```
        ShastraIdTagOut(fd, (shastraIdTag *) bunch->things[0]);
        ShastraIntOut(fd, &pShmInfo->shmId);
        cmFlush(fd);
        return;
    }
#endif              /* USESHAREDMEMFORPICT */
    putStringOnChannel(fd, REQ_SEND_MSGPICT, "putCollSendMsgPictHandler()")
        ;
    ShastraIdTagOut(fd, (shastraIdTag *) bunch->things[0]);
    PictDataBitesOut(fd, pPCBites);
    cmFlush(fd);
}
/*
 * Function
 */
int
putCollRecvdMsgPictHandler(fd, buf)
    int             fd;
    char           *buf;
{
    putStringOnChannel(fd, REQ_RECVD_MSGPICT, "putCollRecvdMsgPictHandler(
        )");
    putStringOnChannel(fd, buf, "putCollRecvdMsgPictHandler()");
    cmFlush(fd);
}

/*
 * Function
 */

int
putCollStartXSCntlHandler(fd, pSIdTag)
    int             fd;
    shastraIdTag   *pSIdTag;
{
    putStringOnChannel(fd, REQ_START_XSCNTL, "putCollStartXSCntlHandler()")
        ;
    ShastraIdTagOut(fd, pSIdTag);
    cmFlush(fd);
}
/*
 * Function
 */
int
putCollEndXSCntlHandler(fd, pSIdTag)
    int             fd;
    shastraIdTag   *pSIdTag;
{
    putStringOnChannel(fd, REQ_END_XSCNTL, "putCollEndXSCntlHandler()");
    ShastraIdTagOut(fd, pSIdTag);
    cmFlush(fd);
}
/*
```


Petitioner Microsoft Corporation, Ex. 1002, p. 2001

```
 * Function
 */
int
putCollSendXSCntlHandler(fd, buf)
    int             fd;
    char           *buf;
{
    bunchOfThings  *bunch;
    bunch = (bunchOfThings *) buf;
    putStringOnChannel(fd, REQ_SEND_XSCNTL, "putCollSendXSCntlHandler()");
    ShastraIdTagOut(fd, (shastraIdTag *) bunch->things[0]);
    putStringOnChannel(fd, bunch->things[1], "putCollSendXSCntlHandler()");
    cmFlush(fd);
}
/*
 * Function
 */
int
putCollSendMsgXSCntlHandler(fd, buf)
    int             fd;
    char           *buf;
{
    bunchOfThings  *bunch;
    xsCntlDatas    *pXSCBites;
    int             n;
    shmInfo        *pShmInfo;

    bunch = (bunchOfThings *) buf;
    pXSCBites = (xsCntlDatas *) bunch->things[1];
#ifdef USESHAREDMEMFORXSCD
    if (kernelShastraId.lIPAddr == localShaIdIn[fd].lIPAddr) {
        pShmInfo = pSesMgrCollData->pShmInfoOut;
        if (!pShmInfo->shmDirty) {
            pShmInfo->shmDirty = 1;
/*CHECK*/
            n = 0;
            if (shMemReuseSegment(pShmInfo, ((n > 10240) ? n : 10240)) == 0
                ) {
                fprintf(stderr, "putCollSendMsgXSCntlHandler()->couldn't
                    shMemReuseSegment!\n");
            }
            xsCntlDatasMemOut(pShmInfo->shmAddr, pShmInfo->shmSize,
                pXSCBites);
        }
        putStringOnChannel(fd, REQ_SEND_MSGSHMXSCNTL,
                   "putCollSendMsgXSCntlHandler()");
        ShastraIdTagOut(fd, (shastraIdTag *) bunch->things[0]);
        ShastraIntOut(fd, &pShmInfo->shmId);
        cmFlush(fd);
        return;
    }
#endif              /* USESHAREDMEMFORXSCD */
    putStringOnChannel(fd, REQ_SEND_MSGXSCNTL, "putCollSendMsgXSCntlHandler
```


Petitioner Microsoft Corporation, Ex. 1002, p. 2002

```
        ()");
    ShastraIdTagOut(fd, (shastraIdTag *) bunch->things[0]);
    XSCntlBitesOut(fd, pXSCBites);
    cmFlush(fd);
}
/*
 * Function
 */
int
putCollRecvdMsgXSCntlHandler(fd, buf)
    int             fd;
    char           *buf;
{
    putStringOnChannel(fd, REQ_RECVD_MSGXSCNTL,
        "putCollRecvdMsgXSCntlHandler()");
    putStringOnChannel(fd, buf, "putCollRecvdMsgXSCntlHandler()");
    cmFlush(fd);
}

/*
 * Function
 */

int
putCollStartPntrHandler(fd, pSIdTag)
    int             fd;
    shastraIdTag   *pSIdTag;
{
    putStringOnChannel(fd, REQ_START_PNTR, "putCollStartPntrHandler()");
    ShastraIdTagOut(fd, pSIdTag);
    cmFlush(fd);
}
/*
 * Function
 */
int
putCollEndPntrHandler(fd, pSIdTag)
    int             fd;
    shastraIdTag   *pSIdTag;
{
    putStringOnChannel(fd, REQ_END_PNTR, "putCollEndPntrHandler()");
    ShastraIdTagOut(fd, pSIdTag);
    cmFlush(fd);
}
/*
 * Function
 */
int
putCollSendPntrHandler(fd, buf)
    int             fd;
    char           *buf;
{
    bunchOfThings  *bunch;
```


Petitioner Microsoft Corporation, Ex. 1002, p. 2003

```
    bunch = (bunchOfThings *) buf;
    putStringOnChannel(fd, REQ_SEND_PNTR, "putCollSendPntrHandler()");
    ShastraIdTagOut(fd, (shastraIdTag *) bunch->things[0]);
    putStringOnChannel(fd, bunch->things[1], "putCollSendPntrHandler()");
    cmFlush(fd);
}
/*
 * Function
 */
int
putCollSendMsgPntrHandler(fd, buf)
    int             fd;
    char           *buf;
{
    bunchOfThings  *bunch;
    shaDoubles     *pPntrD;
    int             n;
    shmInfo        *pShmInfo;

    bunch = (bunchOfThings *) buf;
    pPntrD = (shaDoubles *) bunch->things[1];
#ifdef USESHAREDMEMFORPNTR
    if (kernelShastraId.lIPAddr == localShaIdIn[fd].lIPAddr) {
        pShmInfo = pSesMgrCollData->pShmInfoOut;
        if (!pShmInfo->shmDirty) {
            pShmInfo->shmDirty = 1;
            n = strlen(msg) + 1;
            if (shMemReuseSegment(pShmInfo, ((n > 10240) ? n : 10240)) == 0
                ) {
                fprintf(stderr, "putCollSendMsgPntrHandler()->couldn't
                    shMemReuseSegment!\n");
            }
            memcpy(pShmInfo->shmAddr, msg, n);
        }
        putStringOnChannel(fd, REQ_SEND_MSGSHMPNTR,
            "putCollSendMsgPntrHandler()");
        ShastraIdTagOut(fd, (shastraIdTag *) bunch->things[0]);
        ShastraIntOut(fd, &pShmInfo->shmId);
        cmFlush(fd);
        return;
    }
#endif              /* USESHAREDMEMFORPNTR */

    putStringOnChannel(fd, REQ_SEND_MSGPNTR, "putCollSendMsgPntrHandler()")
        ;
    ShastraIdTagOut(fd, (shastraIdTag *) bunch->things[0]);
    PntrBiteOut(fd, pPntrD);
    cmFlush(fd);
}
/*
 * Function
 */
int
```


Petitioner Microsoft Corporation, Ex. 1002, p. 2004

```
putCollRecvdMsgPntrHandler(fd, buf)
    int             fd;
    char           *buf;
{
    putStringOnChannel(fd, REQ_RECVD_MSGPNTR, "putCollRecvdMsgPntrHandler(
        )");
    putStringOnChannel(fd, buf, "putCollRecvdMsgPntrHandler()");
    cmFlush(fd);
}


/*
 * Function
 */

int
putCollStartCursorHandler(fd, pSIdTag)
    int             fd;
    shastraIdTag   *pSIdTag;
{
    putStringOnChannel(fd, REQ_START_CURSOR, "putCollStartCursorHandler()")
        ;
    ShastraIdTagOut(fd, pSIdTag);
    cmFlush(fd);
}
/*
 * Function
 */
int
putCollEndCursorHandler(fd, pSIdTag)
    int             fd;
    shastraIdTag   *pSIdTag;
{
    putStringOnChannel(fd, REQ_END_CURSOR, "putCollEndCursorHandler()");
    ShastraIdTagOut(fd, pSIdTag);
    cmFlush(fd);
}
/*
 * Function
 */
int
putCollSendCursorHandler(fd, buf)
    int             fd;
    char           *buf;
{
    bunchOfThings  *bunch;
    bunch = (bunchOfThings *) buf;
    putStringOnChannel(fd, REQ_SEND_CURSOR, "putCollSendCursorHandler()");
    ShastraIdTagOut(fd, (shastraIdTag *) bunch->things[0]);
    putStringOnChannel(fd, bunch->things[1], "putCollSendCursorHandler()");
    cmFlush(fd);
}
/*
```


Petitioner Microsoft Corporation, Ex. 1002, p. 2005

```
 * Function
 */
int
putCollSendMsgCursorHandler(fd, buf)
    int             fd;
    char           *buf;
{
    bunchOfThings  *bunch;
    shaDoubles     *pCursorD;
    int             n;
    shmInfo        *pShmInfo;

    bunch = (bunchOfThings *) buf;
    pCursorD = (shaDoubles *) bunch->things[1];
#ifdef USESHAREDMEMFORCURSOR
    if (kernelShastraId.lIPAddr == localShaIdIn[fd].lIPAddr) {
        pShmInfo = pSesMgrCollData->pShmInfoOut;
        if (!pShmInfo->shmDirty) {
            pShmInfo->shmDirty = 1;
            n = strlen(msg) + 1;
            if (shMemReuseSegment(pShmInfo, ((n > 10240) ? n : 10240)) == 0
                ) {
                fprintf(stderr, "putCollSendMsgCursorHandler()->couldn't
                    shMemReuseSegment!\n");
            }
            memcpy(pShmInfo->shmAddr, msg, n);
        }
        putStringOnChannel(fd, REQ_SEND_MSGSHMCURSOR,
            "putCollSendMsgCursorHandler()");
        ShastraIdTagOut(fd, (shastraIdTag *) bunch->things[0]);
        ShastraIntOut(fd, &pShmInfo->shmId);
        cmFlush(fd);
        return;
    }
#endif              /* USESHAREDMEMFORCURSOR */

    putStringOnChannel(fd, REQ_SEND_MSGCURSOR, "putCollSendMsgCursorHandler
        ()");
    ShastraIdTagOut(fd, (shastraIdTag *) bunch->things[0]);
    CursorBiteOut(fd, pCursorD);
    cmFlush(fd);
}
/*
 * Function
 */
int
putCollRecvdMsgCursorHandler(fd, buf)
    int             fd;
    char           *buf;
{
    putStringOnChannel(fd, REQ_RECVD_MSGCURSOR,
        "putCollRecvdMsgCursorHandler()");
    putStringOnChannel(fd, buf, "putCollRecvdMsgCursorHandler()");
```


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```
    cmFlush(fd);
}



/*
 * Function
 */
int
putSetCollPermsHandler(fd, arg)
    int             fd;
    char           *arg;
{
    shastraIdTag   *pSIdTag;
    shastraIdTag   *pPermTag;
    bunchOfThings  *bunch = (bunchOfThings *) arg;

    pSIdTag = (shastraIdTag *) bunch->things[0];
    pPermTag = (shastraIdTag *) bunch->things[1];
    putStringOnChannel(fd, REQ_SET_COLLPERMS, "putSetCollPermsHandler()");
    ShastraIdTagOut(fd, pSIdTag);
    ShastraIdTagOut(fd, pPermTag);
    cmFlush(fd);
}

/*
 * Function
 */
int
putSetSesmCollPermsHandler(fd, arg)
    int             fd;
    char           *arg;
{
    shastraIdTag   *pSIdTag;
    shastraIdTags  *pPermTags;
    bunchOfThings  *bunch = (bunchOfThings *) arg;

    pSIdTag = (shastraIdTag *) bunch->things[0];
    pPermTags = (shastraIdTags *) bunch->things[1];
    putStringOnChannel(fd, REQ_SET_SESMCOLLPERMS,
        "putSetSesmCollPermsHandler()");
    ShastraIdTagOut(fd, pSIdTag);
    ShastraIdTagsOut(fd, pPermTags);
    cmFlush(fd);
}

/*
 * Function
 */
int
putCollSetIxnModeHandler(fd, pIxnMode)
    int             fd;
    unsigned long  *pIxnMode;
```


Petitioner Microsoft Corporation, Ex. 1002, p. 2007

```
{
    putStringOnChannel(fd, REQ_SET_IXNMODE, "putCollSetIxnModeHandler()");
    ShastraULongOut(fd, pIxnMode);
    cmFlush(fd);
}

/*
 * Function
 */
int
putCollSetFloorModeHandler(fd, pFloorMode)
    int             fd;
    unsigned long  *pFloorMode;
{
    putStringOnChannel(fd, REQ_SET_FLOORMODE, "putCollSetFloorModeHandler(
        )");
    ShastraULongOut(fd, pFloorMode);
    cmFlush(fd);
}

/*
 * Function
 */
int
putCollSetSesFormatHandler(fd, pSesFormat)
    int             fd;
    unsigned long  *pSesFormat;
{
    putStringOnChannel(fd, REQ_SET_SESFORMAT, "putCollSetSesFormatHandler(
        )");
    ShastraULongOut(fd, pSesFormat);
    cmFlush(fd);
}

/*
 * Function
 */
int
putCollGrabTokenHandler(fd, pSIdTagToken)
    int             fd;
    shastraIdTag   *pSIdTagToken;
{
    putStringOnChannel(fd, REQ_GRAB_TOKEN, "putCollGrabTokenHandler()");
    ShastraIdTagOut(fd, pSIdTagToken);
    cmFlush(fd);
}

/*
 * Function
 */
int
putCollFreeTokenHandler(fd, pSIdTagToken)
    int             fd;
```


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```
    shastraIdTag   *pSIdTagToken;
{
    putStringOnChannel(fd, REQ_FREE_TOKEN, "putCollFreeTokenHandler()");
    ShastraIdTagOut(fd, pSIdTagToken);
    cmFlush(fd);
}

/*
 * Function
 */
int
putCollTellTokenHandler(fd, pSIdTagToken)
    int             fd;
    shastraIdTag   *pSIdTagToken;
{
    putStringOnChannel(fd, REQ_TELL_TOKEN, "putCollTellTokenHandler()");
    ShastraIdTagOut(fd, pSIdTagToken);
    cmFlush(fd);
}

/*
 * Function
 */
int
putCollAskTokenHandler(fd, pSIdTagToken)
    int             fd;
    shastraIdTag   *pSIdTagToken;
{
    putStringOnChannel(fd, REQ_ASK_TOKEN, "putCollAskTokenHandler()");
    ShastraIdTagOut(fd, pSIdTagToken);
    cmFlush(fd);
}




/*
 * Function
 */
closedChannelCleanUpHandler(fd)
    int             fd;
{
    if (shaKernFlags[fd] == SHAFRONT) {
        collLeaveCleanUpHandler(fd);
    } else {
        mplexUnRegisterChannel(fd);
/* CHECK actually initiate retry-connection sequence */
    }
}

/*
 * Function
```


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```
 */
int putCollCommMsgTextHandler(fd, pSmSIdTag, pToSIdTag, pSIdTag, sbMsg)
    int fd;
    shastraIdTag *pSmSIdTag;
    shastraIdTag *pToSIdTag;
    shastraIdTag *pSIdTag;
    char *sbMsg;
{
    putStringOnChannel(fd, REQ_COMM_MSGTEXT, "putCollCommMsgTextHandler()")
        ;
    ShastraIdTagOut(fd, pSmSIdTag);
    ShastraIdTagOut(fd, pToSIdTag);
    ShastraIdTagOut(fd, pSIdTag);
    sendDataString(fd, sbMsg);
    cmFlush(fd);
}

/*
 * Function
 */
int collCommMsgTextHandler(fd)
    int fd;
{
    shastraIdTag    smSIdTag;
    shastraIdTag    toSIdTag;
    shastraIdTag    sIdTag;
    char *sMsg;
    int outFd;

    ShastraIdTagIn(fd, &smSIdTag);
    ShastraIdTagIn(fd, &toSIdTag);
    ShastraIdTagIn(fd, &sIdTag);
    sMsg = cmReceiveString(fd);
    cmAckOk(fd);
    cmFlush(fd);

    switch(routeFrontSIdTagToFd(&toSIdTag, &outFd,
            "collCommMsgTextHandler()")){
        case route_FRONT:
            putCollCommMsgTextHandler(outFd, &smSIdTag, &toSIdTag,
                &sIdTag, sMsg);
        break;
        case route_ERROR:
        default:
        break;
    }
    sprintf(sbOutMsgBuf, "Done -- %s\n", REQ_COMM_MSGTEXT);
    showInfo(sbOutMsgBuf);
}

/*
 * Function
 */
```


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```
int putCollCommMsgTextFileHandler(fd, pSmSIdTag, pToSIdTag, pSIdTag, sbMsg)
    int fd;
    shastraIdTag *pSmSIdTag;
    shastraIdTag *pToSIdTag;
    shastraIdTag *pSIdTag;
    char *sbMsg;
{
    putStringOnChannel(fd, REQ_COMM_MSGTEXTFILE,
        "putCollCommMsgTextFileHandler()");
    ShastraIdTagOut(fd, pSmSIdTag);
    ShastraIdTagOut(fd, pToSIdTag);
    ShastraIdTagOut(fd, pSIdTag);
    sendDataString(fd, sbMsg);
    cmFlush(fd);
}

/*
 * Function
 */
int collCommMsgTextFileHandler(fd)
    int fd;
{
    shastraIdTag    smSIdTag;
    shastraIdTag    toSIdTag;
    shastraIdTag    sIdTag;
    char *sMsg;
    int outFd;

    ShastraIdTagIn(fd, &smSIdTag);
    ShastraIdTagIn(fd, &toSIdTag);
    ShastraIdTagIn(fd, &sIdTag);
    sMsg = cmReceiveString(fd);
    cmAckOk(fd);
    cmFlush(fd);

    switch(routeFrontSIdTagToFd(&toSIdTag, &outFd,
            "collCommMsgTextFileHandler()")){
        case route_FRONT:
            putCollCommMsgTextFileHandler(outFd, &smSIdTag, &toSIdTag,
                &sIdTag, sMsg);
        break;
        case route_ERROR:
        default:
        break;
    }
    sprintf(sbOutMsgBuf, "Done -- %s\n", REQ_COMM_MSGTEXTFILE);
    showInfo(sbOutMsgBuf);
}

/*
 * Function
 */
int putCollCommMsgAudioHandler(fd, pSmSIdTag, pToSIdTag, pSIdTag, sbMsg)
```


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```
    int fd;
    shastraIdTag *pSmSIdTag;
    shastraIdTag *pToSIdTag;
    shastraIdTag *pSIdTag;
    char *sbMsg;
{
    putStringOnChannel(fd, REQ_COMM_MSGAUDIO, "putCollCommMsgAudioHandler(
        )");
    ShastraIdTagOut(fd, pSmSIdTag);
    ShastraIdTagOut(fd, pToSIdTag);
    ShastraIdTagOut(fd, pSIdTag);
    sendDataString(fd, sbMsg);
    cmFlush(fd);
}

/*
 * Function
 */
int collCommMsgAudioHandler(fd)
    int fd;
{
    shastraIdTag    smSIdTag;
    shastraIdTag    toSIdTag;
    shastraIdTag    sIdTag;
    char *sMsg;
    int outFd;

    ShastraIdTagIn(fd, &smSIdTag);
    ShastraIdTagIn(fd, &toSIdTag);
    ShastraIdTagIn(fd, &sIdTag);
    sMsg = cmReceiveString(fd);
    cmAckOk(fd);
    cmFlush(fd);

    switch(routeFrontSIdTagToFd(&toSIdTag, &outFd,
            "collCommMsgAudioHandler()")){
        case route_FRONT:
            putCollCommMsgAudioHandler(outFd, &smSIdTag, &toSIdTag,
                &sIdTag, sMsg);
        break;
        case route_ERROR:
        default:
        break;
    }
    sprintf(sbOutMsgBuf, "Done -- %s\n", REQ_COMM_MSGAUDIO);
    showInfo(sbOutMsgBuf);
}

/*
 * Function
 */
int putCollCommMsgAudioFileHandler(fd, pSIdTag, pToSIdTag, pSmSIdTag, sbMsg
    )
```


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```
    int fd;
    shastraIdTag *pSIdTag;
    shastraIdTag *pToSIdTag;
    shastraIdTag *pSmSIdTag;
    char *sbMsg;
{
    putStringOnChannel(fd, REQ_COMM_MSGAUDIOFILE,
        "putCollCommMsgAudioFileHandler()");
    ShastraIdTagOut(fd, pSmSIdTag);
    ShastraIdTagOut(fd, pToSIdTag);
    ShastraIdTagOut(fd, pSIdTag);
    sendDataString(fd, sbMsg);
    cmFlush(fd);
}

/*
 * Function
 */
int collCommMsgAudioFileHandler(fd)
    int fd;
{
    shastraIdTag    smSIdTag;
    shastraIdTag    toSIdTag;
    shastraIdTag    sIdTag;
    char *sMsg;
    int outFd;

    ShastraIdTagIn(fd, &smSIdTag);
    ShastraIdTagIn(fd, &toSIdTag);
    ShastraIdTagIn(fd, &sIdTag);
    sMsg = cmReceiveString(fd);
    cmAckOk(fd);
    cmFlush(fd);

    switch(routeFrontSIdTagToFd(&toSIdTag, &outFd,
            "collCommMsgAudioFileHandler()")){
        case route_FRONT:
            putCollCommMsgAudioFileHandler(outFd, &smSIdTag, &toSIdTag,
                &sIdTag, sMsg);
        break;
        case route_ERROR:
        default:
        break;
    }
    sprintf(sbOutMsgBuf, "Done -- %s\n", REQ_COMM_MSGAUDIOFILE);
    showInfo(sbOutMsgBuf);
}

/*
 * Function
 */
int putCollCommMsgVideoHandler(fd, pSmSIdTag, pToSIdTag, pSIdTag, sbMsg)
    int fd;
```


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```
    shastraIdTag *pSmSIdTag;
    shastraIdTag *pToSIdTag;
    shastraIdTag *pSIdTag;
    char *sbMsg;
{
    putStringOnChannel(fd, REQ_COMM_MSGVIDEO, "putCollCommMsgVideoHandler(
        )");
    ShastraIdTagOut(fd, pSmSIdTag);
    ShastraIdTagOut(fd, pToSIdTag);
    ShastraIdTagOut(fd, pSIdTag);
    sendDataString(fd, sbMsg);
    cmFlush(fd);
}

/*
 * Function
 */
int collCommMsgVideoHandler(fd)
    int fd;
{
    shastraIdTag    smSIdTag;
    shastraIdTag    toSIdTag;
    shastraIdTag    sIdTag;
    char *sMsg;
    int outFd;

    ShastraIdTagIn(fd, &smSIdTag);
    ShastraIdTagIn(fd, &toSIdTag);
    ShastraIdTagIn(fd, &sIdTag);
    sMsg = cmReceiveString(fd);
    cmAckOk(fd);
    cmFlush(fd);

    switch(routeFrontSIdTagToFd(&toSIdTag, &outFd,
            "collCommMsgVideoHandler()")){
        case route_FRONT:
            putCollCommMsgVideoHandler(outFd, &smSIdTag, &toSIdTag,
                &sIdTag, sMsg);
        break;
        case route_ERROR:
        default:
        break;
    }
    sprintf(sbOutMsgBuf, "Done -- %s\n", REQ_COMM_MSGVIDEO);
    showInfo(sbOutMsgBuf);
}

/*
 * Function
 */
int putCollCommMsgVideoFileHandler(fd, pSmSIdTag, pToSIdTag, pSIdTag, sbMsg
    )
    int fd;
```


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```
    shastraIdTag *pSmSIdTag;
    shastraIdTag *pToSIdTag;
    shastraIdTag *pSIdTag;
    char *sbMsg;
{
    putStringOnChannel(fd, REQ_COMM_MSGVIDEOFILE,
        "putCollCommMsgVideoFileHandler()");
    ShastraIdTagOut(fd, pSmSIdTag);
    ShastraIdTagOut(fd, pToSIdTag);
    ShastraIdTagOut(fd, pSIdTag);
    sendDataString(fd, sbMsg);
    cmFlush(fd);
}

/*
 * Function
 */
int collCommMsgVideoFileHandler(fd)
    int fd;
{
    shastraIdTag    smSIdTag;
    shastraIdTag    toSIdTag;
    shastraIdTag    sIdTag;
    char *sMsg;
    int outFd;

    ShastraIdTagIn(fd, &smSIdTag);
    ShastraIdTagIn(fd, &toSIdTag);
    ShastraIdTagIn(fd, &sIdTag);
    sMsg = cmReceiveString(fd);
    cmAckOk(fd);
    cmFlush(fd);

    switch(routeFrontSIdTagToFd(&toSIdTag, &outFd,
            "collCommMsgVideoFileHandler()")){
        case route_FRONT:
            putCollCommMsgVideoFileHandler(outFd, &smSIdTag, &toSIdTag,
                &sIdTag, sMsg);
        break;
        case route_ERROR:
        default:
        break;
    }
    sprintf(sbOutMsgBuf, "Done -- %s\n", REQ_COMM_MSGVIDEOFILE);
    showInfo(sbOutMsgBuf);
}
```


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```
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#include <stdio.h>

#include <X11/Intrinsic.h>
#include <X11/StringDefs.h>
#include <X11/Shell.h>

#include <Xm/Form.h>
#include <Xm/Label.h>
#include <Xm/Text.h>
#include <Xm/RowColumn.h>

#include <shastra/uitools/strListUtilities.h>
#include <shastra/uitools/buttonBox.h>
#include <shastra/uitools/confirmCB.h>
#include <shastra/uitools/chooseOne.h>
#include <shastra/uitools/callbackArg.h>

#include <shastra/datacomm/shastraIdH.h>
#include <shastra/datacomm/shastraIdTagH.h>

#include <shastra/shautils/shautils.h>
#include <shastra/shautils/kernelFronts.h>
#include <shastra/shautils/sesMgrFronts.h>

#include <shastra/session/sesMgrMainCB.h>
#include <shastra/session/sesMgr.h>
#include <shastra/session/sesMgr_client.h>
#include <shastra/session/sesMgrState.h>
```


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```
/*
 * Function: createMainCmdShell (private)
 *
 */

Widget
createMainCmdShell(wgParent)
    Widget          wgParent;
{
    Widget          wgMainCmdShell, wgMainCmdForm;
    Widget          wgName;
    XmString        xmName;
    char *sName;

    /* Create the menu popup shell */
    wgMainCmdShell = XtVaCreatePopupShell("mainCmdShell",
                topLevelShellWidgetClass, wgParent, NULL);

    /*
     * Create the menu form widget used to position the widgets inside
     * the
     */
    /* menu window */
    wgMainCmdForm = XtVaCreateManagedWidget("mainCmdForm",
        xmFormWidgetClass,
                    wgMainCmdShell, NULL);

    sName = resolveNameFrom2Bases(pSesMgrAppData->sDirBase,
                  pSesMgrAppData->sDirDefs, "bitmaps/terminal.xbm");
    wgName = XtVaCreateManagedWidget("hostNameLabel", xmLabelWidgetClass,
                   wgMainCmdForm,
                   XmNbackgroundPixmap,
                      convertStringToPixmap(wgMainCmdForm, sName),
                   NULL);
    xmName = XmStringCreateSimple(shortenName(kernelHostName));
    XtVaSetValues(wgName, XmNlabelString, (XtArgVal) xmName, NULL);
    XmStringFree(xmName);

    /*
     * Create the button box and state box objects that are inside the
     * menu
     */
    /* window */

    createMainCmdButtonBox(wgMainCmdForm);
    createMainDbgButtonBox(wgMainCmdForm);
    createTextStatusBox(wgMainCmdForm);

    return wgMainCmdShell;
}

/*
 * Function: createMainCmdButtonBox (private)
```


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```
 */
Widget          wgMainKill;
Widget          wgMainQuit;
chooseOne      *pcoShastraSesMgr;
chooseOne      *pcoShastraKern;
chooseOne      *pcoShastraFront;
chooseOne      *pcoShastraSys;
char          **rgsbShastraKern;
char          **rgsbShastraSesMgr;
char          **rgsbShastraFront;
char          **rgsbShastraSys;
char           *rgsbNull[] = {NULL};

void
createMainCmdButtonBox(wgParent)
    Widget          wgParent;
{
    static button   abu[] = {
        {"kill", &wgMainKill},
        {"quit", &wgMainQuit},
        {NULL, NULL}
    };

    buttonBoxCreate("mainBtnsBox", wgParent, abu, True);

    /* Create a choose one object to select one system */
    pcoShastraFront = chooseOneCreate(NULL, coNoInitialHighlight,
                      wgMainKill, chooseOneTestCB,
                    (XtPointer) pcbArgPopup, wgMainKill,
                       "Choose Local Front-end", 200, NULL);
    chooseOneChangeList(pcoShastraFront, rgsbNull, coNoInitialHighlight);

    /* Create a choose one object to select one system */
    pcoShastraSesMgr = chooseOneCreate(NULL, coNoInitialHighlight,
                       wgMainKill, chooseOneTestCB,
                     (XtPointer) pcbArgPopup, wgMainKill,
                      "Choose Remote SesMgr", 200, NULL);
    chooseOneChangeList(pcoShastraSesMgr, rgsbNull, coNoInitialHighlight);

    /* Create a choose one object to select one system */
    pcoShastraKern = chooseOneCreate(NULL, coNoInitialHighlight,
                     wgMainKill, chooseOneTestCB,
                     (XtPointer) pcbArgPopup, wgMainKill,
                     "Choose Remote Kernel", 200, NULL);
    chooseOneChangeList(pcoShastraKern, rgsbNull, coNoInitialHighlight);

    /* Create a choose one object to select one system */
    pcoShastraSys = chooseOneCreate(NULL, coNoInitialHighlight,
                    wgMainKill, chooseOneTestCB,
                    (XtPointer) pcbArgPopup, wgMainKill,
                    "Choose Remote System", 200, NULL);
    chooseOneChangeList(pcoShastraSys, rgsbNull, coNoInitialHighlight);
```


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```
    XtAddCallback(wgMainQuit, XmNactivateCallback, mainQuitCB, NULL);
    XtAddCallback(wgMainKill, XmNactivateCallback, mainKillCB,
              (XtPointer) pcoShastraFront);
}

/*
 * Function: createTextStatusBox (private)
 */
Widget          wgStatusText;

void
createTextStatusBox(wgParent)
    Widget          wgParent;
{
    Arg             args[8];
    int             n;

    n = 0;
    XtSetArg(args[n], XmNrows, 5);
    n++;
    XtSetArg(args[n], XmNcolumns, 40);
    n++;
    XtSetArg(args[n], XmNeditable, False);
    n++;
    XtSetArg(args[n], XmNeditMode, XmMULTI_LINE_EDIT);
    n++;
    XtSetArg(args[n], XmNscrollBarDisplayPolicy, XmAS_NEEDED);
    n++;
    wgStatusText = XmCreateScrolledText(wgParent, "mainStatusText",
                        args, n);
    XtManageChild(wgStatusText);
}


/*
 * Function: createMainDbgButtonBox (private)
 */
Widget          wgDbgCheckSys;
Widget          wgDbgGetSys;
Widget          wgDbgGetKern;
Widget          wgDbgCheckSmFr;
Widget          wgDbgGetSmFr;
Widget          wgDbgGetSesm;

void
createMainDbgButtonBox(wgParent)
    Widget          wgParent;
{
    static button   abu[] = {
        {"getKern", &wgDbgGetKern},
        {"getSys", &wgDbgGetSys},
        {"checkSys", &wgDbgCheckSys},
        {"getSesm", &wgDbgGetSesm},
```


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```
        {"getSmFr", &wgDbgGetSmFr},
        {"checkSmFr", &wgDbgCheckSmFr},
        {NULL, NULL}
    };

    buttonBoxCreate("dbgBtnsBox", wgParent, abu, True);

    XtAddCallback(wgDbgCheckSys, XmNactivateCallback, dbgCheckSysCB,
            (XtPointer) pcoShastraKern);
    XtAddCallback(wgDbgGetSys, XmNactivateCallback, dbgGetSysCB,
            (XtPointer) pcoShastraKern);
    XtAddCallback(wgDbgGetKern, XmNactivateCallback, dbgGetKernCB,
            (XtPointer) NULL);
    XtAddCallback(wgDbgCheckSmFr, XmNactivateCallback, dbgCheckSmFrCB,
            (XtPointer) pcoShastraSesMgr);
    XtAddCallback(wgDbgGetSmFr, XmNactivateCallback, dbgGetSmFrCB,
            (XtPointer) pcoShastraSesMgr);
    XtAddCallback(wgDbgGetSesm, XmNactivateCallback, dbgGetSesmCB,
            (XtPointer) NULL);
}

void
mainKillCB(widget, xpClientData, call_data)
    Widget          widget;
    XtPointer       xpClientData, call_data;
{
    chooseOne      *pco = (chooseOne *) xpClientData;

    strcpy(pcbArgPopup->msg, "chooseSystem");
    pcbArgPopup->operation = endSystemOprn;
    pcbArgPopup->fWantOprn = 1;
    pcbArgPopup->fWantArg = 0;  /* no call for name */
    pcbArgPopup->wgInitiator = widget;

    /* Pop up the choose one object */
    chooseOneMobExec(pco, widget);

}

void
mainQuitCB(widget, closure, call_data)
    Widget          widget;
    XtPointer       closure, call_data;
{
    strcpy(pcbArgPopup->msg, "Confirm Action");
    strcpy(pcbArgPopup->prompt, "Please Confirm Action");
    pcbArgPopup->operation = quitOprn;
    pcbArgPopup->fWantOprn = 1;
    pcbArgPopup->fWantArg = 0;  /* call for name */
    pcbArgPopup->wgInitiator = widget;
    ConfirmPopup(widget);

}
```


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```
void
dbgCheckSysCB(wg, xpClientData, call_data)
    Widget          wg;
    XtPointer       xpClientData, call_data;
{
    chooseOne      *pco = (chooseOne *) xpClientData;

    strcpy(pcbArgPopup->msg, "chooseKernel");
    pcbArgPopup->operation = dbgCheckSysOprn;
    pcbArgPopup->fWantOprn = 1;
    pcbArgPopup->fWantArg = 0;  /* no call for name */
    pcbArgPopup->wgInitiator = wg;

    /* Pop up the choose one object */
    chooseOneMobExec(pco, wg);

}


void
dbgGetSysCB(wg, xpClientData, call_data)
    Widget          wg;
    XtPointer       xpClientData, call_data;
{
    chooseOne      *pco = (chooseOne *) xpClientData;

    strcpy(pcbArgPopup->msg, "chooseKern");
    pcbArgPopup->operation = getShaKernFrIdOprn;
    pcbArgPopup->fWantOprn = 1;
    pcbArgPopup->fWantArg = 0;  /* no call for name */
    pcbArgPopup->wgInitiator = wg;

    /* Pop up the choose one object */
    chooseOneMobExec(pco, wg);

}

void
dbgGetKernCB(wg, xpClientData, call_data)
    Widget          wg;
    XtPointer       xpClientData, call_data;
{
    getShaKernIdOprn(0);
}

void
dbgCheckSysOprn(iObjIndex)
    int             iObjIndex;
{
    shastraIds     *pSIds;
    shastraId      *pSId;
```


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```
    int             kernFd;

    pSId = shastraKernIds.shastraIds_val[iObjIndex];
    kernFd = locateKernFronts(pSId);
    if (kernFd < 0) {
        fprintf(stderr, "dbgCheckSysOprn()->kernFd = %d\n", kernFd);
        return;
    }
    pSIds = getKernFrontSIds(pSId);

    if (rgsbShastraSys != NULL) {
        strListDestroy(rgsbShastraSys);
    }
    rgsbShastraSys = pSIds2StrTab(pSIds, PSIDSHOWALL);
    chooseOneChangeList(pcoShastraSys, rgsbShastraSys, coNoInitialHighlight
        );

    strcpy(pcbArgPopup->msg, "chooseSys");
    pcbArgPopup->operation = NULL;
    pcbArgPopup->fWantOprn = 0;
    pcbArgPopup->fWantArg = 0;  /* no call for name */

    /* Pop up the choose one object */
    chooseOneMobExec(pcoShastraSys, pcbArgPopup->wgInitiator);
}



void
dbgCheckSmFrCB(wg, xpClientData, call_data)
    Widget          wg;
    XtPointer       xpClientData, call_data;
{
    chooseOne      *pco = (chooseOne *) xpClientData;

    strcpy(pcbArgPopup->msg, "chooseSesMgr");
    pcbArgPopup->operation = dbgCheckSmFrOprn;
    pcbArgPopup->fWantOprn = 1;
    pcbArgPopup->fWantArg = 0;  /* no call for name */
    pcbArgPopup->wgInitiator = wg;

    /* Pop up the choose one object */
    chooseOneMobExec(pco, wg);

}


void
dbgGetSmFrCB(wg, xpClientData, call_data)
    Widget          wg;
    XtPointer       xpClientData, call_data;
{
```


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```
    chooseOne      *pco = (chooseOne *) xpClientData;

    strcpy(pcbArgPopup->msg, "chooseSesm");
    pcbArgPopup->operation = getShaSesmFrIdOprn;
    pcbArgPopup->fWantOprn = 1;
    pcbArgPopup->fWantArg = 0;  /* no call for name */
    pcbArgPopup->wgInitiator = wg;

    /* Pop up the choose one object */
    chooseOneMobExec(pco, wg);

}

void
dbgGetSesmCB(wg, xpClientData, call_data)
    Widget          wg;
    XtPointer       xpClientData, call_data;
{
    getShaSesmIdOprn(0);
}

void
dbgCheckSmFrOprn(iObjIndex)
    int             iObjIndex;
{
    shastraIdTags  *pSIdTags;
    shastraIdTag   *pSIdTag;
    int             smIndex;

    pSIdTag = (shastraIdTag *) & shastraSesmIds.shastraIds_val[iObjIndex]->
        lSIDTag;
    smIndex = locateSesmFronts(pSIdTag);
    if (smIndex < 0) {
        fprintf(stderr, "dbgCheckSysOprn()->smIndex = %d\n", smIndex);
        return;
    }
    pSIdTags = getSesmFrontSIdTags(pSIdTag);

    if (rgsbShastraSys != NULL) {
        strListDestroy(rgsbShastraSys);
    }
    rgsbShastraSys = mapSIdTags2StrTab(pSIdTags, PSIDSHOWALL);
    chooseOneChangeList(pcoShastraSys, rgsbShastraSys, coNoInitialHighlight
        );

    strcpy(pcbArgPopup->msg, "chooseSys");
    strcpy(pcbArgPopup->prompt, "Enter Password:");
    pcbArgPopup->operation = endSystemOprn;
    pcbArgPopup->fWantOprn = 1;
    pcbArgPopup->fWantArg = 1;  /* call for name */

    /* Pop up the choose one object */
    chooseOneMobExec(pcoShastraSys, pcbArgPopup->wgInitiator);
```


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```
}


/*
 * Function --
 */
void
outputTextToWidget(s, wg, pCurrentPosn)
    char           *s;
    Widget          wg;
    XmTextPosition *pCurrentPosn;
{
    XmTextBlock     textBlock;
    XmTextPosition  currentPosn;

    if (pCurrentPosn == 0) {
        currentPosn = XmTextGetInsertionPosition(wg);
        pCurrentPosn = &currentPosn;
    } else {
        XmTextSetInsertionPosition(wg, *pCurrentPosn);
    }
    XmTextReplace(wg, *pCurrentPosn, *pCurrentPosn, s);
    *pCurrentPosn += strlen(s);

#ifdef WANTTHIS
    /* Save output in buffer */
    if (strlen(saveBuffer) + strlen(s) + 1 <= MAXLEN) {
        strcat(saveBuffer, s);
    } else {
        printf("Save-buffer overflow.\n");
    }
#endif              /* WANTTHIS */
}
```


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#include <stdio.h>

#include <shastra/draw/drawdata.h>
#include <shastra/draw/pict.h>
#include <shastra/network/mplex.h>
#include <shastra/network/server.h>
#include <shastra/solid/imageIO.h>

void            generateContoursFromPict(Prot5(pictData *, int, int, int,
    int));

mLineData      *
readLineImageFD(fd)
    int           fd;
{
    int             i, j;

    mLineData      *mLine;
    lineData       *line;
    char *sbIn;

    mLine = (mLineData *) malloc(sizeof(mLineData));

    sbIn = cmReceiveString(fd);
    sscanf(sbIn, "%d", &mLine->nLines);
    free(sbIn);

    mLine->lines = (lineData *) malloc(sizeof(lineData) *
                        mLine->nLines);
```


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```
    for (i = 0; i < mLine->nLines; i++) {
        line = &mLine->lines[i];
        sbIn = cmReceiveString(fd);
        sscanf(sbIn, "%d", &line->number);
        free(sbIn);
        line->array = (double (*)[3]) malloc(sizeof(double) *
                              3 * line->number);

        for (j = 0; j < line->number; j++) {
            sbIn = cmReceiveString(fd);
            sscanf(sbIn, "%lf%lf%lf",
                   &line->array[j][0],
                   &line->array[j][1],
                   &line->array[j][2]);
            free(sbIn);
        }
    }
    return mLine;
}
mLineData      *
readLineImage(inStream)
    FILE           *inStream;
{
    int             i, j;

    mLineData      *mLine;
    lineData       *line;

    mLine = (mLineData *) malloc(sizeof(mLineData));
    fscanf(inStream, "%d", &mLine->nLines);
    mLine->lines = (lineData *) malloc(sizeof(lineData) *
                        mLine->nLines);
    for (i = 0; i < mLine->nLines; i++) {
        line = &mLine->lines[i];
        fscanf(inStream, "%d", &line->number);
        line->array = (double (*)[3]) malloc(sizeof(double) *
                              3 * line->number);

        for (j = 0; j < line->number; j++) {
            fscanf(inStream, "%lf%lf%lf",
                   &line->array[j][0],
                   &line->array[j][1],
                   &line->array[j][2]);
        }
    }
    return mLine;
}

void
writeLineImageFD(fd, mLine)
    int           fd;
    mLineData      *mLine;
{
```


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```
    int             i, j;
    lineData       *line;
    char sbOut[256];

    sprintf(sbOut, "%d\n", mLine->nLines);
    cmSendString(fd,sbOut);
    for (i = 0; i < mLine->nLines; i++) {
        line = &mLine->lines[i];
        sprintf(sbOut, "%d\n", line->number);
        cmSendString(fd,sbOut);

        for (j = 0; j < line->number; j++) {
            sprintf(sbOut, "%lf %lf %lf\n",
                line->array[j][0],
                line->array[j][1],
                line->array[j][2]);
            cmSendString(fd,sbOut);
        }
    }
}
void
writeLineImage(outStream, mLine)
    FILE           *outStream;
    mLineData      *mLine;
{
    int             i, j;
    lineData       *line;

    fprintf(outStream, "%d\n", mLine->nLines);
    for (i = 0; i < mLine->nLines; i++) {
        line = &mLine->lines[i];
        fprintf(outStream, "%d\n", line->number);

        for (j = 0; j < line->number; j++) {
            fprintf(outStream, "%lf %lf %lf\n",
                line->array[j][0],
                line->array[j][1],
                line->array[j][2]);
        }
    }
}

void
freeLineImage(mLine)
    mLineData      *mLine;
{
    int             i, j;
    lineData       *line;

    for (i = 0; i < mLine->nLines; i++) {
        line = &mLine->lines[i];
        free(line->array);
    }
```


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```
    free(mLine->lines);
    free(mLine);
}


mLineData      *
copyLineImage(inmLine)
    mLineData      *inmLine;
{
    int             i, j;

    mLineData      *mLine;
    lineData       *line;
    lineData       *inLine;

    mLine = (mLineData *) malloc(sizeof(mLineData));
    mLine->nLines = inmLine->nLines;
    mLine->lines = (lineData *) malloc(sizeof(lineData) *
                        mLine->nLines);
    for (i = 0; i < mLine->nLines; i++) {
        line = &mLine->lines[i];
        inLine = &inmLine->lines[i];
        line->number = inLine->number;
        line->array = (double (*)[3]) malloc(sizeof(double) *
                              3 * line->number);

        memcpy(line->array, inLine->array, sizeof(double) *
              3 * line->number);
    }
    return mLine;
}

int
sendPictContours(fd, pPict)
    int             fd;
    pictData       *pPict;
{
    mLineData       mLine;

    generateContoursFromPict(pPict, 1/*fBern*/, 1/*fCircEll*/,
        24/*iPieces*/, 0/*iForLamina*/);
    mLine.nLines = pPict->nPicts;
    mLine.lines = pPict->contours;
    writeLineImageFD(fd, &mLine);
    return 1;
}
```


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/**
    **/
/*****************************************************************************
    ***/
/*****************************************************************************
    ***/
/*
 * convert.c
 */

#include <stdio.h>

#include <poly/poly.h>
#include <poly/polymath.h>
#include <shastra/solid/datadefs.h>
#include <shastra/solid/edgetypes.h>
#include <shastra/solid/eqntypes.h>
#include <shastra/solid/macros.h>
#include <shastra/solid/readSolid.h>
#include <ipoly/iPolyH.h>
#include <ipoly/ipolyutil.h>

#define DEBUG 0
#define iabs(x) ((x) < 0 ? -(x) : (x))

extern char *stdVars[3];



Solid_Ptr
convertIPolyToSolid(pIPoly)
     iPoly *pIPoly;
{
  Stack_Union solObject;
  int i,j;
```


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```
  int nDEs = 0;
  Solid_Ptr pSolid = createSolid();
  Vertex_Ptr pVertex;
  Edge_Ptr pEdge;
  Face_Ptr pFace;
  Cycle_Ptr pCycle;
  DEdge_Ptr pDEdge;

  strcpy(pSolid->name, "iPolySolid");
  if (DEBUG) {
    fprintf(stdout, "######solid#######\n\n");
    fprintf(stdout, "SOLID %s\n", pSolid->name);
    fprintf(stdout, "%d %d %d\t#vertices, edges, faces\n",
        IPolyNVerts(pIPoly), IPolyNEdges(pIPoly), IPolyNFaces(pIPoly));
  }
  for (i = 0; i < IPolyNVerts(pIPoly); i++) {
    pVertex = createVertex();
    solObject.vertex = pVertex;
    AddObjToSolid(&solObject, VERTEX, pSolid);
  }
  for (i = 0; i < IPolyNEdges(pIPoly); i++) {
    pEdge = createEdge();
    solObject.edge = pEdge;
    AddObjToSolid(&solObject, EDGE, pSolid);
  }
/*CHECK -- assuming #faces == #cycles.. true except for grouped objects..*/
  for (i = 0; i < IPolyNFaces(pIPoly); i++) {
    pFace = createFace();
    solObject.face = pFace;
    AddObjToSolid(&solObject, FACE, pSolid);
    pCycle = createCycle();
    solObject.cycle = pCycle;
    AddObjToSolid(&solObject, CYCLE, pSolid);
  }

/*  if((IPolyNVertFaceAdjs(pIPoly) == 0) || (IPolyNVertEdgeAdjs(pIPoly) ==
    0)){
    genIPolyAdjInfo(pIPoly);
  }*/

  if (DEBUG) {
    fprintf(stdout, "######vertices#######\n\n");
  }
  for (i = 0; i < IPolyNVerts(pIPoly); i++) {
    Vertex_Ptr pVertex = Solid_Vertex(pSolid, i);
    double *point;
    int iV = i+1;

    point = IPolyVert(pIPoly, i);
    sprintf(pVertex->name, "v%d", iV);
    pVertex->point[0] = point[0];
    pVertex->point[1] = point[1];
    pVertex->point[2] = point[2];
```


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```
    if (DEBUG) {
      fprintf(stdout, "%lf %lf %lf\t#point for v%d\n",
          point[0], point[1], point[2], iV);
    }

    if((IPolyNVertFaceAdjs(pIPoly) > 0) &&
       (IPolyNVertEdgeAdjs(pIPoly) > 0)){
/*have vert face and edge adjs, use to compute adj info*/
      for (j = 0; j < IPolyVertNFaceAdjs(pIPoly, i); j++) {
    IPolyVertFaceAdj(pIPoly, i, j);
      }
      for (j = 0; j < IPolyVertNEdgeAdjs(pIPoly, i); j++) {
    IPolyVertEdgeAdj(pIPoly, i, j);
      }
    }
/*    fDoneVertAdjs; */
  }

  if (DEBUG) {
    fprintf(stdout, "######edges#######\n");
  }
  for (i = 0; i < IPolyNEdges(pIPoly); i++) {
    Edge_Ptr pEdge = Solid_Edge(pSolid, i);
    Vertex_Ptr v1, v2;
    int iE = i+1;
    int iV1, iV2;

    sprintf(pEdge->name, "e%d", iE);
    iV1 = IPolyEdgeV1(pIPoly, i) +1;
    iV2 = IPolyEdgeV2(pIPoly, i) +1;
    fillIndex(&pEdge->vertex1,0,VERTEX,iV1);
    fillIndex(&pEdge->vertex2,0,VERTEX,iV2);
    if (DEBUG) {
      fprintf(stdout, "%s\t#name for e%d\n", pEdge->name, iE);
      fprintf(stdout, "V %d\t#vert1 for e%d\n", iV1, iE);
      fprintf(stdout, "V %d\t#vert2 for e%d\n", iV2, iE);
    }
    pEdge->type = LINEAR;
    v1 = Solid_Vertex(pSolid, iV1 - 1);
    v2 = Solid_Vertex(pSolid, iV2 - 1);
    pEdge->tan12[0] = v2->point[0] - v1->point[0];
    pEdge->tan12[1] = v2->point[1] - v1->point[1];
    pEdge->tan12[2] = v2->point[2] - v1->point[2];
    normalizeDblVector(pEdge->tan12);
    pEdge->tan21[0] = -pEdge->tan12[0];
    pEdge->tan21[1] = -pEdge->tan12[1];
    pEdge->tan21[2] = -pEdge->tan12[2];
    if (DEBUG) {
      fprintf(stdout, "%lf %lf %lf\t#tan12 for e%d\n",
          pEdge->tan12[0], pEdge->tan12[1], pEdge->tan12[2], iE);
      fprintf(stdout, "%lf %lf %lf\t#tan21 for e%d\n",
          pEdge->tan21[0], pEdge->tan21[1], pEdge->tan21[2], iE);
    }
```


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```
    if(IPolyNEdgeFaceAdjs(pIPoly) > 0){
/*have edge face adjs, use to get dedge info*/
      for (j = 0; j < IPolyEdgeNFaceAdjs(pIPoly, i); j++) {
    IPolyEdgeFaceAdj(pIPoly, i, j);
      }
    }
/* fDoneEdgeDEs = 1*/
  }

  if (DEBUG) {
    fprintf(stdout, "######faces#######\n");
  }
  for (i = 0; i < IPolyNFaces(pIPoly); i++) {
    CycleList_Ptr pCycPtr;
    DEList_Ptr pDEPtr;
    AdjList_Ptr pAdjPtr;
    int iF = i+1;
    int iD, iND, iPD, iV;
    Poly PlaneEqnFrom3Pts();

    pFace = Solid_Face(pSolid, i);
    sprintf(pFace->name, "f%d", iF);
    pFace->type = IMPLICIT;
    if (DEBUG) {
      fprintf(stdout, "%s\t#name for f%d\n", pFace->name, iF);
    }
    if(IPolyNFaceVerts(pIPoly, i) >= 3){
      pFace->equation =
    PlaneEqnFrom3Pts(IPolyVert(pIPoly, IPolyFaceVert(pIPoly, i, 0)),
             IPolyVert(pIPoly, IPolyFaceVert(pIPoly, i, 1)),
             IPolyVert(pIPoly, IPolyFaceVert(pIPoly, i, 2)));
    }
    else{
      pFace->equation = Parse("x + y + z");
    }
    ConformPolyToVars(3, stdVars, pFace->equation);

    pFace->normal = createEqnItem();
    pFace->normal->eQN = DiffPoly(pFace->equation, 0);
    ConformPolyToVars(3, stdVars, pFace->normal->eQN);
    pFace->normal->next = createEqnItem();
    pFace->normal->next->eQN = DiffPoly(pFace->equation, 1);
    ConformPolyToVars(3, stdVars, pFace->normal->next->eQN);
    pFace->normal->next->next = createEqnItem();
    pFace->normal->next->next->eQN = DiffPoly(pFace->equation, 2);
    ConformPolyToVars(3, stdVars, pFace->normal->next->next->eQN);
    if (DEBUG) {
      fprintf(stdout, "%s\t#Equation for f%d\n",
          UnParse(pFace->equation), iF);
      fprintf(stdout, "%s\t#X normal component for f%d\n",
          UnParse(pFace->normal->eQN), iF);
      fprintf(stdout, "%s\t#Y normal component for f%d\n",
          UnParse(pFace->normal->next->eQN), iF);
```


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```
      fprintf(stdout, "%s\t#Z normal component for f%d\n",
          UnParse(pFace->normal->next->next->eQN), iF);
    }
    if (DEBUG) {
      fprintf(stdout, "1\t#number of cycles for f%d\n", iF);
    }
    pCycPtr = createCycleItem();
    pCycPtr->next = pFace->cycles;
    pFace->cycles = pCycPtr;
    if (DEBUG) {
      fprintf(stdout, "C %d\t#cycle for f%d\n", iF, iF);
    }
    fillIndex(&pCycPtr->cycle,0,CYCLE,iF);

    pCycle = Solid_Cycle(pSolid, i);
    if (DEBUG) {
      fprintf(stdout, "F %d\t#face for c%d\n", iF, iF);
    }
    fillIndex(&pCycle->face,0,FACE,iF);

    if((IPolyNEdgeFaces(pIPoly) > 0) &&
       (IPolyNEdgeFaces(pIPoly) == IPolyNVertFaces(pIPoly))){
/*have faces by edge and vertex, use to compute dedges, adj info*/
      for (j = 0; j < IPolyNFaceEdges(pIPoly, i); j++) {
    pDEdge = createDEdge();
    solObject.dEdge = pDEdge;
    AddObjToSolid(&solObject, DEDGE, pSolid);
    nDEs ++;

    iD = IPolyFaceEdge(pIPoly, i, j);
    iND = (j==IPolyNFaceEdges(pIPoly, i)-1)?
      nDEs-IPolyNFaceEdges(pIPoly, i)+1: nDEs+1;
    iPD = (j==0)?
      nDEs+IPolyNFaceEdges(pIPoly, i)-1: nDEs-1;
    pEdge = Solid_Edge(pSolid, iabs(iD)-1);

    pDEPtr = createDEdgeItem();
    pDEPtr->next = pEdge->dEdges;
    pEdge->dEdges = pDEPtr;
    if (DEBUG) {
      fprintf(stdout, "D %d\t#dedge for e%d\n", nDEs, iabs(iD));
    }
    fillIndex(&pDEPtr->dEdge,0,DEDGE, nDEs);

    if (DEBUG) {
      fprintf(stdout, "E %d\t#edge for de%d\n", iabs(iD), nDEs);
      fprintf(stdout, "C %d\t#cycle for de%d\n", iF, nDEs);
      fprintf(stdout, "RO %d\t#orientn for de%d\n", iD>0?1:0, nDEs);
      fprintf(stdout, "D %d\t#nextde for de%d\n", iND, nDEs);
    }
    pDEdge->rightOrientation = (iD>0)?1:0;
    fillIndex(&pDEdge->edge,0,EDGE,iabs(iD));
    fillIndex(&pDEdge->cycle,0,FACE,iF);
```


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```
      fillIndex(&pDEdge->nextDE,0,DEDGE,iND);
      if(j==0){
        if (DEBUG) {
          fprintf(stdout, "D %d\t#dedge for c%d\n", nDEs, iF);
        }
        fillIndex(&pCycle->dEdge,0,DEDGE,nDEs);
      }

      iV = IPolyFaceVert(pIPoly, i, j)+1;/*indexed from 0*/
      pVertex = Solid_Vertex(pSolid, iV-1);
      pAdjPtr = createAdjItem();
      pAdjPtr->next = pVertex->adjacencies;
      pVertex->adjacencies = pAdjPtr;
      fillIndex(&pAdjPtr->face, 0, FACE, iF);
      fillIndex(&pAdjPtr->dEIn, 0, DEDGE, iPD);
      fillIndex(&pAdjPtr->dEOut, 0, DEDGE, nDEs);
      if (DEBUG) {
        fprintf(stdout, "F %d\t#face adj for v%d\n", iF, iV);
        fprintf(stdout, "D %d\t#dedge in for v%d\n",
            pAdjPtr->dEIn.index, iV);
        fprintf(stdout, "D %d\t#dedge out for v%d\n",
            pAdjPtr->dEOut.index, iV);
      }
        }
      }
      else{
        fprintf(stderr,"convertIPolyToSolid()->inconsistency in iPoly!\n");
      }
    }
  /*
    if(!fDoneVertAdjs){
      setAllVertexAdjacencies(pSolid);
    }
  */

    return pSolid;
  }
```


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```
/*****************************************************************************
    ***/
/*****************************************************************************
    ***/
/**
    **/
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    **/
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    **/
/**
    **/
/*****************************************************************************
    ***/
/*****************************************************************************
    ***/
/*****************************************************************************/
/*
 * copySolid.c - input functions for solid at the network interface
 *
 * copyString()
 *
 * copyIndex() copyAdjItem() copyEqnItem()
 *
 * copyVertex() copyDEdge() copyEdge() copyCycle() copyFace() copySolid()
 *
 */
/*****************************************************************************/

#include <stdio.h>
#include <ctype.h>

#include <shastra/shilp.h>
#include <shastra/solid/datadefs.h>
#include <shastra/solid/macros.h>
#include <shastra/solid/bern.h>

#include <poly/poly.h>
#include <poly/polymath.h>
#include <shastra/solid/readSolid.h>
#include <shastra/solid/copySolid.h>

/*
 * copyIndex(inIndex, iptr) - copy an index
 *
```


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```
 */
void
copyIndex(inIndex, iptr)
    Index_Ptr       inIndex, iptr;
{
    memcpy(iptr, inIndex, sizeof(Index_Struct));
}

/*****************************************************************/
/*
 * copyAdjItem( inAdjItem,aptr ) - copy an adjacency into item pointer
 *
 */
/*****************************************************************/
void
copyAdjItem(inAdjItem, aptr)
    AdjList_Ptr     inAdjItem, aptr;
{
    copyIndex(&inAdjItem->face, &aptr->face);
    copyIndex(&inAdjItem->dEIn, &aptr->dEIn);
    copyIndex(&inAdjItem->dEOut, &aptr->dEOut);
}

/*****************************************************************/
/*
 * copyEqnItem(inEqnItem ) - copy an equation item, create it and return it
 */
/*****************************************************************/
EQNList_Ptr
copyEqnItem(inEqnItem)
    EQNList_Ptr     inEqnItem;
{
    EQNList_Ptr     New_Eqn = createEqnItem();

    New_Eqn->eQN = CopyPoly(inEqnItem->eQN);

    return (New_Eqn);
}

/*****************************************************************/
/*
 * reverseBernPar( inEqn) - reverse bernstein-parametric eqn
 *
 */
/*****************************************************************/
void
reverseBernPar(inEqn)
    BernPar_Ptr     inEqn;
{
    int             i;
    int             n, n2;
    double          tmpBuf[3];
    if ((inEqn == NULL) || (inEqn->degree == 0)) {
```


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```
        return;
    }
    n = (1 + inEqn->degree);
    n2 = n / 2;
    for (i = 0; i < n2; i++) {
        memcpy(tmpBuf, inEqn->coeffs[i], 3 * sizeof(double));
        memcpy(inEqn->coeffs[i], inEqn->coeffs[n - i], 3 * sizeof(double));
        memcpy(inEqn->coeffs[n - i], tmpBuf, 3 * sizeof(double));
    }
    return;
}
/******************************************************************************/
/*
 * copyBernPar( inEqn) - copy bernstein-parametric eqn, return pointer
 *
 */
/******************************************************************************/
BernPar_Ptr
copyBernPar(inEqn)
    BernPar_Ptr     inEqn;
{
    int             i;
    BernPar_Ptr     eqn;
    if (inEqn == NULL) {
        return NULL;
    }
    eqn = (BernPar_Ptr) malloc(sizeof(BernPar));
    eqn->degree = inEqn->degree;
    if (eqn->degree > 0) {
        eqn->coeffs = (double (*)[3])
            createMem(3 * (1 + eqn->degree) * sizeof(double));
        memcpy(eqn->coeffs,inEqn->coeffs,
              3 * (1 + eqn->degree) * sizeof(double));
    }
    return eqn;
}
/******************************************************************************/
/*
 * reverseBernParQuad( inEqn) - reverse bernstein-parametric quad eqn
 *
 */
/******************************************************************************/
void
reverseBernParQuad(inEqn)
    BernParQuad_Ptr inEqn;
{
    int             i;
    int             n, n2;
    double          tmpBuf[3];
    if ((inEqn == NULL) || (inEqn->degree == 0)) {
        return;
    }
    n = (1 + inEqn->degree);
```


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```
    n2 = n / 2;
    for (i = 0; i < n2; i++) {
        memcpy(tmpBuf, inEqn->coeff1[i], 3 * sizeof(double));
        memcpy(inEqn->coeff1[i], inEqn->coeff1[n - i], 3 * sizeof(double));
        memcpy(inEqn->coeff1[n - i], tmpBuf, 3 * sizeof(double));
    }
    for (i = 0; i < n2; i++) {
        memcpy(tmpBuf, inEqn->coeff2[i], 3 * sizeof(double));
        memcpy(inEqn->coeff2[i], inEqn->coeff2[n - i], 3 * sizeof(double));
        memcpy(inEqn->coeff2[n - i], tmpBuf, 3 * sizeof(double));
    }
    return;
}
/*****************************************************************************/
/*
 * copyBernParQuad( inEqn) - copy bernstein-parametric eqn, return pointer
 *
 */
/*****************************************************************************/
BernParQuad_Ptr
copyBernParQuad(inEqn)
    BernParQuad_Ptr inEqn;
{
    int             i;
    BernParQuad_Ptr eqn;
    if (inEqn == NULL) {
        return NULL;
    }
    eqn = (BernParQuad_Ptr) malloc(sizeof(BernParQuad));
    eqn->degree = inEqn->degree;
    if (eqn->degree > 0) {
        eqn->coeff1 = (double (*)[3])
            createMem(3 * (1 + eqn->degree) * sizeof(double));
        eqn->coeff2 = (double (*)[3])
            createMem(3 * (1 + eqn->degree) * sizeof(double));
        memcpy(eqn->coeff1,inEqn->coeff1,
              3 * (1 + eqn->degree) * sizeof(double));
        memcpy(eqn->coeff2,inEqn->coeff2,
              3 * (1 + eqn->degree) * sizeof(double));
    }
    return eqn;
}
/*****************************************************************************/
/*
 * reverseBernTensor( inEqn) - reverse bernstein-parametric quad eqn
 *
 */
/*****************************************************************************/
void
reverseBernTensor(inEqn)
    BernTensor_Ptr  inEqn;
{
    int             i;
```


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```
    int             n, n2;
    double          tmpBuf[3];
    if ((inEqn == NULL) || (inEqn->degree == 0)) {
        return;
    }
    n = (1 + inEqn->degree);
    n2 = n / 2;
    for (i = 0; i < n2; i++) {
        memcpy(tmpBuf, inEqn->coeff1[i], 3 * sizeof(double));
        memcpy(inEqn->coeff1[i], inEqn->coeff1[n - i], 3 * sizeof(double));
        memcpy(inEqn->coeff1[n - i], tmpBuf, 3 * sizeof(double));
    }
    for (i = 0; i < n2; i++) {
        memcpy(tmpBuf, inEqn->coeff2[i], 3 * sizeof(double));
        memcpy(inEqn->coeff2[i], inEqn->coeff2[n - i], 3 * sizeof(double));
        memcpy(inEqn->coeff2[n - i], tmpBuf, 3 * sizeof(double));
    }
    return;
}
/*****************************************************************************/
/*
 * copyBernTensor( inEqn) - copy bernstein-parametric eqn, return pointer
 *
 */
/*****************************************************************************/
BernTensor_Ptr
copyBernTensor(inEqn)
    BernTensor_Ptr  inEqn;
{
    int             i;
    BernTensor_Ptr  eqn;
    if (inEqn == NULL) {
        return NULL;
    }
    eqn = (BernTensor_Ptr) malloc(sizeof(BernTensor));
    eqn->degree = inEqn->degree;
    if (eqn->degree > 0) {
        eqn->coeff1 = (double (*)[3])
            createMem(3 * (1 + eqn->degree) * sizeof(double));
        eqn->coeff2 = (double (*)[3])
            createMem(3 * (1 + eqn->degree) * sizeof(double));
        memcpy(eqn->coeff1,inEqn->coeff1,
              3 * (1 + eqn->degree) * sizeof(double));
        memcpy(eqn->coeff2,inEqn->coeff2,
              3 * (1 + eqn->degree) * sizeof(double));
        memcpy(eqn->tangent,inEqn->tangent,
              3 * sizeof(double));
    }
    return eqn;
}

/*****************************************************************************/
/*
```


