

# Re: SFTP Error

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Normally it's exactly what the error says:

"Most likely the sftp-server is not in the path of the user on the server-side."

The F-Secure SSH Client first makes a standard SSH connection to the server and then attempts to start the sftp-server with the user credentials you entered in the sftp client app.

The easiest way to test this is to make a normal ssh terminal connection, then as the same user run the following command:

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type sftp-server
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If your SSH Server is on a windows box then run the "path" command from the command prompt and check that the F-Secure path is there.

HTH,

Nathan

On 8/15/06, ronald.warren@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx  
<ronald.warren@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote:

I'm using :

F-Secure SSH Client 5.3 build 23 and F-Secure SSH File Transfer  
It works fine when I use the SSH Client. But, when I'm using sftp,  
it  
displays :

File transfer server could not be started or it exited unexpectedly.

Exit value 0 was returned. Most likely the sftp-server is not in the

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path of  
the user on the server-side.

What can be happening ?

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