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(54) **TECHNIQUES FOR FINDING RELATED HYPERLINKED DOCUMENTS USING LINK-BASED ANALYSIS**

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(57) **ABSTRACT**

Techniques for finding related hyperlinked documents using link-based analysis are provided. Backlink and forwardlink sets can be utilized to find web pages that are related to a selected web page. The scores for links from web pages that are from the same host and links from web pages with numerous links can be reduced to achieve a better list of related web pages. The list of related web pages can be utilized as a feature to a word-based search engine or an addition to a web browser.

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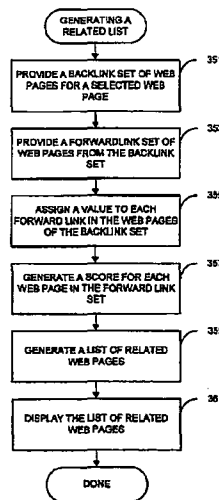


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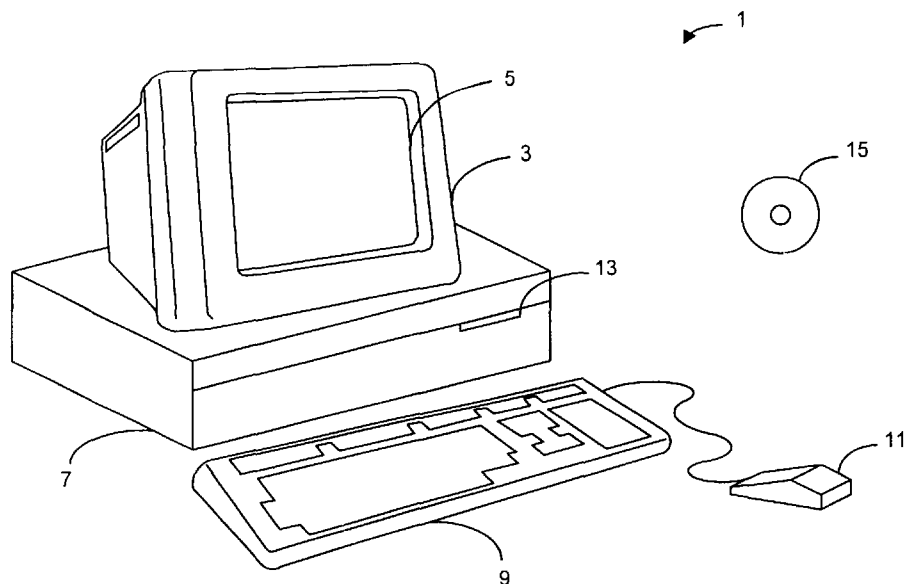