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```
 * copyVertex(inVertex) - copy in and create a single vertex return a
     pointer
 * to the vertex
 */
/*****************************************************************/
Vertex_Ptr
copyVertex(inVertex)
    Vertex_Ptr      inVertex;
{
    Vertex_Ptr      New_Vertex = createVertex();
    AdjList_Ptr     last_adj, src_adj;
    int             i, num_adj;
    double          a, b, c;

    /* copy in the point value */
    memcpy(New_Vertex->point, inVertex->point, sizeof(double) * 3);

    /* copy adjacencies */
    for (src_adj = inVertex->adjacencies, i = 0; src_adj != NULL;
         src_adj = src_adj->next, i++) {
        if (i == 0) {
            last_adj = New_Vertex->adjacencies = createAdjItem();
            copyAdjItem(src_adj, last_adj);
        } else {
            last_adj->next = createAdjItem();
            copyAdjItem(src_adj, last_adj->next);
            last_adj = last_adj->next;
        }
    }
    return (New_Vertex);
}

/*****************************************************************/
/*
 * copyDEdge(inDEdge) - copy in and create a new directed edge
 *
 */
/*****************************************************************/
DEdge_Ptr
copyDEdge(inDEdge)
    DEdge_Ptr       inDEdge;
{
    DEdge_Ptr       New_DEdge = createDEdge();

    copyIndex(&inDEdge->cycle, &New_DEdge->cycle);
    New_DEdge->rightOrientation = inDEdge->rightOrientation;
    copyIndex(&inDEdge->edge, &New_DEdge->edge);
    copyIndex(&inDEdge->nextDE, &New_DEdge->nextDE);
    return (New_DEdge);
}

/*****************************************************************/
/*
```


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```
 * copyEdge(inEdge) - copy in and create an edge return a pointer to the
     edge
 *
 */
/*****************************************************************/
Edge_Ptr
copyEdge(inEdge)
    Edge_Ptr        inEdge;
{
    Edge_Ptr        New_Edge = createEdge();
    DEList_Ptr      last_de, src_de;
    int             i;

    /* copy edge name */
    strcpy(New_Edge->name, inEdge->name);

    /* copy vertex1 & vertex2 indices */
    copyIndex(&inEdge->vertex1, &New_Edge->vertex1);
    copyIndex(&inEdge->vertex2, &New_Edge->vertex2);

    /* copy edge type */
    New_Edge->type = inEdge->type;

    /* copy tangents */
    memcpy(New_Edge->tan12, inEdge->tan12, sizeof(double) * 3);
    memcpy(New_Edge->tan21, inEdge->tan21, sizeof(double) * 3);

    /* copy directed edges */
    for (src_de = inEdge->dEdges, i = 0; src_de != NULL;
         src_de = src_de->next, i++) {
        if (i == 0) {
            last_de = New_Edge->dEdges = createDEdgeItem();
            copyIndex(&src_de->dEdge, &last_de->dEdge);
        } else {
            last_de->next = createDEdgeItem();
            copyIndex(&src_de->dEdge, &last_de->next->dEdge);
            last_de = last_de->next;
        }
    }

    /* copy aux eqn */
    New_Edge->aux_Eqn = CopyPoly(inEdge->aux_Eqn);

    /* see if there is a bernstein eqn */
    New_Edge->eqn = copyBernPar(inEdge->eqn);
    return (New_Edge);
}

/*****************************************************************/
/*
 * copyCycle(inCycle) - copy in, create and return a cycle
 *
 */
```


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```
/*****************************************************************************/
Cycle_Ptr
copyCycle(inCycle)
    Cycle_Ptr       inCycle;
{
    Cycle_Ptr       New_Cycle = createCycle();

    copyIndex(&inCycle->face, &New_Cycle->face);
    copyIndex(&inCycle->dEdge, &New_Cycle->dEdge);

    return (New_Cycle);
}

/*****************************************************************************/
/*
 * copyFace(inFace) - copy in and create a face return a pointer to the new
 * face
 *
 */
/*****************************************************************************/
Face_Ptr
copyFace(inFace)
    Face_Ptr        inFace;
{
    Face_Ptr        New_Face = createFace();
    EQNList_Ptr     last_eqn, next_eqn;
    CycleList_Ptr   last_cycle, src_cycle;
    int             i;

    /* copy name */
    strcpy(New_Face->name, inFace->name);

    /* copy type */
    New_Face->type = inFace->type;

    /* copy equation */
    New_Face->equation = CopyPoly(inFace->equation);
    New_Face->bernQuad = copyBernParQuad(inFace->bernQuad);
    New_Face->bernTens = copyBernTensor(inFace->bernTens);

    /* copy the (three) normal equations */
    New_Face->normal = copyEqnItem(inFace->normal);
    New_Face->normal->next = copyEqnItem(inFace->normal->next);
    New_Face->normal->next->next = copyEqnItem(inFace->normal->next->next);

    /* copy in the cycles */
    for (src_cycle = inFace->cycles, i = 0; src_cycle != NULL;
         src_cycle = src_cycle->next, i++) {
        if (i == 0) {
            last_cycle = New_Face->cycles = createCycleItem();
            copyIndex(&src_cycle->cycle, &last_cycle->cycle);
        } else {
            last_cycle->next = createCycleItem();
```


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```
            copyIndex(&src_cycle->cycle, &last_cycle->next->cycle);
            last_cycle = last_cycle->next;
        }
    }

    return (New_Face);
}

/*****************************************************************************/
/*
 * copySolid(inSolid) - copy a solid from another. return a pointer to the
 * new solid
 *
 */
/*****************************************************************************/
Solid_Ptr
copySolid(inSolid)
    Solid_Ptr       inSolid;
{
    /* WARNING-- if marked field is -1, piece won't be copied */
    Solid_Ptr       New_Solid = createSolid();
    int             i;
    Stack_Union     object;

    strcpy(New_Solid->name, inSolid->name);

    /* copy all the solid subcomponents */
    printf("copying vertices\n");
    for (i = 0; i < inSolid->vertices->index; i++) {
        object.vertex = copyVertex(Solid_Vertex(inSolid, i));
        AddObjToSolid(&object, VERTEX, New_Solid);
    }

    printf("copying edges\n");
    for (i = 0; i < inSolid->edges->index; i++) {
        object.edge = copyEdge(Solid_Edge(inSolid, i));
        AddObjToSolid(&object, EDGE, New_Solid);
    }

    printf("copying faces\n");
    for (i = 0; i < inSolid->faces->index; i++) {
        object.face = copyFace(Solid_Face(inSolid, i));
        AddObjToSolid(&object, FACE, New_Solid);
    }

    printf("copying dedges\n");
    for (i = 0; i < inSolid->dEdges->index; i++) {
        object.dEdge = copyDEdge(Solid_DEdge(inSolid, i));
        AddObjToSolid(&object, DEDGE, New_Solid);
    }

    printf("copying cycles\n");
    for (i = 0; i < inSolid->cycles->index; i++) {
```


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```
        object.cycle = copyCycle(Solid_Cycle(inSolid, i));
        AddObjToSolid(&object, CYCLE, New_Solid);
    }

    return (New_Solid);
}

/*****************************************************************************/
/*
 * copyMarkedSolid(inSolid) - copy a marked solid from another. return a
 * pointer to the new solid, marked fields not copied
 *
 */
/*****************************************************************************/
Solid_Ptr
copyMarkedSolid(inSolid)
    Solid_Ptr       inSolid;
{
    Solid_Ptr       New_Solid = createSolid();
    int             i;
    Stack_Union     object;
    int             nfv, nfe, nff, nfc, nfd;

    strcpy(New_Solid->name, inSolid->name);

    nfv = inSolid->vertices->index;
    nfe = inSolid->edges->index;
    nff = inSolid->faces->index;
    nfc = inSolid->cycles->index;
    nfd = inSolid->dEdges->index;

    printf("copying unmarked vertices\n");
    for (i = 0; i < nfv; i++) {
        AdjList_Ptr     adjs;
        Vertex_Ptr      V, fV;
        Face_Ptr        fF;
        DEdge_Ptr       fD;
        int             iV;

        fV = Solid_Vertex(inSolid, i);
        if (fV->marked == -1) {
            continue;
        }
        V = object.vertex = copyVertex(fV);
        AddObjToSolid(&object, VERTEX, New_Solid);

        for (adjs = V->adjacencies; adjs != NULL; adjs = adjs->next) {
            fF = Solid_Face(inSolid, adjs->face.index - 1);
            if (fF->marked == -1) {
                fprintf(stderr, "copyMarkedSolid()->Warning: bad face %d on
                    adjs!\n",
                    adjs->face.index - 1);
            } else {
```


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```
            adjs->face.index -= fF->marked;
        }

        fD = Solid_DEdge(inSolid, adjs->dEIn.index - 1);
        if (fD->marked == -1) {
            fprintf(stderr, "copyMarkedSolid()->Warning: bad deIn %d in
                adjs!\n",
                adjs->dEIn.index - 1);
        } else {
            adjs->dEIn.index -= fD->marked;
        }

        fD = Solid_DEdge(inSolid, adjs->dEOut.index - 1);
        if (fD->marked == -1) {
            fprintf(stderr, "copyMarkedSolid()->Warning: bad deOut %d
                in adjs!\n",
                adjs->dEOut.index - 1);
        } else {
            adjs->dEOut.index -= fD->marked;
        }
    }
}

printf("copying unmarked edges\n");
for (i = 0; i < nfe; i++) {
    Edge_Ptr        E, fE;
    Vertex_Ptr      fV;
    DEList_Ptr      des;
    int             iE;

    fE = Solid_Edge(inSolid, i);
    if (fE->marked == -1) {
        continue;
    }
    E = object.edge = copyEdge(fE);
    AddObjToSolid(&object, EDGE, New_Solid);

    fV = Solid_Vertex(inSolid, E->vertex1.index - 1);
    if (fV->marked == -1) {
        fprintf(stderr, "copyMarkedSolid()->Warning: bad vert %d on
            edge!\n",
            E->vertex1.index - 1);
    } else {
        E->vertex1.index -= fV->marked;
    }

    fV = Solid_Vertex(inSolid, E->vertex2.index - 1);
    if (fV->marked == -1) {
        fprintf(stderr, "copyMarkedSolid()->Warning: bad vert %d on
            edge!\n",
            E->vertex2.index - 1);
    } else {
        E->vertex2.index -= fV->marked;
```


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```
        }

        for (des = E->dEdges; des != NULL; des = des->next) {
            DEdge_Ptr       fD;
            fD = Solid_DEdge(inSolid, des->dEdge.index - 1);
            if (fD->marked == -1) {
                fprintf(stderr, "copyMarkedSolid()->Warning: bad dedge %d
                    on edge!\n",
                    des->dEdge.index - 1);
            } else {
                des->dEdge.index -= fD->marked;
            }
        }
    }

    printf("copying unmarked faces\n");
    for (i = 0; i < nff; i++) {
        Face_Ptr        F, fF;
        CycleList_Ptr   cycs;

        fF = Solid_Face(inSolid, i);
        if (fF->marked == -1) {
            continue;
        }
        F = object.face = copyFace(fF);
        AddObjToSolid(&object, FACE, New_Solid);

        for (cycs = F->cycles; cycs != NULL; cycs = cycs->next) {
            Cycle_Ptr       fC;

            fC = Solid_Cycle(inSolid, cycs->cycle.index - 1);
            if (fC->marked == -1) {
                fprintf(stderr, "copyMarkedSolid()->Warning: bad cyc %d on
                    face!\n",
                    cycs->cycle.index - 1);
            } else {
                cycs->cycle.index -= fC->marked;
            }
        }
    }

    printf("copying unmarked dedges\n");
    for (i = 0; i < nfd; i++) {
        DEdge_Ptr       D, fD;
        Cycle_Ptr       fC;
        Edge_Ptr        fE;
        DEdge_Ptr       fDn;

        fD = Solid_DEdge(inSolid, i);
        if (fD->marked == -1) {
            continue;
        }
        D = object.dEdge = copyDEdge(fD);
```


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```
    AddObjToSolid(&object, DEDGE, New_Solid);

    fC = Solid_Cycle(inSolid, D->cycle.index - 1);
    if (fC->marked == -1) {
        fprintf(stderr, "copyMarkedSolid()->Warning: bad cycle %d on
            dedge!\n",
            D->cycle.index - 1);
    } else {
        D->cycle.index -= fC->marked;
    }

    fE = Solid_Edge(inSolid, D->edge.index - 1);
    if (fE->marked == -1) {
        fprintf(stderr, "copyMarkedSolid()->Warning: bad edge %d of
            dedge!\n",
            D->edge.index - 1);
    } else {
        D->edge.index -= fE->marked;
    }

    fD = Solid_DEdge(inSolid, D->nextDE.index - 1);
    if (fD->marked == -1) {
        fprintf(stderr, "copyMarkedSolid()->Warning: bad nextDE %d in
            dedge!\n",
            D->nextDE.index - 1);
    } else {
        D->nextDE.index -= fD->marked;
    }
}

printf("copying unmarked cycles\n");
for (i = 0; i < nfc; i++) {
    Cycle_Ptr       C, fC;
    Face_Ptr        fF;
    DEdge_Ptr       fD;

    fC = Solid_Cycle(inSolid, i);
    if (fC->marked == -1) {
        continue;
    }
    C = object.cycle = copyCycle(fC);
    AddObjToSolid(&object, CYCLE, New_Solid);

    fF = Solid_Face(inSolid, C->face.index - 1);
    if (fF->marked == -1) {
        fprintf(stderr, "copyMarkedSolid()->Warning: bad face %d on
            cycle!\n",
            C->face.index - 1);
    } else {
        C->face.index -= fF->marked;
    }

    fD = Solid_DEdge(inSolid, C->dEdge.index - 1);
```


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```
            if (fD->marked == -1) {
                fprintf(stderr, "copyMarkedSolid()->Warning: bad de %d in cycle
                    !\n",
                    C->dEdge.index - 1);
            } else {
                C->dEdge.index -= fD->marked;
            }
        }
        return New_Solid;
    }
```


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```
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    ***/
/*****************************************************************************
    ***/
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    **/
/** Purdue University nor the Applied Algebra and Geometry group directed
    **/
/** by C.  Bajaj accept responsibility for the consequences of its use.
    **/
/**
    **/
/*****************************************************************************
    ***/
/*****************************************************************************
    ***/
#include <stdio.h>
#include <math.h>
#include <ctype.h>

#include <shastra/network/server.h>
#include <shastra/network/mplex.h>

#include <shastra/draw/image.h>
#include <shastra/draw/drawdata.h>
#include <shastra/solid/imageIO.h>


static int      fUseNormals = 0;
static int      fCWPolys = 1;

void            normalizeNormal(Prot1(float *));

mPolygonData   *
readPolyImageFD(fd)
     int             fd;
{
  int             i, j;

  mPolygonData   *mPoly;
  polygonData    *poly;
  char           *sbIn;

  sbIn = cmReceiveString(fd);             /*WPZ*/
  if( sbIn[0] == '\0') return NULL;       /*WPZ*/
```


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```
  mPoly = (mPolygonData *) malloc(sizeof(mPolygonData));

  sscanf(sbIn, "%d", &mPoly->nPolygons);
  free(sbIn);
  mPoly->polygons = (polygonData *) malloc(sizeof(polygonData) *
                       mPoly->nPolygons);
  memset(mPoly->polygons,0, sizeof(polygonData) *mPoly->nPolygons);
  for (i = 0; i < mPoly->nPolygons; i++) {
    poly = &mPoly->polygons[i];
    sbIn = cmReceiveString(fd);
    sscanf(sbIn, "%d", &poly->nPoints);
    free(sbIn);
    poly->array = (double (*)[3]) malloc(sizeof(double) *
                     3 * poly->nPoints);
    poly->normals = (float (*)[3]) malloc(sizeof(float) *
                      3 * poly->nPoints);

    for (j = 0; j < poly->nPoints; j++) {
      sbIn = cmReceiveString(fd);
      if (fUseNormals) {
    sscanf(sbIn, "%lf%lf%lf%f%f%f",
           &poly->array[j][0],
           &poly->array[j][1],
           &poly->array[j][2],
           &poly->normals[j][0],
           &poly->normals[j][1],
           &poly->normals[j][2]);
      } else {
    sscanf(sbIn, "%lf%lf%lf",
           &poly->array[j][0],
           &poly->array[j][1],
           &poly->array[j][2]);
      }
      free(sbIn);
    }
  }
  if (!fUseNormals) {
    computeImageNormals(mPoly);
  }
  return mPoly;
}
mPolygonData   *
readPolyImage(inStream)
     FILE           *inStream;
{
  int             i, j;

  mPolygonData   *mPoly;
  polygonData    *poly;

  mPoly = (mPolygonData *) malloc(sizeof(mPolygonData));
  fscanf(inStream, "%d", &mPoly->nPolygons);
```


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```
  mPoly->polygons = (polygonData *) malloc(sizeof(polygonData) *
                        mPoly->nPolygons);
  memset(mPoly->polygons,0,sizeof(polygonData) *mPoly->nPolygons);
  for (i = 0; i < mPoly->nPolygons; i++) {
    poly = &mPoly->polygons[i];
    fscanf(inStream, "%d", &poly->nPoints);
    poly->array = (double (*)[3]) malloc(sizeof(double) *
                      3 * poly->nPoints);
    poly->normals = (float (*)[3]) malloc(sizeof(float) *
                       3 * poly->nPoints);

    for (j = 0; j < poly->nPoints; j++) {
      if (fUseNormals) {
    fscanf(inStream, "%lf%lf%lf%f%f%f",
           &poly->array[j][0],
           &poly->array[j][1],
           &poly->array[j][2],
           &poly->normals[j][0],
           &poly->normals[j][1],
           &poly->normals[j][2]);
      } else {
    fscanf(inStream, "%lf%lf%lf",
           &poly->array[j][0],
           &poly->array[j][1],
           &poly->array[j][2]);
      }
    }
  }
  if (!fUseNormals) {
    computeImageNormals(mPoly);
  }
  return mPoly;
}

void
writePolyImageFD(fd, mPoly)
     int             fd;
     mPolygonData   *mPoly;
{
  FILE           *outStream;
  int             i, j;
  polygonData    *poly;
  char            sbOut[256];

  sprintf(sbOut, "%d\n", mPoly->nPolygons);
  cmSendString(fd, sbOut);
  for (i = 0; i < mPoly->nPolygons; i++) {
    poly = &mPoly->polygons[i];
    sprintf(sbOut, "%d\n", poly->nPoints);
    cmSendString(fd, sbOut);

    for (j = 0; j < poly->nPoints; j++) {
      if (fUseNormals) {
```


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```
      sprintf(sbOut, "%lf %lf %lf %f %f %f\n",
          poly->array[j][0],
          poly->array[j][1],
          poly->array[j][2],
          poly->normals[j][0],
          poly->normals[j][1],
          poly->normals[j][2]);
        } else {
      sprintf(sbOut, "%lf %lf %lf\n",
          poly->array[j][0],
          poly->array[j][1],
          poly->array[j][2]);
        }
        cmSendString(fd, sbOut);
      }
    }
}

void
writePolyImage(outStream, mPoly)
     FILE           *outStream;
     mPolygonData   *mPoly;
{
  int             i, j;
  polygonData    *poly;

  fprintf(outStream, "%d\n", mPoly->nPolygons);
  for (i = 0; i < mPoly->nPolygons; i++) {
    poly = &mPoly->polygons[i];
    fprintf(outStream, "%d\n", poly->nPoints);

    for (j = 0; j < poly->nPoints; j++) {
      if (fUseNormals) {
    fprintf(outStream, "%lf %lf %lf %f %f %f\n",
          poly->array[j][0],
          poly->array[j][1],
          poly->array[j][2],
          poly->normals[j][0],
          poly->normals[j][1],
          poly->normals[j][2]);
      } else {
    fprintf(outStream, "%lf %lf %lf\n",
          poly->array[j][0],
          poly->array[j][1],
          poly->array[j][2]);
      }
    }
  }
}

void
freePolyImage(mPoly)
     mPolygonData   *mPoly;
```


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```
{
  int             i, j;
  polygonData    *poly;

  for (i = 0; i < mPoly->nPolygons; i++) {
    poly = &mPoly->polygons[i];
    free(poly->array);
    free(poly->normals);
    if(poly->scratch){
      free(poly->scratch);
    }
  }
  free(mPoly->polygons);
  free(mPoly);
}

computeImageNormals(mPoly)
     mPolygonData   *mPoly;
{
  int             i, j;
  polygonData    *poly;
  int             jj1, jj2;
  for (i = 0; i < mPoly->nPolygons; i++) {
    poly = &mPoly->polygons[i];
    if (poly->nPoints < 3) {
      fprintf(stderr, "computeImageNormals()-- poly has < 3pts\n");
    }
    for (j = 0; j < poly->nPoints; j++) {
      jj1 = j + 1;
      if (jj1 >= poly->nPoints) {
    jj1 -= poly->nPoints;
      }
      jj2 = j + 2;
      if (jj2 >= poly->nPoints) {
    jj2 -= poly->nPoints;
      }
      if (fCWPolys) {   /* clockwise */
    if (PlaneNormalFrom3Pts(poly->array[j], poly->array[jj1],
                poly->array[jj2], poly->normal) == 1) {
      break;
    }
      } else {/* counterclockwise */
    if (PlaneNormalFrom3Pts(poly->array[jj2], poly->array[jj1],
                poly->array[j], poly->normal) == 1) {
      break;
    }
      }
    }
    if (j == poly->nPoints) {
      fprintf(stderr, "computeImageNormals()-- poly pts are collinear\n");
    }
    /* flat shaded for now */
    for (j = 0; j < poly->nPoints; j++) {
```


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```
      memcpy(poly->normals[j], poly->normal, sizeof(float) * 3);
    }
  }
}

mPolygonData   *
readPolyImageNoCount(inStream)
     FILE           *inStream;
{
  int             i, j;

  mPolygonData   *mPoly;
  polygonData    *poly;
  int             nPolygons = 1024;

  mPoly = (mPolygonData *) malloc(sizeof(mPolygonData));
  mPoly->polygons = (polygonData *) malloc(sizeof(polygonData) *
                       nPolygons);
  memset(mPoly->polygons,0,sizeof(polygonData) *mPoly->nPolygons);
  mPoly->nPolygons = 0;
  i = 0;
  while (1) {
    if (i == nPolygons) {
      nPolygons *= 2;
      mPoly->polygons = (polygonData *) realloc(mPoly->polygons,
                        sizeof(polygonData) * nPolygons);
      memset(&mPoly->polygons[nPolygons/2], 0,sizeof(polygonData) *
          nPolygons/2);
    }
    poly = &mPoly->polygons[i];
    if (fscanf(inStream, "%d", &poly->nPoints) == EOF) {
      break;
    }
    mPoly->nPolygons++;
    i++;
    poly->array = (double (*)[3]) malloc(sizeof(double) *
                     3 * poly->nPoints);
    poly->normals = (float (*)[3]) malloc(sizeof(float) *
                      3 * poly->nPoints);

    for (j = 0; j < poly->nPoints; j++) {
      if (fUseNormals) {
    fscanf(inStream, "%lf%lf%lf%lf%lf%lf",
           &poly->array[j][0],
           &poly->array[j][1],
           &poly->array[j][2],
           &poly->normals[j][0],
           &poly->normals[j][1],
           &poly->normals[j][2]);
      } else {
    fscanf(inStream, "%lf%lf%lf",
           &poly->array[j][0],
           &poly->array[j][1],
```


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```
            &poly->array[j][2]);
        }
      }
    }
    if (!fUseNormals) {
      computeImageNormals(mPoly);
    }
    mPoly->polygons = (polygonData *) realloc(mPoly->polygons, mPoly->
        nPolygons *
                          sizeof(polygonData));
    return mPoly;
}

mPolygonData   *
copyPolyImage(inmPoly)
     mPolygonData   *inmPoly;
{
    int             i, j;

    mPolygonData   *mPoly;
    polygonData    *poly;
    polygonData    *inpoly;

    mPoly = (mPolygonData *) malloc(sizeof(mPolygonData));
    mPoly->nPolygons = inmPoly->nPolygons;
    mPoly->polygons = (polygonData *) malloc(sizeof(polygonData) *
                        mPoly->nPolygons);
    for (i = 0; i < mPoly->nPolygons; i++) {
      poly = &mPoly->polygons[i];
      inpoly = &inmPoly->polygons[i];
      poly->nPoints = inpoly->nPoints;
      poly->array = (double (*)[3]) malloc(sizeof(double) *
                       3 * poly->nPoints);
      poly->normals = (float (*)[3]) malloc(sizeof(float) *
                        3 * poly->nPoints);

      memcpy(poly->array, inpoly->array, sizeof(double) *
         3 * poly->nPoints);
      memcpy(poly->normals, inpoly->normals, sizeof(double) *
         3 * poly->nPoints);
    }
    return mPoly;
}

void
setPolyNormMode(mode)
     int             mode;
{
    fUseNormals = mode;
}

void
setPolyOrientMode(mode)
```


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```
    int             mode;
{
  fCWPolys = mode;
}

int
getPolyNormMode()
{
  return fUseNormals;
}

int
getPolyOrientMode()
{
  return fCWPolys;
}

int
PlaneNormalFrom3Pts(v1, v2, v3, norm)
    double          v1[3], v2[3], v3[3];
    float norm[3];
{
  double          u[3], v[3], A, B, C, D;
  int             i;

  for (i = 0; i < 3; i++) {
    u[i] = v1[i] - v2[i];
    v[i] = v3[i] - v2[i];
  }
  A = u[1] * v[2] - v[1] * u[2];
  B = u[2] * v[0] - u[0] * v[2];
  C = u[0] * v[1] - u[1] * v[0];
  D = -(A * v1[0] + B * v1[1] + C * v1[2]);

  norm[0] = A;
  norm[1] = B;
  norm[2] = C;
  /* check if the three points were collinear */
  if ((fabs(A) == 0.0) && (fabs(B) == 0.0) && (fabs(C) == 0.0)) {

    fprintf(stderr, " PlaneNormalFrom3Pts()->collinear points!\n");
    fprintf(stderr, "[0] %lf %lf %lf [1] %lf %lf %lf [2] %lf %lf %lf\n",
        v1[0],v1[1],v1[2],v2[0],v2[1],v2[2], v3[0],v3[1],v3[2]);
    fprintf(stderr, "  set plane normal to (0,0,1)\n");
    norm[0] = 0;
    norm[1] = 0;
    norm[2] = 1;
    return (0);
  }
  normalizeNormal(norm);

  return (1);
}
```


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```
void
normalizeNormal(pNormal)
     float         *pNormal;
{
  double          tmpSum;
  int             i;

  tmpSum = 0.0;
  for (i = 0; i < 3; i++) {
    tmpSum += pNormal[i] * pNormal[i];
  }
  tmpSum = sqrt(tmpSum);
  for (i = 0; i < 3; i++) {
    pNormal[i] = pNormal[i] / tmpSum;
  }
}

void
normalizeDblVector(pNormal)
     double         *pNormal;
{
  double          tmpSum;
  int             i;

  tmpSum = 0.0;
  for (i = 0; i < 3; i++) {
    tmpSum += pNormal[i] * pNormal[i];
  }
  tmpSum = sqrt(tmpSum);
  for (i = 0; i < 3; i++) {
    pNormal[i] = pNormal[i] / tmpSum;
  }
}
```


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```
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    **/
/**
    **/
/*****************************************************************************
    ***/
/*****************************************************************************
    ***/
#include <stdio.h>
#include <ctype.h>
#include <shastra/solid/indexPolyH.h>
#include <shastra/network/mplex.h>
#include <shastra/network/rpc.h>
#include <shastra/network/server.h>

#define STANDALONEnn

static char         sbOut[5120];

int
IndexPolyOut(fd, pIPoly)
    int              fd;
    IndexPoly      *pIPoly;
{
    XDR              xdrs;
    int              retVal = 0;

#ifdef STANDALONE
    {
        FILE           *fp;
        fp = stdout /* fdopen(fd,"w") */ ;
        xdrstdio_create(&xdrs, fp, XDR_ENCODE);
        if (!xdr_IndexPoly(&xdrs, pIPoly)) {
            retVal = -1;
        }
    }
#else               /* STANDALONE */
```


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```
    /*
     * xdrstdio_create(mplexXDRSEnc(fd), mplexOutStream(fd), XDR_ENCODE);
     */
    if (!xdr_IndexPoly(mplexXDRSEnc(fd), pIPoly)) {
        retVal = -1;
    }
#endif              /* STANDALONE */
    return retVal;
}

int
IndexPolyIn(fd, pIPoly)
    int             fd;
    IndexPoly      *pIPoly;
{
    XDR             xdrs;
    int             retVal = 0;

    IndexPolyXDRFree(pIPoly);
#ifdef STANDALONE
    {
        FILE           *fp;
        fp = stdin /* fdopen(fd,"r") */ ;
        xdrstdio_create(&xdrs, fp, XDR_DECODE);
        if (!xdr_IndexPoly(&xdrs, pIPoly)) {
            retVal = -1;
        }
    }
#else               /* STANDALONE */
    /*
     * xdrstdio_create(mplexXDRSDec(fd), mplexInStream(fd), XDR_DECODE);
     */
    if (!xdr_IndexPoly(mplexXDRSDec(fd), pIPoly)) {
        retVal = -1;
    }
#endif              /* STANDALONE */
    return retVal;
}



void
inputIndexPoly(fp, pIPoly)
    FILE           *fp;
    IndexPoly      *pIPoly;
{
    int             i,j;

    fscanf(fp, "%u", &pIPoly->vertices.vertices_len);
    pIPoly->vertices.vertices_val =
        (IndexPolyVert *) malloc(sizeof(IndexPolyVert) *
                    pIPoly->vertices.vertices_len);
    for (i = 0; i < pIPoly->vertices.vertices_len; i++) {
```


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```
        fscanf(fp, "%lf%lf%lf",
               &pIPoly->vertices.vertices_val[i][0],
               &pIPoly->vertices.vertices_val[i][1],
               &pIPoly->vertices.vertices_val[i][2]);
    }

    fscanf(fp, "%u", &pIPoly->edgeVerts.edgeVerts_len);
    pIPoly->edgeVerts.edgeVerts_val =
        (IndexPolyEdge *) malloc(sizeof(IndexPolyEdge) *
                    pIPoly->edgeVerts.edgeVerts_len);
    for (i = 0; i < pIPoly->edgeVerts.edgeVerts_len; i++) {
        fscanf(fp, "%d%d",
               &pIPoly->edgeVerts.edgeVerts_val[i][0],
               &pIPoly->edgeVerts.edgeVerts_val[i][1]);
    }

    fscanf(fp, "%u", &pIPoly->faces.faces_len);
    pIPoly->faces.faces_val =
        (faceEdges *) malloc(sizeof(faceEdges) *
                    pIPoly->faces.faces_len);
    for (i = 0; i < pIPoly->faces.faces_len; i++) {
        fscanf(fp, "%u", &pIPoly->faces.faces_val[i].faceEdges_len);
        pIPoly->faces.faces_val[i].faceEdges_val =
            (int *) malloc(sizeof(int) *
                  pIPoly->faces.faces_val[i].faceEdges_len);
        for (j = 0; j < pIPoly->faces.faces_val[i].faceEdges_len; j++) {
            fscanf(fp, "%d",
                   &pIPoly->faces.faces_val[i].faceEdges_val[j]);
        }
    }
}

void
outputIndexPoly(fp, pIPoly)
    FILE           *fp;
    IndexPoly      *pIPoly;
{
    int             i,j;

    fprintf(fp, "%u\n", pIPoly->vertices.vertices_len);
    for (i = 0; i < pIPoly->vertices.vertices_len; i++) {
        fprintf(fp, "%lf %lf %lf\n",
            pIPoly->vertices.vertices_val[i][0],
            pIPoly->vertices.vertices_val[i][1],
            pIPoly->vertices.vertices_val[i][2]);
    }

    fprintf(fp, "%u\n", pIPoly->edgeVerts.edgeVerts_len);
    for (i = 0; i < pIPoly->edgeVerts.edgeVerts_len; i++) {
        fprintf(fp, "%d %d\n",
            pIPoly->edgeVerts.edgeVerts_val[i][0],
            pIPoly->edgeVerts.edgeVerts_val[i][1]);
    }
```


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```
    fprintf(fp, "%u\n", pIPoly->faces.faces_len);
    for (i = 0; i < pIPoly->faces.faces_len; i++) {
        fprintf(fp, "%u\n", pIPoly->faces.faces_val[i].faceEdges_len);
        for (j = 0; j < pIPoly->faces.faces_val[i].faceEdges_len; j++) {
            fprintf(fp, "%d ",
                pIPoly->faces.faces_val[i].faceEdges_val[j]);
        }
        fprintf(fp, "\n");
    }
}



void
freeIndexPoly(pIPoly)
    IndexPoly      *pIPoly;
{
    int             i;

    free(pIPoly->vertices.vertices_val);
    free(pIPoly->edgeVerts.edgeVerts_val);

    for (i = 0; i < pIPoly->faces.faces_len; i++) {
        free(pIPoly->faces.faces_val[i].faceEdges_val);
    }
    free(pIPoly->faces.faces_val);
    memset(pIPoly, 0, sizeof(IndexPoly));
}

IndexPoly      *
copyIndexPoly(pIPoly, destpIPoly)
    IndexPoly      *pIPoly;
    IndexPoly      *destpIPoly;
{
    IndexPoly      *newpIPoly;
    int             i;

    if (pIPoly == NULL) {
        return NULL;
    }
    if (destpIPoly == NULL) {
        newpIPoly = (IndexPoly *) malloc(sizeof(IndexPoly));
    } else {
        newpIPoly = destpIPoly;
    }

    destpIPoly->vertices.vertices_len = pIPoly->vertices.vertices_len;
    destpIPoly->vertices.vertices_val =
        (IndexPolyVert *) malloc(sizeof(IndexPolyVert) *
                    pIPoly->vertices.vertices_len);
    memcpy(destpIPoly->vertices.vertices_val,pIPoly->vertices.vertices_val,
          sizeof(IndexPolyVert) *
```


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```
            pIPoly->vertices.vertices_len);

    destpIPoly->edgeVerts.edgeVerts_len = pIPoly->edgeVerts.edgeVerts_len;
    destpIPoly->edgeVerts.edgeVerts_val =
        (IndexPolyEdge *) malloc(sizeof(IndexPolyEdge) *
                    pIPoly->edgeVerts.edgeVerts_len);
    memcpy( destpIPoly->edgeVerts.edgeVerts_val,
            pIPoly->edgeVerts.edgeVerts_val,
          sizeof(IndexPolyEdge) * pIPoly->edgeVerts.edgeVerts_len);

    destpIPoly->faces.faces_len = pIPoly->faces.faces_len;
    destpIPoly->faces.faces_val =
        (faceEdges *) malloc(sizeof(faceEdges) *
                    pIPoly->faces.faces_len);
    for (i = 0; i < pIPoly->faces.faces_len; i++) {
        destpIPoly->faces.faces_val[i].faceEdges_len =
            pIPoly->faces.faces_val[i].faceEdges_len;
        destpIPoly->faces.faces_val[i].faceEdges_val =
            (int *) malloc(sizeof(int) *
                  pIPoly->faces.faces_val[i].faceEdges_len);
        memcpy( destpIPoly->faces.faces_val[i].faceEdges_val,
                pIPoly->faces.faces_val[i].faceEdges_val,
            sizeof(int) * pIPoly->faces.faces_val[i].faceEdges_len);
    }
    return destpIPoly;
}

void
IndexPolyXDRFree(pIPoly)
    IndexPoly      *pIPoly;
{
    xdr_free(xdr_IndexPoly, (char *) pIPoly);
    memset(pIPoly, 0, sizeof(IndexPoly));
}




IndexPoly      *
inputIPolyString(fd)
    int             fd;
{
    IndexPoly      *pIPoly;
    int             i,j;
    char *sbIn;

    pIPoly = (IndexPoly*)malloc(sizeof(IndexPoly));
    memset(pIPoly, 0,sizeof(IndexPoly));
    sbIn = cmReceiveString(fd);
    sscanf(sbIn, "%u", &pIPoly->vertices.vertices_len);
    free(sbIn);
    pIPoly->vertices.vertices_val =
```


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```
    (IndexPolyVert *) malloc(sizeof(IndexPolyVert) *
                  pIPoly->vertices.vertices_len);
for (i = 0; i < pIPoly->vertices.vertices_len; i++) {
    sbIn = cmReceiveString(fd);
    sscanf(sbIn, "%lf%lf%lf",
           &pIPoly->vertices.vertices_val[i][0],
           &pIPoly->vertices.vertices_val[i][1],
           &pIPoly->vertices.vertices_val[i][2]);
    free(sbIn);
}

sbIn = cmReceiveString(fd);
sscanf(sbIn, "%u", &pIPoly->edgeVerts.edgeVerts_len);
free(sbIn);
pIPoly->edgeVerts.edgeVerts_val =
    (IndexPolyEdge *) malloc(sizeof(IndexPolyEdge) *
                  pIPoly->edgeVerts.edgeVerts_len);
for (i = 0; i < pIPoly->edgeVerts.edgeVerts_len; i++) {
    sbIn = cmReceiveString(fd);
    sscanf(sbIn, "%d%d",
           &pIPoly->edgeVerts.edgeVerts_val[i][0],
           &pIPoly->edgeVerts.edgeVerts_val[i][1]);
    free(sbIn);
}

sbIn = cmReceiveString(fd);
sscanf(sbIn, "%u", &pIPoly->faces.faces_len);
free(sbIn);
pIPoly->faces.faces_val =
    (faceEdges *) malloc(sizeof(faceEdges) *
                  pIPoly->faces.faces_len);
for (i = 0; i < pIPoly->faces.faces_len; i++) {
    char *iptr;
    sbIn = cmReceiveString(fd);
    sscanf(sbIn, "%u", &pIPoly->faces.faces_val[i].faceEdges_len);
    free(sbIn);
    pIPoly->faces.faces_val[i].faceEdges_val =
        (int *) malloc(sizeof(int) *
              pIPoly->faces.faces_val[i].faceEdges_len);
    iptr = sbIn = cmReceiveString(fd);
    for (j = 0; j < pIPoly->faces.faces_val[i].faceEdges_len; j++) {
        while((!isdigit(*iptr)) && (*iptr!='-')){
            iptr++/*skip nonnumerics*/;
        }
        sscanf(iptr, "%d",
               &pIPoly->faces.faces_val[i].faceEdges_val[j]);
        if(*iptr == '-'){
            iptr++;
        }
        while(isdigit(*iptr))iptr++/*skip numerics*/;
    }
    free(sbIn);
}
```


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```
    return pIPoly;
}

void
outputIPolyString(fd, pIPoly)
    int     fd;
    IndexPoly      *pIPoly;
{
    int             i,j;

    sprintf(sbOut, "%u\n", pIPoly->vertices.vertices_len);
    cmSendString(fd,sbOut);
    for (i = 0; i < pIPoly->vertices.vertices_len; i++) {
        sprintf(sbOut, "%lf %lf %lf\n",
            pIPoly->vertices.vertices_val[i][0],
            pIPoly->vertices.vertices_val[i][1],
            pIPoly->vertices.vertices_val[i][2]);
        cmSendString(fd,sbOut);
    }

    sprintf(sbOut, "%u\n", pIPoly->edgeVerts.edgeVerts_len);
    cmSendString(fd,sbOut);
    for (i = 0; i < pIPoly->edgeVerts.edgeVerts_len; i++) {
        sprintf(sbOut, "%d %d\n",
            pIPoly->edgeVerts.edgeVerts_val[i][0],
            pIPoly->edgeVerts.edgeVerts_val[i][1]);
        cmSendString(fd,sbOut);
    }

    sprintf(sbOut, "%u\n", pIPoly->faces.faces_len);
    cmSendString(fd,sbOut);
    for (i = 0; i < pIPoly->faces.faces_len; i++) {
        char *optr;
        sprintf(sbOut, "%u\n", pIPoly->faces.faces_val[i].faceEdges_len);
        cmSendString(fd,sbOut);
        optr = sbOut;
        for (j = 0; j < pIPoly->faces.faces_val[i].faceEdges_len; j++) {
            sprintf(optr, "%d ",
                pIPoly->faces.faces_val[i].faceEdges_val[j]);
            optr += strlen(optr);
        }
        sprintf(optr, "\n");
        cmSendString(fd,sbOut);
    }
}




#ifdef STANDALONE
main(argc, argv)
#else               /* STANDALONE */
```


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```
IndexPolyMain(argc, argv)
#endif              /* STANDALONE */
    int             argc;
    char          **argv;
{
    IndexPoly sIPoly;
    IndexPoly       cpIPoly;

    switch (argc) {
    case 1:     /* receive sId */
        IndexPolyIn(0 /* stdin */ , &sIPoly);
        outputIPoly(stdout, &sIPoly);
        cpIPoly = sIPoly;
        outputIPoly(stdout, &cpIPoly);

        break;
    case 2:     /* receive sId */
        inputIndexPoly(stdin, &sIPoly);
#ifdef DEBUG
        outputIndexPoly(stderr, &sIPoly);
#endif
        IndexPolyOut(1 /* stdout */ , &sIPoly);

        break;
    }

}
```


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```
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    ***/
/*****************************************************************************
    ***/
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/**
    **/
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    ***/
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    ***/
/*
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 */

#include <rpc/rpc.h>
#include <shastra/solid/indexPoly.h>

bool_t
xdr_IndexPolyVert(xdrs, objp)
    XDR *xdrs;
    IndexPolyVert objp;
{
    if (!xdr_vector(xdrs, (char *)objp, 3, sizeof(double), xdr_double)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    return (TRUE);
}

bool_t
xdr_IndexPolyEdge(xdrs, objp)
    XDR *xdrs;
    IndexPolyEdge objp;
{
    if (!xdr_vector(xdrs, (char *)objp, 2, sizeof(int), xdr_int)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    return (TRUE);
}
```


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```
bool_t
xdr_faceEdges(xdrs, objp)
    XDR *xdrs;
    faceEdges *objp;
{
    if (!xdr_array(xdrs, (char **)&objp->faceEdges_val, (u_int *)&objp->
        faceEdges_len, ~0, sizeof(int), xdr_int)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    return (TRUE);
}

bool_t
xdr_IndexPoly(xdrs, objp)
    XDR *xdrs;
    IndexPoly *objp;
{
    if (!xdr_array(xdrs, (char **)&objp->vertices.vertices_val, (u_int *)&
        objp->vertices.vertices_len, ~0, sizeof(IndexPolyVert),
        xdr_IndexPolyVert)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    if (!xdr_array(xdrs, (char **)&objp->edgeVerts.edgeVerts_val, (u_int *)
        &objp->edgeVerts.edgeVerts_len, ~0, sizeof(IndexPolyEdge),
        xdr_IndexPolyEdge)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    if (!xdr_array(xdrs, (char **)&objp->faces.faces_val, (u_int *)&objp->
        faces.faces_len, ~0, sizeof(faceEdges), xdr_faceEdges)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    return (TRUE);
}
```


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 */

#include <rpc/rpc.h>
#include <ipoly/iPoly.h>
#include <shastra/solid/iSolid.h>

bool_t
xdr_polyTermD(xdrs, objp)
    XDR *xdrs;
    polyTermD *objp;
{
    if (!xdr_double(xdrs, &objp->coeff)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    if (!xdr_vector(xdrs, (char *)objp->expon, ISOLID_DIM, sizeof(short),
        xdr_short)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    return (TRUE);
}

bool_t
xdr_polySpaD(xdrs, objp)
    XDR *xdrs;
    polySpaD *objp;
{
```


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```
    if (!xdr_array(xdrs, (char **)&objp->polySpaD_val, (u_int *)&objp->
        polySpaD_len, ~0, sizeof(polyTermD), xdr_polyTermD)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    return (TRUE);
}

bool_t
xdr_hypRange(xdrs, objp)
    XDR *xdrs;
    hypRange objp;
{
    if (!xdr_vector(xdrs, (char *)objp, ISOLID_DIMR, sizeof(double),
        xdr_double)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    return (TRUE);
}

bool_t
xdr_simpVertD(xdrs, objp)
    XDR *xdrs;
    simpVertD objp;
{
    if (!xdr_vector(xdrs, (char *)objp, ISOLID_DIM, sizeof(double),
        xdr_double)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    return (TRUE);
}

bool_t
xdr_bernMixedD(xdrs, objp)
    XDR *xdrs;
    bernMixedD *objp;
{
    if (!xdr_short(xdrs, &objp->degree)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    if (!xdr_vector(xdrs, (char *)objp->verts, ISOLID_DIMH, sizeof
        (simpVertD), xdr_simpVertD)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    if (!xdr_vector(xdrs, (char *)objp->degrees, ISOLID_DIM, sizeof(short),
        xdr_short)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    if (!xdr_vector(xdrs, (char *)objp->hyper, ISOLID_DIM, sizeof(hypRange)
        , xdr_hypRange)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    if (!xdr_array(xdrs, (char **)&objp->coeffs.coeffs_val, (u_int *)&objp-
        >coeffs.coeffs_len, ~0, sizeof(double), xdr_double)) {
```


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```
        return (FALSE);
    }
    return (TRUE);
}

bool_t
xdr_bsKnots(xdrs, objp)
    XDR *xdrs;
    bsKnots *objp;
{
    if (!xdr_array(xdrs, (char **)&objp->bsKnots_val, (u_int *)&objp->
        bsKnots_len, ~0, sizeof(double), xdr_double)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    return (TRUE);
}

bool_t
xdr_bSplineD(xdrs, objp)
    XDR *xdrs;
    bSplineD *objp;
{
    if (!xdr_vector(xdrs, (char *)objp->degrees, ISOLID_DIM, sizeof(short),
        xdr_short)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    if (!xdr_vector(xdrs, (char *)objp->knots, ISOLID_DIM, sizeof(bsKnots),
        xdr_bsKnots)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    if (!xdr_array(xdrs, (char **)&objp->coeffs.coeffs_val, (u_int *)&objp-
        >coeffs.coeffs_len, ~0, sizeof(double), xdr_double)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    return (TRUE);
}

bool_t
xdr_polyEqn(xdrs, objp)
    XDR *xdrs;
    polyEqn *objp;
{
    if (!xdr_polySpaD(xdrs, objp)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    return (TRUE);
}

bool_t
xdr_polyEqnP(xdrs, objp)
    XDR *xdrs;
    polyEqnP *objp;
{
```


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```
    if (!xdr_pointer(xdrs, (char **)objp, sizeof(polyEqn), xdr_polyEqn)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    return (TRUE);
}

bool_t
xdr_bernEqn(xdrs, objp)
    XDR *xdrs;
    bernEqn *objp;
{
    if (!xdr_bernMixedD(xdrs, objp)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    return (TRUE);
}

bool_t
xdr_bernEqnP(xdrs, objp)
    XDR *xdrs;
    bernEqnP *objp;
{
    if (!xdr_pointer(xdrs, (char **)objp, sizeof(bernEqn), xdr_bernEqn)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    return (TRUE);
}

bool_t
xdr_bSplineEqn(xdrs, objp)
    XDR *xdrs;
    bSplineEqn *objp;
{
    if (!xdr_bSplineD(xdrs, objp)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    return (TRUE);
}

bool_t
xdr_bSplineEqnP(xdrs, objp)
    XDR *xdrs;
    bSplineEqnP *objp;
{
    if (!xdr_pointer(xdrs, (char **)objp, sizeof(bSplineEqn),
        xdr_bSplineEqn)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    return (TRUE);
}

bool_t
xdr_eqnType(xdrs, objp)
```


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```
    XDR *xdrs;
    eqnType *objp;
{
    if (!xdr_enum(xdrs, (enum_t *)objp)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    return (TRUE);
}

bool_t
xdr_solBernP(xdrs, objp)
    XDR *xdrs;
    solBernP *objp;
{
    if (!xdr_pointer(xdrs, (char **)objp, sizeof(struct solBern),
        xdr_solBern)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    return (TRUE);
}

bool_t
xdr_solBern(xdrs, objp)
    XDR *xdrs;
    solBern *objp;
{
    if (!xdr_eqnType(xdrs, &objp->type)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    switch (objp->type) {
    case eqnIMPLI:
        if (!xdr_array(xdrs, (char **)&objp->solBern_u.implicit.
            implicit_val, (u_int *)&objp->solBern_u.implicit.implicit_len,
            ~0, sizeof(bernEqnP), xdr_bernEqnP)) {
            return (FALSE);
        }
        break;
    case eqnRATION:
        if (!xdr_array(xdrs, (char **)&objp->solBern_u.rational.
            rational_val, (u_int *)&objp->solBern_u.rational.rational_len,
            ~0, sizeof(bernEqnP), xdr_bernEqnP)) {
            return (FALSE);
        }
        break;
    case eqnPARAM:
        if (!xdr_array(xdrs, (char **)&objp->solBern_u.param.param_val,
            (u_int *)&objp->solBern_u.param.param_len, ~0, sizeof(bernEqnP)
            , xdr_bernEqnP)) {
            return (FALSE);
        }
        break;
    case eqnRATPAR:
        if (!xdr_array(xdrs, (char **)&objp->solBern_u.ratpar.ratpar_val,
```


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```
            (u_int *)&objp->solBern_u.ratpar.ratpar_len, ~0, sizeof
            (bernEqnP), xdr_bernEqnP)) {
            return (FALSE);
        }
        break;
    case eqnPATCH:
        if (!xdr_array(xdrs, (char **)&objp->solBern_u.patches.patches_val,
            (u_int *)&objp->solBern_u.patches.patches_len, ~0, sizeof
            (solBernP), xdr_solBernP)) {
            return (FALSE);
        }
        break;
    }
    return (TRUE);
}

bool_t
xdr_solPolyP(xdrs, objp)
    XDR *xdrs;
    solPolyP *objp;
{
    if (!xdr_pointer(xdrs, (char **)objp, sizeof(struct solPoly),
        xdr_solPoly)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    return (TRUE);
}

bool_t
xdr_solPoly(xdrs, objp)
    XDR *xdrs;
    solPoly *objp;
{
    if (!xdr_eqnType(xdrs, &objp->type)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    switch (objp->type) {
    case eqnIMPLI:
        if (!xdr_array(xdrs, (char **)&objp->solPoly_u.implicit.
            implicit_val, (u_int *)&objp->solPoly_u.implicit.implicit_len,
            ~0, sizeof(polyEqnP), xdr_polyEqnP)) {
            return (FALSE);
        }
        break;
    case eqnRATION:
        if (!xdr_array(xdrs, (char **)&objp->solPoly_u.rational.
            rational_val, (u_int *)&objp->solPoly_u.rational.rational_len,
            ~0, sizeof(polyEqnP), xdr_polyEqnP)) {
            return (FALSE);
        }
        break;
    case eqnPARAM:
        if (!xdr_array(xdrs, (char **)&objp->solPoly_u.param.param_val,
```


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```
            (u_int *)&objp->solPoly_u.param.param_len, ~0, sizeof(polyEqnP)
            , xdr_polyEqnP)) {
            return (FALSE);
        }
        break;
    case eqnRATPAR:
        if (!xdr_array(xdrs, (char **)&objp->solPoly_u.ratpar.ratpar_val,
            (u_int *)&objp->solPoly_u.ratpar.ratpar_len, ~0, sizeof
            (polyEqnP), xdr_polyEqnP)) {
            return (FALSE);
        }
        break;
    case eqnPATCH:
        if (!xdr_array(xdrs, (char **)&objp->solPoly_u.patches.patches_val,
            (u_int *)&objp->solPoly_u.patches.patches_len, ~0, sizeof
            (solPolyP), xdr_solPolyP)) {
            return (FALSE);
        }
        break;
    }
    return (TRUE);
}

bool_t
xdr_solBSplineP(xdrs, objp)
    XDR *xdrs;
    solBSplineP *objp;
{
    if (!xdr_pointer(xdrs, (char **)objp, sizeof(struct solBSpline),
        xdr_solBSpline)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    return (TRUE);
}

bool_t
xdr_solBSpline(xdrs, objp)
    XDR *xdrs;
    solBSpline *objp;
{
    if (!xdr_eqnType(xdrs, &objp->type)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    switch (objp->type) {
    case eqnIMPLI:
        if (!xdr_array(xdrs, (char **)&objp->solBSpline_u.implicit.
            implicit_val, (u_int *)&objp->solBSpline_u.implicit.
            implicit_len, ~0, sizeof(bSplineEqnP), xdr_bSplineEqnP)) {
            return (FALSE);
        }
        break;
    case eqnRATION:
        if (!xdr_array(xdrs, (char **)&objp->solBSpline_u.rational.
```


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```
            rational_val, (u_int *)&objp->solBSpline_u.rational.
            rational_len, ~0, sizeof(bSplineEqnP), xdr_bSplineEqnP)) {
            return (FALSE);
        }
        break;
    case eqnPARAM:
        if (!xdr_array(xdrs, (char **)&objp->solBSpline_u.param.param_val,
            (u_int *)&objp->solBSpline_u.param.param_len, ~0, sizeof
            (bSplineEqnP), xdr_bSplineEqnP)) {
            return (FALSE);
        }
        break;
    case eqnRATPAR:
        if (!xdr_array(xdrs, (char **)&objp->solBSpline_u.ratpar.ratpar_val
            , (u_int *)&objp->solBSpline_u.ratpar.ratpar_len, ~0, sizeof
            (bSplineEqnP), xdr_bSplineEqnP)) {
            return (FALSE);
        }
        break;
    case eqnPATCH:
        if (!xdr_array(xdrs, (char **)&objp->solBSpline_u.patches.
            patches_val, (u_int *)&objp->solBSpline_u.patches.patches_len,
            ~0, sizeof(solBSplineP), xdr_solBSplineP)) {
            return (FALSE);
        }
        break;
    }
    return (TRUE);
}

bool_t
xdr_eqnBasis(xdrs, objp)
    XDR *xdrs;
    eqnBasis *objp;
{
    if (!xdr_enum(xdrs, (enum_t *)objp)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    return (TRUE);
}

bool_t
xdr_solEqn(xdrs, objp)
    XDR *xdrs;
    solEqn *objp;
{
    if (!xdr_eqnBasis(xdrs, &objp->type)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    switch (objp->type) {
    case eqnPOLY:
        if (!xdr_solPoly(xdrs, &objp->solEqn_u.sPolyEqn)) {
            return (FALSE);
```


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```
        }
        break;
    case eqnBERN:
        if (!xdr_solBern(xdrs, &objp->solEqn_u.sBernEqn)) {
            return (FALSE);
        }
        break;
    case eqnSPLINE:
        if (!xdr_solBSpline(xdrs, &objp->solEqn_u.sBSplineEqn)) {
            return (FALSE);
        }
        break;
    }
    return (TRUE);
}

bool_t
xdr_iSolEqn(xdrs, objp)
    XDR *xdrs;
    iSolEqn *objp;
{
    if (!xdr_array(xdrs, (char **)&objp->iSolEqn_val, (u_int *)&objp->
        iSolEqn_len, ~0, sizeof(u_int), xdr_u_int)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    return (TRUE);
}

bool_t
xdr_iSolCycle(xdrs, objp)
    XDR *xdrs;
    iSolCycle *objp;
{
    if (!xdr_array(xdrs, (char **)&objp->iSolCycle_val, (u_int *)&objp->
        iSolCycle_len, ~0, sizeof(u_int), xdr_u_int)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    return (TRUE);
}

bool_t
xdr_iSolFace(xdrs, objp)
    XDR *xdrs;
    iSolFace *objp;
{
    if (!xdr_array(xdrs, (char **)&objp->iSolFace_val, (u_int *)&objp->
        iSolFace_len, ~0, sizeof(u_int), xdr_u_int)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    return (TRUE);
}

bool_t
```


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```
xdr_iSolVert(xdrs, objp)
    XDR *xdrs;
    iSolVert *objp;
{
    if (!xdr_array(xdrs, (char **)&objp->iSolVert_val, (u_int *)&objp->
        iSolVert_len, ~0, sizeof(u_int), xdr_u_int)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    return (TRUE);
}

bool_t
xdr_iSolEdge(xdrs, objp)
    XDR *xdrs;
    iSolEdge *objp;
{
    if (!xdr_array(xdrs, (char **)&objp->iSolEdge_val, (u_int *)&objp->
        iSolEdge_len, ~0, sizeof(u_int), xdr_u_int)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    return (TRUE);
}

bool_t
xdr_iSolidVerts(xdrs, objp)
    XDR *xdrs;
    iSolidVerts *objp;
{
    if (!xdr_array(xdrs, (char **)&objp->vMarks.vMarks_val, (u_int *)&objp-
        >vMarks.vMarks_len, ~0, sizeof(u_long), xdr_u_long)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    if (!xdr_array(xdrs, (char **)&objp->vFaces.vFaces_val, (u_int *)&objp-
        >vFaces.vFaces_len, ~0, sizeof(iSolFace), xdr_iSolFace)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    return (TRUE);
}

bool_t
xdr_iSolidEdges(xdrs, objp)
    XDR *xdrs;
    iSolidEdges *objp;
{
    if (!xdr_array(xdrs, (char **)&objp->eMarks.eMarks_val, (u_int *)&objp-
        >eMarks.eMarks_len, ~0, sizeof(u_long), xdr_u_long)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    if (!xdr_array(xdrs, (char **)&objp->eEqns.eEqns_val, (u_int *)&objp->
        eEqns.eEqns_len, ~0, sizeof(u_int), xdr_u_int)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    if (!xdr_array(xdrs, (char **)&objp->eFaces.eFaces_val, (u_int *)&objp-
```


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```
        >eFaces.eFaces_len, ~0, sizeof(iSolFace), xdr_iSolFace)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    return (TRUE);
}

bool_t
xdr_iSolidCycles(xdrs, objp)
    XDR *xdrs;
    iSolidCycles *objp;
{
    if (!xdr_array(xdrs, (char **)&objp->cMarks.cMarks_val, (u_int *)&objp-
        >cMarks.cMarks_len, ~0, sizeof(u_long), xdr_u_long)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    if (!xdr_array(xdrs, (char **)&objp->cFaces.cFaces_val, (u_int *)&objp-
        >cFaces.cFaces_len, ~0, sizeof(u_int), xdr_u_int)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    return (TRUE);
}

bool_t
xdr_iSolidFaces(xdrs, objp)
    XDR *xdrs;
    iSolidFaces *objp;
{
    if (!xdr_array(xdrs, (char **)&objp->fMarks.fMarks_val, (u_int *)&objp-
        >fMarks.fMarks_len, ~0, sizeof(u_long), xdr_u_long)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    if (!xdr_array(xdrs, (char **)&objp->fCycles.fCycles_val, (u_int *)&
        objp->fCycles.fCycles_len, ~0, sizeof(iSolCycle), xdr_iSolCycle)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    if (!xdr_array(xdrs, (char **)&objp->fVerts.fVerts_val, (u_int *)&objp-
        >fVerts.fVerts_len, ~0, sizeof(iSolVert), xdr_iSolVert)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    if (!xdr_array(xdrs, (char **)&objp->fEdges.fEdges_val, (u_int *)&objp-
        >fEdges.fEdges_len, ~0, sizeof(iSolEdge), xdr_iSolEdge)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    if (!xdr_array(xdrs, (char **)&objp->fEqns.fEqns_val, (u_int *)&objp->
        fEqns.fEqns_len, ~0, sizeof(iSolEqn), xdr_iSolEqn)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    return (TRUE);
}

bool_t
xdr_iSolidEqns(xdrs, objp)
    XDR *xdrs;
```


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```
    iSolidEqns *objp;
{
    if (!xdr_array(xdrs, (char **)&objp->sEqns.sEqns_val, (u_int *)&objp->
        sEqns.sEqns_len, ~0, sizeof(solEqn), xdr_solEqn)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    return (TRUE);
}

bool_t
xdr_iSolid(xdrs, objp)
    XDR *xdrs;
    iSolid *objp;
{
    if (!xdr_iPoly(xdrs, &objp->graph)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    if (!xdr_iSolidVerts(xdrs, &objp->verts)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    if (!xdr_iSolidEdges(xdrs, &objp->edges)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    if (!xdr_iSolidCycles(xdrs, &objp->cycles)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    if (!xdr_iSolidFaces(xdrs, &objp->faces)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    if (!xdr_iSolidEqns(xdrs, &objp->eqns)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    return (TRUE);
}

bool_t
xdr_iSolid_P(xdrs, objp)
    XDR *xdrs;
    iSolid_P *objp;
{
    if (!xdr_pointer(xdrs, (char **)objp, sizeof(iSolid), xdr_iSolid)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    return (TRUE);
}

bool_t
xdr_iSolids(xdrs, objp)
    XDR *xdrs;
    iSolids *objp;
{
    if (!xdr_array(xdrs, (char **)&objp->iSolids_val, (u_int *)&objp->
        iSolids_len, ~0, sizeof(iSolid), xdr_iSolid)) {
```


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```
        return (FALSE);
    }
    return (TRUE);
}

bool_t
xdr_iSolids_P(xdrs, objp)
    XDR *xdrs;
    iSolids_P *objp;
{
    if (!xdr_pointer(xdrs, (char **)objp, sizeof(iSolids), xdr_iSolids)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    return (TRUE);
}

bool_t
xdr_iSolidObj(xdrs, objp)
    XDR *xdrs;
    iSolidObj *objp;
{
    if (!xdr_vector(xdrs, (char *)objp->sbName, ISOLID_NMLEN, sizeof(char),
        xdr_char)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    if (!xdr_u_long(xdrs, &objp->lIdTag)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    if (!xdr_u_long(xdrs, &objp->lSIdTag)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    if (!xdr_u_long(xdrs, &objp->lPerms)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    if (!xdr_u_long(xdrs, &objp->lType)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    if (!xdr_u_long(xdrs, &objp->lMode)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    if (!xdr_pointer(xdrs, (char **)&objp->pISolid, sizeof(iSolid),
        xdr_iSolid)) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    return (TRUE);
}

bool_t
xdr_iSolidObj_P(xdrs, objp)
    XDR *xdrs;
    iSolidObj_P *objp;
{
    if (!xdr_pointer(xdrs, (char **)objp, sizeof(iSolidObj), xdr_iSolidObj)
```


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```
        ) {
        return (FALSE);
    }
    return (TRUE);
}
```


