## **Optimization methods**

I take several steps on this spark mission:

- 1. Get input file from command argument, split them with "\n" to single lines.
- 2. Map all lines to array that:
  - a) A string indicating which number appears In this line
  - b) All the array that contains this number, in which:
    - i. A RID indicating which line it is
    - ii. An array of all number in this line. The head of the line has been dropped because that is RID.
  - c) Use one groupBy to reduce processing time.
  - d) Do this step on both files, creating two RDD, with structure as follows: RDD[(String, Array[(String, Array[String])])]
  - e) Prefix length decided by threshold and number of string taken to be the label of array is decided by prefix length.
- 3. Merge two RDD as one and try to combine those arrays whose label number are identical. But change the RID of second RDD to "-RID", to avoid duplicate self-join.
- 4. Use a map to store those tuples which has been counted, to avoid duplicate calculation.