



/csi.exe ☆ Star 7,060

Execute

Command line interface included with Visual Studio.

Paths:

c:\Program Files (x86)\Microsoft Visual Studio\2017\Community\MSBuild\15.0\Bin\Roslyn\csi.exe
c:\Program Files (x86)\Microsoft Web Tools\Packages\Microsoft.Net.Compilers.X.Y.Z\tools\csi.exe

Resources:

- <https://twitter.com/subTee/status/781208810723549188>
- <https://enigma0x3.net/2016/11/17/bypassing-application-whitelisting-by-using-dnx-exe/>

Acknowledgements:

- Casey Smith ([@subtee](#))

Detections:

- Sigma: [proc_creation_win_csi_execution.yml](#)
- Sigma: [proc_creation_win_csi_use_of_csharp_console.yml](#)
- Elastic: [defense_evasion_unusual_process_network_connection.toml](#)
- Elastic: [defense_evasion_network_connection_from_windows_binary.toml](#)
- BlockRule: <https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/windows/security/threat-protection/windows-defender-application-control/microsoft-recommended-block-rules>

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Use csi.exe to run unsigned C# code.

csi.exe file

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| Use case: | Local execution of unsigned C# code. |
| Privileges required: | User |
| Operating systems: | Windows |
| ATT&CK® technique: | T1127: Trusted Developer Utilities Proxy Execution |