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```
/*****************************************************************************
    ***/
/*****************************************************************************
    ***/
/**
    **/
/** This SHASTRA software is not in the Public Domain. It is distributed on
    **/
/** a person to person basis, solely for educational use and permission is
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    **/
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    **/
/** by C.  Bajaj accept responsibility for the consequences of its use.
    **/
/**
    **/
/*****************************************************************************
    ***/
/*****************************************************************************
    ***/
/*****************************************************************************/
/*
 * readSolid.c - input functions for solid at the network interface
 *
 * readString()
 *
 * readIndex() readAdjItem() readEqnItem()
 *
 * readVertex() readDEdge() readEdge() readCycle() readFace() readSolid()
 *
 */
/*****************************************************************************/

#include <stdio.h>
#include <ctype.h>
#include <malloc.h>

#include <shastra/shilp.h>
#include <poly/poly.h>
#include <poly/polymath.h>
#include <shastra/solid/datadefs.h>
#include <shastra/solid/edgetypes.h>
#include <shastra/solid/eqntypes.h>
#include <shastra/solid/bern.h>

#include <shastra/draw/solid.h>

#include <shastra/network/server.h>
#include <shastra/solid/readSolid.h>
```


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```
char    *stdVars[3] = {"X", "Y", "Z"};

#define DEBUG 0

/*
 * readIndex(fdSocket, iptr ) - read an index into iptr
 *
 * Input should be of the form: solid# object index#
 *
 * where solid# and index# are integers, and object = V,E,F,D, or C
 */
void
readIndex(fdSocket, iptr)
     int             fdSocket;
     Index_Ptr       iptr;
{
  char            c;
  char           *sbIn;

  sbIn = readString(fdSocket);
  sscanf(sbIn, "%d %c %d", &iptr->solid, &c, &iptr->index);
  free(sbIn);
#if DEBUG
  printf("readIndex: %d %c %d\n", iptr->solid, c, iptr->index);
#endif

  switch (c) {
  case 'V':
    iptr->object = VERTEX;
    break;
  case 'E':
    iptr->object = EDGE;
    break;
  case 'F':
    iptr->object = FACE;
    break;
  case 'D':
    iptr->object = DEDGE;
    break;
  case 'C':
    iptr->object = CYCLE;
    break;
  default:
    fprintf(stderr, "Unexpected type \"%c\" in readIndex\n", c);
    break;
  }
}

/*****************************************************************/
/*
 * readAdjItem( fdSocket,aptr ) - read an adjacency into item pointer
 *
```


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```
 * Input should be of the form Face_Index DEIn_Index DEOut_Index
 *
 */
/*****************************************************************/
void
readAdjItem(fdSocket, aptr)
     int             fdSocket;
     AdjList_Ptr     aptr;
{
  readIndex(fdSocket, &aptr->face);
  readIndex(fdSocket, &aptr->dEIn);
  readIndex(fdSocket, &aptr->dEOut);
}

/*****************************************************************/
/*
 * readEquation(fdSocket ) - read an equation , create it and return it
 */
/*****************************************************************/
Poly
readEquation(fdSocket)
     int             fdSocket;
{
  char           *sbIn;
  Poly eQN;

  eQN = Parse((sbIn = readString(fdSocket)));
  free(sbIn);
  ConformPolyToVars(3, stdVars, eQN);
  return eQN;
}

/*****************************************************************/
/*
 * readEqnItem(fdSocket ) - read an equation item, create it and return it
 */
/*****************************************************************/
EQNList_Ptr
readEqnItem(fdSocket)
     int             fdSocket;
{
  EQNList_Ptr     New_Eqn = createEqnItem();

  New_Eqn->eQN = readEquation(fdSocket);

  return (New_Eqn);
}

/*****************************************************************/
/*
 * readBernPar( fdSocket) - read bernstein-parametric eqn, return pointer
 *
 * Input should be of the form degree points...
```


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```
 *
 */
/*****************************************************************/
BernPar_Ptr
readBernPar(fdSocket)
     int             fdSocket;
{
  int             degree;
  int             i;
  BernPar_Ptr     eqn;
  char           *sbIn;

  sbIn = readString(fdSocket);
  sscanf(sbIn, "%d", &degree);
  free(sbIn);

  /*
   * printf("found bernstein par eqn of degree %d\n", degree);
   */
  if (degree <= 0) {
    return NULL;
  }
  eqn = (BernPar_Ptr) malloc(sizeof(BernPar));
  eqn->degree = degree;
  eqn->coeffs = (double (*)[3])
    createMem(3 * (1 + degree) * sizeof(double));

  for (i = 0; i <= degree; i++) {
    sbIn = readString(fdSocket);
    sscanf(sbIn, "%lf %lf %lf",
       &(eqn->coeffs[i][0]),
       &(eqn->coeffs[i][1]),
       &(eqn->coeffs[i][2]));
    free(sbIn);
    /*
     * printf("read coeff  %f %f %f\n", (eqn->coeffs[i][0]),
     * (eqn->coeffs[i][1]), (eqn->coeffs[i][2]));
     */
  }
  return eqn;
}
/*****************************************************************/
/*
 * readBernParQuad( fdSocket) - read bernstein-parametric eqn, return
     pointer
 *
 * Input should be of the form degree points...
 *
 */
/*****************************************************************/
BernParQuad_Ptr
readBernParQuad(fdSocket)
     int             fdSocket;
```


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```
{
  int             degree;
  int             i;
  BernParQuad_Ptr eqn;
  char           *sbIn;
  sbIn = readString(fdSocket);
  sscanf(sbIn, "%d", &degree);
  free(sbIn);

  /*
   * printf("found bernstein quad eqn of degree %d\n", degree);
   */
  if (degree <= 0) {
    return NULL;
  }
  eqn = (BernParQuad_Ptr) malloc(sizeof(BernParQuad));
  eqn->degree = degree;
  eqn->coeff1 = (double (*)[3])
    createMem(3 * (1 + degree) * sizeof(double));
  eqn->coeff2 = (double (*)[3])
    createMem(3 * (1 + degree) * sizeof(double));

  for (i = 0; i <= degree; i++) {
    sbIn = readString(fdSocket);
    sscanf(sbIn, "%lf %lf %lf",
       &(eqn->coeff1[i][0]),
       &(eqn->coeff1[i][1]),
       &(eqn->coeff1[i][2]));
    free(sbIn);
    /*
     * printf("read coeff  %f %f %f\n", (eqn->coeff1[i][0]),
     * (eqn->coeff1[i][1]), (eqn->coeff1[i][2]));
     */
  }
  for (i = 0; i <= degree; i++) {
    sbIn = readString(fdSocket);
    sscanf(sbIn, "%lf %lf %lf",
       &(eqn->coeff2[i][0]),
       &(eqn->coeff2[i][1]),
       &(eqn->coeff2[i][2]));
    free(sbIn);
    /*
     * printf("read coeff  %f %f %f\n", (eqn->coeff2[i][0]),
     * (eqn->coeff2[i][1]), (eqn->coeff2[i][2]));
     */

  }
  return eqn;
}
/*****************************************************************/
/*
 * readBernTensor( fdSocket) - read bernstein-parametric eqn, return
     pointer
```


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```
 *
 * Input should be of the form degree points...
 *
 */
/*****************************************************************/
BernTensor_Ptr
readBernTensor(fdSocket)
     int             fdSocket;
{
  int             degree;
  int             i;
  BernTensor_Ptr  eqn;
  char           *sbIn;
  sbIn = readString(fdSocket);
  sscanf(sbIn, "%d", &degree);
  free(sbIn);

  /*
   * printf("found bernstein tensor eqn of degree %d\n", degree);
   */
  if (degree <= 0) {
    return NULL;
  }
  eqn = (BernTensor_Ptr) malloc(sizeof(BernTensor));
  eqn->degree = degree;
  eqn->coeff1 = (double (*)[3])
    createMem(3 * (1 + degree) * sizeof(double));
  eqn->coeff2 = (double (*)[3])
    createMem(3 * (1 + degree) * sizeof(double));

  for (i = 0; i <= degree; i++) {
    sbIn = readString(fdSocket);
    sscanf(sbIn, "%lf %lf %lf",
       &(eqn->coeff1[i][0]),
       &(eqn->coeff1[i][1]),
       &(eqn->coeff1[i][2]));
    free(sbIn);
    /*
     * printf("read coeff  %f %f %f\n", (eqn->coeff1[i][0]),
     * (eqn->coeff1[i][1]), (eqn->coeff1[i][2]));
     */
  }
  for (i = 0; i <= degree; i++) {
    sbIn = readString(fdSocket);
    sscanf(sbIn, "%lf %lf %lf",
       &(eqn->coeff2[i][0]),
       &(eqn->coeff2[i][1]),
       &(eqn->coeff2[i][2]));
    free(sbIn);
    /*
     * printf("read coeff  %f %f %f\n", (eqn->coeff2[i][0]),
     * (eqn->coeff2[i][1]), (eqn->coeff2[i][2]));
     */
```


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```
  }
  sbIn = readString(fdSocket);
  sscanf(sbIn, "%lf %lf %lf",
     &(eqn->tangent[0]),
     &(eqn->tangent[1]),
     &(eqn->tangent[2]));
  free(sbIn);
  /*
   * printf("read tangent  %f %f %f\n", (eqn->tangent[0]),
   * (eqn->tangent[1]), (eqn->tangent[2]));
   */

  return eqn;
}
/*****************************************************************************/
/*
 * readVertex(fdSocket) - read in and create a single vertex return a
     pointer
 * to the vertex
 *
 * Input should be (assume preceeding "V" has been eaten): xval yval zval
 * #adjacencies adj1 adj2 ...
 *
 */
/*****************************************************************************/
Vertex_Ptr
readVertex(fdSocket)
     int             fdSocket;
{
  Vertex_Ptr      New_Vertex = createVertex();
  AdjList_Ptr     last_adj;
  int             i, num_adj;
  double          a, b, c;
  char           *sbIn;

  /* read in the point value */
  sbIn = readString(fdSocket);
  sscanf(sbIn, "%lf %lf %lf",
     &(New_Vertex->point[0]),
     &(New_Vertex->point[1]),
     &(New_Vertex->point[2]));
  free(sbIn);

  /* read adjacencies */
  sbIn = readString(fdSocket);
  sscanf(sbIn, "%d", &num_adj);
  free(sbIn);

  /*
   * for (i = 0; i < num_adj; i++) { last_adj =
   * New_Vertex->adjacencies; New_Vertex->adjacencies =
   * createAdjItem(); New_Vertex->adjacencies->next = last_adj;
   * readAdjItem(fdSocket, New_Vertex->adjacencies); }
```


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```
   */
  for (i = 0; i < num_adj; i++) {
    if (i == 0) {
      last_adj = New_Vertex->adjacencies = createAdjItem();
      readAdjItem(fdSocket, last_adj);
    } else {
      last_adj->next = createAdjItem();
      readAdjItem(fdSocket, last_adj->next);
      last_adj = last_adj->next;
    }
  }
  return (New_Vertex);
}

/*************************************************************************/
/*
 * readDEdge(fdSocket) - read in and create a new directed edge
 *
 * Input should be (assume D already eaten up) cycle_index rightorientation
     (int,
 * 0 or 1) edge_index next_de_index
 */
/*************************************************************************/
DEdge_Ptr
readDEdge(fdSocket)
     int             fdSocket;
{
  DEdge_Ptr       New_DEdge = createDEdge();
  char           *sbIn;

  readIndex(fdSocket, &New_DEdge->cycle);
  sbIn = readString(fdSocket);
  sscanf(sbIn, "%d", &New_DEdge->rightOrientation);
  free(sbIn);
  readIndex(fdSocket, &New_DEdge->edge);
  readIndex(fdSocket, &New_DEdge->nextDE);

  return (New_DEdge);
}

/*************************************************************************/
/*
 * readEdge(fdSocket) - read in and create an edge return a pointer to the
 * edge
 *
 * Input should be of the form (assume E eaten up):
 *
 * Name(string) V1_index V2_index Type ("LINEAR" or "BERNSTEIN_PARAMETRIC"
     or
 * "UNKNOWN") tan12_x tan12_y tan12_z tan21_x tan21_y tan21_z #of dedges
 * DirectedEdge_index1 DirectedEdge_index2 ... AUX_EQN or NO_AUX_EQN aux
     eqn,
 * as appropriate EQNS or NO_EQNS degree bernstein coeffs, as appropriate
```


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```
     xi
 * yi zi
 *
 */
/*****************************************************************************/
Edge_Ptr
readEdge(fdSocket)
     int             fdSocket;
{
  Edge_Ptr        New_Edge = createEdge();
  DEList_Ptr      last_de;
  int             i, num_des, degree;
  char           *sbIn;
  BernPar_Ptr     beqn;

  /* read edge name */
  sbIn = readString(fdSocket);
  sscanf(sbIn, "%19s", New_Edge->name);
  New_Edge->name[19] = '\0';
  free(sbIn);

  /* read vertex1 & vertex2 indices */
  readIndex(fdSocket, &New_Edge->vertex1);
  readIndex(fdSocket, &New_Edge->vertex2);

  /* read edge type */
  if (strncmp((sbIn = readString(fdSocket)), "LINEAR", strlen("LINEAR")) ==
      0)
    New_Edge->type = LINEAR;
  else if (strncmp(sbIn, "BERNSTEIN-TENSOR",
           strlen("BERNSTEIN-TENSOR")) == 0)
    New_Edge->type = BERNSTEIN_TENSOR_EDGE;
  else if (strncmp(sbIn, "BERNSTEIN-PARAMETRIC",
           strlen("BERNSTEIN-PARAMETRIC")) == 0)
    New_Edge->type = BERNSTEIN_PARAMETRIC;
  else if (strncmp(sbIn, "UNKNOWN", strlen("UNKNOWN")) == 0)
    New_Edge->type = UNKNOWN;
  else {
    fprintf(stderr, "Unknown edge type in readEdge -- %s\n", sbIn);
  }

  /* read tangents */
  sbIn = readString(fdSocket);
  sscanf(sbIn, "%lf %lf %lf", &New_Edge->tan12[0],
     &New_Edge->tan12[1], &New_Edge->tan12[2]);
  free(sbIn);
  sbIn = readString(fdSocket);
  sscanf(sbIn, "%lf %lf %lf", &New_Edge->tan21[0],
     &New_Edge->tan21[1], &New_Edge->tan21[2]);
  free(sbIn);

  /* read directed edges */
  sbIn = readString(fdSocket);
```


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```
sscanf(sbIn, "%d", &num_des);
free(sbIn);
/*
 * for (i = 0; i < num_des; i++) { last_de = New_Edge->dEdges;
 * New_Edge->dEdges = createDEdgeItem(); readIndex(fdSocket,
 * &New_Edge->dEdges->dEdge); New_Edge->dEdges->next = last_de; }
 */
for (i = 0; i < num_des; i++) {
  if (i == 0) {
    last_de = New_Edge->dEdges = createDEdgeItem();
    readIndex(fdSocket, &last_de->dEdge);
  } else {
    last_de->next = createDEdgeItem();
    readIndex(fdSocket, &last_de->next->dEdge);
    last_de = last_de->next;
  }
}

/* read aux eqn */
if (strncmp((sbIn = readString(fdSocket)),
        "AUX_EQN", strlen("AUX_EQN")) == 0) {
  free(sbIn);
  if (strncmp((sbIn = readString(fdSocket)),
      "IMPLICIT", strlen("IMPLICIT")) == 0) {
    free(sbIn);
    New_Edge->aux_Eqn = Parse((sbIn = readString(fdSocket)));
    free(sbIn);
    ConformPolyToVars(3, stdVars, New_Edge->aux_Eqn);
  } else {
    fprintf(stderr, "Unknown Aux Equation Type - %s!\n", sbIn);
    free(sbIn);
  }
} else {
  free(sbIn);
  New_Edge->aux_Eqn = NULL;
}

/* see if there is a bernstein eqn */
if (strncmp((sbIn = readString(fdSocket)), "EQNS", strlen("EQNS")) == 0)
    {
  /* read in degree */
  free(sbIn);
  if (strncmp((sbIn = readString(fdSocket)), "BERNSTEIN-PARAMETRIC",
      strlen("BERNSTEIN-PARAMETRIC")) == 0) {
    free(sbIn);
    New_Edge->eqn = readBernPar(fdSocket);
  } else {
    fprintf(stderr, "Unknown Edge Equation Type - %s!\n", sbIn);
    free(sbIn);
  }

} else {
  free(sbIn);
```


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```
  }
  return (New_Edge);
}

/*****************************************************************************/
/*
 * readCycle(fdSocket) - read in, create and return a cycle
 *
 * Input should be of the form:
 *
 * face_index dedge_index
 */
/*****************************************************************************/
Cycle_Ptr
readCycle(fdSocket)
     int             fdSocket;
{
  Cycle_Ptr       New_Cycle = createCycle();

  readIndex(fdSocket, &New_Cycle->face);
  readIndex(fdSocket, &New_Cycle->dEdge);

  return (New_Cycle);
}

/*****************************************************************************/
/*
 * readFace(fdSocket) - read in and create a face return a pointer to the
     new
 * face
 *
 * Input should be of the form (assume F eaten): Name (string) Equation
 * (macsyma-form equation, unless bernstein) Normal_eqn_1 (macsyma form)
 * Normal_eqn_2        " Normal_eqn_3        " #cycles cycle1 cycle2 ...
 */
/*****************************************************************************/
Face_Ptr
readFace(fdSocket)
     int             fdSocket;
{
  Face_Ptr        New_Face = createFace();
  EQNList_Ptr     last_eqn, next_eqn;
  CycleList_Ptr   last_cycle;
  int             i, num_cycles;
  char           *sbIn;

  /* read name */
  sbIn = readString(fdSocket);
  sscanf(sbIn, "%19s", New_Face->name);
  New_Face->name[19] = '\0';
  free(sbIn);
```


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```
    /* read equation */
    if (strncmp((sbIn = readString(fdSocket)),
            "IMPLICIT", strlen("IMPLICIT")) == 0) {
      free(sbIn);
      New_Face->equation = Parse((sbIn = readString(fdSocket)));
      free(sbIn);
      ConformPolyToVars(3, stdVars, New_Face->equation);
      New_Face->type = IMPLICIT;
    } else if (strncmp(sbIn, "BERNSTEIN_PARAMETRIC_QUAD", strlen
        ("BERNSTEIN_PARAMETRIC_QUAD")) == 0) {
      free(sbIn);
      New_Face->type = BERNSTEIN_PARAMETRIC_QUAD;
      /* read it in */
      New_Face->bernQuad = readBernParQuad(fdSocket);
    } else if (strncmp(sbIn, "BERNSTEIN_TENSOR", strlen("BERNSTEIN_TENSOR"))
        == 0) {
      free(sbIn);
      New_Face->type = BERNSTEIN_TENSOR;
      /* read it in */
      New_Face->bernTens = readBernTensor(fdSocket);
    } else {
      fprintf(stderr, "Unknown Equation Type - %s!\n", sbIn);
      free(sbIn);
    }

    /* read the (three) normal equations */
    New_Face->normal = readEqnItem(fdSocket);
    New_Face->normal->next = readEqnItem(fdSocket);
    New_Face->normal->next->next = readEqnItem(fdSocket);

    /* read in the cycles */
    sbIn = readString(fdSocket);
    sscanf(sbIn, "%d", &num_cycles);
    free(sbIn);
    /*
     * last_cycle = New_Face->cycles;
     * for (i = 0; i < num_cycles; i++) { New_Face->cycles =
     * createCycleItem(); readIndex(fdSocket, &New_Face->cycles->cycle);
     * New_Face->cycles->next = last_cycle; last_cycle =
     * New_Face->cycles; }
     */
    for (i = 0; i < num_cycles; i++) {
      if (i == 0) {
        last_cycle = New_Face->cycles = createCycleItem();
        readIndex(fdSocket, &last_cycle->cycle);
      } else {
        last_cycle->next = createCycleItem();
        readIndex(fdSocket, &last_cycle->next->cycle);
        last_cycle = last_cycle->next;
      }
    }

    return (New_Face);
```


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```
}

/*****************************************************************************/
/*
 * readSolid(fdSocket) - read in a solid from a file return a pointer to
     the
 * new solid
 *
 * Input should be as follows (assume the preceeding "S" has already been
     eaten
 * up):
 *
 * #vert #edges #faces #dedges #cycles vertex1 vertex2 ... edge1 edge2 ...
     face1
 * face2 ... dedge1 dedge2 ... cycle1 cycle2 ...
 *
 */
/*****************************************************************************/
Solid_Ptr
readSolid(fdSocket)
     int             fdSocket;
{
  Solid_Ptr       New_Solid = createSolid();
  int             i;
  Stack_Union     object;
  int             Num_Vertices, Num_Edges, Num_Faces, Num_DEdges,
      Num_Cycles;
  char           *sbIn;

  /* check for error, or solid */
  sbIn = readString(fdSocket);

  if (strncmp(sbIn, "ERROR", strlen("ERROR")) == 0) {
    free(sbIn);
    fprintf(stderr, "%s\n", sbIn);
    return (NULL);
  } else {
    free(sbIn);
  }
  /* must be SOLID # */
    sbIn = readString(fdSocket);
  sscanf(sbIn, "%19s", New_Solid->name);
  New_Solid->name[19] = '\0';
  free(sbIn);

  /* read # of vertices,edges,faces,dedges,cycles */
    sbIn = readString(fdSocket);
  sscanf(sbIn, "%d %d %d %d %d", &Num_Vertices, &Num_Edges,
     &Num_Faces, &Num_DEdges, &Num_Cycles);
  free(sbIn);

  printf("#v %d #e %d #f %d #d %d #c %d\n", Num_Vertices,
     Num_Edges, Num_Faces, Num_DEdges, Num_Cycles);
```


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```
  /* read all the solid subcomponents */
  printf("reading vertices\n");
  for (i = 0; i < Num_Vertices; i++) {
    object.vertex = readVertex(fdSocket);
    sprintf(object.vertex->name, "v%d", i);
    AddObjToSolid(&object, VERTEX, New_Solid);
  }

  printf("reading edges\n");
  for (i = 0; i < Num_Edges; i++) {
    object.edge = readEdge(fdSocket);
    /*
     * sprintf(object.edge->name,"e%d",i);
     */
    AddObjToSolid(&object, EDGE, New_Solid);
  }

  printf("reading faces\n");
  for (i = 0; i < Num_Faces; i++) {
    object.face = readFace(fdSocket);
    /*
     * sprintf(object.face->name,"f%d",i);
     */
    AddObjToSolid(&object, FACE, New_Solid);
  }

  printf("reading dedges\n");
  for (i = 0; i < Num_DEdges; i++) {
    object.dEdge = readDEdge(fdSocket);
    sprintf(object.dEdge->name, "de%d", i);
    AddObjToSolid(&object, DEDGE, New_Solid);
  }

  printf("reading cycles\n");
  for (i = 0; i < Num_Cycles; i++) {
    object.cycle = readCycle(fdSocket);
    sprintf(object.cycle->name, "c%d", i);
    AddObjToSolid(&object, CYCLE, New_Solid);
  }

  return (New_Solid);
}

solidData *
readSolidData(fdSocket)
     int             fdSocket;
{
  solidData *pSolid;
  char           *sbIn;

  pSolid = (solidData*)createMem(sizeof(solidData));
```


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```
  sbIn = readString(fdSocket);
  strcpy(pSolid->sbName,sbIn);

  sbIn = readString(fdSocket);
  sscanf(sbIn, "%lu%lu%lu",
     &pSolid->lIdTag,
     &pSolid->lSIdTag,
     &pSolid->lPerms);
  free(sbIn);

  sbIn = readString(fdSocket);
  sscanf(sbIn, "%d%d%d%d",
     &pSolid->dispMode,
     &pSolid->color,
     &pSolid->shade,
     &pSolid->dispInfo);
  free(sbIn);

  pSolid->pSolid = readSolid(fdSocket);

  return pSolid;
}

/*****************************************************************************/
/*
 * createSolid.c - routines related to creating structures
 *
 * createMem( size ) createEntries( size ) createStack( size )
 *
 * createAdjItem() createDEdgeItem() createEqnItem() createCycleItem()
 *
 * createVertex() createEdge() createFace() createDEdge() createCycle()
 * createSolid()
 */
/*****************************************************************************/



/*****************************************************************************/
/* return malloc'ed memory, unless out, then crash                           */
/*****************************************************************************/
char           *
createMem(size)
     unsigned        size;
{
  char           *block;

  if (size <= 0) {
    fprintf(stderr, "createMem()->requested 0 bytes\n");
    return NULL;
  }
  block = malloc(size);
```


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```
  if (block == NULL) {
    fprintf(stderr, "FATAL ERROR -- out of memory in createMem\n");
    exit(1);
  } else {
    memset(block, 0, size);
    return (block);
  }
}

/*****************************************************************************/
/*
 * createEntries - create an array of Stack_Union
 */
/*****************************************************************************/
Stack_Union    *
createEntries(size)
     int             size;
{
  return ((Stack_Union *) createMem(sizeof(Stack_Union) * size));
}

/*****************************************************************************/
/* create a stack with initial size given                                    */
/*****************************************************************************/
Stack          *
createStack(size)
     int             size;
{
  Stack          *new_stack;
  new_stack = (Stack *) createMem(sizeof(Stack));

  new_stack->index = 0;
  new_stack->size = size;
  new_stack->entries = createEntries(size);
  return (new_stack);
}

/*****************************************************************************/
/*
 * createAdjItem()
 */
/*****************************************************************************/
AdjList_Ptr
createAdjItem()
{
  return ((struct AdjList *) createMem(sizeof(struct AdjList)));
}

/*****************************************************************************/
/*
 * createDEdgeItem()
 */
/*****************************************************************************/
```


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```
DEList_Ptr
createDEdgeItem()
{
  return ((struct DEList *) createMem(sizeof(struct DEList)));
}

/*****************************************************************/
/*
 * createEqnItem()
 */
/*****************************************************************/
EQNList_Ptr
createEqnItem()
{
  return ((struct EQNList *) createMem(sizeof(struct EQNList)));
}

/*****************************************************************/
/*
 * createCycleItem()
 */
/*****************************************************************/
CycleList_Ptr
createCycleItem()
{
  return ((struct CycleList *) createMem(sizeof(struct CycleList)));
}

/*****************************************************************/
/*
 * createVertex
 */
/*****************************************************************/
Vertex         *
createVertex()
{
  return ((Vertex *) createMem(sizeof(Vertex)));
}

/*****************************************************************/
/*
 * createEdge
 */
/*****************************************************************/
Edge           *
createEdge()
{
  return ((Edge *) createMem(sizeof(Edge)));
}

/*****************************************************************/
/*
 * createFace
```


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```
 */
/*****************************************************************/
Face           *
createFace()
{
  return ((Face *) createMem(sizeof(Face)));
}

/*****************************************************************/
/*
 * createDEdge
 */
/*****************************************************************/
DEdge          *
createDEdge()
{
  return ((DEdge *) createMem(sizeof(DEdge)));
}

/*****************************************************************/
/*
 * createCycle
 */
/*****************************************************************/
Cycle          *
createCycle()
{
  return ((Cycle *) createMem(sizeof(Cycle)));
}

/*****************************************************************/
/*
 * createSolid
 */
/*****************************************************************/
Solid          *
createSolid()
{
  Solid          *new_solid = (Solid *) createMem(sizeof(Solid));

  new_solid->vertices = createStack(INITIAL_VERTICES);
  new_solid->edges = createStack(INITIAL_EDGES);
  new_solid->faces = createStack(INITIAL_FACES);
  new_solid->dEdges = createStack(INITIAL_DEDGES);
  new_solid->cycles = createStack(INITIAL_CYCLES);
  new_solid->name[0] = '\0';

  return (new_solid);
}

/*****************************************************************/
/*
 * stack.c - routines related to stack manipulation
```


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```
 *
 * ReHashStack( stack ) AddObjToStack( sObject, stack ) AddObjToSolid(
     sObject,
 * Type, Solid )
 */
/*****************************************************************************/

/*****************************************************************************/
/* ReHashStack - make the given stack bigger                                 */
/*****************************************************************************/
ReHashStack(stack)
     Stack_Ptr       stack;
{
  int             i;
  Stack_Union    *new_entries = createEntries(2 * stack->size);

  for (i = 0; i < stack->size; i++)
    new_entries[i] = stack->entries[i];

  stack->size = 2 * stack->size;
  free(stack->entries);
  stack->entries = new_entries;
}

/*****************************************************************************/
/* AddObjToStack - add an object to the given stack                          */
/*****************************************************************************/
AddObjToStack(sObject, kind, stack)
     Stack_Union    *sObject;
     int             kind;
     Stack_Ptr       stack;
{
  switch (kind) {
  case VERTEX:
    stack->entries[stack->index++].vertex = sObject->vertex;
    break;
  case EDGE:
    stack->entries[stack->index++].edge = sObject->edge;
    break;
  case FACE:
    stack->entries[stack->index++].face = sObject->face;
    break;
  case DEDGE:
    stack->entries[stack->index++].dEdge = sObject->dEdge;
    break;
  case CYCLE:
    stack->entries[stack->index++].cycle = sObject->cycle;
    break;
  default:
    fprintf(stderr, "Attempt to AddObjToStack unknown object type #%d\n",
        kind);
    exit(1);
    break;
```


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```
  }

  if ((stack->index + 1) == stack->size)
    ReHashStack(stack);
}

/*****************************************************************************/
/* AddObjToSolid - add an object to the given solid                          */
/*****************************************************************************/
AddObjToSolid(sObject, kind, S)
     Stack_Union    *sObject;
     int             kind;
     Solid_Ptr       S;
{
  switch (kind) {
  case VERTEX:
    AddObjToStack(sObject, kind, S->vertices);
    break;
  case EDGE:
    AddObjToStack(sObject, kind, S->edges);
    break;
  case FACE:
    AddObjToStack(sObject, kind, S->faces);
    break;
  case DEDGE:
    AddObjToStack(sObject, kind, S->dEdges);
    break;
  case CYCLE:
    AddObjToStack(sObject, kind, S->cycles);
    break;
  default:
    fprintf(stderr, "Attempt to AddObjToSolid unknown object type #%d\n",
        kind);
    exit(1);
    break;
  }
}
```


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```
/*****************************************************************************
    ***/
/*****************************************************************************
    ***/
/**
    **/
/** This SHASTRA software is not in the Public Domain. It is distributed on
    **/
/** a person to person basis, solely for educational use and permission is
    **/
/** NOT granted for its transfer to anyone or for its use in any commercial
    **/
/** product.  There is NO warranty on the available software and neither
    **/
/** Purdue University nor the Applied Algebra and Geometry group directed
    **/
/** by C.  Bajaj accept responsibility for the consequences of its use.
    **/
/**
    **/
/*****************************************************************************
    ***/
/*****************************************************************************
    ***/
#include <stdio.h>
#include <ctype.h>
#include <shastra/solid/vIndexPolyH.h>
#include <shastra/network/server.h>
#include <shastra/network/mplex.h>
#include <shastra/network/rpc.h>

#define STANDALONEnn

static char         sbOut[5120];

int
vIndexPolyOut(fd, pIPoly)
    int             fd;
vIndexPoly      *pIPoly;
{
    XDR             xdrs;
    int             retVal = 0;

#ifdef STANDALONE
    {
        FILE           *fp;
        fp = stdout /* fdopen(fd,"w") */ ;
        xdrstdio_create(&xdrs, fp, XDR_ENCODE);
        if (!xdr_vIndexPoly(&xdrs, pIPoly)) {
            retVal = -1;
        }
    }
#else               /* STANDALONE */
```


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```
    /*
     * xdrstdio_create(mplexXDRSEnc(fd), mplexOutStream(fd), XDR_ENCODE);
     */
    if (!xdr_vIndexPoly(mplexXDRSEnc(fd), pIPoly)) {
        retVal = -1;
    }
#endif              /* STANDALONE */
    return retVal;
}

int
vIndexPolyIn(fd, pIPoly)
    int             fd;
vIndexPoly      *pIPoly;
{
    XDR             xdrs;
    int             retVal = 0;

    vIndexPolyXDRFree(pIPoly);
#ifdef STANDALONE
    {
        FILE           *fp;
        fp = stdin /* fdopen(fd,"r") */ ;
        xdrstdio_create(&xdrs, fp, XDR_DECODE);
        if (!xdr_vIndexPoly(&xdrs, pIPoly)) {
            retVal = -1;
        }
    }
#else               /* STANDALONE */
    /*
     * xdrstdio_create(mplexXDRSDec(fd), mplexInStream(fd), XDR_DECODE);
     */
    if (!xdr_vIndexPoly(mplexXDRSDec(fd), pIPoly)) {
        retVal = -1;
    }
#endif              /* STANDALONE */
    return retVal;
}



void
inputVIndexPoly(fp, pIPoly)
    FILE           *fp;
vIndexPoly      *pIPoly;
{
    int             i,j;

    fscanf(fp, "%u", &pIPoly->vertices.vertices_len);
    pIPoly->vertices.vertices_val =
        (vIndexPolyVert *) malloc(sizeof(vIndexPolyVert) *
                    pIPoly->vertices.vertices_len);
    for (i = 0; i < pIPoly->vertices.vertices_len; i++) {
```


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```
        fscanf(fp, "%lf%lf%lf",
               &pIPoly->vertices.vertices_val[i][0],
               &pIPoly->vertices.vertices_val[i][1],
               &pIPoly->vertices.vertices_val[i][2]);
    }

    fscanf(fp, "%u", &pIPoly->faces.faces_len);
    pIPoly->faces.faces_val =
        (faceVerts *) malloc(sizeof(faceVerts) *
                     pIPoly->faces.faces_len);
    for (i = 0; i < pIPoly->faces.faces_len; i++) {
        fscanf(fp, "%u", &pIPoly->faces.faces_val[i].faceVerts_len);
        pIPoly->faces.faces_val[i].faceVerts_val =
            (int *) malloc(sizeof(int) *
                   pIPoly->faces.faces_val[i].faceVerts_len);
        for (j = 0; j < pIPoly->faces.faces_val[i].faceVerts_len; j++) {
            fscanf(fp, "%d",
                   &pIPoly->faces.faces_val[i].faceVerts_val[j]);
        }
    }
}

void
outputVIndexPoly(fp, pIPoly)
    FILE           *fp;
vIndexPoly      *pIPoly;
{
    int             i,j;

    fprintf(fp, "%u\n", pIPoly->vertices.vertices_len);
    for (i = 0; i < pIPoly->vertices.vertices_len; i++) {
        fprintf(fp, "%lf %lf %lf\n",
            pIPoly->vertices.vertices_val[i][0],
            pIPoly->vertices.vertices_val[i][1],
            pIPoly->vertices.vertices_val[i][2]);
    }

    fprintf(fp, "%u\n", pIPoly->faces.faces_len);
    for (i = 0; i < pIPoly->faces.faces_len; i++) {
        fprintf(fp, "%u\n", pIPoly->faces.faces_val[i].faceVerts_len);
        for (j = 0; j < pIPoly->faces.faces_val[i].faceVerts_len; j++) {
            fprintf(fp, "%d ",
                pIPoly->faces.faces_val[i].faceVerts_val[j]);
        }
        fprintf(fp, "\n");
    }
}



void
freeVIndexPoly(pIPoly)
vIndexPoly      *pIPoly;
```


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```
{
    int             i;

    free(pIPoly->vertices.vertices_val);

    for (i = 0; i < pIPoly->faces.faces_len; i++) {
        free(pIPoly->faces.faces_val[i].faceVerts_val);
    }
    free(pIPoly->faces.faces_val);
    memset(pIPoly, 0, sizeof(vIndexPoly));
}

vIndexPoly      *
copyVIndexPoly(pIPoly, destpIPoly)
vIndexPoly      *pIPoly;
vIndexPoly      *destpIPoly;
{
vIndexPoly      *newpIPoly;
    int             i;

    if (pIPoly == NULL) {
        return NULL;
    }
    if (destpIPoly == NULL) {
        newpIPoly = (vIndexPoly *) malloc(sizeof(vIndexPoly));
    } else {
        newpIPoly = destpIPoly;
    }

    destpIPoly->vertices.vertices_len = pIPoly->vertices.vertices_len;
    destpIPoly->vertices.vertices_val =
        (vIndexPolyVert *) malloc(sizeof(vIndexPolyVert) *
                    pIPoly->vertices.vertices_len);
    memcpy(destpIPoly->vertices.vertices_val,
            pIPoly->vertices.vertices_val,
          sizeof(vIndexPolyVert) *
          pIPoly->vertices.vertices_len);

    destpIPoly->faces.faces_len = pIPoly->faces.faces_len;
    destpIPoly->faces.faces_val =
        (faceVerts *) malloc(sizeof(faceVerts) *
                    pIPoly->faces.faces_len);
    for (i = 0; i < pIPoly->faces.faces_len; i++) {
        destpIPoly->faces.faces_val[i].faceVerts_len =
            pIPoly->faces.faces_val[i].faceVerts_len;
        destpIPoly->faces.faces_val[i].faceVerts_val =
            (int *) malloc(sizeof(int) *
                  pIPoly->faces.faces_val[i].faceVerts_len);
        memcpy( destpIPoly->faces.faces_val[i].faceVerts_val,
            pIPoly->faces.faces_val[i].faceVerts_val,
            sizeof(int) * pIPoly->faces.faces_val[i].faceVerts_len);
    }
    return destpIPoly;
```


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```
}

void
vIndexPolyXDRFree(pIPoly)
vIndexPoly      *pIPoly;
{
    xdr_free(xdr_vIndexPoly, (char *) pIPoly);
    memset(pIPoly, 0, sizeof(vIndexPoly));
}




vIndexPoly      *
inputVIndexPolyString(fd)
    int             fd;
{
vIndexPoly      *pIPoly;
    int             i,j;
    char *sbIn;

    pIPoly = (vIndexPoly*)malloc(sizeof(vIndexPoly));
    memset(pIPoly, 0,sizeof(vIndexPoly));
    sbIn = cmReceiveString(fd);
    sscanf(sbIn, "%u", &pIPoly->vertices.vertices_len);
    free(sbIn);
    pIPoly->vertices.vertices_val =
        (vIndexPolyVert *) malloc(sizeof(vIndexPolyVert) *
                    pIPoly->vertices.vertices_len);
    for (i = 0; i < pIPoly->vertices.vertices_len; i++) {
        sbIn = cmReceiveString(fd);
        sscanf(sbIn, "%lf%lf%lf",
               &pIPoly->vertices.vertices_val[i][0],
               &pIPoly->vertices.vertices_val[i][1],
               &pIPoly->vertices.vertices_val[i][2]);
        free(sbIn);
    }

    sbIn = cmReceiveString(fd);
    sscanf(sbIn, "%u", &pIPoly->faces.faces_len);
    free(sbIn);
    pIPoly->faces.faces_val =
        (faceVerts *) malloc(sizeof(faceVerts) *
                    pIPoly->faces.faces_len);
    for (i = 0; i < pIPoly->faces.faces_len; i++) {
        char *iptr;
        sbIn = cmReceiveString(fd);
        sscanf(sbIn, "%u", &pIPoly->faces.faces_val[i].faceVerts_len);
        free(sbIn);
        pIPoly->faces.faces_val[i].faceVerts_val =
            (int *) malloc(sizeof(int) *
                  pIPoly->faces.faces_val[i].faceVerts_len);
```


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```
        iptr = sbIn = cmReceiveString(fd);
        for (j = 0; j < pIPoly->faces.faces_val[i].faceVerts_len; j++) {
            while((!isdigit(*iptr)) && (*iptr!='-')){
                iptr++/*skip nonnumerics*/;
            }
            sscanf(iptr, "%d",
                   &pIPoly->faces.faces_val[i].faceVerts_val[j]);
            if(*iptr == '-'){
                iptr++;
            }
            while(isdigit(*iptr))iptr++/*skip numerics*/;
        }
        free(sbIn);
    }
    return pIPoly;
}

void
outputVIndexPolyString(fd, pIPoly)
    int     fd;
vIndexPoly      *pIPoly;
{
    int             i,j;

    sprintf(sbOut, "%u\n", pIPoly->vertices.vertices_len);
    cmSendString(fd,sbOut);
    for (i = 0; i < pIPoly->vertices.vertices_len; i++) {
        sprintf(sbOut, "%lf %lf %lf\n",
            pIPoly->vertices.vertices_val[i][0],
            pIPoly->vertices.vertices_val[i][1],
            pIPoly->vertices.vertices_val[i][2]);
        cmSendString(fd,sbOut);
    }

    sprintf(sbOut, "%u\n", pIPoly->faces.faces_len);
    cmSendString(fd,sbOut);
    for (i = 0; i < pIPoly->faces.faces_len; i++) {
        char *optr;
        sprintf(sbOut, "%u\n", pIPoly->faces.faces_val[i].faceVerts_len);
        cmSendString(fd,sbOut);
        optr = sbOut;
        for (j = 0; j < pIPoly->faces.faces_val[i].faceVerts_len; j++) {
            sprintf(optr, "%d ",
                pIPoly->faces.faces_val[i].faceVerts_val[j]);
            optr += strlen(optr);
        }
        sprintf(optr, "\n");
        cmSendString(fd,sbOut);
    }
}
```


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```
#ifdef STANDALONE
main(argc, argv)
#else                /* STANDALONE */
vIndexPolyMain(argc, argv)
#endif               /* STANDALONE */
    int              argc;
    char           **argv;
{
vIndexPoly sIPoly;
vIndexPoly       cpIPoly;

    switch (argc) {
    case 1:     /* receive sId */
    vIndexPolyIn(0 /* stdin */ , &sIPoly);
        outputVIndexPoly(stdout, &sIPoly);
        cpIPoly = sIPoly;
        outputVIndexPoly(stdout, &cpIPoly);

        break;
    case 2:     /* receive sId */
        inputVIndexPoly(stdin, &sIPoly);
#ifdef DEBUG
        outputVIndexPoly(stderr, &sIPoly);
#endif
    vIndexPolyOut(1 /* stdout */ , &sIPoly);

        break;
    }

}
```


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```
/*****************************************************************************
    ***/
/*****************************************************************************
    ***/
/**
    **/
/** This SHASTRA software is not in the Public Domain. It is distributed on
    **/
/** a person to person basis, solely for educational use and permission is
    **/
/** NOT granted for its transfer to anyone or for its use in any commercial
    **/
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    **/
/** Purdue University nor the Applied Algebra and Geometry group directed
    **/
/** by C.  Bajaj accept responsibility for the consequences of its use.
    **/
/**
    **/
/*****************************************************************************
    ***/
/*****************************************************************************
    ***/
/*
 * write.c - output functions for the network interface
 *
 * writeString()
 *
 * writeIndex( iptr ) writeAdjItem( aptr ) writeEqn(eptr)
 *
 * writeVertex( vptr) writeDEdge(deptr) writeEdge(eptr) writeCycle(cptr)
 * writeFace(fptr) writeSolid(sptr)
 *
 */


#include <stdio.h>

#include <shastra/shilp.h>
#include <poly/poly.h>
#include <poly/polymath.h>
#include <shastra/solid/datadefs.h>
#include <shastra/solid/edgetypes.h>
#include <shastra/solid/eqntypes.h>
#include <shastra/solid/bern.h>

#include <shastra/solid/writeSolid.h>

static char         sbOut[5120];
char           *sbVarNames[] = {"X", "Y", "Z"};
int             iVarCount = 3;
/* implicit power equations will always be in x,y & z */
```


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```
/*
 * writeString(fdSocket, s ) - write string
 */
void
writeString(fdSocket, s)
    int fdSocket;
    char           *s;
{
    cmSendString(fdSocket, s);
}

/*
 * writeStrings(fdSocket,n,strs) - strs n strings given n, char ** array
 */
void
writeStrings(fdSocket,number,names)
int fdSocket;
int number;
char**names;
{
    int             i;
    int len;

    sprintf( sbOut ,"%d", number);
    writeString(fdSocket,sbOut);

    if(number <= 0){
        return ;
    }
    for (i = 0; i < number; i++) {
    sprintf( sbOut ,"%s", names[i]);
    writeString(fdSocket,sbOut);
    }

    return ;

}               /* end readStrings */
/*
 * writeIndex(fdSocket, iptr ) - write an index from iptr
 */
void
writeIndex(fdSocket, iptr)
    int fdSocket;
    Index_Ptr       iptr;
{
    char            c;

    switch (iptr->object) {
    case VERTEX:
        c = 'V';
        break;
    case EDGE:
```


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```
        c = 'E';
        break;
    case FACE:
        c = 'F';
        break;
    case DEDGE:
        c = 'D';
        break;
    case CYCLE:
        c = 'C';
        break;
    default:
        fprintf(stderr, "ERROR:Unexpected type %d in writeIndex\n",
            iptr->object);
        break;
    }

    sprintf(sbOut, "%d %c %d\n", iptr->solid, c, iptr->index);
    writeString(fdSocket,sbOut);
#if DEBUG
    printf("writeIndex: %d %c %d", iptr->solid, c, iptr->index);
#endif
}

/*
 * writeAdjItem( fdSocket, aptr ) -
 */
void
writeAdjItem(fdSocket, aptr)
    int fdSocket;
    AdjList_Ptr     aptr;
{
    writeIndex(fdSocket, &aptr->face);
    writeIndex(fdSocket, &aptr->dEIn);
    writeIndex(fdSocket, &aptr->dEOut);
}
/*
 * writeEqn(fdSocket, New_Eqn) -
 */
void
writeEqn(int fdSocket, Poly New_Eqn)
{
    char *sbEqn;

    sbEqn = UnParse(New_Eqn);
    sprintf(sbOut, "%s\n", sbEqn);
    writeString(fdSocket,sbOut);
}

/*
 * writeBernPar( fdSocket, BernPar_Ptr) - write bernstein-parametric eqn
 */
void
```


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```
writeBernPar(fdSocket, eqn)
    int fdSocket;
    BernPar_Ptr eqn;
{
int i;
            sprintf(sbOut, "%d\n", eqn->degree);
            writeString(fdSocket,sbOut);

            if(eqn->degree <= 0){
                return ;
            }
            for (i = 0; i <= eqn->degree; i++) {
                sprintf(sbOut, "%lf %lf %lf\n",
                       eqn->coeffs[i][0],
                       eqn->coeffs[i][1],
                       eqn->coeffs[i][2]);
                writeString(fdSocket,sbOut);
            }
            return ;
}
/*
 * writeBernParQuad( fdSocket, eqn) - write bernstein-parametric quad
 */
void
writeBernParQuad(fdSocket, eqn)
    int fdSocket;
    BernParQuad_Ptr eqn;
{
int i;
            sprintf(sbOut, "%d\n", eqn->degree);
            writeString(fdSocket,sbOut);

            if(eqn->degree <= 0){
                return ;
            }
            for (i = 0; i <= eqn->degree; i++) {
                sprintf(sbOut, "%lf %lf %lf\n",
                       eqn->coeff1[i][0],
                       eqn->coeff1[i][1],
                       eqn->coeff1[i][2]);
                writeString(fdSocket,sbOut);
            }
            for (i = 0; i <= eqn->degree; i++) {
                sprintf(sbOut, "%lf %lf %lf\n",
                       eqn->coeff2[i][0],
                       eqn->coeff2[i][1],
                       eqn->coeff2[i][2]);
                writeString(fdSocket,sbOut);
            }
            return ;
}
/*
 * writeBernTensor( fdSocket, eqn) - write bernstein-tensor eqn
```


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```
 */
void
writeBernTensor(fdSocket, eqn)
    int fdSocket;
    BernTensor_Ptr eqn;
{
int i;
            sprintf(sbOut, "%d\n", eqn->degree);
            writeString(fdSocket,sbOut);

            if(eqn->degree <= 0){
                return ;
            }
            for (i = 0; i <= eqn->degree; i++) {
                sprintf(sbOut, "%lf %lf %lf\n",
                       eqn->coeff1[i][0],
                       eqn->coeff1[i][1],
                       eqn->coeff1[i][2]);
                writeString(fdSocket,sbOut);
            }
            for (i = 0; i <= eqn->degree; i++) {
                sprintf(sbOut, "%lf %lf %lf\n",
                       eqn->coeff2[i][0],
                       eqn->coeff2[i][1],
                       eqn->coeff2[i][2]);
                writeString(fdSocket,sbOut);
            }
            sprintf(sbOut, "%lf %lf %lf\n",
                   eqn->tangent[0],
                   eqn->tangent[1],
                   eqn->tangent[2]);
            return ;
}
/*
 * writeVertex(fdSocket) -
 */
void
writeVertex(fdSocket, New_Vertex)
    int fdSocket;
    Vertex_Ptr      New_Vertex;
{
    AdjList_Ptr     last_adj;
    int             i, num_adj;

    /* write in the point value */
    sprintf(sbOut, "%lf %lf %lf\n",
        New_Vertex->point[0],
        New_Vertex->point[1],
        New_Vertex->point[2]);
    writeString(fdSocket,sbOut);

    /* write adjacencies */
    for (num_adj = 0, last_adj = New_Vertex->adjacencies;
```


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```
          last_adj != NULL;
          num_adj++, last_adj = last_adj->next) {
    }
    sprintf(sbOut, "%d\n", num_adj);
    writeString(fdSocket,sbOut);

    for (last_adj = New_Vertex->adjacencies;
          last_adj != NULL;
          last_adj = last_adj->next) {
        writeAdjItem(fdSocket, last_adj);
    }

}

/*
 * writeDEdge(fdSocket) -
 */
void
writeDEdge(fdSocket, New_DEdge)
    int fdSocket;
    DEdge_Ptr       New_DEdge;
{

    writeIndex(fdSocket, &New_DEdge->cycle);

    sprintf(sbOut, "%d\n", New_DEdge->rightOrientation);
    writeString(fdSocket,sbOut);

    writeIndex(fdSocket, &New_DEdge->edge);
    writeIndex(fdSocket, &New_DEdge->nextDE);

}

/*
 * writeEdge(fdSocket) -
 *
 */
void
writeEdge(fdSocket, New_Edge)
    int fdSocket;
    Edge_Ptr        New_Edge;
{
    DEList_Ptr      last_de;
    char            temp_string[80];
    int             i, num_des;

    /* write edge name */
    sprintf(sbOut, "%s\n", New_Edge->name);
    writeString(fdSocket,sbOut);

    /* write vertex1 & vertex2 indices */
    writeIndex(fdSocket, &New_Edge->vertex1);
    writeIndex(fdSocket, &New_Edge->vertex2);
```


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```
/* write edge type */
switch (New_Edge->type) {
case LINEAR:
    sprintf(sbOut, "%s\n", "LINEAR");
    break;
case BERNSTEIN_PARAMETRIC:
    sprintf(sbOut, "%s\n", "BERNSTEIN-PARAMETRIC");
    break;
case BERNSTEIN_TENSOR_EDGE:
    sprintf(sbOut, "%s\n", "BERNSTEIN-TENSOR");
    break;
case UNKNOWN:
    sprintf(sbOut, "%s\n", "UNKNOWN");
    break;
default:
    sprintf(sbOut, "%s\n", "ERROR_EDGE_TYPE");
    fprintf(stderr, "Unknown edge type in writeEdge\n");
    exit(1);
}
writeString(fdSocket,sbOut);

/* write tangents */
sprintf(sbOut, "%lf %lf %lf\n", New_Edge->tan12[0],
    New_Edge->tan12[1], New_Edge->tan12[2]);
writeString(fdSocket,sbOut);

sprintf(sbOut, "%lf %lf %lf\n", New_Edge->tan21[0],
    New_Edge->tan21[1], New_Edge->tan21[2]);
writeString(fdSocket,sbOut);

/* write directed edges */
for (num_des = 0, last_de = New_Edge->dEdges;
     last_de != NULL;
     num_des++, last_de = last_de->next) {
}
sprintf(sbOut, "%d\n", num_des);
writeString(fdSocket,sbOut);

for (last_de = New_Edge->dEdges;
     last_de != NULL;
     last_de = last_de->next) {
    writeIndex(fdSocket, &last_de->dEdge);
}

/* write aux eqn */
if (New_Edge->aux_Eqn != NULL) {
    sprintf(sbOut, "%s\n", "AUX_EQN");
    writeString(fdSocket,sbOut);
    sprintf(sbOut, "%s\n", "IMPLICIT");
    writeString(fdSocket,sbOut);
    writeEqn(fdSocket, New_Edge->aux_Eqn);
} else {
```


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```
        sprintf(sbOut, "%s\n", "NO_AUX_EQN");
        writeString(fdSocket,sbOut);
    }

    /* write bern eqn */
    if ((New_Edge->eqn != NULL) && ( New_Edge->eqn->degree > 0)) {
        sprintf(sbOut, "EQNS\n");
        writeString(fdSocket,sbOut);
        sprintf(sbOut, "BERNSTEIN-PARAMETRIC\n");
        writeString(fdSocket,sbOut);
        writeBernPar(fdSocket,New_Edge->eqn);
    } else {
        sprintf(sbOut, "%s\n", "NO_EQNS");
        writeString(fdSocket,sbOut);
    }

}

/*
 * writeCycle(fdSocket) -
 */
void
writeCycle(fdSocket, New_Cycle)
    int fdSocket;
    Cycle_Ptr       New_Cycle;
{

    writeIndex(fdSocket, &New_Cycle->face);
    writeIndex(fdSocket, &New_Cycle->dEdge);
}

/*
 * writeFace(fdSocket, New_Face) -
 */
void
writeFace(fdSocket, New_Face)
    int fdSocket;
    Face_Ptr        New_Face;
{
    EQNList_Ptr     last_eqn, next_eqn;
    CycleList_Ptr   last_cycle;
    int             i, num_cycles;
    char           *b;

    /* write name */
    sprintf(sbOut, "%s\n", New_Face->name);
    writeString(fdSocket,sbOut);

    /* write equation */
    switch (New_Face->type) {
    case IMPLICIT:
        sprintf(sbOut, "IMPLICIT\n");
        writeString(fdSocket,sbOut);
```


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```
        writeEqn(fdSocket, New_Face->equation);
        break;
    case BERNSTEIN_PARAMETRIC_QUAD:
        sprintf(sbOut, "BERNSTEIN_PARAMETRIC_QUAD\n");
        writeString(fdSocket,sbOut);
        /* write it out */
        writeBernParQuad(fdSocket,New_Face->bernQuad);
        break;
    case BERNSTEIN_TENSOR:
        sprintf(sbOut, "BERNSTEIN_TENSOR\n");
        writeString(fdSocket,sbOut);
        /* write it out */
        writeBernTensor(fdSocket,New_Face->bernTens);
        break;
    default:
        break;
    }

    /* write the (three) normal equations */
    writeEqn(fdSocket, New_Face->normal->eQN);
    writeEqn(fdSocket, New_Face->normal->next->eQN);
    writeEqn(fdSocket, New_Face->normal->next->next->eQN);

    /* write in the cycles */
    for (num_cycles = 0, last_cycle = New_Face->cycles;
         last_cycle != NULL;
         num_cycles++, last_cycle = last_cycle->next) {
    }
    sprintf(sbOut, "%d\n", num_cycles);
    writeString(fdSocket,sbOut);

    for (last_cycle = New_Face->cycles;
         last_cycle != NULL;
         last_cycle = last_cycle->next) {
        writeIndex(fdSocket, &last_cycle->cycle);
    }
}

/*
 * writeSolid(fdSocket) -
 *
 */
void
writeSolid(fdSocket, New_Solid)
    int fdSocket;
    Solid_Ptr       New_Solid;
{
    int             i;
    int             Num_Vertices, Num_Edges, Num_Faces, Num_DEdges,
                    Num_Cycles;

    if (New_Solid == NULL) {
        fprintf(stderr, "writeSolid(): Can't write NULL solid!\n");
```


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```
        return;
    }
    Num_Vertices = New_Solid->vertices->index,
        Num_Edges = New_Solid->edges->index,
        Num_Faces = New_Solid->faces->index,
        Num_DEdges = New_Solid->dEdges->index,
        Num_Cycles = New_Solid->cycles->index;

    sprintf(sbOut, "SOLID %d\n", 1);
    writeString(fdSocket,sbOut);

    sprintf(sbOut, "%s\n", New_Solid->name);
    writeString(fdSocket,sbOut);

    /* write # of vertices,edges,faces,dedges,cycles */
    sprintf(sbOut, "%d %d %d %d %d\n", Num_Vertices, Num_Edges,
        Num_Faces, Num_DEdges, Num_Cycles);
    writeString(fdSocket,sbOut);

    /* write all the solid subcomponents */
    for (i = 0; i < Num_Vertices; i++) {
        writeVertex(fdSocket, New_Solid->vertices->entries[i].vertex);
    }

    for (i = 0; i < Num_Edges; i++) {
        writeEdge(fdSocket, New_Solid->edges->entries[i].edge);
    }

    for (i = 0; i < Num_Faces; i++) {
        writeFace(fdSocket, New_Solid->faces->entries[i].face);
    }

    for (i = 0; i < Num_DEdges; i++) {
        writeDEdge(fdSocket, New_Solid->dEdges->entries[i].dEdge);
    }

    for (i = 0; i < Num_Cycles; i++) {
        writeCycle(fdSocket, New_Solid->cycles->entries[i].cycle);
    }

    /*
    fflush(fdSocket);
    */
    return;
}

void
writeSolidData(fdSocket, pSolid)
    int             fdSocket;
    solidData *pSolid;
{

    sprintf( sbOut ,"%s", pSolid->sbName);
```


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```
    writeString(fdSocket,sbOut);

    sprintf(sbOut, "%lu %lu %lu",
        pSolid->lIdTag,
        pSolid->lSIdTag,
        pSolid->lPerms);
    writeString(fdSocket,sbOut);

    sprintf(sbOut, "%d %d %d %d",
        pSolid->dispMode,
        pSolid->color,
        pSolid->shade,
        pSolid->dispInfo);
    writeString(fdSocket,sbOut);

    writeSolid(fdSocket, pSolid->pSolid);
    return;
}
/*************************************************************************/
/*
 * Print_Expr2Str  -- prints an expression as a list of terms
 */
/*************************************************************************/
void
Print_Expr2Str(termlist, str, fWantZeros)
    TermList        termlist;
    char           *str;
    int             fWantZeros;
{
    TermList        temp = termlist;
    int             i;
    int             fAny;
    int             fPrevTerm;

    if (temp == NULL) {
        sprintf(str, "(null)\n");
    }
    fAny = 0;
    fPrevTerm = 0;
    while (temp != NULL) {
        /* print the coefficient, and then the terms */
        if (temp->term.coeff == 0.0) {
            temp = temp->next;
            continue;
        }
        if (fPrevTerm) {
            sprintf(str, " + ");
            str += strlen(str);
        }
        /* print the coefficient */
        sprintf(str, "%10f ", temp->term.coeff);
        str += strlen(str);
        fAny = 1;
```


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```
        fPrevTerm = 1;

        for (i = 0; i < iVarCount; i++) {
            if (fWantZeros || (temp->term.exponents[i] != 0)) {
                sprintf(str, " * %s^%d ", sbVarNames[i],
                    temp->term.exponents[i]);
                str += strlen(str);
            }
        }
        temp = temp->next;
    }
    if (!fAny) {
        sprintf(str, "0.0");
        str += strlen(str);
    }
}
/*****************************************************************************/
/*
 * Print_Expr2File  -- prints an expression as a list of terms
 */
/*****************************************************************************/
void
Print_Expr2File(file, termlist, fWantZeros)
    FILE *file;
    TermList        termlist;
    int             fWantZeros;
{
    TermList        temp = termlist;
    int             i;
    int             fAny;
    int             fPrevTerm;

    if (temp == NULL) {
        fprintf(file, "(null)\n");
    }
    fAny = 0;
    fPrevTerm = 0;
    while (temp != NULL) {
        /* print the coefficient, and then the terms */
        if (temp->term.coeff == 0.0) {
            temp = temp->next;
            continue;
        }
        if (fPrevTerm) {
            fprintf(file, " + ");
        }
        /* print the coefficient */
        fprintf(file, "%10f ", temp->term.coeff);
        fAny = 1;
        fPrevTerm = 1;

        for (i = 0; i < iVarCount; i++) {
            if (fWantZeros || (temp->term.exponents[i] != 0)) {
```


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```
                fprintf(file, " * %s^%d ", sbVarNames[i],
                    temp->term.exponents[i]);
            }
        }
        temp = temp->next;
    }
    if (!fAny) {
        fprintf(file, "0.0");
    }
}
```


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#include <stdio.h>

#include <shastra/shilp.h>

/*command line argument processing utility */

usage(argc,argv,argvHelp)
int argc;
char *argv[];
char *argvHelp[];
{
    int i;

    fprintf(stderr, "usage: %s [options]\n", argv[0]);
    fprintf(stderr, "  where options are:\n");
    for(i=0;arvgHelp[i]!=NULL;i++){
        fprintf(stderr, "%s\n", argvHelp[i]);
    }
}

cmdLineOpts(argc,argv)
int argc;
char *argv[];
{
int i;
    for (i = 1; i < argc; i++) {
        if (!strcmp ("-display", argv[i]) || !strcmp ("-d", argv[i])) {
            if (++i>=argc) usage ();
            display_name = argv[i];
```


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```
            continue;
        }
        if (!strcmp("-help", argv[i])) {
            usage();
        }
    /*etc..*/
    usage();
    }

}
```


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    ***/
#include <stdio.h>
#include <sys/types.h>
#include <sys/dir.h>

#include <shastra/utils/directory.h>
#define NOT_FOUND -1
#define DEBUG
#define STANDALONEnn

int
locateNameInDir(name, dirname)
    char           *name, *dirname;
{
    DIR            *dirp;
    struct direct  *dp;
    int             len;
    int             found = 0;
    len = strlen(name);
    if ((dirp = opendir(dirname)) == NULL) {
        fprintf(stderr, "locateNameInDir()-> Couldn't open directory %s\n",
            dirname);
        return NOT_FOUND;
    }
    for (dp = readdir(dirp), found = 0; dp != NULL;
         dp = readdir(dirp), found++)
        if (dp->d_namlen == len && !strcmp(dp->d_name, name)) {
            closedir(dirp);
            return found;
        }
```


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```
    closedir(dirp);
    return NOT_FOUND;

}

int
forAllFilesInDir(dirname, doit)
    char           *dirname;
    void             (*doit) ();
{
    DIR            *dirp;
    struct direct  *dp;
    if ((dirp = opendir(dirname)) == NULL) {
        fprintf(stderr, "forAllFilesInDir()-> Couldn't open dir %s\n",
            dirname);
        return NOT_FOUND;
    }
        for (dp = readdir(dirp); dp != NULL;
             dp = readdir(dirp)) {
            doit(dp->d_name, dirname);
        }
    closedir(dirp);
    return 0;

}

void
dumdoit(str, n)
    char           *str;
    int             n;
{
    printf("%s ", str);
}

#ifdef STANDALONE
main(argc, argv, envp)
    int             argc;
    char          **argv, **envp;
{
    int             found;

    if (argc != 2) {
        fprintf(stderr,"bad usage.. %s name\n", argv[0]);
        exit(1);
    };
    if (argc == 2) {
        found = locateNameInDir(argv[1], ".");
        if(found != NOT_FOUND){
        printf("Found %s in %s at %d'th position\n", argv[1], ".", found);
        }
        else{
        printf("Couldn't find %s in %s\n", argv[1], ".", found);
        }
```