FIG. 1

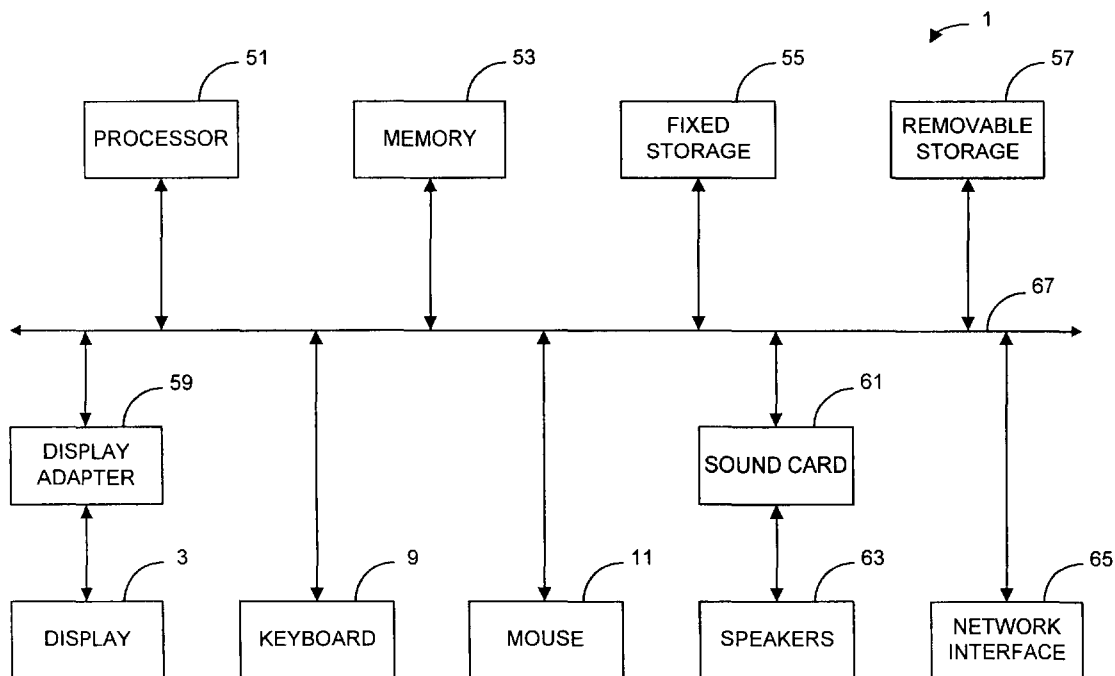


FIG. 2

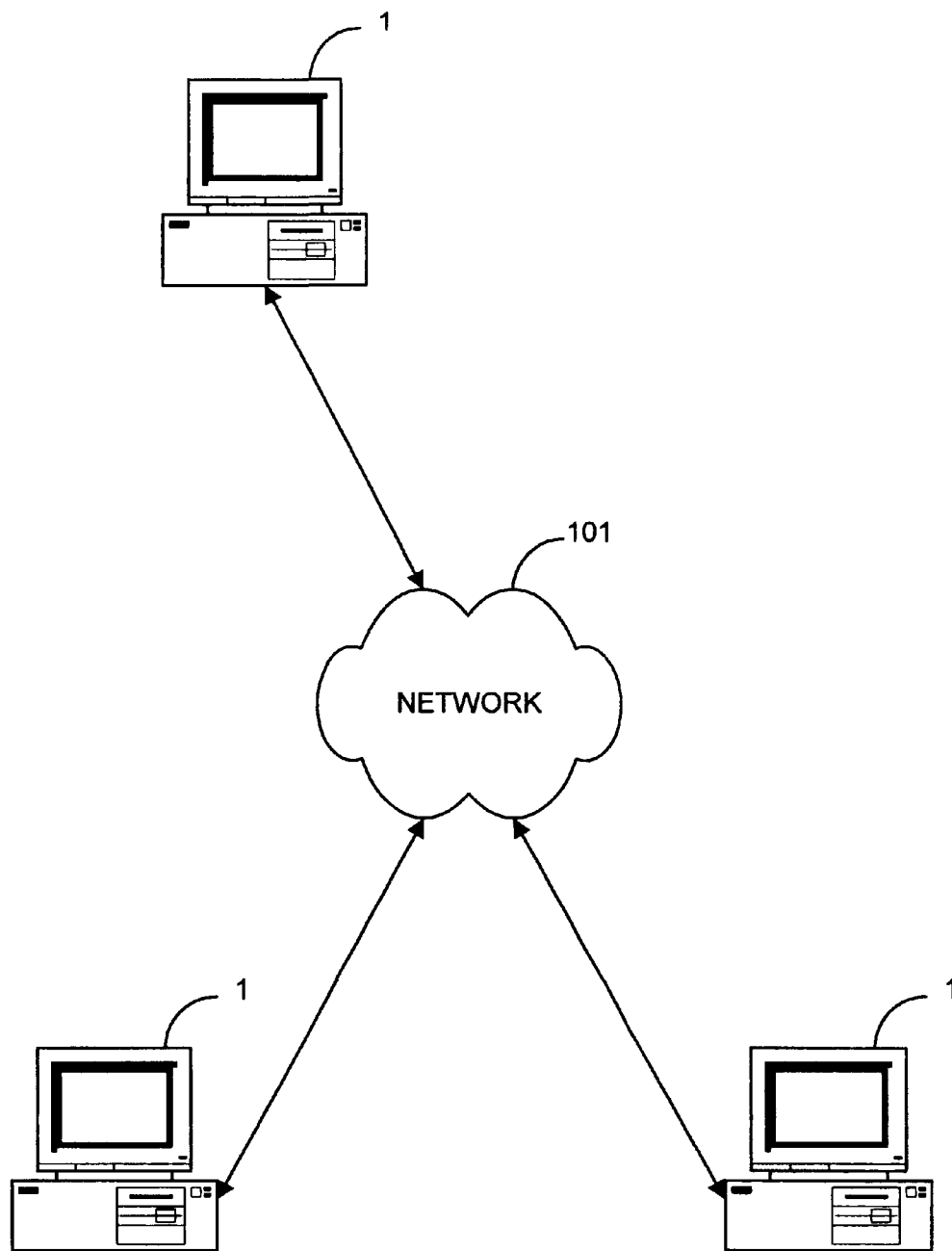


