.. /Runonce.exe ☆ Star

Execute

Executes a Run Once Task that has been configured in the registry

Paths:
C:\Windows\System32\runonce.exe
C:\Windows\SysWOW64\runonce.exe

Resources:
- https://twitter.com/pabraeken/status/990717080805789697
- https://cmatskas.com/configure-a-runonce-task-on-windows/

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Detections:
- Sigma: registry_event_runonce_persistence.yml
- Sigma: proc_creation_win_runonce_execution.yml
- Elastic: persistence_run_key_and_startup_broad.toml
- IOC: Registy key add - HKLM\SOFTWARE\Microsoft\Active Setup\Installed Components\YOURKEY

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Runonce.exe /AlternateShellStartup
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Use case: Persistence, bypassing defensive counter measures
Privileges required: Administrator
Operating systems: Windows vista, Windows 7, Windows 8, Windows 8.1, Windows 10, Windows 11
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