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```
        }

        forAllFilesInDir(".", dumdoit);

    }
    #endif /*STANDALONE*/
```


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/*****************************************************************************
    ***/
#include <stdio.h>

#include <shastra/shilp.h>
#include <shastra/utils/dllist.h>

extern          free();

int
dllistCheckGood(adllist)
    struct dllist    *adllist;
{
    int             baddllist = 1;

    if (adllist == NULL) {
        fprintf(stderr, "BadArgs to dllistCheckGood)\n");
        return (0);
    }
    if (adllist->head == NULL) {
        if (adllist->tail == NULL) {
            if (adllist->dllist_count != 0) {
                baddllist = 0;
            }
        } else {
            baddllist = 0;
        }
    } else {
        if (adllist->tail == NULL) {
            baddllist = 0;
        }
```


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```
        }
        if (!baddllist) {
            return 0;
        } else {
            return dllistCheckCount(adllist);
        }
    }

    int
    dllistCheckCount(adllist)
        struct dllist    *adllist;
    {
        struct dllist_node *tmpnode;
        int             fcount;
        int             bcount;

        if (adllist == NULL) {
            fprintf(stderr, "BadArgs to dllistCheckCount()\n");
            return (0);
        }
        fcount = 0;
        for (tmpnode = adllist->head; tmpnode != NULL; tmpnode = tmpnode->next)
            {
            fcount++;
        }
        bcount = 0;
        for (tmpnode = adllist->tail; tmpnode != NULL; tmpnode = tmpnode->prev)
            {
            bcount++;
        }
        return ((fcount == adllist->dllist_count) &&
            (bcount == fcount));
    }

    int
    dllistCheckNode(adllist, node)
        struct dllist    *adllist;
        struct dllist_node *node;
    {
        struct dllist_node *tmpnode;

        if ((adllist == NULL) || (node == NULL)) {
            fprintf(stderr, "BadArgs to dllistCheckNode()\n");
            return (0);
        }
        for (tmpnode = adllist->head; tmpnode != NULL; tmpnode = tmpnode->next)
            {
            if (tmpnode == node)
                return (1);
        }
        return (0);
    }
```


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```
struct dllist    *
dllistMakeNew()
{
    struct dllist    *new;

    new = (struct dllist *) malloc(sizeof(struct dllist));
    memset((char *) new, 0, sizeof(struct dllist));
    return (new);
}

struct dllist_node *
dllistMakeNewNode()
{
    struct dllist_node *new;

    new = (struct dllist_node *) malloc(sizeof(struct dllist_node));
    memset((char *) new, 0, sizeof(struct dllist_node));
    return (new);
}

void
dllistDestroy(adllist,fDestroyData)
    struct dllist    *adllist;
    int     fDestroyData;
{
    struct dllist_node *node, *nextNode;
    if (adllist == NULL) {
        fprintf(stderr, "BadArgs to dllistDestroy()\n");
        return;
    }
    /*
     * map (adllist, free);
     */
    for (node = adllist->head; node != NULL; ) {
        nextNode = node->next;
        if(fDestroyData) free(node->data);
        free(node);
        node = nextNode;
    }
    free(adllist);
    return;
}

void
dllistDestroyElements(adllist,fDestroyData)
    struct dllist    *adllist;
    int     fDestroyData;
{
    struct dllist_node *node, *nextNode;
    if (adllist == NULL) {
        fprintf(stderr, "BadArgs to dllistDestroyElements()\n");
        return;
    }
```


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```
    for (node = adllist->head; node != NULL; ) {
        nextNode = node->next;
        if(fDestroyData) free(node->data);
        free(node);
        node = nextNode;
    }
    memset(adllist, 0, sizeof(struct dllist ));
    return;
}
void
dllistDestroyTail(adllist,aNode,fDestroyData)
    struct dllist    *adllist;
    struct dllist_node *aNode;
    int     fDestroyData;
{
    struct dllist_node *node, *nextNode;
    int i;
    if ((adllist == NULL) || (aNode == NULL )){
        fprintf(stderr, "BadArgs to dllistDestroyTail()\n");
        return;
    }
    for (node = aNode->next, i=0; node != NULL; i++) {
        nextNode = node->next;
        if(fDestroyData) free(node->data);
        free(node);
        node = nextNode;
    }
    adllist->dllist_count -= i;
    adllist->tail = aNode;
    return;
}
void
dllistInsertAtHead(adllist, node)
    struct dllist    *adllist;
    struct dllist_node *node;
{
    if ((adllist == NULL) || (node == NULL)) {
        fprintf(stderr, "BadArgs to dllistInsertAtHead()\n");
        return;
    }
    if (adllist->tail == NULL) {
        adllist->tail = node;
    }
    if(adllist->head != NULL){
    adllist->head->prev = node;
    }
    node->next = adllist->head;
    adllist->head = node;
    node->prev = NULL;
    adllist->dllist_count++;
    return;

}
```


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```
void
dllistInsertAtTail(adllist, node)
    struct dllist    *adllist;
    struct dllist_node *node;
{
    if ((adllist == NULL) || (node == NULL)) {
        fprintf(stderr, "BadArgs to dllistInsertAtTail()\n");
        return;
    }
    if (adllist->head == NULL) {
        adllist->head = node;
    } else {
        adllist->tail->next = node;
    }
    node->next = NULL;
    node->prev = adllist->tail;
    adllist->tail = node;
    adllist->dllist_count++;
    return;

}

void
dllistInsertAfter(adllist, old, new)
    struct dllist    *adllist;
    struct dllist_node *old, *new;
{
    if ((adllist == NULL) || (old == NULL) || (new == NULL)) {
        fprintf(stderr, "BadArgs to dllistInsertAfter()\n");
        return;
    }
#ifdef CHECK_NODE
    if (!dllistCheckNode(adllist, node)) {
        fprintf(stderr, "node %ld not on dllist %ld\n", node, adllist);
        return;
    }
#endif              /* CHECK_NODE */
    adllist->dllist_count++;
    if (adllist->tail == old) {
        adllist->tail = new;
    }
    new->next = old->next;
    if(old->next){
        old->next->prev = new;
    }
    old->next = new;
    new->prev = old;
    return;
}


void
```


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```
dllistInsertBefore(adllist, old, new)
    struct dllist    *adllist;
    struct dllist_node *old, *new;
{
    if ((adllist == NULL) || (old == NULL) || (new == NULL)) {
        fprintf(stderr, "BadArgs to dllistInsertBefore()\n");
        return;
    }
#ifdef CHECK_NODE
    if (!dllistCheckNode(adllist, node)) {
        fprintf(stderr, "node %ld not on dllist %ld\n", node, adllist);
        return;
    }
#endif              /* CHECK_NODE */
    adllist->dllist_count++;
    if (adllist->head == old) {
        adllist->head = new;
    }
    new->prev = old->prev;
    if(old->prev){
        old->prev->next = new;
    }
    old->prev = new;
    new->next = old;
    return;
}
void
dllistDeleteThis(adllist, node)
    struct dllist    *adllist;
    struct dllist_node *node;
{
    struct dllist_node *tmpnode;
    if ((adllist == NULL) || (node == NULL)) {
        fprintf(stderr, "BadArgs to dllistDeleteThis()\n");
        return;
    }
#ifdef CHECK_NODE
    if (!dllistCheckNode(adllist, node)) {
        fprintf(stderr, "node %ld not on dllist %ld\n", node, adllist);
        return;
    }
#endif              /* CHECK_NODE */
    adllist->dllist_count--;
    if (node == adllist->head) {
        adllist->head = node->next;
    }
    if (node == adllist->tail) {
        adllist->tail = node->prev;
    }
    if(node->prev != NULL){
        node->prev->next = node->next;
    }
    if(node->next != NULL){
```


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```
        node->next->prev = node->prev;
    }
    /*free (node); *//* caller frees when he wants */
    return;
}

void
dllistMap(adllist, func, arg1, arg2)
    struct dllist    *adllist;
    void            (*func) ();
char           *arg1, *arg2;    /* space for args to func */
{
    struct dllist_node *node;
    if (adllist == NULL) {
        fprintf(stderr, "BadArgs to map()\n");
        return;
    }
    for (node = adllist->head; node != NULL; node = node->next) {
        func(node->data, arg1, arg2);
    }

}

void
dllistMapReverse(adllist, func, arg1, arg2)
    struct dllist    *adllist;
    void            (*func) ();
char           *arg1, *arg2;    /* space for args to func */
{
    struct dllist_node *node;
    if (adllist == NULL) {
        fprintf(stderr, "BadArgs to map()\n");
        return;
    }
    for (node = adllist->tail; node != NULL; node = node->prev) {
        func(node->data, arg1, arg2);
    }

}

void
dllistAppend(adllist, bdllist)  /* destructive append */
    struct dllist    *adllist, *bdllist;
{
    if ((adllist == NULL) || (bdllist == NULL)) {
        fprintf(stderr, "BadArgs to dllistAppend()\n");
        return;
    }
    if (adllist->tail == NULL) {
        memcpy(adllist, bdllist, sizeof(struct dllist));
    } else if (adllist->tail == NULL) {
    /*adllist is the result*/
    } else {
```


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```
        adllist->tail->next = bdllist->head;
        bdllist->head->prev = adllist->tail;
        adllist->tail = bdllist->tail;
        adllist->dllist_count += bdllist->dllist_count;
    }
    memset(bdllist, 0, sizeof(struct dllist)); /* destruction */
    return;
}

void
dllistAfterInsertdlList(adllist, bdllist, node) /* destructive */
    struct dllist    *adllist, *bdllist;
    struct dllist_node *node;
{
    /* since node is on adllist, adllist->head won't be null */
    if ((adllist == NULL) || (bdllist == NULL) || (node == NULL)) {
        fprintf(stderr, "BadArgs to dllistAfterInsertdlList()\n");
        return;
    }
#ifdef CHECK_NODE
    if (!dllistCheckNode(adllist, node)) {
        fprintf(stderr, "node %ld not on dllist %ld\n", node, adllist);
        return;
    }
#endif              /* CHECK_NODE */
    if ((bdllist->head == NULL) || (bdllist->tail == NULL)) {
        memset(bdllist, 0, sizeof(struct dllist));
        return;     /* nothing changes */
    }
    adllist->dllist_count += bdllist->dllist_count;
    if (adllist->tail == node) {
        adllist->tail = bdllist->tail;
    }
    bdllist->tail->next = node->next;
    bdllist->head->prev = node;
    node->next = bdllist->head;
    return;
}

void
dllistBeforeInsertdlList(adllist, bdllist, node)    /* destructive */
    struct dllist    *adllist, *bdllist;
    struct dllist_node *node;
{
    /* since node is on adllist, adllist->head won't be null */
    if ((adllist == NULL) || (bdllist == NULL) || (node == NULL)) {
        fprintf(stderr, "BadArgs to dllistBeforeInsertdlList()\n");
        return;
    }
#ifdef CHECK_NODE
    if (!dllistCheckNode(adllist, node)) {
        fprintf(stderr, "node %ld not on dllist %ld\n", node, adllist);
        return;
```


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```
    }
#endif              /* CHECK_NODE */
    if ((bdllist->head == NULL) || (bdllist->tail == NULL)) {
        memset(bdllist, 0, sizeof(struct dllist));
        return;     /* nothing changes */
    }
    adllist->dllist_count += bdllist->dllist_count;
    if (adllist->head == node) {
        adllist->head = bdllist->head;
    }
    bdllist->head->prev = node->prev;
    bdllist->tail->next = node;
    node->prev = bdllist->tail;
    return;
}

struct dllist_node
*dllistGetNthNode(adllist, n)
    struct dllist    *adllist;
    int n;
{
    int i;
    struct dllist_node  *node;

    if (adllist == NULL){
        fprintf(stderr, "BadArgs to dllistGetNthNode()\n");
        return NULL;
    }
    if ((n < 0) || (n > adllist->dllist_count)){
        return NULL;
    }
    else{
    for(i=0,node=adllist->head;i<n;i++,node=node->next){
    }
    return node;
    }
}

struct dllist_node
*dllistGetRevNthNode(adllist, n)
    struct dllist    *adllist;
    int n;
{
    int i;
    struct dllist_node  *node;

    if (adllist == NULL){
        fprintf(stderr, "BadArgs to dllistGetRevNthNode()\n");
        return NULL;
    }
    if ((n < 0) || (n > adllist->dllist_count)){
        return NULL;
    }
```


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```
    else{
    for(i=0,node=adllist->tail;i<n;i++,node=node->prev){
    }
    return node;
    }
}

int
dllistSize(adllist)
    struct dllist    *adllist;
{
    struct dllist_node *node;
    int i;
    if (adllist == NULL) {
        fprintf(stderr, "BadArgs to map()\n");
        return -1;
    }
    for (node = adllist->head,i=0; node != NULL; node = node->next,i++) {
    }
    return i;

}
```


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    ***/
/*
 *   hash.c hash table routines
 *
 *   author -- Vinod Anupam
 *
 *   modification history
 *
 *  Hash Table & Symbol management routines
 */

#include <stdio.h>
#include <string.h>

#include <shastra/shilp.h>
#include <shastra/utils/hash.h>

#define HASH_TALK

/*
 * htHashFunxnBytes(sb,n,prime)  --- compute hash value of n bytes at sb
 */
int     htHashFuncBytes (sb,n,prime)
char   *sb;
int n;
int prime;
{
    int i;
    unsigned    ch = 0,
                chTemp;
```


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```
    for (i=0; i<n;i++){
    ch = (ch << 4) + (*sb++);
    if (chTemp = ch & 0xf0000000) {
        ch = ch ^ (chTemp >> 24);
        ch = ch ^ chTemp;
    }
    }
    return (ch % prime);
}
/*
 * htHashFunxnSb(sb,prime)  --- compute hash value of sb
 */
int     htHashFuncSb (sb,prime)
char   *sb;
int prime;
{

    char   *sbTemp;
    unsigned    ch = 0,
                chTemp;
    for (sbTemp = sb; *sbTemp != fEndOfString; sbTemp++) {
    ch = (ch << 4) + (*sbTemp);
    if (chTemp = ch & 0xf0000000) {
        ch = ch ^ (chTemp >> 24);
        ch = ch ^ chTemp;
    }
    }
    return (ch % prime);
}


/*
 * htLookup(ht,sb)   ---- lookup sb in the hash table
 */
struct he  *htLookup (pht,sb)
hashTable *pht;
char   *sb;
{
    int     ihe;
    struct he  *phe;

    if(pht->iElementSize){
        ihe = pht->hashFunc(sb,pht->iElementSize,pht->ihtSize);
        for (phe = pht->rgphe[ihe]; phe != NULL; phe = phe -> phe) {
            if (memcmp (sb, phe -> sb, pht->iElementSize) == 0){
                return (phe);
            }
        }
    }
    else{
        ihe = pht->hashFunc(sb,pht->ihtSize);
        for (phe = pht->rgphe[ihe]; phe != NULL; phe = phe -> phe) {
            if (strcmp (sb, phe -> sb) == 0){
```


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```
                return (phe);
            }
        }
    }
    return (NULL);
}

/*
 * htInstallSymbol(pht,sb,data)   ----- install sb in the hash table
 */
struct he  *htInstallSymbol (pht,sb,data)
hashTable *pht;
char  *sb;
char  *data;
{
    struct he  *phe,*pheS;
    int     ihe;

    phe = htLookup (pht,sb);
    if (phe == NULL) {      /* not in table */
        phe = heGet ();
        if(pht->iElementSize){
            phe -> sb = htMakeBytes(sb,pht->iElementSize);
            ihe = pht->hashFunc (sb, pht->iElementSize, pht->ihtSize);
        }
        else{
            phe -> sb = htMakeString(sb);
            ihe = pht->hashFunc (sb, pht->ihtSize);
        }
        phe -> phe = pht->rgphe[ihe];
        pht->rgphe[ihe] = phe;
        phe -> pheGroup = pht->pheStart;
        phe->data = data;
        pht->pheStart = phe;

    }
    /*symbol installed in table only once*/
    return phe;
}


/*
 * htMakeBytes(sb,n)   ---create a copy of n bytes sb
 */
char   *htMakeBytes (sb,n)
char   *sb;
int n;
{
    char   *sbNew;
    sbNew = (char*)malloc(n);
    memcpy (sbNew,sb, n);
    return (sbNew);
}
```


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```
/*
 * htMakeString(sb)   ---create a copy of string sb
 */
char   *htMakeString (sb)
char   *sb;
{
    char   *sbNew;
    sbNew = strdup(sb);
    return (sbNew);
}



/*
 * htMakeNew(iSize,iEltSize)  -----prepares the hash table initially
 * iSize must be a prime no < iheMax
 * iEltSize must be 0 for variable size, else element size
 */
hashTable *htMakeNew (iSize,iEltSize)
int iSize;
int iEltSize;
{

    int     ihe;
    hashTable * pht;

    pht = (hashTable *)malloc(sizeof(hashTable));
    for (ihe = 0; ihe < iheMax; ihe++){
        pht->rgphe[ihe] = NULL;
    }
    pht->pheStart = NULL;
    pht->ihtSize = iSize;
    pht->iElementSize = iEltSize;
    if(iEltSize){
        pht->hashFunc = htHashFuncBytes;
    }
    else{
        pht->hashFunc = htHashFuncSb;
    }

    return(pht);
}


/*
 * heDelete(pht,sb)   ---- delete this entry sb from the hash table
 */
struct he  *heDelete (pht,sb)
hashTable * pht;
char   *sb;
{
    int     ihe;
```


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```
    struct he  *phe,
               *pheFollow;

    if(pht->iElementSize){
        ihe = pht->hashFunc (sb, pht->iElementSize, pht->ihtSize);
        pheFollow = pht->rgphe[ihe];
        for (phe = pheFollow; phe != NULL; phe = phe -> phe) {
            if (memcmp (sb, phe -> sb, pht->iElementSize) == 0) {
                break;
            }
            else {
                pheFollow = phe;
            }
        }
    }
    else{
        ihe = pht->hashFunc (sb, pht->ihtSize);
        pheFollow = pht->rgphe[ihe];
        for (phe = pheFollow; phe != NULL; phe = phe -> phe) {
            if (strcmp (sb, phe -> sb) == 0) {
                break;
            }
            else {
                pheFollow = phe;
            }
    }
    }
    if (phe == NULL) {
    printf("heDelete : Can't find it in hash table!\n");
    return (NULL);
    }
    if (pheFollow != phe) {
    pheFollow -> phe = phe -> phe;/* delete from ll */
    }
    else{
    pht->rgphe[ihe] = NULL;
    }
    if(pht->pheStart == phe){
        pht->pheStart = phe->pheGroup;
    }
    else{
        for (pheFollow=pht->pheStart; pheFollow->pheGroup != phe;
                pheFollow = pheFollow -> pheGroup) {
        }
        pheFollow->pheGroup = phe->pheGroup;
    }
    return (phe); /*this is being removed*/
}


/*
 * heGet() ---- returns a he from memory
 */
```


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```
struct he  *heGet () {
    struct he  *phe;

    phe = (struct he *)malloc(sizeof(struct he));
    phe -> sb = NULL;
    phe -> phe = NULL;
    phe -> pheGroup = NULL;
    return phe;
}


/*
 * htDestroy()  ---- destroy a hash table and contents.. if fRec, destroy
     data
 */
void htDestroy (pht,fRecurse)
hashTable *pht;
int     fRecurse;           /* 1 destroy data */
{
    struct he  *phe, *ophe;;

    for (phe = pht->pheStart; phe != NULL; ){
        ophe = phe;
        phe = phe -> pheGroup;
        if(heDelete(pht,ophe->sb) == NULL){
            fprintf(stderr,"htDestroy()-> internal error on %s!\n",
                ophe->sb);
        }
        if(fRecurse){
            free(ophe -> data);
        }
        free(ophe);
    }
    free(pht);
}



/*
 * htDump()  ---- dumps contents of hash table in order of entry
 */
void htDump (pht,mode)
hashTable *pht;
int     mode;           /* 0 insertion 1 hashed */
{
    struct he  *phe;
    int     ihe;

    printf ("Dumping hash in mode %d\n", mode);
    if (mode) {
    for (ihe = 0; ihe < pht->ihtSize; ihe++) {
        for (phe = pht->rgphe[ihe]; phe != NULL; phe = phe -> phe) {
        printf ("%ld : %s\n", phe -> sb, phe -> data);
```


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```
        }
    }
    }
    else {
    for (phe = pht->pheStart; phe != NULL; phe = phe -> pheGroup)
        printf ("%ld : %s\n", phe -> sb, phe -> data);
    }

}

#define NOHASH_STANDALONE
#ifdef HASH_STANDALONE
/*
 * test.c
 */

char    *hash_str[] = {
    "1",        "one",
    "2",        "two",
    "3",        "three",
    "4",        "four",
    "one",      "1",
    "two",      "2",
    "three",    "3",
    "four",     "4"
};
#define MAXENTCOUNT 16


struct testdata{
long ent;
char* val;
} test[] ={
    1,      "one",
    111,        "two",
    2323,       "three",
    24,     "four",
    1212,       "five",
    65536,      "six"
};

#define MAXTSTCOUNT 6
main()
{
hashtest2();
}

hashtest1(){
    hashTable* pht;
    int ihe;
    struct he *phe;

    printf("Hello Hasho !\n");
```


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```
    pht = htMakeNew(31,0); /*31 entries,variable size*/

 /*    install temp data */
    for (ihe = 0; ihe < MAXENTCOUNT; ihe += 2) {
    htInstallSymbol (pht,hash_str[ihe], hash_str[ihe + 1]);
    }
    htDump(pht,0);
    htDump(pht,1);
    for (ihe = 0; ihe < MAXENTCOUNT; ihe += 2) {
        phe = htLookup (pht,hash_str[ihe]);
        printf ("%s (looked up)-> %s\n", phe -> sb, phe -> data);
    }
    phe = heDelete(pht,"three");
    printf ("%s (deleted)-> %s\n", phe -> sb, phe -> data);
    htDump(pht,0);
    htDump(pht,1);
    for (ihe = 0; ihe < MAXENTCOUNT; ihe += 2) {
        phe = htLookup (pht,hash_str[ihe]);
        if(phe!=NULL){
        printf ("%s (looked up)-> %s\n", phe -> sb, phe -> data);
        }
   }
}
hashtest2(){
    hashTable* pht;
    int ihe;
    struct he *phe;

    printf("Hello Hasho !\n");
    pht = htMakeNew(31,sizeof(long)); /*31 entries,sizeof(long)size*/

 /*    install temp data */
    for (ihe = 0; ihe < MAXTSTCOUNT; ihe ++) {
    htInstallSymbol (pht,(char *)&test[ihe].ent, test[ihe ].val);
    }
    htDump(pht,0);
    htDump(pht,1);
    for (ihe = 0; ihe < MAXTSTCOUNT; ihe ++ ) {
        phe = htLookup (pht,(char *)&test[ihe].ent);
        printf ("%ld (looked up)-> %s\n", phe -> sb, phe -> data);
    }
    phe = heDelete(pht,(char*)&test[2].ent);
    printf ("%ld (deleted)-> %s\n", phe -> sb, phe -> data);
    htDump(pht,0);
    htDump(pht,1);
    for (ihe = 0; ihe < MAXTSTCOUNT; ihe ++) {
        phe = htLookup (pht,(char *)&test[ihe].ent);
        if(phe!=NULL){
        printf ("%ld (looked up)-> %s\n", phe -> sb, phe -> data);
        }
    }
}
```


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```
#endif /*HASH_STANDALONE*/
```


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```
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    **/
/**
    **/
/*****************************************************************************
    ***/
/*****************************************************************************
    ***/
#include <stdio.h>
#include <malloc.h>

#include <shastra/utils/list.h>

int
listCheckGood(alist)
    struct list    *alist;
{
    int             badlist = 1;

    if (alist == NULL) {
        fprintf(stderr, "BadArgs to listCheckGood)\n");
        return (0);
    }
    if (alist->head == NULL) {
        if (alist->tail == NULL) {
            if (alist->list_count != 0) {
                badlist = 0;
            }
        } else {
            badlist = 0;
        }
    } else {
        if (alist->tail == NULL) {
            badlist = 0;
        }
    }
    if (!badlist) {
```


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```
        return 0;
    } else {
        return listCheckCount(alist);
    }
}

int
listCheckCount(alist)
    struct list    *alist;
{
    struct list_node *tmpnode;
    int              count;

    if (alist == NULL) {
        fprintf(stderr, "BadArgs to listCheckCount()\n");
        return (0);
    }
    count = 0;
    for (tmpnode = alist->head; tmpnode != NULL; tmpnode = tmpnode->next) {
        count++;
    }
    return (count == alist->list_count);
}

int
listCheckNode(alist, node)
    struct list    *alist;
    struct list_node *node;
{
    struct list_node *tmpnode;

    if ((alist == NULL) || (node == NULL)) {
        fprintf(stderr, "BadArgs to listCheckNode()\n");
        return (0);
    }
    for (tmpnode = alist->head; tmpnode != NULL; tmpnode = tmpnode->next) {
        if (tmpnode == node){
            return (1);
        }
    }
    return (0);
}

int
listGetNodeIndex(alist, data)
    struct list    *alist;
    char *data;
{
    struct list_node *tmpnode;
    int i;

    if (alist == NULL){
        fprintf(stderr, "BadArgs to listGetNodeIndex()\n");
```


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```
        return (-1);
    }
    for (i=0,tmpnode = alist->head; tmpnode != NULL;
        tmpnode = tmpnode->next, i++) {
        if (tmpnode->data == data){
            return (i);
        }
    }
    return (-1);
}

struct list_node *
listFindNode(alist, data)
    struct list    *alist;
    char *data;
{
    struct list_node *tmpnode;

    if (alist == NULL){
        fprintf(stderr, "BadArgs to listFindNode()\n");
        return (NULL);
    }
    for (tmpnode = alist->head; tmpnode != NULL; tmpnode = tmpnode->next) {
        if (tmpnode->data == data){
            return (tmpnode);
        }
    }
    return (NULL);
}

struct list    *
listMakeNew()
{
    struct list    *new;

    new = (struct list *) malloc(sizeof(struct list));
    memset((char *) new, 0, sizeof(struct list));
    return (new);
}

struct list_node *
listMakeNewNode()
{
    struct list_node *new;

    new = (struct list_node *) malloc(sizeof(struct list_node));
    memset((char *) new, 0, sizeof(struct list_node));
    return (new);
}

void
listDestroy(alist,fDestroyData)
    struct list    *alist;
```


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```
    int     fDestroyData;
{
    struct list_node *node, *next_node;
    if (alist == NULL) {
        fprintf(stderr, "BadArgs to listDestroy()\n");
        return;
    }
    /*
     * map (alist, free);
     */
    for (node = alist->head; node != NULL; ) {
        next_node = node->next;
        if(fDestroyData && (node->data != NULL)){
            free(node->data);
        }
        free(node);
        node = next_node;
    }
    free(alist);
    return;
}

void
listDestroyElements(alist,fDestroyData)
    struct list    *alist;
    int     fDestroyData;
{
    struct list_node *node, *next_node;
    if (alist == NULL) {
        fprintf(stderr, "BadArgs to listDestroyElements()\n");
        return;
    }
    for (node = alist->head; node != NULL; ) {
        next_node = node->next;
        if(fDestroyData && (node->data != NULL)){
            free(node->data);
        }
        free(node);
        node = next_node;
    }
    memset(alist, 0, sizeof(struct list ));
    return;
}
void
listInsertAtHead(alist, node)
    struct list    *alist;
    struct list_node *node;
{
    if ((alist == NULL) || (node == NULL)) {
        fprintf(stderr, "BadArgs to listInsertAtHead()\n");
        return;
    }
    if (alist->tail == NULL) {
```


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```
        alist->tail = node;
    }
    node->next = alist->head;
    alist->head = node;
    alist->list_count++;
    return;

}

void
listInsertAtTail(alist, node)
    struct list    *alist;
    struct list_node *node;
{
    if ((alist == NULL) || (node == NULL)) {
        fprintf(stderr, "BadArgs to listInsertAtTail()\n");
        return;
    }
    if (alist->head == NULL) {
        alist->head = node;
    } else {
        alist->tail->next = node;
    }
    alist->tail = node;
    node->next = NULL;
    alist->list_count++;
    return;

}

void
listInsertAfter(alist, old, new)
    struct list    *alist;
    struct list_node *old, *new;
{
    if ((alist == NULL) || (old == NULL) || (new == NULL)) {
        fprintf(stderr, "BadArgs to listInsertAfter()\n");
        return;
    }
#ifdef CHECK_NODE
    if (!listCheckNode(alist, node)) {
        fprintf(stderr, "node %ld not on list %ld\n", node, alist);
        return;
    }
#endif              /* CHECK_NODE */
    alist->list_count++;
    if (alist->tail == old) {
        alist->tail = new;
    }
    new->next = old->next;
    old->next = new;
    return;
}
```


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```
void
listDeleteThis(alist, node)
    struct list    *alist;
    struct list_node *node;
{
    struct list_node *tmpnode;
    if ((alist == NULL) || (node == NULL)) {
        fprintf(stderr, "BadArgs to listDeleteThis()\n");
        return;
    }
#ifdef CHECK_NODE
    if (!listCheckNode(alist, node)) {
        fprintf(stderr, "node %ld not on list %ld\n", node, alist);
        return;
    }
#endif              /* CHECK_NODE */
    alist->list_count--;
    if (node == alist->head) {
        alist->head = node->next;
        if (node == alist->tail) {
            alist->tail = NULL;
        }
    }
    else{
        for(tmpnode = alist->head;tmpnode->next != node;tmpnode=tmpnode->
            next){
        } /*get to prev node*/
        tmpnode->next = node->next;
        if (node == alist->tail) {
        alist->tail = tmpnode;
        }
    }
    /*free (node); *//* caller frees when he wants */
    return;
}

void
listDeleteThisData(alist, data)
    struct list    *alist;
    char *data;
{
    struct list_node *tmpnode;
    if (alist == NULL){
        fprintf(stderr, "BadArgs to listDeleteThisData()\n");
        return;
    }
    tmpnode = listFindNode(alist,data);
    if(tmpnode != NULL){
        listDeleteThis(alist, tmpnode);
        free (tmpnode);
    }
```


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```
    return;
}

void
listMap(alist, func, arg1, arg2)
    struct list    *alist;
    void            (*func) ();
char           *arg1, *arg2;    /* space for args to func */
{
    struct list_node *node;
    if (alist == NULL) {
        fprintf(stderr, "BadArgs to map()\n");
        return;
    }
    for (node = alist->head; node != NULL; node = node->next) {
        func(node->data, arg1, arg2);
    }

}

void
listAppend(alist, blist)    /* destructive append */
    struct list    *alist, *blist;
{
    if ((alist == NULL) || (blist == NULL)) {
        fprintf(stderr, "BadArgs to listAppend()\n");
        return;
    }
    if (alist->tail == NULL) {
        memcpy(alist, blist, sizeof(struct list));
    } else if (blist->tail == NULL) {
    /*alist unchanged*/
    } else {
        alist->tail->next = blist->head;
        alist->tail = blist->tail;
        alist->list_count += blist->list_count;
    }
    memset(blist,  0, sizeof(struct list));     /* destruction */
    return;
}

void
listAfterInsertList(alist, blist, node) /* destructive */
    struct list    *alist, *blist;
    struct list_node *node;
{
    /* since node is on alist, alist->head won't be null */
    if ((alist == NULL) || (blist == NULL) || (node == NULL)) {
        fprintf(stderr, "BadArgs to listAfterInsertList()\n");
        return;
    }
#ifdef CHECK_NODE
    if (!listCheckNode(alist, node)) {
```


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```
        fprintf(stderr, "node %ld not on list %ld\n", node, alist);
        return;
    }
#endif              /* CHECK_NODE */
    if ((blist->head == NULL) || (blist->tail == NULL)) {
        memset(blist, 0, sizeof(struct list));
        return;     /* nothing changes */
    }
    alist->list_count += blist->list_count;
    if (alist->tail == node) {
        alist->tail = blist->tail;
    }
    blist->tail->next = node->next;
    node->next = blist->head;
    return;
}

struct list_node
*listGetNthNode(alist, n)
    struct list    *alist;
    int n;
{
    int i;
    struct list_node  *node;

    if (alist == NULL){
        fprintf(stderr, "BadArgs to listGetNthNode()\n");
        return NULL;
    }
    if ((n < 0) || (n > alist->list_count)){
        return NULL;
    }
    else{
    for(i=0,node=alist->head;i<n;i++,node=node->next){
    }
    return node;
    }
}

int
listSize(alist)
    struct list    *alist;
{
    struct list_node *node;
    int i;
    if (alist == NULL) {
        fprintf(stderr, "BadArgs to map()\n");
        return -1;
    }
    for (node = alist->head,i=0; node != NULL; node = node->next,i++) {
    }
    return i;
```


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```
}
```


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```
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/**
    **/
/*****************************************************************************
    ***/
/*****************************************************************************
    ***/
#include <stdio.h>

/* a more robust interface to malloc and free */
#include <malloc.h>

char           *
memMalloc(c)
    int             c;
{
    char           *temp;
    if(c <=0){
         fprintf(stderr, "memMalloc()->Warning: trying to malloc %d!\n",c);
         return NULL;
    }
    if(c < 32){
        c = 32;
    }
    temp = malloc((unsigned) c);
    if (temp == NULL) {
        fprintf(stderr, "memMalloc()->Out of memory. Wanted %d\n",c);
        exit(-1);
    } else{
        return temp;
    }
}

char           *
memCalloc(size, num)
    int             size;
```


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```
    int             num;
{
    char           *temp;
    if((size <=0)||(num <=0)){
         fprintf(stderr, "memCalloc()->Warning: trying to calloc %d,%d!\n",
        size,num);
         return NULL;
    }
    temp = calloc((unsigned) size, num);
    if (temp == NULL) {
        fprintf(stderr, "memCalloc()->Out of memory.Wanted %d,%d\n",
                        size,num);
        exit(-1);
    } else
        return temp;
}

char           *
memRealloc(p, num)
    char           *p;
    int             num;
{
    char           *temp;
    if(num <=0){
         fprintf(stderr, "memRealloc()->Warning: trying to realloc %d!\n",
        num);
         return NULL;
    }
    if(num < 32){
        num = 32;
    }
    temp = realloc(p, (unsigned) num);
    if (temp == NULL) {
        fprintf(stderr, "memRealloc()->Out of memory.Wanted %d\n", num);
        exit(-1);
    } else
        return temp;
}

void
memFreeMem(p)
char *p;
{
    if(p != NULL){
        free(p);
    }
    else{
        fprintf(stderr, "Warning.. freeing NULL!\n");
    }
}

void
memTest()
```


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```
{
int i;
char* p;
    printf("memTest()->doing some checks!\n");
    for(i=1;i<1024;i++){
        p = memMalloc(i);
        memFreeMem(p);
    }
    printf("memTest()->done !\n");
}
```


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/*****************************************************************************
    ***/
/*****************************************************************************
    ***/
#include <stdio.h>

#define INIT   register char *sp = instring;
#define GETC() (*sp++)
#define PEEKC()     (*sp)
#define UNGETC(c)   (--sp)
#define RETURN(c)   return;
#define ERROR(c)    regError(c)

#include <regexp.h>
#include <shastra/utils/regExpr.h>

#define DEBUG
#define STANDALONEnn

void
compileRegExp(regExpr, regBufStart, regBufSize)
    char           *regExpr;
    char           *regBufStart;
    int             regBufSize;
{
    /*
     * char *compile(instring, expbuf, endbuf, eof)
     */
    (void) compile(regExpr, regBufStart, &regBufStart[regBufSize], '\0');
#ifdef DEBUG
    printf("compileRegExp()-> compiled %s to %s\n",
           regExpr, regBufStart);
#endif
```


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```
}

int
matchRegExp(dataString, regExpBuf)
    char           *dataString;
    char           *regExpBuf;
{
    /*
     * int step(string, expbuf)
     */
    return (step(dataString, regExpBuf));
}


regError(c)
    int             c;
{
    fprintf(stderr, "regError(): ");
    switch (c) {
    case 11:
        fprintf(stderr,"Range endpoint too large.\n");
        break;
    case 16:
        fprintf(stderr,"Bad number.\n");
        break;
    case 25:
        fprintf(stderr,"``\ digit'' out of range.\n");
        break;
    case 36:
        fprintf(stderr,"Illegal or missing delimiter.\n");
        break;
    case 41:
        fprintf(stderr,"No remembered search string.\n");
        break;
    case 42:
        fprintf(stderr,"\( \) imbalance.\n");
        break;
    case 43:
        fprintf(stderr,"Too many \(.\n");
        break;
    case 44:
        fprintf(stderr,"More than 2 numbers  given  in \{ \}.\n");
        break;
    case 45:
        fprintf(stderr,"} expected after \.\n");
        break;
    case 46:
        fprintf(stderr,"First number exceeds second in \{ \}.\n");
        break;
    case 49:
        fprintf(stderr,"[] imbalance.\n");
        break;
```


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```
    case 50:
        fprintf(stderr,"Regular expression too long.\n");
        break;
    }
}



#ifdef STANDALONE
main()
{
#define ESIZE 256
    char            expbuf[ESIZE];
    char            inbuf[256];
    int             i;
static char *mptnsb[] = { "",
    "ABSOLUTE",
    "BOOHOO",
    "CHARACTER",
    "DISTINCT",
    "EUPHORIA",
    "FIRST",
    "GO",
    "HEGEMONY",
    "INDICATOR",
    "JOCULAR",
    "KNAPSACK",
    "LANGUAGE",
    "MODULE",
    "NAME",
    "ON",
    "PRECISION",
    "QUARTZ",
    "RESTRICT",
    "SECTION",
    "TUMBLEWEED",
    "UNIQUE",
    "VALUES",
    "WHENEVER",
    "XCITING",
    "YEOMAN",
    "ZEBRA" };

    while (gets(inbuf) != NULL) {
        compileRegExp(inbuf, expbuf, ESIZE);

        for (i = 0; i < 26; i++) {
            if (matchRegExp(mptnsb[i], expbuf))
                printf("%s matched \t", mptnsb[i], inbuf);
        }
    }
}
#endif              /* STANDALONE */
```


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```
/*****************************************************************************
    ***/
/*****************************************************************************
    ***/
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/*****************************************************************************
    ***/
/*****************************************************************************
    ***/
#include <stdio.h>

#include <shastra/shilp.h>
#include <shastra/utils/tree.h>

/* binary trees */

struct tree    *
treeMakeNew(data)
    int             data;
{
    struct tree    *new;

    new = (struct tree *) malloc(sizeof(struct tree));
    new->left = NULL;
    new->right = NULL;
    new->parent = NULL;
    new->control = 0;
    new->data = 0;
    return (new);
}

void
treeInorder(atree, func)
    struct tree    *atree;
    void            (*func) ();
{
    if (atree == NULL) {
        return;
```


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```
    }
    if (atree->left != NULL) {
        treeInorder(atree->left, func);
    }
    func(atree);        /* func applied at node */
    if (atree->right != NULL) {
        treeInorder(atree->right, func);
    }
    return;
}

void
treePreorder(atree, func)
    struct tree    *atree;
    void            (*func) ();
{
    if (atree == NULL) {
        return;
    }
    func(atree);        /* func applied at node */
    if (atree->left != NULL) {
        treePreorder(atree->left, func);
    }
    if (atree->right != NULL) {
        treePreorder(atree->right, func);
    }
    return;
}

void
treePostorder(atree, func)
    struct tree    *atree;
    void            (*func) ();
{
    if (atree == NULL) {
        return;
    }
    if (atree->left != NULL) {
        treePostorder(atree->left, func);
    }
    if (atree->right != NULL) {
        treePostorder(atree->right, func);
    }
    func(atree);        /* func applied at node */
    return;
}

struct tree    *
treeInsert(atree, data)
    struct tree    *atree;
    int             data;
{
    struct tree    *node;
```


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```
    if (atree == NULL) {
        fprintf(stderr, "BadArg to insert(%ld,%d)\n", atree, data);
        return NULL;
    }
    if (data == atree->data) {
        return (atree); /* nilpo duplication */
    } else if (data < atree->data) {
        if (atree->left == NULL) {
            atree->left = node = treeMakeNew(data);
            node->parent = atree;
            return (node);
        } else {
            return (treeInsert(atree->left, data));
        }
    } else {
        if (atree->right == NULL) {
            atree->right = node = treeMakeNew(data);
            node->parent = atree;
            return (node);
        } else {
            return (treeInsert(atree->right, data));
        }
    }
}

struct tree    *
treeBinarySearch(atree, data)
    struct tree    *atree;
    int             data;
{
    if (atree == NULL) {
        return NULL;
    }
    if (data == atree->data) {
        return (atree); /* found */
    } else if (data < atree->data) {
        return (treeBinarySearch(atree->left, data));
    } else {
        return (treeBinarySearch(atree->right, data));
    }
}

struct tree    *
treeFindNextSmaller(atree)
struct tree *atree;
{
    struct tree    *node;

    if ((node = atree->left) == NULL) {
        return (NULL);
    }
    for (node; node->right != NULL; node = node->right) {
```


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```
    }
    return (node);
}

struct tree    *
treeFindNextBigger(atree)
struct tree *atree;
{
    struct tree    *node;

    if ((node = atree->right) == NULL) {
        return (NULL);
    }
    for (node; node->left != NULL; node = node->left) {
    }
    return (node);
}

void
treeDeleteThis(atree, node)
    struct tree    *atree, *node;
{
    struct tree    *nbor;

