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DOCKET NO.	DATE FILED	U.S. DISTRICT COURT
6:22-cv-01094	October 21, 2022	Western District of Texas - Waco Division

PLAINTIFF	DEFENDANT
Taasera Licensing LLC	CrowdStrike, Inc. and CrowdStrike Holdings, Inc.

	PATENT OR TRADEMARK NO.	DATE OF PATENT OR TRADEMARK	HOLDER OF PATENT OR TRADEMARK
1	7,673,137	3/2/2010	Taasera Licensing LLC
2	8,327,441	12/4/2012	Taasera Licensing LLC
3	8,850,517	9/30/2014	Taasera Licensing LLC
4	8,955,038	2/10/2015	Taasera Licensing LLC
5	8,990,948	3/24/2015	Taasera Licensing LLC

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1 9,092,616	7/28/2015	Taasera Licensing LLC
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2:22-cv-00427	10/31/2022	for the Eastern District of Texas, Marshall Division

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TAASERA LICENSING LLC	MUSARUBRA US LLC, D/B/A TRELLIX

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TAASERA LICENSING LLC	PALO ALTO NETWORKS, INC.

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TAASERA LICENSING LLC	CHECK POINT SOFTWARE TECHNOLOGIES LTD.

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DOCKET NO.	DATE FILED	U.S. DISTRICT COURT
22cv2306	3/22/2022	for the Southern District of New York

PLAINTIFF	DEFENDANT
PALO ALTO NETWORKS, INC.	TAASERA LICENSING LLC, and QUEST PATENT RESEARCH CORPORATION

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RUBY J. KRAJICK	/S/ V. BRAHIMI	3/23/2022

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TAASERA LICENSING LLC	TREND MICRO INCORPORATED

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1	6,842,796	1/11/2005	Taasera Licensing LLC
2	7,673,137	3/2/2010	Taasera Licensing LLC
3	8,327,441	12/4/2012	Taasera Licensing LLC
4	8,850,517	9/30/2014	Taasera Licensing LLC
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International Application Number:	
Confirmation Number:	4039
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First Named Inventor/Applicant Name:	Srinivas KUMAR
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Supplemental Notice of Allowability	Application No. 13/741,878	Applicant(s) KUMAR, SRINIVAS	
	Examiner HARESH N. PATEL	Art Unit 2493	AIA (First Inventor to File) Status No

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All claims being allowable, PROSECUTION ON THE MERITS IS (OR REMAINS) CLOSED in this application. If not included herewith (or previously mailed), a Notice of Allowance (PTOL-85) or other appropriate communication will be mailed in due course. **THIS NOTICE OF ALLOWABILITY IS NOT A GRANT OF PATENT RIGHTS.** This application is subject to withdrawal from issue at the initiative of the Office or upon petition by the applicant. See 37 CFR 1.313 and MPEP 1308.

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3. ☐ Examiner's Comment Regarding Requirement for Deposit of Biological Material
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/HARESH N PATEL/
Primary Examiner, Art Unit 2493

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	3	20110131658		2011-06-02	Bahl	
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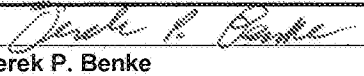
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     - i ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____
     - ii ☐ Other _____
   - b. ☒ Enclosed
     - i ☐ Amendment/Reply
     - ii ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
     - iii. ☒ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
     - iv. ☐ Other _____

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NOTIFICATION OF TRANSMITTAL OF THE INTERNATIONAL SEARCH REPORT AND THE WRITTEN OPINION OF THE INTERNATIONAL SEARCHING AUTHORITY, OR THE DECLARATION

(PCT Rule 44.1)

Date of mailing *(day/month/year)*	14 May 2014 (14.05.2014)
Applicant's or agent's file reference 0079152-0025	FOR FURTHER ACTION See paragraphs 1 and 4 below
International application No. **PCT/US2014/011427**	International filing date *(day/month/year)* **14 January 2014 (14.01.2014)**
Applicant **TAASERA, INC.**	

1. ☒ The applicant is hereby notified that the international search report and the written opinion of the International Searching Authority have been established and are transmitted herewith.

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3. ☐ **With regard to any protest** against payment of (an) additional fee(s) under Rule 40.2, the applicant is notified that:

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INTERNATIONAL SEARCH REPORT

(PCT Article 18 and Rules 43 and 44)

Applicant's or agent's file reference 0079152-0025	FOR FURTHER ACTION	see Form PCT/ISA/220 as well as, where applicable, item 5 below.
International application No. **PCT/US2014/011427**	International filing date *(day/month/year)* **14 January 2014 (14.01.2014)**	(Earliest) Priority Date *(day/month/year)* 15 January 2013 (15.01.2013)
Applicant **TAASERA, INC.**		

This International search report has been prepared by this International Searching Authority and is transmitted to the applicant according to Article 18. A copy is being transmitted to the International Bureau.

This international search report consists of a total of 3 sheets.

☐ It is also accompanied by a copy of each prior art document cited in this report.

1. **Basis of the report**
   a. With regard to the **language**, the international search was carried out on the basis of:
      ☒ the international application in the language in which it was filed
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   b. ☐ This international search report has been established taking into account the **rectification of an obvious mistake** authorized by or notified to this Authority under Rule 91 (Rule 43.6*bis*(a)).
   c. ☐ With regard to any **nucleotide and/or amino acid sequence** disclosed in the international application, see Box No. I.
2. ☐ **Certain claims were found unsearchable** (See Box No. II)
3. ☐ **Unity of invention is lacking** (See Box No. III)
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A. CLASSIFICATION OF SUBJECT MATTER

G06F 21/50(2013.01)i, G06F 9/44(2006.01)i

According to International Patent Classification (IPC) or to both national classification and IPC

B. FIELDS SEARCHED

Minimum documentation searched (classification system followed by classification symbols)
G06F 21/50; G06F 3/048; G06F 21/24; G06F 17/30; G06F 12/00; G06F 21/00; G06F 9/44

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C. DOCUMENTS CONSIDERED TO BE RELEVANT

Category*	Citation of document, with indication, where appropriate, of the relevant passages	Relevant to claim No.
X	US 2010-0125911 A1 (PRAKASH BHASKARAN) 20 May 2010 See paragraphs 12-38, 74, 81-82; claims 2, 5, 11, 13; and figures 1-11K.	1-24
A	US 2011-0321175 A1 (STEVE SLATER) 29 December 2011 See paragraphs 41-46; and figures 1-5.	1-24
A	US 2011-0131658 A1 (PRADEEP BAHL) 02 June 2011 See paragraphs 88-93; and figures 1-10.	1-24
A	US 2009-0292743 A1 (JOSEPH P. BIGUS) 26 November 2009 See paragraphs 28-57; and figures 1-7.	1-24
A	US 2008-0288330 A1 (DAVID HILDEBRAND et al.) 20 November 2008 See paragraphs 57-95; and figures 2-6.	1-24

☐ Further documents are listed in the continuation of Box C.

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WRITTEN OPINION OF THE INTERNATIONAL SEARCHING AUTHORITY

(PCT Rule 43bis.1)

Date of mailing *(day/month/year)*	**14 May 2014 (14.05.2014)**
Applicant's or agent's file reference 0079152-0025	**FOR FURTHER ACTION** See paragraph 2 below

International application No.	International filing date *(day/month/year)*	Priority date *(day/month/year)*
PCT/US2014/011427	**14 January 2014 (14.01.2014)**	15 January 2013 (15.01.2013)

International Patent Classification (IPC) or both national classification and IPC

G06F 21/50(2013.01)i, G06F 9/44(2006.01)i

Applicant
TAASERA, INC.

1. This opinion contains indications relating to the following items:

- [x] Box No. I Basis of the opinion
- [ ] Box No. II Priority
- [ ] Box No. III Non-establishment of opinion with regard to novelty, inventive step and industrial applicability
- [ ] Box No. IV Lack of unity of invention
- [x] Box No. V Reasoned statement under Rule 43bis.1(a)(i) with regard to novelty, inventive step and industrial applicability; citations and explanations supporting such statement
- [ ] Box No. VI Certain documents cited
- [ ] Box No. VII Certain defects in the international application
- [ ] Box No. VIII Certain observations on the international application

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Name and mailing address of the ISA/KR	Date of completion of this opinion	Authorized officer
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International application No.
PCT/US2014/011427

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Box No. V Reasoned statement under Rule 43bis.1(a)(i) with regard to novelty, inventive step or industrial applicability; citations and explanations supporting such statement

1. Statement

Novelty (N)	Claims	1-24	YES
	Claims	NONE	NO
Inventive step (IS)	Claims	NONE	YES
	Claims	1-24	NO
Industrial applicability (IA)	Claims	1-24	YES
	Claims	NONE	NO

2. Citations and explanations :

Reference is made to the following document:

D1: US 2010-0125911 A1 (PRAKASH BHASKARAN) 20 May 2010

2.1 Novelty and Inventive Step (PCT Article 33(2) and (3))

2.1.1 Claims 1-12

D1, which is considered to be the closest prior art to the subject matter of independent claim 1, discloses a method comprising: storing predefined rules in a rule database of a risk management server (see claim 11); storing security policies of an organization for users and user groups of the organization in a policy database (see claim 13), wherein the security policies comprise definitions and rules to be followed by the users in the organization enforced by a security client application (see paragraph 33); and using an generated end risk score for identifying violations of said security policies of the organization by the user (see claim 2).

The subject matter of claim 1 differs from that of D1 in that a method of claim 1 comprises identifying, using at least one assessment policy, a runtime risk for an application or a device, wherein the identified runtime risk identifies and predicts a specific type of threat. However, this feature is virtually suggested by the same document considering that the method of D1 comprises determining a risk involved in activities, for example, information technology (IT) activities performed by a user of resources of an organization at desktops and other endpoints, for determining compliance with the security policies, and for identifying violations of the security policies (see paragraph 12). Therefore, a person skilled in the art would easily conceive the idea of employing the feature of identifying the runtime risk for the application or a device. Accordingly, claim 1 would have been obvious over D1. Therefore, claim 1 lacks an inventive step under PCT Article 33(3).

Claim 2, dependent on claim 1, specifies that a user action is any form of explicit input

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from a user of a computing system. The additional feature is known from D1 (the security client application tracks every activity performed by the user on the computing device: see paragraph 38). Therefore, claim 2 lacks an inventive step under PCT Article 33(3).

Claims 3-4, dependent on claim 1, specify an application action and a system action. The additional feature is known from D1 (the tracked activities further comprise use of electronic mails, peer to peer applications, web uploads, web downloads, changes to system configuration, use of removable storage devices, clipboard activities, print and screenshot activities, file sharing activities, keyboard usage, mouse click events, etc.: see paragraph 38). Therefore, claims 3-4 lack an inventive step under PCT Article 33(3).

Claim 5, dependent on claim 1, specifies that a first action of at least two performed actions is performed at a first time, and a second action of the at least two performed actions is performed at a second time. The additional feature is known from D1 (sequence of the tracked activities, and patterns of the tracked activities within a time frame: see paragraph 13). Therefore, claim 5 lacks an inventive step under PCT Article 33(3).

Claims 6-8, dependent on claim 5, specify the first action and the second action. The additional feature is known from D1 (for Jack's activities on Apr. 8, 2008, Jack is assigned 10 points for launching "services.msc", 10 points for stopping the antivirus service, 5 points for launching instant messaging (IM) application using Skype, 5 points for launching the outlook application, 10 points for downloading attachments using peer-to-peer (P2P) application, 10 points for restarting the antivirus service, and 10 points for launching the web browser: see paragraph 82, figure 11H). Therefore, claims 6-8 lack an inventive step under PCT Article 33(3).

Claim 9, dependent on claim 1, specifies an action sequence. The additional feature is known from D1 (for Jack's activities on Apr. 7, 2008, Jack is assigned 10 points for inserting a USB storage device, 5 points for launching word application, 5 points for sending an instant message (IM) application using Skype, 5 points for launching outlook, 5 points for copying file 1 to the USB storage device, 5 points for copying file 2 to the USB storage device, and 10 points for removing the USB storage device: see paragraph 81, figure 11G). Therefore, claim 9 lacks an inventive step under PCT Article 33(3).

Claim 10, dependent on claim 1, specifies that the runtime risk is identified based on

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matching rules and probabilistic weights and scores. The additional feature is known from D1 (since there is a match between Jack's activities and the sequence 1, a first level modification is performed; see paragraph 74). Therefore, claim 10 lacks an inventive step under PCT Article 33(3).

Claim 11, dependent on claim 1, specifies that the runtime risk is identified based on time proximity of the at least two performed actions of the action sequence and natural affinity inferred between the at least two performed actions. The additional feature is known from D1 (modifying the assigned points at a second level based on date and time of the tracked activities; see claim 5). Therefore, claim 11 lacks an inventive step under PCT Article 33(3).

Claim 12, dependent on claim 1, specifies assessing, by a processing device, that at least two performed actions of the action sequence describe a forensic chain of events based on a plurality of factors. The additional feature is known from D1 (modifying the assigned points at a first level based on one of sequences and patterns of the tracked activities; see claim 5). Therefore, claim 12 lacks an inventive step under PCT Article 33(3).

2.1.2 Claims 13-24

Claim 13 relates to a system in accordance with claim 1 relating to a method. As the features of claim 13 essentially correspond to those of claim 1 except for the category of invention, the same reasoning as in claim 1 applies to claim 13. Therefore, independent claim 13 lacks an inventive step under PCT Article 33(3).

The features of claims 14-24 essentially correspond to those of claims 2-12. Therefore, the same reasoning as in claims 2-12 applies to claims 14-24. Therefore, claims 14-24 lack an inventive step under PCT Article 33(3).

2.2 Industrial Applicability (PCT Article 33(4))

Claims 1-24 are industrially applicable under PCT Article 33(4).

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	First Named Inventor	Kumar, Srinivas
	Art Unit	2493
	Examiner Name	PATEL, HARESH N
	Attorney Docket Number	0079152-000017

CERTIFICATION STATEMENT

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☒ The fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17 (p) has been submitted herewith.

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Signature	/Derek P. Benke/	Date (YYYY-MM-DD)	2014-07-10
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This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 1 hour to complete, including gathering, preparing and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. **SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.**

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DECISION ON PETITION
UNDER CFR 1.313(c)(2)

Application No : 13741878

Filed : 15-Jan-2013

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This is an electronic decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.313(c)(2), filed July 10, 2014 , to withdraw the above-identified application from issue after payment of the issue fee.

The petition is **GRANTED.**

The above-identified application is withdrawn from issue for consideration of a submission under 37 CFR 1.114 (request for continued examination). See 37 CFR 1.313(c)(2).

Petitioner is advised that the issue fee paid in this application cannot be refunded. If, however, this application is again allowed, petitioner may request that it be applied towards the issue fee required by the new Notice of Allowance.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to the Patent Electronic Business Center (EBC) at 866-217-9197.

This application file is being referred to Technology Center AU 2493 for processing of the request for continuing examination under 37 CFR 1.114 .

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Electronic Petition Request	**PETITION TO WITHDRAW AN APPLICATION FROM ISSUE AFTER PAYMENT OF THE ISSUE FEE UNDER 37 CFR 1.313(c)**
Application Number	13741878
Filing Date	15-Jan-2013
First Named Inventor	Srinivas KUMAR
Art Unit	2493
Examiner Name	HARESH PATEL
Attorney Docket Number	0079152-000017
Title	RUNTIME RISK DETECTION BASED ON USER, APPLICATION, AND SYSTEM ACTION SEQUENCE CORRELATION

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APPLICANT HEREBY PETITIONS TO WITHDRAW THIS APPLICATION FROM ISSUE UNDER 37 CFR 1.313(c).

A grantable petition requires the following items:
(1) Petition fee; and
(2) One of the following reasons:
(a) Unpatentability of one or more claims, which must be accompanied by an unequivocal statement that one or more claims are unpatentable, an amendment to such claim or claims, and an explanation as to how the amendment causes such claim or claims to be patentable;
(b) Consideration of a request for continued examination in compliance with § 1.114 (for a utility or plant application only); or
(c) Express abandonment of the application. Such express abandonment may be in favor of a continuing application, but not a CPA under 37 CFR 1.53(d).

Petition Fee

◉	Small Entity
○	Micro Entity
○	Regular Undiscounted

Reason for withdrawal from issue

◯ One or more claims are unpatentable ◉ Consideration of a request for continued examination (RCE) (List of Required Documents and Fees) ◯ Applicant hereby expressly abandons the instant application (any attorney/agent signing for this reason must have power of attorney pursuant to 37 CFR 1.32(b)).
RCE request,submission, and fee. ☐ I certify, in accordance with 37 CFR 1.4(d)(4) that : The RCE request ,submission, and fee have already been filed in the above-identified application on ☒ Are attached.
THIS PORTION MUST BE COMPLETED BY THE SIGNATORY OR SIGNATORIES I certify, in accordance with 37 CFR 1.4(d)(4) that I am: ◯ An attorney or agent registered to practice before the Patent and Trademark Office who has been given power of attorney in this application. ◉ An attorney or agent registered to practice before the Patent and Trademark Office, acting in a representative capacity. ◯ A sole inventor ◯ A joint inventor; I certify that I am authorized to sign this submission on behalf of all of the inventors as evidenced by the power of attorney in the application ◯ A joint inventor; all of whom are signing this e-petition

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(application filed on or after May 29, 2000)

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APPLICANT(s) (Please see PAIR WEB site http://pair.uspto.gov for additional applicants):

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TITLE OF INVENTION: RUNTIME RISK DETECTION BASED ON USER, APPLICATION, AND SYSTEM ACTION SEQUENCE CORRELATION

APPLN. TYPE	ENTITY STATUS	ISSUE FEE DUE	PUBLICATION FEE DUE	PREV. PAID ISSUE FEE	TOTAL FEE(S) DUE	DATE DUE
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13/741,878	01/15/2013	Srinivas KUMAR	0079152-000017	4039

TITLE OF INVENTION: RUNTIME RISK DETECTION BASED ON USER, APPLICATION, AND SYSTEM ACTION SEQUENCE CORRELATION

APPLN. TYPE	ENTITY STATUS	ISSUE FEE DUE	PUBLICATION FEE DUE	PREV. PAID ISSUE FEE	TOTAL FEE(S) DUE	DATE DUE
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Notice of Allowability	Application No. 13/741,878	Applicant(s) KUMAR, SRINIVAS	
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Primary Examiner, Art Unit 2493

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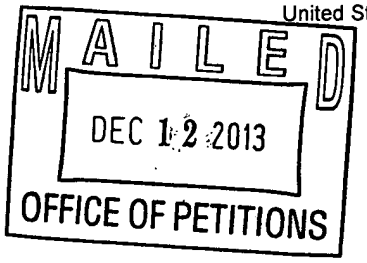
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Decision Granting Request for Prioritized Examination (Track I or After RCE)	Application No.: 13/741,878

1. THE REQUEST FILED December 5, 2013 IS **GRANTED.**

The above-identified application has met the requirements for prioritized examination

A. ☐ for an original nonprovisional application (Track I).
B. ☒ for an application undergoing continued examination (RCE).

2. **The above-identified application will undergo prioritized examination.** The application will be accorded special status throughout its entire course of prosecution until one of the following occurs:

A. filing a **petition for extension of time** to extend the time period for filing a reply;
B. filing an **amendment to amend the application to contain more than four independent claims, more than thirty total claims**, or a multiple dependent claim;
C. filing a **request for continued examination**;
D. filing a notice of appeal;
E. filing a request for suspension of action;
F. mailing of a notice of allowance;
G. mailing of a final Office action;
H. completion of examination as defined in 37 CFR 41.102; or
I. abandonment of the application.

Telephone inquiries with regard to this decision should be directed to Brian W. Brown at 571-272-5338.

/Brian W. Brown/
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CERTIFICATION AND REQUEST FOR PRIORITIZED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.102(e) (Page 1 of 1)

First Named Inventor:	Kumar, Srinivas	Nonprovisional Application Number (if known):	13/741,878
Title of Invention:	System for and a Method of Cognitive Behavior Recognition		

APPLICANT HEREBY CERTIFIES THE FOLLOWING AND REQUESTS PRIORITIZED EXAMINATION FOR THE ABOVE-IDENTIFIED APPLICATION.

1. The processing fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(i), the prioritized examination fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(c), and if not already paid, the publication fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.18(d) have been filed with the request. The basic filing fee, search fee, examination fee, and any required excess claims and application size fees are filed with the request or have been already been paid.

2. The application contains or is amended to contain no more than four independent claims and no more than thirty total claims, and no multiple dependent claims.

3. The applicable box is checked below:

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i. (a) The application is an original nonprovisional utility application filed under 35 U.S.C. 111(a). This certification and request is being filed with the utility application via EFS-Web.

