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Prerequisites

Prepare the `install_config.ini` script (supported since ERA Server version 6.4) or MST transform file containing parameters for the agent to communicate with your ESET Remote Administrator Server (ERA Server).

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[instructions](#) for `install_config.ini` script

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Store the Agent installer (`.msi`) file and the `install_config.ini` file (or Agent installer transform `.mst` file) in the same folder.

Deployment

1. Open SCCM Console.
2. Click **Software Library**, right-click **Applications** and select **Create Application**.
3. Select **Windows Installer (*.msi file)** from the **Type** drop-down menu.
4. Click **Browse** next to the **Location** field, navigate to the source folder and select the Agent installer `.msi` file (do not select the `.mst` file). Click **Next** when you are finished.



Figure 1-1

5. Specify a **Name** for your application package and enter any other information about the package that you want to include. We recommend that you include the **Publisher** and **Software version**. Click **Next** when you are finished.



Figure 1-2

6. Click **Close** when **The Create Application Wizard completed successfully** is displayed.



Figure 1-3

7. Right-click the ESET Remote Administrator Agent application that you just created and select **Properties** from the context menu.
8. Click the **Deployment Types** tab, select your new deployment and click **Edit**.



Figure 1-4

9. Complete this step ONLY if you are using the .mst transformation file:
Click the **Programs** tab and edit the **Installation program** field so that it reads **msiexec/iAgent_x64.msi/qn TRANSFORMS="Agent_x64.mst"** (if you are using 32-bit packages, this string will vary slightly as "x32" will appear where "x64" does in the filenames).
10. Optional step: Edit the **Uninstall program** field so that it reads:
`msiexec /x
{424F1755-2E58-458F-8583-4A2D08D8BBA8} /qn
/norestart`
The string 424F1755-2E58-458F-8583-4A2D08D8BBA8 is different for each version; it may be different for your installation. Do not change it. Add the parameters /qn /norestart if you want to force quiet installation with no restart.



Figure 1-5

11. Click the **Requirements** tab and then click **Add**.
Select **Operating system** from the **Condition** drop-down menu, select **One of** from the **Operator** drop-down menu and then specify the operating systems you will install to by selecting the appropriate check box(es). Click **OK** when you are finished and then click **OK** again to close any remaining windows and save your changes.



Figure 1-6

12. In the System Center Software Library, right-click your new application and select **Distribute Content** from the context menu. Follow the prompts in the Deploy Software Wizard to complete deployment of the application.



Figure 1-7

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