    if ((nbor = treeFindNextBigger(atree)) == NULL) {

    } else {
        nbor->parent->left = NULL;
        nbor->left = atree->left;
        nbor->parent = atree->parent;
        if (atree->parent == NULL) {    /* deleting root */
        } else {
                if (check_am_lsub(atree)) {
                atree->parent->left = nbor;
                }
            else {
                atree->parent->right = nbor;
            }
        }
    }
}
```


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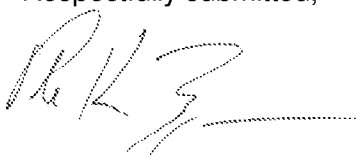

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requests that the Examiner consider the enclosed, be aware of Serial No. 11/510,351, filed August 24, 2006, Serial No. 11/510,473, filed August 24, 2006, Serial No. 11/510,463, filed August 24, 2006, Serial No. 11/780,352, filed July 19, 2007, and Serial No. 11/836,633, filed August 9, 2007, and check these applications for such materials.

It is respectfully requested that this Information Disclosure Statement be entered and the reference(s) listed on the attached PTO/SB/08a-Form be considered by the Examiner and made of record.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(d), copies of the listed references are enclosed.

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RESPONSE

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In response to the Office Action mailed on January 21, 2011, please reconsider the application in view of the remarks set forth below.

I. Remarks

In the Office Action, after much delay, the indicated allowability of all pending claims (1-291, 309-366, 376-502, 504-519, 521-536, 538-553, 555-570, 572-590, 592-995) has been withdrawn and these claims have been rejected pursuant to 35 U.S.C. Sec. 103 for reasons set forth in the Office Action, in view of the newly cited art of Shastra.

In response, the rejections are respectfully traversed as improper pursuant to Rule 104 and 35 U.S.C. Sec. 132 in that required "information" has not been provided. As best as can be understood from the rejections of all pending claims, the Examiner is contending that the moderator in the Shastra collaboration software would be subject to censorship, e.g., **each** said user identity corresponding to a respective particular user's stored access rights in view of censored by the corresponding user's stored access rights in claim 1. It would seem that this would render a moderator inoperable for its intended purpose, and the Examiner has provided no explanation as to why this feature is disclosed in Shastra, including in run time storing of access rights for the moderator. Absent some explanation as to why anyone would develop a moderator system such as Shastra that censors the moderator, the rejections are believed to be improper pursuant to Rule 104 and Sec. 132.

Applicant maintains that the claims have not been shown to be unpatentable over the cited art, and if the rejections are maintained, Applicant requests an Interview including the supervisor.

With respect to the present application, the Applicant hereby rescinds any disclaimer of claim scope made in the parent application or any predecessor or related application. The Examiner is advised that any previous disclaimer, if any, and the prior art that it was made to avoid, may need to be revisited. Nor should a disclaimer, if any, in the present application be read back into any predecessor or related application.

The application is believed to be in condition for allowance, and favorable action is

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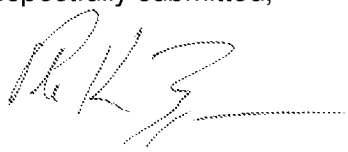

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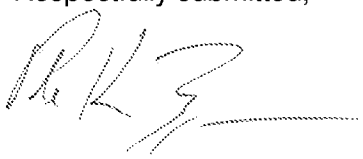

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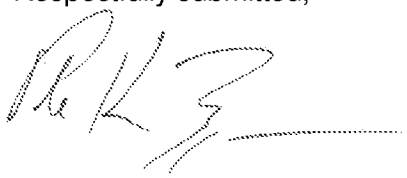

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INTERVIEW WITH EXAMINER

Dear Examiner Winder:

During the telephonic interview on January 19, 2011, between Examiners Patrice L. Winder and Thu Nguyen, and Peter K. Trzyna, the conversation reiterated that the prior notice of allowance has been vacated. The Examiner contended that this decision was necessitated by the prior art filed in the IDS(s) submitted after the allowance and that the next rejection includes a new reference concerning the Shastra architecture. The Applicant was encouraged to review the rejection and the Shastra system as described by all of the Anupam references. Participants also discussed Claim 1 and the email exchange prior to the scheduling of this interview. An agreement with respect to the claims was not applicable.

APPLICANT CLAIMS LARGE ENTITY STATUS. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees associated with the above-identified patent application or credit any overcharges to Deposit Account No. 50-0235.

Please direct all correspondence to the undersigned at the address given below.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: February 11, 2011

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Interview Summary	Application No.	Applicant(s)	
	09/399,578	MARKS, DANIEL L.	
	Examiner	Art Unit	
	Patrice L. Winder	2452	

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

(1) *Patrice L. Winder*.

(2) *Peter K. Trzyna*.

(3) *Thu Nguyen*.

(4) _____.

Date of Interview: *19 January 2011*.

Type: a)☒ Telephonic b)☐ Video Conference
c)☐ Personal [copy given to: 1)☐ applicant 2)☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d)☐ Yes e)☒ No.
If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: *1*.

Identification of prior art discussed: *Shastra*.

Agreement with respect to the claims f)☐ was reached. g)☐ was not reached. h)☒ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: *See Continuation Sheet*.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

THE FORMAL WRITTEN REPLY TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION MUST INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. (See MPEP Section 713.04). If a reply to the last Office action has already been filed, APPLICANT IS GIVEN A NON-EXTENDABLE PERIOD OF THE LONGER OF ONE MONTH OR THIRTY DAYS FROM THIS INTERVIEW DATE, OR THE MAILING DATE OF THIS INTERVIEW SUMMARY FORM, WHICHEVER IS LATER, TO FILE A STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. See Summary of Record of Interview requirements on reverse side or on attached sheet.

/Patrice L Winder/ Primary Examiner, Art Unit 2452	

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Summary of Record of Interview Requirements

Manual of Patent Examining Procedure (MPEP), Section 713.04, Substance of Interview Must be Made of Record
A complete written statement as to the substance of any face-to-face, video conference, or telephone interview with regard to an application must be made of record in the application whether or not an agreement with the examiner was reached at the interview.

Title 37 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) § 1.133 Interviews
Paragraph (b)

In every instance where reconsideration is requested in view of an interview with an examiner, a complete written statement of the reasons presented at the interview as warranting favorable action must be filed by the applicant. An interview does not remove the necessity for reply to Office action as specified in §§ 1.111, 1.135. (35 U.S.C. 132)

37 CFR §1.2 Business to be transacted in writing.
All business with the Patent or Trademark Office should be transacted in writing. The personal attendance of applicants or their attorneys or agents at the Patent and Trademark Office is unnecessary. The action of the Patent and Trademark Office will be based exclusively on the written record in the Office. No attention will be paid to any alleged oral promise, stipulation, or understanding in relation to which there is disagreement or doubt.

The action of the Patent and Trademark Office cannot be based exclusively on the written record in the Office if that record is itself incomplete through the failure to record the substance of interviews.

It is the responsibility of the applicant or the attorney or agent to make the substance of an interview of record in the application file, unless the examiner indicates he or she will do so. It is the examiner's responsibility to see that such a record is made and to correct material inaccuracies which bear directly on the question of patentability.

Examiners must complete an Interview Summary Form for each interview held where a matter of substance has been discussed during the interview by checking the appropriate boxes and filling in the blanks. Discussions regarding only procedural matters, directed solely to restriction requirements for which interview recordation is otherwise provided for in Section 812.01 of the Manual of Patent Examining Procedure, or pointing out typographical errors or unreadable script in Office actions or the like, are excluded from the interview recordation procedures below. Where the substance of an interview is completely recorded in an Examiners Amendment, no separate Interview Summary Record is required.

The Interview Summary Form shall be given an appropriate Paper No., placed in the right hand portion of the file, and listed on the "Contents" section of the file wrapper. In a personal interview, a duplicate of the Form is given to the applicant (or attorney or agent) at the conclusion of the interview. In the case of a telephone or video-conference interview, the copy is mailed to the applicant's correspondence address either with or prior to the next official communication. If additional correspondence from the examiner is not likely before an allowance or if other circumstances dictate, the Form should be mailed promptly after the interview rather than with the next official communication.

The Form provides for recordation of the following information:
- Application Number (Series Code and Serial Number)
- Name of applicant
- Name of examiner
- Date of interview
- Type of interview (telephonic, video-conference, or personal)
- Name of participant(s) (applicant, attorney or agent, examiner, other PTO personnel, etc.)
- An indication whether or not an exhibit was shown or a demonstration conducted
- An identification of the specific prior art discussed
- An indication whether an agreement was reached and if so, a description of the general nature of the agreement (may be by attachment of a copy of amendments or claims agreed as being allowable). Note: Agreement as to allowability is tentative and does not restrict further action by the examiner to the contrary.
- The signature of the examiner who conducted the interview (if Form is not an attachment to a signed Office action)

It is desirable that the examiner orally remind the applicant of his or her obligation to record the substance of the interview of each case. It should be noted, however, that the Interview Summary Form will not normally be considered a complete and proper recordation of the interview unless it includes, or is supplemented by the applicant or the examiner to include, all of the applicable items required below concerning the substance of the interview.

A complete and proper recordation of the substance of any interview should include at least the following applicable items:

1) A brief description of the nature of any exhibit shown or any demonstration conducted,
2) an identification of the claims discussed,
3) an identification of the specific prior art discussed,
4) an identification of the principal proposed amendments of a substantive nature discussed, unless these are already described on the Interview Summary Form completed by the Examiner,
5) a brief identification of the general thrust of the principal arguments presented to the examiner,
   (The identification of arguments need not be lengthy or elaborate. A verbatim or highly detailed description of the arguments is not required. The identification of the arguments is sufficient if the general nature or thrust of the principal arguments made to the examiner can be understood in the context of the application file. Of course, the applicant may desire to emphasize and fully describe those arguments which he or she feels were or might be persuasive to the examiner.)
6) a general indication of any other pertinent matters discussed, and
7) if appropriate, the general results or outcome of the interview unless already described in the Interview Summary Form completed by the examiner.

Examiners are expected to carefully review the applicant's record of the substance of an interview. If the record is not complete and accurate, the examiner will give the applicant an extendable one month time period to correct the record.

Examiner to Check for Accuracy

If the claims are allowable for other reasons of record, the examiner should send a letter setting forth the examiner's version of the statement attributed to him or her. If the record is complete and accurate, the examiner should place the indication, "Interview Record OK" on the paper recording the substance of the interview along with the date and the examiner's initials.

Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: The email exchange prior to the scheduling of this interview is attached. The conversation reiterated that the prior notice of allowance has been vacated. This decision was necessitated by the prior filed in the IDS(s) submitted after allowance. The next rejection includes a new reference concerning the Shastra architecture. (This is also why the pre appeal conference for 10/510,351 indicates reopening.) Applicant is encouraged to review the rejection and the Shastra system as described by all of the Anupam references .

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From: Peter K. Trzyna [pkt-law@sbcglobal.net]
Sent: Tuesday, January 04, 2011 8:42 PM
To: Winder, Patrice
Subject: RE: Ser. No. 09/399,578
Examiner Winder:

Please schedule a telephone call for me to speak with you and the supervisor as to how it can take 1 ½ years from the close of prosecution, and over a year since I withdrew claims under restriction, to issue a notice of allowance. I suggest a time early this coming week.

Peter

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From: Winder, Patrice [mailto:Patrice.Winder@USPTO.GOV]
Sent: Tuesday, January 04, 2011 6:55 PM
To: 'Peter K. Trzyna'
Subject: RE: Ser. No. 09/399,578

Mr. Trzyna:

The application been returned to me. The notice of allowance was vacated. The reply was entered as an overdue amendment. The case has been effectively withdrawn from issue based on the prior art from the 10/19/2010 and 10/20/2010 IDS. It overdue according to PTO docketing so it will be the next case I do. I expect to start the write up on Wed and finish up on Thurs.

Patrice Winder
Primary Examiner

From: Peter K. Trzyna [mailto:pkt-law@sbcglobal.net]
Sent: Tuesday, January 04, 2011 2:25 PM
To: Winder, Patrice
Subject: RE: Ser. No. 09/399,578

Examiner Winder:

Please advise me of the status of this patent application.

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From: Winder, Patrice [mailto:Patrice.Winder@USPTO.GOV]
Sent: Monday, December 20, 2010 2:23 PM
To: 'Peter K. Trzyna'
Subject: RE: Ser. No. 09/399,578

Hi, Mr. Tryzna:

Thanks for the reminder of my expected date of finishing. Of course, I missed that date but the hold up will be resolved I hope by Wednesday.

Patrice Winder
Primary Examiner

From: Peter K. Trzyna [mailto:pkt-law@sbcglobal.net]
Sent: Thursday, December 16, 2010 2:37 PM
To: Winder, Patrice
Cc: srivastava.vivek@uspto.gov
Subject: Ser. No. 09/399,578

Examiner Winder:

What is the status of the Notice of Allowability, which I understood from our last call would be sent out this past Monday? As you know, due to the Terminal Disclaimer, there is no term extension, so the delay from the close of prosecution has cost more than one year off the term of any patent.

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	Patrice L. Winder	2452	

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

Period for Reply

A SHORTENED STATUTORY PERIOD FOR REPLY IS SET TO EXPIRE *3* MONTH(S) OR THIRTY (30) DAYS, WHICHEVER IS LONGER, FROM THE MAILING DATE OF THIS COMMUNICATION.

- Extensions of time may be available under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a). In no event, however, may a reply be timely filed after SIX (6) MONTHS from the mailing date of this communication.
- If NO period for reply is specified above, the maximum statutory period will apply and will expire SIX (6) MONTHS from the mailing date of this communication.
- Failure to reply within the set or extended period for reply will, by statute, cause the application to become ABANDONED (35 U.S.C. § 133). Any reply received by the Office later than three months after the mailing date of this communication, even if timely filed, may reduce any earned patent term adjustment. See 37 CFR 1.704(b).

Status

1)☒ Responsive to communication(s) filed on *15 December 2009*.

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

3)☐ 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

4)☒ Claim(s) *See Continuation Sheet* is/are pending in the application.

4a) Of the above claim(s) _____ is/are withdrawn from consideration.

5)☐ Claim(s) _____ is/are allowed.

6)☒ Claim(s) *1-291,309-366,376-502,504-519,521-536,538-553,555-570,572-590 and 592-995* is/are rejected.

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

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

Application Papers

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

10)☐ The drawing(s) filed on _____ 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).

11)☐ The oath or declaration is objected to by the Examiner. Note the attached Office Action or form PTO-152.

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).

a)☐ All b)☐ Some * c)☐ None of:

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.

Attachment(s)

1) ☒ Notice of References Cited (PTO-892)
2) ☐ Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948)
3) ☐ Information Disclosure Statement(s) (PTO/SB/08) Paper No(s)/Mail Date _____.
4) ☐ Interview Summary (PTO-413) Paper No(s)/Mail Date. _____ .
5) ☐ Notice of Informal Patent Application
6) ☐ Other: _____.

Continuation of Disposition of Claims: Claims pending in the application are 1-291,309-366,376-502,504-519,521-536,538-553,555-570,572-590 and 592-995.

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DETAILED ACTION

Allowable Subject Matter

The indicated allowability of claims 1-164,166-291,309-365,376-408, 410-502, 504-519,521-536,538- 553,555-570,572-590,592-598,600-631,726-754,845-861,877,884,885,891,892,955-962,973-976 and 978-988 is withdrawn in view of the newly discovered reference(s) to Shastra. Rejections based on the newly cited reference(s) follow.

Claim Rejections - 35 USC § 103

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.

Claims 1-291, 309-366, 376-502, 504-519, 521-536, 538-553, 555-570, 572-590, 592-995 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) as being unpatentable over Vinod Anupam et al., SHASTRA – An Architecture for Development of Collaborative Applications (hereafter Shastra) in view of Ahuja et al., USPN 5,689,553 (hereafter referred to as Ahuja). (See also Vinod Anupam et al., Shastra: Multimedia collaborative design environment and Vinod Anupam et al.;., Collaborative Multimedia Scientific Design in SHASTRA)

Regarding claim 1, Shastra taught a method of communicating via an Internet network (page 159, lines 45-47), the method including:

connecting a plurality of computers to a computer system, each of the plurality of computers connected to a respective input device and to a respective output device (page 155, lines 41-42, 54-63), said connecting responsive to receiving, from each of the computers, a password and a login name corresponding to a user identity, each said user identity corresponding to a respective particular user's stored access rights;

determining whether a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities are able to form a group for sending and for receiving communications in real time (page 157, lines 44-52; page 158, lines 13-18);

determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored by the corresponding user's stored access rights (page 160, column 2, lines 65-68; page 161, column 1, lines 7-18, 63-68, column 2, lines 7-17, 43-61; page 162, column 1, lines 7-11, 24-37) from data in the communications representing at least one of a pointer, video, audio, a graphic, or multimedia (page 159, lines 58-68); and

if the first and the second user identities are able to form the group, forming the group for sending the communications (page 158, lines 13-18), also as to facilitate receiving the communications that are not censored wherein the receiving is in real time and via the Internet network, and to facilitate not presenting the data that is censored to the corresponding output device (page 160, column 2, lines 65-68; page 161, column 1, lines 7-18, 63-68, column 2, lines 7-17, 43-61; page 162, column 1, lines 7-11, 24-37).

Shastra does not specifically teach a password and a login name corresponding to a user identity. However, Ahuja taught a password and a login name corresponding to a user identity (column 12, lines 12-38). It would have been obvious to one of ordinary skill in the art at the time the invention was made that incorporating Ahuja's security in Shastra's collaboration system. The motivation would have been to regulate access to the collaboration system.

Regarding dependent claims 3-7, Shastra taught the method of claim 1, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing video, audio, graphic, multimedia (page 160, column 2, lines 65-68; page 161, column 1, lines 7-18, 63-68, column 2, lines 7-17, 43-61; page 162, column 1, lines 7-11, 24-37).

Regarding dependent claims 18-34, Shastra taught wherein at least some of the communications include at least one text or ascii (page 160, column 1, lines 67-68, column 2, lines 7-20).

Regarding dependent claims 35-51, Shastra taught further including:

determining whether at least one of the first and the second user identities, individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia (accepting data from Fronts with modify permission); and

sending the data that is not censored from sending (sending the data to Fronts with access permission).

Regarding dependent claims 52-68, Shastra taught further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored (page 158, column 2, lines 28-48; page 159, column 2, lines 62-65). However, Shastra does not specifically teach managing the multimedia communications based on content. Downs taught managing the multimedia communications based on content (conference object including pointers, column 8, lines 9-18.

Regarding dependent claims 69-74, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities (Filepp taught age).

Regarding dependent claims 75-85, Shastra taught wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data including determining whether a parameter corresponding to the first identity has been determined by an other of the user identity (moderator sets the access permission for other identities, i.e. fronts).

Regarding dependent claims 86-102, Shastra taught wherein the determining whether the first if the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored (page 158, lines 51-67).

Regarding dependent claims 103-119, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities (Filepp taught age).

Regarding claim 170, Shastra taught a method of communicating via an Internet network (page 159, lines 45-47), the method including:

connecting a plurality of computers to a computer system (page 155, lines 41-42, 54-63);

receiving, from each of the plurality of computers, a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity;

determining whether a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities are able to form a group for sending and for receiving communications in real time (page 157, lines 44-52; page 158, lines 13-18);

determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data in the communications (page 160, column 2, lines 65-68; page 161, column 1, lines 7-18, 63-68, column 2, lines 7-17, 43-61; page 162, column 1, lines 7-11, 24-37), the data representing at least one of a pointer, video, audio, a graphic, or multimedia (page 159, lines 58-68); and

if the first and the second user identities are able to form the group, then forming the group, facilitating sending the communications that are not censored based on the individual user identity (page 158, lines 13-18), and facilitating receiving the communications that sent, wherein the receiving is in real time and via the Internet network (page 160, column 2, lines 65-68; page 161, column 1, lines 7-18, 63-68, column 2, lines 7-17, 43-61; page 162, column 1, lines 7-11, 24-37).

Claims 2, 8-17 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) as being unpatentable over Shastra and Ahuja and Atul Prakash et al., Distview for Building Efficient Collaborative Applications using Replicated Objects (hereafter referred to as Distview).

Regarding dependent claim 2, Shastra taught the method of claim 1, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data (page 158, column 2, lines 28-48; page 159, column 2, lines 62-65). However, Shastra does not specifically teach the data is a pointer. However, Distview taught data representing a pointer (pages 3-4, "Examples of Distview Based Application", Figures 2-4). It would have been obvious to one of ordinary skill in the art at the time the invention was made that incorporating a pointer-triggered message in Shasta's collaboration system would have expanded the services. The motivation would have been to have another tool to share data between collaborators.

Regarding dependent claims 8-9, Shastra taught the method of claim 1, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing a pointer and a graphic, a pointer and audio (page 160, column 2, lines 65-68; page 161, column 1, lines 7-18, 63-68, column 2, lines 7-17, 43-61; page 162, column 1, lines 7-11, 24-37). However, Shastra does not specifically teach the data is a

pointer. However, Distview taught data representing a pointer (pages 3-4, “Examples of Distview Based Application”, Figures 2-4). For motivation see claim 2, above.

Regarding dependent claims 10-12, Shastra taught wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing a video and audio, video and a graphic, audio and a graphic (page 160, column 2, lines 65-68; page 161, column 1, lines 7-18, 63-68, column 2, lines 7-17, 43-61; page 162, column 1, lines 7-11, 24-37). For motivation see claim 2, above.

Regarding dependent claims 13-17, Shastra taught wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing a pointer and video and audio, a pointer and video and a graphic, a pointer and audio and a graphic, video and audio and a graphic, a pointer and video and audio and a graphic (page 160, column 2, lines 65-68; page 161, column 1, lines 7-18, 63-68, column 2, lines 7-17, 43-61; page 162, column 1, lines 7-11, 24-37). However, Shastra does not specifically teach the data is a pointer. However, Distview taught data representing a pointer (pages 3-4, “Examples of Distview Based Application”, Figures 2-4). For motivation see claim 2, above.

Regarding dependent claims 120-137, Distview taught wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer triggered message on demand (pages 3-4, “Examples of Distview Based Application”, Figures 2-4).

Regarding dependent claims 138-148, Distview taught wherein the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer triggered message on demand (pages 3-4, “Examples of Distview Based Application”, Figures 2-4).

Regarding dependent claims 149-155, Distview taught wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer triggered message on demand (pages 3-4, “Examples of Distview Based Application”, Figures 2-4).

Regarding dependent claims 156-160, Distview taught wherein the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer triggered message on demand (pages 3-4, “Examples of Distview Based Application”, Figures 2-4).

Regarding dependent claims 161-164, 165-169, Distview taught wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer triggered message on demand (pages 3-4, “Examples of Distview Based Application”, Figures 2-4).

The above citations associated with the prior art references would equally apply to the remaining claims.

Conclusion

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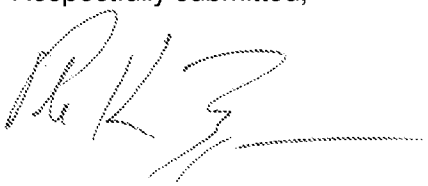

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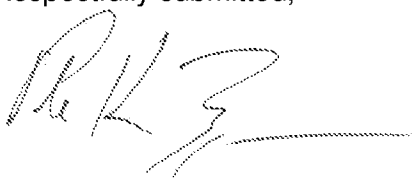

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Art Unit	2445
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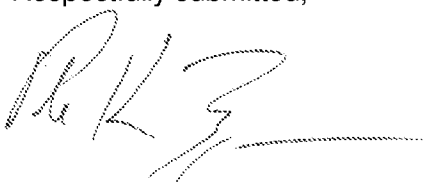

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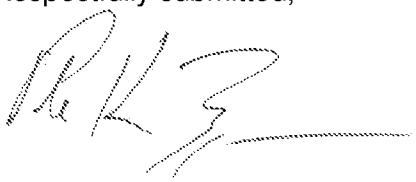

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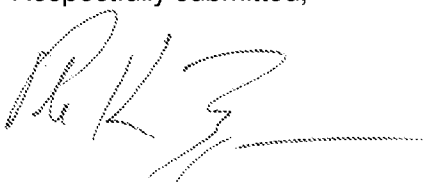

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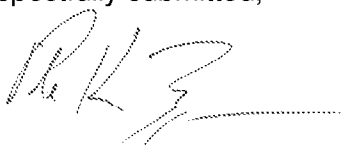

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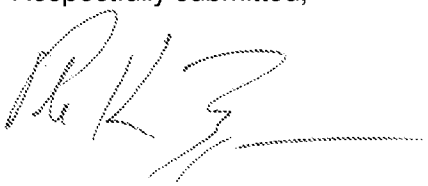

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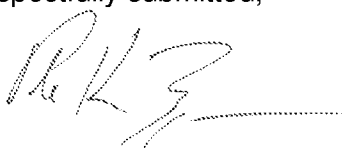

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Attorney Docket Number	AIS-P1-99

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Application Number	09399578
Filing Date	1999-09-20
First Named Inventor	MARKS, Daniel L.
Art Unit	2445
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Transmitted herewith for filing in the above-identified patent application are the following:

1. Information Disclosure Statement;
2. PTO/SB/08a-Form; and
3. Cited Art.

APPLICANT CLAIMS **LARGE** ENTITY STATUS. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees associated with the above-identified patent application or credit any overcharges to Deposit Account No. 50-0235.

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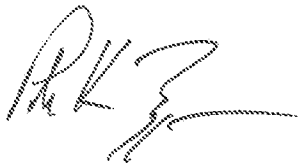

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed pursuant to the duty of disclosure, candor, and good faith embodied in 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97 owed by the inventor, the inventor's assignee substantively involved in the application, and the patent attorney to the United States Patent and Trademark Office. In those cases from which the instant case claims priority, particularly Serial No. 08/617,658, filed April 1, 1996, and issued as U.S. Patent No. 5,956,491 on September 21, 1999, Applicant has previously submitted patents, publications, and/or other information of which the inventor is aware to help make this information of record. Applicant requests that the Examiner check those files for such materials. Applicant also requests that the Examiner consider the enclosed, be aware of Serial No. 11/510,351, filed August 24, 2006, Serial No. 11/510,473, filed August 24, 2006, Serial No. 11/510,463, filed August 24,

2006, Serial No. 11/780,352, filed July 19, 2007, and Serial No. 11/836,633, filed August 9, 2007, and check these applications for such materials.

It is respectfully requested that this Information Disclosure Statement be entered and the reference(s) listed on the attached PTO-1449 be considered by the Examiner and made of record.

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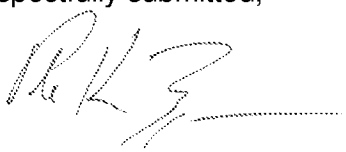

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

S I R :

Transmitted herewith for filing in the above-identified patent application are the following:

1. Request for Corrected Filing Receipt;

2. Filing Receipt dated October 28, 1999, with corrections thereon in red ink; and

3. Application Data Sheet.

APPLICANT CLAIMS LARGE ENTITY STATUS. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees associated with the above-identified patent application or credit any overcharges to Deposit Account No. 50-0235.

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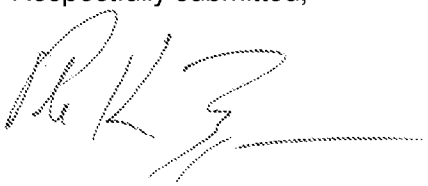

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REQUEST FOR CORRECTED FILING RECEIPT

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On September 20, 1999, Applicant submitted a Preliminary Amendment with the original specification that added the Domestic Priority Data. The Filing Receipt issued on October 28, 1999, did not contain the Domestic Priority Data.

Applicant respectfully requests that a Corrected Filing Receipt be issued in the above-identified application that reflects the Domestic Priority as claimed by applicant. Applicant submits herewith an Application Data Sheet and a copy of page 1 of the Filing Receipt that shows the corrections thereon in red ink.

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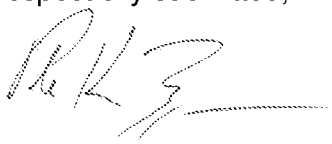

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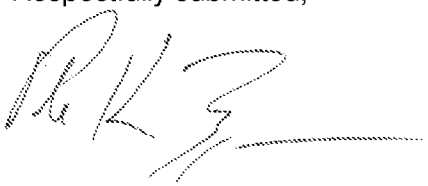

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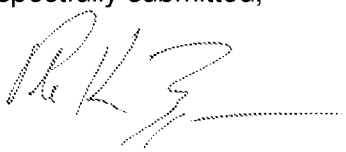

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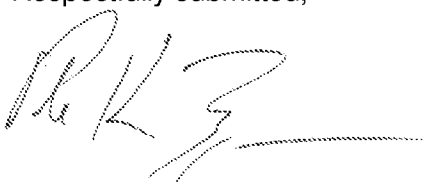

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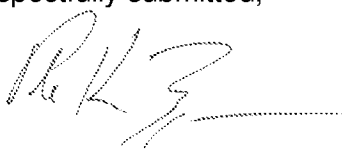

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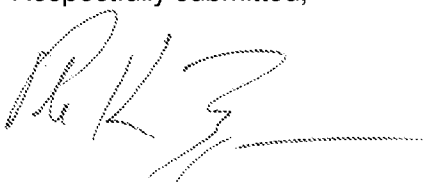

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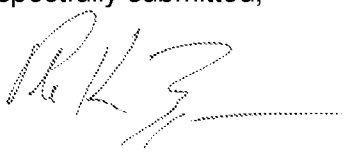

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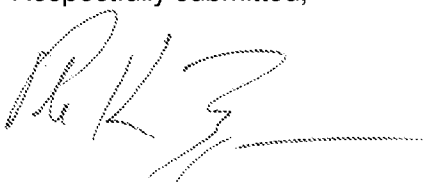

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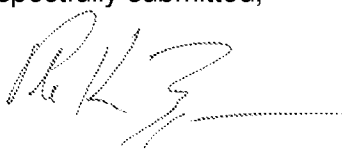

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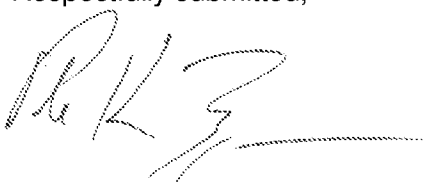

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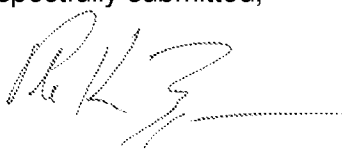

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1. Information Disclosure Statement;
2. PTO/SB/08a-Form; and
3. Cited Art.

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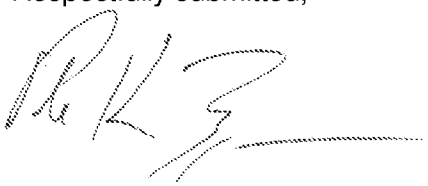

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed pursuant to the duty of disclosure, candor, and good faith embodied in 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97 owed by the inventor, the inventor's assignee substantively involved in the application, and the patent attorney to the United States Patent and Trademark Office. In those cases from which the instant case claims priority, particularly Serial No. 08/617,658, filed April 1, 1996, and issued as U.S. Patent No. 5,956,491 on September 21, 1999, Applicant has previously submitted patents, publications, and/or other information of which the inventor is aware to help make this information of record. Applicant requests that the Examiner check those files for such materials. Applicant also requests that the Examiner consider the enclosed, be aware of Serial No. 11/510,351, filed August 24, 2006, Serial No. 11/510,473, filed August 24, 2006, Serial No. 11/510,463, filed August 24,

2006, Serial No. 11/780,352, filed July 19, 2007, and Serial No. 11/836,633, filed August 9, 2007, and check these applications for such materials.

It is respectfully requested that this Information Disclosure Statement be entered and the reference(s) listed on the attached PTO-1449 be considered by the Examiner and made of record.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(d), copies of the listed references are enclosed.

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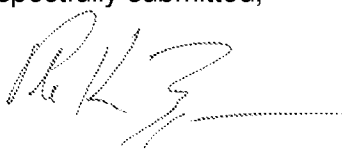

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1. Response to Miscellaneous Letter with Response Period; and

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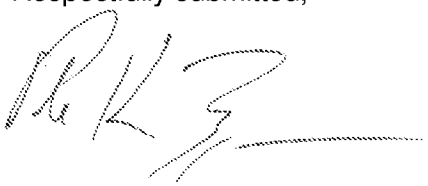

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RESPONSE TO MISCELLANOUS LETTER WITH RESPONSE PERIOD

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The Examiner contends that the reply document filed on 24 July 2009 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because the reply does not cancel the previously withdrawn claims. In response, Applicant respectfully requests that all withdrawn claims be cancelled, particularly claims 165, 409, 599, 632-725, 755-844, 862-876, 879-883, 886-890, 893-954, 963-972, 977, and 989-995.

The Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the telephone number set out below if it can in any way expedite or facilitate issuance of a patent on the application.

The application is believed to be in condition for allowance, and favorable action is respectfully requested. Please direct all correspondence to the undersigned at the address given below.

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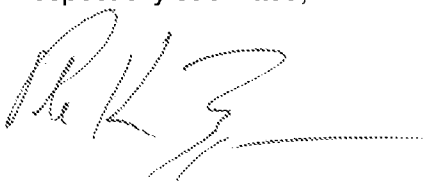

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Miscellaneous Letter with Response Period

1. The reply filed on July 24, 2009 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): the reply does not cancel the previously withdrawn claims. See 37 CFR 1.111. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be *bona fide*, applicant is given **ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS** from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

2. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Patrice Winder whose telephone number is 571-272-3935. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday-Friday, 10:30 am-7:00 pm.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Vivek Srivastava can be reached on 571-272-7304. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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/Patrice Winder/
Primary Examiner, Art Unit 2445

November 23, 2009

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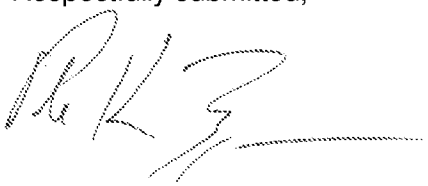

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RESPONSE AND APPLICANT
SUMMARY OF INTERVIEW WITH EXAMINER

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In response to the Office Action dated June 25, 2009, please enter the enclosed remarks and reconsider the application. It is believed no new matter has been added.

II. Remarks

The undersigned would like to express appreciation to the Examiner for the examination and courtesy accorded.

Based on the notice that the claims listed on PTO-326 are allowed, Applicant respectfully wishes to withdraw the traversal to the restriction requirement set out in the response of June 15, 2007.

With respect to the present application, the Applicant hereby rescinds any disclaimer of claim scope made in this or the parent application or any predecessor or related application. The Examiner is advised that any previous disclaimer, if any, and the prior art that it was made to avoid, may need to be revisited. Nor should a disclaimer, if any, in the present application be read back into any predecessor or to any related application.

Favorable action is requested, and if the prosecution of this case can be in any way advanced by a telephone discussion, the Examiner is requested to call the undersigned at (312) 240-0824.

APPLICANT CLAIMS LARGE ENTITY STATUS. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees associated with the above-identified patent application or credit any overcharges to Deposit Account No. 50-0235, and if any extension of time is needed, this shall be deemed a petition therefore.

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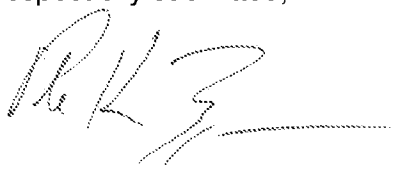
Responsive to the Interview Summary, Applicant respectfully corrects that Applicant's proposal was that the 1st determining and the 2nd determining are distinct and could be flagged as such for antecedent basis purposes, but that there was no intent as to a specific sequence of these steps in the discussed claims.

Please direct all communication to the undersigned at the address given below.

Respectfully submitted,



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Please find below and/or attached an Office communication concerning this application or proceeding.

The time period for reply, if any, is set in the attached communication.

Interview Summary	Application No.	Applicant(s)	
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	Patrice Winder	2445	

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

(1) *Patrice Winder*. (3)_____.

(2) *Peter Trzyna*. (4)_____.

Date of Interview: *17 December 2008*.

Type: a)☐ Telephonic b)☐ Video Conference
c)☒ Personal [copy given to: 1)☐ applicant 2)☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d)☐ Yes e)☒ No.
If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: *1 and 604*.

Identification of prior art discussed: *Brown*.

Agreement with respect to the claims f)☐ was reached. g)☒ was not reached. h)☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: *See Continuation Sheet*.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

THE FORMAL WRITTEN REPLY TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION MUST INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. (See MPEP Section 713.04). If a reply to the last Office action has already been filed, APPLICANT IS GIVEN A NON-EXTENDABLE PERIOD OF THE LONGER OF ONE MONTH OR THIRTY DAYS FROM THIS INTERVIEW DATE, OR THE MAILING DATE OF THIS INTERVIEW SUMMARY FORM, WHICHEVER IS LATER, TO FILE A STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. See Summary of Record of Interview requirements on reverse side or on attached sheet.

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Summary of Record of Interview Requirements

Manual of Patent Examining Procedure (MPEP), Section 713.04, Substance of Interview Must be Made of Record
A complete written statement as to the substance of any face-to-face, video conference, or telephone interview with regard to an application must be made of record in the application whether or not an agreement with the examiner was reached at the interview.

Title 37 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) § 1.133 Interviews
Paragraph (b)

In every instance where reconsideration is requested in view of an interview with an examiner, a complete written statement of the reasons presented at the interview as warranting favorable action must be filed by the applicant. An interview does not remove the necessity for reply to Office action as specified in §§ 1.111, 1.135. (35 U.S.C. 132)

37 CFR §1.2 Business to be transacted in writing.
All business with the Patent or Trademark Office should be transacted in writing. The personal attendance of applicants or their attorneys or agents at the Patent and Trademark Office is unnecessary. The action of the Patent and Trademark Office will be based exclusively on the written record in the Office. No attention will be paid to any alleged oral promise, stipulation, or understanding in relation to which there is disagreement or doubt.

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The action of the Patent and Trademark Office cannot be based exclusively on the written record in the Office if that record is itself incomplete through the failure to record the substance of interviews.

It is the responsibility of the applicant or the attorney or agent to make the substance of an interview of record in the application file, unless the examiner indicates he or she will do so. It is the examiner's responsibility to see that such a record is made and to correct material inaccuracies which bear directly on the question of patentability.

Examiners must complete an Interview Summary Form for each interview held where a matter of substance has been discussed during the interview by checking the appropriate boxes and filling in the blanks. Discussions regarding only procedural matters, directed solely to restriction requirements for which interview recordation is otherwise provided for in Section 812.01 of the Manual of Patent Examining Procedure, or pointing out typographical errors or unreadable script in Office actions or the like, are excluded from the interview recordation procedures below. Where the substance of an interview is completely recorded in an Examiners Amendment, no separate Interview Summary Record is required.

The Interview Summary Form shall be given an appropriate Paper No., placed in the right hand portion of the file, and listed on the "Contents" section of the file wrapper. In a personal interview, a duplicate of the Form is given to the applicant (or attorney or agent) at the conclusion of the interview. In the case of a telephone or video-conference interview, the copy is mailed to the applicant's correspondence address either with or prior to the next official communication. If additional correspondence from the examiner is not likely before an allowance or if other circumstances dictate, the Form should be mailed promptly after the interview rather than with the next official communication.

The Form provides for recordation of the following information:
- Application Number (Series Code and Serial Number)
- Name of applicant
- Name of examiner
- Date of interview
- Type of interview (telephonic, video-conference, or personal)
- Name of participant(s) (applicant, attorney or agent, examiner, other PTO personnel, etc.)
- An indication whether or not an exhibit was shown or a demonstration conducted
- An identification of the specific prior art discussed
- An indication whether an agreement was reached and if so, a description of the general nature of the agreement (may be by attachment of a copy of amendments or claims agreed as being allowable). Note: Agreement as to allowability is tentative and does not restrict further action by the examiner to the contrary.
- The signature of the examiner who conducted the interview (if Form is not an attachment to a signed Office action)

It is desirable that the examiner orally remind the applicant of his or her obligation to record the substance of the interview of each case. It should be noted, however, that the Interview Summary Form will not normally be considered a complete and proper recordation of the interview unless it includes, or is supplemented by the applicant or the examiner to include, all of the applicable items required below concerning the substance of the interview.

A complete and proper recordation of the substance of any interview should include at least the following applicable items:

1) A brief description of the nature of any exhibit shown or any demonstration conducted,
2) an identification of the claims discussed,
3) an identification of the specific prior art discussed,
4) an identification of the principal proposed amendments of a substantive nature discussed, unless these are already described on the Interview Summary Form completed by the Examiner,
5) a brief identification of the general thrust of the principal arguments presented to the examiner,
   (The identification of arguments need not be lengthy or elaborate. A verbatim or highly detailed description of the arguments is not required. The identification of the arguments is sufficient if the general nature or thrust of the principal arguments made to the examiner can be understood in the context of the application file. Of course, the applicant may desire to emphasize and fully describe those arguments which he or she feels were or might be persuasive to the examiner.)
6) a general indication of any other pertinent matters discussed, and
7) if appropriate, the general results or outcome of the interview unless already described in the Interview Summary Form completed by the examiner.

Examiners are expected to carefully review the applicant's record of the substance of an interview. If the record is not complete and accurate, the examiner will give the applicant an extendable one month time period to correct the record.

Examiner to Check for Accuracy

If the claims are allowable for other reasons of record, the examiner should send a letter setting forth the examiner's version of the statement attributed to him or her. If the record is complete and accurate, the examiner should place the indication, "Interview Record OK" on the paper recording the substance of the interview along with the date and the examiner's initials.

Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Applicant argues that Brown does not specifically teach 1st determining that user identities are censored from communications. Applicant also argues that Brown does not specifically teach 2nd receiving communications which are not censored. Applicant pointed to col. 3, lines 13-20, that the "access objects" are on a per-group basis. The rebuttal is this is directed to the claims that were not considered in the final. Also, Brown does not prohibit providing the access rights individually so a combination/motivation statement will be made.

Then applicant argues that Brown restricts access to "objects" not "censoring" receiving communications. Meaning controlling "access" to objects is not the same thing as restricting the "receiving" communication. The rebuttal was the Brown's access rights function to moderate the Chat room i.e. based on the access rights communication is enabled or disabled because "access" defines read/write. Applicant that "reading" a content object is not the same thing as "receiving" a message. The rebuttal was that the communication in Brown's chat room is described in objects and sending/receiving messages is "accessing" object. (This is supported on column 10, lines 15-35). The chat room is an object and the communication messages are also an object.

As is evident from this exchange it is clear that agreement was not reached. However, the applicant and the examiner have a better perspective the claim interpretation.

Lastly, applicant argues that Brown does not specifically teach a 2nd determination step and "censoring" communications based on the 2nd determination step. The rebuttal was that language did not appear to be in the claims. Applicant proposed clarifying that there is a 1st determination step to form a group, a 2nd determination step to determine whether communication types are censored and the condition of receiving communication is based on the 2nd determination step.

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	Patrice Winder	2445	

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

Period for Reply

A SHORTENED STATUTORY PERIOD FOR REPLY IS SET TO EXPIRE *3* MONTH(S) OR THIRTY (30) DAYS, WHICHEVER IS LONGER, FROM THE MAILING DATE OF THIS COMMUNICATION.

- Extensions of time may be available under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a). In no event, however, may a reply be timely filed after SIX (6) MONTHS from the mailing date of this communication.
- If NO period for reply is specified above, the maximum statutory period will apply and will expire SIX (6) MONTHS from the mailing date of this communication.
- Failure to reply within the set or extended period for reply will, by statute, cause the application to become ABANDONED (35 U.S.C. § 133). Any reply received by the Office later than three months after the mailing date of this communication, even if timely filed, may reduce any earned patent term adjustment. See 37 CFR 1.704(b).

Status

1)☒ Responsive to communication(s) filed on *07 April 2009*.

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

3)☐ 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

4)☒ Claim(s) *See Continuation Sheet* is/are pending in the application.

4a) Of the above claim(s) *See Continuation Sheet* is/are withdrawn from consideration.

5)☒ Claim(s) *See Continuation Sheet* is/are allowed.

6)☐ Claim(s) _____ is/are rejected.

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

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

Application Papers

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

10)☐ The drawing(s) filed on _____ 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).

11)☐ The oath or declaration is objected to by the Examiner. Note the attached Office Action or form PTO-152.

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).

a)☐ All b)☐ Some * c)☐ None of:

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.

Attachment(s)

1) ☐ Notice of References Cited (PTO-892)
2) ☐ Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948)
3) ☒ Information Disclosure Statement(s) (PTO/SB/08) Paper No(s)/Mail Date *8-15-2007; 12-16-2008*.
4) ☒ Interview Summary (PTO-413) Paper No(s)/Mail Date. *20081217* .
5) ☐ Notice of Informal Patent Application
6) ☐ Other: _____.

Continuation of Disposition of Claims: Claims pending in the application are 1-291,309-366,376-502,504-519,521-536,538-553,555-570,572-590 and 592-995.
Continuation of Disposition of Claims: Claims withdrawn from consideration are 165,409,599,632-725,755-844,862-876,879-883,886-890,893-954,963-972,977 and 989-995.
Continuation of Disposition of Claims: Claims allowed are 1-164,166-291,309-365,376-408, 410-502, 504-519, 521-536, 538-553, 555-570, 572-590, 592-598,600-631,726-754,845-861,877,884,885,891,892,955-962,973-976 and 978-988.

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Continued Examination Under 37 CFR 1.114

1. A request for continued examination under 37 CFR 1.114, including the fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(e), was filed in this application after final rejection. Since this application is eligible for continued examination under 37 CFR 1.114, and the fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(e) has been timely paid, the finality of the previous Office action has been withdrawn pursuant to 37 CFR 1.114. Applicant's submission filed on April 7, 2009 has been entered.

Election/Restrictions

2. This application is in condition for allowance except for the presence of claims directed to an invention non-elected with traverse in the reply filed on June 15, 2007. Applicant is given ONE MONTH or THIRTY DAYS from the date of this letter, whichever is longer, to cancel the noted claims or take other appropriate action (37 CFR 1.144). Failure to take action during this period will be treated as authorization to cancel the noted claims by Examiner's Amendment and pass the case to issue. Extensions of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) will not be permitted since this application will be passed to issue.

The prosecution of this case is closed except for consideration of the above matter.

Allowable Subject Matter

3. Claims listed on the PTO-326 are allowed.

4. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Patrice Winder whose telephone number is 571-272-3935. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday-Friday, 10:30 am-7:00 pm.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Vivek Srivastava can be reached on 571-272-7304. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

Information regarding the status of an application may be obtained from the Patent Application Information Retrieval (PAIR) system. Status information for published applications may be obtained from either Private PAIR or Public PAIR. Status information for unpublished applications is available through Private PAIR only. For more information about the PAIR system, see http://pair-direct.uspto.gov. Should you have questions on access to the Private PAIR system, contact the Electronic Business Center (EBC) at 866-217-9197 (toll-free). If you would like assistance from a USPTO Customer Service Representative or access to the automated information system, call 800-786-9199 (IN USA OR CANADA) or 571-272-1000.

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	A5	5,713,019	01/27/1998	Keaten	
	A6	5,721,763	02/24/1998	Joseph, et al.	
	A7	5,729,684	05/17/1998	Kuzma	
	A8	5,754,775	05/19/1998	Adamson, et al.	
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	A16	5,880,731	03/09/1999	Liles, et al.	
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	A18	5,924,082	07/13/1999	Silverman, et al.	
	A19	5,933,599	08/03/1999	Nolan	
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	A21	5,974,409	10/26/1999	Sanu, et al.	
	A22	5,987,401	11/16/1999	Trudeau	
	A23	6,692,359	02/17/2004	Williams, et al.	
	A24	4,710,917	12/01/1987	Tompkins, et al.	
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	A36	5,774,668	06/30/1998	Choquier, et al.	
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	A39	5,826,085	10/20/1998	Bennett, et al.	
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	A45	*Windy City Innovations, LLC v. America Online, Inc.*, Civil Action No. 04 C 4240, "Plaintiff's Reply to the First Amended Counterclaim of Defendant America Online, Inc." filed 9/28/2004.
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First Named Inventor	Daniel L. Marks			Examiner Name	WINDER, Patrice L.		

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RESPONSE: Submission

S I R :

In response to the Office Action dated October 7, 2008, please enter the enclosed Request for Continued Examination in response to the Office Action-Final Rejection and reconsider the application.

II. Remarks

The undersigned would like to express appreciation to the Examiner for the examination and courtesy accorded.

The Office Action of October 7, 2008, did not consider the filings since July 8, 2008.

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It is further noted, again, that the cited art does not teach the respective particular user's stored access rights as claimed, e.g., in claim 1. See arguments in the filings since July 8, 2008.

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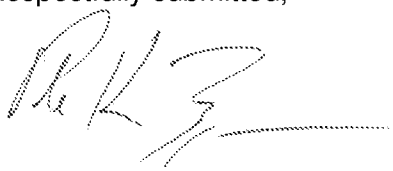

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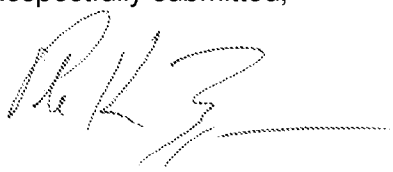

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Filed	:	September 20, 1999
For	:	GROUP COMMUNICATIONS MULTIPLEXING SYSTEM
Group Art Unit	:	2445
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This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed pursuant to the duty of disclosure, candor, and good faith embodied in 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97 owed by the inventor, the inventor's assignee substantively involved in the application, and the patent attorney to the United States Patent and Trademark Office. In those cases from which the instant case claims priority, particularly Serial No. 08/617,658, filed April 1, 1996, and issued as U.S. Patent No. 5,956,491 on September 21, 1999, Applicant has previously submitted patents, publications, and/or other information of which the inventor is aware to help make this information of record. The Examiner is reminded to check those files for such materials.

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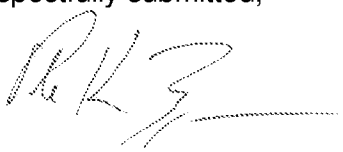

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Transmitted herewith for filing in the above-identified patent application is the following:

1. Information Disclosure Statement; and

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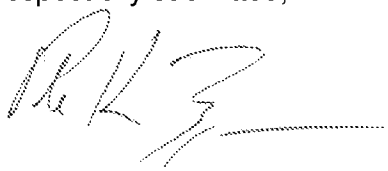

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	09/399,578	MARKS, DANIEL L.	
	Examiner	Art Unit	
	Patrice Winder	2145	

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A SHORTENED STATUTORY PERIOD FOR REPLY IS SET TO EXPIRE *3* MONTH(S) OR THIRTY (30) DAYS, WHICHEVER IS LONGER, FROM THE MAILING DATE OF THIS COMMUNICATION.

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Status

1)☒ Responsive to communication(s) filed on *08 July 2008*.

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

3)☐ 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

4)☒ Claim(s) *1-995* is/are pending in the application.

4a) Of the above claim(s) *See Continuation Sheet* is/are withdrawn from consideration.

5)☐ Claim(s) _____ is/are allowed.

6)☒ Claim(s) *1-168,170-291,299,309-366,376-408,410-502,504-519,521-536,538-553,556-570,572-590,592-598,600-631,726-754,818-861,876-878,890-892,897-900,904-909,911-916,919,948,953-976,978-995* is/are rejected.

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

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

Application Papers

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

10)☐ The drawing(s) filed on _____ 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).

11)☐ The oath or declaration is objected to by the Examiner. Note the attached Office Action or form PTO-152.

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).

a)☐ All b)☐ Some * c)☐ None of:

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

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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.

Attachment(s)

1) ☐ Notice of References Cited (PTO-892)
2) ☐ Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948)
3) ☐ Information Disclosure Statement(s) (PTO/SB/08) Paper No(s)/Mail Date _____.
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5) ☐ Notice of Informal Patent Application
6) ☐ Other: _____.

Continuation of Disposition of Claims: Claims withdrawn from consideration are 169,292-298,300-308,367-375,409,503,520,537,554,555,571,591,599,632-725,755-817,862-875,879,893-896,901-903,910,917,918,920-947,949-952 and 977.

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DETAILED ACTION

Response to Claim Charts

1. The examiner thanks Applicant for the claim tree mapping the claim organization. Applicant's time and effort are greatly appreciated.

Claim Rejections - 35 USC § 103

2. 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.

3. The factual inquiries set forth in *Graham* **v.** *John Deere Co.*, 383 U.S. 1, 148 USPQ 459 (1966), that are applied for establishing a background for determining obviousness under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) are summarized as follows:

1. Determining the scope and contents of the prior art.
2. Ascertaining the differences between the prior art and the claims at issue.
3. Resolving the level of ordinary skill in the pertinent art.
4. Considering objective evidence present in the application indicating obviousness or nonobviousness.

4. Claims 1-168,170-291,299,309-366,376-408,410-502,504-519,521-536,538-553,556-570,572-590,592-598,600-631,726-754,818-861,876-878,890-892,897-900,904-909,911-916,919,948,953-976 and 978-995 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) as being unpatentable over Brown et al., USPN 5,941,947 (hereafter referred to as Brown) in view of Tang et al., USPN 5,793,365 (hereafter referred to as Tang).

[claim 1] Brown taught a method of communicating via an Internet network (abstract), the method including:

connecting a plurality of computers to a computer system, each of the plurality of computers connected to a respective input device and to respective output device (microcomputer 102, column 8, lines 47-53);

determining whether a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities are able to form a group for sending and receiving communications in real time (chat rooms, column 9, lines 45-50; column 10, lines 36-45; column 13, lines 9-14; column 16, lines 2-4);

determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing a content object (column 16, lines 55-66); and

if the first and the second user identities are able to form the group, forming the group for sending the communications, and receiving the communications that are not censored based on the individual user identity (column 13, lines 52-54), when the receiving is in real-time and via the Internet, and not presenting the data that is censored to the corresponding output device (column 15, lines 27-37). Brown does not specifically teach the content object is a pointer, video, audio, a graphic, or multimedia. However, Tang taught the content object is a pointer, video, audio, a graphic, or multimedia (column 9, lines 38-44, 51-55). It would have been obvious to one of ordinary skill in the art at the time the invention was made that incorporating Tang's multimedia content in Brown's chat service would have improved the chat room

experience. The motivation would have been to improve the chat room experience by allowing the participants to share files.

[claims 2-17] Brown taught determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data (column 16, lines 2-4, 55-59). Tang taught representing [a pointer, video, audio, a graphic, multimedia]. (column 9, lines 38-55)

[claims 18-34] Brown taught at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii (column 9, lines 52-54).

[claims 35-51] Brown taught determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing a content object (column 15, lines 44-54) and sending the data that is not censored from sending (column 15, lines 5-15). Tang taught the content object is at least one of a pointer, video, audio, a graphic, or multimedia (column 9, lines 38-55).

[claims 52-68] Brown taught determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content (column 16, lines 40-45).

[claims 69-74] Brown taught determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities (user age < 18, column 19, lines 9-21).

[claims 75-85] Brown taught the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether a parameter corresponding to the first user identity has been determined by an other of the user identities (column 16, lines 40-45, 55-66).

[claim 86-102] Brown taught the determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored (column 20, lines 8-27).

[claim 103-119] Brown taught determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities (user age < 18, column 19, lines 9-21).

[claim 120-137,149-155, 161-163, 166-169] Brown taught the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand (column 10, lines 36-38; column 13, lines 52-54).

[claim 138-148,156-160,164] Brown taught the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand (column 10, lines 36-38; column 13, lines 52-54).

[claim 170] Brown taught a method of communicating via an Internet network, the method including:

connecting a plurality of computers to a computer system (column 8, lines 47-53);

sending, from each of the plurality of computers, a respective login name corresponding to respective user identities and a second identities are able to form a group for sending and for receiving communications in real time (chat rooms, column 10, lines 36-45; column 13, lines 9-14; column 16, lines 2-4);

determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity,, individually, is censored from sending data in the communications, the data representing a content object (column 16, lines 55-66); and

if the first ad second user identities are able to form the group, then forming the group, sending the communications that are not censored based on the individual user identity (column 13, lines 52-54), and receiving the communications, wherein the receiving is in real-time and via the Internet network (column 15, lines 27-37). However, Tang taught the content object is at least one of a pointer, video, audio, a graphic or multimedia (column 9, lines 38-44, 51-55). For motivation see claim 1, above. Brown does not specifically teach the logon procedure includes a password. However, “official notice” is taken that passwords are well known in the art. It would have been obvious to one of ordinary skill in the art at the time the invention was made that incorporating a password in Brown's logon procedure would have been

[claim 171-184] Brown taught the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand (column 10, lines 36-38; column 13, lines 52-54).

[claim 185] Tang taught receiving the communications includes causing presentation of some of the communications by one of the plurality of computer in the group (column 9, lines 30-36).

[claim 186] Brown taught when the communications are censored, not receiving the communications that are censored based on the individual user identity (column 15, lines 44-55), and not presenting the data that is censored to the corresponding output device (column 15, lines 5-15).

[claim 187,309] Brown taught the computer system is comprised of an Internet service provider computer system (column 7, lines 18-37).

[claim 188,310] Brown taught storing, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical multimedia (column 16, lines 55-62); and based on the authorization, presenting the graphical multimedia at the output device corresponding to the second user identity (column 16, lines 63-67).

[claim 189,311] Tang taught providing the first user identity with access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity (column 5, lines 18-23).

[claim 190,312] Brown taught determining whether the first user identity is censored from access to a chat room; if the first user identity is censored, not allowing access to the chat room; and if the first user identity is not censored, allowing access to the chat room (column 27 , lines 49-58). Tang taught associating a chat room with a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity (column 5, lines 18-23).

[claim 191-206] determining whether at least one of the first identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending a content object (column 15, lines 5-15, 44-54). Tang taught the content object is at least one of a pointer, video, audio, a graphic, or multimedia (column 9, lines 38-55).

[claims 207-223] Brown taught at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii (column 9, lines 52-54).

[claims 224-240] Brown taught determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content (column 16, lines 40-45).

[claim 241-257] Brown taught the determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored (column 20, lines 8-27).

[claim 258-274] Brown taught determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities (user age < 18, column 19, lines 32-41).

[claim 276-291] Brown taught at least one of the communications includes data representing a human communication of sound (voice capability is added, column 9, lines 54-55).

[claim 313-366, 376-379] Brown taught the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand (column 10, lines 36-38; column 13, lines 52-54).

[claim 380-396] Tang taught data representing at least one of a pointer, video, audio, a graphic, or multimedia (column 9, lines 38-55).

[claim 397-408,410-413] Brown taught determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content (column 16, lines 40-45).

[claims 414-430] determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, audio, a graphic, or multimedia; and sending the data that is not censored from sending.

[claims 431-434] Brown taught at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii (column 9, lines 52-54).

5. Claims 435- 502,504-519,521-536,538-553,556-570,572-590,592-598,600-631,726-754,818-861,876-878,890-892,897-900,904-909,911-916,919,948,953-976 and 978-995 are rejected on the same rationales as 1-168,170-291,299,309-366,376-408,410-434, above.

Response to Arguments

6. Applicant's arguments filed July 8, 2008 have been fully considered but they are not persuasive.

Applicant argues – "…[T]he Examiner's information is requested regarding how Brown or Tang would be operable if Brown's access control were to be replaced with Tang's contended "a pointer, video, audio, a graphic, or multimedia."

7. The rejection may have cited a particular portion of Brown, however, it is expected that applicant consider Brown in its entirety. Brown is an on-line service with many application servers using a particular access control mechanism to individualize the rights of users accessing the on-line network and application services. Brown has at least two services in Tang's field of endeavor, a chat conference service and a bulletin board service (BBS), see column 3, lines 25-35. Brown promotes that applying individual access rights is important to application server, such as a chat conference. Thus, Brown suggests the combination with Tang's by its inclusion of chat conferences as an applicable on-line service.

Conclusion

8. **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.

9. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Patrice Winder whose telephone number is 571-272-3935. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday-Friday, 10:30 am-7:00 pm.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Jason Cardone can be reached on 571-272-3933. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

S I R :

Please enter the following Amendment and Response to supplement the filing of September 2, 2008, and reconsider the application in view of the amendment and the remarks set forth below. It is believed that no new matter has been added.

I. Amendment

A. In the claims

Please amend the claims as set out below:

1. (Currently amended) A method of communicating via an Internet network, the method including:

connecting a plurality of computers to a computer system, each of the plurality of computers connected to a respective input device and to a respective output device, said connecting responsive to receiving, from each of the computers, a password and a login name corresponding to a user identity, each said user identity corresponding to a respective particular user's stored access rights;

determining whether a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities are able to form a group for sending and for receiving communications in real time;

determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored by the corresponding user's stored access rights from data in the communications representing at least one of a pointer, video, audio, a graphic, or multimedia; and

if the first and the second user identities are able to form the group, forming the group for sending the communications~~, and~~ so as to facilitate receiving the communications that are not censored ~~based on the individual user identity~~, wherein the receiving is in real time and via the Internet network, and to facilitate not presenting the data that is censored to the corresponding output device.

2. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the

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second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing a pointer.

3. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing video.

4. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing audio.

5. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing a graphic.

6. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing multimedia.

7. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the

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second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing a pointer and video.

8. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing a pointer and audio.

9. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing a pointer and a graphic.

10. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing video and audio.

11. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing video and a graphic.

12. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the

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second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing audio and a graphic.

13. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing a pointer and video and audio.

14. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing a pointer and video and a graphic.

15. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing a pointer and audio and a graphic.

16. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing video and audio and a graphic.

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17. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing a pointer and video and audio and a graphic.

18. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

19. (Previously presented) The method of claim 2, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

20. (Previously presented) The method of claim 3, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

21. (Previously presented) The method of claim 4, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

22. (Previously presented) The method of claim 5, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

23. (Previously presented) The method of claim 6, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

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24. (Previously presented) The method of claim 7, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

25. (Previously presented) The method of claim 8, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

26. (Previously presented) The method of claim 9, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

27. (Previously presented) The method of claim 10, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

28. (Previously presented) The method of claim 11, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

29. (Previously presented) The method of claim 12, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

30. (Previously presented) The method of claim 13, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

31. (Previously presented) The method of claim 14, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

32. (Previously presented) The method of claim 15, wherein at least some of

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the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

33. (Previously presented) The method of claim 16, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

34. (Previously presented) The method of claim 17, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

35. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, further including:

determining whether at least one of the first and the second user identities, individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia; and

sending the data that is not censored from sending.

36. (Previously presented) The method of claim 2, further including:

determining whether at least one of the first and the second user identities, individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia; and

sending the data that is not censored from sending.

37. (Previously presented) The method of claim 3, further including:

determining whether at least one of the first and the second user identities, individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia; and

sending the data that is not censored from sending.

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38. (Previously presented) The method of claim 4, further including:

determining whether at least one of the first and the second user identities, individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia; and

sending the data that is not censored from sending.

39. (Previously presented) The method of claim 5, further including:

determining whether at least one of the first and the second user identities, individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia; and

sending the data that is not censored from sending.

40. (Previously presented) The method of claim 6, further including:

determining whether at least one of the first and the second user identities, individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia; and

sending the data that is not censored from sending.

41. (Previously presented) The method of claim 7, further including:

determining whether at least one of the first and the second user identities, individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia; and

sending the data that is not censored from sending.

42. (Previously presented) The method of claim 8, further including:

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determining whether at least one of the first and the second user identities, individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia; and

sending the data that is not censored from sending.

43. (Previously presented) The method of claim 9, further including:

determining whether at least one of the first and the second user identities, individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia; and

sending the data that is not censored from sending.

44. (Previously presented) The method of claim 10, further including:

determining whether at least one of the first and the second user identities, individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia; and

sending the data that is not censored from sending.

45. (Previously presented) The method of claim 11, further including:

determining whether at least one of the first and the second user identities, individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia; and

sending the data that is not censored from sending.

46. (Previously presented) The method of claim 12, further including:

determining whether at least one of the first and the second user identities,

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individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia; and

sending the data that is not censored from sending.

47. (Previously presented) The method of claim 13, further including:

determining whether at least one of the first and the second user identities, individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia; and

sending the data that is not censored from sending.

48. (Previously presented) The method of claim 14, further including:

determining whether at least one of the first and the second user identities, individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia; and

sending the data that is not censored from sending.

49. (Previously presented) The method of claim 15, further including:

determining whether at least one of the first and the second user identities, individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia; and

sending the data that is not censored from sending.

50. (Previously presented) The method of claim 16, further including:

determining whether at least one of the first and the second user identities, individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing at least one of a

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pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia; and

sending the data that is not censored from sending.

51. (Previously presented) The method of claim 17, further including:

determining whether at least one of the first and the second user identities, individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia; and

sending the data that is not censored from sending.

52. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

53. (Previously presented) The method of claim 2, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

54. (Previously presented) The method of claim 3, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

55. (Previously presented) The method of claim 4, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

56. (Previously presented) The method of claim 5, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

57. (Previously presented) The method of claim 6, further including

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determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

58. (Previously presented) The method of claim 7, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

59. (Previously presented) The method of claim 8, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

60. (Previously presented) The method of claim 9, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

61. (Previously presented) The method of claim 10, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

62. (Previously presented) The method of claim 11, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

63. (Previously presented) The method of claim 12, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

64. (Previously presented) The method of claim 13, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

65. (Previously presented) The method of claim 14, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

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66. (Previously presented) The method of claim 15, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

67. (Previously presented) The method of claim 16, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

68. (Previously presented) The method of claim 17, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

69. (Previously presented) The method of claim 52, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

70. (Previously presented) The method of claim 53, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

71. (Previously presented) The method of claim 54, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

72. (Previously presented) The method of claim 55, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

73. (Previously presented) The method of claim 56, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

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74. (Previously presented) The method of claim 57, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

75. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether a parameter corresponding to the first user identity has been determined by an other of the user identities.

76. (Previously presented) The method of claim 2, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether a parameter corresponding to the first user identity has been determined by an other of the user identities.

77. (Previously presented) The method of claim 3, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether a parameter corresponding to the first user identity has been determined by an other of the user identities.

78. (Previously presented) The method of claim 4, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether a parameter corresponding to the first user identity has been determined by an other of the user identities.

79. (Previously presented) The method of claim 5, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is

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censored from data includes determining whether a parameter corresponding to the first user identity has been determined by an other of the user identities.

80. (Previously presented) The method of claim 6, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether a parameter corresponding to the first user identity has been determined by an other of the user identities.

81. (Previously presented) The method of claim 7, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether a parameter corresponding to the first user identity has been determined by an other of the user identities.

82. (Previously presented) The method of claim 8, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether a parameter corresponding to the first user identity has been determined by an other of the user identities.

83. (Previously presented) The method of claim 9, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether a parameter corresponding to the first user identity has been determined by an other of the user identities.

84. (Previously presented) The method of claim 10, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is

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censored from data includes determining whether a parameter corresponding to the first user identity has been determined by an other of the user identities.

85. (Previously presented) The method of claim 11, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether a parameter corresponding to the first user identity has been determined by an other of the user identities.

86. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

87. (Previously presented) The method of claim 2, wherein the determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

88. (Previously presented) The method of claim 3, wherein the determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

89. (Previously presented) The method of claim 4, wherein the determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

90. (Previously presented) The method of claim 5, wherein the determining

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whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

91. (Previously presented) The method of claim 6, wherein the determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

92. (Previously presented) The method of claim 7, wherein the determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

93. (Previously presented) The method of claim 8, wherein the determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

94. (Previously presented) The method of claim 9, wherein the determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

95. (Previously presented) The method of claim 10, wherein the determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

96. (Previously presented) The method of claim 11, wherein the determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a

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group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

97. (Previously presented) The method of claim 12, wherein the determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

98. (Previously presented) The method of claim 13, wherein the determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

99. (Previously presented) The method of claim 14, wherein the determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

100. (Previously presented) The method of claim 15, wherein the determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

101. (Previously presented) The method of claim 16, wherein the determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

102. (Previously presented) The method of claim 17, wherein the determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

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103. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

104. (Previously presented) The method of claim 2, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

105. (Previously presented) The method of claim 3, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

106. (Previously presented) The method of claim 4, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

107. (Previously presented) The method of claim 5, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

108. (Previously presented) The method of claim 6, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

109. (Previously presented) The method of claim 7, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

110. (Previously presented) The method of claim 8, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

111. (Previously presented) The method of claim 9, further including

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determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

112. (Previously presented) The method of claim 10, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

113. (Previously presented) The method of claim 11, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

114. (Previously presented) The method of claim 12, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

115. (Previously presented) The method of claim 13, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

116. (Previously presented) The method of claim 14, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

117. (Previously presented) The method of claim 15, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

118. (Previously presented) The method of claim 16, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

119. (Previously presented) The method of claim 17, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

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120. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

121. (Previously presented) The method of claim 2, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

122. (Previously presented) The method of claim 7, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

123. (Previously presented) The method of claim 8, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

124. (Previously presented) The method of claim 9, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

125. (Previously presented) The method of claim 13, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

126. (Previously presented) The method of claim 14, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

127. (Previously presented) The method of claim 15, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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128. (Previously presented) The method of claim 17, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

129. (Previously presented) The method of claim 18, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

130. (Previously presented) The method of claim 19, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

131. (Previously presented) The method of claim 24, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

132. (Previously presented) The method of claim 25, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

133. (Previously presented) The method of claim 26, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

134. (Previously presented) The method of claim 30, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

135. (Previously presented) The method of claim 31, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

136. (Previously presented) The method of claim 32, wherein the pointer is a

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pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

137. (Previously presented) The method of claim 34, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

138. (Previously presented) The method of claim 35, wherein the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

139. (Previously presented) The method of claim 36, wherein the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

140. (Previously presented) The method of claim 41, wherein the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

141. (Previously presented) The method of claim 42, wherein the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

142. (Previously presented) The method of claim 43, wherein the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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143. (Previously presented) The method of claim 47, wherein the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

144. (Previously presented) The method of claim 48, wherein the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

145. (Previously presented) The method of claim 49, wherein the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

146. (Previously presented) The method of claim 51, wherein the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

147. (Previously presented) The method of claim 52, wherein the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

148. (Previously presented) The method of claim 53, wherein the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

149. (Previously presented) The method of claim 58, wherein the pointer is a

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pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

150. (Previously presented) The method of claim 59, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

151. (Previously presented) The method of claim 60, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

152. (Previously presented) The method of claim 64, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

153. (Previously presented) The method of claim 65, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

154. (Previously presented) The method of claim 66, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

155. (Previously presented) The method of claim 68, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

156. (Previously presented) The method of claim 69, wherein the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

157. (Previously presented) The method of claim 70, wherein the data that is

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censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

158. (Previously presented) The method of claim 75, wherein the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

159. (Previously presented) The method of claim 76, wherein the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

160. (Previously presented) The method of claim 77, wherein the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

161. (Previously presented) The method of claim 81, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

162. (Previously presented) The method of claim 82, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

163. (Previously presented) The method of claim 83, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

164. (Previously presented) The method of claim 85, wherein the data that is

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censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

165. (Withdrawn) A method of operating a system to receive a communication via an Internet network, the method including:

connecting a plurality of computers to a computer system;

sending, from each of the plurality of computers, a respective login name and a password corresponding to a respective user identity;

communicating a message comprised of a pointer, from a first of the plurality of computers to the computer system;

communicating the message from the computer system to a second of the plurality of computers; and

receiving via the pointer a communication from the first of the plurality of computers at the second of the plurality of computers, the communication being sent in real time and via the Internet network, the communication including data representing at least one of video, a graphic, sound, or multimedia.

166. (Previously presented) The method of claim 86, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

167. (Previously presented) The method of claim 87, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

168. (Previously presented) The method of claim 92, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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169. (Previously presented) The method of claim 93, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

170. (Currently amended) A method of communicating via an Internet network, the method including:

connecting a plurality of computers to a computer system;

~~sending~~ receiving, from each of the plurality of computers, a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity;

determining whether a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities are able to form a group for sending and for receiving communications in real time;

determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data in the communications, the data representing at least one of a pointer, video, audio, a graphic or multimedia; and

if the first and the second user identities are able to form the group, then forming the group, facilitating sending the communications that are not censored based on the individual user identity~~,~~ and facilitating receiving the communications that are sent, wherein the receiving is in real time and via the Internet network.

171. (Previously presented) The method of claim 94, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

172. (Previously presented) The method of claim 98, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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173. (Previously presented) The method of claim 99, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

174. (Previously presented) The method of claim 100, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

175. (Previously presented) The method of claim 102, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

176. (Previously presented) The method of claim 103, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

177. (Previously presented) The method of claim 104, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

178. (Previously presented) The method of claim 109, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

179. (Previously presented) The method of claim 110, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

180. (Previously presented) The method of claim 111, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

181. (Previously presented) The method of claim 115, wherein the pointer is a

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pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

182. (Previously presented) The method of claim 116, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

183. (Previously presented) The method of claim 117, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

184. (Previously presented) The method of claim 119, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

185. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein receiving the communications includes causing presentation of some of the communications by one of the plurality of computers in the group.

186. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, further including, when the data is censored, not receiving the communications that are censored based on the individual user identity, and not presenting the data that is censored to the corresponding output device.

187. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the computer system is comprised of an Internet service provider computer system.

188. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, further including:

storing, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical multimedia; and

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based on the authorization, presenting the graphical multimedia at the output device corresponding to the second user identity.

189. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, further including:

providing the first user identity with access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity.

190. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, further including:

determining whether the first user identity is censored from access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity;

if the first user identity is censored, not allowing access to the member-associated image; and

if the first user identity is not censored, allowing access to the member-associated image.

191. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data includes wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data representing a pointer.

192. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data includes wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data

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representing video.

193. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data includes wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data representing audio.

194. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data includes wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data representing a graphic.

195. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data includes wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data representing multimedia.

196. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data includes wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data representing a pointer and video.

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197. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data includes wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data representing a pointer and audio.

198. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data includes wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data representing a pointer and a graphic.

199. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data includes wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data representing video and audio.

200. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data includes wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data representing video and a graphic.

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201. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data includes wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data representing audio and a graphic.

202. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data includes wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data representing a pointer and video and audio.

203. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data includes wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data representing a pointer and video and a graphic.

204. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data includes wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data representing a pointer and audio and a graphic.

205. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the determining

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whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data includes wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data representing video and audio and a graphic.

206. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data includes wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data representing a pointer and video and audio and a graphic.

207. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

208. (Previously presented) The method of claim 191, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

209. (Previously presented) The method of claim 192, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

210. (Previously presented) The method of claim 193, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

211. (Previously presented) The method of claim 194, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

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212. (Previously presented) The method of claim 195, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

213. (Previously presented) The method of claim 196, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

214. (Previously presented) The method of claim 197, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

215. (Previously presented) The method of claim 198, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

216. (Previously presented) The method of claim 199, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

217. (Previously presented) The method of claim 200, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

218. (Previously presented) The method of claim 201, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

219. (Previously presented) The method of claim 202, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

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220. (Previously presented) The method of claim 203, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

221. (Previously presented) The method of claim 204, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

222. (Previously presented) The method of claim 205, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

223. (Previously presented) The method of claim 206, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

224. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

225. (Previously presented) The method of claim 191, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

226. (Previously presented) The method of claim 192, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

227. (Previously presented) The method of claim 193, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

228. (Previously presented) The method of claim 194, further including

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determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

229. (Previously presented) The method of claim 195, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

230. (Previously presented) The method of claim 196, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

231. (Previously presented) The method of claim 197, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

232. (Previously presented) The method of claim 198, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

233. (Previously presented) The method of claim 199, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

234. (Previously presented) The method of claim 200, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

235. (Previously presented) The method of claim 201, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

236. (Previously presented) The method of claim 202, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

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237. (Previously presented) The method of claim 203, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

238. (Previously presented) The method of claim 204, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

239. (Previously presented) The method of claim 205, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

240. (Previously presented) The method of claim 206, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content

241. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the determining whether the first user identity and the second user identity are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

242. (Previously presented) The method of claim 191, wherein the determining whether the first user identity and the second user identity are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

243. (Previously presented) The method of claim 192, wherein the determining whether the first user identity and the second user identity are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

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244. (Previously presented) The method of claim 193, wherein the determining whether the first user identity and the second user identity are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

245. (Previously presented) The method of claim 194, wherein the determining whether the first user identity and the second user identity are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

246. (Previously presented) The method of claim 195, wherein the determining whether the first user identity and the second user identity are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

247. (Previously presented) The method of claim 196, wherein the determining whether the first user identity and the second user identity are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

248. (Previously presented) The method of claim 197, wherein the determining whether the first user identity and the second user identity are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

249. (Previously presented) The method of claim 198, wherein the determining whether the first user identity and the second user identity are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

250. (Previously presented) The method of claim 199, wherein the

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determining whether the first user identity and the second user identity are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

251. (Previously presented) The method of claim 200, wherein the determining whether the first user identity and the second user identity are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

252. (Previously presented) The method of claim 201, wherein the determining whether the first user identity and the second user identity are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

253. (Previously presented) The method of claim 202, wherein the determining whether the first user identity and the second user identity are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

254. (Previously presented) The method of claim 203, wherein the determining whether the first user identity and the second user identity are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

255. (Previously presented) The method of claim 204, wherein the determining whether the first user identity and the second user identity are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

256. (Previously presented) The method of claim 205, wherein the determining whether the first user identity and the second user identity are able to form a group

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includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

257. (Previously presented) The method of claim 206, wherein the determining whether the first user identity and the second user identity are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

258. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

259. (Previously presented) The method of claim 191, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

260. (Previously presented) The method of claim 192, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

261. (Previously presented) The method of claim 193, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

262. (Previously presented) The method of claim 194, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

263. (Previously presented) The method of claim 195, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

264. (Previously presented) The method of claim 196, further including

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determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

265. (Previously presented) The method of claim 197, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

266. (Previously presented) The method of claim 198, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

267. (Previously presented) The method of claim 199, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

268. (Previously presented) The method of claim 200, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

269. (Previously presented) The method of claim 201, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

270. (Previously presented) The method of claim 202, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

271. (Previously presented) The method of claim 203, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

272. (Previously presented) The method of claim 204, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

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273. (Previously presented) The method of claim 205, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

274. (Previously presented) The method of claim 206, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

275. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing a human communication of sound.

276. (Previously presented) The method of claim 191, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing a human communication of sound.

277. (Previously presented) The method of claim 192, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing a human communication of sound.

278. (Previously presented) The method of claim 193, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing a human communication of sound.

279. (Previously presented) The method of claim 194, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing a human communication of sound.

280. (Previously presented) The method of claim 195, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing a human communication of sound.

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281. (Previously presented) The method of claim 196, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing a human communication of sound.

282. (Previously presented) The method of claim 197, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing a human communication of sound.

283. (Previously presented) The method of claim 198, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing a human communication of sound.

284. (Previously presented) The method of claim 199, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing a human communication of sound.

285. (Previously presented) The method of claim 200, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing a human communication of sound.

286. (Previously presented) The method of claim 201, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing a human communication of sound.

287. (Previously presented) The method of claim 202, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing a human communication of sound.

288. (Previously presented) The method of claim 203, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing a human communication of sound.

289. (Previously presented) The method of claim 204, wherein at least

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one of the communications includes data representing a human communication of sound.

290. (Previously presented) The method of claim 205, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing a human communication of sound.

291. (Previously presented) The method of claim 206, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing a human communication of sound.

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309. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the computer system is comprised of an Internet service provider computer system.

310. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, further including:

storing, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical multimedia; and

based on the authorization, presenting the graphical multimedia at the output device corresponding to the second user identity.

311. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, further including:

providing the first user identity with access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity.

312. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, further including:

determining whether the first user identity is censored from access to a member-

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associated image corresponding to the second user identity;

if the first user identity is censored, not allowing access to the member-associated image; and

if the first user identity is not censored, allowing access to the member-associated image.

313. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the data represents a pointer that a pointer-triggered message on demand.

314. (Previously presented) The method of claim 191, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

315. (Previously presented) The method of claim 196, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

316. (Previously presented) The method of claim 197, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

317. (Previously presented) The method of claim 198, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

318. (Previously presented) The method of claim 202, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

319. (Previously presented) The method of claim 203, wherein the pointer

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is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

320. (Previously presented) The method of claim 204, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

321. (Previously presented) The method of claim 206, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

322. (Previously presented) The method of claim 207, wherein the data represents a pointer that a pointer-triggered message on demand.

323. (Previously presented) The method of claim 208, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

324. (Previously presented) The method of claim 213, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

325. (Previously presented) The method of claim 214, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

326. (Previously presented) The method of claim 215, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

327. (Previously presented) The method of claim 219, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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328. (Previously presented) The method of claim 220, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

329. (Previously presented) The method of claim 221, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

330. (Previously presented) The method of claim 223, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

331. (Previously presented) The method of claim 224, wherein the data represents a pointer that a pointer-triggered message on demand.

332. (Previously presented) The method of claim 225, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

333. (Previously presented) The method of claim 230, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

334. (Previously presented) The method of claim 231, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

335. (Previously presented) The method of claim 232, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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336. (Previously presented) The method of claim 236, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

337. (Previously presented) The method of claim 237, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

338. (Previously presented) The method of claim 238, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

339. (Previously presented) The method of claim 240, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

340. (Previously presented) The method of claim 241, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

341. (Previously presented) The method of claim 242, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

342. (Previously presented) The method of claim 247, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

343. (Previously presented) The method of claim 248, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

344. (Previously presented) The method of claim 249, wherein the pointer

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is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

345. (Previously presented) The method of claim 253, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

346. (Previously presented) The method of claim 254, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

347. (Previously presented) The method of claim 255, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

348. (Previously presented) The method of claim 257, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

349. (Previously presented) The method of claim 258, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

350. (Previously presented) The method of claim 259, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

351. (Previously presented) The method of claim 264, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

352. (Previously presented) The method of claim 265, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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353. (Previously presented) The method of claim 266, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

354. (Previously presented) The method of claim 270, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

355. (Previously presented) The method of claim 271, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

356. (Previously presented) The method of claim 272, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

357. (Previously presented) The method of claim 274, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

358. (Previously presented) The method of claim 275, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

359. (Previously presented) The method of claim 276, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

360. (Previously presented) The method of claim 281, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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361. (Previously presented) The method of claim 282, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

362. (Previously presented) The method of claim 283, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

363. (Previously presented) The method of claim 287, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

364. (Previously presented) The method of claim 288, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

365. (Previously presented) The method of claim 289, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

366. (Previously presented) The method of claim 291, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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376. (Previously presented) The method of claim 309, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

377. (Previously presented) The method of claim 310, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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378. (Previously presented) The method of claim 311, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

379. (Previously presented) The method of claim 312, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

380. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the data represents a pointer.

381. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the data represents video.

382. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the data represents audio.

383. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the data represents a graphic.

384. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the data represents multimedia.

385. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the data represents a pointer and video.

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386. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the data represents a pointer and audio.

387. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the data represents a pointer and a graphic.

388. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the data represents video and audio.

389. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the data represents video and a graphic.

390. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the data represents audio and a graphic.

391. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the data represents a pointer and video and audio.

392. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the data represents a pointer and video and a graphic.

393. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the data represents a pointer and audio and a graphic.

394. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the data

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represents video and audio and a graphic.

395. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the data represents a pointer and video and audio and a graphic.

396. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

397. (Previously presented) The system of claim 380, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

398. (Previously presented) The system of claim 381, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

399. (Previously presented) The system of claim 382, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

400. (Previously presented) The system of claim 383, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

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401. (Previously presented) The system of claim 384, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

402. (Previously presented) The system of claim 385, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

403. (Previously presented) The system of claim 386, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

404. (Previously presented) The system of claim 387, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

405. (Previously presented) The system of claim 388, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

406. (Previously presented) The system of claim 389, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

407. (Previously presented) The system of claim 390, wherein the

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computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

408. (Previously presented) The system of claim 391, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

409. (Withdrawn) A method of communicating via an Internet network, the method including:

connecting a plurality of computers to a computer system via the Internet network;

sending, from each of said plurality of computers, a login name and a password corresponding to a respective user identity;

determining which of the plurality of computers can communicate communications with at least one other of the plurality of computers,

receiving at least some of the communications in real time via the Internet network; and

providing, to at least one of the plurality of computers under control of the computer system, a member-associated image and member identity information corresponding to one of the user identities.

410. (Previously presented) The system of claim 392, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

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411. (Previously presented) The system of claim 393, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

412. (Previously presented) The system of claim 394, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