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(b) The application is an original nonprovisional plant application filed under 35 U.S.C. 111(a). This certification and request is being filed with the plant application in paper.

ii. An executed oath or declaration under 37 CFR 1.63 is filed with the application.

II. ☑ Request for Continued Examination - Prioritized Examination under § 1.102(e)(2)

i. A request for continued examination has been filed with, or prior to, this form.
ii. If the application is a utility application, this certification and request is being filed via EFS-Web.
iii. The application is an original nonprovisional utility application filed under 35 U.S.C. 111(a), or is a national stage entry under 35 U.S.C. 371.
iv. This certification and request is being filed prior to the mailing of a first Office action responsive to the request for continued examination.
v. No prior request for continued examination has been granted prioritized examination status under 37 CFR 1.102(e)(2).

Signature /Derek P. Benke/	Date December 5, 2013
Name (Print/Typed) Derek P. Benke	Practitioner Registration Number 56,944

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Application Number **13/741,878**	Filed **January 15, 2013**
For **System for and a Method of Cognitive Behavior Recognition**	
Art Unit **2493**	Examiner **Patel, Haresh N**

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below):

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☒ One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	$200	$100	$50	$ 100.00
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☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

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☐ The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.

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/Derek P. Benke/	December 5, 2013
Signature	Date
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Application Number	**13/741,878**
Filing Date	**January 15, 2013**
First Named Inventor	**Kumar, Srinivas**
Art Unit	**2493**
Examiner Name	**Patel, Haresh N**
Attorney Docket Number	**0079152-000017-T1**

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.
Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 CFR 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application. See Instruction Sheet for RCEs (not to be submitted to the USPTO) on page 2.

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. 1.114 Note: If the RCE is proper, any previously filed unentered amendments and amendments enclosed with the RCE will be entered in the order in which they were filed unless applicant instructs otherwise. If applicant does not wish to have any previously filed unentered amendment(s) entered, applicant must request non-entry of such amendment(s).
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     - i ☒ Consider the arguments in the Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on November 12, 2013
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     - iv. ☐ Other _____

2. Miscellaneous
   - a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. 1.103(c) for a period of _____ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(i) required)
   - b. ☐ Other _____

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All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

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Date of Interview: *08 November 2013*.

Type: ☒ Telephonic ☐ Video Conference
☐ Personal [copy given to: ☐ applicant ☐ applicant's representative]

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If Yes, brief description: _____.

Issues Discussed ☐101 ☐112 ☒102 ☐103 ☐Others
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Identification of prior art discussed: *Basavapatna et al. 2013/0096980* .

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Advisory Action Before the Filing of an Appeal Brief	**Application No.** 13/741,878	**Applicant(s)** KUMAR, SRINIVAS	
	Examiner HARESH N. PATEL	**Art Unit** 2493	**AIA (First Inventor to File) Status** No

--The MAILING DATE of this communication appears on the cover sheet with the correspondence address --

THE REPLY FILED 12 November 2013 FAILS TO PLACE THIS APPLICATION IN CONDITION FOR ALLOWANCE.

NO NOTICE OF APPEAL FILED

1. ☒ The reply was filed after a final rejection. No Notice of Appeal has been filed. To avoid abandonment of this application, applicant must timely file one of the following replies: (1) an amendment, affidavit, or other evidence, which places the application in condition for allowance; (2) a Notice of Appeal (with appeal fee) in compliance with 37 CFR 41.31; or (3) a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) in compliance with 37 CFR 1.114 if this is a utility or plant application. Note that RCEs are not permitted in design applications. The reply must be filed within one of the following time periods:
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   c) ☐ A prior Advisory Action was mailed more than 3 months after the mailing date of the final rejection in response to a first after-final reply filed within 2 months of the mailing date of the final rejection. The current period for reply expires months from the mailing date of *the prior Advisory Action* or SIX MONTHS from the mailing date of the final rejection, whichever is earlier.

   Examiner Note: If box 1 is checked, check either box (a), (b) or (c). ONLY CHECK BOX (b) WHEN THIS ADVISORY ACTION IS THE FIRST RESPONSE TO APPLICANT'S FIRST AFTER-FINAL REPLY WHICH WAS FILED WITHIN TWO MONTHS OF THE FINAL REJECTION. ONLY CHECK BOX (c) IN THE LIMITED SITUATION SET FORTH UNDER BOX (c). See MPEP 706.07(f).

Extensions of time may be obtained under 37 CFR 1.136(a). The date on which the petition under 37 CFR 1.136(a) and the appropriate extension fee have been filed is the date for purposes of determining the period of extension and the corresponding amount of the fee. The appropriate extension fee under 37 CFR 1.17(a) is calculated from: (1) the expiration date of the shortened statutory period for reply originally set in the final Office action; or (2) as set forth in (b) or (c) above, if checked. Any reply received by the Office later than three months after the mailing date of the final rejection, even if timely filed, may reduce any earned patent term adjustment. See 37 CFR 1.704(b).

NOTICE OF APPEAL

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AMENDMENTS

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   a) ☒ They raise new issues that would require further consideration and/or search (see NOTE below);
   b) ☐ They raise the issue of new matter (see NOTE below);
   c) ☐ They are not deemed to place the application in better form for appeal by materially reducing or simplifying the issues for appeal; and/or
   d) ☐ They present additional claims without canceling a corresponding number of finally rejected claims.

   NOTE: *See Continuation Sheet*. (See 37 CFR 1.116 and 41.33(a)).
4. ☐ The amendments are not in compliance with 37 CFR 1.121. See attached Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment (PTOL-324).
5. ☐ Applicant's reply has overcome the following rejection(s): _____.
6. ☐ Newly proposed or amended claim(s) _____ would be allowable if submitted in a separate, timely filed amendment canceling the non-allowable claim(s).
7. ☒ For purposes of appeal, the proposed amendment(s): (a) ☒ will not be entered, or (b) ☐ will be entered, and an explanation of how the new or amended claims would be rejected is provided below or appended.

AFFIDAVIT OR OTHER EVIDENCE

8. ☐ A declaration(s)/affidavit(s) under **37 CFR 1.130(b)** was/were filed on _____.
9. ☐ The affidavit or other evidence filed after final action, but before or on the date of filing a Notice of Appeal will not be entered because applicant failed to provide a showing of good and sufficient reasons why the affidavit or other evidence is necessary and was not earlier presented. See 37 CFR 1.116(e).
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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION/OTHER

12. ☐ The request for reconsideration has been considered but does NOT place the application in condition for allowance because: _____.
13. ☐ Note the attached Information *Disclosure Statement*(s). (PTO/SB/08) Paper No(s). _____
14. ☐ Other: _____.

STATUS OF CLAIMS

15. The status of the claim(s) is (or will be) as follows:
    Claim(s) allowed: .
    Claim(s) objected to: .
    Claim(s) rejected: 1-22.
    Claim(s) withdrawn from consideration: .

/HARESH N PATEL/
Primary Examiner, Art Unit 2493

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Continuation of 3. NOTE: the claims 1-24 are rejected with the cited prior arts of the final office action, dated 8/15/13. Applicant proposed amending the rejected claimed subject matter, with additional limitations, for example, identifying by a runtime monitor a behavior score, etc, which require further consideration and/or search.

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

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Madam:

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AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

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storing, in a rules database, a plurality of rules, wherein each rule identifies an action sequence;

storing, in a policy database, a plurality of assessment policies, wherein each assessment policy includes at least one rule of the plurality of rules;

identifying, using at least one assessment policy, a runtime risk for an application program that executes on a device, wherein the identified runtime risk indicates a risk or threat of the identified action sequence of the application ~~identifies and predicts a specific type of threat~~; and

identifying, by a runtime monitor including a processing device, a behavior score for the application program that executes on the device based on the identified runtime risk, wherein

the action sequence is a sequence of at least two performed actions, and

each performed action is at least one of: a user action, an application action, and a system action.

2. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the user action is any form of explicit input from a user of a computing system.

3. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the application action is any activity performed by the application initiated programmatically by a task in execution of a computing system.

4. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the system action is any operation performed by a computing system on behalf of, or as a consequence of, a user action or application action that changes the state of the computing system.

5. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein a first action of the at least two performed actions is performed at a first time, and the second action of the at least two performed actions is performed at a second time.

6. (Original) The method of claim 5, wherein

the first action is a user action,

the second action is a system action, and

the second time occurs after the first time.

7. (Original) The method of claim 5, wherein

the first action is a user action,

the second action is an application action, and

the second time occurs after the first time.

8. (Original) The method of claim 5, wherein

the first action is an application action,

the second action is a system action, and

the second time occurs after the first time.

9. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein

the action sequence includes three performed actions,

a first action of the three performed actions is a user action,

a second action of the three performed actions is an application action,

a third action of the three performed actions is a system action,

the second action is performed temporally after the first action, and

the third action is performed temporally after the second action.

10. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the runtime risk is identified based on matching rules and probabilistic weights and scores of performed actions on the device.

11. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the runtime risk is identified based on time proximity of the at least two performed actions of the action sequence and natural affinity inferred between the at least two performed actions.

12. (Original) The method of claim 1, further comprising:

assessing, by the processing device, that the at least two performed actions of the action sequence describe a forensic chain of events based on a plurality of factors,

wherein the plurality of factors includes at least one of: ordered sequences, unordered sequences, proximity analysis, outliers, probabilistic weights and scores, and probable action inferences based on an application's competency.

13. (Currently Amended) A system for assessing runtime risk for an application program that executes on a device, comprising:

a rules database storing ~~configured to store~~ a plurality of rules, wherein each rule identifies an action sequence;

a policy database storing ~~configured to store~~ a plurality of assessment policies, wherein each assessment policy includes at least one rule of the plurality of rules; and

a runtime monitor including a processing device ~~configured to~~

identifying ~~identify~~, using at least one assessment policy, a runtime risk for an application program that executes on a device, wherein the identified runtime risk indicates a risk or threat of the identified action sequence of the application ~~identifies and predicts a specific type of threat~~, and

identifying ~~identify~~ a behavior score for the application program that executes on the device based on the identified runtime risk, wherein

the action sequence is a sequence of at least two performed actions, and

each performed action is at least one of: a user action, an application action, and a system action.

14. (Original) The system of claim 13, wherein the user action is any form of explicit input from a user of a computing system.

15. (Original) The system of claim 13, wherein the application action is any activity performed by the application initiated programmatically by a task in execution of a computing system.

16. (Original) The system of claim 13, wherein the system action is any operation performed by a computing system on behalf of, or as a consequence of, a user action or application action that changes the state of the computing system.

17. (Original) The system of claim 13, wherein a first action of the at least two performed actions is performed at a first time, and the second action of the at least two performed actions is performed at a second time.

18. (Original) The system of claim 17, wherein

the first action is a user action,

the second action is a system action, and

the second time occurs after the first time.

19. (Original) The system of claim 17, wherein

the first action is a user action,

the second action is an application action, and

the second time occurs after the first time.

20. (Original) The system of claim 17, wherein

the first action is an application action,

the second action is a system action, and

the second time occurs after the first time.

21. (Original) The system of claim 13, wherein

the action sequence includes three performed actions,

a first action of the three performed actions is a user action,

a second action of the three performed actions is an application action,

a third action of the three performed actions is a system action,

the second action is performed temporally after the first action, and

the third action is performed temporally after the second action.

22. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 13, wherein the runtime risk is identified based on matching rules and probabilistic weights and scores of performed actions on the device.

23. (Original) The system of claim 13, wherein the runtime risk is identified based on time proximity of the at least two performed actions of the action sequence and natural affinity inferred between the at least two performed actions.

24. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 13, wherein

the processing device assesses ~~is further configured to assess~~ that the at least two performed actions of the action sequence describe a forensic chain of events based on a plurality of factors, and

the plurality of factors includes at least one of: ordered sequences, unordered sequences, proximity analysis, outliers, probabilistic weights and scores, and probable action inferences based on an application's competency.

AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS:

The attached drawing sheet includes changes to Fig. 1. This sheet, which includes Fig. 1, replaces the original sheet including Fig. 1.

1 Replacement Sheet

REMARKS

Favorable reconsideration of this application as presently amended, and in light of the following discussion, is respectfully requested.

Claims 1-24 are pending in this application, Claims 1, 13, and 24 having been presently amended. Support for amended Claims 1, 13, and 24 can be found, for example, in the claims, drawings, and specification as originally filed.[1] No new matter has been added.

In the outstanding Office Action, the drawings and claims were objected to due to informalities; Claims 1-24 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 112, first paragraph; Claims 1-5, 10-17, and 22-24 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. §102(b) as allegedly anticipated by Basavapatna et al. (U.S. Patent Publication No. 2013/0096980; hereinafter "Basavapatna"); and Claims 6-9 and 18-21 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. §103(a) as allegedly unpatentable over Basavapatna.

Applicants acknowledge with appreciation the courtesy of Examiner Patel in granting an interview in this case with the Applicant and Applicant's representative on November 8, 2013, during which time the issues in the outstanding Office Action were discussed as substantially summarized hereinafter and also on the Interview Summary Sheet. During the interview, the drawing objection to Figure 1 was first discussed, and Applicant's representative proposed amending Figure 1 so that "Runtime Monitor," "Rules Database," and "Policy Database" are "Application Runtime Monitor," "Action Sequence Rules Database," and "Assessment Policy Database," respectively. The Examiner indicated that the proposed changes to Figure 1 would likely overcome this issue. Accordingly, this response amends Figure 1 as discussed during the interview.

[1] See paragraph [0031] of the specification.

Next, the objection to Claim 13 was discussed, and the Examiner recommended amending the phrase "configured to store" to be "storing." Claim 13 has been amended in accordance with this suggestion. The phrase "configured to identify" is amended in a similar manner. Thus, Applicant respectfully requests that this objection be withdrawn.

The 35 U.S.C. § 112, first paragraph, rejection was discussed next, and a proposed amendment to Claim 1 was presented. Specifically, Applicant's representative proposed amending Claim 1 to recite that "the identified runtime risk indicates a risk or threat of the identified action sequence of the application." The Examiner stated that this amendment would overcome the 35 U.S.C. § 112, first paragraph, rejection. In light of this indication, we have amended Claim 1 to include the proposed amendment discussed during the interview.

Lastly, the art rejections were discussed during the interview, and Applicant's representative explained how the cited reference fails to teach or suggest "identifying, using at least one assessment policy, a runtime risk for an application program that executes on a device, wherein the identified runtime risk indicates a risk or threat of the identified action sequence of the application," as in Claim 1. The Examiner stated that he needs to more fully consider the amendment and our arguments upon the submission of a formal response.

In response to the rejections under 35 U.S.C. §§ 102 and 103, Applicant respectfully submits that amended Claim 1 recites novel features not taught or rendered obvious by the applied reference.

Amended Claim 1 is directed to a method for assessing runtime risk for an application program that executes on a device, including:

> storing, in a rules database, a plurality of rules, wherein each rule identifies an action sequence;

storing, in a policy database, a plurality of assessment policies, wherein each assessment policy includes at least one rule of the plurality of rules;

identifying, using at least one assessment policy, a runtime risk for an application program that executes on a device, wherein the identified runtime risk indicates a risk or threat of the identified action sequence of the application; and

identifying, by a runtime monitor including a processing device, a behavior score for the application program that executes on the device based on the identified runtime risk, wherein

the action sequence is a sequence of at least two performed actions, and

each performed action is at least one of: a user action, an application action, and a system action.

Independent Claim 13, although varying in claim scope and/or statutory class, recites substantially similar features as Claim 1. Thus, the arguments presented below with respect to Claim 1 are also applicable to independent Claim 13.

The claims of the present application are directed towards a method and system for assessing the runtime risk of an application program that executes on a device. To achieve this assessment, rules that identify ***action sequences*** of actions performed by users, applications, or systems are used in assessment policies, which identify a runtime risk for an application program that executes on a device, and ***the identified runtime risk indicates a risk or threat of the identified action sequence of the application***. Basavapatna, on the other hand, is directed towards testing potential countermeasures against ***known*** vulnerabilities of systems (Abstract and paras. [0003] and [0011]). Basavapatna does not identify action sequences as part of the risk assessment, but instead uses countermeasures that have been deployed. Basavapatna also does

not identify a risk or threat of the identified action sequence of the application, but instead assesses risk associated with known vulnerabilities.

Accordingly, Basavapatna fails to teach or suggest "identifying, using at least one assessment policy, a runtime risk for an application program that executes on a device, wherein the identified runtime risk indicates a risk or threat of the identified action sequence of the application," as explained during the interview.

In addition, Applicant respectfully submits that Basavapatna fails to teach or suggest "identifying, by a runtime monitor including a processing device, a behavior score for the application program that executes on the device based on the identified runtime risk, wherein the action sequence is a sequence of at least two performed actions, and each performed action is at least one of: a user action, an application action, and a system action." as recited in Claim 1.

Paragraphs [0052-0054] of Basavapatna describe the calculation of a risk score based on the assessment of the countermeasures against the vulnerability. Nowhere does Basavapatna disclose a rules database including a plurality of rules that identifies an ***action sequence***, as recited in the claims. Instead, the rules in Basavapatna merely define a countermeasure, which are security tools and safeguards designed to protect against known vulnerabilities (para. [0003]).

Furthermore, not only does Basavapatna fail to teach or suggest the rules identifying action sequences, Basavapatna also fails to disclose or suggest action sequences generally. Basavapatna does not teach or suggest any ***sequence of performed actions***, let alone a sequence of performed actions where the performed actions are at least one of a user action, an application action, and a system action, as recited in the claims. Thus, Basavapatna only assesses risk for systems based on countermeasures put into place as selected and defined by the user. The presently claimed invention, on the other hand, assesses risk of action sequences performed by

the user, applications, or the system, and thus can act as a runtime monitor that, in real-time, correlates action sequences to detect threats. As the presently recited systems and methods do not rely on known vulnerabilities, they may offer stronger protection against threats and more accurate risk assessments.

Thus, Applicant respectfully submits that amended independent Claims 1 and 13 (and all claims depending thereon) patentably distinguish over Basavapatna.

Accordingly, Applicant respectfully requests that the rejections under 35 U.S.C. §§ 102 and 103 be withdrawn.

Consequently, in view of the present amendment, and in light of the above discussion, the pending claims as presented herewith are believed to be in condition for formal allowance, and an early and favorable action to that effect is respectfully requested.

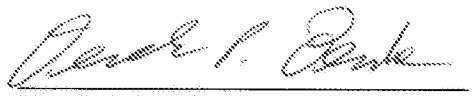
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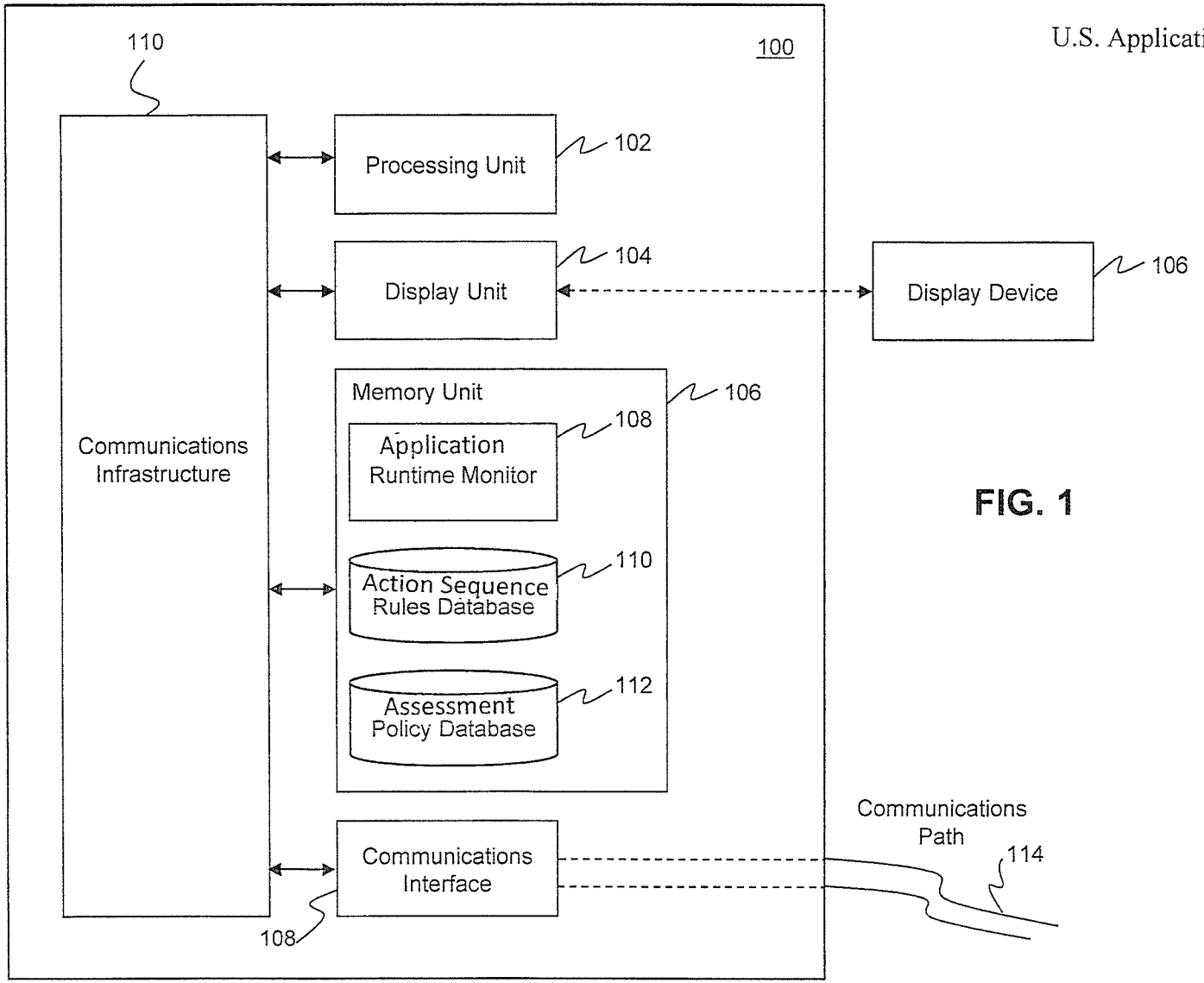


FIG. 1

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3)☐ An election was made by the applicant in response to a restriction requirement set forth during the interview on _____; the restriction requirement and election have been incorporated into this action.

