-run-partially-trusted-code-in-a-sandbox?redirectedfrom=MSDN>