413. (Previously presented) The system of claim 395, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

414. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia, and

send the communications that are not censored from sending.

415. (Previously presented) The system of claim 380, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia, and

send the communications that are not censored from sending.

416. (Previously presented) The system of claim 381, wherein the

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computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia, and

send the communications that are not censored from sending.

417. (Previously presented) The system of claim 382, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia, and

send the communications that are not censored from sending.

418. (Previously presented) The system of claim 383, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia, and

send the communications that are not censored from sending.

419. (Previously presented) The system of claim 384, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia, and

send the communications that are not censored from sending.

420. (Previously presented) The system of claim 385, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the first user

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identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia, and

send the communications that are not censored from sending.

421. (Previously presented) The system of claim 386, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia, and

send the communications that are not censored from sending.

422. (Previously presented) The system of claim 387, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia, and

send the communications that are not censored from sending.

423. (Previously presented) The system of claim 388, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia, and

send the communications that are not censored from sending.

424. (Previously presented) The system of claim 389, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending the communications

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data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia, and

send the communications that are not censored from sending.

425. (Previously presented) The system of claim 390, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia, and

send the communications that are not censored from sending.

426. (Previously presented) The system of claim 391, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia, and

send the communications that are not censored from sending.

427. (Previously presented) The system of claim 392, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia, and

send the communications that are not censored from sending.

428. (Previously presented) The system of claim 393, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia, and

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send the communications that are not censored from sending.

429. (Previously presented) The system of claim 394, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia, and

send the communications that are not censored from sending.

430. (Previously presented) The system of claim 395, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia, and

send the communications that are not censored from sending.

431. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.

432. (Previously presented) The system of claim 380, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.

433. (Previously presented) The system of claim 381, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.

434. (Previously presented) The system of claim 382, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.

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435. (Currently amended) A system to communicate over an Internet network, the system including:

a plurality of computers connected to a computer system, each of the plurality of computers being connected to a respective input device and a respective output device, the computer system being programmed to: form a group, responsive to each of the plurality of computers sending a respective login name and a password corresponding to a respective user identity, each said user identity corresponding to a respective particular user's stored access rights, the group corresponding to a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities, each member of the group being capable of sending and receiving communications in real time,

determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored by the corresponding user's stored access rights from data representing a pointer, video, audio, a graphic, or multimedia,

cause the plurality of computers in the group to receive, in real time via the Internet network, the communications that are not censored ~~based on the individual user identity~~, and

cause any of the plurality of computers in the group to not present the data that is censored ~~based on the individual user identity~~ to the corresponding output device.

436. (Previously presented) The system of claim 383, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.

437. (Previously presented) The system of claim 384, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.

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438. (Previously presented) The system of claim 385, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.

439. (Previously presented) The system of claim 386, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.

440. (Previously presented) The system of claim 387, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.

441. (Previously presented) The system of claim 388, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.

442. (Previously presented) The system of claim 389, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.

443. (Previously presented) The system of claim 390, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.

444. (Previously presented) The system of claim 391, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.

445. (Previously presented) The system of claim 392, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.

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446. (Previously presented) The system of claim 393, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.

447. (Previously presented) The system of claim 394, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.

448. (Previously presented) The system of claim 395, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.

449. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the computer system is comprised of an Internet service provider.

450. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the computer system is further programmed to:

store, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical data, and

based on the authorization, allow the graphical data to be presented at the output device corresponding to the second user identity.

451. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the computer system is further programmed to:

provide the first user identity with access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity.

452. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the

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computer system is further programmed to:

determine whether the first user identity is censored from access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity,

If the first user identity is censored, not allowing access to member-associated image, and

If the first user identity is not censored, allow access to the member-associated image.

453. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

454. (Previously presented) The system of claim 380, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

455. (Previously presented) The system of claim 385, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

456. (Previously presented) The system of claim 386, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

457. (Previously presented) The system of claim 387, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

458. (Previously presented) The system of claim 391, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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459. (Previously presented) The system of claim 392, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

460. (Previously presented) The system of claim 393, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

461. (Previously presented) The system of claim 395, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

462. (Previously presented) The system of claim 396, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

463. (Previously presented) The system of claim 397, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

464. (Previously presented) The system of claim 402, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

465. (Previously presented) The system of claim 403, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

466. (Previously presented) The system of claim 404, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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467. (Previously presented) The system of claim 408, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

468. (Previously presented) The system of claim 410, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

469. (Previously presented) The system of claim 411, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

470. (Previously presented) The system of claim 413, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

471. (Previously presented) The system of claim 414, wherein the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

472. (Previously presented) The system of claim 415, wherein the data that represents the pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

473. (Previously presented) The system of claim 420, wherein the data that represents the pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

474. (Previously presented) The system of claim 421, wherein the data that represents the pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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475. (Previously presented) The system of claim 422, wherein the data that represents the pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

476. (Previously presented) The system of claim 426, wherein the data that represents the pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

477. (Previously presented) The system of claim 427, wherein the data that represents the pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

478. (Previously presented) The system of claim 428, wherein the data that represents the pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

479. (Previously presented) The system of claim 430, wherein the data that represents the pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

480. (Previously presented) The system of claim 431, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

481. (Previously presented) The system of claim 432, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

482. (Previously presented) The system of claim 438, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

483. (Previously presented) The system of claim 439, wherein the pointer

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is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

484. (Previously presented) The system of claim 440, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

485. (Previously presented) The system of claim 444, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

486. (Previously presented) The system of claim 445, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

487. (Previously presented) The system of claim 446, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

488. (Previously presented) The system of claim 448, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

489. (Previously presented) The system of claim 449, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

490. (Previously presented) The system of claim 450, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

491. (Previously presented) The system of claim 451, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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492. (Previously presented) The system of claim 452, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

493. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the data represents a pointer.

494. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein data represents video.

495. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the data represents audio.

496. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the data represents a graphic.

497. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the data represents multimedia.

498. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the data represents a pointer and video.

499. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the data represents a pointer and audio.

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500. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the data represents a pointer and a graphic.

501. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the data represents video and audio.

502. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the data represents video and a graphic.

503. (Cancelled)

504. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the data represents a pointer and video and a audio.

505. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the data represents a pointer and video and a graphic.

506. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the data represents a pointer and audio and a graphic.

507. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the data represents video and audio and a graphic.

508. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the data represents a pointer and video and audio and a graphic.

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509. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

510. (Previously presented) The system of claim 493, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

511. (Previously presented) The system of claim 494, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

512. (Previously presented) The system of claim 495, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

513. (Previously presented) The system of claim 496, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

514. (Previously presented) The system of claim 497, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

515. (Previously presented) The system of claim 498, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

516. (Previously presented) The system of claim 499, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

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517. (Previously presented) The system of claim 500, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

518. (Previously presented) The system of claim 501, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

519. (Previously presented) The system of claim 502, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

520. (Cancelled)

521. (Previously presented) The system of claim 504, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

522. (Previously presented) The system of claim 505, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

523. (Previously presented) The system of claim 506, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

524. (Previously presented) The system of claim 507, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

525. (Previously presented) The system of claim 508, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

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526. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

527. (Previously presented) The system of claim 493, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

528. (Previously presented) The system of claim 494, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

529. (Previously presented) The system of claim 495, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

530. (Previously presented) The system of claim 496, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

531. (Previously presented) The system of claim 497, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

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532. (Previously presented) The system of claim 498, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

533. (Previously presented) The system of claim 499, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

534. (Previously presented) The system of claim 500, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

535. (Previously presented) The system of claim 501, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

536. (Previously presented) The system of claim 502, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

537. (Cancelled)

538. (Previously presented) The system of claim 504, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

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539. (Previously presented) The system of claim 505, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

540. (Previously presented) The system of claim 506, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

541. (Previously presented) The system of claim 507, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

542. (Previously presented) The system of claim 508, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

543. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein at least one of the communications includes a human communication of sound.

544. (Previously presented) The system of claim 493, wherein at least one of the communications includes a human communication of sound.

545. (Previously presented) The system of claim 494, wherein at least one of the communications includes a human communication of sound.

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546. (Previously presented) The system of claim 495, wherein at least one of the communications includes a human communication of sound.

547. (Previously presented) The system of claim 496, wherein at least one of the communications includes a human communication of sound.

548. (Previously presented) The system of claim 497, wherein at least one of the communications includes a human communication of sound.

549. (Previously presented) The system of claim 498, wherein at least one of the communications includes a human communication of sound.

550. (Previously presented) The system of claim 499, wherein at least one of the communications includes a human communication of sound.

551. (Previously presented) The system of claim 500, wherein at least one of the communications includes a human communication of sound.

552. (Previously presented) The system of claim 501, wherein at least one of the communications includes a human communication of sound.

553. (Previously presented) The system of claim 502, wherein at least one of the communications includes a human communication of sound.

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554. (Cancelled) ~~The system of claim 503, wherein at least one of the communications includes a human communication of sound.~~

555. (Previously presented) The system of claim 504, wherein at least one of the communications includes a human communication of sound.

556. (Previously presented) The system of claim 505, wherein at least one of the communications includes a human communication of sound.

557. (Previously presented) The system of claim 506, wherein at least one of the communications includes a human communication of sound.

558. (Previously presented) The system of claim 507, wherein at least one of the communications includes a human communication of sound.

559. (Previously presented) The system of claim 508, wherein at least one of the communications includes a human communication of sound.

560. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether neither of the first user identity and the second user identity is censored from the group.

561. (Previously presented) The system of claim 493, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether neither of the first user identity and the second user identity is censored from the group.

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562. (Previously presented) The system of claim 494, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether neither of the first user identity and the second user identity is censored from the group.

563. (Previously presented) The system of claim 495, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether neither of the first user identity and the second user identity is censored from the group.

564. (Previously presented) The system of claim 496, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether neither of the first user identity and the second user identity is censored from the group.

565. (Previously presented) The system of claim 497, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether neither of the first user identity and the second user identity is censored from the group.

566. (Previously presented) The system of claim 498, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether neither of the first user identity and the second user identity is censored from the group.

567. (Previously presented) The system of claim 499, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether neither of the first user identity and the second user identity is censored from the group.

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568. (Previously presented) The system of claim 500, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether neither of the first user identity and the second user identity is censored from the group.

569. (Previously presented) The system of claim 501, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether neither of the first user identity and the second user identity is censored from the group.

570. (Previously presented) The system of claim 502, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether neither of the first user identity and the second user identity is censored from the group.

571. (Cancelled)

572. (Previously presented) The system of claim 504, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether neither of the first user identity and the second user identity is censored from the group.

573. (Previously presented) The system of claim 505, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether neither of the first user identity and the second user identity is censored from the group.

574. (Previously presented) The system of claim 506, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether neither of the first user identity and the second user identity is censored from the group.

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575. (Previously presented) The system of claim 507, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether neither of the first user identity and the second user identity is censored from the group.

576. (Previously presented) The system of claim 508, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether neither of the first user identity and the second user identity is censored from the group.

577. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether neither of the first user identity and the second user identity is censored from the group.

578. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the computer system is further programmed to:

store, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical data; and

based on the authorization, allow the graphical data to be presented at the output device corresponding to the second user identity.

579. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the computer system is further programmed to:

provide the first user identity with access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity.

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580. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the computer system is further programmed to:

determine whether the first user identity is censored from access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity,

if the first user identity is censored, not allow access to the member-associated image, and

if the first user identity is not censored, allow access to the member-associated image.

581. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

582. (Previously presented) The system of claim 493, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

583. (Previously presented) The system of claim 498, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

584. (Previously presented) The system of claim 499, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

585. (Previously presented) The system of claim 500, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

586. (Previously presented) The system of claim 504, wherein the pointer

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is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

587. (Previously presented) The system of claim 505, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

588. (Previously presented) The system of claim 506, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

589. (Previously presented) The system of claim 508, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

590. (Previously presented) The system of claim 509, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

591. (Previously presented) The system of claim 510, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

591. (Cancelled)

592. (Previously presented) The system of claim 516, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

593. (Previously presented) The system of claim 517, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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594. (Previously presented) The system of claim 521, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

595. (Previously presented) The system of claim 522, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

596. (Previously presented) The system of claim 523, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

597. (Previously presented) The system of claim 525, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

598. (Previously presented) The system of claim 526, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

599. (Withdrawn) A system to receive a communication via an Internet network, the system including:

a plurality of computers connected, responsive to each of the plurality of computers sending a respective login name and a password corresponding to a respective user identity, to a computer system;

a first of the plurality of computers being programmed to communicate to the computer system a message including a pointer pointing to a communication that includes data representing a video, a graphic, sound, or multimedia;

the computer system being programmed to communicate the message to a second of the plurality of computers; and

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the second computer being programmed to receive the communication originating from the first computer, the communication being sent in real time and via the Internet network.

600. (Previously presented) The system of claim 527, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

601. (Previously presented) The system of claim 532, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

602. (Previously presented) The system of claim 533, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

603. (Previously presented) The system of claim 534, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

604. (Currently amended) An Internet network communications system, the system including:

a plurality of computers connected, responsive to each of the plurality of computers sending a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity, to a computer system programmed to:

form a group corresponding to a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities, each member of the group being capable of sending and receiving communications in real time, and

determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user

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identity, individually, is censored from sending data within the communications, the data representing at least one of a pointer, video, audio, a graphic, or multimedia,

wherein the plurality of computers receives in real time and via the Internet network the communications that are not censored based on the individual user identity and do not send the data that is censored based on the individual user identity.

605. (Previously presented) The system of claim 538, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

606. (Previously presented) The system of claim 539, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

607. (Previously presented) The system of claim 540, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

608. (Previously presented) The system of claim 542, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

609. (Previously presented) The system of claim 543, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

610. (Previously presented) The system of claim 544, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

611. (Previously presented) The system of claim 549, wherein the pointer

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is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

612. (Previously presented) The system of claim 550, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

613. (Previously presented) The system of claim 551, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

614. (Previously presented) The system of claim 555, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

615. (Previously presented) The system of claim 556, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

616. (Previously presented) The system of claim 557, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

617. (Previously presented) The system of claim 559, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

618. (Previously presented) The system of claim 560, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

619. (Previously presented) The system of claim 561, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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620. (Previously presented) The system of claim 566, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

621. (Previously presented) The system of claim 567, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

622. (Previously presented) The system of claim 568, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

623. (Previously presented) The system of claim 572, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

624. (Previously presented) The system of claim 573, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

625. (Previously presented) The system of claim 574, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

626. (Previously presented) The system of claim 576, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

627. (Previously presented) The system of claim 577, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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628. (Previously presented) The system of claim 578, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

629. (Previously presented) The system of claim 579, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

630. (Previously presented) The system of claim 580, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

631. (Previously presented) The system of claim 515, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

632. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 165, further including:

determining that the message is not censored.

633. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 165, wherein the pointer is a pointer that causes the communication to be produced on demand.

634. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 165, wherein the communication includes data representing video.

635. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 165, wherein the communication includes data representing sound.

636. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 165, wherein the communication

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includes data representing sound and video.

637. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 165, wherein the communication includes data representing sound, and the sound includes a human communication of sound.

638. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 165, wherein the message includes data representing at least one of text or ascii.

639. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 165, wherein the communication includes data representing a member-associated image.

640. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 165, further including forming a chat channel via the Internet network, between at least two of the plurality of computers.

641. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 165, wherein at least one of the communicating steps includes communicating a message as an out-of-band communication.

642. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 165, further including:

determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

643. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 642, wherein the communication includes data representing sound.

644. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 642, wherein the communication includes data representing video.

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645. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 642, wherein the communication includes data representing sound and video.

646. (Withdrawn) The method system of claim 642, wherein the communication includes data representing sound, and the sound includes a human communication of sound.

647. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 642, wherein the message includes data representing at least one of text or ascii.

648. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 599, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine that the pointer is not censored.

649. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 599, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine that the message is not censored.

650. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 599, wherein the pointer produces the communication on demand.

651. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 599, wherein the communication includes data representing video.

652. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 599, wherein the communication includes data representing sound.

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653. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 599, wherein the communication includes data representing sound and video.

654. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 599, wherein the communication includes data representing sound, and the sound includes a human communication of sound.

655. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 599, wherein the message includes data representing at least one of text or ascii..

656. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 599, wherein the communication includes data representing a member-associated image.

657. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 599, wherein the computer system is further programmed to form a chat channel via the Internet network, between at least two of the plurality of computers.

658. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 599, wherein the computer system is further programmed to communicate the message as an out-of-band communication message.

659. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 599, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

660. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 659, wherein the communication includes data representing sound.

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661. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 659, wherein the communication includes data representing video.

662. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 659, wherein the communication includes data representing sound and video.

663. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 659, wherein the communication includes data representing sound, and the sound includes a human communication of sound.

664. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 659, wherein the message includes data representing at least one of text or ascii.

665. (Withdrawn) The authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications method of claim 917, further including:

determining whether the pointer is not censored.

666. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 917, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

667. (Withdrawn) The authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications method of claim 666, further including:

determining whether the data is not censored.

668. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 917, wherein the pointer produces

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the communication on demand.

669. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 917, wherein the communication includes data representing video.

670. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 917, wherein the communication includes data representing sound.

671. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 917, wherein the communication includes data representing sound and video.

672. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 917, wherein the communication includes data representing sound, and the sound includes a human communication of sound.

673. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 917, wherein the communication includes data representing a member-associated image.

674. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 917, further including allowing chat communication in real time via the Internet network.

675. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 917, further including communicating an out-of-band communication from the computer system to at least one of the plurality of computers.

676. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 917, further including communicating

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an asynchronous communication from the computer system to at least one of the plurality of computers.

677. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 917, wherein the step of receiving the communication includes receiving a synchronous communication.

678. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 677, wherein the communication includes data representing sound.

679. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 677, wherein the communication includes data representing video.

680. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 677, wherein the communication includes data representing sound and video.

681. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 677, wherein the communication includes data representing sound, and the sound includes a human communication of sound.

682. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 677, wherein the communication further includes data representing a member-associated image.

683. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 677, further including communicating an out-of-band communication from the computer system to at least one of the plurality of computers.

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684. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 677, further including communicating an asynchronous communication from the computer system to at least one of the plurality of computers.

685. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 918, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether the pointer is censored.

686. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 918, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether the data is censored.

687. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 918, wherein the pointer produces the communication on demand.

688. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 918, wherein the communication includes data representing video.

689. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 918, wherein the communication includes data representing sound.

690. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 918, wherein the communication includes data representing sound and video.

691. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 918, wherein the communication includes data representing sound, and the sound includes a human communication of sound.

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692. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 918, wherein the first computer is further programmed to communicate with the pointer data representing at least one of text or asci.

693. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 918, wherein the data includes data representing a member-associated image.

694. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 918, wherein the computer system is further programmed to allow chat communication for sending user messages, and receiving the user messages in real time via the Internet network.

695. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 918, wherein the computer system is further programmed to communicate out-of-band communication.

696. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 918, wherein the communication comprises an asynchronous communication.

697. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 696, wherein the communication includes data representing sound.

698. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 696, wherein the communication includes data representing video.

699. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 696, wherein the communication includes data representing sound and video.

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700. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 696, wherein the communication includes data representing sound, and the sound includes a human communication of sound.

701. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 696, wherein the communication comprises an asynchronous communication.

702. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 409, further including

determining a user's age corresponding to at least one of user identities.

703. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 702, further including censoring an unwanted communication from at least one of the user identities.

704. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 703, further including determining whether a first of the user identities is censored from access to the member-associated image corresponding to a second user identity,

if the first identity is censored, not allowing access to the member-associated, and

if the first user identity is not censored, allowing access to the member associated image.

705. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 702, further including:

communicating, under control of said computer system, an asynchronous message from one of the plurality of computers to another of the plurality of computers.

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706. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 702, wherein the receiving includes receiving chat communications within a chat group.

707. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 702, further including providing a private communications channel to at least some of the plurality of computers.

708. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 702, further including communicating data representing human communication of sound to at least some of the plurality of computers.

709. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 702, further including providing data representing video to at least some of the plurality of computers.

710. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 702, further including providing data representing sound to at least some of the plurality of computers.

711. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 702, wherein at least some of the communications include data representing text or ascii.

712. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 702, wherein at least some of the communications are communicated out-of-band.

713. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 702, wherein at least some of the communications include data representing multimedia.

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714. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 843, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine a user age corresponding to each said user identity.

715. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 714, wherein the computer system is further programmed to censor an unwanted communication from a member.

716. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 714, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether a first of the user identities is censored from access to a member-associated image corresponding to a second of the user identities,

if the first user identity is censored, not allowing access to the member-associated, and

if the first user identity is not censored, allowing access to the member associated image.

717. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 714, wherein the computer system is further programmed to communicate an asynchronous message from one of the plurality of computers to another of the plurality of computers.

718. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 714, wherein the computer system is further programmed to distribute the at least some of the communications among a chat group.

719. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 714, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide a private communication channel to at least some of the plurality of computers.

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720. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 714, wherein the computer system is further programmed to communicate data representing human communication of sound to at least some of the plurality of computers.

721. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 714, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide data representing video to at least some of the plurality of computers.

722. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 714, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide data representing video and sound to at least some of the plurality of computers.

723. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 714, wherein at least some of the communications include data representing text or asci.

724. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 714, wherein the computer system is further programmed to communicate out-of-band communication.

725. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 714, wherein at least some of the communications include multimedia.

726. (Previously presented) The method of claim 884, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing sound.

727. (Previously presented) The method of claim 884, wherein at least

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one of the communications includes data representing video.

728. (Previously presented) The method of claim 884, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing sound and video.

729. (Previously presented) The method of claim 884, further including:

storing, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical multimedia; and

based on the authorization, presenting the graphical multimedia at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the second user identity.

730. (Previously presented) The method of claim 726, further including:

storing, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical multimedia; and

based on the authorization, presenting the graphical multimedia at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the second user identity.

731. (Previously presented) The method of claim 727, further including:

storing, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical multimedia; and

based on the authorization, presenting the graphical multimedia at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the second user identity.

732. (Previously presented) The method of claim 884 based on the authorization, presenting the graphical multimedia data at the output device corresponding to

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the second user identity wherein one of the determining steps includes determining whether a parameter corresponding to the first user identity has been determined by a user corresponding to another of the user identities.

733. (Previously presented) The method of claim 729, wherein the graphical data includes graphical multimedia data.

734. (Previously presented) The method of claim 885, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing sound.

735. (Previously presented) The method of claim 885, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing video.

736. (Previously presented) The method of claim 885, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing sound and video.

737. (Previously presented) The method of claim 885, further including:

storing, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical multimedia; and

based on the authorization, presenting the graphical multimedia at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the second user identity.

738. (Previously presented) The method of claim 734, further including:

storing, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical multimedia; and

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based on the authorization, presenting the graphical multimedia at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the second user identity.

739. (Previously presented) The method of claim 735, further including:

storing, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical multimedia; and

based on the authorization, presenting the graphical multimedia at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the second user identity.

740. (Previously presented) The method of claim 736, further including:

storing, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical data; and

based on the authorization, presenting the graphical data at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the second user identity.

741. (Previously presented) The system of claim 891, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing sound.

742. (Previously presented) The system of claim 891, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing video.

743. (Previously presented) The system of claim 891, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing sound and video.

744. (Previously presented) The system of claim 891, wherein the

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computer system is further programmed to provide the computer corresponding to the first user identity with access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity.

745. (Previously presented) The system of claim 741, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide the computer corresponding to the first user identity with access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity.

746. (Previously presented) The system of claim 742, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide the computer corresponding to the first user identity with access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity.

747. (Previously presented) The system of claim 743, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide the computer corresponding to the first user identity with access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity.

748. (Previously presented) The system of claim 892, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing sound.

749. (Previously presented) The system of claim 892, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing video.

750. (Previously presented) The system of claim 892, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing sound and video.

751. (Previously presented) The system of claim 892, wherein the

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computer system is further programmed to provide the computer corresponding to the first user identity with access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity.

752. (Previously presented) The system of claim 748, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide the computer corresponding to the first user identity with access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity.

753. (Previously presented) The system of claim 749, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide the computer corresponding to the first user identity with access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity.

754. (Previously presented) The system of claim 750, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide the computer corresponding to the first user identity with access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity.

755. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 893, wherein at least one of the multimedia messages includes data representing sound.

756. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 893, wherein at least one of the multimedia messages includes data representing video.

757. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 893, wherein at least one of the multimedia messages includes data representing sound and video.

758. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 893, further including:

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storing, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical multimedia; and

based on the authorization, presenting the graphical multimedia at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the second user identity.

759. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 755, further including:

storing, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical multimedia; and

based on the authorization, presenting the graphical multimedia at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the second user identity.

760. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 756, further including:

storing, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical multimedia; and

based on the authorization, presenting the graphical multimedia at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the second user identity.

761. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 757, further including:

storing, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical multimedia; and

based on the authorization, presenting the graphical multimedia at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the second user identity.

762. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 894, wherein the data includes data representing sound.

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763. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 894, wherein the data includes data representing video.

764. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 894, the data includes data representing sound and video.

765. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 894, further including:

storing, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical multimedia; and

based on the authorization, presenting the graphical multimedia at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the second user identity.

766. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 762, further including:

storing, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical multimedia; and

based on the authorization, presenting the graphical multimedia at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the second user identity.

767. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 763, further including:

storing, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical multimedia; and

based on the authorization, presenting the graphical multimedia at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the second user identity.

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768. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 764, further including:

storing, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical multimedia; and

based on the authorization, presenting the graphical multimedia at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the second user identity.

769. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 895, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing sound.

770. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 895, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing video.

771. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 895, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing sound and video.

772. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 895, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide the computer corresponding to the first user identity with access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity.

773. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 769, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide the computer corresponding to the first user identity with access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity.

774. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 770, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide the computer corresponding to the first user identity with access

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to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity.

775. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 771, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide the computer corresponding to the first user identity with access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity.

776. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 896, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing sound.

777. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 896, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing video.

778. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 896, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing sound and video.

779. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 896, wherein the computer system is further programmed to:

store, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical data; and

based on the authorization, present the graphical data at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the second user identity.

780. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 776, wherein the computer system is further programmed to:

store, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of

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graphical data; and

based on the authorization, present the graphical data at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the second user identity.

781. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 777, wherein the computer system is further programmed to:

store, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical data; and

based on the authorization, present the graphical data at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the second user identity.

782. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 778, wherein the computer system is further programmed to:

store, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical data; and

based on the authorization, present the graphical data at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the second user identity.

783. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 871, wherein the computer system is programmed to allow the plurality of computers to communicate a type of data representing at least one of a pointer, video, audio, a graphic, or multimedia, the pointer being a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

784. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 783, wherein the type of data represents a pointer.

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785. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 783, wherein the type of data represents audio.

786. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 783, wherein the type of data represents video.

787. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 783, wherein the type of data represents a graphic.

788. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 783, wherein the type of data represents multimedia.

789. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 783, wherein the type of data represents a pointer and audio.

790. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 783, wherein the type of data represents a pointer and video.

791. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 783, wherein the type of data represents a pointer and a graphic.

792. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 783, wherein the type of data represents audio and video.

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793. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 783, wherein the type of data represents audio and a graphic.

794. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 783, wherein the type of data represents video and a graphic.

795. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 783, wherein the type of data represents a pointer and audio and video.

796. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 783, wherein the type of data represents a pointer and audio and a graphic.

797. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 783, wherein the type of data represents a pointer and video and a graphic.

798. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 783, wherein the type of data represents audio and video and a graphic.

799. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 783, wherein the type of data represents a pointer and audio and video and a graphic.

800. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 871, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide access to a member-associated image.

801. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 783, wherein the computer system is

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further programmed to provide access to a member-associated image.

802. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 784, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide access to a member-associated image.

803. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 785, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide access to a member-associated image.

804. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 786, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide access to a member-associated image.

805. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 787, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide access to a member-associated image.

806. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 788, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide access to a member-associated image.

807. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 789, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide access to a member-associated image.

808. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 790, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide access to a member-associated image.

809. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 791, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide access to a member-associated image.

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810. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 792, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide access to a member-associated image.

811. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 793, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide access to a member-associated image.

812. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 794, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide access to a member-associated image.

813. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 795, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide access to a member-associated image..

814. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 796, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide access to a member-associated image.

815. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 797, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide access to a member-associated image.

816. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 798, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide access to a member-associated image.

817. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 799, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide access to a member-associated image.

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818. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 876, further including:

responsive to the allowing the plurality of computers to communicate, receiving communications, at least one of the plurality of computers, the communications including data representing at least one of a pointer, video, audio, a graphic, or multimedia.

819. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 818, wherein the data represents a pointer.

820. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 818, wherein the data represents audio.

821. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 818, wherein the data represents video.

822. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 818, wherein the data represents a graphic.

823. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 818, wherein the data represents multimedia.

824. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 818, wherein the data represents a pointer and audio.

825. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 818, wherein the data represents a pointer and video.

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826. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 818, wherein the data represents a pointer and a graphic.

827. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 818, wherein the data represents audio and video.

828. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 818, wherein the data represents audio and a graphic.

829. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 818, wherein the data represents video and a graphic.

830. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 818, wherein the data represents a pointer and audio and video.

831. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 818, wherein the data represents a pointer and audio and a graphic.

832. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 818, wherein the data represents a pointer and video and a graphic.

833. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 818, wherein the data represents audio and video and a graphic.

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834. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 818, wherein the data represents a pointer and audio and video and a graphic.

835. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 818, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

836. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 819, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

837. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 824, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

838. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 825, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

839. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 826, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

840. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 830, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

841. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 831, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

842. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 832, wherein the pointer is a pointer

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that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

843. (Withdrawn) A communications system to distribute communication over an Internet network, the system including:

a plurality of participator computers connected, responsive to each of the plurality of computers sending a respective login name and a password corresponding to a respective user identity, to a computer system programmed to:

determine which of the plurality of computers can communicate communications with an other of the plurality of computers, wherein at least some of the communications are in real time via the Internet network, and

provide a member-associated image and member identity information respectively corresponding to one of the user identities to at least some of the plurality of computers.

844. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 834, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

845. (Previously presented) The system of claim 877, wherein the computer system is further programmed to:

send and receive communications between members in a group, the communications including data representing at least one of video, sound, a graphic, or multimedia, and

receive the communications in real time via the Internet network.

846. (Previously presented) The system of claim 845, wherein the data

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includes data representing sound.

847. (Previously presented) The system of claim 845, wherein the data includes data representing video.

848. (Previously presented) The system of claim 845, wherein the data includes data representing sound and video.

849. (Previously presented) The system of claim 845, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide the computer corresponding to the first user identity with access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity.

850. (Previously presented) The system of claim 846, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide the computer corresponding to the first user identity with access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity.

851. (Previously presented) The system of claim 847, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide the computer corresponding to the first user identity with access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity.

852. (Previously presented) The system of claim 848, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide the computer corresponding to the first user identity with access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity.

853. (Previously presented) The method of claim 878, further including

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sending and receiving communications between members in a group, the communications including data representing at least one of video, sound, a graphic, or multimedia, the receiving in real time via the Internet network.

854. (Previously presented) The method of claim 853, wherein the data represents sound.

855. (Previously presented) The method of claim 853, wherein the data represents video.

856. (Previously presented) The method of claim 853, wherein the data represents sound and video.

857. (Previously presented) The method of claim 878, further including sending and receiving communications between members in a group, the communications including data representing a member-associated image, sound, and video.

858. (Previously presented) The method of claim 878, further including:

store, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical multimedia; and

based on the authorization, present the graphical multimedia at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the second user identity.

859. (Previously presented) The method of claim 853, further including:

store, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of

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graphical multimedia; and

based on the authorization, present the graphical multimedia at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the second user identity.

860. (Previously presented) The method of claim 854, further including:

store, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical multimedia; and

based on the authorization, present the graphical multimedia at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the second user identity.

861. (Previously presented) The method of claim 855, further including:

store, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical multimedia; and

based on the authorization, present the graphical multimedia at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the second user identity.

862. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 901, wherein at least one of the multimedia messages includes data representing sound.

863. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 901, wherein at least one of the multimedia messages includes data representing video.

864. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 901, wherein at least one of the multimedia messages includes data representing sound and video.

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865. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 901, further including:

storing, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical multimedia; and

based on the authorization, presenting the graphical multimedia at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the second user identity.

866. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 862, further including:

storing, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical multimedia; and

based on the authorization, presenting the graphical multimedia at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the second user identity.

867. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 863, further including:

storing, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical multimedia; and

based on the authorization, presenting the graphical multimedia at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the second user identity.

868. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 864, further including:

storing, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical multimedia; and

based on the authorization, presenting the graphical multimedia at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the second user identity.

869. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 902, wherein at least one of the

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multimedia messages includes data representing sound.

870. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 902, wherein at least one of the multimedia messages includes data representing video.

871. (Withdrawn) An Internet network system, the system including:

a plurality of computers connected, responsive to each of the plurality of computers sending a respective login name and a password corresponding to a respective user identity, to a computer system programmed to:

store, for a first of the user identities, a respective authorization associated with graphical data, and

allow the plurality of computers to communicate in real time via the Internet network, and based on the authorization, cause the graphical data to be presented at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to a second of the user identities.

872. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 902, wherein at least one of the multimedia messages includes data representing sound and video.

873. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 902, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide the computer corresponding to the first user identity with access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity.

874. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 869, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide the computer corresponding to the first user identity with access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity.

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875. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 870, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide the computer corresponding to the first user identity with access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity.

876. (Withdrawn) A method of communicating over an Internet network, the method including:

connecting a plurality of computers, responsive to each of the plurality of computers sending a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity, to a computer system;

storing, for a first of the user identities, a respective authorization allowing or disallowing presentment of graphical multimedia; and

allowing the plurality of computers to communicate in real time via the Internet network, and based on the authorization, presenting the graphical multimedia at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to a second of the user identities

877. (Currently amended) An Internet network communication system, the system including:

a plurality of computers, each of the plurality of computers being connected to a respective input device and to a respective output device, the plurality of computers being connected, responsive to each of the plurality of computers sending a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity to a computer system programmed to:

store a respective particular user's access rights corresponding to each said user identity,

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respond to one of the plurality of the computers communicating a pointer in real time and via the Internet, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand, by determining whether a first of the user identities is censored by the user's stored access rights from content in the pointer-triggered message,

if the content is censored, disallow the pointer-triggered message from being presented at the output device of the computer corresponding to the first of the user identity, and

if the content is not censored, allow the pointer-triggered message to be presented at the output device of the computer corresponding to the first of the user identities.

878. (Currently amended) A method of communicating via an Internet network, the method including:

~~sending~~ receiving a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity, each said user identity corresponding to a respective particular user's stored access rights,~~;~~

~~after~~ the ~~sending,~~ receiving being carried out so as to connect~~ing~~ a plurality of computers to a computer system, wherein each of the plurality of computers ~~being~~ is connected to a respective input device and to a respective output device;

responsive to at least one of the plurality of computers communicating a pointer in real time and via the Internet, the pointer producing a pointer-triggered message on demand, determining whether a first of the user identities is censored by the corresponding user's stored access rights from content in the pointer-triggered message;

if the content is censored, disallowing the pointer-triggered message to be presented at the output device of the computer corresponding to the first of the user identities; and

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if the content is not censored, allowing the pointer-triggered message to be presented at the output device of the computer corresponding to the first of the user identities.

879. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 872, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide the computer corresponding to the first user identity with access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity.

880. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 909, wherein the at least one type includes at least one of text or ascii.

881. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 909, wherein the at least one type includes audio.

882. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 909, wherein the at least one type includes video.

883. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 909, wherein the at least one type includes a graphic.

884. (Currently amended) A method of communicating via an Internet network, the method including:

~~sending~~ receiving a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity, each said user identity corresponding to a respective particular user's stored access rights,~~;~~

~~after~~ the ~~sending,~~ receiving being carried out so as to connect~~ing~~ a plurality of

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computers to a computer system, wherein each of the plurality of computers ~~being~~ is connected to a respective input device and to a respective output device;

determining whether at least one of a first user identity and a second user identity, individually, is censored by the corresponding user's stored access rights, from receiving data comprising a pointer in communications that include at least one of text or ascii, the pointer being a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand;

determining whether the first and the second of the user identities are able to form a group; and

if the first and the second user identities are able to form the group, then forming the group for sending the communications, facilitating receiving and presenting the communications that are not censored based on the individual user identity, the receiving being in real time and over the Internet network, and not allowing the data that is censored to be presented at the output device corresponding to the user identity that is censored from receiving the data.

885. (Currently amended) A method of communicating via an Internet network, the method including:

connecting a computer system to a plurality of computers;

~~sending~~ receiving a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity from each of the plurality of computers;

determining whether a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities are able to form a group for sending and receiving communications in real time;

determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending a pointer in the communications including at least one of text or ascii, the pointer being a pointer that produces producing a pointer-triggered

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message on demand; and

if the first and the second user identities are able to form the group, then forming the group and facilitating sending and receiving the communications that are not censored based on the individual user identity, the receiving being in real time over the Internet network.

886. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 909, wherein the type further includes multimedia.

887. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 909, wherein the type further includes graphical multimedia.

888. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 909, wherein the type further includes a member-associated image.

889. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 909, wherein the type further includes a member-associated image and at least one of text or ascii.

890. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 909, wherein the type further includes audio and at least one of text or ascii.

891. (Currently amended) A system to communicate via an Internet network, the system including:

a plurality of participator computers, each of the plurality of computers being connected to a respective input device and to a respective output device, the plurality of computers being connected, responsive to each of the plurality of computers sending a

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respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity, to a computer system programmed to:

store a respective particular user's access rights corresponding to each said user identity,

form a group corresponding to a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities, each member of the group being capable of sending and receiving communications in real time,

determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored based on the corresponding user's access rights from receiving, in the communications, data comprising a pointer, the pointer producing a pointer-triggered message on demand, and

thereafter cause the computers to receive, in real time via the Internet network, and present the communications that are not censored ~~based on the individual user identity~~, and to not present the data that is censored at the output device corresponding to the user identity that is censored from receiving the data, wherein at least some of the communications include data representing at least text or ascii.

892. (Previously presented) A system to communicate via an Internet network, the system including:

a plurality of computers, each of the plurality of computers being connected to a respective input device and to a respective output device, the plurality of computers being connected, responsive to each of the plurality of computers sending a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity, to a computer system programmed to:

form a group corresponding to a first of the user identities and a second of the

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user identities, each member of the group being capable of sending and receiving communications in real time,

determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending, in the communications, a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand, and

thereafter cause the computers to receive, in real time via the Internet network, and present the communications that are not censored based on the individual user identity, and to not present the communications that are censored at the output device corresponding to the user identity that is censored from receiving the data, at least some of the communications including data representing at least text or ascii.

893. (Withdrawn) A method of communicating via an Internet network, the method including:

connecting a plurality of computers to a system;

sending, from each of the plurality of computers, a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity;

providing a first of the user identities access to a member-associated image and to member identity information respectively corresponding to a second of the user identities;

determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group for sending and for receiving communications in real time; and

if the first and the second user identities are able to form the group, forming the group, sending the communications, and receiving the communications in real time and via the Internet network, wherein at least some of the communications include data representing multimedia messages, and at least some of the multimedia messages include a pointer that

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produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

894. (Withdrawn) A method of communicating via an Internet network, the method including:

connecting a plurality of computers to a computer system;

sending a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity from each of the plurality of computers;

determining whether a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities are able to form a group for sending and for receiving communications in real time;

determining whether the first user identity is censored from access to a member-associated image and member identity information respectively corresponding to the second user identity;

if the first user identity is censored, not allowing access to the member-associated image;

if the first user identity is not censored, allowing access to the member-associated image; and

if the first and the second user identities are able to form the group, forming the group for sending the communications, and receiving the communications in real time and via the Internet network, wherein at least some of the communications include data representing at least one of a pointer, video, audio, graphic, or multimedia.

895. (Withdrawn) A system to communicate via an Internet network, the system including:

a plurality of computers communicatively connected, responsive to each of the computers sending a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user

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identity, to a computer system programmed to:

determine whether a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities are able to form a group for sending and for receiving communications in real time,

determine whether the first user identity is censored from access to a member-associated image and member identity information respectively corresponding to the second user identity,

if the first user identity is censored, not allow access to the member-associated image,

if the first user identity is not censored, allow access to the member-associated image, and

if the first and the second user identities are able to form the group, then form the group for sending the communications,

wherein the computers corresponding to the user identities of the formed group are programmed to receive the communications in real time and via the Internet network wherein at least some of the communications include data representing multimedia and at least some of the communications include a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

896. (Withdrawn) An Internet network communication system, the system including:

a plurality of computers connected, responsive to each of the plurality of computers sending a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity, to a computer system programmed to:

provide a first of the user identities access to a member-associated image corresponding to a second of the user identities,

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determine whether the first user identity is censored from access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity,

if the first user identity is censored, not allow access to the member-associated image,

if the first user identity is not censored, allow access to the member-associated image,

determine whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group for sending and for receiving communications in real time, and

if the first and the second user identities are able to form the group, form the group, wherein those of the plurality of computers corresponding to the first and the second user identities are programmed to send the communications and to receive the communications in real time and via the Internet network.

897. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 909, wherein the at least one type includes video and at least one of text or ascii.

898. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 909, wherein the at least one type includes graphic and at least one of text or ascii.

899. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 909, wherein the at least one type includes audio and video and at least one of text or ascii.

900. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 909, wherein the at least one type includes audio and a member-associated image.

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901. (Withdrawn) A method of communicating via an Internet network, the method including:

connecting a computer system with a plurality of computers;

sending, from each of the plurality of computers, a respective user identity associated with a login name and a password;

permitting at least a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities to form a group; and

communicating the communications in real time, via the Internet network, between the computers in the group, wherein at least some of the communications include data representing multimedia messages comprised of more than one data type, and at least some other of the communications include a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

902. (Withdrawn) A system to communicate via an Internet network, the system including:

a plurality of computers, responsive to each of the computers sending information indicative of a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity, to a computer system programmed to:

permit at least a first of the plurality of computers and a second of the plurality of computers to form a group for communicating communications in real time via the Internet network, wherein those of the plurality of computers in the group are programmed to receive the communications, at least some of the communications including data representing multimedia messages comprised of more than one data type, and at least some other of the communications including a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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903. (Withdrawn) A human communication system for controlling communication via an Internet network, the system including:

a plurality of computers connected, responsive to each of the plurality of computers sending a user identity associated with a login name and a password, to a computer system programmed to allow a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities to form a group to send and receive communications in real time and via the Internet network, wherein those of the plurality of computers in the group are programmed to receive communications, wherein at least some of the communications include a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand, at least some of the communications include data representing human communication of sound, and at least some of the communications include data representing at least one of text or ascii.

904. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 909, wherein the at least one type includes video and a member-associated image.

905. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 909, wherein the at least one type includes audio and a member-associated image and at least one of text or ascii.

906. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 909, wherein the at least one type includes multimedia and at least one of text or ascii.

907. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 909, wherein the at least one type includes the type including a pointer, a the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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908. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 880, wherein the at least one type includes the type including a pointer, a the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

909. (Withdrawn) A system of controlling communications via an Internet network, the system including:

a computer system programmed to:

connect a plurality of computers including a first computer in response to each of the plurality of computers sending information indicative of a respective login name and a respective password, which together correspond to a user identity,

store a set of privileges corresponding to each user identity,

determine whether the set of privileges corresponding to each user identity includes a privilege to communicate at least one type of message in real time via the Internet network, the type including a pointer, and if the set of privileges includes the privilege, communicate the at least one type of message,

the computer system being further programmed to allow the first computer to communicate data representing the at least one type of message to another of the plurality of computers, and

if the set of privileges does not include the privilege to communicate the at least one type of message, disallow the first computer from communicating the at least one type of message to another of the plurality of computers.

910. (Withdrawn) A method of controlling communications via an Internet network, the method including:

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connecting a computer system with a plurality of computers;

sending information indicative of a respective login name and password corresponding to a first user identity from a first of the plurality of computers;

receiving information indicative of a login name and a password corresponding to a second user identity from a second of the plurality of computers;

allowing the first user identity and the second user identity to form a group; and

sending and receiving communications in real time and via the Internet network between those of the plurality of computers in the group, wherein at least some of the communications include a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand, at least some of the communications include data representing sound indicative of a human communication of sound, and at least some of the communications include data representing at least one of text or ascii.

911. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 881, wherein the at least one type includes the type including a pointer, a the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

912. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 882, wherein the at least one type includes the type including a pointer, a the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

913. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 883, wherein the at least one type includes the type including a pointer, a the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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914. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 886, wherein the at least one type includes the type including a pointer, a the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

915. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 887, wherein the at least one type includes the type including a pointer, a the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

916. (Withdrawn) A method of controlling communications via an Internet network, the method including:

storing a set of privileges corresponding to a user identity;

connecting a plurality of computers via the Internet network;

receiving information indicative of a login name and a password corresponding respectively to the user identity from a first computer of the plurality of computers;

determining whether the set of privileges includes a privilege to communicate at least one type of message, the type of message including at least one of a pointer, audio, video, a graphic, or multimedia, the privilege to communicate corresponding to at least one parameter changeable by a user corresponding to another user identity;

if the set of privileges includes the privilege to communicate the at least one type of message, allowing the first of the plurality of computer to communicate, in real time via the internet network, the type of message to an other of the plurality of computers; and

if the set of privileges does not include the privilege to communicate the at least one type of message, disallowing the first computer from communicating the at least one type of message to the other of the plurality of computers.

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917. (Withdrawn) A method of receiving a communication via an Internet network, the method including:

sending, from a first computer, information indicative of a login name and a password corresponding to a user identity;

responsive to the sending, connecting the first computer to a computer system;

forming a communication link between the first computer and a second computer for communicating a communication, the communication including data representing at least one of a member-associated image, video, a graphic, sound, or multimedia;

communicating a pointer, from the first computer to the computer system to obtain the communication at the first computer, the communication being sent in real time and via the Internet network; and

receiving the communication from the first computer at the second computer over the communication link.

918. (Withdrawn) A system to distribute a communication via an Internet network, the system including:

a first computer connected to a computer system, the first computer being connected responsive to its sending information indicative of a login name and a password corresponding to a user identity;

a communication link between the first computer and a second computer; and

respective software stored in the first and second computers, the software stored in the first computer being programmed to communicate a pointer, from the first computer to the computer system, for receiving the communication at the first computer, the communication being sent in real time and via the Internet network, and the software stored in the second computer being programmed to receive the communication for the first computer at the second

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computer via the communication link, wherein the communication includes data representing at least one of video, a graphic, sound, or multimedia.

919. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 888, wherein the at least one type includes the type including a pointer, a the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

920. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 889, wherein the at least one type includes the type including a pointer, a the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

921. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 890, wherein the at least one type includes the type including a pointer, a the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

922. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 897, wherein the at least one type includes the type including a pointer, a the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

923. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 898, wherein the at least one type includes the type including a pointer, a the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

924. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 899, wherein the at least one type includes the type including a pointer, a the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-

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triggered message on demand.

925. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 900, wherein the at least one type includes the type including a pointer, a the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

926. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 904, wherein the at least one type includes the type including a pointer, a the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

927. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 905, wherein the at least one type includes the type including a pointer, a the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

928. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 906, wherein the at least one type includes the type including a pointer, a the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

929. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 916, wherein the at least one type includes a pointer.

930. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 916, wherein the at least one type includes audio.

931. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 916, wherein the at least one type

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includes video.

932. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 916, wherein the at least one type includes a graphic.

933. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 916, wherein the at least one type includes multimedia.

934. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 916, wherein the at least one type includes a pointer and audio.

935. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 916, wherein the at least one type includes a pointer and video.

936. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 916, wherein the at least one type includes a pointer and a graphic.

937. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 916, wherein the at least one type includes audio and a graphic.

938. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 916, wherein the at least one type includes audio and video.

939. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 916, wherein the at least one type includes video and a graphic.

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940. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 916, wherein the at least one type includes a pointer and audio and video.

941. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 916, wherein the at least one type includes a pointer and audio and a graphic.

942. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 916, wherein the at least one type includes a pointer and video and a graphic.

943. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 916, wherein the at least one type includes audio and video and a graphic.

944. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 916, wherein the at least one type includes a pointer and audio and video and a graphic.

945. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 916, wherein the at least one type includes a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

946. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 930, wherein the at least one type includes a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

947. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 931, wherein the at least one type includes a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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948. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 933, wherein the at least one type includes a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

949. (Withdrawn) An Internet communication system, the system including:

a computer system including a server computer;

a plurality of computers, each of the plurality of computers connected to an input device and an output device, and

a communication link between the computer system including a server computer and each of the plurality of computers, each of the plurality of computers being connected responsive to its sending information indicative of a login name and password, each respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity,

wherein the server computer is programmed to:

allow one of the plurality of computers to be a member in one of a plurality of communication channels, each said communication channel allowing communication between at least some of the plurality of computers by way of the communication link,

cause graphical multimedia associated with a first of the login names to be presented at one of the output devices corresponding to a second of the user identities,

the server computer being further programmed to cause the user messages to be delivered over or by way of the Internet network, in at least one of the communication channels, and in real time between receipt and delivery of the user messages so as to allow access to the user messages,

wherein at least some of the user messages individually include at least two of text, a sound, a graphic, an image, and a video.

950. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 949, wherein at least one of said user

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messages includes a uniform resource locater, whereby the uniform resource locater produces a message upon demand.

951. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 949, wherein at least one of said user messages includes the uniform resource locator, whereby the uniform resource locator commands at least one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the receipt to locate an additional message and present the additional message at the respective output device.

952. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 949, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether the receipt is censored, and to cause the receipt if the receipt is not censored.

953. (Withdrawn) A method of communicating via an Internet network, the method including:

establishing a communication path between a computer system and each of a plurality of computers, each of the plurality of computers respectively connected to an input device and to an output device, each of the plurality of computers being connected responsive to its sending information indicative of a login name and password, each respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity,

allowing a first one of the plurality of computers to be a member of one of a plurality of communication channels, and

storing, for a first of the user identities, an authorization for allowing or disallowing presentment of graphical multimedia,

based on the authorization, presenting the graphical multimedia at the output device corresponding to a second of the user identities,

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sending and receiving, in real time, user messages between two or more of the plurality of computers, over or by way of the Internet network, in at least one of the communication channels, thereby allowing access to the user messages,

wherein at least some of the user messages individually include a uniform resource locator that points to data other than text or ascii.

954. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 953, further including instructing at least one of the plurality of computers to locate an additional user message on demand via the uniform resource locator.

955. (Currently amended) A method communicating via an Internet network, the method including:

connecting a plurality of computers to a computer system, each of the plurality of computers connected responsive to receiving at the computer system information indicative of a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity;

storing a respective particular user's access rights corresponding to each said user identity;

determining whether a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities are able to form a group for sending and for receiving communications in real time;

determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored by the corresponding user's stored access rights from receiving in the communications at least one of a pointer, video, audio, graphic, or multimedia; and

if the first and the second user identities are able to form the group, forming the group for sending the communications, and facilitating receiving the communications that are

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not censored based on the individual user identity, wherein the receiving is in real time via the Internet network, and facilitating not receiving the communications that are censored.

956. (Currently amended) A method communicating via an Internet network, the method including:

connecting a plurality of computers to a computer system, each of the plurality of computers connected responsive to receiving at the computer system information indicative of a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity;

storing a respective particular user's access rights corresponding to each said user identity;

determining whether a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities are able to form a group for sending and for receiving communications in real time by determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored by the corresponding user's stored access rights from receiving in the communications at least one of a pointer, video, audio, graphic, or multimedia; and

if the first and the second user identities are able to form the group, forming the group for sending the communications, and facilitating receiving the communications in real time via the Internet network.

957. (Currently amended) A method communicating via an Internet network, the method including:

connecting a plurality of computers to a computer system, each of the plurality of computers connected responsive to receiving at the computer system information indicative of a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity;

determining whether a first of the user identities and a second of the user

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identities are able to form a group for sending and for receiving communications in real time;

determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending in the communications at least one of a pointer, video, audio, graphic, or multimedia; and

if the first and the second user identities are able to form the group, forming the group, facilitating sending the communications that are not censored based on the individual user identity, and facilitating receiving the communications that are sent, the receiving in real time via the Internet network.

958. (Currently amended) A method communicating via an Internet network, the method including:

connecting a plurality of computers to a computer system, each of the plurality of computers connected responsive to receiving at the computer system information indicative of a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity;

determining whether a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities are able to form a group for sending and for receiving communications in real time by determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending in the communications at least one of a pointer, video, audio, graphic, or multimedia; and

if the first and the second user identities are able to form the group, forming the group for sending the communications, and facilitating receiving the sent communications in real time via the Internet network.

959. (Currently amended) A system to communicate via an Internet network, the system including:

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a plurality of computers connected to a computer system, each of the plurality of computers being connected responsive to receipt at the computer system of information indicative of a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity, the computer system being programmed to:

store a respective particular user's access rights corresponding to each said user identity;

determine whether a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities are able to form a group capable of sending and receiving communications in real time;

determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored by said user's stored access rights from receiving in the communications at least one of a pointer, video, audio, graphic, or multimedia, and

if the first and the second user identities are able to form the group, form the group for sending the communications, and

cause the plurality of computers in the group to receive, in real time via the Internet network, the communications that are not censored based on the individual user identity, and

cause the plurality of computers in the group to not receive the communications that are censored based on the individual user identity.

960. (Currently amended) A system to communicate via an Internet network, the system including:

a plurality of computers connected to a computer system, each of the plurality of computers being connected responsive to receipt at the computer system of information indicative of a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity, the computer system being programmed to:

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store a respective particular user's access rights corresponding to each said user identity,

determine whether a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities are able to form a group capable of sending and receiving communications in real time by determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored by the corresponding user's stored access rights from receiving in the communications at least one of a pointer, video, audio, graphic, or multimedia; and

if the first and the second user identities are able to form the group, cause the group to be formed to send the communications, and cause the plurality of computers in the group to receive, in real time via the Internet network, the communications that are not censored ~~based on the individual user identity~~.

961. (Currently amended) A system to communicate via an Internet network, the system including:

a plurality of computers connected to a computer system, each of the plurality of computers being connected responsive to receipt at the computer system of information indicative of a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity, the computer system being programmed to:

determine whether a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities are able to form a group for sending and for receiving communications in real time;

determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending in the communications at least one of a pointer, video, audio, graphic, or multimedia; and

if the first and the second user identities are able to form the group, cause the group to be formed and the communications that are not censored based on the individual user

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identity to be sent, and cause the communications that are sent to be received in real time via the Internet network.

962. (Previously presented) A system to communicate via an Internet network, the system including:

a plurality of computers connected to a computer system, each of the plurality of computers being connected responsive to receipt at the computer system of information indicative of a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity, the computer system being programmed to:

determine whether a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities are able to form a group capable of sending and receiving communications in real time by determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending in the communications at least one of a pointer, video, audio, graphic, or multimedia; and

if the first and the second user identities are able to form the group, cause the group to be formed to send and receive the communications between members of the group, wherein the communications are received in real time via the Internet network.

963. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 939, further including allowing the first computer to communicate a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

964. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 940, further including allowing the first computer to communicate a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

965. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 941, further including allowing the

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first computer to communicate a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

966. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 942, further including allowing the first computer to communicate a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

967. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 943, further including allowing the first computer to communicate a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

968. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 944, further including allowing the first computer to communicate a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

969. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 945, further including allowing the first computer to communicate a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

970. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 916, further including presenting an option to the plurality of computers to access the computer system with at least two client software alternatives.

971. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 916, further including determining whether receipt of a communication is censored based on content.

972. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 916, further including determining whether receipt of a communication is censored based on age.

973. (Currently amended) A method communicating via an Internet network, the

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method including:

connecting a plurality of computers to a computer system, each of the plurality of computers connected responsive to receiving at the computer system information indicative of a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity, each said user identity corresponding to a respective particular user's stored access rights;

determining whether a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities are able to form a group for sending and for receiving communications in real time;

determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored by the corresponding user's stored access rights from receiving in the communications at least one of a pointer, video, audio, graphic, or multimedia; and

if the first and the second user identities are able to form the group, forming the group for sending the communications, and facilitating receiving the communications that are not censored based on the individual user identity, wherein the receiving is in real time via the Internet network, and facilitating not receiving the communications that are censored.

974. (Currently amended) A method communicating via an Internet network, the method including:

connecting a plurality of computers to a computer system, each of the plurality of computers connected responsive to receiving at the computer system information indicative of a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity, each said user identity corresponding to a respective particular user's stored access rights;

determining whether a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities are able to form a group for sending and for receiving communications in real time by determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity,

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individually, is censored by the corresponding user's stored access rights from receiving in the communications at least one of a pointer, video, audio, graphic, or multimedia; and

if the first and the second user identities are able to form the group, forming the group for sending the communications, and facilitating receiving the communications in real time via the Internet network.

975. (Currently amended) A method communicating via an Internet network, the method including:

connecting a plurality of computers to a computer system, each of the plurality of computers connected responsive to receiving at the computer system information indicative of a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity;

determining whether a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities are able to form a group for sending and for receiving communications in real time;

determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending in the communications at least one of a pointer, video, audio, graphic, or multimedia; and

if the first and the second user identities are able to form the group, forming the group, facilitating sending the communications that are not censored based on the individual user identity, and facilitating receiving the communications that are sent, the receiving in real time via the Internet network.

976. (Currently amended) A method communicating via an Internet network, the method including:

connecting a plurality of computers to a computer system, each of the plurality of computers connected responsive to receiving at the computer system information indicative of a

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respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity;

determining whether a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities are able to form a group for sending and for receiving communications in real time by determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending in the communications at least one of a pointer, video, audio, graphic, or multimedia; and

if the first and the second user identities are able to form the group, forming the group for sending the communications, and facilitating receiving the sent communications in real time via the Internet network.

977. (Withdrawn) A method of communicating via an Internet network, the method including:

presenting an option to a plurality of computers to access a computer system with at least one of two client software alternatives, wherein the option is exercised by providing a respective user name and password respectively corresponding to a user identity to at least one of the client software alternatives, wherein both of the two client software alternatives cause the respective user identities to be recognized by the computer system and allows at least some of the plurality of computers to form at least one group for sending communications, wherein at least some of the communications are received in real time via the Internet network, and wherein the at least one of client software alternatives allows the computer system to determine whether at least one of the user identities, individually, is censored from data representing at least one of a pointer, video, audio, graphic, or multimedia such that the data that is censored is not presented by the corresponding computer.

978. (Currently amended) A system to communicate via an Internet network,

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the system including:

a plurality of computers connected to a computer system, each of the plurality of computers being connected responsive to receipt at the computer system of information indicative of a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity, the computer system being programmed to:

store a respective particular user's access rights corresponding to each said user identity,

determine whether a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities are able to form a group capable of sending and receiving communications in real time;

determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored by the corresponding user's stored access rights from receiving in the communications at least one of a pointer, video, audio, graphic, or multimedia, and

if the first and the second user identities are able to form the group, form the group for sending the communications, and

cause the plurality of computers in the group to receive, in real time via the Internet network, the communications that are not censored based on the individual user identity, and

cause the plurality of computers in the group to not receive the communications that are censored based on the individual user identity.

979. (Currently amended) A system to communicate via an Internet network, the system including:

a plurality of computers connected to a computer system, each of the plurality of computers being connected responsive to receipt at the computer system of information

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indicative of a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity, the computer system being programmed to:

store a respective particular user's access rights for each corresponding user identity,

determine whether a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities are able to form a group capable of sending and receiving communications in real time by determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored by the corresponding user's stored access rights from receiving in the communications at least one of a pointer, video, audio, graphic, or multimedia; and