4)☐ Since this application is in condition for allowance except for formal matters, prosecution as to the merits is closed in accordance with the practice under *Ex parte Quayle*, 1935 C.D. 11, 453 O.G. 213.

Disposition of Claims

5)☒ Claim(s) *1-24* is/are pending in the application.

5a) Of the above claim(s) _____ is/are withdrawn from consideration.

6)☐ Claim(s) _____ is/are allowed.

7)☒ Claim(s) *1-24* is/are rejected.

8)☐ Claim(s) _____ is/are objected to.

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10)☐ The specification is objected to by the Examiner.

11)☒ The drawing(s) filed on *15 January 2013* is/are: a)☐ accepted or b)☒ objected to by the Examiner.

Applicant may not request that any objection to the drawing(s) be held in abeyance. See 37 CFR 1.85(a).

Replacement drawing sheet(s) including the correction is required if the drawing(s) is objected to. See 37 CFR 1.121(d).

Priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119

12)☐ Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or (f).

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DETAILED ACTION

1. Claims 1-24 are subject to examination.

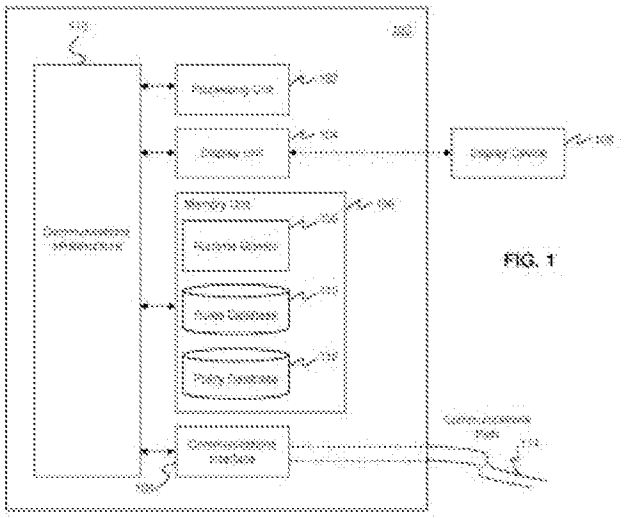
Specification

2. Applicant's amendment to the title paper dated 6/7/13 is acknowledged.

Drawings

3. The figures submitted on 1/15/13 and 6/7/13 are noted.

4. Figure 1 should be designated by a legend such as --Prior Art-- because only that which is old is illustrated. See MPEP § 608.02(g).



The drawings are objected to under 37 CFR 1.83(a). The drawings must show every feature of the invention specified in the claims. Applicant's remarks dated 6/7/13, … Applicant respectfully submits that Figure 1 does not illustrate prior art, but instead illustrates a high level architecture

of a system configured to assess the runtime risk of an application or device and identify a behavior scored based on the assessed runtime risk in accordance with the present disclosure. See paragraph [0014] of the originally… are noted. As per the prosecution history, the figure 1 merely recites system that is well-known in the art, and the figure 1 does not "assess the runtime risk of an application or device and identify a behavior scored based on the assessed runtime risk in accordance with the present disclosure" as mentioned in the remarks. Applicant is advised to employ the services of a competent patent draftsperson outside the Office, as the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office no longer prepares new drawings. A proposed drawing correction or corrected drawings are required in reply to the Office action to avoid abandonment of the application. The objection to the drawings will not be held in abeyance. The amended replacement drawing sheet should include all of the figures appearing on the immediate prior version of the sheet, even if only one figure is being amended. The replacement sheet(s) should be labeled --Replacement Sheet-- in the page header (as per 37 CFR 1.84(c)) so as not to obstruct any portion of the drawing figures. If the examiner does not accept the changes, the applicant will be notified and informed of any required corrective action in the next Office action.

Claim Objections

Applicant's remarks dated 6/7/13, Applicant respectfully submits that the recitation "configured to" recited in claims 13 and 24 recites required functionality of the corresponding devices suitable for enabling the system to assess runtime risk for an application or device, as claimed., are acknowledged.

Claim Limitation Interpreted under 35 USC § 112, Sixth Paragraph

Claim 13 limitations "rules database configured to", "policy database configured to", "processing device configured to" have been interpreted under 35 U.S.C. 112, sixth paragraph, because it uses a non-structural term "rules database", "policy database", "processing device", coupled with functional language "configured to" without reciting sufficient structure to achieve the function. Furthermore, the non-structural term is not preceded by a structural modifier.

Since this claim limitation invokes 35 U.S.C. 112, sixth paragraph, claim 13 is interpreted to cover the corresponding structure described in the specification that achieves the claimed function, and equivalents thereof.

A review of the specification shows that the following appears to be the corresponding structure described in the specification for the 35 U.S.C. 112, sixth paragraph limitation: figure 1 and figure 1 description containing structural elements for "rules database configured to", "policy database configured to", and "processing device configured to".

As per prosecution history, the remarks dated 6/7/13 does not provide further explanation or dispute the examiner's interpretation of the corresponding structure, and applicant did not identify the corresponding structure with reference to the specification by page and line number, and to the drawing, if any, by reference characters in response to previous office action.

Regarding, applicants remarks, … Applicant further notes that claim elements that do not include "means for" or "step for" is presumed to not invoke § 112, sixth paragraph … for more information, see *Supplementary Examination Guidelines for Determining Compliance with 35 U.S.C. § 112 and for Treatment of Related Issues in Patent Applications*, 76 FR 7162, 7167 (Feb.

9, 2011). Also, the type of language that invokes 112, 6th is not limited to the words "means for" as explained in MPEP 2181, ed.8, rev. 9, 2012.

Claim Rejections - 35 USC § 112

The following is a quotation of 35 U.S.C. 112(a):
(a) IN GENERAL.—The specification shall contain a written description of the invention, and of the manner and process of making and using it, in such full, clear, concise, and exact terms as to enable any person skilled in the art to which it pertains, or with which it is most nearly connected, to make and use the same, and shall set forth the best mode contemplated by the inventor or joint inventor of carrying out the invention.

The following is a quotation of 35 U.S.C. 112 (pre-AIA), first paragraph:
The specification shall contain a written description of the invention, and of the manner and process of making and using it, in such full, clear, concise, and exact terms as to enable any person skilled in the art to which it pertains, or with which it is most nearly connected, to make and use the same and shall set forth the best mode contemplated by the inventor of carrying out his invention.

Claims 1-24 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 112(a) or 35 U.S.C. 112 (pre-AIA), first paragraph, as based on a disclosure which is not enabling. **"of what"** runtime risk is assessed, "of what" identified runtime risk is identified, "of what" specific type of threat is predicted, and "of what" behavior score is identified, in claims 1 and 13, is critical or essential to the practice of the invention, but not included in the claim(s) is not enabled by the disclosure. See *In re Mayhew*, 527 F.2d 1229, 188 USPQ 356 (CCPA 1976). "runtime risk" etc., are respectively incomplete fragments. Claims 2-12 and 14-24 are dependent claims and subject to same rejections.

As per prosecution history, applicant amended ""of" performed actions of the device" in claim 10 regarding similar rejection. However amended claim 1 is merely amended, "program that executes on a device", which fails to enable **"of what"** runtime risk is assessed, "of what"

identified runtime risk is identified, “of what" specific type of threat is predicted, and “of what" behavior score is identified.

The following is a quotation of 35 U.S.C. 112(b):

(B) CONCLUSION.—The specification shall conclude with one or more claims particularly pointing out and distinctly claiming the subject matter which the inventor or a joint inventor regards as the invention.

The following is a quotation of 35 U.S.C. 112 (pre-AIA), second paragraph:

The specification shall conclude with one or more claims particularly pointing out and distinctly claiming the subject matter which the applicant regards as his invention.

Claims 1-24 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 112(b) or 35 U.S.C. 112 (pre-AIA), second paragraph, as being indefinite for failing to particularly point out and distinctly claim the subject matter which the inventor or a joint inventor, or for pre-AIA the applicant regards as the invention. **“of what"** runtime risk is assessed, “of what" identified runtime risk is identified, “of what" specific type of threat is predicted, and “of what" behavior score is identified, in claims 1 and 13, is being indefinite for failing to particularly point out and distinctly claim the subject matter in the claims. Claims 2-12 and 14-24 are dependent claims and subject to same rejections.

Claim Rejections - 35 USC § 102

5. The following is a quotation of the appropriate paragraphs of 35 U.S.C. 102 that form the basis for the rejections under this section made in this Office action:

> A person shall be entitled to a patent unless –
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> (e) the invention was described in (1) an application for patent, published under section 122(b), by another filed in the United States before the invention by the applicant for patent or (2) a patent granted on an application for patent by another filed in the United States before the invention by the applicant for patent, except that an international application filed under the treaty defined in section 351(a) shall have the effects for purposes of this

subsection of an application filed in the United States only if the international application designated the United States and was published under Article 21(2) of such treaty in the English language.

6. Claims 1-5, 10-17, 22-24 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 102(e) as being anticipated by Basavapatna et al. 2013/0096980 (Hereinafter Basavapatna).

7. Referring to claims 1, 13, Basavapatna-McAfee discloses a system for assessing runtime risk for an application program that executes on a device (e.g., abstract), comprising: a rules database configured to store a plurality of rules, wherein each rule identifies an action sequence (e.g., paragraphs 65, 66); a policy database configured to store a plurality of assessment policies, wherein each assessment policy includes at least one rule of the plurality of rules (e.g., paragraphs 44, 45, 54); and a processing device configured to identify, using at least one assessment policy, a runtime risk for an application program that executes on a device, wherein the identified runtime risk identifies and predicts a specific type of threat (e.g., paragraphs 52-54), and identify a behavior score for the an application program that executes on a device based on the identified runtime risk, wherein the action sequence is a sequence of at least two performed actions (e.g., paragraphs 52-54), and each performed action is at least one of: a user action, an application action, and a system action (e.g., paragraphs 63, 64, figures 2, 4B).

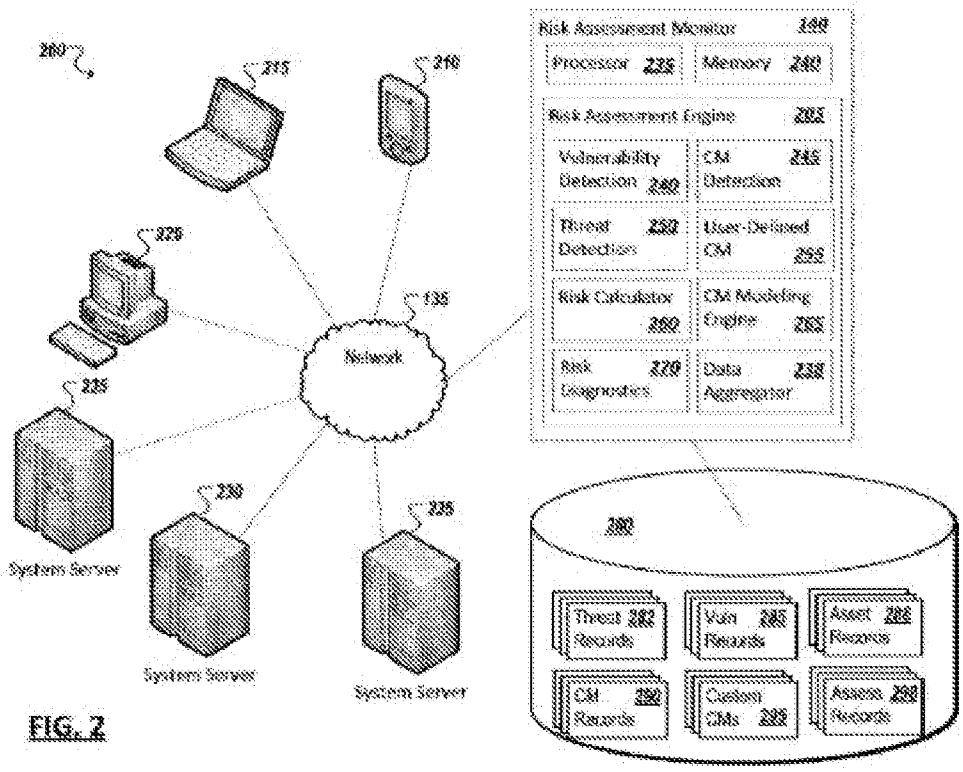

Risk Assessment Monitor 140
Processor 225
Memory 240
Risk Assessment Engine 205
Vulnerability Detection 240
CM Detection 245
Threat Detection 250
User-Defined CM 255
Risk Calculator 260
CM Modeling Engine 262
Risk Diagnostics 270
Data Aggregator 275
Network
System Server
System Server
System Server
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Vuln 285 Records
Asset 288 Records
CM 292 Records
Custom CMs 295
Assets 298 Records

FIG. 2

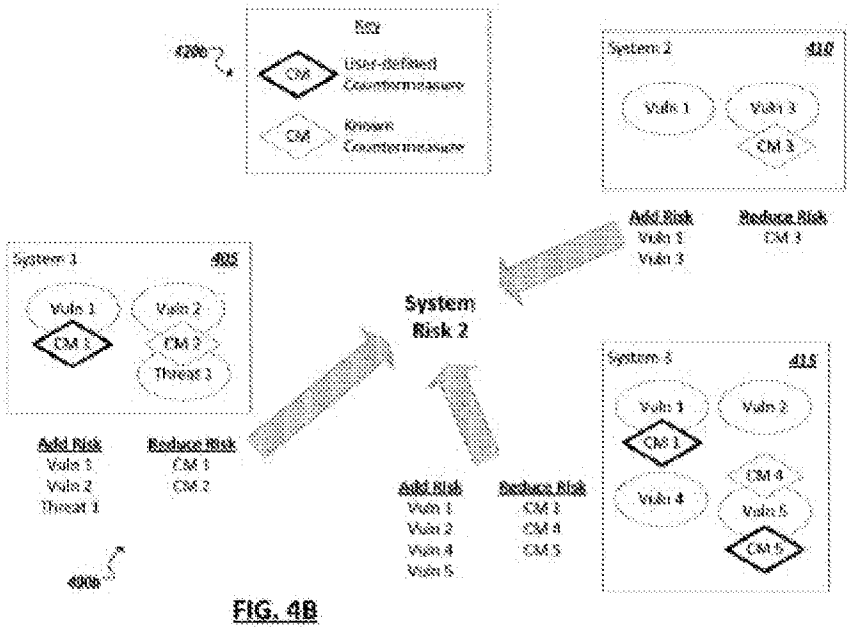

User-Defined Countermeasure
Known Countermeasure
System 2
Vuln 1
Vuln 3
CM 3
Add Risk
Vuln 1
Vuln 3
Reduce Risk
CM 3
System 1
Vuln 1
Vuln 2
CM 1
CM 2
Threat 1
Add Risk
Vuln 1
Vuln 2
Threat 1
Reduce Risk
CM 1
CM 2
System Risk 2
Add Risk
Vuln 1
Vuln 2
Vuln 4
Vuln 5
Reduce Risk
CM 3
CM 4
CM 5
System 3
Vuln 1
Vuln 2
CM 1
Vuln 4
CM 4
Vuln 5
CM 5

FIG. 4B

8. Referring to claims 2, 14, Basavapatna-McAfee discloses the claimed limitations as rejected above. Basavapatna-McAfee also discloses wherein the user action is any form of explicit input from a user of a computing system (e.g., paragraphs 63, 64).

9. Referring to claims 3, 15, Basavapatna-McAfee discloses the claimed limitations as rejected above. Basavapatna-McAfee also discloses wherein the application action is any activity performed by the application initiated programmatically by a task in execution of a computing system (e.g., paragraphs 69, 70).

10. Referring to claims 4, 16, Basavapatna-McAfee discloses the claimed limitations as rejected above. Basavapatna-McAfee also discloses wherein the system action is any operation performed by a computing system on behalf of, or as a consequence of, a user action or application action that changes the state of the computing system (e.g., paragraphs 63, 64).

11. Referring to claims 5, 17, Basavapatna-McAfee discloses the claimed limitations as rejected above. Basavapatna-McAfee also discloses wherein a first action of the at least two performed actions is performed at a first time, and the second action of the at least two performed actions is performed at a second time (e.g., paragraphs 63, 64).

12. Referring to claims 10, 22, Basavapatna-McAfee discloses the claimed limitations as rejected above. Basavapatna-McAfee also discloses wherein the runtime risk is identified based

on matching rules and probabilistic weights and scores of performed actions on the device (e.g., paragraphs 53, 54).

13. Referring to claims 11, 23, Basavapatna-McAfee discloses the claimed limitations as rejected above. Basavapatna-McAfee also discloses wherein the runtime risk is identified based on time proximity of the at least two performed actions of the action sequence and natural affinity inferred between the at least two performed actions (e.g., paragraphs 63, 64).

14. Referring to claims 12, 24, Basavapatna-McAfee discloses the claimed limitations as rejected above. Basavapatna-McAfee also discloses assessing, by the processing device, that the at least two performed actions of the action sequence describe a forensic chain of events based on a plurality of factors, wherein the plurality of factors includes at least one of: ordered sequences, unordered sequences, proximity analysis, outliers, probabilistic weights and scores, and probable action inferences based on an application's competency (e.g., paragraphs 63, 64).

Claim Rejections - 35 USC § 103

15. The following is a quotation of 35 U.S.C. 103(a) which forms the basis for all obviousness rejections set forth in this Office action:

> (a) A patent may not be obtained though the invention is not identically disclosed or described as set forth in section 102 of this title, if the differences between the subject matter sought to be patented and the prior art are such that the subject matter as a whole would have been obvious at the time the invention was made to a person having ordinary skill in the art to which said subject matter pertains. Patentability shall not be negatived by the manner in which the invention was made.

16. Claims 6-9, 18-21 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) as being unpatentable over Basavapatna-McAfee.

17. Referring to claims 6-9, 18-21, Basavapatna-McAfee do not specifically mention about wherein the first action is a user action, the second action is a system action, and the second time occurs after the first time; wherein the first action is a user action, the second action is an application action, and the second time occurs after the first time; the first action is an application action, the second action is a system action, and the second time occurs after the first time; wherein the action sequence includes three performed actions, a first action of the three performed actions is a user action, a second action of the three performed actions is an application action, a third action of the three performed actions is a system action, the second action is performed temporally after the first action, and the third action is performed temporally after the second action. However, since Basavapatna-McAfee does not limit to certain number of actions or certain sequence of actions, it is obvious to one of ordinary skill in the art that Basavapatna-McAfee's system/method is open for different number of actions and different sequence of actions, and because the ability to be adaptive to different number of actions and different sequence of actions enables Basavapatna-McAfee's system/method to be implemented in a wider variety of operating environments. "a person of ordinary skill has good reason to pursue the known options within his or her technical grasp. If the leads to the anticipated success, it is likely the product not of innovation but of ordinary skill and common sense". Therefore, it would have been obvious to one of ordinary skill in the art at the time the invention was made to modify the invention disclosed by Basavapatna-McAfee to implement actions and sequence of actions as claimed in claims 6-9, 18-21 and also one of ordinary skill in the art would have been motivated to do so because it could enhance handling runtime risk of an application and/or device with necessary sequence of actions provided by the user, the application and the system.

All the claimed elements were known in the prior art and one skilled in the art could have combined the elements as claimed by known methods with no change in their respective functions, and the combination would have yielded predictable results to one of ordinary skill in the art at the time of the invention. See KSR International Co. v. Teleflex Inc., 550 U.S. 398, 82 USPQ2d 1385 (2007).