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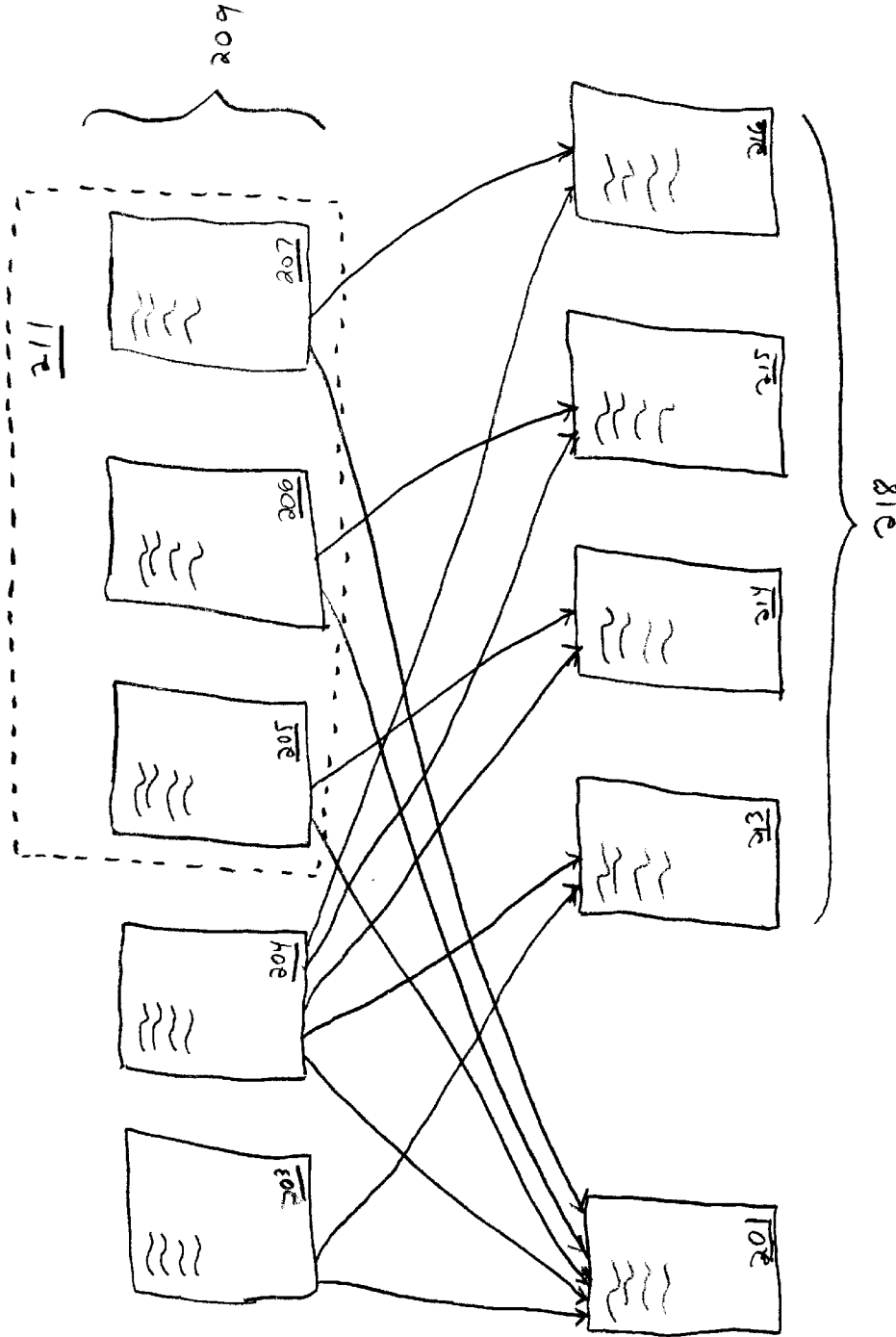