if the first and the second user identities are able to form the group, cause the group to be formed to send the communications, and cause the plurality of computers in the group to receive, in real time via the Internet network, the communications that are not censored based on the individual user identity so as to carry out the corresponding user's stored access rights.

980. (Currently amended) A system to communicate via an Internet network, the system including:

a plurality of computers connected to a computer system, each of the plurality of computers being connected responsive to receipt at the computer system of information indicative of a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity, the computer system being programmed to:

store a respective particular user's access rights for each corresponding user identity;

determine whether a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities are able to form a group for sending and for receiving communications in real time;

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determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending in the communications at least one of a pointer, video, audio, graphic, or multimedia; and

if the first and the second user identities are able to form the group, cause the group to be formed and the communications that are not censored based on the individual user identity to be sent, and cause the sent communications to be received in real time via the Internet network so as to carry out the corresponding user's stored access rights.

981. (Previously presented) A system to communicate via an Internet network, the system including:

a plurality of computers connected to a computer system, each of the plurality of computers being connected responsive to receipt at the computer system of information indicative of a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity, the computer system being programmed to:

determine whether a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities are able to form a group capable of sending and receiving communications in real time by determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending in the communications at least one of a pointer, video, audio, graphic, or multimedia; and

if the first and the second user identities are able to form the group, cause the group to be formed to send and receive the communications between members of the group, wherein the communications are received in real time via the Internet network.

982. (Currently amended) A method of communication over an Internet network, the method including:

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connecting a computer system with a plurality of computers;

~~sending~~ receiving information indicative of a respective login name and password corresponding to a first user identity from a first of the plurality of computers, the first user identity corresponding to a particular user's stored access rights;

receiving information indicative of a login name and a password corresponding to a second user identity from a second of the plurality of computers, the second user identity corresponding to a particular user's stored access rights; and

allowing the first user identity and the second user identity to send and receive communications on at least one of a plurality of channels, wherein at least some of the communications are received in real time via the Internet network, the computer system being programmed to determine whether at least one of the user identities, individually, is censored from data in one of the channels, the data representing at least one of a pointer, video, audio, graphic, or multimedia, such that the data that is censored by the corresponding user's stored access rights is not presented by the corresponding computer.

983. (Previously presented) The method of claim 980, wherein the data includes a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

984. (Previously presented) The method of claim 980, further including:

determining whether the first user identity is censored from the data by determining whether a parameter corresponding to the first user identity has been determined by a user corresponding to an other of the user identities.

985. (Currently amended) A method of communicating via an Internet network, the method including:

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connecting a computer system with a plurality of computers;

~~sending~~ receiving, from each of the plurality of computers, a respective user identity associated with a login name and a password, each said user identity corresponding to a respective particular user's stored access rights;

determining whether at least one of a first of the user identities is censored by the corresponding user's stored access rights from graphical multimedia; and

allowing at least a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities to form a group; and

facilitating sending and receiving the communications in real time, via the Internet network, between the computers in the group, wherein at least some of the communications include data representing at least one of a pointer, video, audio, a graphic, multimedia, or at least one of text or ascii, and not allowing the graphical multimedia that is censored to be presented at a corresponding one of the computers ~~corresponding to the one of the user identities~~.

986. (Currently amended) A method of communicating via an Internet network, the method including:

connecting a computer system with a plurality of computers;

~~sending~~receiving, from each of the plurality of computers, a respective user identity associated with a login name and a password, each said user identity associated with a respective particular user's stored access rights;

determining whether at least one of a first of the user identities is censored by said user's stored access rights from graphical data; and

allowing at least a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities to form a group; and

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facilitating sending and receiving the communications in real time, via the Internet network, between the computers in the group, wherein at least some of the communications include data representing at least one of a pointer, video, audio, a graphic, multimedia, or at least one of text or ascii, and not allowing the graphical data that is censored to be presented at a corresponding one of the computers ~~corresponding to the one of the user identities~~.

987. (Currently amended) A method of communicating via an Internet network, the method including:

connecting a computer system with a plurality of computers;

~~sending~~ receiving, from each of the plurality of computers, a respective user identity associated with a login name and a password, each said user identity associated with a respective particular user's stored access rights;

determining whether at least one of a first of the user identities is censored by the respective user's stored access rights from data representing graphical multimedia; and

allowing at least a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities to form a group; and

allowing sending and receiving the communications in real time, via the Internet network, between the computers in the group, wherein at least some of the communications include data representing at least one of a pointer, video, audio, a graphic, multimedia, or at least one of text or ascii, and not allowing the data representing graphical multimedia that is censored to be presented at a corresponding one of the computers ~~corresponding to the one of the user identities~~.

988. (Currently amended) A method of communicating via an Internet network,

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the method including:

connecting a computer system with a plurality of computers;

~~sending~~receiving, from each of the plurality of computers, a respective user identity associated with a login name and a password, each said user identity associated with a respective particular user's stored access rights;

determining whether at least one of a first of the user identities is censored by the corresponding user's stored access rights from graphical data; and

allowing at least a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities to form a group; and

allowing sending and receiving the communications in real time, via the Internet network, between the computers in the group, wherein at least some of the communications include data representing at least one of a pointer, video, audio, a graphic, multimedia, or at least one of text or ascii, and not allowing the graphical data that is censored to be presented at a corresponding one of the computers ~~corresponding to the one of the user identities~~.

989. (Withdrawn) A method of communicating via an Internet network, the method including:

connecting, responsive to sending information indicative of a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity, a plurality of computers with computer system;

storing at least one permission corresponding to a first of the user identities, the permission allowing or disallowing communication of a type of media;

changing, responsive to a second of the users, the stored permission; and

if the first user identity has permission to allow the communication, the sending the communications and receiving and presenting the communications, wherein the receiving is

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in real time and via the Internet network, and not presenting the data that is censored to the corresponding output device.

990. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 989, wherein the data represents a pointer.

991. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 989, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

992. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 989, wherein the data represents video.

993. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 989, wherein the data represents audio.

994. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 989, wherein the data represents a graphic.

995. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 989, wherein the data represents multimedia.

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II. Remarks

The amendment herein is responsive to *BMC Resources, Inc. v Paymentech, L.P.*, Civ. No. 2006-1503 (Fed. Cir. Sept. 20, 2007) and *Muniauction, Inc. v. Thomson Corp.*, Case No. 07-1485 (Fed. Cir., July 14, 2008) and is otherwise to tidy up some claims.

Applicant notes that by the amendment filed on October 11, 2007, Applicant had intended to withdraw claims 989-995. However, these claims have now been examined, and thus are understood to be still pending, which is acceptable to Applicant. The Examiner's attention is drawn to Applicant's co-pending Ser. No. 11/510,351, which also has claims drawn to multimedia and graphical multimedia, and to the enclosed McKesson-type filing related to this application.

Additionally, for the convenience of the Examiner and to expedite prosecution, attention is drawn to the Brown '947 patent. It is noted that although the Brown '947 patent mentions "tokens," they "identify categories or groupings of content objects (such as "internal public data," "Internet public data," and "18-and-older only data") for security purposes" (col. 3, lines 1-4), this is in contrast to Applicant's teaching of "pieces of information associated with user identity" (Marks patent (parent of the instant application); 5,956,491, col. 7, line 67, to col. 8, line 1). Brown also teaches "…storing access rights data primarily on a per-user-group basis, **rather than separately storing the access rights of each individual user**…" (emphasis added).

Applicant maintains that the claims have not been shown to be unpatentable over the cited art, and Applicant offers any assistance that may be of help in furthering prosecution.

With respect to the present application, the Applicant hereby rescinds any disclaimer of claim scope made in the parent application or any predecessor or related application. The Examiner is advised that any previous disclaimer, if any, and the prior art that it was made to avoid, may need to be revisited. Nor should a disclaimer, if any, in the present application be

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read back into any predecessor or related application.

The application is believed to be in condition for allowance, and favorable action is requested. If the prosecution of this case can be in any way advanced by a telephone discussion, the Examiner is requested to call the undersigned at (312) 240-0824.

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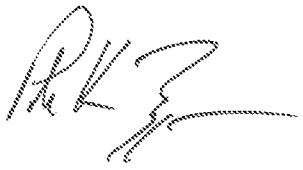

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1. Supplemental Amendment and Response;

2. Information Disclosure Statement; and

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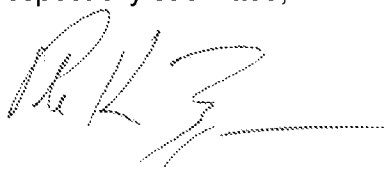

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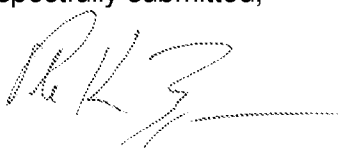

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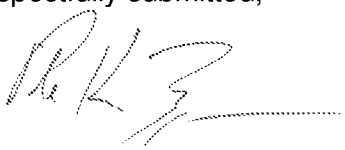

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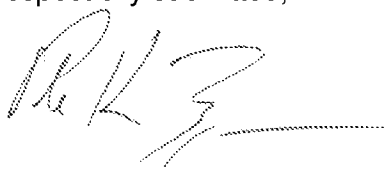

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AMENDMENT AND REQUEST
FOR CORRECTED FILING RECEIPT

SIR:

Please enter the following, and reconsider the application in view of the amendment and the remarks set forth below. It is believed that no new matter has been added.

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Ser. No. 09/399,578
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I. Amendment

A. In the Specification

Please amend the specification as set forth below. An Amended Version of the Specification (Page 2), and Clean Version of the Specification (Page 2) are submitted herewith.

Page 2, paragraph 1, line 1, after 1996, there insert , and issued as U.S. Patent No. 5,956,491 on September 21, 1999,

Petitioner Microsoft Corporation, Ex. 1002, p. 2647

II. REMARKS AND REQUEST FOR CORRECTED FILING RECEIPT

Applicant respectfully requests that a Corrected Filing Receipt be issued in the above-identified application that correctly reflects the Priority Data. The Priority Data for the above-identified application was added by the Preliminary Amendment filed September 20, 1999. The present amendment add the patent number to the previously provided serial number. The Priority Data should read as follows:

This application is a continuation of Ser. No. 08/617,658 filed April 1, 1996, and issued as U.S. Patent No. 5,956,491 on September 21, 1999.

The Filing Receipt mailed on October 28, 1998, does not contain any of the continuation information for the above-identified application. Applicant has not enclosed a copy of the Filing Receipt with corrections thereon in red ink because the Filing Receipt does not contain a place for corrections to be made thereon in red ink.

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III. CONCLUSION

APPLICANT CLAIMS LARGE ENTITY STATUS. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees associated with the above-identified patent application or credit any overcharges to Deposit Account No. 50-0235, and if any extension of time is needed, this shall be deemed a petition therefor.

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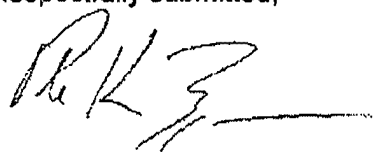

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Amended Version of the Specification

I. FIELD OF INVENTION

This invention is a continuation of serial number 08/617,658 filed April 1, 1996, and issued as U.S. Patent No. 5,956,491 on September 21, 1999, directed to an apparatus, a manufacture, and methods for making and using the same, in a field of digital electrical computer systems. More particularly, the present invention is directed to a digital electrical computer system involving a plurality of participator computers linked by a network to at least one of a plurality of participator computers, the participator computers operating in conjunction with the controller computer to handle multiplexing operations for communications involving groups of some of the participator computers.

Clean Version of the Specification

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SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE

S I R :

In further response to the Office Action mailed January 9, 2008, and supplemental to Applicant's Response filed July 8, 2008, please reconsider the application in view of the remarks set forth below.

II. Remarks

In further response to the Office Action of 9 January 2008, and to supplement Applicant's Response filed July 8, 2008, the Examiner is requested to reconsider the application in view of the remarks set forth below.

In paragraph 5 of the Office Action, claims 1-168, 170-291, 299, 309-366, 376-408, 410-502, 504-519, 521-536, 538-553, 556-570, 572-590, 592-598, 60-631, 726-754, 818-861, 876-878, 890-892, 897-900, 904-909, 911-916, 919, 948, 953-976, and 978-995 have been rejected pursuant to 35 U.S.C. Sec. 103. Generally, the Examiner has contended that these claims are obvious over Brown in view of Tang for reasons more precisely stated in the Office Action.

In further response, the Examiner does not contend, nor does the cited art teach or suggest, the claimed … censored from sending… as per claims 35-51, 138-160, 164, 170, 191-291, 309-366, 376-379, 414-430, 471, 493-536, 538-553, 555-570, 572-631, 734-740, 748-754, 885, 892, 957-958, 961-962, 975-976, 980-981, and 983-984.

With respect to the present application, the Applicant hereby rescinds any disclaimer of claim scope made in the parent application or any predecessor or related application. The Examiner is advised that any previous disclaimer, if any, and the prior art that it was made to avoid, may need to be revisited. Nor should a disclaimer, if any, in the present application be read back into any predecessor or related application.

The application is believed to be in condition for allowance, and favorable action is requested. If the prosecution of this case can be in any way advanced by a telephone discussion or by a personal interview, the Examiner is requested to call the undersigned at (312) 240-0824.

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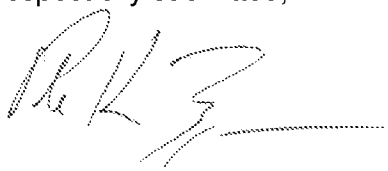

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New Applications Under 35 U.S.C. 111

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National Stage of an International Application under 35 U.S.C. 371

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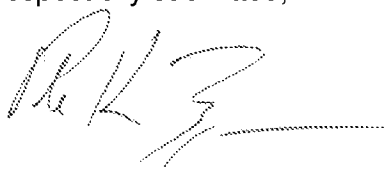

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RESPONSE

S I R :

In response to the Office Action mailed January 9, 2008, please reconsider the application in view of the remarks set forth below.

II. Remarks

In response to the Office Action of 9 January 2008, the Examiner is requested to reconsider the application in view of the remarks set forth below.

In paragraph 1 of the Office Action, the Examiner has correctly notes the continued examination under 37 C.F.R. Sec. 1.114, and that Applicant's submission filed on October 11, 2007, has been entered. In the Continuation of Disposition of Claims for page 1 of the Office Action, there is a listing of pending and withdrawn claims. However, the listing is inconsistent with the submission and the restriction requirement. The listing states that claim 169 has been withdrawn, but claim 169 is pending; claim 165 has been withdrawn. The listing also states that claims 818-844 are pending, but claims 818-844 have been withdrawn. Further, claim 591 previously had a duplicate, and one of the duplicates was cancelled, while the other remains pending. Compare the restriction requirement with Applicant's filing of October 11, 2007, and the claim charts.

In paragraph 2 of the Office Action, the Examiner contends that the copy of the IDS is not legible, and thus it has not been considered. In order to aide the Examiner's handling of this application, Applicant has typed a new copy that is submitted herewith. Applicant again apologizes for the amount of art arising in the settled litigation, and this art has been filed out of an abundance of caution. Applicant again offers to fly to Washington DC or do whatever Applicant can do to ease the Examiner's handling of this application.

In paragraph 3 of the Office Action, the Examiner has expressed appreciation for the claim charts. Again, Applicant is willing to do whatever Applicant can do to ease the Examiner's handling of this application.

In paragraph 4 of the Office Action, the Examiner has graciously provided a copy of 35 U.S.C. Sec. 103. Applicant appreciates the consideration.

In paragraph 5 of the Office Action, the Examiner has graciously provided a summary

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for determining obviousness pursuant to *Deere*. Applicant appreciates the consideration.

In paragraph 5 of the Office Action, claims 1-168, 170-291, 299, 309-366, 376-408, 410-502, 504-519, 521-536, 538-553, 556-570, 572-590, 592-598, 60-631, 726-754, 818-861, 876-878, 890-892, 897-900, 904-909, 911-916, 919, 948, 953-976, and 978-995 have been rejected pursuant to 35 U.S.C. Sec. 103. Generally, the Examiner has contended that these claims are obvious over Brown in view of Tang for reasons more precisely stated in the Office Action.

In response, the rejection is respectfully traversed, and further explanation or allowance is respectfully requested. Applicant believes that a proper reason to combine has not been made out, subject to the Examiner's further information, and Applicant respectfully requests a more detailed explanation of the rejection, if it is maintained (pursuant to 35 U.S.C. Sec. 132, "the reasons for such rejection… together with such information as may be useful in judging the propriety of continuing prosecution…").

The Examiner contends at page 4 of the Office Action that Brown taught a content object at Column 16, lines 52-54, and that Tang taught the content object is a pointer, video, audio, a graphic, or multimedia at Column 9, lines 38-44, 51-55. The Examiner also contends that there was a reason to combine these to reach Applicant's claimed invention. However, at the cited portion of Brown, and further at Column 16, line 62, the content object appears to be an access control. The Examiner's attention is respectfully drawn to Brown's figures 3B and particularly 4B and the corresponding text to confirm that the meaning of content for the object in Brown correspond to access control.

Pursuant to 35 U.S.C. Sec. 132, the Examiner's information is requested regarding how Brown or Tang would be operable if Brown's access control were to be replaced with Tang's contended "a pointer, video, audio, a graphic, or multimedia." Subject to the Examiner's information, Applicant contends that a proper reason to combine has not been stated, at least because the proposed modification or combination would render the references inoperable for

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their respective purposes, the references contradict or teach away from the Examiner's proposed modification, and if the modification were carried out, it would change the principles of operation of the cited references. Further, the combination would not result in Applicant's claimed invention. Thus, a prima facie case of statutory obviousness has not been made out.

With respect to the present application, the Applicant hereby rescinds any disclaimer of claim scope made in the parent application or any predecessor or related application. The Examiner is advised that any previous disclaimer, if any, and the prior art that it was made to avoid, may need to be revisited. Nor should a disclaimer, if any, in the present application be read back into any predecessor or related application.

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1. Response;
2. Petition for Extension of Time; and
3. 1449 Form previously filed on August 15, 2007.

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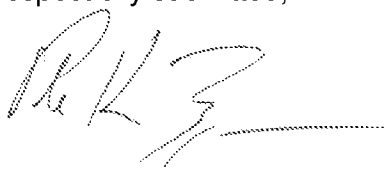

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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This is a Petition for Extension of Time for three (3) months to respond to the Office Action Mailed on January 9, 2008, in the above-referenced patent application. If additional time is necessary, this Petition is to be deemed a Petition for such time as necessary to accept the Response filed herewith.

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	Patrice Winder	2145	

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Status

1)☒ Responsive to communication(s) filed on *11 October 2007*.

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

3)☐ 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

4)☒ Claim(s) *See Continuation Sheet* is/are pending in the application.

4a) Of the above claim(s) *See Continuation Sheet* is/are withdrawn from consideration.

5)☐ Claim(s) _____ is/are allowed.

6)☒ Claim(s) *See Continuation Sheet* is/are rejected.

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

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

Application Papers

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

10)☐ The drawing(s) filed on _____ 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).

11)☐ The oath or declaration is objected to by the Examiner. Note the attached Office Action or form PTO-152.

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).

a)☐ All b)☐ Some * c)☐ None of:

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.

Attachment(s)

1) ☒ Notice of References Cited (PTO-892)
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Continuation of Disposition of Claims: Claims pending in the application are 1-291,299,309-366,376-502,504-519,521-536,538-553,555-570,572-590 and 592-995.
Continuation of Disposition of Claims: Claims withdrawn from consideration are 169,409,599,632-725,755-817,862-875,879,893-896,901-903,910,917,918,949-952 and 977.

Continuation of Disposition of Claims: Claims rejected are 1-168,170-291,299,309-366,376-408,410-502,504-519,521-536,538-553,556-570,572-590,592-598,600-631,726-754,818-861,876-878,890-892,897-900,904-909,911-916,919,948,953-976 and 978-995.

Petitioner Microsoft Corporation, Ex. 1002, p. 2690

DETAILED ACTION

Continued Examination Under 37 CFR 1.114

1. A request for continued examination under 37 CFR 1.114, including the fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(e), was filed in this application after final rejection. Since this application is eligible for continued examination under 37 CFR 1.114, and the fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(e) has been timely paid, the finality of the previous Office action has been withdrawn pursuant to 37 CFR 1.114. Applicant's submission filed on October 11, 2007 has been entered.

Information Disclosure Statement

2. The information disclosure statement filed August 15, 2007 fails to comply with 37 CFR 1.98(a)(1), which requires the following: (1) a list of all patents, publications, applications, or other information submitted for consideration by the Office; (2) U.S. patents and U.S. patent application publications listed in a section separately from citations of other documents; (3) the application number of the application in which the information disclosure statement is being submitted on each page of the list; (4) a column that provides a blank space next to each document to be considered, for the examiner's initials; and (5) a heading that clearly indicates that the list is an information disclosure statement. The information disclosure statement has been placed in the application file, but the information referred to therein has not been considered. (The copy submitted is not legible).

Response to Claim Charts

3. The examiner thanks Applicant for the claim tree mapping the claim organization. Applicant's time and effort are greatly appreciated.

Claim Rejections - 35 USC § 103

4. 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.

5. The factual inquiries set forth in *Graham* **v.** *John Deere Co.*, 383 U.S. 1, 148 USPQ 459 (1966), that are applied for establishing a background for determining obviousness under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) are summarized as follows:

1. Determining the scope and contents of the prior art.
2. Ascertaining the differences between the prior art and the claims at issue.
3. Resolving the level of ordinary skill in the pertinent art.
4. Considering objective evidence present in the application indicating obviousness or nonobviousness.

6. Claims 1-168,170-291,299,309-366,376-408,410-502,504-519,521-536,538-553,556-570,572-590,592-598,600-631,726-754,818-861,876-878,890-892,897-900,904-909,911-916,919,948,953-976 and 978-995 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) as being unpatentable over Brown et al., USPN 5,941,947 (hereafter referred to as Brown) in view of Tang et al., USPN 5,793,365 (hereafter referred to as Tang).

[claim 1] Brown taught a method of communicating via an Internet network (abstract), the method including:

connecting a plurality of computers to a computer system, each of the plurality of computers connected to a respective input device and to respective output device (microcomputer 102, column 8, lines 47-53);

determining whether a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities are able to form a group for sending and receiving communications in real time (chat rooms, column 9, lines 45-50; column 10, lines 36-45; column 13, lines 9-14; column 16, lines 2-4);

determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing a content object (column 16, lines 55-66); and

if the first and the second user identities are able to form the group, forming the group for sending the communications, and receiving the communications that are not censored based on the individual user identity (column 13, lines 52-54), when the receiving is in real-time and via the Internet, and not presenting the data that is censored to the corresponding output device (column 15, lines 27-37). Brown does not specifically teach the content object is a pointer, video, audio, a graphic, or multimedia. However, Tang taught the content object is a pointer, video, audio, a graphic, or multimedia (column 9, lines 38-44, 51-55). It would have been obvious to one of ordinary skill in the art at the time the invention was made that incorporating Tang's multimedia content in Brown's chat service would have improved the chat room experience. The motivation would have been to improve the chat room experience by allowing the participants to share files.

[claims 2-17] Brown taught determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data (column 16, lines 2-4, 55-59). Tang taught representing [a pointer, video, audio, a graphic, multimedia]. (column 9, lines 38-55)

[claims 18-34] Brown taught at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii (column 9, lines 52-54).

[claims 35-51] Brown taught determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing a content object (column 15, lines 44-54) and sending the data that is not censored from sending (column 15, lines 5-15). Tang taught the content object is at least one of a pointer, video, audio, a graphic, or multimedia (column 9, lines 38-55).

[claims 52-68] Brown taught determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content (column 16, lines 40-45).

[claims 69-74] Brown taught determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities (user age < 18, column 19, lines 9-21).

[claims 75-85] Brown taught the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether a parameter corresponding to the first user identity has been determined by an other of the user identities (column 16, lines 40-45, 55-66).

[claim 86-102] Brown taught the determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored (column 20, lines 8-27).

[claim 103-119] Brown taught determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities (user age < 18, column 19, lines 9-21).

[claim 120-137,149-155, 161-163, 166-169] Brown taught the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand (column 10, lines 36-38; column 13, lines 52-54).

[claim 138-148,156-160,164] Brown taught the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand (column 10, lines 36-38; column 13, lines 52-54).

[claim 170] Brown taught a method of communicating via an Internet network, the method including:

connecting a plurality of computers to a computer system (column 8, lines 47-53);

sending, from each of the plurality of computers, a respective login name corresponding to respective user identities and a second identities are able to form a group for sending and for receiving communications in real time (chat rooms, column 10, lines 36-45; column 13, lines 9-14; column 16, lines 2-4);

determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity,, individually, is censored from sending data in the communications, the data representing a content object (column 16, lines 55-66); and

if the first ad second user identities are able to form the group, then forming the group, sending the communications that are not censored based on the individual user identity (column 13, lines 52-54), and receiving the communications, wherein the receiving is in real-time and via the Internet network (column 15, lines 27-37). However, Tang taught the content object is at least one of a pointer, video, audio, a graphic or multimedia (column 9, lines 38-44, 51-55). For motivation see claim 1, above. Brown does not specifically teach the logon procedure includes a password. However, "official notice" is taken that passwords are well known in the art. It would have been obvious to one of ordinary skill in the art at the time the invention was made that incorporating a password in Brown's logon procedure would have been

[claim 171-184] Brown taught the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand (column 10, lines 36-38; column 13, lines 52-54).

[claim 185] Tang taught receiving the communications includes causing presentation of some of the communications by one of the plurality of computer in the group (column 9, lines 30-36).

[claim 186] Brown taught when the communications are censored, not receiving the communications that are censored based on the individual user identity (column 15, lines 44-55), and not presenting the data that is censored to the corresponding output device (column 15, lines 5-15).

[claim 187,309] Brown taught the computer system is comprised of an Internet service provider computer system (column 7, lines 18-37).

[claim 188,310] Brown taught storing, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical multimedia (column 16, lines 55-62); and based on the authorization, presenting the graphical multimedia at the output device corresponding to the second user identity (column 16, lines 63-67).

[claim 189,311] Tang taught providing the first user identity with access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity (column 5, lines 18-23).

[claim 190,312] Brown taught determining whether the first user identity is censored from access to a chat room; if the first user identity is censored, not allowing access to the chat room; and if the first user identity is not censored, allowing access to the chat room (column 27 , lines 49-58). Tang taught associating a chat room with a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity (column 5, lines 18-23).

[claim 191-206] determining whether at least one of the first identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending a content object (column 15, lines 5-15, 44-54). Tang taught the content object is at least one of a pointer, video, audio, a graphic, or multimedia (column 9, lines 38-55).

[claims 207-223] Brown taught at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii (column 9, lines 52-54).

[claims 224-240] Brown taught determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content (column 16, lines 40-45).

[claim 241-257] Brown taught the determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored (column 20, lines 8-27).

[claim 258-274] Brown taught determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities (user age < 18, column 19, lines 32-41).

[claim 276-291] Brown taught at least one of the communications includes data representing a human communication of sound (voice capability is added, column 9, lines 54-55).

[claim 313-366, 376-379] Brown taught the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand (column 10, lines 36-38; column 13, lines 52-54).

[claim 380-396] Tang taught data representing at least one of a pointer, video, audio, a graphic, or multimedia (column 9, lines 38-55).

[claim 397-408,410-413] Brown taught determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content (column 16, lines 40-45).

[claims 414-430] determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, audio, a graphic, or multimedia; and sending the data that is not censored from sending.

[claims 431-434] Brown taught at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii (column 9, lines 52-54).

7. Claims 435- 502,504-519,521-536,538-553,556-570,572-590,592-598,600-631,726-754,818-861,876-878,890-892,897-900,904-909,911-916,919,948,953-976 and 978-995 are rejected on the same rationales as 1-168,170-291,299,309-366,376-408,410-434, above.

Response to Arguments

8. Applicant's arguments with respect to claims 1-168,170-291,299,309-366,376-408,410-502,504-519,521-536,538-553,556-570,572-590,592-598,600-631,726-754,818-861,876-878,890-892,897-900,904-909,911-916,919,948,953-976 and 978-995 have been considered but are moot in view of the new ground(s) of rejection.

Conclusion

9. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Patrice Winder whose telephone number is 571-272-3935. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday-Friday, 10:30 am-7:00 pm.

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I. Amendment

A. In the claims

Please withdraw claims 818-842, 844, 876, 880-883, 886-890, 897-900, 904-909, 911, 915, 919-948, 953-954, 963-972, and 989-995, as set out below:

1. (Previously presented) A method of communicating via an Internet network, the method including:

connecting a plurality of computers to a computer system, each of the plurality of computers connected to a respective input device and to a respective output device;

determining whether a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities are able to form a group for sending and for receiving communications in real time;

determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing at least one of a pointer, video, audio, a graphic, or multimedia; and

if the first and the second user identities are able to form the group, forming the group for sending the communications, and receiving the communications that are not censored based on the individual user identity, wherein the receiving is in real time and via the Internet network, and not presenting the data that is censored to the corresponding output device.

2. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing a pointer.

3. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the determining

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whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing video.

4. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing audio.

5. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing a graphic.

6. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing multimedia.

7. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing a pointer and video.

8. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the determining

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whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing a pointer and audio.

9. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing a pointer and a graphic.

10. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing video and audio.

11. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing video and a graphic.

12. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing audio and a graphic.

13. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the determining

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whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing a pointer and video and audio.

14. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing a pointer and video and a graphic.

15. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing a pointer and audio and a graphic.

16. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing video and audio and a graphic.

17. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is

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censored from data includes determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing a pointer and video and audio and a graphic.

18. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

19. (Previously presented) The method of claim 2, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

20. (Previously presented) The method of claim 3, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

21. (Previously presented) The method of claim 4, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

22. (Previously presented) The method of claim 5, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

23. (Previously presented) The method of claim 6, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

24. (Previously presented) The method of claim 7, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

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25. (Previously presented) The method of claim 8, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

26. (Previously presented) The method of claim 9, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

27. (Previously presented) The method of claim 10, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

28. (Previously presented) The method of claim 11, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

29. (Previously presented) The method of claim 12, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

30. (Previously presented) The method of claim 13, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

31. (Previously presented) The method of claim 14, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

32. (Previously presented) The method of claim 15, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

33. (Previously presented) The method of claim 16, wherein at least some of

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the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

34. (Previously presented) The method of claim 17, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

35. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, further including:

determining whether at least one of the first and the second user identities, individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia; and

sending the data that is not censored from sending.

36. (Previously presented) The method of claim 2, further including:

determining whether at least one of the first and the second user identities, individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia; and

sending the data that is not censored from sending.

37. (Previously presented) The method of claim 3, further including:

determining whether at least one of the first and the second user identities, individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia; and

sending the data that is not censored from sending.

38. (Previously presented) The method of claim 4, further including:

determining whether at least one of the first and the second user identities,

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individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia; and

sending the data that is not censored from sending.

39. (Previously presented) The method of claim 5, further including:

determining whether at least one of the first and the second user identities, individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia; and

sending the data that is not censored from sending.

40. (Previously presented) The method of claim 6, further including:

determining whether at least one of the first and the second user identities, individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia; and

sending the data that is not censored from sending.

41. (Previously presented) The method of claim 7, further including:

determining whether at least one of the first and the second user identities, individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia; and

sending the data that is not censored from sending.

42. (Previously presented) The method of claim 8, further including:

determining whether at least one of the first and the second user identities, individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing at least one of a

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pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia; and

sending the data that is not censored from sending.

43. (Previously presented) The method of claim 9, further including:

determining whether at least one of the first and the second user identities, individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia; and

sending the data that is not censored from sending.

44. (Previously presented) The method of claim 10, further including:

determining whether at least one of the first and the second user identities, individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia; and

sending the data that is not censored from sending.

45. (Previously presented) The method of claim 11, further including:

determining whether at least one of the first and the second user identities, individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia; and

sending the data that is not censored from sending.

46. (Previously presented) The method of claim 12, further including:

determining whether at least one of the first and the second user identities, individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia; and

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sending the data that is not censored from sending.

47. (Previously presented) The method of claim 13, further including:

determining whether at least one of the first and the second user identities, individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia; and

sending the data that is not censored from sending.

48. (Previously presented) The method of claim 14, further including:

determining whether at least one of the first and the second user identities, individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia; and

sending the data that is not censored from sending.

49. (Previously presented) The method of claim 15, further including:

determining whether at least one of the first and the second user identities, individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia; and

sending the data that is not censored from sending.

50. (Previously presented) The method of claim 16, further including:

determining whether at least one of the first and the second user identities, individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia; and

sending the data that is not censored from sending.

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51. (Previously presented) The method of claim 17, further including:

determining whether at least one of the first and the second user identities, individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia; and

sending the data that is not censored from sending.

52. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

53. (Previously presented) The method of claim 2, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

54. (Previously presented) The method of claim 3, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

55. (Previously presented) The method of claim 4, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

56. (Previously presented) The method of claim 5, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

57. (Previously presented) The method of claim 6, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

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58. (Previously presented) The method of claim 7, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

59. (Previously presented) The method of claim 8, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

60. (Previously presented) The method of claim 9, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

61. (Previously presented) The method of claim 10, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

62. (Previously presented) The method of claim 11, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

63. (Previously presented) The method of claim 12, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

64. (Previously presented) The method of claim 13, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

65. (Previously presented) The method of claim 14, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

66. (Previously presented) The method of claim 15, further including

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determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

67. (Previously presented) The method of claim 16, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

68. (Previously presented) The method of claim 17, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

69. (Previously presented) The method of claim 52, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

70. (Previously presented) The method of claim 53, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

71. (Previously presented) The method of claim 54, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

72. (Previously presented) The method of claim 55, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

73. (Previously presented) The method of claim 56, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

74. (Previously presented) The method of claim 57, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

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75. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether a parameter corresponding to the first user identity has been determined by an other of the user identities.

76. (Previously presented) The method of claim 2, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether a parameter corresponding to the first user identity has been determined by an other of the user identities.

77. (Previously presented) The method of claim 3, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether a parameter corresponding to the first user identity has been determined by an other of the user identities.

78. (Previously presented) The method of claim 4, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether a parameter corresponding to the first user identity has been determined by an other of the user identities.

79. (Previously presented) The method of claim 5, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether a parameter corresponding to the first user identity has been determined by an other of the user identities.

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80. (Previously presented) The method of claim 6, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether a parameter corresponding to the first user identity has been determined by an other of the user identities.

81. (Previously presented) The method of claim 7, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether a parameter corresponding to the first user identity has been determined by an other of the user identities.

82. (Previously presented) The method of claim 8, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether a parameter corresponding to the first user identity has been determined by an other of the user identities.

83. (Previously presented) The method of claim 9, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether a parameter corresponding to the first user identity has been determined by an other of the user identities.

84. (Previously presented) The method of claim 10, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether a parameter corresponding to the first user identity has been determined by an other of the user identities.

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85. (Previously presented) The method of claim 11, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether a parameter corresponding to the first user identity has been determined by an other of the user identities.

86. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

87. (Previously presented) The method of claim 2, wherein the determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

88. (Previously presented) The method of claim 3, wherein the determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

89. (Previously presented) The method of claim 4, wherein the determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

90. (Previously presented) The method of claim 5, wherein the determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

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91. (Previously presented) The method of claim 6, wherein the determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

92. (Previously presented) The method of claim 7, wherein the determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

93. (Previously presented) The method of claim 8, wherein the determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

94. (Previously presented) The method of claim 9, wherein the determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

95. (Previously presented) The method of claim 10, wherein the determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

96. (Previously presented) The method of claim 11, wherein the determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

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97. (Previously presented) The method of claim 12, wherein the determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

98. (Previously presented) The method of claim 13, wherein the determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

99. (Previously presented) The method of claim 14, wherein the determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

100. (Previously presented) The method of claim 15, wherein the determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

101. (Previously presented) The method of claim 16, wherein the determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

102. (Previously presented) The method of claim 17, wherein the determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

103. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, further including determining

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a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

104. (Previously presented) The method of claim 2, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

105. (Previously presented) The method of claim 3, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

106. (Previously presented) The method of claim 4, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

107. (Previously presented) The method of claim 5, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

108. (Previously presented) The method of claim 6, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

109. (Previously presented) The method of claim 7, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

110. (Previously presented) The method of claim 8, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

111. (Previously presented) The method of claim 9, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

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112. (Previously presented) The method of claim 10, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

113. (Previously presented) The method of claim 11, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

114. (Previously presented) The method of claim 12, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

115. (Previously presented) The method of claim 13, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

116. (Previously presented) The method of claim 14, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

117. (Previously presented) The method of claim 15, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

118. (Previously presented) The method of claim 16, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

119. (Previously presented) The method of claim 17, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

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120. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

121. (Previously presented) The method of claim 2, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

122. (Previously presented) The method of claim 7, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

123. (Previously presented) The method of claim 8, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

124. (Previously presented) The method of claim 9, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

125. (Previously presented) The method of claim 13, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

126. (Previously presented) The method of claim 14, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

127. (Previously presented) The method of claim 15, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

128. (Previously presented) The method of claim 17, wherein the pointer is a

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pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

129. (Previously presented) The method of claim 18, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

130. (Previously presented) The method of claim 19, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

131. (Previously presented) The method of claim 24, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

132. (Previously presented) The method of claim 25, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

133. (Previously presented) The method of claim 26, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

134. (Previously presented) The method of claim 30, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

135. (Previously presented) The method of claim 31, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

136. (Previously presented) The method of claim 32, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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137. (Previously presented) The method of claim 34, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

138. (Previously presented) The method of claim 35, wherein the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

139. (Previously presented) The method of claim 36, wherein the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

140. (Previously presented) The method of claim 41, wherein the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

141. (Previously presented) The method of claim 42, wherein the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

142. (Previously presented) The method of claim 43, wherein the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

143. (Previously presented) The method of claim 47, wherein the data that is

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censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

144. (Previously presented) The method of claim 48, wherein the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

145. (Previously presented) The method of claim 49, wherein the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

146. (Previously presented) The method of claim 51, wherein the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

147. (Previously presented) The method of claim 52, wherein the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

148. (Previously presented) The method of claim 53, wherein the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

149. (Previously presented) The method of claim 58, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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150. (Previously presented) The method of claim 59, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

151. (Previously presented) The method of claim 60, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

152. (Previously presented) The method of claim 64, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

153. (Previously presented) The method of claim 65, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

154. (Previously presented) The method of claim 66, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

155. (Previously presented) The method of claim 68, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

156. (Previously presented) The method of claim 69, wherein the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

157. (Previously presented) The method of claim 70, wherein the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on

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demand.

158. (Previously presented) The method of claim 75, wherein the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

159. (Previously presented) The method of claim 76, wherein the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

160. (Previously presented) The method of claim 77, wherein the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

161. (Previously presented) The method of claim 81, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

162. (Previously presented) The method of claim 82, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

163. (Previously presented) The method of claim 83, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

164. (Previously presented) The method of claim 85, wherein the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on

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demand.

165. (Withdrawn) A method of operating a system to receive a communication via an Internet network, the method including:

connecting a plurality of computers to a computer system;

sending, from each of the plurality of computers, a respective login name and a password corresponding to a respective user identity;

communicating a message comprised of a pointer, from a first of the plurality of computers to the computer system;

communicating the message from the computer system to a second of the plurality of computers; and

receiving via the pointer a communication from the first of the plurality of computers at the second of the plurality of computers, the communication being sent in real time and via the Internet network, the communication including data representing at least one of video, a graphic, sound, or multimedia.

166. (Previously presented) The method of claim 86, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

167. (Previously presented) The method of claim 87, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

168. (Previously presented) The method of claim 92, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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169. (Previously presented) The method of claim 93, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

170. (Previously presented) A method of communicating via an Internet network, the method including:

connecting a plurality of computers to a computer system;

sending, from each of the plurality of computers, a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity;

determining whether a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities are able to form a group for sending and for receiving communications in real time;

determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data in the communications, the data representing at least one of a pointer, video, audio, a graphic or multimedia; and

if the first and the second user identities are able to form the group, then forming the group, sending the communications that are not censored based on the individual user identity, and receiving the communications, wherein the receiving is in real time and via the Internet network.

171. (Previously presented) The method of claim 94, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

172. (Previously presented) The method of claim 98, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

173. (Previously presented) The method of claim 99, wherein the pointer is a

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pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

174. (Previously presented) The method of claim 100, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

175. (Previously presented) The method of claim 102, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

176. (Previously presented) The method of claim 103, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

177. (Previously presented) The method of claim 104, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

178. (Previously presented) The method of claim 109, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

179. (Previously presented) The method of claim 110, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

180. (Previously presented) The method of claim 111, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

181. (Previously presented) The method of claim 115, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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182. (Previously presented) The method of claim 116, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

183. (Previously presented) The method of claim 117, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

184. (Previously presented) The method of claim 119, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

185. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein receiving the communications includes causing presentation of some of the communications by one of the plurality of computers in the group.

186. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, further including, when the data is censored, not receiving the communications that are censored based on the individual user identity, and not presenting the data that is censored to the corresponding output device.

187. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the computer system is comprised of an Internet service provider computer system.

188. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, further including:

storing, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical multimedia; and

based on the authorization, presenting the graphical multimedia at the output

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device corresponding to the second user identity.

189. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, further including:

providing the first user identity with access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity.

190. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, further including:

determining whether the first user identity is censored from access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity;

if the first user identity is censored, not allowing access to the member-associated image; and

if the first user identity is not censored, allowing access to the member-associated image.

191. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data includes wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data representing a pointer.

192. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data includes wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data representing video.

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193. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data includes wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data representing audio.

194. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data includes wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data representing a graphic.

195. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data includes wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data representing multimedia.

196. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data includes wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data representing a pointer and video.

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197. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data includes wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data representing a pointer and audio.

198. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data includes wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data representing a pointer and a graphic.

199. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data includes wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data representing video and audio.

200. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data includes wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data representing video and a graphic.

201. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the determining

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whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data includes wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data representing audio and a graphic.

202. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data includes wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data representing a pointer and video and audio.

203. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data includes wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data representing a pointer and video and a graphic.

204. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data includes wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data representing a pointer and audio and a graphic.

205. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is

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censored from sending data includes wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data representing video and audio and a graphic.

206. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data includes wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data representing a pointer and video and audio and a graphic.

207. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

208. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 191, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

209. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 192, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

210. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 193, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

211. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 194, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

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212. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 195, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

213. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 196, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

214. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 197, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

215. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 198, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

216. (Previously presented) The method of claim 199, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

217. (Previously presented) The method of claim 200, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

218. (Previously presented) The method of claim 201, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

219. (Previously presented) The method of claim 202, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

220. (Previously presented) The method of claim 203, wherein at least some of

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the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

221. (Previously presented) The method of claim 204, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

222. (Previously presented) The method of claim 205, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

223. (Previously presented) The method of claim 206, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

224. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

225. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 191, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

226. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 192, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

227. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 193, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

228. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 194, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

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229. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 195, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

230. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 196, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

231. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 197, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

232. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 198, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

233. (Previously presented) The method of claim 199, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

234. (Previously presented) The method of claim 200, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

235. (Previously presented) The method of claim 201, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

236. (Previously presented) The method of claim 202, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

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237. (Previously presented) The method of claim 203, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

238. (Previously presented) The method of claim 204, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

239. (Previously presented) The method of claim 205, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

240. (Previously presented) The method of claim 206, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content

241. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the determining whether the first user identity and the second user identity are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

242. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 191, wherein the determining whether the first user identity and the second user identity are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

243. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 192, wherein the determining whether the first user identity and the second user identity are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

244. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 193, wherein the determining

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whether the first user identity and the second user identity are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

245. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 194, wherein the determining whether the first user identity and the second user identity are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

246. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 195, wherein the determining whether the first user identity and the second user identity are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

247. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 196, wherein the determining whether the first user identity and the second user identity are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

248. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 197, wherein the determining whether the first user identity and the second user identity are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

249. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 198, wherein the determining whether the first user identity and the second user identity are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

250. (Previously presented) The method of claim 199, wherein the determining whether the first user identity and the second user identity are able to form a group includes

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determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

251. (Previously presented) The method of claim 200, wherein the determining whether the first user identity and the second user identity are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

252. (Previously presented) The method of claim 201, wherein the determining whether the first user identity and the second user identity are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

253. (Previously presented) The method of claim 202, wherein the determining whether the first user identity and the second user identity are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

254. (Previously presented) The method of claim 203, wherein the determining whether the first user identity and the second user identity are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

255. (Previously presented) The method of claim 204, wherein the determining whether the first user identity and the second user identity are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

256. (Previously presented) The method of claim 205, wherein the determining whether the first user identity and the second user identity are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

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257. (Previously presented) The method of claim 206, wherein the determining whether the first user identity and the second user identity are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

258. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

259. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 191, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

260. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 192, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

261. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 193, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

262. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 194, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

263. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 195, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

264. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 196, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

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265. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 197, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

266. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 198, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

267. (Previously presented) The method of claim 199, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

268. (Previously presented) The method of claim 200, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

269. (Previously presented) The method of claim 201, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

270. (Previously presented) The method of claim 202, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

271. (Previously presented) The method of claim 203, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

272. (Previously presented) The method of claim 204, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

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273. (Previously presented) The method of claim 205, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

274. (Previously presented) The method of claim 206, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

275. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing a human communication of sound.

276. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 191, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing a human communication of sound.

277. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 192, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing a human communication of sound.

278. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 193, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing a human communication of sound.

279. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 194, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing a human communication of sound.

280. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 195, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing a human communication of sound.

281. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 196, wherein at least one of

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the communications includes data representing a human communication of sound.

282. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 197, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing a human communication of sound.

283. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 198, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing a human communication of sound.

284. (Previously presented) The method of claim 199, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing a human communication of sound.

285. (Previously presented) The method of claim 200, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing a human communication of sound.

286. (Previously presented) The method of claim 201, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing a human communication of sound.

287. (Previously presented) The method of claim 202, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing a human communication of sound.

288. (Previously presented) The method of claim 203, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing a human communication of sound.

289. (Previously presented) The method of claim 204, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing a human communication of sound.

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290. (Previously presented) The method of claim 205, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing a human communication of sound.

291. (Previously presented) The method of claim 206, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing a human communication of sound.

292. (Cancelled) ~~The method of claim 170, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.~~

293. (Cancelled) ~~The method of claim 191, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii~~.

294. (Cancelled) ~~The method of claim 192, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii~~.

295. (Cancelled) ~~The method of claim 193, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii~~.

296. (Cancelled) ~~The method of claim 194, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii~~.

297. (Cancelled) ~~The method of claim 195, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.~~

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298. (Cancelled) ~~The method of claim 196, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.~~

299. (Cancelled) The method of claim 197, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.

300. (Cancelled) ~~The method of claim 198, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.~~

301. (Cancelled) ~~The method of claim 199, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.~~

302. (Cancelled) ~~The method of claim 200, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.~~

303. (Cancelled) ~~The method of claim 201, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.~~

304. (Cancelled) ~~The method of claim 202, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.~~

305. (Cancelled) ~~The method of claim 203, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.~~

306. (Cancelled) ~~The method of claim 204, wherein at least one of the~~

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~~communications includes at least one of text or ascii.~~

307. (Cancelled) ~~The method of claim 205, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.~~

308. (Cancelled) ~~The method of claim 206, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.~~

309. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the computer system is comprised of an Internet service provider computer system.

310. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, further including:

storing, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical multimedia; and

based on the authorization, presenting the graphical multimedia at the output device corresponding to the second user identity.

311. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, further including:

providing the first user identity with access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity.

312. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, further including:

determining whether the first user identity is censored from access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity;

if the first user identity is censored, not allowing access to the member-

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associated image; and

if the first user identity is not censored, allowing access to the member-associated image.

313. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the data represents a pointer that a pointer-triggered message on demand.

314. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 191, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

315. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 196, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

316. (Previously presented) The method of claim 197, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

317. (Previously presented) The method of claim198, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

318. (Previously presented) The method of claim 202, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

319. (Previously presented) The method of claim 203, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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320. (Previously presented) The method of claim 204, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

321. (Previously presented) The method of claim 206, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

322. (Previously presented) The method of claim 207, wherein the data represents a pointer that a pointer-triggered message on demand.

323. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 208, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

324. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 213, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

325. (Previously presented) The method of claim 214, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

326. (Previously presented) The method of claim 215, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

327. (Previously presented) The method of claim 219, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

328. (Previously presented) The method of claim 220, wherein the pointer is a

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pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

329. (Previously presented) The method of claim 221, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

330. (Previously presented) The method of claim 223, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

331. (Previously presented) The method of claim 224, wherein the data represents a pointer that a pointer-triggered message on demand.

332. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 225, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

333. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 230, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

334. (Previously presented) The method of claim 231, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

335. (Previously presented) The method of claim 232, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

336. (Previously presented) The method of claim 236, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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337. (Previously presented) The method of claim 237, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

338. (Previously presented) The method of claim 238, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

339. (Previously presented) The method of claim 240, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

340. (Previously presented) The method of claim 241, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

341. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 242, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

342. (Previously presented) The method of claim 247, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

343. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 248, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

344. (Previously presented) The method of claim 249, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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345. (Previously presented) The method of claim 253, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

346. (Previously presented) The method of claim 254, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

347. (Previously presented) The method of claim 255, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

348. (Previously presented) The method of claim 257, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

349. (Previously presented) The method of claim 258, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

350. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 259, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

351. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 264, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

352. (Previously presented) The method of claim 265, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

353. (Previously presented) The method of claim 266, wherein the pointer is a

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pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

354. (Previously presented) The method of claim 270, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

355. (Previously presented) The method of claim 271, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

356. (Previously presented) The method of claim 272, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

357. (Previously presented) The method of claim 274, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

358. (Previously presented) The method of claim 275, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

359. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 276, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

360. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 281, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

361. (Previously presented) The method of claim 282, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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362. (Previously presented) The method of claim 283, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

363. (Previously presented) The method of claim 287, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

364. (Previously presented) The method of claim 288, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

365. (Previously presented) The method of claim 289, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

366. (Previously presented) The method of claim 291, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

367. (Cancelled) ~~The method of claim 292, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.~~

368. (Cancelled) ~~The method of claim 293, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.~~

369. (Cancelled) ~~The method of claim 298, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.~~

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370. (Cancelled) ~~The method of claim 299, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.~~

371. (Cancelled) ~~The method of claim 300, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.~~

372. (Cancelled) ~~The method of claim 304, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.~~

373. (Cancelled) ~~The method of claim 305, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.~~

374. (Cancelled) ~~The method of claim 306, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.~~

375. (Cancelled) ~~The method of claim 308, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.~~

376. (Previously presented) The method of claim 309, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

377. (Previously presented) The method of claim 310, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

378. (Previously presented) The method of claim 311, wherein the data

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represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

379. (Previously presented) The method of claim 312, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

380. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the data represents a pointer.

381. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the data represents video.

382. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the data represents audio.

383. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the data represents a graphic.

384. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the data represents multimedia.

385. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the data represents a pointer and video.

386. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the data represents a pointer and audio.

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387. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the data represents a pointer and a graphic.

388. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the data represents video and audio.

389. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the data represents video and a graphic.

390. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the data represents audio and a graphic.

391. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the data represents a pointer and video and audio.

392. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the data represents a pointer and video and a graphic.

393. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the data represents a pointer and audio and a graphic.

394. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the data represents video and audio and a graphic.

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395. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the data represents a pointer and video and audio and a graphic.

396. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

397. (Previously presented) The system of claim 380, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

398. (Previously presented) The system of claim 381, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

399. (Previously presented) The system of claim 382, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

400. (Previously presented) The system of claim 383, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

401. (Previously presented) The system of claim 384, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is

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censored based on content.

402. (Previously presented) The system of claim 385, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

403. (Previously presented) The system of claim 386, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

404. (Previously presented) The system of claim 387, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

405. (Previously presented) The system of claim 388, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

406. (Previously presented) The system of claim 389, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

407. (Previously presented) The system of claim 390, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

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408. (Previously presented) The system of claim 391, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

409. (Withdrawn) A method of communicating via an Internet network, the method including:

connecting a plurality of computers to a computer system via the Internet network;

sending, from each of said plurality of computers, a login name and a password corresponding to a respective user identity;

determining which of the plurality of computers can communicate communications with at least one other of the plurality of computers,

receiving at least some of the communications in real time via the Internet network; and

providing, to at least one of the plurality of computers under control of the computer system, a member-associated image and member identity information corresponding to one of the user identities.

410. (Previously presented) The system of claim 392, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

411. (Previously presented) The system of claim 393, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is

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censored based on content.

412. (Previously presented) The system of claim 394, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

413. (Previously presented) The system of claim 395, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

414. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia, and

send the communications that are not censored from sending.

415. (Previously presented) The system of claim 380, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia, and

send the communications that are not censored from sending.

416. (Previously presented) The system of claim 381, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending the communications data

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representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia, and

send the communications that are not censored from sending.

417. (Previously presented) The system of claim 382, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia, and

send the communications that are not censored from sending.

418. (Previously presented) The system of claim 383, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia, and

send the communications that are not censored from sending.

419. (Previously presented) The system of claim 384, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia, and

send the communications that are not censored from sending.

420. (Previously presented) The system of claim 385, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia, and

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send the communications that are not censored from sending.

421. (Previously presented) The system of claim 386, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia, and

send the communications that are not censored from sending.

422. (Previously presented) The system of claim 387, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia, and

send the communications that are not censored from sending.

423. (Previously presented) The system of claim 388, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia, and

send the communications that are not censored from sending.

424. (Previously presented) The system of claim 389, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia, and

send the communications that are not censored from sending.

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425. (Previously presented) The system of claim 390, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia, and

send the communications that are not censored from sending.

426. (Previously presented) The system of claim 391, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia, and

send the communications that are not censored from sending.

427. (Previously presented) The system of claim 392, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia, and

send the communications that are not censored from sending.

428. (Previously presented) The system of claim 393, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia, and

send the communications that are not censored from sending.

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429. (Previously presented) The system of claim 394, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia, and

send the communications that are not censored from sending.

430. (Previously presented) The system of claim 395, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia, and

send the communications that are not censored from sending.

431. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.

432. (Previously presented) The system of claim 380, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.

433. (Previously presented) The system of claim 381, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.

434. (Previously presented) The system of claim 382, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.

435. (Previously presented) A system to communicate over an Internet network,

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the system including:

a plurality of computers connected to a computer system, each of the plurality of computers being connected to a respective input device and a respective output device, the computer system being programmed to: form a group, responsive to each of the plurality of computers sending a respective login name and a password corresponding to a respective user identity, the group corresponding to a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities, each member of the group being capable of sending and receiving communications in real time,

determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing a pointer, video, audio, a graphic, or multimedia,

cause the plurality of computers in the group to receive, in real time via the Internet network, the communications that are not censored based on the individual user identity, and

cause the plurality of computers in the group to not present the data that is censored based on the individual user identity to the corresponding output device.

436. (Previously presented) The system of claim 383, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.

437. (Previously presented) The system of claim 384, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.

438. (Previously presented) The system of claim 385, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.

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439. (Previously presented) The system of claim 386, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.

440. (Previously presented) The system of claim 387, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.

441. (Previously presented) The system of claim 388, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.

442. (Previously presented) The system of claim 389, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.

443. (Previously presented) The system of claim 390, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.

444. (Previously presented) The system of claim 391, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.

445. (Previously presented) The system of claim 392, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.

446. (Previously presented) The system of claim 393, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.

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447. (Previously presented) The system of claim 394, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.

448. (Previously presented) The system of claim 395, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.

449. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the computer system is comprised of an Internet service provider.

450. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the computer system is further programmed to:

store, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical data, and

based on the authorization, allow the graphical data to be presented at the output device corresponding to the second user identity.

451. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the computer system is further programmed to:

provide the first user identity with access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity.

452. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the computer system is further programmed to:

determine whether the first user identity is censored from access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity,

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If the first user identity is censored, not allowing access to member-associated image, and

If the first user identity is not censored, allow access to the member-associated image.

453. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

454. (Previously presented) The system of claim 380, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

455. (Previously presented) The system of claim 385, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

456. (Previously presented) The system of claim 386, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

457. (Previously presented) The system of claim 387, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

458. (Previously presented) The system of claim 391, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

459. (Previously presented) The system of claim 392, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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460. (Previously presented) The system of claim 393, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

461. (Previously presented) The system of claim 395, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

462. (Previously presented) The system of claim 396, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

463. (Previously presented) The system of claim 397, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

464. (Previously presented) The system of claim 402, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

465. (Previously presented) The system of claim 403, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

466. (Previously presented) The system of claim 404, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

467. (Previously presented) The system of claim 408, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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468. (Previously presented) The system of claim 410, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

469. (Previously presented) The system of claim 411, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

470. (Previously presented) The system of claim 413, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

471. (Previously presented) The system of claim 414, wherein the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

472. (Previously presented) The system of claim 415, wherein the data that represents the pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

473. (Previously presented) The system of claim 420, wherein the data that represents the pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

474. (Previously presented) The system of claim 421, wherein the data that represents the pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

475. (Previously presented) The system of claim 422, wherein the data that represents the pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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476. (Previously presented) The system of claim 426, wherein the data that represents the pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

477. (Previously presented) The system of claim 427, wherein the data that represents the pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

478. (Previously presented) The system of claim 428, wherein the data that represents the pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

479. (Previously presented) The system of claim 430, wherein the data that represents the pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

480. (Previously presented) The system of claim 431, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

481. (Previously presented) The system of claim 432, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

482. (Previously presented) The system of claim 438, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

483. (Previously presented) The system of claim 439, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

484. (Previously presented) The system of claim 440, wherein the pointer is a

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pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

485. (Previously presented) The system of claim 444, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

486. (Previously presented) The system of claim 445, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

487. (Previously presented) The system of claim 446, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

488. (Previously presented) The system of claim 448, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

489. (Previously presented) The system of claim 449, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

490. (Previously presented) The system of claim 450, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

491. (Previously presented) The system of claim 451, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

492. (Previously presented) The system of claim 452, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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493. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the data represents a pointer.

494. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein data represents video.

495. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the data represents audio.

496. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the data represents a graphic.

497. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the data represents multimedia.

498. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the data represents a pointer and video.

499. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the data represents a pointer and audio.

500. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the data represents a pointer and a graphic.

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501. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the data represents video and audio.

502. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the data represents video and a graphic.

503. (Cancelled) ~~The system of claim 604, wherein the data represents video and a graphic.~~

504. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the data represents a pointer and video and a audio.

505. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the data represents a pointer and video and a graphic.

506. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the data represents a pointer and audio and a graphic.

507. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the data represents video and audio and a graphic.

508. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the data represents a pointer and video and audio and a graphic.

509. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein at least some of

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the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

510. (Previously presented) The system of claim 493, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

511. (Previously presented) The system of claim 494, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

512. (Previously presented) The system of claim 495, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

513. (Previously presented) The system of claim 496, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

514. (Previously presented) The system of claim 497, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

515. (Previously presented) The system of claim 498, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

516. (Previously presented) The system of claim 499, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

517. (Previously presented) The system of claim 500, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

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518. (Previously presented) The system of claim 501, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

519. (Previously presented) The system of claim 502, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

520. (Cancelled) ~~The system of claim 503, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.~~

521. (Previously presented) The system of claim 504, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

522. (Previously presented) The system of claim 505, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

523. (Previously presented) The system of claim 506, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

524. (Previously presented) The system of claim 507, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

525. (Previously presented) The system of claim 508, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

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526. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

527. (Previously presented) The system of claim 493, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

528. (Previously presented) The system of claim 494, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

529. (Previously presented) The system of claim 495, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

530. (Previously presented) The system of claim 496, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

531. (Previously presented) The system of claim 497, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

532. (Previously presented) The system of claim 498, wherein the computer

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system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

533. (Previously presented) The system of claim 499, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

534. (Previously presented) The system of claim 500, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

535. (Previously presented) The system of claim 501, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

536. (Previously presented) The system of claim 502, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

537. (Cancelled) ~~The system of claim 503, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.~~

538. (Previously presented) The system of claim 504, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is

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censored based on content.

539. (Previously presented) The system of claim 505, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

540. (Previously presented) The system of claim 506, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

541. (Previously presented) The system of claim 507, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

542. (Previously presented) The system of claim 508, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

543. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein at least one of the communications includes a human communication of sound.

544. (Previously presented) The system of claim 493, wherein at least one of the communications includes a human communication of sound.

545. (Previously presented) The system of claim 494, wherein at least one of

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the communications includes a human communication of sound.

546. (Previously presented) The system of claim 495, wherein at least one of the communications includes a human communication of sound.

547. (Previously presented) The system of claim 496, wherein at least one of the communications includes a human communication of sound.

548. (Previously presented) The system of claim 497, wherein at least one of the communications includes a human communication of sound.

549. (Previously presented) The system of claim 498, wherein at least one of the communications includes a human communication of sound.

550. (Previously presented) The system of claim 499, wherein at least one of the communications includes a human communication of sound.

551. (Previously presented) The system of claim 500, wherein at least one of the communications includes a human communication of sound.

552. (Previously presented) The system of claim 501, wherein at least one of the communications includes a human communication of sound.

553. (Previously presented) The system of claim 502, wherein at least one of the communications includes a human communication of sound.

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554. (Cancelled) ~~The system of claim 503, wherein at least one of the communications includes a human communication of sound.~~

555. (Previously presented) The system of claim 504, wherein at least one of the communications includes a human communication of sound.

556. (Previously presented) The system of claim 505, wherein at least one of the communications includes a human communication of sound.

557. (Previously presented) The system of claim 506, wherein at least one of the communications includes a human communication of sound.

558. (Previously presented) The system of claim 507, wherein at least one of the communications includes a human communication of sound.

559. (Previously presented) The system of claim 508, wherein at least one of the communications includes a human communication of sound.

560. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether neither of the first user identity and the second user identity is censored from the group.

561. (Previously presented) The system of claim 493, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether neither of the first user identity and the

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second user identity is censored from the group.

562. (Previously presented) The system of claim 494, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether neither of the first user identity and the second user identity is censored from the group.

563. (Previously presented) The system of claim 495, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether neither of the first user identity and the second user identity is censored from the group.

564. (Previously presented) The system of claim 496, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether neither of the first user identity and the second user identity is censored from the group.

565. (Previously presented) The system of claim 497, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether neither of the first user identity and the second user identity is censored from the group.

566. (Previously presented) The system of claim 498, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether neither of the first user identity and the second user identity is censored from the group.

567. (Previously presented) The system of claim 499, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether neither of the first user identity and the second user identity is censored from the group.

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568. (Previously presented) The system of claim 500, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether neither of the first user identity and the second user identity is censored from the group.

569. (Previously presented) The system of claim 501, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether neither of the first user identity and the second user identity is censored from the group.

570. (Previously presented) The system of claim 502, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether neither of the first user identity and the second user identity is censored from the group.

571. (Cancelled) ~~The system of claim 503, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether neither of the first user identity and the second user identity is censored from the group.~~

572. (Previously presented) The system of claim 504, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether neither of the first user identity and the second user identity is censored from the group.

573. (Previously presented) The system of claim 505, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether neither of the first user identity and the second user identity is censored from the group.

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574. (Previously presented) The system of claim 506, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether neither of the first user identity and the second user identity is censored from the group.

575. (Previously presented) The system of claim 507, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether neither of the first user identity and the second user identity is censored from the group.

576. (Previously presented) The system of claim 508, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether neither of the first user identity and the second user identity is censored from the group.

577. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether neither of the first user identity and the second user identity is censored from the group.

578. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the computer system is further programmed to:

store, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical data; and

based on the authorization, allow the graphical data to be presented at the output device corresponding to the second user identity.

579. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the computer system is further programmed to:

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provide the first user identity with access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity.

580. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the computer system is further programmed to:

determine whether the first user identity is censored from access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity,

if the first user identity is censored, not allow access to the member-associated image, and

if the first user identity is not censored, allow access to the member-associated image.

581. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

582. (Previously presented) The system of claim 493, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

583. (Previously presented) The system of claim 498, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

584. (Previously presented) The system of claim 499, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

585. (Previously presented) The system of claim 500, wherein the pointer is a

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pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

586. (Previously presented) The system of claim 504, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

587. (Previously presented) The system of claim 505, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

588. (Previously presented) The system of claim 506, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

589. (Previously presented) The system of claim 508, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

590. (Previously presented) The system of claim 509, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

591. (Previously presented) The system of claim 510, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

591. (Cancelled) ~~The system of claim 515, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.~~

592. (Previously presented) The system of claim 516, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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593. (Previously presented) The system of claim 517, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

594. (Previously presented) The system of claim 521, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

595. (Previously presented) The system of claim 522, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

596. (Previously presented) The system of claim 523, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

597. (Previously presented) The system of claim 525, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

598. (Previously presented) The system of claim 526, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

599. (Withdrawn) A system to receive a communication via an Internet network, the system including:

a plurality of computers connected, responsive to each of the plurality of computers sending a respective login name and a password corresponding to a respective user identity, to a computer system;

a first of the plurality of computers being programmed to communicate to the

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computer system a message including a pointer pointing to a communication that includes data representing a video, a graphic, sound, or multimedia;

the computer system being programmed to communicate the message to a second of the plurality of computers; and

the second computer being programmed to receive the communication originating from the first computer, the communication being sent in real time and via the Internet network.

600. (Previously presented) The system of claim 527, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

601. (Previously presented) The system of claim 532, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

602. (Previously presented) The system of claim 533, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

603. (Previously presented) The system of claim 534, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

604. (Previously presented) An Internet network communications system, the system including:

a plurality of computers connected storing a set of privileges corresponding to said user identity, the set including a privilege to receive non-textual communication; and

responsive to each of the plurality of computers sending a respective login name

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and a password corresponding to a respective user identity, to a computer system programmed to:

form a group corresponding to a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities, each member of the group being capable of sending and receiving communications in real time, and

determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data within the communications, the data representing at least one of a pointer, video, audio, a graphic, or multimedia,

wherein the plurality of computers receive in real time and via the Internet network the communications that are not censored based on the individual user identity and do not send the data that is censored based on the individual user identity.

605. (Previously presented) The system of claim 538, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

606. (Previously presented) The system of claim 539, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

607. (Previously presented) The system of claim 540, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

608. (Previously presented) The system of claim 542, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

609. (Previously presented) The system of claim 543, wherein the data

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represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

610. (Previously presented) The system of claim 544, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

611. (Previously presented) The system of claim 549, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

612. (Previously presented) The system of claim 550, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

613. (Previously presented) The system of claim 551, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

614. (Previously presented) The system of claim 555, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

615. (Previously presented) The system of claim 556, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

616. (Previously presented) The system of claim 557, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

617. (Previously presented) The system of claim 559, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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618. (Previously presented) The system of claim 560, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

619. (Previously presented) The system of claim 561, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

620. (Previously presented) The system of claim 566, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

621. (Previously presented) The system of claim 567, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