Response to Arguments

18. Applicant's arguments filed 6/7/13, pages 11-19 have been fully considered but they are not persuasive. Therefore, rejection of claims 1-24 is maintained.

Regarding the applicant's concern, Basavapatna does not disclose limitations of claims 1, 13; the examiner respectfully disagrees. As per the cited evidence of the prosecution history, i.e., the relied upon disclosure and the teachings of T Basavapatna BD are not limited as concluded in the remarks. As per the claimed invention of prosecution history, please see claims 1, 13, the claimed rules is **not limited to** any particular rule. The claimed action sequence is **not limited to** any particular action. The claimed action sequence is **not limited to** different actions. The claimed policies is **not limited to** any particular policy. The claimed assessment policy is **not limited to** any particular format. The claimed assessment policy is **not limited to** any particular size. The claimed application program is **not limited to** any particular size, type, format, etc. The claimed device is **not limited to** any particular size, type, etc. The claimed threat is **not limited to** any particular type, etc. The claimed score is **not limited to** any particular value, zero, 100, etc. The claimed performed actions is **not limited to** any particular type, format, etc. Accordingly, Basavapatna discloses the broadly claimed limitations, i.e., please see the cited

portions among other portions of the cited art that not only contain the applicant concerned content of the art but also the relied upon limitations. Basavapatna-McAfee discloses a system for assessing runtime risk for an application program that executes on a device (e.g., abstract), comprising: a rules database configured to store a plurality of rules, wherein each rule identifies an action sequence (e.g., paragraphs 65, 66); a policy database configured to store a plurality of assessment policies, wherein each assessment policy includes at least one rule of the plurality of rules (e.g., paragraphs 44, 45, 54); and a processing device configured to identify, using at least one assessment policy, a runtime risk for an application program that executes on a device, wherein the identified runtime risk identifies and predicts a specific type of threat (e.g., paragraphs 52-54), and identify a behavior score for the an application program that executes on a device based on the identified runtime risk, wherein the action sequence is a sequence of at least two performed actions (e.g., paragraphs 52-54), and each performed action is at least one of: a user action, an application action, and a system action (e.g., paragraphs 63, 64, figures 2, 4B).

[0052] As an example, a risk score can be calculated, for instance, using risk calculator 260 for a particular asset, subsystem, or system that makes use of one or more user-defined countermeasures. Further, administrators can use user-defined countermeasures to model the effect of hypothetical countermeasures within a system, for instance, in connection with countermeasure modeling engine 265. Further, risk diagnostics engine 270 can perform additional analyses of system assets and subsystems characterizing how risk affect a particular system and how countermeasures affect or could potentially affect risk within the system. Assessments, including risk scores, countermeasure modeling, and risk diagnostics, generated using risk assessment engine 205 can be recorded in assessment records stored in data store 280. Assessment records 298 can, in turn, be accessed by other tools, including risk calculator 260, countermeasure modeling engine 265, and risk diagnostics engine 270, and used in subsequent modeling and diagnostic assessments.

[0053] Turning to FIG. 3, example risk score assessments are illustrated in the representation of block diagram 300. Three assets 305, 310, 315 are shown, each with identified, associated vulnerabilities, threats, and/or countermeasures. For instance, it can be identified, for instance, in connection with scanning of asset 305 (e.g., by one or more sensors or security tools)

that vulnerabilities "Vuln 1" and "Vuln 2" are present on the asset 305 and that the asset 305 is exposed to a threat "Threat 1." Further, a countermeasure "CM 1" can be identified on the asset 305. Generally, vulnerabilities (e.g., "Vuln 1" and "Vuln 2") and threats (e.g., "Threat 1") can add to a risk score (e.g., "Score 1") generated for a particular asset 305 (i.e., evidencing higher risk associated with the asset 305), while countermeasures tend to reduce the risk score of the asset. A variety of formulas and algorithms can be employed to determine a risk score, risk profile, or otherwise assess risk of an individual system asset. In some implementations, calculation of a risk score (e.g., "Score 1," "Score 2," "Score 3") can receive as inputs and consider such data as a severity score of an identified threat and/or vulnerability, a likelihood of damage due to an identified vulnerability or threat, a degree to which a countermeasure mitigates against vulnerabilities or threats, a predicted effectiveness of a countermeasure, how configuration data for asset enhances the risk from identified vulnerabilities and threat, how configuration data for the asset enhances the effectiveness of a particular countermeasure, among other examples.

[0054] In some implementations, an aggregate or composite risk score or assessment can be performed by aggregating risk assessment results for assets comprising a particular subsystem or the system itself. For instance, as shown in the simplified illustrative example of FIG. 3, risk scores (e.g., "Score 1," "Score 2," and "Score 3") can be generated for a plurality of assets 305, 310, 315 based on the respective assets' associated configuration data, vulnerabilities, threats, and countermeasures. Further, one of a variety of formulas or algorithms can be applied to aggregate or otherwise consider the composite risk associated with assets 305, 310, 315 operating in a single system or subsystem. For instance, in some examples, a system or aggregate risk score can be aggregated, normalized, or averaged from the component risk scores of the involved assets (e.g., 305, 310, 315), without considering interdependencies of the various assets and corresponding risk profiles. In other instances, an aggregate risk assessment can also consider the extent, if any, to which interactions between and inclusion of a particular set of assets within a particular system or subsystem enhances or diminishes the risk of the individual assets.

[0065] Turning to FIG. 5B, user interface 505 is shown presenting declaration rules window 525. Declaration rules window 525 can present declaration rules that have been created in connection with the definition of user-defined countermeasures in a system. Declaration rules can identify assets that are protected by a countermeasure, vulnerabilities and/or threats that are mitigated by a countermeasure, as well as rules that identify what aspects of a vulnerability or threat are counteracted using the countermeasure, together with the conditions under which the countermeasure is effective or declared. The declaration rules (e.g., 555a-c) presented in declaration rules window 525 can include a subset of rules defined using a user-defined countermeasure engine, including declaration rules of a particular countermeasure or category of countermeasures, or a subset of declaration rules returned in response to a search or filtering of the entire of set of declaration rules within a system (e.g., using search tool 560). Declaration rules within a system can be pre-generated declaration rules, including declaration rules relating to known countermeasures detectable by a risk assessment tool. Declaration rules can further include custom, user-generated declaration rules. For instance, user can define new declaration rules, for instance, by selecting New Rule button 565, as well as edit pre-existing declaration

rules (and create new declaration rules by editing pre-existing declaration rules), for instance by selecting Edit button 570.

[0066] Declaration rules can be enabled (e.g., using button 580), disabled (e.g., using button 575), or invalidated. Enabled rules can be considered live rules that a live deployment of a user-defined countermeasure is employing as the basis of the user-defined countermeasure's operation within the system. Disabled declaration rules are rules that indicate additional functionality of a deployed user-defined countermeasure that are not currently employed by or relevant to the user-defined countermeasure's current deployment within the system. Further, in some implementations, while a system or risk assessment tool may defer to the representations of a user-defined countermeasure's capabilities as defined by a particular user, the system, a risk assessment system, or user-defined countermeasure engine can perform some quality control functions on user-defined countermeasures. For instance, quality control scans can be completed on defined declaration rules for user-defined countermeasures to identify errors in the declaration rules, such as invalid references to assets in the system, vulnerabilities, and threats as well as erroneous attributes of measures that user-defined countermeasures could take to address a particular vulnerability or threat (such as a countermeasure action that claims to protect against a network-element-based vulnerability by performing unrelated tasks on, for instance, an end-user device). Detection of errors or inconsistencies in a declaration rule can result in the declaration rule being declared "invalid."

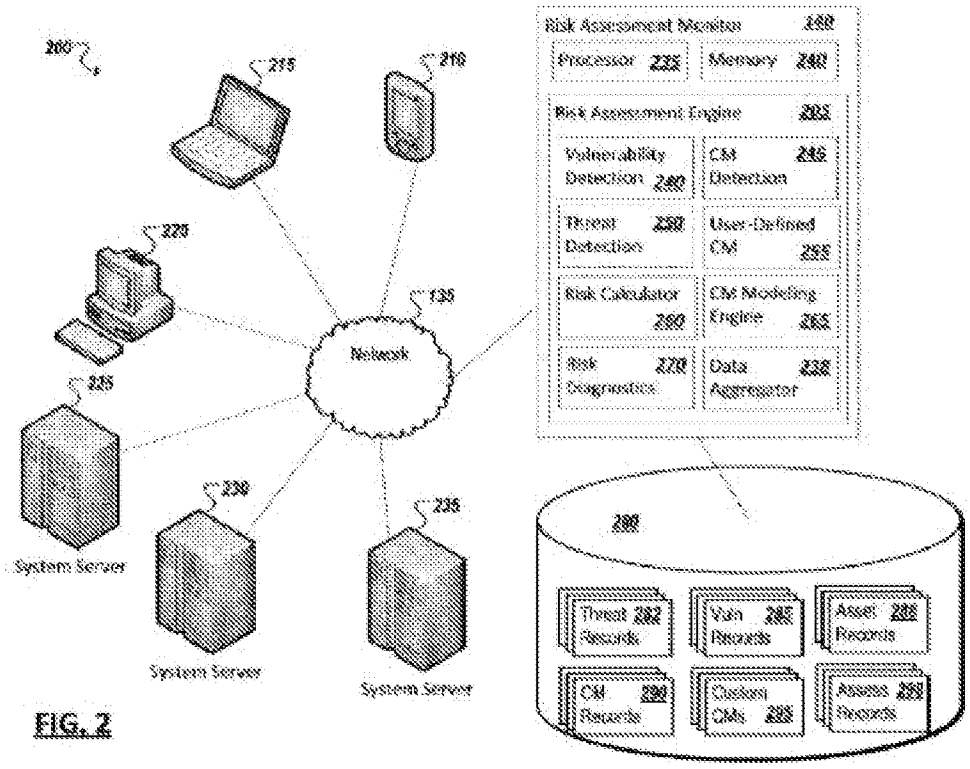

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Network
225
System Server
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System Server
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System Server
Risk Assessment Monitor 280
Processor 225
Memory 240
Risk Assessment Engine 205
Vulnerability Detection 240
CM Detection 245
Threat Detection 250
User-Defined CM 255
Risk Calculator 260
CM Modeling Engine 265
Risk Diagnostics 270
Data Aggregator 275
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Vuln 285 Records
Asset 288 Records
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Assets 298 Records

FIG. 2

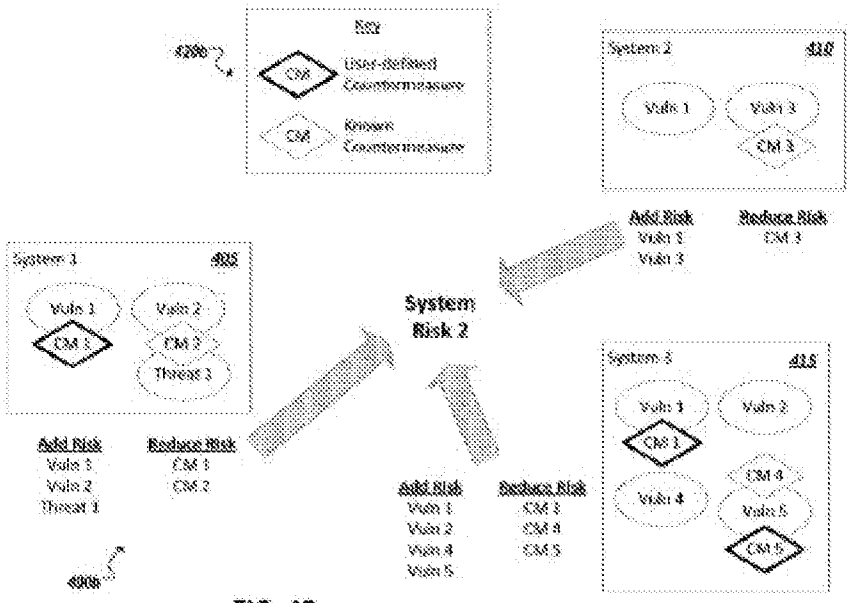

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User-defined Countermeasure
Known Countermeasure
System 2 410
Vuln 1
Vuln 3
CM 3
Add Risk
Vuln 1
Vuln 3
Reduce Risk
CM 3
System 1 405
Vuln 1
Vuln 2
CM 1
CM 2
Threat 1
System Risk 2
Add Risk
Vuln 1
Vuln 2
Threat 1
Reduce Risk
CM 1
CM 2
Add Risk
Vuln 1
Vuln 2
Vuln 4
Vuln 5
Reduce Risk
CM 3
CM 4
CM 5
System 3 415
Vuln 1
Vuln 2
CM 1
Vuln 4
CM 4
Vuln 5
CM 5
400

FIG. 4B

Claims are to be given their broadest reasonable interpretation during prosecution, and the scope of a claim cannot be narrowed by reading disclosed limitations into the claim. **In re Morris, 127 F.3d 1048, 1054, 44 USPQ2D 1023, 1027 (Fed. Cir. 1997); In re Zletz, 893 F.2d 319, 321, 13 USPQ2D 1320, 1322 (Fed. Cir. 1989); In re Prater, 415 F.2d 1393, 1404, 162 USPQ 541,550 (CCPA 1969).** "In addition, the law of anticipation does not require that a reference "teach" what an appellant's disclosure teaches. Assuming that reference is properly "prior art,'" it is only necessary that the claims "read on" something disclosed in the reference, i.e., all limitations of the claim are found in the reference, or "fully met" by it." **Kalman v. Kimberly-Clark Corp., 713 F.2d 760, 772, 218 USPQ 781,789 (Fed. Cir. 1983).**

Please see **specification of this application under prosecution** at page 19, which clearly states, [0048]Techniques consistent with the present disclosure provide, among other features, a system and method for the assessment of the runtime risk of an application or device. While various exemplary embodiments of the disclosed system and method have been described above it should be understood that they have been presented for purposes of example only, not limitations. It is not exhaustive and does not limit the disclosure to the precise form disclosed. Modifications and variations are possible in light of the above teachings or may be acquired from practicing of the disclosure, without departing from the breadth or scope. Further, when reviewing a reference the applicants should remember that not only the specific teachings of a reference but also reasonable inferences which the artisan would have logically drawn therefrom may be properly evaluated in formulating a rejection. **In re Preda, 401 F. 2d 825, 159 USPQ 342 (CCPA 1968) and In re Shepard, 319 F. 2d 194, 138 USPQ 148 (CCPA 1963).** Skill in the art is presumed. **In re Sovish, 769 F. 2d 738, 226 USPQ 771 (Fed. Cir. 1985).** Every

reference relies to some extent on knowledge of persons skilled in the art to complement that which is disclosed therein. **In re Bode, 550 F. 2d 656, 193 USPQ 12 (CCPA 1977).**

Also, the Applicant is reminded that MPEP 2164.05(a) states: "35 U.S.C. 112 requires the specification to be enabling only to a person "skilled in the art to which it pertains, or with which it is most nearly connected." In general, the pertinent art should be defined in terms of the problem to be solved rather than in terms of the technology area, industry, trade, etc. for which the invention is used. The specification need not disclose what is well-known to those skilled in the art and preferably omits that which is well-known to those skilled and already available to the public**. In re Buchner, 929 F.2d 660, 661, 18 USPQ2d 1331, 1332 (Fed. Cir. 1991); Hybritech, Inc. v. Monoclonal Antibodies, Inc., 802 F.2d 1367, 1384, 231 USPQ 81,94 (Fed. Cir. 1986), cert. denied, 480 U.S. 947 (1987); and Lindemann Maschinenfabrik GMBH v. American Hoist & Derrick Co., 730 F.2d 1452, 1463, 221 USPQ 481,489 (Fed. Cir. 1984)." See also Spectra-Physics, Inc. v. Coherent, Inc., 827 F.2d 1524, 3 USPQ2d 1737 (Fed. Cir. 1987) ("A patent need not teach, and preferably omits, what is well known in the art.") and Verve LLC v. Crane Cams, Inc, 65 USPQ 2d 1051, 1053-1054 (Fed. Cir. 2002)** ("While reference to intrinsic evidence is primary in interpreting claims, the criterion is the meaning of words as they would be understood by persons in the field of the invention. Patent documents are written for persons familiar with the relevant field; the patentee is not required to include in the specification information readily understood by practitioners, lest every patent be written as a comprehensive tutorial and treatise for the generalist, instead of a concise statement for persons in the field.").

Conclusion

19. The prior art made of record (forms PTO-892 and applicant provided IDS cited arts) and not relied upon is considered pertinent to applicant's disclosure.

THIS ACTION IS MADE FINAL. Applicant is reminded of the extension of time policy as set forth in 37 CFR 1.136(a).

A shortened statutory period for reply to this final action is set to expire THREE MONTHS from the mailing date of this action. In the event a first reply is filed within TWO MONTHS of the mailing date of this final action and the advisory action is not mailed until after the end of the THREE-MONTH shortened statutory period, then the shortened statutory period will expire on the date the advisory action is mailed, and any extension fee pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a) will be calculated from the mailing date of the advisory action. In no event, however, will the statutory period for reply expire later than SIX MONTHS from the mailing date of this final action.

The cited particular columns and/or paragraphs and/or sections and/or page numbers in the reference(s) as applied to the claims above is for the convenience of the applicant. Although the specified citations are representative of the teachings of the art and are applied to the specific limitations within the individual claim, other passages and figures may apply as well. It is respectfully requested from the applicant in preparing responses, to fully consider the references in entirety, as potentially teaching, all or part of the claimed invention, as well as the context of the passage, as taught by the prior art or disclosed in the examination.

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Haresh Patel whose telephone number is (571) 272-3973. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday-Friday.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Carl Colin, can be reached at (571) 272-3862. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is (571) 273-8300.

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In re Patent Application of Kumar, Srinivas Application No.: 13/741,878 Filed: January 15, 2013 For: Runtime Risk Detection Based on User, Application, and System Action Sequence Correlation (*as amended*)	**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT** Group Art Unit: 2493 Examiner: Patel, Haresh N Confirmation No.: 4039

AMENDMENT AND REPLY

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 7, 2013, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace the title with the following title:

"Runtime Risk Detection Based on User, Application, and System Action Sequence Correlation"

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

LISTING OF CLAIMS:

1. (Currently Amended) A method for assessing runtime risk for an application program that executes on a [[or]] device, comprising:

storing, in a rules database, a plurality of rules, wherein each rule identifies an action sequence;

storing, in a policy database, a plurality of assessment policies, wherein each assessment policy includes at least one rule of the plurality of rules;

identifying, using at least one assessment policy, a runtime risk for an application program that executes on a [[or]] device, wherein the identified runtime risk identifies and predicts a specific type of threat; and

identifying, by a processing device, a behavior score for the application program that executes on the [[or]] device based on the identified runtime risk, wherein

the action sequence is a sequence of at least two performed actions, and

each performed action is at least one of: a user action, an application action, and a system action.

2. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the user action is any form of explicit input from a user of a computing system.

3. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the application action is any activity performed by the application initiated programmatically by a task in execution of a computing system.

4. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the system action is any operation performed by a computing system on behalf of, or as a consequence of, a user action or application action that changes the state of the computing system.

5. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein a first action of the at least two performed actions is performed at a first time, and the second action of the at least two performed actions is performed at a second time.

6. (Original) The method of claim 5, wherein

the first action is a user action,

the second action is a system action, and

the second time occurs after the first time.

7. (Original) The method of claim 5, wherein

the first action is a user action,

the second action is an application action, and

the second time occurs after the first time.

8. (Original) The method of claim 5, wherein

the first action is an application action,

the second action is a system action, and

the second time occurs after the first time.

9. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein

the action sequence includes three performed actions,

a first action of the three performed actions is a user action,

a second action of the three performed actions is an application action,

a third action of the three performed actions is a system action,

the second action is performed temporally after the first action, and

the third action is performed temporally after the second action.

10. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 1, wherein the runtime risk is identified based on matching rules and probabilistic weights and scores of performed actions on the device.

11. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 1, wherein the runtime risk is identified based on time proximity of the at least two performed actions of the action sequence [[308]] and natural affinity inferred between the at least two performed actions.

12. (Original) The method of claim 1, further comprising:

assessing, by the processing device, that the at least two performed actions of the action sequence describe a forensic chain of events based on a plurality of factors,

wherein the plurality of factors includes at least one of: ordered sequences, unordered sequences, proximity analysis, outliers, probabilistic weights and scores, and probable action inferences based on an application's competency.

13. (Currently Amended) A system for assessing runtime risk for an application program that executes on a [[or]] device, comprising:

a rules database configured to store a plurality of rules, wherein each rule identifies an action sequence;

a policy database configured to store a plurality of assessment policies, wherein each assessment policy includes at least one rule of the plurality of rules; and

a processing device configured to

identify, using at least one assessment policy, a runtime risk for an application program that executes on a [[or]] device, wherein the identified runtime risk identifies and predicts a specific type of threat, and

identify a behavior score for the application program that executes on the [[or]] device based on the identified runtime risk, wherein

the action sequence is a sequence of at least two performed actions, and

each performed action is at least one of: a user action, an application action, and a system action.

