# Remote Script Execution AWS EC2 Win

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# Requirements

- Download the PsExec program from <a href="http://technet.microsoft.com/en-us/sysinternals/bb897553.aspx">http://technet.microsoft.com/en-us/sysinternals/bb897553.aspx</a>
  Or download PsExec.exe version 1.98 from the github repo.
- Download the batch script.
- PsExec.exe is the remote process tool that allows an administrator to run processes on a remote system.
- **PsExecRemote.bat** script that automates the PsExec with ec2 information to manually run the sync batch script when needed without having to rdc to the server.

### Remote EC2 Instance Setup / Info

- IPA
- Username
- Password
- Path to the batch/exe
- Open TCP port 445 on the remote EC2 instance for traffic.

#### Edit PsExecRemote.bat Source

- SET IPA=<u>23.22.11.10</u> ( Remote EC2 IP Address )
- SET USER=<u>Administrator</u> ( Remote EC2 Account Username )
- SET PSWD=<u>"abcd1234"</u> ( Remote EC2 Account Password)
- SET EXE=<u>"C:\script.bat"</u> ( Path on Remote EC2 Instance to script/exe )

Please note that **PSWD** & **EXE** variables enclosed in quotations.

Some non-alphanumeric characters like "&" or spaces can create the batch file to fail.

Enclosing them in quotations is safe way to pass these parameters within the batch script.

#### Final Notes

- Run the batch file, check to see the results.log for output of the run.
- You can automate the batch file call via your publishing program.
- TCP Port 445 has been opened for traffic in the AWS security group and on the EC2 instance.
- It is advisable to restrict the TCP port 445 rule on AWS security group to connections only from the remote endpoint of the publisher where the remote script will be executed.