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AWL bypass

The Workflow Command-line Compiler tool is included with the Windows Software Development Kit (SDK).

Paths:

C:\Program Files (x86)\Microsoft SDKs\Windows\v10.0A\bin\NETFX 4.8 Tools\wfc.exe

Resources:

- <https://bohops.com/2020/11/02/exploring-the-wdac-microsoft-recommended-block-rules-part-ii-wfc-fsi/>

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Detections:

- BlockRule: <https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/windows/security/threat-protection/windows-defender-application-control/microsoft-recommended-block-rules>
- Sigma: [proc\\_creation\\_win\\_lolbin\\_wfc.yml](#)
- IOC: As a Windows SDK binary, execution on a system may be suspicious

## AWL bypass

Execute arbitrary C# code embedded in a XOML file.

```
wfc.exe c:\path\to\test.xoml
```

Use case:	Execute proxied payload with Microsoft signed binary to bypass WDAC policies
Privileges required:	User
Operating systems:	Windows 10 2004 (likely previous and newer versions as well)
ATT&CK® technique:	<a href="#">T1127: Trusted Developer Utilities Proxy Execution</a>