14. (Original) The system of claim 13, wherein the user action is any form of explicit input from a user of a computing system.

15. (Original) The system of claim 13, wherein the application action is any activity performed by the application initiated programmatically by a task in execution of a computing system.

16. (Original) The system of claim 13, wherein the system action is any operation performed by a computing system on behalf of, or as a consequence of, a user action or application action that changes the state of the computing system.

17. (Original) The system of claim 13, wherein a first action of the at least two performed actions is performed at a first time, and the second action of the at least two performed actions is performed at a second time.

18. (Original) The system of claim 17, wherein

the first action is a user action,

the second action is a system action, and

the second time occurs after the first time.

19. (Original) The system of claim 17, wherein

the first action is a user action,

the second action is an application action, and

the second time occurs after the first time.

20. (Original) The system of claim 17, wherein

the first action is an application action,

the second action is a system action, and

the second time occurs after the first time.

21. (Original) The system of claim 13, wherein

the action sequence includes three performed actions,

a first action of the three performed actions is a user action,

a second action of the three performed actions is an application action,

a third action of the three performed actions is a system action,

the second action is performed temporally after the first action, and

the third action is performed temporally after the second action.

22. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 13, wherein the runtime risk is identified based on matching rules and probabilistic weights and scores of performed actions on the device.

23. (Original) The system of claim 13, wherein the runtime risk is identified based on time proximity of the at least two performed actions of the action sequence and natural affinity inferred between the at least two performed actions.

24. (Original) The system of claim 13, wherein

the processing device is further configured to assess that the at least two performed actions of the action sequence describe a forensic chain of events based on a plurality of factors, and

the plurality of factors includes at least one of: ordered sequences, unordered sequences, proximity analysis, outliers, probabilistic weights and scores, and probable action inferences based on an application's competency.

AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS:

Please replace Figure 2 with the Figure 2 included in the attached Replacement Sheet.

REMARKS

Claims 1-24 are pending in the present application, with claims 1 and 13 being independent claims.

Claim 11 is amended to remove a superfluous reference number. Claims 1, 10, 13, and 22 are also amended as indicated below.

Applicant gratefully acknowledges the Examiner's consideration of the Information Disclosure Statement submitted January 15, 2013.

Specification

The title of the application is objected to because of allegedly not being sufficiently descriptive. Applicant has amended the title to "Runtime Risk Detection Based on User, Application, and System Action Sequence Correlation," in accordance with the Examiner's implicit suggestion. Applicant respectfully submits that the amended title is sufficiently descriptive and respectfully request withdrawal of the objection in light thereof.

Drawing

Figure 1 is objected to as failing to indicate the drawing as illustrating prior art. Applicant respectfully submits that Figure 1 does not illustrate prior art, but instead illustrates a high level architecture of a system configured to assess the runtime risk of an application or device and identify a behavior scored based on the assessed runtime risk in accordance with the present disclosure. *See* paragraph [0014] of the originally filed specification. Accordingly, Applicant respectfully submits that Figure 1 does not require amendment or replacement as it properly illustrates new information as

described in the original specification at paragraphs [0014] to [0024], and not solely that which is old.

The drawings are also objected to under 37 C.F.R. § 1.83(a) as allegedly failing to illustrate every feature specified in the claims. Specifically, the Office alleges that components of claims 10 and 11 are not illustrated in the drawings.

Claim 10 recites "wherein the runtime risk is identified based on matching rules and probabilistic weight scores." Claim 11 recites "wherein the runtime risk is identified based on time proximity of the at least two performed actions of the action sequence and natural affinity inferred between the at least two performed actions." The identification of runtime risk is illustrated as step 218 of Figure 2, and step 406 of Figure 4 of the present application. Step 218 of Figure 2 further specifies that the identified runtime risk is of the action sequence. Applicant respectfully submits that Figures 2 and 4 sufficiently illustrate the recitations of claims 10 and 11. However, in order to expedite prosecution, Applicant has replaced Figure 2 as indicated in the attached Replacement Sheet, to illustrate that the runtime risk may be identified based on either matching rules and probabilistic weight scores, as recited in claim 10, or may also be identified based on time proximity of the at least two performed actions of the action sequence and natural affinity inferred between the at least two performed actions, as recited in claim 11.

Accordingly, withdrawal of the objection to the drawings is respectfully requested.

Claim Objections

Claims 13-24 are objected to because of informalities. Specifically, claims 13 and 24 are objected to for the recitation "configured to store," which the Office alleges

should be recited as "storing." The Office further alleges that the use of the recitation "configured to" may render parts of the claim optional, specifically any limitation recited after "configured to," citing to MPEP 2111.04. However, Applicant notes that, under MPEP 2111.04, language such as "adapted to" merely raise a question as to the limiting effect of the language in a claim, and that the determination of whether a clause is a limitation depends on the specific facts of the case. Applicant respectfully submits that "configured to" refers to the configuring of components of the claimed system, and that, in the context of such a system, "configured" means "arranged or ordered so as to fit it for a designated task" according to Merriam-Webster. This is consistent with the present application, which discloses that the components of the system, such as the processing device, may be a general processing device programmed for a specific purpose, such as recited in claims 13 and 24. *See* paragraph [0015]. Accordingly, Applicant respectfully submits that the recitation "configured to" recited in claims 13 and 24 recites required functionality of the corresponding devices suitable for enabling the system to assess runtime risk for an application or device, as claimed. Accordingly, withdrawal of the objection is respectfully requested.

Interpretation of Claim 13 under 35 U.S.C. § 112, Sixth Paragraph

The Office interprets claim 13 as invoking 35 U.S.C. § 112, sixth paragraph, due to the recitations of "rules database configured to," "policy database configured to," and "processing device configured to." Specifically, the Office alleges that "database" and "device" are non-structural terms that are coupled with functional language "configured to" without reciting sufficient structure to achieve the function. However, Applicant respectfully submits that a "*processing* device" and a "*policy* database" or "*rules*

database" as claimed and described in the specification are names for structures that perform the recited functions as understood by persons of ordinary skill in the art. *See* MPEP 2181(I)(A). As such, claim 13 recites several structural terms that are modified by functional language, and thus do not invoke § 112, sixth paragraph. Applicant further notes that claim elements that do not include "means for" or "step for" is presumed to *not* invoke § 112, sixth paragraph, and that the claims recite specific structural terms, such as a *processing* device described in detail in paragraph [0015] of the originally filed specification, as opposed to a generic, non-structural "device" as alleged by the Office. Accordingly, Applicant respectfully submits that claim 13 does not invoke 35 U.S.C. § 112, sixth paragraph for at least these reasons.

35 U.S.C. § 112

Claims 1-24 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. §112, first and second paragraphs. Specifically, the claims are rejected for claims 1 and 13 failing to identify "of what" runtime risk is assessed, "of what" identified runtime risk is identified, "of what" specific type of threat is predicted, and "of what" behavior score is identified, and claims 10 and 22 failing to identify "of what" probabilistic weights and scores is identified. Claims 1 and 13 have been amended to recite identifying a runtime risk for "an application program that executes on a device" and identifying a behavior score "for the application program that executes on the device." Claims 10 and 22 have been amended to recite identifying the runtime risk based on probabilistic weights and scores of "performed actions on the device." Accordingly, Applicant respectfully submits that, based on the amendments to claims 1, 10, 13, and 22, the claims of the present application are both

enabled by the disclosure and are sufficiently clearly claimed, and respectfully request withdrawal of these rejections.

35 U.S.C. §§ 102 & 103

Claims 1-5, 10-17 and 22-24 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. §102(b) as allegedly being anticipated by Basavapatna et al. (U.S. Patent Publication No. 2013/0096980, hereinafter "Basavapatna"). Claims 6-9 and 18-21 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. §103(a) as allegedly being unpatentable over Basavapatna. Applicant respectfully traverses these rejections.

The claims of the present application are directed towards a method and system for assessing the runtime risk of an application program that executes on a device. To achieve this assessment, rules that identify *action sequences* of actions performed by users, applications, or systems are used in assessment policies, which *identify and predict* specific types of threats as part of the risk assessment. Basavapatna, on the other hand, is directed towards testing potential countermeasures against known vulnerabilities of systems (Abstract and paras. [0003] and [0011]). Basavapatna does not identify action sequences as part of the risk assessment, but instead uses countermeasures that have been deployed. Basavapatna also does not identify or predict specific types of threats, but instead assesses risk associated with known vulnerabilities. Accordingly, Basavapatna fails to disclose or suggest the claims of the present application for several reasons as discussed below.

Claim 1 of the present application recites, *inter alia*, "storing, in a rules database, a plurality of rules, wherein each rule identifies an *action sequence*" and wherein "the action sequence is a *sequence* of at least *two performed actions*" with each performed

action being at least one of "a user action, an application action, and a system action" (emphasis added). Claim 13 includes similar recitations, but as directed towards a system rather than a method. The Office alleges that Basavapatna teaches the claimed rules database at paragraphs [0065] and [0066], and teaches the claimed action sequence at paragraphs [0052-0054], [0063], and [0064]. However, at paragraphs [0063-0066], Basavapatna merely discloses that users may create and select countermeasures used to protect the system against vulnerabilities. The creation and selection of the countermeasures is part of the setup of the system as a test environment to assess the risk of the system against specific known vulnerabilities using the selected countermeasures. Paragraphs [0052-0054] similarly disclose the calculation of a risk score based on the assessment of the countermeasures against the vulnerability. Nowhere does Basavapatna disclose a rules database including a plurality of rules that identifies an *action sequence*, as recited in the claims. Instead, the rules in Basavapatna merely define a countermeasure, which are security tools and safeguards designed to protect against known vulnerabilities (para. [0003]).

Furthermore, not only does Basavapatna fail to disclose or suggest the rules identifying action sequences, Basavapatna also fails to disclose or suggest action sequences generally. Basavapatna does not disclose or suggest any *sequence of performed actions*, let alone a sequence of performed actions where the performed actions are at least one of a user action, an application action, and a system action, as recited in the claims. Thus, Basavapatna only assesses risk for systems based on countermeasures put into place as selected and defined by the user. The presently claimed invention, on the other hand, assesses risk of action sequences performed by

the user, applications, or the system, and thus can act as a runtime monitor that, in real-time, correlates action sequences to detect threats. As the presently recited systems and methods do not rely on known vulnerabilities, they may offer stronger protection against threats and more accurate risk assessments. Accordingly, for at least this reason, Basavapatna fails to disclose, suggest, or anticipate the claims of the present application.

Claim 1 also recites "identifying, using at least one assessment policy, a runtime risk for an application program executed on a device, wherein the identified runtime risk *identifies and predicts a specific type of threat*" (emphasis added). Claim 13 includes a similar recitation as directed towards a system. The Office alleges that Basavapatna teaches the above recitation at paragraphs [0052-0054]. However, as discussed above, paragraphs [0052-0054] of Basavapatna merely disclose calculating a risk score based on the application of countermeasures against *known vulnerabilities*. In Basavapatna, the vulnerabilities already exist, and are specifically tested against. Thus, the system in Basavapatna may not be aware of the risk posed by unknown vulnerabilities, and must also rely on data received by the system indicating the vulnerabilities for testing. The present claims, on the other hand, recites methods and systems that do not rely on any outside information, and in certain embodiments can *identify* and *predict* a specific type of threat, as opposed to assessing the risk of an already known vulnerability. Accordingly, for this additional reason, Applicant respectfully submits that the claims of the present application are patentable over Basavapatna.

Claims 2-12 and 14-24 are dependent from claims 1 and 13, respectively, and thus incorporate the recitations of their respective independent claims. Accordingly,

each of claims 2-12 and 14-24 are patentable over Basavapatna for at least this reasons discussed above. Applicant also notes that claims 2-12 and 14-24 recite additional limitations that are also patentable over Basavapatna. For example, claims 10 and 22 recite the identification of the runtime risk being based matching rules and probabilistic weights and scores. Basavapatna does not disclose or suggest matching rules or probabilistic weights and scores entirely, let alone using them as the basis for identifying the runtime risk. Other claims draw out details of the distinctions emphasized above, and are similarly not found in the prior art, but a detailed discussion will be belabored.

Conclusion

In light of the foregoing, Applicant respectfully submits that the above-captioned application is in condition for allowance and request withdrawal of the rejection. If the Examiner believes, for any reason, that personal communication will expedite prosecution of this application, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at the number provided.

Prompt and favorable consideration of this Amendment and Reply is respectfully requested.

Should any residual issues exist or arise, or should the Examiner wish to allow the application, he is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at the number listed below.

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Respectfully submitted,

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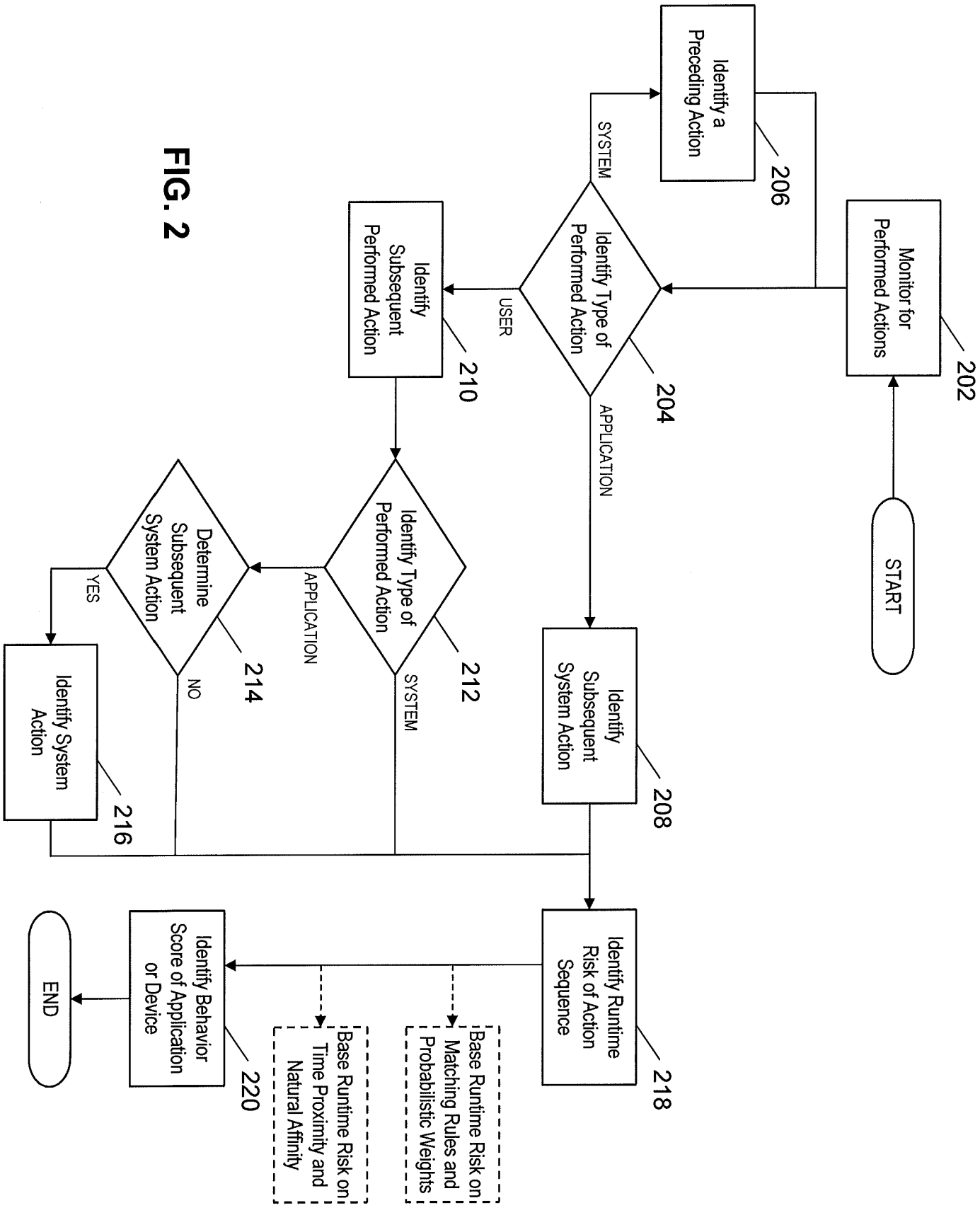

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APPLICATION
SYSTEM
Determine Subsequent System Action
214
YES
NO
Identify System Action
216
Identify Runtime Risk of Action Sequence
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Base Runtime Risk on
Matching Rules and
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Identify Behavior Score of Application or Device
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Status

1)☒ Responsive to communication(s) filed on *15 January 2013*.

☐ A declaration(s)/affidavit(s) under **37 CFR 1.130(b)** was/were filed on _____.

2a)☐ This action is **FINAL**. 2b)☒ This action is non-final.

3)☐ An election was made by the applicant in response to a restriction requirement set forth during the interview on _____; the restriction requirement and election have been incorporated into this action.

4)☐ Since this application is in condition for allowance except for formal matters, prosecution as to the merits is closed in accordance with the practice under *Ex parte Quayle*, 1935 C.D. 11, 453 O.G. 213.

Disposition of Claims

5)☒ Claim(s) *1-24* is/are pending in the application.

5a) Of the above claim(s) _____ is/are withdrawn from consideration.

6)☐ Claim(s) _____ is/are allowed.

7)☒ Claim(s) *1-24* is/are rejected.

8)☐ Claim(s) _____ is/are objected to.

9)☐ Claim(s) _____ are subject to restriction and/or election requirement.

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Application Papers

10)☒ The specification is objected to by the Examiner.

11)☒ The drawing(s) filed on *15 January 2013* is/are: a)☐ accepted or b)☒ objected to by the Examiner.

Applicant may not request that any objection to the drawing(s) be held in abeyance. See 37 CFR 1.85(a).

Replacement drawing sheet(s) including the correction is required if the drawing(s) is objected to. See 37 CFR 1.121(d).

Priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119

12)☐ Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or (f).

Certified copies:

a)☐ All b)☐ Some * c)☐ None of the:

1.☐ Certified copies of the priority documents have been received.

2.☐ Certified copies of the priority documents have been received in Application No. _____.

3.☐ Copies of the certified copies of the priority documents have been received in this National Stage application from the International Bureau (PCT Rule 17.2(a)).

* See the attached detailed Office action for a list of the certified copies not received.

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2) ☒ Information Disclosure Statement(s) (PTO/SB/08) Paper No(s)/Mail Date _____.

3) ☐ Interview Summary (PTO-413) Paper No(s)/Mail Date. _____ .

4) ☐ Other: _____.

DETAILED ACTION

Status of Claims

1. Claims 1-24 are subject to examination.

Specification

2. The title is objected to because the title of the invention is not descriptive. A new title is required that is clearly indicative of the invention to which the claims are directed. The present title is well-known in the art and too broad and not sufficient for proper classification of the claimed subject matter. The title should also reflect claimed invention, the runtime risk is identified based on matching rules and probabilistic weights and scores, rather system for and a method of.

Drawings

3. The figures submitted on the filing date of this application are noted.

4. Figure 1 should be designated by a legend such as --Prior Art-- because only that which is old is illustrated. See MPEP § 608.02(g).

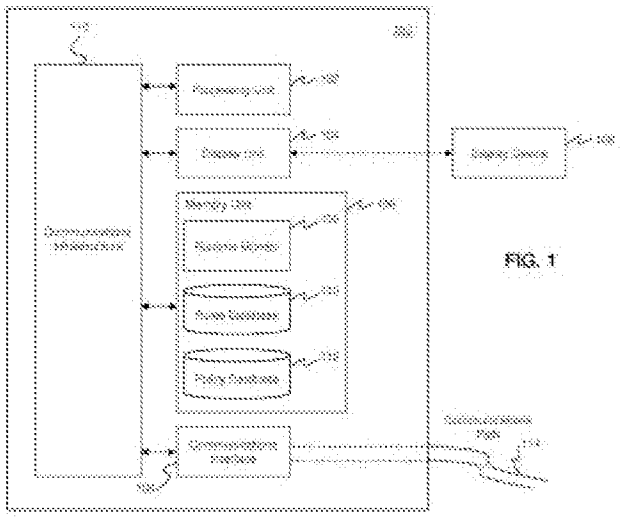


FIG. 1

The drawings are objected to under 37 CFR 1.83(a). The drawings must show every feature of the invention specified in the claims. Therefore, components of the claims 10, 11, (the runtime risk is identified based on matching rules and probabilistic weights and scores) must be shown or the feature(s) canceled from the claim(s). No new matter should be entered. Applicant is advised to employ the services of a competent patent draftsperson outside the Office, as the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office no longer prepares new drawings. A proposed drawing correction or corrected drawings are required in reply to the Office action to avoid abandonment of the application. The objection to the drawings will not be held in abeyance. The amended replacement drawing sheet should include all of the figures appearing on the immediate prior version of the sheet, even if only one figure is being amended. The replacement sheet(s) should be labeled --Replacement Sheet-- in the page header (as per 37 CFR 1.84(c)) so as not to obstruct any portion of the drawing figures. If the examiner does not accept the changes, the applicant will be notified and informed of any required corrective action in the next Office action.

