

## Ignore Modify date/time command in FTP/S and SFTP to prevent users from modifying date/timestamp of files

### THE INFORMATION IN THIS ARTICLE APPLIES TO:

- EFT v7.3.7 and later

EFT v8.0 and later store Advanced Properties in a JSON file. When you upgrade from EFT v7.4.x to EFT v8, the non-default settings that you have defined in the registry will be added to the Advanced Properties file during upgrade. (Default settings become part of the EFT configuration files.) For a more on how to use advanced properties, and a spreadsheet of the advanced properties, please refer to the "Advanced Properties" topic in the help for your version of EFT.

### DISCUSSION

In EFT v7.3.7, we added an option to disregard the "Modify Date/time" command in FTP/S and SFTP to prevent users from modifying date/timestamp of files. This can be activated via advanced properties as shown below.

#### In EFT v8 and later:

Add the name:value pair to the AdvancedProperties.JSON file in EFT's \ProgramData\ directory as described in the "Advanced Properties" topic in the online help for your version of EFT.

```
{  
"FTPDiscardClientTimestamp": 0  
"SFTPDiscardClientTimestamp": 0  
}
```

#### In versions prior to v8.0:

Create the registry entries as shown:

```
HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\GlobalSCAPE Inc.\EFT Server  
7.3\FTPDiscardClientTimestamp=0
```

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HKEY\_LOCAL\_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\GlobalSCAPE Inc.\EFT Server  
7.3\SFTPDiscardClientTimestamp=0

0 = disabled, 1 = enabled (disregard command)

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