FIG. 4

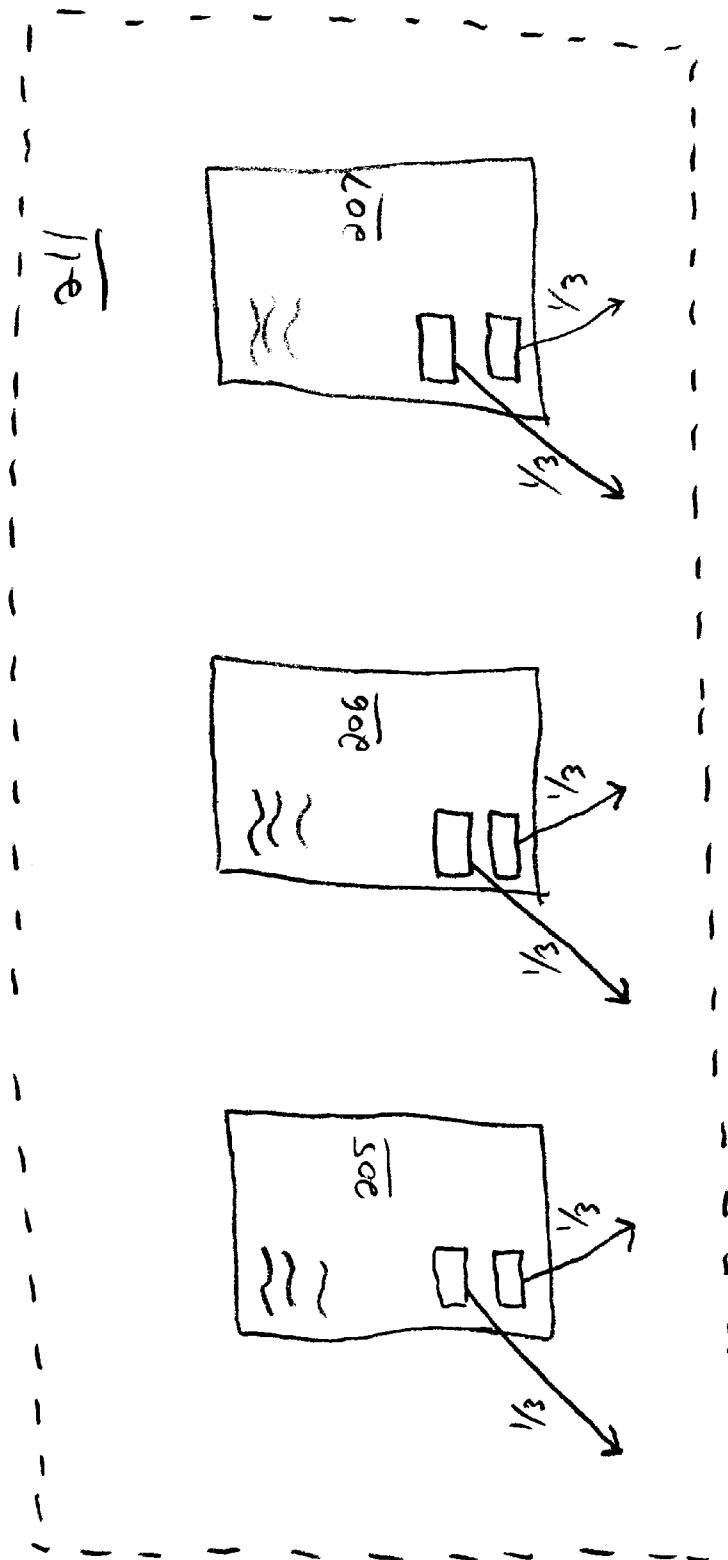


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