Information Disclosure Statement

5. The information disclosure statement filed on 1/15/13 is in compliance with the provisions of 37 CFR 1.97, and has been considered and a copy is enclosed with this Office Action.

Claim Objections

6. Claims 13-24 are objected to because of the following informalities:

a. Claims 13 and 24 contain "configured to store", which should be --storing-- in order to positively recite limitations in the claim. Regarding several intended use clauses, such as "configured to." Such recitations may render parts of the claims optional (see MPEP 2111.04). Notably, limitations recited after the intended use clause will be considered optional to the functionality of the claimed system. Similar applies to "configured to identify", etc.

Appropriate correction is required.

Claim Limitation Interpreted under 35 USC § 112, Sixth Paragraph

Claim 13 limitations "rules database configured to", "policy database configured to", "processing device configured to" have been interpreted under 35 U.S.C. 112, sixth paragraph, because it uses a non-structural term "database" "device", coupled with functional language "configured to" without reciting sufficient structure to achieve the function. Furthermore, the non-structural term is not preceded by a structural modifier.

Since this claim limitation invokes 35 U.S.C. 112, sixth paragraph, claim 13 is interpreted to cover the corresponding structure described in the specification that achieves the claimed function, and equivalents thereof.

A review of the specification shows that the following appears to be the corresponding structure described in the specification for the 35 U.S.C. 112, sixth paragraph limitation: figure 1 and figure 1 description containing structural elements for "rules database configured to", "policy database configured to", and "processing device configured to".

If applicant wishes to provide further explanation or dispute the examiner's interpretation of the corresponding structure, applicant must identify the corresponding structure with reference to the specification by page and line number, and to the drawing, if any, by reference characters in response to this Office action.

If applicant does **not** wish to have the claim limitation treated under 35 U.S.C. 112, sixth paragraph, applicant may amend the claim so that it will clearly not invoke 35 U.S.C. 112, sixth paragraph, or present a sufficient showing that the claim recites sufficient structure, material, or acts for performing the claimed function to preclude application of 35 U.S.C. 112, sixth paragraph.

For more information, see *Supplementary Examination Guidelines for Determining Compliance with 35 U.S.C. § 112 and for Treatment of Related Issues in Patent Applications*, 76 FR 7162, 7167 (Feb. 9, 2011). Also, the type of language that invokes 112, 6th is not limited to the words "means for" as explained in MPEP 2181, ed.8, rev. 9, 2012.

Claim Rejections - 35 USC § 112

The following is a quotation of 35 U.S.C. 112(a):
(a) IN GENERAL.—The specification shall contain a written description of the invention, and of the manner and process of making and using it, in such full, clear, concise, and exact terms as to enable any person skilled in the art to which it pertains, or with which it is most nearly connected, to make and use the same, and shall set forth the best mode contemplated by the inventor or joint inventor of carrying out the invention.

The following is a quotation of 35 U.S.C. 112 (pre-AIA), first paragraph:
The specification shall contain a written description of the invention, and of the manner and process of making and using it, in such full, clear, concise, and exact terms as to enable any person skilled in the art to which it pertains, or with which it is most nearly connected, to make and use the same and shall set forth the best mode contemplated by the inventor of carrying out his invention.

Claims 1-24 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 112(a) or 35 U.S.C. 112 (pre-AIA), first paragraph, as based on a disclosure which is not enabling. **"of what"** runtime risk is assessed, "of what" identified runtime risk is identified, "of what" specific type of threat is predicted, and "of what" behavior score is identified, in claims 1 and 13; "of what" matching rules is identified, and "of what" probabilistic weights and scores is identified, in claims 10 and 22, is critical or essential to the practice of the invention, but not included in the claim(s) is not enabled by the disclosure. See *In re Mayhew*, 527 F.2d 1229, 188 USPQ 356 (CCPA 1976). "runtime risk" etc., are respectively incomplete fragments. Claims 2-12 and 14-24 are dependent claims and subject to same rejections.

The following is a quotation of 35 U.S.C. 112(b):

(B) CONCLUSION.—The specification shall conclude with one or more claims particularly pointing out and distinctly claiming the subject matter which the inventor or a joint inventor regards as the invention.

The following is a quotation of 35 U.S.C. 112 (pre-AIA), second paragraph:

The specification shall conclude with one or more claims particularly pointing out and distinctly claiming the subject matter which the applicant regards as his invention.

Claims 1-24 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 112(b) or 35 U.S.C. 112 (pre-AIA), second paragraph, as being indefinite for failing to particularly point out and distinctly claim the subject matter which the inventor or a joint inventor, or for pre-AIA the applicant regards as the invention. **"of what"** runtime risk is assessed, "of what" identified runtime risk is identified, "of what" specific type of threat is predicted, and "of what" behavior score is identified, in claims 1 and 13; "of what" matching rules is identified, and "of what" probabilistic weights and scores is identified, in claims 10 and 22 is being indefinite for failing to particularly point out and distinctly claim the subject matter in the claims. Claims 2-12 and 14-24 are dependent claims and subject to same rejections.

Claim 11 recites the limitation "the action sequence 308". There is insufficient antecedent basis for this limitation in the claim (Please see MPEP 706.03(d)).

Claim Rejections - 35 USC § 102

7. The following is a quotation of the appropriate paragraphs of 35 U.S.C. 102 that form the basis for the rejections under this section made in this Office action:

> A person shall be entitled to a patent unless –
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> (e) the invention was described in (1) an application for patent, published under section 122(b), by another filed in the United States before the invention by the applicant for patent or (2) a patent granted on an application for patent by another filed in the United States before the invention by the applicant for patent, except that an international application filed under the treaty defined in section 351(a) shall have the effects for purposes of this subsection of an application filed in the United States only if the international application designated the United States and was published under Article 21(2) of such treaty in the English language.

8. Claims 1-5, 10-17, 22-24 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 102(e) as being anticipated by Basavapatna et al. 2013/0096980 (Hereinafter Basavapatna).

9. Referring to claims 1, 13, Basavapatna-McAfee discloses a system for assessing runtime risk for an application or device (e.g., abstract), comprising: a rules database configured to store a plurality of rules, wherein each rule identifies an action sequence (e.g., paragraphs 65, 66); a policy database configured to store a plurality of assessment policies, wherein each assessment policy includes at least one rule of the plurality of rules (e.g., paragraphs 44, 45, 54); and a processing device configured to identify, using at least one assessment policy, a runtime risk for an application or device, wherein the identified runtime risk identifies and predicts a specific type of threat (e.g., paragraphs 52-54), and identify a behavior score for the application or device based on the identified runtime risk, wherein the action sequence is a sequence of at least two performed actions (e.g., paragraphs 52-54), and each performed action is at least one of: a user action, an application action, and a system action (e.g., paragraphs 63, 64, figures 2, 4B).

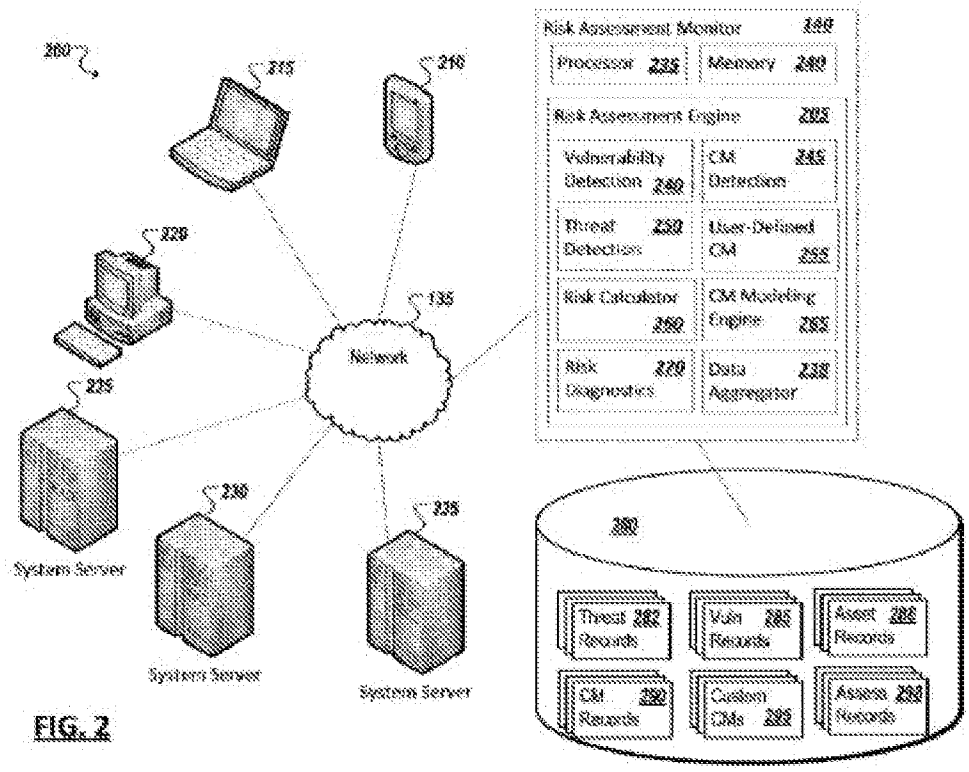

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FIG. 2

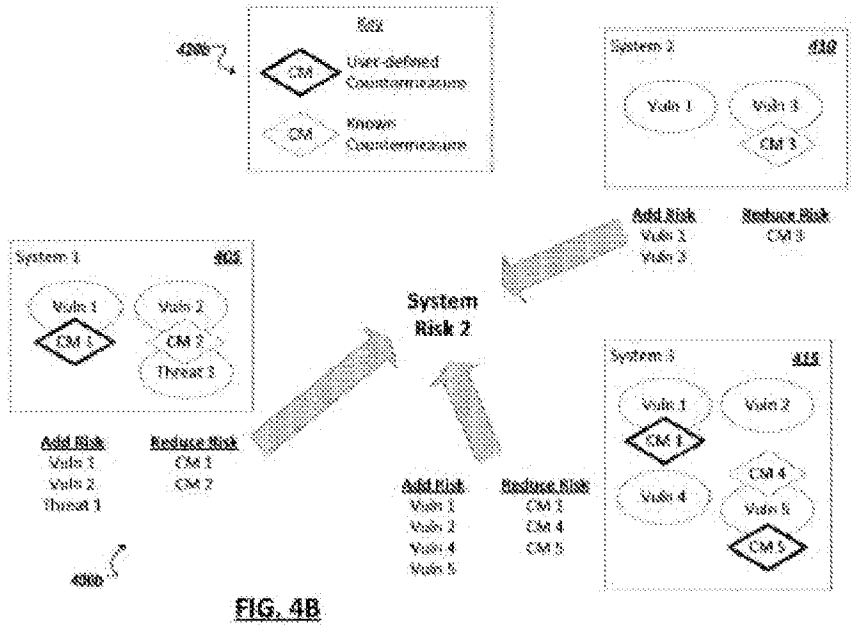

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FIG. 4B

10. Referring to claims 2, 14, Basavapatna-McAfee discloses the claimed limitations as rejected above. Basavapatna-McAfee also discloses wherein the user action is any form of explicit input from a user of a computing system (e.g., paragraphs 63, 64).

11. Referring to claims 3, 15, Basavapatna-McAfee discloses the claimed limitations as rejected above. Basavapatna-McAfee also discloses wherein the application action is any activity performed by the application initiated programmatically by a task in execution of a computing system (e.g., paragraphs 69, 70).

12. Referring to claims 4, 16, Basavapatna-McAfee discloses the claimed limitations as rejected above. Basavapatna-McAfee also discloses wherein the system action is any operation performed by a computing system on behalf of, or as a consequence of, a user action or application action that changes the state of the computing system (e.g., paragraphs 63, 64).

13. Referring to claims 5, 17, Basavapatna-McAfee discloses the claimed limitations as rejected above. Basavapatna-McAfee also discloses wherein a first action of the at least two performed actions is performed at a first time, and the second action of the at least two performed actions is performed at a second time (e.g., paragraphs 63, 64).

14. Referring to claims 10, 22, Basavapatna-McAfee discloses the claimed limitations as rejected above. Basavapatna-McAfee also discloses wherein the runtime risk is identified based on matching rules and probabilistic weights and scores (e.g., paragraphs 53, 54).

15. Referring to claims 11, 23, Basavapatna-McAfee discloses the claimed limitations as rejected above. Basavapatna-McAfee also discloses wherein the runtime risk is identified based on time proximity of the at least two performed actions of the action sequence 308 and natural affinity inferred between the at least two performed actions (e.g., paragraphs 63, 64).

16. Referring to claims 12, 24, Basavapatna-McAfee discloses the claimed limitations as rejected above. Basavapatna-McAfee also discloses assessing, by the processing device, that the at least two performed actions of the action sequence describe a forensic chain of events based on a plurality of factors, wherein the plurality of factors includes at least one of: ordered sequences, unordered sequences, proximity analysis, outliers, probabilistic weights and scores, and probable action inferences based on an application's competency (e.g., paragraphs 63, 64).

Claim Rejections - 35 USC § 103

17. The following is a quotation of 35 U.S.C. 103(a) which forms the basis for all obviousness rejections set forth in this Office action:

> (a) A patent may not be obtained though the invention is not identically disclosed or described as set forth in section 102 of this title, if the differences between the subject matter sought to be patented and the prior art are such that the subject matter as a whole would have been obvious at the time the invention was made to a person having ordinary skill in the art to which said subject matter pertains. Patentability shall not be negatived by the manner in which the invention was made.

18. Claims 6-9, 18-21 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) as being unpatentable over Basavapatna-McAfee.

19. Referring to claims 6-9, 18-21, Basavapatna-McAfee do not specifically mention about wherein the first action is a user action, the second action is a system action, and the second time

occurs after the first time; wherein the first action is a user action, the second action is an application action, and the second time occurs after the first time; the first action is an application action, the second action is a system action, and the second time occurs after the first time; wherein the action sequence includes three performed actions, a first action of the three performed actions is a user action, a second action of the three performed actions is an application action, a third action of the three performed actions is a system action, the second action is performed temporally after the first action, and the third action is performed temporally after the second action. However, since Basavapatna-McAfee does not limit to certain number of actions or certain sequence of actions, it is obvious to one of ordinary skill in the art that Basavapatna-McAfee's system/method is open for different number of actions and different sequence of actions, and because the ability to be adaptive to different number of actions and different sequence of actions enables Basavapatna-McAfee's system/method to be implemented in a wider variety of operating environments. "a person of ordinary skill has good reason to pursue the known options within his or her technical grasp. If the leads to the anticipated success, it is likely the product not of innovation but of ordinary skill and common sense". Therefore, it would have been obvious to one of ordinary skill in the art at the time the invention was made to modify the invention disclosed by Basavapatna-McAfee to implement actions and sequence of actions as claimed in claims 6-9, 18-21 and also one of ordinary skill in the art would have been motivated to do so because it could enhance handling runtime risk of an application and/or device with necessary sequence of actions provided by the user, the application and the system. All the claimed elements were known in the prior art and one skilled in the art could have combined the elements as claimed by known methods with no change in their respective

functions, and the combination would have yielded predictable results to one of ordinary skill in the art at the time of the invention. See KSR International Co. v. Teleflex Inc., 550 U.S. 398, 82 USPQ2d 1385 (2007).

Conclusion

The cited particular columns and/or paragraphs and/or sections and/or page numbers in the reference(s) as applied to the claims above is for the convenience of the applicant. Although the specified citations are representative of the teachings of the art and are applied to the specific limitations within the individual claim, other passages and figures may apply as well. It is respectfully requested from the applicant in preparing responses, to fully consider the references in entirety, as potentially teaching, all or part of the claimed invention, as well as the context of the passage, as taught by the prior art or disclosed in the examination.

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Haresh Patel whose telephone number is (571) 272-3973. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday-Friday.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Carl Colin, can be reached at (571) 272-3862. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is (571) 273-8300.

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/Haresh N. Patel/

Primary Examiner, Art Unit 2493

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System For and a Method of Cognitive Behavior Recognition

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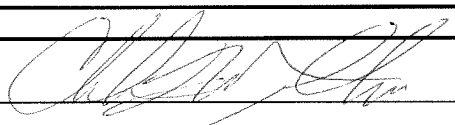
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APPLICATION FOR
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SYSTEM FOR AND A METHOD OF COGNITIVE BEHAVIOR RECOGNITION

FIELD

[0001] The present disclosure relates to cognitive behavior recognition, specifically assessing the runtime risk of an application or device in a computer system using cognitive behavior recognition.

BACKGROUND

[0002] With the prevalence of computers and other computing systems in the daily lives of both companies and individuals, computer and cyber security has become increasingly important. A variety of programs and approaches have been developed to provide security and protect end users from harmful threats. Such programs that have been developed include antivirus programs, firewalls, and intrusion detection/prevention systems (IDSs/IPSs). These programs can be beneficial in protecting a computing system and its end user from a number of threats.

[0003] However, as technology in the computing devices themselves is developing, so is the technology behind the threats against those same computing device. Emerging cyber threats, commonly referred to as advanced persistent threats (APT), often remain undetected using traditional security programs and approaches. As a result, many harmful threats and infections can attack a system that includes these security programs unbeknownst to the user and system operator, which could have devastating results. For example, it can place companies at risk for the theft of

proprietary information, such as confidential information, trade secrets, etc., and individuals at risk for identify theft.

[0004] Thus, there is a need for a technical solution to properly detect and prevent attacks by advanced persistent threats undetected using traditional security programs and approaches.

SUMMARY

[0005] The present disclosure provides a description of a system and method for the assessing of a runtime risk of an application or device.

[0006] A method for assessing runtime risk for an application or device includes: storing, in a rules database, a plurality of rules, wherein each rule identifies an action sequence; storing, in a policy database, a plurality of assessment policies, wherein each assessment policy includes at least one rule of the plurality of rules; identifying, using at least one assessment policy, a runtime risk for an application or device, wherein the identified runtime risk identifies and predicts a specific type of threat; and identifying, by a processing device, a behavior score for the application or device based on the identified runtime risk, wherein the action sequence is a sequence of at least two performed actions, and each performed action is at least one of: a user action, an application action, and a system action.

[0007] A system for assessing runtime risk for an application or device includes a rules database, a policy database, and a processing device. The rules database is configured to store a plurality of rules, wherein each rule identifies an action sequence. The policy database is configured to store a plurality of assessment policies, wherein

each assessment policy includes at least one rule of the plurality of rules. The processing device is configured to identify, using at least one assessment policy, a runtime risk for an application or device, wherein the identified runtime risk identifies and predicts a specific type of threat, and identify a behavior score for the application or device based on the identified runtime risk, wherein the action sequence is a sequence of at least two performed actions, and each performed action is at least one of: a user action, an application action, and a system action.

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWING FIGURES

[0008] The scope of the present disclosure is best understood from the following detailed description of exemplary embodiments when read in conjunction with the accompanying drawings. Included in the drawings are the following figures:

[0009] FIG. 1 is a high level architecture illustrating a system for assessing the runtime risk for an application or device in accordance with exemplary embodiments.

[0010] FIG. 2 is a flow diagram illustrating a method for identifying an action sequence and assessing a runtime risk and subsequent behavior score based on the identified action sequence in accordance with exemplary embodiments.

[0011] FIGS. 3A and 3B are a diagram illustrating performed actions and action sequences identified using the method of FIG. 2 in accordance with exemplary embodiments.

[0012] FIG. 4 is a flow diagram illustrating a method for creating a transaction record in accordance with exemplary embodiments.

[0013] Further areas of applicability of the present disclosure will become apparent from the detailed description provided hereinafter. It should be understood that the detailed description of exemplary embodiments are intended for illustration purposes only and are, therefore, not intended to necessarily limit the scope of the disclosure.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION

System for Assessing Runtime Risk for an Application or Device

[0014] FIG. 1 is a high level architecture illustrating a computing system 100 configured to assess the runtime risk of an application or device and identify a behavior score based on the assessed runtime risk. It will be apparent to persons having skill in the relevant art that methods and processes disclosed herein may be implemented in the computing system 100 using hardware, software, firmware, non-transitory computer readable media having instructions stored therein, or a combination thereof, and may be implemented in more than one computing systems or other processing systems. It will be further apparent to persons having skill in the relevant art that the configuration of the computing system 100 as illustrated in FIG. 1 is provided as an illustration, and other configurations and systems for performing the functions disclosed may be suitable.

