

Table - Listing Each Claim Element Annotated With Its Claim Number and a Reference Letter:

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1	An interference canceling apparatus for canceling, from a target signal generated from a target source, an interference signal generated by an interference source, said apparatus comprising: [Ex. 1001, 10:11-14]
1a	a main input for inputting said target signal; [10:15]
1b	a reference input for inputting said interference signal; [10:16]
1c	a beam splitter for beam-splitting said target signal into a plurality of band-limited target signals and beam-splitting said interference signal into band-limited interference signals, wherein the amount and frequency of band-limited target signals equal the amount and frequency of band-limited interference signals, whereby for each band-limited target signal there is a corresponding band-limited interference signal; [10:17-24]
1d	an adaptive filter for adaptively filtering, each band-limited interference signal from each corresponding band-limited target

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	signal. [10:25-27]
2	The apparatus according to claim 1, wherein said target signal represents speech generated at a near end of a teleconference, said reference signal represents said target signal broadcast from a far end of said teleconference and said interference signal represents an echo generated by said broadcast of said reference signal of said far end. [10:28-33]
3	The apparatus according to claim 2, wherein said adaptive filter is an adaptive filter array with each adaptive filter in said array filtering a different frequency band. [10:34-36]
4	The apparatus according to claim 2, wherein said adaptive filter estimates a transfer function of said reference signal broadcast of said far end. [10:37-39]
5	The apparatus according to claim 4, further comprising an inhibitor for permitting said adaptive filter to change coefficients when a signal-to-noise ratio of said reference signal exceeds a predetermined threshold over a signal-to-noise ratio of said main signal. [10:40-44]

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6	The apparatus according to claim 5, wherein said inhibitor determines said predetermined threshold periodically. [10:45-47]
7	The apparatus according to claim 2, wherein said beam splitter is a DFT filter bank using single side band modulation. [10:48-50]
8	The apparatus according to claim 2, further comprising a beam selector for selecting at least one of a plurality of beams for adaptive filtering by said adaptive filter representing a direction from which said main signal is received. [10:51-54]
9	The apparatus according to claim 8, wherein said adaptive filter updates coefficients representing said transform function and comprehensively stores said coefficients for each beam selected by said beam selector. [10:55-58]
10	The apparatus according to claim 8, wherein said beam selector selects said plurality of said beams for simultaneous adaptive filtering by said adaptive filter. [10:59-61]
11	The apparatus according to claim 10, wherein said beam selector

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	selects a beam having a fixed direction and a beam which rotates in direction. [10:62-64]
12a	The apparatus according to claim 2, further comprising a noise gate for gating said main signal adaptively filtered by said adaptive filter by opening said noise gate when a signal-to-noise ratio at the near end is above a predetermined threshold and gradually closing said noise gate when said signal-to-noise ratio at the near end is below the predetermined threshold; [10:65-11:1-4]
12b	wherein said noise gate determines said predetermined threshold by selecting a low threshold when a signal-to-noise ratio of said reference signal of the far end is low, updating said predetermined threshold upwards when said signal-to-noise ratio of said reference signal of the far end goes up and gradually reducing said predetermined threshold when said signal-to-noise ratio of the reference signal at the far end goes down. [11:4-11]
25	An interference canceling method for canceling, from a target signal generated from a target source, an interference signal generated by an

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	interference source, said method comprising the steps of: [12:15-18]
25a	inputting said target signal; [12:19]
25b	inputting said interference signal; [12:20]
25c	beam-splitting said target signal into a plurality of band-limited target signals and beam-splitting said interference signal into band-limited interference signals, wherein the amount and frequency of band-limited target signals equal the amount and frequency of band-limited interference signals, whereby for each band-limited target signal there is a corresponding band-limited interference signal; and [12:21-28]
25d	adaptively filtering, each band-limited interference signal from each corresponding band-limited target signal. [12:28-29]
26	The method according to claim 25, wherein said target signal represents speech generated at a near end of a teleconference, said reference signal represents said target signal broadcast from a far end of said teleconference and said interference signal represents an echo

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