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Algorithm 1 Counting the Number of. Egistry entires containing '*Exploit*'

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**Input**     *InputData*

**Output**    *ResultData*

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1     sc = spark.SparkContext()
2     rdd = sc.parallelize(InputData )
3     rdd.flatMap(lambda x: x.split("\n"))
4     rdd.filter(lambda x : 'Exploit' in x)
5     ResultData = rdd.count()
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**Algorithm 2** *ConvertRegEntryToNestedKeyValue()*

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**Input** *RegEntry*

**Output** *RegNestedKeyValue*

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1  keys = RegEntry.split('=')[0].split('\  
2  value = RegEntry. split('=')[1]  
3  reg = keys + value  
4  while type(reg[0]) != dict :  
5      regValue = reg.pop()  
6      regKey = reg.pop()  
7      nestedValue = { regKey : regValue }  
8      RegNestedKeyValue.append(nestedValue)
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**Algorithm 3** *MergeRegNestedEntries()*

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**Input**  $RNE1, RNE2$

**Output**  $RNE1+2$

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1  keys = []
2  while True:
3      if  $RNE1.keys() == RNE2.keys()$ :
4          keys.append( $RNE1.keys()$ )
5           $RNE1 = RNE1.values()$ 
6           $RNE2 = RNE2.values()$ 
7      else:
8          break
9   $ListRegEntries = RNE1.values().update(RNE2.values())$ 
10 while keys:
11     commonPath = { keys.pop() : commonPath }
12  $RNE1+2 = \{ \text{commonPath} : ListRegEntries \}$ 
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**Algorithm 4** *ComparingRegEntries()*

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**Input**     *RegNestedEntry, RegRepository*  
**Output**    *CompResult*

```
1     regTemp = RegNestedEntry
2     while True:
3         // forensic for Registry Key
4         key = regTemp.keys()[0]
5         if key:
6             if key in RegRepository.keys():
7                 RegRepository = RegRepository[key]
8                 regTemp = regTemp[key]
9             else:
10                 CompResult = RegNestedEntry
11                 break
12         // forensic for Registry Value
13         else:
14             value = regTemp
15             if RegRepository != value:
16                 CompResult = RegNestedEntry
17             else:
18                 break
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Algorithm 5

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**Input**

**Output**

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**Line 4**

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**Line 5**

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**Line 6**

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*ExportedData, nPartitions*

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sc = spark.SparkContext()
rdd = sc.parallelize(InputData)
rdd.repartition(nPartitions)
rdd.flatMap(lambda x: x.split("\n"))
rdd.map(lambda x : ConvertRegEntryToNestedKeyValue(x))
regRDD = rdd.reduce(lambda x,y : MergeRegNestedEntries (x,y))
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$$\text{SERVICES} : \{\text{TSDDD} : \{\}\}\}\}$$

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**Algorithm 6** ForensicForTargetRegKey()

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**Input**     *ExportedData, nPartitions, TargetRegKey*

**Output**    *TargetRegEntry*

```
1     sc = spark.SparkContext()
2     rdd = sc.parallelize(InputData)
3     rdd.repartition(nPartitions)
4     rdd.flatMap(lambda x: x.split("\n"))
5     rdd.map(lambda x : ConvertRegEntryToNestedKeyValue(x))
6     TargetRegEntry = rdd.filter(lambda x : x == TargetRegKey)
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**Line 4**     HKCR\\*\App\MSPaint.exe "default"="Window"  
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              HKCR\\*\App\WordPad.exe "default"="Window"  
              HKCR\\*\App\WordPad.exe "content"="text"



**Line 5**     {HKCR: {\*: {App: {MSPaint.exe: {default: Window}}}}} }  
              {HKCR: {\*: {App: {MSPaint.exe: {content: image}}}}} }  
              {HKCR: {\*: {App: {WordPad.exe: {default: Window}}}}} }  
              {HKCR: {\*: {App: {WordPad.exe: {content: text}}}}} }



**Line 6**     {HKCR: {\*: {App: {MSPaint.exe: {content: image}}}}} }

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Algorithm 7

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**Input**

**Output**

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**Line 5**

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**Line 6**

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**Line 7**

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ForensicRegEntriesUsingKeywords()

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*ExportedData, nPartitions, TargetRegKeyword*

*RegNestedEntry*

sc = spark.SparkContext()

rdd = sc.parallelize(*InputData*)

rdd.repartition(nPartitions)

rdd.flatMap(lambda x: x.split("\n"))

rdd.map(lambda x : *ConvertRegEntryToNestedKeyValue*(x))

rdd.filter(lambda x : *TargetKeyword* in x)

*RegNestedEntry* = rdd.reduce(lambda x,y : *MergeRegNestedEntries*(x,y))

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Algorithm 8

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**Input**

**Output**

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CompareRegRepositories()

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*RegRepo1, RegRepo2, nPartitions*

*DifferentRegEntries*

sc = spark.SparkContext()

rdd1 = sc.**parallelize**(*RegRepo1* )

rdd1.**repartition**(*nPartitions* )

rdd1.**flatMap**(lambda x: x.split("\n"))

rdd1.**map**(lambda x : *ConvertRegEntryToNestedKeyValue*(x))

*NestedRegRepo1* = rdd1.**reduce**(lambda x,y : *MergeRegNestedEntries* (x,y))

rdd2 = sc.**parallelize**(*RegRepo2* )

rdd2.**repartition**(*nPartitions* )

rdd2.**flatMap**(lambda x: x.split("\n"))

rdd2.**map**(lambda *RegEntry* : *ComparingRegRepositories* (*NestedRegRepo1* , *ConvertRegEntr*

*DifferentRegEntries* = rdd2.**reduce**(lambda x,y : *MergeRegNestedEntries* (x,y))

*yToNestedKeyValue(RegEntry))*