[0015] The computing system 100 may include a processing unit 102. The processing unit 102 may include a single processor or a plurality of processor, each of which may include one or more processor cores. The processing unit 102 may be a general purpose processing unit or a special purpose processing unit, such as a general purpose processing unit programmed for performing a specific purpose, such as the

identification of the runtime risk of an application or program. The processing unit 102 may be configured to connect to a communications infrastructure 110 for communication with additional components of the computing system 100.

[0016] The communications infrastructure 110 may be a bus, message queue, network, multi-core message-passing scheme, a combination thereof, or any other suitable type or configuration of communications infrastructure as will be apparent to persons having skill in the relevant art. The computing system 100 may further include a display unit 104. The display unit 104 may be configured to control a display device 106, which may be connected to the computing system 100 physically (e.g., via a cable, such as a VGA, DVI, or HDMI cable) or wirelessly (e.g., via Bluetooth, etc.). The display unit 104 may be a video card, video adapter, graphics card, display card, graphics board, display adapter, graphics adapter, video controller, graphics controller, etc. and may be integrated into the computing system 100 or may be removable.

[0017] The display device 106 may be configured to display information (e.g., data, graphics, output from an application program, etc.) transmitted to the display device 106 via the display unit 104. Suitable types of display devices for use as the display device 106 will be apparent to persons having skill in the relevant art and may include a liquid crystal display (LCD), light-emitting diode (LED) display, thin film transistor (TFT) LCD, capacitive touch display, etc.

[0018] The computing system 100 may further include a memory unit 106. The memory unit 106 may be any type of memory suitable for the storage of data and performing of the functions disclosed herein, such as a hard disk drive, floppy disk drive, magnetic tape drive, optical disk drive, solid state drive, or other non-transitory

computer readable medium. In some embodiments, the memory unit 106 may be removable storage (e.g., flash memory, a compact disc, digital versatile disc, Blu-ray disc, etc.) or a combination of non-removable and removable storage. In one embodiment, the memory unit 106 may be external to the computing system 100 and accessed via a network by a communications interface 108, discussed in more detail below, such as cloud storage. The memory unit 106 may include random access memory (RAM), read-only memory (ROM), or a combination thereof. Suitable types and configurations of the memory unit 106 will be apparent to persons having skill in the relevant art.

[0019] The memory unit 106 may include at least a runtime monitor 108, a rules database 110, and a policy database 112. The memory unit 106 may include additional data, applications, programs, etc. as will be apparent to persons having skill in the relevant art, such as an operating system, drivers for components of the system 100, etc. The runtime monitor 108 may be an application program stored on the memory unit 106 including program code executable by the processing unit 102, configured to assess the runtime risk of an application (e.g., stored in the memory unit 106 and executed by the processing unit 102) or device (e.g., connected to the computing system 100 externally (e.g., via the communications interface 108) or internally (e.g., via the communications infrastructure 110), as discussed in more detail below. In some embodiments, the runtime monitor 108 may be further configured to identify a behavior score for an action sequence of at least two performed actions executed by (e.g., by components or programs included in) the computing system 100.

[0020] The runtime monitor 108 may be configured to perform additional functions in the computing system 100, such as those described in U.S. Patent No. 8,372,441, filed as U.S. Application No. 13/399,065, entitled "System and Method for Application Attestation," filed on February 17, 2012; U.S. Application No. 13/559,707, entitled "Systems and Methods for Orchestrating Runtime Operational Integrity" and filed on July 27, 2012; U.S. Application No. 13/559,766, entitled "Systems and Methods for Threat Identification and Remediation" and filed on July 27, 2012; U.S. Application No. 13/559,665, entitled "Systems and Methods for Providing Mobile Security Based on Dynamic Attestation" and filed on July 27, 2012; U.S. Application No. 13/559,692, entitled "Systems and Methods for Using Reputation Scores in Network Services and Transactions to Calculate Security Risks to Computer Systems and Platforms" and filed on July 27, 2012; and U.S. Application No. 13/559,732, entitled "Systems and Methods for Network Flow Remediation Based on Risk Correlation" and filed on July 27, 2012, which are herein incorporated by reference in their entirety. Additional functions that may be performed by the runtime monitor 108 will be apparent to persons having skill in the relevant art.

[0021] The rules database 110 may be configured to store a plurality of rules, wherein each rule identifies an action sequence. An action sequence, discussed in more detail below, may include a sequence of at least two performed actions, wherein the performed actions may be one of a user action, an application action, and a system action. The policy database 112 may be configured to store a plurality of assessment policies, wherein each assessment policy includes at least one rule of the plurality of rules stored in the rules database 112. The runtime monitor 108 may be configured to

identify the runtime risk of the application or device using at least one of the assessment policies stored in the policy database 112 based on, for example, matching rules and probabilistic weights and scores. Methods for identifying runtime risk using an assessment policy comprised of one or more rules is discussed in more detail below.

[0022] The rules database 110 and the policy database 112 may be configured in any type of suitable database configuration, such as a relational database, a structured query language (SQL) database, a distributed database, an object database, etc. Suitable configurations and database storage types will be apparent to persons having skill in the relevant art. The databases may each be a single database, or may comprise multiple databases which may be interfaced together, such as physically (e.g., internally via the communications infrastructure 110 or externally via the communications interface 108) or wirelessly (e.g., via Bluetooth), and may include one or more databases included within the computing system 100 and one or more databases external to the computing system 100, such as an external hard disk drive or storage accessed via a network (e.g., in the cloud).

[0023] The communications interface 108 may be configured to allow software and data to be transmitted between the computing system 100 and external networks and devices. The communications interface 108 may be a modem, network interface card (e.g., an Ethernet card), a communications port, a Personal Computer Memory Card International Association (PCMCIA) card, or other type of communications interface suitable for performing the functions disclosed herein as will be apparent to persons having skill in the relevant art. Software and data transmitted to or from the computing

system 100 may be in the form of signals, which may be electronic, electromagnetic, optical, etc. The signals may travel via a communications path 114, which may be configured to carry the signals physically or wirelessly via a network. For example, the communications path 114 may carry signals from the communications interface 108 to a network such as a local area network (LAN), a wide area network (WAN), a wireless network (e.g., WiFi), a mobile communication network, a satellite network, the Internet, fiber optic, coaxial cable, infrared, radio frequency (RF), or any combination thereof. Other suitable network types and configurations will be apparent to persons having skill in the relevant art.

[0024] The communications interface 108 may be further configured to connect the computing system 100 with a plurality of input devices, which may enable a user of the computing system 100 to control the system. In some instances, the communications interface 108 may include multiple interfaces or connections, for connecting to a variety of external devices or networks. For example, the communications interface 108 may include a plurality of universal serial bus (USB) connectors, an Ethernet connector, audio connectors, video connectors, etc. Suitable types of input devices that may be used with the computing system 100 for providing input will be apparent to persons having skill in the relevant art and may include a keyboard, mouse, touch screen, tablet, click wheel, trackball, microphone, camera, etc.

Method for Identifying Runtime Risk and Behavior Score for an Application or Device

[0025] FIG. 2 is a flow diagram illustrating a method for identifying an action sequence of actions performed in the computing system 100 and identifying the corresponding runtime risk and a behavior score for an application or device involved in the action

sequence. It will be apparent to persons having skill in the relevant art that the action sequences identified using the method illustrated in FIG. 2 are provided as means of illustration only and are not exhaustive as to action sequences that may be suitable for use in identifying the runtime risk of an application or device by the runtime monitor 108 of the computing system 100.

[0026] In step 202, the runtime monitor 108 may monitor the computing system 100 for performed actions, which may include user actions, application actions, and system actions, each of which are discussed in more detail below with respect to FIG. 3. Once an action is detected by the runtime monitor 108, in step 204 the runtime monitor may (e.g., via the processing unit 102) identify the type of action performed. If the type of action performed is a system action, then, in step 206, the runtime monitor 108 may attempt to identify an action preceding the system action. Then, the process may return to step 204 to identify the type of action of the preceding action, such that an action sequence including only system actions may not be used to identify a runtime risk of an application or device, as no action involving the application or device may be performed.

[0027] If the identified action is an application action, then, in step 208, the runtime monitor 108 may monitor for a subsequent system action, which may be identified by the processing unit 102. The application action followed by the system action may be an action sequence, as discussed in more detail below, which may be used to identify the runtime risk of an application or device (e.g., whose application action caused the system action to occur) at step 218, also discussed in more detail below. If the action identified at step 204 is a user action, then the runtime monitor 108 may monitor for

any type of subsequent action, which may be identified by the processing unit 102 in step 210. At step 212, the processing unit 102 may identify if the subsequent performed action is a system action or an application action.

[0028] If the action is identified in step 212 as being a system action, then the user action followed by the system action may be identified as an action sequence suitable for identifying the runtime risk of an application or device (e.g., which, when triggered by the user action, caused the system action to occur). If the action identified in step 212 is an application action, then, at step 213, the runtime monitor 108 may monitor for, and the processing unit 102 may identify, a subsequent system action. If no subsequent system action is identified, then the user action followed by the application action may be identified as a suitable action sequence. If, on the other hand, a subsequent system action occurs, then, in step 216, the processing unit 102 may identify the system action that occurred, which may identify a user action followed by an application action and a subsequent system action as a suitable action sequence.

[0029] In step 218, the processing unit 102 (e.g., executing the application program of the runtime monitor 108), may identify the runtime risk of the application or device based on the identified action sequence. The runtime risk may identify and/or predict a specific type of threat caused by the application or device. For example, a runtime risk may identify a physical damage threat, accidental threat, deliberate threat, a threat of technical failure, a compromise of function or information, a combination thereof, etc. In some instances, multiple runtime risks may be identified corresponding to multiple types of threats. The runtime risk may be identified using at least one assessment policy stored in the policy database 112. Each assessment policy may

comprise one or more rules stored in the rules database 110 and may identify the runtime risk based on matching rules and probabilistic weights and scores. Types and values of probabilistic weights and scores that may be used by an assessment policy for identifying the runtime risk of an application or device will be apparent to persons having skill in the relevant art.

[0030] The rules stored in the rules database 110 may each identify an action sequence. For example, one or more rules in the rules database 110 may identify an action sequence including a user action followed by a system action. Additional types of action sequences that may be identified by a corresponding rule in the rules database 110 will be apparent to persons having skill in the relevant art and are discussed in more detail below with respect to FIG. 3. The identification of the runtime risk of an action sequence is also discussed in more detail below with respect to FIG. 3.

[0031] In step 220, the runtime monitor 108 may identify a behavior score of the application or device, which may be based on the identified runtime risk of the application or device. The behavior score may be a number or other value (e.g., a rating) that may indicate the risk or threat of the application or device to the computing system 100 or other device (e.g., a network connected to the computing system 100 via the communications interface 108, etc.). In some embodiments, the behavior score may indicate the risk or threat of the specific identified action sequence involving the application or device. In other embodiments, the behavior score may indicate the risk or threat of the application or device as a whole to the computing system 100 or other device.

Action Sequences

[0032] FIG. 3 is an illustration of the performed actions and exemplary action sequences that may be used by the computing system 100 and in the method illustrated in FIG. 2 for assessing the runtime risk of an application or device.

[0033] The runtime monitor 108 of the computing system 100 may monitor for actions performed in/by the computing system 100. The performed actions monitored by the runtime monitor 108 and identified by the processing unit 102 may include a user action 302, an application action 304, and a system action 306. The user action 302 may be any form of explicit input from a user of the computing system 100. For example, the user action may include a program launch, keyboard input, click of a mouse, touch input on a touch screen, moving of a mouse, scrolling or clicking on a click wheel, voice command into a microphone, gestures into a device configured to read human gestures, etc.

[0034] The application action 304 may be any activity performed by the application (e.g., stored in the memory unit 106 and executed by the processing unit 102) initiated programmatically by a task in execution of the computing system 100. In an exemplary embodiment, the application performing the application action 304 may be the application for which the runtime risk is identified or an application controlled by or configured to control the device for which the runtime risk is identified. The application action 304 may include, for example, a start type (e.g., console, service, parent process, script), first time execution, fork process (e.g., child process creation), code injection methods, keyboard capture methods, screen capture methods, dynamic code blocks, open data documents, automatic or self-termination, abnormal terminations

(e.g., exception conditions), multiple restarts, opening of device(s) (e.g., the device for which the runtime risk is identified), process enumeration, cryptography, communication protocols, performance metrics, etc. as will be apparent to persons having skill in the relevant art.

[0035] The system action 306 may be any operation performed by the computing system 100 (e.g., by one or more components included in the computing system 100) on behalf or, or as a consequence of, an application or user action that changes the state of the computing system. The system action 306 may include, for example, system file creation, system folder modification, registry modifications or additions, application setting modifications, driver install or uninstall (e.g., system files), network activity, execution from temporary system folders, alternate data streams (ADS), environmental aspects (e.g., debugger presence, virtual environments, system boot times/sequences), etc.

[0036] The runtime monitor 108 may be configured to identify (e.g., using the method illustrated in FIG. 2 and discussed above), an action sequence 308 used to identify the runtime risk of an application or device. The action sequence 308 may include at least two performed actions, and may indicate a set of actions performed in the computing system 100. For example, the action sequence 308a may include a user action 302 followed by a system action 306. In some embodiments, the runtime monitor 108 may identify the time at which each performed action occurs. For example, for the action sequence 308a, the runtime monitor 108 may identify the user action 302 occurring at a time T_u and the system action 306 occurring at time T_s where $T_s > T_u$ such that the user action 302 was performed first and the system action 306 performed second.

[0037] Additional action sequences 308 that may be identified by the runtime monitor 108 and used to identify the runtime risk of an application or device may include action sequences 308b, 308c, and 308d. Action sequence 308b may include a user action 302 followed by an application action 304. Action sequence 308c may include an application action 304 followed by a system action 306. Action sequence 308d may include three preformed actions, such as a user action 302 followed by an application 304, which is further followed by the system action 306. In such an action sequence, the runtime monitor 108 may identify that the user action 302 occurred at time T_u, the application action 304 at time T_a, and the system action 306 at time T_s, where $T_s > T_a > T_u$. Additional action sequences that may be identified by the runtime monitor will be apparent to persons having skill in the relevant art.

[0038] The runtime monitor 108 may be further configured to identify the authenticity of the action sequence 308, such that an authentic action sequence may indicate that there is a forensic chain of events or a natural progression between the performed actions. In such an instance, authenticating action sequences may enable the runtime monitor 108 to not consider action sequences that are purely circumstantial (e.g., where an application action 304 or system action 306 is not a result of the user action 302). This may result in more accurate scoring of behaviors and runtime risk, and also result in more efficient identification of runtime risks and behavior scores due to less processing required. The runtime monitor 108 may authenticate an action sequence based on a plurality of factors, which may include at least one of: ordered sequences, unordered sequences, proximity analysis, outliers, probabilistic weights and scores, and probable action inferences based on an application's competency detected at

runtime or based on a static and/or dynamic analysis of associated binaries, and any other suitable factors that will be apparent by persons having skill in the relevant art.

[0039] The runtime monitor 108 may authenticate an action sequence 308 and determine the runtime risk using at least one assessment policy, which in turn includes at least one rule of the plurality of rules, based on the time proximity (e.g., as included in the action sequence) and natural affinity that may be logically inferred between the performed actions in the action sequence 308. For example, the modification of a file or a registry key value for the computing system 100 upon the opening of a document (e.g., PDF, Excel, PowerPoint, Word, etc.) attached to an e-mail without any user intervention may not be a natural progression for an action sequence, and may therefore indicate a significant runtime risk.

[0040] Action sequences of actions performed in the computing system 100 may include, for example, a process chain (e.g., a launch sequence), an execution profile (e.g., performance metrics), an explicit user action (e.g., opening of a web link, opening of an e-mail attachment, insertion of a device), inactivity of a user, creation of a system file, modification of a system file, system application program interface (API) invocations, device access or operations (e.g., camera, microphone, card readers, universal serial bus drives, etc.), information access (e.g., contact list, global positioning system location, security settings, etc.), network activity, etc. The runtime monitor 108 may identify an action sequence 308 as normal, abnormal, or an outlier, based on the factors, policies, and rules as discussed above.

[0041] For example, a user may install an application (e.g., the user action 302), which may, as part of its installation, cause the processing unit 102 (e.g., the application

action 304) to modify the registry (e.g., the system action 306). In such an instance, the runtime monitor 108 may identify the action sequence as being a normal sequence, and may identify the action sequence and/or the application as having a minimal runtime risk and assign a corresponding behavior score. In another example, a user may insert a removable media into the computing system 100 (e.g., the user action 302), which may, automatically and transparent to the user, cause the processing unit 102 (e.g., the application action 304) to delete system files and registry keys (e.g., the system action 306). The runtime monitor 108 may identify such an action sequence as abnormal and may identify the device (e.g., the removable media) as having a significant runtime risk. Action sequences that may be considered normal, abnormal, or an outlier may vary from computing system to computing system and situation to situation as will be apparent to persons having skill in the relevant art.

Exemplary Method for Assessing Runtime Risk for an Application or Device

[0042] FIG. 4 illustrates an exemplary method 400 for the assessing of the runtime risk for an application or device in the computing system 100.

[0043] In step 402, a plurality of rules may be stored in a rules database (e.g., the rules database 110), wherein each rule identifies an action sequence. The action sequence may be a sequence of at least two performed actions, wherein each performed action is at least one of: a user action (e.g., the user action 302), an application action (e.g., the application action 304), and a system action (e.g., the system action 306). In step 404, a plurality of assessment policies may be stored in a policy database (e.g., the policy database 112), wherein each assessment policy includes at least one rule of the plurality of rules.

[0044] In step 406, a runtime risk for an application or device may be identified using at least one assessment policy, wherein the identified runtime risk identifies and predicts a specific type of threat. In one embodiment, the runtime risk may be identified based on matching rules and probabilistic weights and scores. In some embodiments, the runtime risk may be identified based on time proximity of the at least two performed actions of the action sequence and natural affinity inferred between the at least two performed actions. In step 408, a behavior score for the application or device may be identified, by a processing device (e.g., the processing unit 102) based on the identified runtime risk.

[0045] The user action 302 may be any form of explicit input from a user of the computing system 100. The application action 304 may be any activity performed by the application initiated programmatically by a task in execution of the computing system 100. The system action 306 may be any operation performed by the computing system 100 on behalf or, or as a consequence of, a user action 302 or application action 304 that changes the state of the computing system 100.

[0046] In one embodiment, the method 400 may further include assessing, by the processing device 102, that the at least two performed actions of the action sequence describe a forensic chain of events based on a plurality of factors, wherein the plurality of factors include at least one of: ordered sequences, unordered sequences, proximity analysis, outliers, probabilistic weights and scores, and probable action inferences based on an application's competency.

[0047] In some embodiments, the at least two performed actions may include a first action performed at a first time and a second action performed at a second time. In a

further embodiment, the second time may occur after the first time (e.g., such that the first action is performed prior to the second action). In an even further embodiment, the first action may be a user action 302 and the second action may be a system action 306. In an alternative further embodiment, the first action may be a user action 302 and the second action may be an application action 304. In yet another alternative embodiment, the first action may be an application action 304 and the second action may be a system action 306. In one embodiment, the action sequence may include three performed actions including a user action 302, an application action 304, and a system action 306, where the application action 304 is performed temporally after the user action 302 and the system action 306 is performed temporally after the application action 304.

[0048] Techniques consistent with the present disclosure provide, among other features, a system and method for the assessment of the runtime risk of an application or device. While various exemplary embodiments of the disclosed system and method have been described above it should be understood that they have been presented for purposes of example only, not limitations. It is not exhaustive and does not limit the disclosure to the precise form disclosed. Modifications and variations are possible in light of the above teachings or may be acquired from practicing of the disclosure, without departing from the breadth or scope.

WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

1. A method for assessing runtime risk for an application or device, comprising:

storing, in a rules database, a plurality of rules, wherein each rule identifies an action sequence;

storing, in a policy database, a plurality of assessment policies, wherein each assessment policy includes at least one rule of the plurality of rules;

identifying, using at least one assessment policy, a runtime risk for an application or device, wherein the identified runtime risk identifies and predicts a specific type of threat; and

identifying, by a processing device, a behavior score for the application or device based on the identified runtime risk, wherein

the action sequence is a sequence of at least two performed actions, and

each performed action is at least one of: a user action, an application action, and a system action.

2. The method of claim 1, wherein the user action is any form of explicit input from a user of a computing system.

3. The method of claim 1, wherein the application action is any activity performed by the application initiated programmatically by a task in execution of a computing system.

4. The method of claim 1, wherein the system action is any operation performed by a computing system on behalf of, or as a consequence of, a user action or application action that changes the state of the computing system.

5. The method of claim 1, wherein a first action of the at least two performed actions is performed at a first time, and the second action of the at least two performed actions is performed at a second time.

6. The method of claim 5, wherein

the first action is a user action,

the second action is a system action, and

the second time occurs after the first time.

7. The method of claim 5, wherein

the first action is a user action,

the second action is an application action, and

the second time occurs after the first time.

8. The method of claim 5, wherein

the first action is an application action,

the second action is a system action, and

the second time occurs after the first time.

9. The method of claim 1, wherein

the action sequence includes three performed actions,

a first action of the three performed actions is a user action,

a second action of the three performed actions is an application action,

a third action of the three performed actions is a system action,

the second action is performed temporally after the first action, and

the third action is performed temporally after the second action.

10. The method of claim 1, wherein the runtime risk is identified based on matching rules and probabilistic weights and scores.

11. The method of claim 1, wherein the runtime risk is identified based on time proximity of the at least two performed actions of the action sequence 308 and natural affinity inferred between the at least two performed actions.

12. The method of claim 1, further comprising:

assessing, by the processing device, that the at least two performed actions of the action sequence describe a forensic chain of events based on a plurality of factors,

wherein the plurality of factors includes at least one of: ordered sequences, unordered sequences, proximity analysis, outliers, probabilistic weights and scores, and probable action inferences based on an application's competency.

13. A system for assessing runtime risk for an application or device, comprising:

a rules database configured to store a plurality of rules, wherein each rule identifies an action sequence;

a policy database configured to store a plurality of assessment policies, wherein each assessment policy includes at least one rule of the plurality of rules; and

a processing device configured to

identify, using at least one assessment policy, a runtime risk for an application or device, wherein the identified runtime risk identifies and predicts a specific type of threat, and

identify a behavior score for the application or device based on the identified runtime risk, wherein

the action sequence is a sequence of at least two performed actions, and

each performed action is at least one of: a user action, an application action, and a system action.

14. The system of claim 13, wherein the user action is any form of explicit input from a user of a computing system.

15. The system of claim 13, wherein the application action is any activity performed by the application initiated programmatically by a task in execution of a computing system.

16. The system of claim 13, wherein the system action is any operation performed by a computing system on behalf of, or as a consequence of, a user action or application action that changes the state of the computing system.

17. The system of claim 13, wherein a first action of the at least two performed actions is performed at a first time, and the second action of the at least two performed actions is performed at a second time.

18. The system of claim 17, wherein

the first action is a user action,

the second action is a system action, and

the second time occurs after the first time.

19. The system of claim 17, wherein

the first action is a user action,

the second action is an application action, and

the second time occurs after the first time.

20. The system of claim 17, wherein

the first action is an application action,

the second action is a system action, and

the second time occurs after the first time.

21. The system of claim 13, wherein

the action sequence includes three performed actions,

a first action of the three performed actions is a user action,

a second action of the three performed actions is an application action,

a third action of the three performed actions is a system action,

the second action is performed temporally after the first action, and

the third action is performed temporally after the second action.

22. The system of claim 13, wherein the runtime risk is identified based on matching rules and probabilistic weights and scores.

23. The system of claim 13, wherein the runtime risk is identified based on time proximity of the at least two performed actions of the action sequence and natural affinity inferred between the at least two performed actions.

24. The system of claim 13, wherein

the processing device is further configured to assess that the at least two performed actions of the action sequence describe a forensic chain of events based on a plurality of factors, and

the plurality of factors includes at least one of: ordered sequences, unordered sequences, proximity analysis, outliers, probabilistic weights and scores, and probable action inferences based on an application's competency.

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A method for assessing runtime risk for an application or device includes: storing, in a rules database, a plurality of rules, wherein each rule identifies an action sequence; storing, in a policy database, a plurality of assessment policies, wherein each assessment policy includes at least one rule of the plurality of rules; identifying, using at least one assessment policy, a runtime risk for an application or device, wherein the identified runtime risk identifies and predicts a specific type of threat; and identifying, by a processing device, a behavior score for the application or device based on the identified runtime risk, wherein the action sequence is a sequence of at least two performed actions, and each performed action is at least one of: a user action, an application action, and a system action.

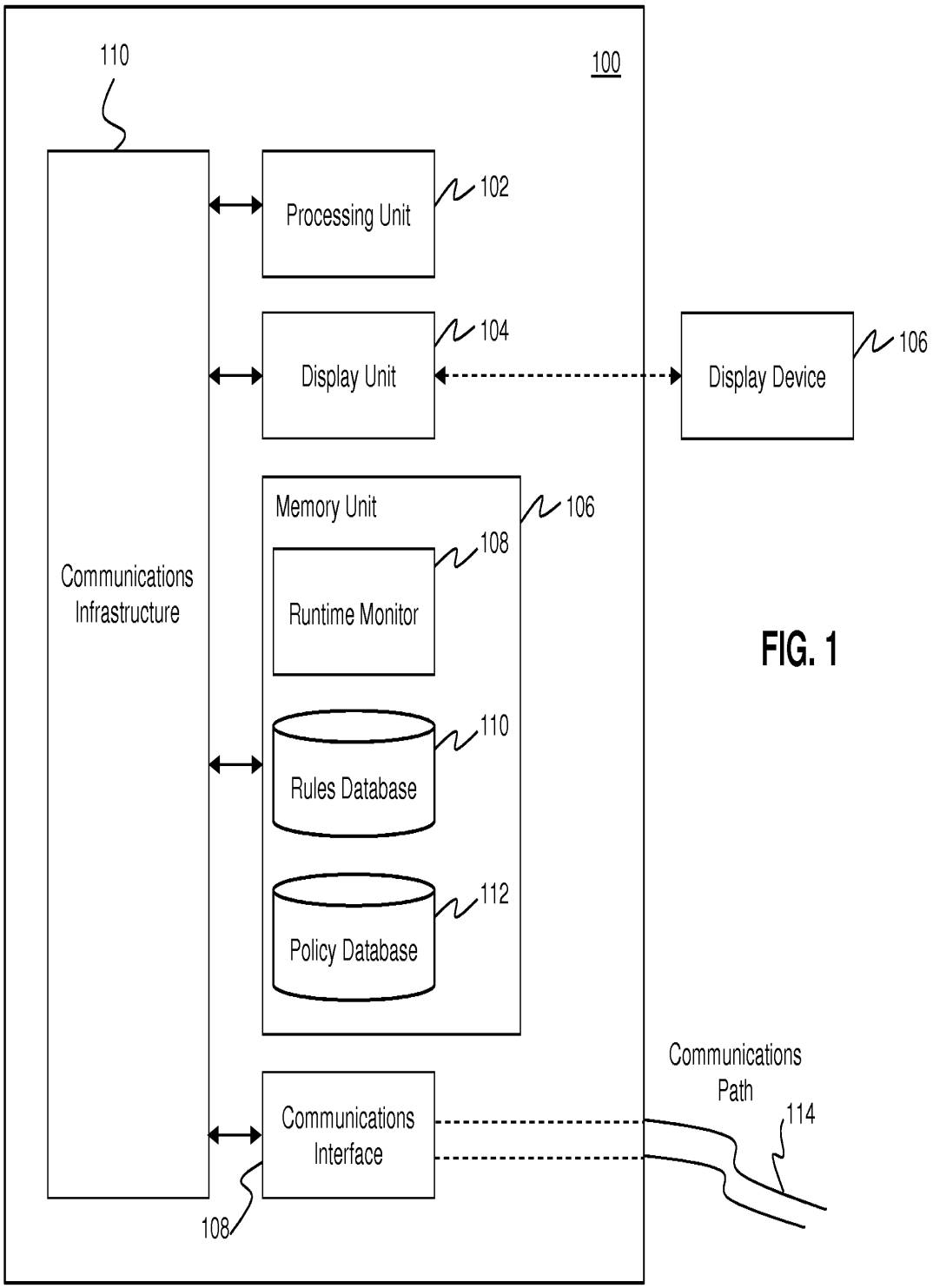

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Communications Infrastructure
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Rules Database
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Policy Database
Communications Path
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Communications Interface
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FIG. 1

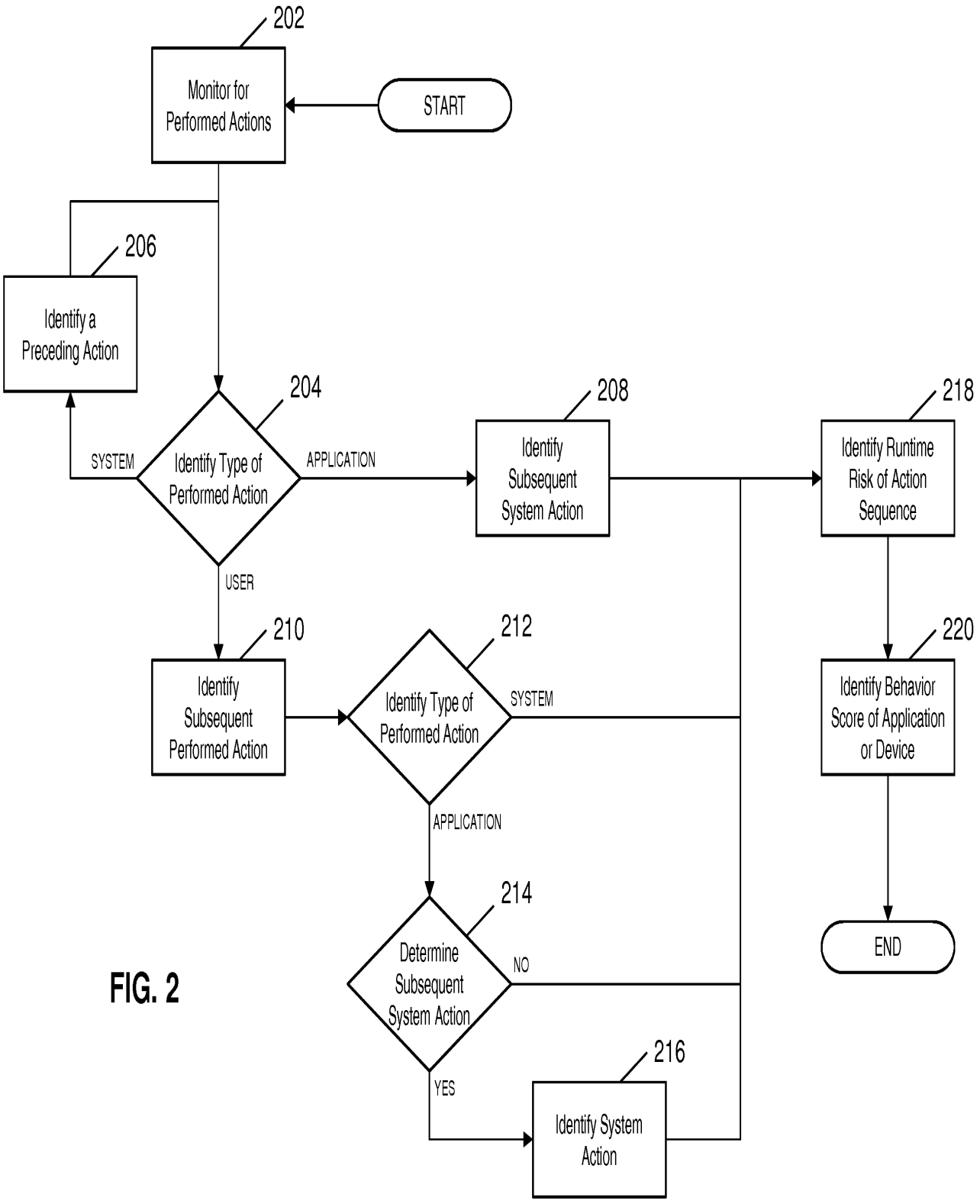

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Monitor for Performed Actions
START
206
Identify a Preceding Action
204
Identify Type of Performed Action
SYSTEM
APPLICATION
USER
208
Identify Subsequent System Action
218
Identify Runtime Risk of Action Sequence
210
Identify Subsequent Performed Action
212
Identify Type of Performed Action
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Determine Subsequent System Action
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YES
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Identify System Action
220
Identify Behavior Score of Application or Device
END

FIG. 2

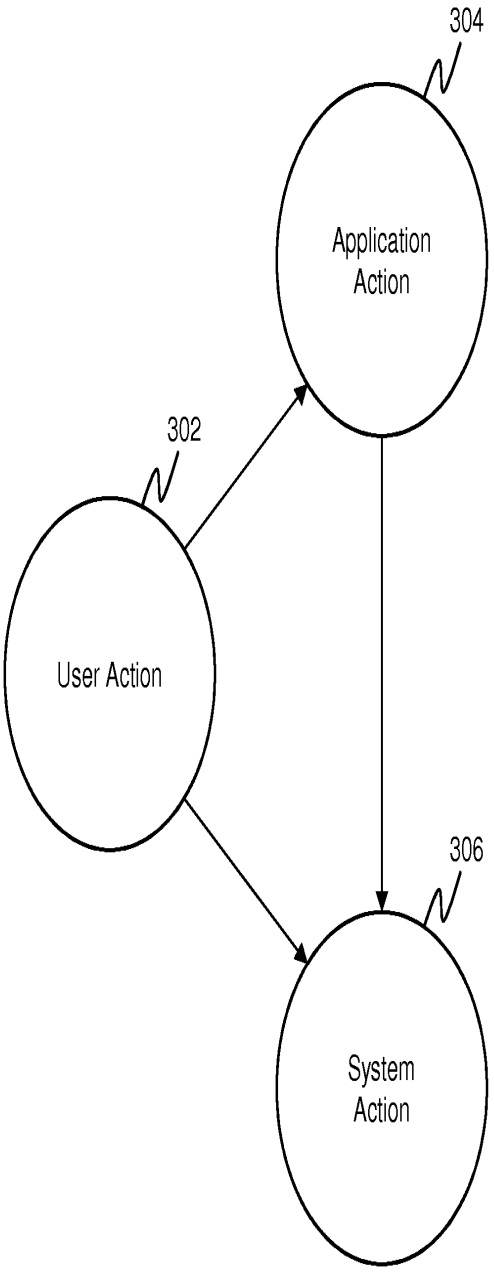

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Application Action
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User Action
306
System Action

FIG. 3A

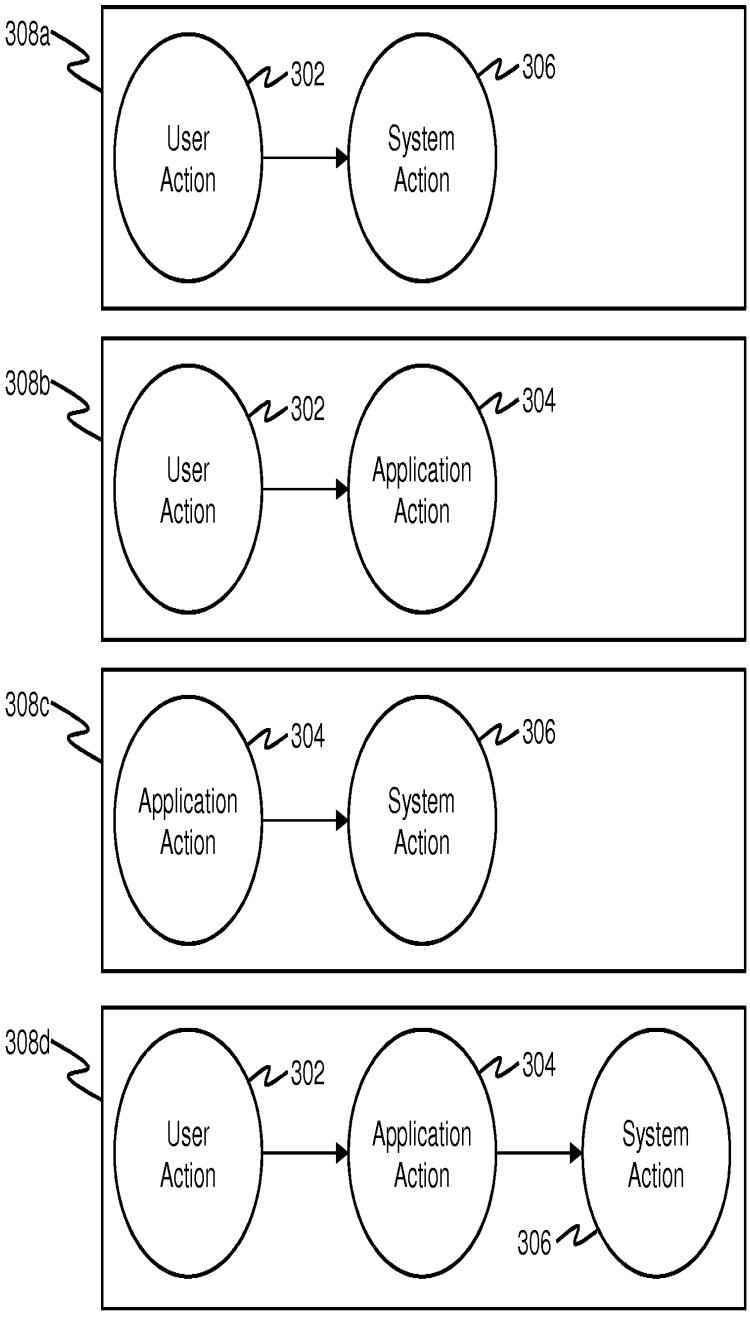

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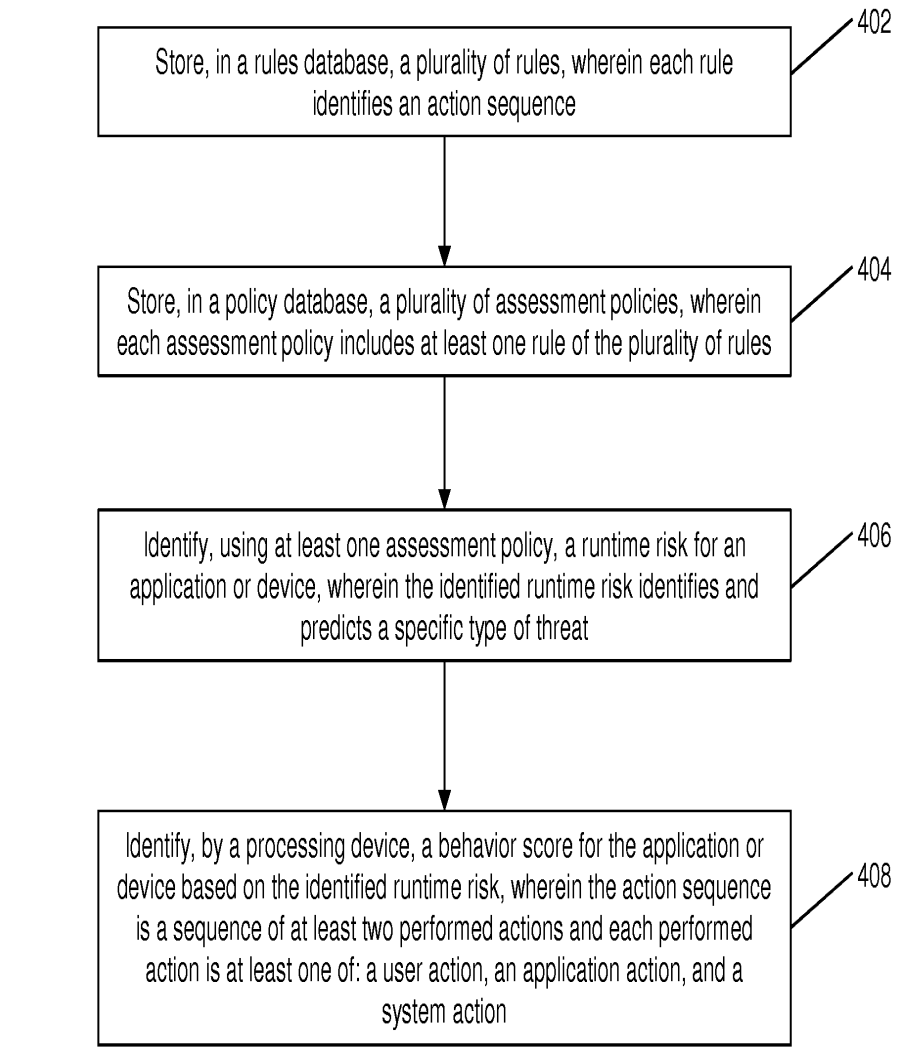

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Store, in a rules database, a plurality of rules, wherein each rule identifies an action sequence
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Store, in a policy database, a plurality of assessment policies, wherein each assessment policy includes at least one rule of the plurality of rules
404
Identify, using at least one assessment policy, a runtime risk for an application or device, wherein the identified runtime risk identifies and predicts a specific type of threat
406
Identify, by a processing device, a behavior score for the application or device based on the identified runtime risk, wherein the action sequence is a sequence of at least two performed actions and each performed action is at least one of: a user action, an application action, and a system action
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FIG. 4

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