622. (Previously presented) The system of claim 568, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

623. (Previously presented) The system of claim 572, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

624. (Previously presented) The system of claim 573, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

625. (Previously presented) The system of claim 574, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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626. (Previously presented) The system of claim 576, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

627. (Previously presented) The system of claim 577, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

628. (Previously presented) The system of claim 578, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

629. (Previously presented) The system of claim 579, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

630. (Previously presented) The system of claim 580, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

631. (Previously presented) The system of claim 515, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

632. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 165, further including:

determining that the message is not censored.

633. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 165, wherein the pointer is a pointer that causes the communication to be produced on demand.

634. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 165, wherein the communication

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includes data representing video.

635. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 165, wherein the communication includes data representing sound.

636. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 165, wherein the communication includes data representing sound and video.

637. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 165, wherein the communication includes data representing sound, and the sound includes a human communication of sound.

638. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 165, wherein the message includes data representing at least one of text or ascii.

639. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 165, wherein the communication includes data representing a member-associated image.

640. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 165, further including forming a chat channel via the Internet network, between at least two of the plurality of computers.

641. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 165, wherein at least one of the communicating steps includes communicating a message as an out-of-band communication.

642. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 165, further including:

determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

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643. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 642, wherein the communication includes data representing sound.

644. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 642, wherein the communication includes data representing video.

645. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 642, wherein the communication includes data representing sound and video.

646. (Withdrawn) The method system of claim 642, wherein the communication includes data representing sound, and the sound includes a human communication of sound.

647. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 642, wherein the message includes data representing at least one of text or ascii.

648. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 599, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine that the pointer is not censored.

649. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 599, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine that the message is not censored.

650. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 599, wherein the pointer produces the communication on demand.

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651. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 599, wherein the communication includes data representing video.

652. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 599, wherein the communication includes data representing sound.

653. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 599, wherein the communication includes data representing sound and video.

654. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 599, wherein the communication includes data representing sound, and the sound includes a human communication of sound.

655. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 599, wherein the message includes data representing at least one of text or ascii..

656. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 599, wherein the communication includes data representing a member-associated image.

657. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 599, wherein the computer system is further programmed to form a chat channel via the Internet network, between at least two of the plurality of computers.

658. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 599, wherein the computer system is further programmed to communicate the message as an out-of-band communication message.

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659. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 599, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

660. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 659, wherein the communication includes data representing sound.

661. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 659, wherein the communication includes data representing video.

662. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 659, wherein the communication includes data representing sound and video.

663. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 659, wherein the communication includes data representing sound, and the sound includes a human communication of sound.

664. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 659, wherein the message includes data representing at least one of text or ascii.

665. (Withdrawn) The authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications method of claim 917, further including:

determining whether the pointer is not censored.

666. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 917, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

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667. (Withdrawn) The authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications method of claim 666, further including:

determining whether the data is not censored.

668. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 917, wherein the pointer produces the communication on demand.

669. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 917, wherein the communication includes data representing video.

670. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 917, wherein the communication includes data representing sound.

671. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 917, wherein the communication includes data representing sound and video.

672. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 917, wherein the communication includes data representing sound, and the sound includes a human communication of sound.

673. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 917, wherein the communication includes data representing a member-associated image.

674. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 917, further including allowing chat communication in real time via the Internet network.

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675. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 917, further including communicating an out-of-band communication from the computer system to at least one of the plurality of computers.

676. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 917, further including communicating an asynchronous communication from the computer system to at least one of the plurality of computers.

677. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 917, wherein the step of receiving the communication includes receiving a synchronous communication.

678. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 677, wherein the communication includes data representing sound.

679. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 677, wherein the communication includes data representing video.

680. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 677, wherein the communication includes data representing sound and video.

681. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 677, wherein the communication includes data representing sound, and the sound includes a human communication of sound.

682. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 677, wherein the communication

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further includes data representing a member-associated image.

683. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 677, further including communicating an out-of-band communication from the computer system to at least one of the plurality of computers.

684. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 677, further including communicating an asynchronous communication from the computer system to at least one of the plurality of computers.

685. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 918, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether the pointer is censored.

686. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 918, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether the data is censored.

687. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 918, wherein the pointer produces the communication on demand.

688. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 918, wherein the communication includes data representing video.

689. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 918, wherein the communication includes data representing sound.

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690. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 918, wherein the communication includes data representing sound and video.

691. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 918, wherein the communication includes data representing sound, and the sound includes a human communication of sound.

692. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 918, wherein the first computer is further programmed to communicate with the pointer data representing at least one of text or asci.

693. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 918, wherein the data includes data representing a member-associated image.

694. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 918, wherein the computer system is further programmed to allow chat communication for sending user messages, and receiving the user messages in real time via the Internet network.

695. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 918, wherein the computer system is further programmed to communicate out-of-band communication.

696. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 918, wherein the communication comprises an asynchronous communication.

697. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 696, wherein the communication includes data representing sound.

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698. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 696, wherein the communication includes data representing video.

699. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 696, wherein the communication includes data representing sound and video.

700. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 696, wherein the communication includes data representing sound, and the sound includes a human communication of sound.

701. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 696, wherein the communication comprises an asynchronous communication.

702. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 409, further including

determining a user's age corresponding to at least one of user identities.

703. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 702, further including censoring an unwanted communication from at least one of the user identities.

704. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 703, further including determining whether a first of the user identities is censored from access to the member-associated image corresponding to a second user identity,

if the first identity is censored, not allowing access to the member-associated, and

if the first user identity is not censored, allowing access to the member

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associated image.

705. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 702, further including:

communicating, under control of said computer system, an asynchronous message from one of the plurality of computers to another of the plurality of computers.

706. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 702, wherein the receiving includes receiving chat communications within a chat group.

707. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 702, further including providing a private communications channel to at least some of the plurality of computers.

708. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 702, further including communicating data representing human communication of sound to at least some of the plurality of computers.

709. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 702, further including providing data representing video to at least some of the plurality of computers.

710. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 702, further including providing data representing sound to at least some of the plurality of computers.

711. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 702, wherein at least some of the communications include data representing text or ascii.

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712. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 702, wherein at least some of the communications are communicated out-of-band.

713. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 702, wherein at least some of the communications include data representing multimedia.

714. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 843, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine a user age corresponding to each said user identity.

715. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 714, wherein the computer system is further programmed to censor an unwanted communication from a member.

716. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 714, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether a first of the user identities is censored from access to a member-associated image corresponding to a second of the user identities,

if the first user identity is censored, not allowing access to the member-associated, and

if the first user identity is not censored, allowing access to the member associated image.

717. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 714, wherein the computer system is further programmed to communicate an asynchronous message from one of the plurality of computers to another of the plurality of computers.

718. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 714, wherein the computer system is

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further programmed to distribute the at least some of the communications among a chat group.

719. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 714, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide a private communication channel to at least some of the plurality of computers.

720. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 714, wherein the computer system is further programmed to communicate data representing human communication of sound to at least some of the plurality of computers.

721. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 714, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide data representing video to at least some of the plurality of computers.

722. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 714, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide data representing video and sound to at least some of the plurality of computers.

723. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 714, wherein at least some of the communications include data representing text or asci.

724. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 714, wherein the computer system is further programmed to communicate out-of-band communication.

725. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 714, wherein at least some of the

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communications include multimedia.

726. (Previously presented) The method of claim 884, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing sound.

727. (Previously presented) The method of claim 884, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing video.

728. (Previously presented) The method of claim 884, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing sound and video.

729. (Previously presented) The method of claim 884, further including:

storing, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical multimedia; and

based on the authorization, presenting the graphical multimedia at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the second user identity.

730. (Previously presented) The method of claim 726, further including:

storing, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical multimedia; and

based on the authorization, presenting the graphical multimedia at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the second user identity.

731. (Previously presented) The method of claim 727, further including:

storing, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of

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graphical multimedia; and

based on the authorization, presenting the graphical multimedia at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the second user identity.

732. (Previously presented) The method of claim 884 based on the authorization, presenting the graphical multimedia data at the output device corresponding to the second user identity wherein one of the determining steps includes determining whether a parameter corresponding to the first user identity has been determined by a user corresponding to another of the user identities.

733. (Previously presented) The method of claim 729, wherein the graphical data includes graphical multimedia data.

734. (Previously presented) The method of claim 885, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing sound.

735. (Previously presented) The method of claim 885, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing video.

736. (Previously presented) The method of claim 885, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing sound and video.

737. (Previously presented) The method of claim 885, further including:

storing, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical multimedia; and

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based on the authorization, presenting the graphical multimedia at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the second user identity.

738. (Previously presented) The method of claim 734, further including:

storing, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical multimedia; and

based on the authorization, presenting the graphical multimedia at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the second user identity.

739. (Previously presented) The method of claim 735, further including:

storing, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical multimedia; and

based on the authorization, presenting the graphical multimedia at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the second user identity.

740. (Previously presented) The method of claim 736, further including:

storing, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical data; and

based on the authorization, presenting the graphical data at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the second user identity.

741. (Previously presented) The system of claim 891, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing sound.

742. (Previously presented) The system of claim 891, wherein at least one of

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the communications includes data representing video.

743. (Previously presented) The system of claim 891, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing sound and video.

744. (Previously presented) The system of claim 891, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide the computer corresponding to the first user identity with access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity.

745. (Previously presented) The system of claim 741, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide the computer corresponding to the first user identity with access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity.

746. (Previously presented) The system of claim 742, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide the computer corresponding to the first user identity with access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity.

747. (Previously presented) The system of claim 743, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide the computer corresponding to the first user identity with access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity.

748. (Previously presented) The system of claim 892, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing sound.

749. (Previously presented) The system of claim 892, wherein at least one of

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the communications includes data representing video.

750. (Previously presented) The system of claim 892, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing sound and video.

751. (Previously presented) The system of claim 892, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide the computer corresponding to the first user identity with access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity.

752. (Previously presented) The system of claim 748, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide the computer corresponding to the first user identity with access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity.

753. (Previously presented) The system of claim 749, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide the computer corresponding to the first user identity with access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity.

754. (Previously presented) The system of claim 750, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide the computer corresponding to the first user identity with access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity.

755. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 893, wherein at least one of the multimedia messages includes data representing sound.

756. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 893, wherein at least one of the

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multimedia messages includes data representing video.

757. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 893, wherein at least one of the multimedia messages includes data representing sound and video.

758. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 893, further including:

storing, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical multimedia; and

based on the authorization, presenting the graphical multimedia at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the second user identity.

759. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 755, further including:

storing, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical multimedia; and

based on the authorization, presenting the graphical multimedia at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the second user identity.

760. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 756, further including:

storing, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical multimedia; and

based on the authorization, presenting the graphical multimedia at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the second user identity.

761. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 757, further including:

storing, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of

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graphical multimedia; and

based on the authorization, presenting the graphical multimedia at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the second user identity.

762. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 894, wherein the data includes data representing sound.

763. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 894, wherein the data includes data representing video.

764. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 894, the data includes data representing sound and video.

765. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 894, further including:

storing, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical multimedia; and

based on the authorization, presenting the graphical multimedia at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the second user identity.

766. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 762, further including:

storing, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical multimedia; and

based on the authorization, presenting the graphical multimedia at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the second user identity.

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767. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 763, further including:

storing, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical multimedia; and

based on the authorization, presenting the graphical multimedia at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the second user identity.

768. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 764, further including:

storing, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical multimedia; and

based on the authorization, presenting the graphical multimedia at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the second user identity.

769. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 895, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing sound.

770. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 895, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing video.

771. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 895, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing sound and video.

772. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 895, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide the computer corresponding to the first user identity with access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity.

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773. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 769, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide the computer corresponding to the first user identity with access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity.

774. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 770, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide the computer corresponding to the first user identity with access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity.

775. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 771, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide the computer corresponding to the first user identity with access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity.

776. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 896, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing sound.

777. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 896, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing video.

778. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 896, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing sound and video.

779. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 896, wherein the computer system is further programmed to:

store, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical data; and

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based on the authorization, present the graphical data at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the second user identity.

780. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 776, wherein the computer system is further programmed to:

store, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical data; and

based on the authorization, present the graphical data at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the second user identity.

781. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 777, wherein the computer system is further programmed to:

store, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical data; and

based on the authorization, present the graphical data at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the second user identity.

782. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 778, wherein the computer system is further programmed to:

store, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical data; and

based on the authorization, present the graphical data at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the second user identity.

783. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 871, wherein the computer system is

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programmed to allow the plurality of computers to communicate a type of data representing at least one of a pointer, video, audio, a graphic, or multimedia, the pointer being a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

784. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 783, wherein the type of data represents a pointer.

785. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 783, wherein the type of data represents audio.

786. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 783, wherein the type of data represents video.

787. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 783, wherein the type of data represents a graphic.

788. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 783, wherein the type of data represents multimedia.

789. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 783, wherein the type of data represents a pointer and audio.

790. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 783, wherein the type of data represents a pointer and video.

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791. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 783, wherein the type of data represents a pointer and a graphic.

792. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 783, wherein the type of data represents audio and video.

793. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 783, wherein the type of data represents audio and a graphic.

794. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 783, wherein the type of data represents video and a graphic.

795. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 783, wherein the type of data represents a pointer and audio and video.

796. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 783, wherein the type of data represents a pointer and audio and a graphic.

797. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 783, wherein the type of data represents a pointer and video and a graphic.

798. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 783, wherein the type of data represents audio and video and a graphic.

799. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 783, wherein the type of data

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represents a pointer and audio and video and a graphic.

800. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 871, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide access to a member-associated image.

801. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 783, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide access to a member-associated image.

802. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 784, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide access to a member-associated image.

803. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 785, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide access to a member-associated image.

804. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 786, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide access to a member-associated image.

805. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 787, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide access to a member-associated image.

806. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 788, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide access to a member-associated image.

807. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 789, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide access to a member-associated image.

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808. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 790, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide access to a member-associated image.

809. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 791, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide access to a member-associated image.

810. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 792, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide access to a member-associated image.

811. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 793, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide access to a member-associated image.

812. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 794, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide access to a member-associated image.

813. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 795, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide access to a member-associated image..

814. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 796, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide access to a member-associated image.

815. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 797, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide access to a member-associated image.

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816. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 798, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide access to a member-associated image.

817. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 799, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide access to a member-associated image.

818. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 876, further including:

responsive to the allowing the plurality of computers to communicate, receiving communications, at least one of the plurality of computers, the communications including data representing at least one of a pointer, video, audio, a graphic, or multimedia.

819. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 818, wherein the data represents a pointer.

820. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 818, wherein the data represents audio.

821. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 818, wherein the data represents video.

822. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 818, wherein the data represents a graphic.

823. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 818, wherein the data represents multimedia.

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824. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 818, wherein the data represents a pointer and audio.

825. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 818, wherein the data represents a pointer and video.

826. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 818, wherein the data represents a pointer and a graphic.

827. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 818, wherein the data represents audio and video.

828. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 818, wherein the data represents audio and a graphic.

829. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 818, wherein the data represents video and a graphic.

830. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 818, wherein the data represents a pointer and audio and video.

831. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 818, wherein the data represents a pointer and audio and a graphic.

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832. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 818, wherein the data represents a pointer and video and a graphic.

833. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 818, wherein the data represents audio and video and a graphic.

834. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 818, wherein the data represents a pointer and audio and video and a graphic.

835. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 818, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

836. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 819, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

837. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 824, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

838. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 825, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

839. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 826, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

840. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 830, wherein the pointer is a pointer

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that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

841. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 831, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

842. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 832, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

843. (Withdrawn) A communications system to distribute communication over an Internet network, the system including:

a plurality of participator computers connected, responsive to each of the plurality of computers sending a respective login name and a password corresponding to a respective user identity, to a computer system programmed to:

determine which of the plurality of computers can communicate communications with an other of the plurality of computers, wherein at least some of the communications are in real time via the Internet network, and

provide a member-associated image and member identity information respectively corresponding to one of the user identities to at least some of the plurality of computers.

844. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 834, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

845. (Previously presented) The system of claim 877, wherein the computer system is further programmed to:

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send and receive communications between members in a group, the communications including data representing at least one of video, sound, a graphic, or multimedia, and

receive the communications in real time via the Internet network.

846. (Previously presented) The system of claim 845, wherein the data includes data representing sound.

847. (Previously presented) The system of claim 845, wherein the data includes data representing video.

848. (Previously presented) The system of claim 845, wherein the data includes data representing sound and video.

849. (Previously presented) The system of claim 845, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide the computer corresponding to the first user identity with access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity.

850. (Previously presented) The system of claim 846, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide the computer corresponding to the first user identity with access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity.

851. (Previously presented) The system of claim 847, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide the computer corresponding to the first user identity with access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity.

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852. (Previously presented) The system of claim 848, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide the computer corresponding to the first user identity with access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity.

853. (Previously presented) The method of claim 878, further including sending and receiving communications between members in a group, the communications including data representing at least one of video, sound, a graphic, or multimedia, the receiving in real time via the Internet network.

854. (Previously presented) The method of claim 853, wherein the data represents sound.

855. (Previously presented) The method of claim 853, wherein the data represents video.

856. (Previously presented) The method of claim 853, wherein the data represents sound and video.

857. (Previously presented) The method of claim 878, further including sending and receiving communications between members in a group, the communications including data representing a member-associated image, sound, and video.

858. (Previously presented) The method of claim 878, further including:

store, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of

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graphical multimedia; and

based on the authorization, present the graphical multimedia at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the second user identity.

859. (Previously presented) The method of claim 853, further including:

store, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical multimedia; and

based on the authorization, present the graphical multimedia at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the second user identity.

860. (Previously presented) The method of claim 854, further including:

store, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical multimedia; and

based on the authorization, present the graphical multimedia at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the second user identity.

861. (Previously presented) The method of claim 855, further including:

store, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical multimedia; and

based on the authorization, present the graphical multimedia at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the second user identity.

862. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 901, wherein at least one of the multimedia messages includes data representing sound.

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863. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 901, wherein at least one of the multimedia messages includes data representing video.

864. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 901, wherein at least one of the multimedia messages includes data representing sound and video.

865. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 901, further including:

storing, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical multimedia; and

based on the authorization, presenting the graphical multimedia at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the second user identity.

866. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 862, further including:

storing, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical multimedia; and

based on the authorization, presenting the graphical multimedia at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the second user identity.

867. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 863, further including:

storing, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical multimedia; and

based on the authorization, presenting the graphical multimedia at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the second user identity.

868. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 864, further including:

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storing, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical multimedia; and

based on the authorization, presenting the graphical multimedia at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the second user identity.

869. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 902, wherein at least one of the multimedia messages includes data representing sound.

870. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 902, wherein at least one of the multimedia messages includes data representing video.

871. (Withdrawn) An Internet network system, the system including:

a plurality of computers connected, responsive to each of the plurality of computers sending a respective login name and a password corresponding to a respective user identity, to a computer system programmed to:

store, for a first of the user identities, a respective authorization associated with graphical data, and

allow the plurality of computers to communicate in real time via the Internet network, and based on the authorization, cause the graphical data to be presented at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to a second of the user identities.

872. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 902, wherein at least one of the multimedia messages includes data representing sound and video.

873. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 902, wherein the computer system is

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further programmed to provide the computer corresponding to the first user identity with access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity.

874. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 869, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide the computer corresponding to the first user identity with access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity.

875. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 870, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide the computer corresponding to the first user identity with access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity.

876. (Withdrawn) A method of communicating over an Internet network, the method including:

connecting a plurality of computers, responsive to each of the plurality of computers sending a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity, to a computer system;

storing, for a first of the user identities, a respective authorization allowing or disallowing presentment of graphical multimedia; and

allowing the plurality of computers to communicate in real time via the Internet network, and based on the authorization, presenting the graphical multimedia at one of the plurality of computers corresponding to a second of the user identities.

877. (Previously presented) An Internet network communication system, the system including:

a plurality of computers, each of the plurality of computers being connected to a

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respective input device and to a respective output device, the plurality of computers being connected, responsive to each of the plurality of computers sending a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity, to a computer system programmed to:

respond to one of the plurality of the computers communicating a pointer in real time and via the Internet, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand, by determining whether a first of the user identities is censored from content in the pointer-triggered message,

if the content is censored, disallow the pointer-triggered message from being presented at the output device of the computer corresponding to the first of the user identity, and

if the content is not censored, allow the pointer-triggered message to be presented at the output device of the computer corresponding to the first of the user identities.

878. (Previously presented) A method of communicating via an Internet network, the method including:

sending a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity;

after the sending, connecting a plurality of computers to a computer system, each of the plurality of computers being connected to a respective input device and to a respective output device;

responsive to at least one of the plurality of computers communicating a pointer in real time and via the Internet, the pointer producing a pointer-triggered message on demand, determining whether a first of the user identities is censored from content in the pointer-triggered message;

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if the content is censored, disallowing the pointer-triggered message to be presented at the output device of the computer corresponding to the first of the user identities; and

if the content is not censored, allowing the pointer-triggered message to be presented at the output device of the computer corresponding to the first of the user identities.

879. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 872, wherein the computer system is further programmed to provide the computer corresponding to the first user identity with access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity.

880. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 909, wherein the at least one type includes at least one of text or ascii.

881. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 909, wherein the at least one type includes audio.

882. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 909, wherein the at least one type includes video.

883. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 909, wherein the at least one type includes a graphic.

884. (Previously presented) A method of communicating via an Internet network, the method including:

sending a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective

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user identity;

after the sending, connecting a plurality of computers to a computer system, each of the plurality of computers being connected to a respective input device and to a respective output device;

determining whether at least one of a first user identity and a second user identity, individually, is censored from receiving data comprising a pointer in communications that include at least one of text or ascii, the pointer being a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand;

determining whether the first and the second of the user identities are able to form a group; and

if the first and the second user identities are able to form the group, then forming the group for sending the communications, receiving and presenting the communications that are not censored based on the individual user identity, the receiving being in real time and over the Internet network, and not allowing the data that is censored to be presented at the output device corresponding to the user identity that is censored from receiving the data.

885. (Previously presented) A method of communicating via an Internet network, the method including:

connecting a computer system to a plurality of computers;

sending a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity from each of the plurality of computers;

determining whether a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities are able to form a group for sending and receiving communications in real time;

determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending a pointer in the communications including at

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least one of text or ascii, the pointer being a pointer that produces producing a pointer-triggered message on demand; and

if the first and the second user identities are able to form the group, then forming the group and sending and receiving the communications that are not censored based on the individual user identity, the receiving being in real time over the Internet network.

886. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 909, wherein the type further includes multimedia.

887. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 909, wherein the type further includes graphical multimedia.

888. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 909, wherein the type further includes a member-associated image.

889. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 909, wherein the type further includes a member-associated image and at least one of text or ascii.

890. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 909, wherein the type further includes audio and at least one of text or ascii.

891. (Previously presented) A system to communicate via an Internet network, the system including:

a plurality of participator computers, each of the plurality of computers being connected to a respective input device and to a respective output device, the plurality of

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computers being connected, responsive to each of the plurality of computers sending a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity, to a computer system programmed to:

form a group corresponding to a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities, each member of the group being capable of sending and receiving communications in real time,

determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from receiving, in the communications, data comprising a pointer, the pointer producing a pointer-triggered message on demand, and

thereafter cause the computers to receive, in real time via the Internet network, and present the communications that are not censored based on the individual user identity, and to not present the data that is censored at the output device corresponding to the user identity that is censored from receiving the data, wherein at least some of the communications include data representing at least text or ascii.

892. (Previously presented) A system to communicate via an Internet network, the system including:

a plurality of computers, each of the plurality of computers being connected to a respective input device and to a respective output device, the plurality of computers being connected, responsive to each of the plurality of computers sending a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity, to a computer system programmed to:

form a group corresponding to a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities, each member of the group being capable of sending and receiving communications in real time,

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determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending, in the communications, a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand, and

thereafter cause the computers to receive, in real time via the Internet network, and present the communications that are not censored based on the individual user identity, and to not present the communications that are censored at the output device corresponding to the user identity that is censored from receiving the data, at least some of the communications including data representing at least text or ascii.

893. (Withdrawn) A method of communicating via an Internet network, the method including:

connecting a plurality of computers to a system;

sending, from each of the plurality of computers, a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity;

providing a first of the user identities access to a member-associated image and to member identity information respectively corresponding to a second of the user identities;

determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group for sending and for receiving communications in real time; and

if the first and the second user identities are able to form the group, forming the group, sending the communications, and receiving the communications in real time and via the Internet network, wherein at least some of the communications include data representing multimedia messages, and at least some of the multimedia messages include a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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894. (Withdrawn) A method of communicating via an Internet network, the method including:

connecting a plurality of computers to a computer system;

sending a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity from each of the plurality of computers;

determining whether a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities are able to form a group for sending and for receiving communications in real time;

determining whether the first user identity is censored from access to a member-associated image and member identity information respectively corresponding to the second user identity;

if the first user identity is censored, not allowing access to the member-associated image;

if the first user identity is not censored, allowing access to the member-associated image; and

if the first and the second user identities are able to form the group, forming the group for sending the communications, and receiving the communications in real time and via the Internet network, wherein at least some of the communications include data representing at least one of a pointer, video, audio, graphic, or multimedia.

895. (Withdrawn) A system to communicate via an Internet network, the system including:

a plurality of computers communicatively connected, responsive to each of the computers sending a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity, to a computer system programmed to:

determine whether a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities

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are able to form a group for sending and for receiving communications in real time,

determine whether the first user identity is censored from access to a member-associated image and member identity information respectively corresponding to the second user identity,

if the first user identity is censored, not allow access to the member-associated image,

if the first user identity is not censored, allow access to the member-associated image, and

if the first and the second user identities are able to form the group, then form the group for sending the communications,

wherein the computers corresponding to the user identities of the formed group are programmed to receive the communications in real time and via the Internet network wherein at least some of the communications include data representing multimedia and at least some of the communications include a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

896. (Withdrawn) An Internet network communication system, the system including:

a plurality of computers connected, responsive to each of the plurality of computers sending a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity, to a computer system programmed to:

provide a first of the user identities access to a member-associated image corresponding to a second of the user identities,

determine whether the first user identity is censored from access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity,

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if the first user identity is censored, not allow access to the member-associated image,

if the first user identity is not censored, allow access to the member-associated image,

determine whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group for sending and for receiving communications in real time, and

if the first and the second user identities are able to form the group, form the group, wherein those of the plurality of computers corresponding to the first and the second user identities are programmed to send the communications and to receive the communications in real time and via the Internet network.

897. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 909, wherein the at least one type includes video and at least one of text or ascii.

898. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 909, wherein the at least one type includes graphic and at least one of text or ascii.

899. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 909, wherein the at least one type includes audio and video and at least one of text or ascii.

900. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 909, wherein the at least one type includes audio and a member-associated image.

901. (Withdrawn) A method of communicating via an Internet network, the

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method including:

connecting a computer system with a plurality of computers;

sending, from each of the plurality of computers, a respective user identity associated with a login name and a password;

permitting at least a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities to form a group; and

communicating the communications in real time, via the Internet network, between the computers in the group, wherein at least some of the communications include data representing multimedia messages comprised of more than one data type, and at least some other of the communications include a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

902. (Withdrawn) A system to communicate via an Internet network, the system including:

a plurality of computers, responsive to each of the computers sending information indicative of a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity, to a computer system programmed to:

permit at least a first of the plurality of computers and a second of the plurality of computers to form a group for communicating communications in real time via the Internet network, wherein those of the plurality of computers in the group are programmed to receive the communications, at least some of the communications including data representing multimedia messages comprised of more than one data type, and at least some other of the communications including a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

903. (Withdrawn) A human communication system for controlling

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communication via an Internet network, the system including:

a plurality of computers connected, responsive to each of the plurality of computers sending a user identity associated with a login name and a password, to a computer system programmed to allow a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities to form a group to send and receive communications in real time and via the Internet network, wherein those of the plurality of computers in the group are programmed to receive communications, wherein at least some of the communications include a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand, at least some of the communications include data representing human communication of sound, and at least some of the communications include data representing at least one of text or ascii.

904. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 909, wherein the at least one type includes video and a member-associated image.

905. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 909, wherein the at least one type includes audio and a member-associated image and at least one of text or ascii.

906. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 909, wherein the at least one type includes multimedia and at least one of text or ascii.

907. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 909, wherein the at least one type includes the type including a pointer, a the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

908. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 880, wherein the at least one type

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includes the type including a pointer, a the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

909. (Withdrawn) A system of controlling communications via an Internet network, the system including:

a computer system programmed to:

connect a plurality of computers including a first computer in response to each of the plurality of computers sending information indicative of a respective login name and a respective password, which together correspond to a user identity,

store a set of privileges corresponding to each user identity,

determine whether the set of privileges corresponding to each user identity includes a privilege to communicate at least one type of message in real time via the Internet network, the type including a pointer, and if the set of privileges includes the privilege, communicate the at least one type of message,

the computer system being further programmed to allow the first computer to communicate data representing the at least one type of message to another of the plurality of computers, and

if the set of privileges does not include the privilege to communicate the at least one type of message, disallow the first computer from communicating the at least one type of message to another of the plurality of computers.

910. (Withdrawn) A method of controlling communications via an Internet network, the method including:

connecting a computer system with a plurality of computers;

sending information indicative of a respective login name and password

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corresponding to a first user identity from a first of the plurality of computers;

receiving information indicative of a login name and a password corresponding to a second user identity from a second of the plurality of computers;

allowing the first user identity and the second user identity to form a group; and

sending and receiving communications in real time and via the Internet network between those of the plurality of computers in the group, wherein at least some of the communications include a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand, at least some of the communications include data representing sound indicative of a human communication of sound, and at least some of the communications include data representing at least one of text or ascii.

911. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 881, wherein the at least one type includes the type including a pointer, a the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

912. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 882, wherein the at least one type includes the type including a pointer, a the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

913. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 883, wherein the at least one type includes the type including a pointer, a the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

914. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 886, wherein the at least one type includes the type including a pointer, a the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered

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message on demand.

915. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 887, wherein the at least one type includes the type including a pointer, a the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

916. (Withdrawn) A method of controlling communications via an Internet network, the method including:

storing a set of privileges corresponding to a user identity;

connecting a plurality of computers via the Internet network;

receiving information indicative of a login name and a password corresponding respectively to the user identity from a first computer of the plurality of computers;

determining whether the set of privileges includes a privilege to communicate at least one type of message, the type of message including at least one of a pointer, audio, video, a graphic, or multimedia, the privilege to communicate corresponding to at least one parameter changeable by a user corresponding to another user identity;

if the set of privileges includes the privilege to communicate the at least one type of message, allowing the first of the plurality of computer to communicate, in real time via the internet network, the type of message to an other of the plurality of computers; and

if the set of privileges does not include the privilege to communicate the at least one type of message, disallowing the first computer from communicating the at least one type of message to the other of the plurality of computers.

917. (Withdrawn) A method of receiving a communication via an Internet network, the method including:

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sending, from a first computer, information indicative of a login name and a password corresponding to a user identity;

responsive to the sending, connecting the first computer to a computer system;

forming a communication link between the first computer and a second computer for communicating a communication, the communication including data representing at least one of a member-associated image, video, a graphic, sound, or multimedia;

communicating a pointer, from the first computer to the computer system to obtain the communication at the first computer, the communication being sent in real time and via the Internet network; and

receiving the communication from the first computer at the second computer over the communication link.

918. (Withdrawn) A system to distribute a communication via an Internet network, the system including:

a first computer connected to a computer system, the first computer being connected responsive to its sending information indicative of a login name and a password corresponding to a user identity;

a communication link between the first computer and a second computer; and

respective software stored in the first and second computers, the software stored in the first computer being programmed to communicate a pointer, from the first computer to the computer system, for receiving the communication at the first computer, the communication being sent in real time and via the Internet network, and the software stored in the second computer being programmed to receive the communication for the first computer at the second computer via the communication link, wherein the communication includes data representing at least one of video, a graphic, sound, or multimedia.

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919. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 888, wherein the at least one type includes the type including a pointer, a the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

920. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 889, wherein the at least one type includes the type including a pointer, a the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

921. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 890, wherein the at least one type includes the type including a pointer, a the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

922. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 897, wherein the at least one type includes the type including a pointer, a the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

923. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 898, wherein the at least one type includes the type including a pointer, a the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

924. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 899, wherein the at least one type includes the type including a pointer, a the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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925. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 900, wherein the at least one type includes the type including a pointer, a the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

926. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 904, wherein the at least one type includes the type including a pointer, a the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

927. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 905, wherein the at least one type includes the type including a pointer, a the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

928. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 906, wherein the at least one type includes the type including a pointer, a the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

929. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 916, wherein the at least one type includes a pointer.

930. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 916, wherein the at least one type includes audio.

931. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 916, wherein the at least one type includes video.

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932. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 916, wherein the at least one type includes a graphic.

933. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 916, wherein the at least one type includes multimedia.

934. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 916, wherein the at least one type includes a pointer and audio.

935. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 916, wherein the at least one type includes a pointer and video.

936. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 916, wherein the at least one type includes a pointer and a graphic.

937. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 916, wherein the at least one type includes audio and a graphic.

938. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 916, wherein the at least one type includes audio and video.

939. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 916, wherein the at least one type includes video and a graphic.

940. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 916, wherein the at least one type

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includes a pointer and audio and video.

941. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 916, wherein the at least one type includes a pointer and audio and a graphic.

942. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 916, wherein the at least one type includes a pointer and video and a graphic.

943. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 916, wherein the at least one type includes audio and video and a graphic.

944. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 916, wherein the at least one type includes a pointer and audio and video and a graphic.

945. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 916, wherein the at least one type includes a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

946. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 930, wherein the at least one type includes a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

947. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 931, wherein the at least one type includes a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

948. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 933, wherein the at least one type includes a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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949. (Withdrawn) An Internet communication system, the system including:

a computer system including a server computer;

a plurality of computers, each of the plurality of computers connected to an input device and an output device, and

a communication link between the computer system including a server computer and each of the plurality of computers, each of the plurality of computers being connected responsive to its sending information indicative of a login name and password, each respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity,

wherein the server computer is programmed to:

allow one of the plurality of computers to be a member in one of a plurality of communication channels, each said communication channel allowing communication between at least some of the plurality of computers by way of the communication link,

cause graphical multimedia associated with a first of the login names to be presented at one of the output devices corresponding to a second of the user identities,

the server computer being further programmed to cause the user messages to be delivered over or by way of the Internet network, in at least one of the communication channels, and in real time between receipt and delivery of the user messages so as to allow access to the user messages,

wherein at least some of the user messages individually include at least two of text, a sound, a graphic, an image, and a video.

950. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 949, wherein at least one of said user messages includes a uniform resource locater, whereby the uniform resource locater produces a message upon demand.

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951. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 949, wherein at least one of said user messages includes the uniform resource locator, whereby the uniform resource locator commands at least one of the plurality of computers corresponding to the receipt to locate an additional message and present the additional message at the respective output device.

952. (Withdrawn) The system of claim 949, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether the receipt is censored, and to cause the receipt if the receipt is not censored.

953. (Withdrawn) A method of communicating via an Internet network, the method including:

establishing a communication path between a computer system and each of a plurality of computers, each of the plurality of computers respectively connected to an input device and to an output device, each of the plurality of computers being connected responsive to its sending information indicative of a login name and password, each respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity,

allowing a first one of the plurality of computers to be a member of one of a plurality of communication channels, and

storing, for a first of the user identities, an authorization for allowing or disallowing presentment of graphical multimedia,

based on the authorization, presenting the graphical multimedia at the output device corresponding to a second of the user identities,

sending and receiving, in real time, user messages between two or more of the plurality of computers, over or by way of the Internet network, in at least one of the

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communication channels, thereby allowing access to the user messages,

wherein at least some of the user messages individually include a uniform resource locator that points to data other than text or ascii.

954. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 953, further including instructing at least one of the plurality of computers to locate an additional user message on demand via the uniform resource locator.

955. (Previously presented) A method communicating via an Internet network, the method including:

connecting a plurality of computers to a computer system, each of the plurality of computers connected responsive to receiving at the computer system information indicative of a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity;

determining whether a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities are able to form a group for sending and for receiving communications in real time;

determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from receiving in the communications at least one of a pointer, video, audio, graphic, or multimedia; and

if the first and the second user identities are able to form the group, forming the group for sending the communications, and receiving the communications that are not censored based on the individual user identity, wherein the receiving is in real time via the Internet network, and not receiving the communications that are censored.

956. (Previously presented) A method communicating via an Internet network, the method including:

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connecting a plurality of computers to a computer system, each of the plurality of computers connected responsive to receiving at the computer system information indicative of a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity;

determining whether a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities are able to form a group for sending and for receiving communications in real time by determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from receiving in the communications at least one of a pointer, video, audio, graphic, or multimedia; and

if the first and the second user identities are able to form the group, forming the group for sending the communications, and receiving the communications in real time via the Internet network.

957. (Previously presented) A method communicating via an Internet network, the method including:

connecting a plurality of computers to a computer system, each of the plurality of computers connected responsive to receiving at the computer system information indicative of a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity;

determining whether a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities are able to form a group for sending and for receiving communications in real time;

determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending in the communications at least one of a pointer, video, audio, graphic, or multimedia; and

if the first and the second user identities are able to form the group, forming the group, sending the communications that are not censored based on the individual user identity, and receiving the communications in real time via the Internet network.

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958. (Previously presented) A method communicating via an Internet network, the method including:

connecting a plurality of computers to a computer system, each of the plurality of computers connected responsive to receiving at the computer system information indicative of a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity;

determining whether a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities are able to form a group for sending and for receiving communications in real time by determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending in the communications at least one of a pointer, video, audio, graphic, or multimedia; and

if the first and the second user identities are able to form the group, forming the group for sending the communications, and receiving the communications in real time via the Internet network.

959. (Previously presented) A system to communicate via an Internet network, the system including:

a plurality of computers connected to a computer system, each of the plurality of computers being connected responsive to receipt at the computer system of information indicative of a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity, the computer system being programmed to:

determine whether a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities are able to form a group capable of sending and receiving communications in real time;

determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from receiving in the communications at least one of a pointer,

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video, audio, graphic, or multimedia, and

if the first and the second user identities are able to form the group, form the group for sending the communications, and

cause the plurality of computers in the group to receive, in real time via the Internet network, the communications that are not censored based on the individual user identity, and

cause the plurality of computers in the group to not receive the communications that are censored based on the individual user identity.

960. (Previously presented) A system to communicate via an Internet network, the system including:

a plurality of computers connected to a computer system, each of the plurality of computers being connected responsive to receipt at the computer system of information indicative of a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity, the computer system being programmed to:

determine whether a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities are able to form a group capable of sending and receiving communications in real time by determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from receiving in the communications at least one of a pointer, video, audio, graphic, or multimedia; and

if the first and the second user identities are able to form the group, cause the group to be formed to send the communications, and cause the plurality of computers in the group receive, in real time via the Internet network, the communications that are not censored based on the individual user identity.

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961. (Previously presented) A system to communicate via an Internet network, the system including:

a plurality of computers connected to a computer system, each of the plurality of computers being connected responsive to receipt at the computer system of information indicative of a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity, the computer system being programmed to:

determine whether a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities are able to form a group for sending and for receiving communications in real time;

determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending in the communications at least one of a pointer, video, audio, graphic, or multimedia; and

if the first and the second user identities are able to form the group, cause the group to be formed and the communications that are not censored based on the individual user identity to be sent, and cause the communications to be received in real time via the Internet network.

962. (Previously presented) A system to communicate via an Internet network, the system including:

a plurality of computers connected to a computer system, each of the plurality of computers being connected responsive to receipt at the computer system of information indicative of a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity, the computer system being programmed to:

determine whether a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities are able to form a group capable of sending and receiving communications in real time by determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity,

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individually, is censored from sending in the communications at least one of a pointer, video, audio, graphic, or multimedia; and

if the first and the second user identities are able to form the group, cause the group to be formed to send and receive the communications between members of the group, wherein the communications are received in real time via the Internet network.

963. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 939, further including allowing the first computer to communicate a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

964. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 940, further including allowing the first computer to communicate a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

965. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 941, further including allowing the first computer to communicate a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

966. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 942, further including allowing the first computer to communicate a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

967. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 943, further including allowing the first computer to communicate a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

968. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 944, further including allowing the first computer to communicate a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

969. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 945, further including allowing the

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first computer to communicate a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

970. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 916, further including presenting an option to the plurality of computers to access the computer system with at least two client software alternatives.

971. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 916, further including determining whether receipt of a communication is censored based on content.

972. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 916, further including determining whether receipt of a communication is censored based on age.

973. (Previously presented) A method communicating via an Internet network, the method including:

connecting a plurality of computers to a computer system, each of the plurality of computers connected responsive to receiving at the computer system information indicative of a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity;

determining whether a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities are able to form a group for sending and for receiving communications in real time;

determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from receiving in the communications at least one of a pointer, video, audio, graphic, or multimedia; and

if the first and the second user identities are able to form the group, forming the group for sending the communications, and receiving the communications that are not censored based on the individual user identity, wherein the receiving is in real time via the

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Internet network, and not receiving the communications that are censored

974. (Previously presented) A method communicating via an Internet network, the method including:

connecting a plurality of computers to a computer system, each of the plurality of computers connected responsive to receiving at the computer system information indicative of a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity;

determining whether a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities are able to form a group for sending and for receiving communications in real time by determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from receiving in the communications at least one of a pointer, video, audio, graphic, or multimedia; and

if the first and the second user identities are able to form the group, forming the group for sending the communications, and receiving the communications in real time via the Internet network.

975. (Previously presented) A method communicating via an Internet network, the method including:

connecting a plurality of computers to a computer system, each of the plurality of computers connected responsive to receiving at the computer system information indicative of a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity;

determining whether a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities are able to form a group for sending and for receiving communications in real time; determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending in the communications at least one of a pointer, video,

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audio, graphic, or multimedia; and

if the first and the second user identities are able to form the group, forming the group, sending the communications that are not censored based on the individual user identity, and receiving the communications in real time via the Internet network

976. (Previously presented) A method communicating via an Internet network, the method including:

connecting a plurality of computers to a computer system, each of the plurality of computers connected responsive to receiving at the computer system information indicative of a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity;

determining whether a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities are able to form a group for sending and for receiving communications in real time by determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending in the communications at least one of a pointer, video, audio, graphic, or multimedia; and

if the first and the second user identities are able to form the group, forming the group for sending the communications, and receiving the communications in real time via the Internet network.

977. (Withdrawn) A method of communicating via an Internet network, the method including:

presenting an option to a plurality of computers to access a computer system with at least one of two client software alternatives, wherein the option is exercised by providing a respective user name and password respectively corresponding to a user identity to at least one of the client software alternatives, wherein both of the two client software alternatives

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cause the respective user identities to be recognized by the computer system and allows at least some of the plurality of computers to form at least one group for sending communications, wherein at least some of the communications are received in real time via the Internet network, and wherein the at least one of client software alternatives allows the computer system to determine whether at least one of the user identities, individually, is censored from data representing at least one of a pointer, video, audio, graphic, or multimedia such that the data that is censored is not presented by the corresponding computer.

978. (Previously presented) A system to communicate via an Internet network, the system including:

a plurality of computers connected to a computer system, each of the plurality of computers being connected responsive to receipt at the computer system of information indicative of a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity, the computer system being programmed to:

determine whether a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities are able to form a group capable of sending and receiving communications in real time;

determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from receiving in the communications at least one of a pointer, video, audio, graphic, or multimedia, and

if the first and the second user identities are able to form the group, form the group for sending the communications, and

cause the plurality of computers in the group to receive, in real time via the Internet network, the communications that are not censored based on the individual user identity, and

cause the plurality of computers in the group to not receive the communications

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that are censored based on the individual user identity.

979. (Previously presented) A system to communicate via an Internet network, the system including:

a plurality of computers connected to a computer system, each of the plurality of computers being connected responsive to receipt at the computer system of information indicative of a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity, the computer system being programmed to:

determine whether a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities are able to form a group capable of sending and receiving communications in real time by determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from receiving in the communications at least one of a pointer, video, audio, graphic, or multimedia; and

if the first and the second user identities are able to form the group, cause the group to be formed to send the communications, and cause the plurality of computers in the group receive, in real time via the Internet network, the communications that are not censored based on the individual user identity.

980. (Previously presented) A system to communicate via an Internet network, the system including:

a plurality of computers connected to a computer system, each of the plurality of computers being connected responsive to receipt at the computer system of information indicative of a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity, the computer system being programmed to:

determine whether a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities

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are able to form a group for sending and for receiving communications in real time;

determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending in the communications at least one of a pointer, video, audio, graphic, or multimedia; and

if the first and the second user identities are able to form the group, cause the group to be formed and the communications that are not censored based on the individual user identity to be sent, and cause the communications to be received in real time via the Internet network.

981. (Previously presented) A system to communicate via an Internet network, the system including:

a plurality of computers connected to a computer system, each of the plurality of computers being connected responsive to receipt at the computer system of information indicative of a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity, the computer system being programmed to:

determine whether a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities are able to form a group capable of sending and receiving communications in real time by determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending in the communications at least one of a pointer, video, audio, graphic, or multimedia; and

if the first and the second user identities are able to form the group, cause the group to be formed to send and receive the communications between members of the group, wherein the communications are received in real time via the Internet network.

982. (Previously presented) A method of communication over an Internet

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network, the method including:

connecting a computer system with a plurality of computers;

sending information indicative of a respective login name and password corresponding to a first user identity from a first of the plurality of computers;

receiving information indicative of a login name and a password corresponding to a second user identity from a second of the plurality of computers; and

allowing the first user identity and the second user identity to send and receive communications on at least one of a plurality of channels, wherein at least some of the communications are received in real time via the Internet network, the computer system being programmed to determine whether at least one of the user identities, individually, is censored from data in one of the channels, the data representing at least one of a pointer, video, audio, graphic, or multimedia, such that the data that is censored is not presented by the corresponding computer.

983. (Previously presented) The method of claim 980, wherein the data includes a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

984. (Previously presented) The method of claim 980, further including:

determining whether the first user identity is censored from the data by determining whether a parameter corresponding to the first user identity has been determined by a user corresponding to an other of the user identities.

985. (Previously presented) A method of communicating via an Internet network, the method including:

connecting a computer system with a plurality of computers;

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sending, from each of the plurality of computers, a respective user identity associated with a login name and a password;

determining whether at least one of a first of the user identities is censored from graphical multimedia; and

allowing at least a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities to form a group; and

sending and receiving the communications in real time, via the Internet network, between the computers in the group, wherein at least some of the communications include data representing at least one of a pointer, video, audio, a graphic, multimedia, or at least one of text or ascii, and not allowing the graphical multimedia that is censored to be presented at one of the computers corresponding to the one of the user identities.

986. (Previously presented) A method of communicating via an Internet network, the method including:

connecting a computer system with a plurality of computers;

sending, from each of the plurality of computers, a respective user identity associated with a login name and a password;

determining whether at least one of a first of the user identities is censored from graphical data; and

allowing at least a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities to form a group; and

sending and receiving the communications in real time, via the Internet network, between the computers in the group, wherein at least some of the communications include data representing at least one of a pointer, video, audio, a graphic, multimedia, or at least one of text or ascii, and not allowing the graphical data that is censored to be presented at one of the

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computers corresponding to the one of the user identities.

987. (Previously presented) A method of communicating via an Internet network, the method including:

connecting a computer system with a plurality of computers;

sending, from each of the plurality of computers, a respective user identity associated with a login name and a password;

determining whether at least one of a first of the user identities is censored from data representing graphical multimedia; and

allowing at least a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities to form a group; and

sending and receiving the communications in real time, via the Internet network, between the computers in the group, wherein at least some of the communications include data representing at least one of a pointer, video, audio, a graphic, multimedia, or at least one of text or ascii, and not allowing the data representing graphical multimedia that is censored to be presented at one of the computers corresponding to the one of the user identities.

988. (Previously presented) A method of communicating via an Internet network, the method including:

connecting a computer system with a plurality of computers;

sending, from each of the plurality of computers, a respective user identity associated with a login name and a password;

determining whether at least one of a first of the user identities is censored from graphical data; and

allowing at least a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities to

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form a group; and

sending and receiving the communications in real time, via the Internet network, between the computers in the group, wherein at least some of the communications include data representing at least one of a pointer, video, audio, a graphic, multimedia, or at least one of text or ascii, and not allowing the graphical data that is censored to be presented at one of the computers corresponding to the one of the user identities.

989. (Withdrawn) A method of communicating via an Internet network, the method including:

connecting, responsive to sending information indicative of a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity, a plurality of computers with computer system;

storing at least one permission corresponding to a first of the user identities, the permission allowing or disallowing communication of a type of media;

changing, responsive to a second of the users, the stored permission; and

if the first user identity has permission to allow the communication, the sending the communications and receiving and presenting the communications, wherein the receiving is in real time and via the Internet network, and not presenting the data that is censored to the corresponding output device.

990. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 989, wherein the data represents a pointer.

991. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 989, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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992. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 989, wherein the data represents video.

993. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 989, wherein the data represents audio.

994. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 989, wherein the data represents a graphic.

995. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 989, wherein the data represents multimedia.

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II. Remarks

The Examiner is requested to reconsider the application.

The application is believed to be in condition for allowance, and favorable action is requested. If the prosecution of this case can be in any way advanced by a telephone discussion, the Examiner is requested to call the undersigned at (312) 240-0824.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees associated with the above-identified patent application or credit any overcharges to Deposit Account No. 50-0235, and if any extension of time is needed, this shall be deemed a petition therefor. Please direct all communication to the undersigned at the address given below.

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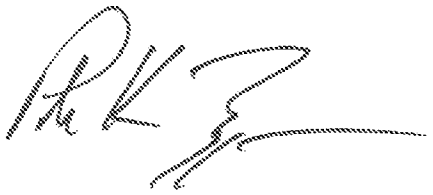

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STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW

S I R :

In response to that Interview Summary mailed 09/26/2007, concerning the Interview of 9 August 2007, Applicant respectfully wishes to clarify that agreement was reached as set forth below.

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In lieu of the prior two-group restriction requirement, the Examiner proposed that there were at least the following groupings:

Group 1) 165, 599, 901, 902, 903, 910, 918 (no censoring)
Group 2) 409, 843, 871, 893, 894, 895, 896, 917, 949 (image associated with member)
Group 3) 1, 170, 435, 604, 876, 877, 878, 884, 885, 891, 892, 955, 956, 957, 959, 960, 961, 962, 973, 974, 975, 976, 978, 979, 980, 981, 982, 985, 986, 987, 988 (explicit mentioning censoring based on user identity) 909, 916, 989 (using privileges or permissions)
Group 4) 977 (presenting user with alternatives)

which was changed, by agreement, to add claim 871 to Group 1, and 953 and 958 to Group 3. As such, agreement was reached that the groupings of the restricted claims is at least as follows:

Group 1) 165, 599, 901, 902, 903, 910, 918, 871 (no censoring)
Group 2) 409, 843, 893, 894, 895, 896, 917, 949 (image associated with member)
Group 3) 1, 170, 435, 604, 876, 877, 878, 884, 885, 891, 892, 953, 955, 956, 956, 957, 959, 960, 961, 962, 973, 974, 975, 976, 978, 979, 980, 981, 982, 985, 986, 987, 988 (explicit mentioning censoring based on user identity) 909, 916, 989
Group 4) 977 (presenting user with alternatives).

The application is believed to be in condition for allowance, and favorable action is requested. If the prosecution of this case can be in any way advanced by a telephone discussion, the Examiner is requested to call the undersigned at (312) 240-0824.

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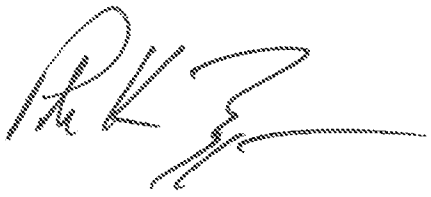

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Serial No.	:	09/399,578
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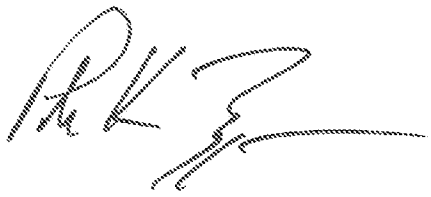

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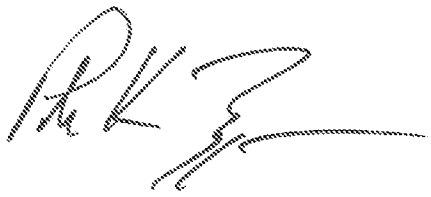

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APPLICATION AS FILED – PART I

	(Column 1)	(Column 2)	SMALL ENTITY ☐		OR	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY	
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INDEPENDENT CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(h))	minus 3 =	*	X $ =			X $ =	
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☐ MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT (37 CFR 1.16(j))							
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Diane Williams

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	Examiner	Art Unit	
	Patrice Winder	2145	

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

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(2) *Peter Trzyna*. (4)_____.

Date of Interview: *09 August 2007*.

Type: a)☒ Telephonic b)☐ Video Conference
c)☐ Personal [copy given to: 1)☐ applicant 2)☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d)☐ Yes e)☒ No.
If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: _____.

Identification of prior art discussed: _____.

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Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: The purpose of the interview was to explain the examiner's rationale behind the outstanding restriction requirement. First, upon review the examiner thought there are at least 4 groups. Each group can be represented by at 1 independent claim. The suggested groups are as follows: Group 1) is represented by claim 165, the key feature is similar to the originally filed claims, i.e. communication with in messages without censorship. Group 2) is represented by the claim 409, the key feature is an image associated with a member. Group 3) is represented by claim 1, the key feature is censorship based on user identity. Group 4) is represented by claim 435, the key feature is censorship based on media type. Second, the examiner deflected a few of applicant's arguments for the group. For example, applicant argued that many of the claims recite a login and password that links the authentication with the censorship. The examiner disagreed because the recitation of login and password are nominal in the claims. Unless the feature is utilized the feature would not an aspect used to determine the restriction. Applicant ended with the suggestion there was a linking claim between Groups 3 and 4. Claim 871 came up in the discussion and I have placed it with Group 1 because the features of the claim when considered as a whole are most similar to the originally filed claims.

Summary of Record of Interview Requirements

Manual of Patent Examining Procedure (MPEP), Section 713.04, Substance of Interview Must be Made of Record
A complete written statement as to the substance of any face-to-face, video conference, or telephone interview with regard to an application must be made of record in the application whether or not an agreement with the examiner was reached at the interview.

Title 37 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) § 1.133 Interviews
Paragraph (b)

In every instance where reconsideration is requested in view of an interview with an examiner, a complete written statement of the reasons presented at the interview as warranting favorable action must be filed by the applicant. An interview does not remove the necessity for reply to Office action as specified in §§ 1.111, 1.135. (35 U.S.C. 132)

37 CFR §1.2 Business to be transacted in writing.
All business with the Patent or Trademark Office should be transacted in writing. The personal attendance of applicants or their attorneys or agents at the Patent and Trademark Office is unnecessary. The action of the Patent and Trademark Office will be based exclusively on the written record in the Office. No attention will be paid to any alleged oral promise, stipulation, or understanding in relation to which there is disagreement or doubt.

The action of the Patent and Trademark Office cannot be based exclusively on the written record in the Office if that record is itself incomplete through the failure to record the substance of interviews.

It is the responsibility of the applicant or the attorney or agent to make the substance of an interview of record in the application file, unless the examiner indicates he or she will do so. It is the examiner's responsibility to see that such a record is made and to correct material inaccuracies which bear directly on the question of patentability.

Examiners must complete an Interview Summary Form for each interview held where a matter of substance has been discussed during the interview by checking the appropriate boxes and filling in the blanks. Discussions regarding only procedural matters, directed solely to restriction requirements for which interview recordation is otherwise provided for in Section 812.01 of the Manual of Patent Examining Procedure, or pointing out typographical errors or unreadable script in Office actions or the like, are excluded from the interview recordation procedures below. Where the substance of an interview is completely recorded in an Examiners Amendment, no separate Interview Summary Record is required.

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The Form provides for recordation of the following information:

- Application Number (Series Code and Serial Number)
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- Name of examiner
- Date of interview
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- Name of participant(s) (applicant, attorney or agent, examiner, other PTO personnel, etc.)
- An indication whether or not an exhibit was shown or a demonstration conducted
- An identification of the specific prior art discussed
- An indication whether an agreement was reached and if so, a description of the general nature of the agreement (may be by attachment of a copy of amendments or claims agreed as being allowable). Note: Agreement as to allowability is tentative and does not restrict further action by the examiner to the contrary.
- The signature of the examiner who conducted the interview (if Form is not an attachment to a signed Office action)

It is desirable that the examiner orally remind the applicant of his or her obligation to record the substance of the interview of each case. It should be noted, however, that the Interview Summary Form will not normally be considered a complete and proper recordation of the interview unless it includes, or is supplemented by the applicant or the examiner to include, all of the applicable items required below concerning the substance of the interview.

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1) A brief description of the nature of any exhibit shown or any demonstration conducted,
2) an identification of the claims discussed,
3) an identification of the specific prior art discussed,
4) an identification of the principal proposed amendments of a substantive nature discussed, unless these are already described on the Interview Summary Form completed by the Examiner,
5) a brief identification of the general thrust of the principal arguments presented to the examiner,
   (The identification of arguments need not be lengthy or elaborate. A verbatim or highly detailed description of the arguments is not required. The identification of the arguments is sufficient if the general nature or thrust of the principal arguments made to the examiner can be understood in the context of the application file. Of course, the applicant may desire to emphasize and fully describe those arguments which he or she feels were or might be persuasive to the examiner.)
6) a general indication of any other pertinent matters discussed, and
7) if appropriate, the general results or outcome of the interview unless already described in the Interview Summary Form completed by the examiner.

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First Named Inventor	MARKS, Daniel L.			Examiner Name	WINDER, Patrice L.		

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☐ Other _____

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☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a period of months _____
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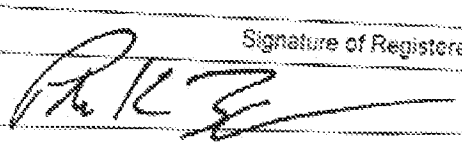
Signature		Date (YYYY-MM-DD)	2007-08-15
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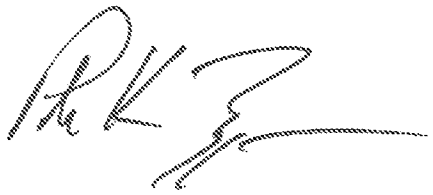

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Please enter the following Amendment and Response in response to the Office Action mailed June 15, 2007, and in connection with the Request for Continued Examination enclosed herewith, in the above-referenced patent application, and please reconsider the application in view of the above. It is believed that no new matter has been added.

I. Amendment

A. In the claims

Please amend the claims as follows:

1. (Previously presented) A method of communicating via an Internet network, the method including:

connecting a plurality of computers to a computer system, each of the plurality of computers connected to a respective input device and to a respective output device;

determining whether a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities are able to form a group for sending and for receiving communications in real time;

determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing at least one of a pointer, video, audio, a graphic, or multimedia; and

if the first and the second user identities are able to form the group, forming the group for sending the communications, and receiving the communications that are not censored based on the individual user identity, wherein the receiving is in real time and via the Internet network, and not presenting the data that is censored to the corresponding output device.

2. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing a pointer.

3. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is

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censored from data includes determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing video.

4. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing audio.

5. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing a graphic.

6. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing multimedia.

7. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing a pointer and video.

8. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is

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censored from data includes determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing a pointer and audio.

9. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing a pointer and a graphic.

10. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing video and audio.

11. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing video and a graphic.

12. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing audio and a graphic.

13. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is

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censored from data includes determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing a pointer and video and audio.

14. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing a pointer and video and a graphic.

15. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing a pointer and audio and a graphic.

16. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing video and audio and a graphic.

17. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the

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second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing a pointer and video and audio and a graphic.

18. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

19. (Previously presented) The method of claim 2, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

20. (Previously presented) The method of claim 3, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

21. (Previously presented) The method of claim 4, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

22. (Previously presented) The method of claim 5, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

23. (Previously presented) The method of claim 6, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

24. (Previously presented) The method of claim 7, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

25. (Previously presented) The method of claim 8, wherein at least some of the

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communications include at least one of text or ascii.

26. (Previously presented) The method of claim 9, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

27. (Previously presented) The method of claim 10, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

28. (Previously presented) The method of claim 11, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

29. (Previously presented) The method of claim 12, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

30. (Previously presented) The method of claim 13, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

31. (Previously presented) The method of claim 14, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

32. (Previously presented) The method of claim 15, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

33. (Previously presented) The method of claim 16, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

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34. (Previously presented) The method of claim 17, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

35. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, further including:

determining whether at least one of the first and the second user identities, individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia; and

sending the data that is not censored from sending.

36. (Previously presented) The method of claim 2, further including:

determining whether at least one of the first and the second user identities, individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia; and

sending the data that is not censored from sending.

37. (Previously presented) The method of claim 3, further including:

determining whether at least one of the first and the second user identities, individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia; and

sending the data that is not censored from sending.

38. (Previously presented) The method of claim 4, further including:

determining whether at least one of the first and the second user identities, individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing at least one of a

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pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia; and

sending the data that is not censored from sending.

39. (Previously presented) The method of claim 5, further including:

determining whether at least one of the first and the second user identities, individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia; and

sending the data that is not censored from sending.

40. (Previously presented) The method of claim 6, further including:

determining whether at least one of the first and the second user identities, individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia; and

sending the data that is not censored from sending.

41. (Previously presented) The method of claim 7, further including:

determining whether at least one of the first and the second user identities, individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia; and

sending the data that is not censored from sending.

42. (Previously presented) The method of claim 8, further including:

determining whether at least one of the first and the second user identities, individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia; and

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sending the data that is not censored from sending.

43. (Previously presented) The method of claim 9, further including:

determining whether at least one of the first and the second user identities, individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia; and

sending the data that is not censored from sending.

44. (Previously presented) The method of claim 10, further including:

determining whether at least one of the first and the second user identities, individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia; and

sending the data that is not censored from sending.

45. (Previously presented) The method of claim 11, further including:

determining whether at least one of the first and the second user identities, individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia; and

sending the data that is not censored from sending.

46. (Previously presented) The method of claim 12, further including:

determining whether at least one of the first and the second user identities, individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia; and

sending the data that is not censored from sending.

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47. (Previously presented) The method of claim 13, further including:

determining whether at least one of the first and the second user identities, individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia; and

sending the data that is not censored from sending.

48. (Previously presented) The method of claim 14, further including:

determining whether at least one of the first and the second user identities, individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia; and

sending the data that is not censored from sending.

49. (Previously presented) The method of claim 15, further including:

determining whether at least one of the first and the second user identities, individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia; and

sending the data that is not censored from sending.

50. (Previously presented) The method of claim 16, further including:

determining whether at least one of the first and the second user identities, individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia; and

sending the data that is not censored from sending.

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51. (Previously presented) The method of claim 17, further including:

determining whether at least one of the first and the second user identities, individually, is censored from sending in the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia; and

sending the data that is not censored from sending.

52. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

53. (Previously presented) The method of claim 2, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

54. (Previously presented) The method of claim 3, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

55. (Previously presented) The method of claim 4, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

56. (Previously presented) The method of claim 5, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

57. (Previously presented) The method of claim 6, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

58. (Previously presented) The method of claim 7, further including

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determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

59. (Previously presented) The method of claim 8, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

60. (Previously presented) The method of claim 9, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

61. (Previously presented) The method of claim 10, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

62. (Previously presented) The method of claim 11, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

63. (Previously presented) The method of claim 12, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

64. (Previously presented) The method of claim 13, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

65. (Previously presented) The method of claim 14, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

66. (Previously presented) The method of claim 15, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

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67. (Previously presented) The method of claim 16, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

68. (Previously presented) The method of claim 17, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

69. (Previously presented) The method of claim 52, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

70. (Previously presented) The method of claim 53, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

71. (Previously presented) The method of claim 54, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

72. (Previously presented) The method of claim 55, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

73. (Previously presented) The method of claim 56, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

74. (Previously presented) The method of claim 57, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

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75. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether a parameter corresponding to the first user identity has been determined by an other of the user identities.

76. (Previously presented) The method of claim 2, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether a parameter corresponding to the first user identity has been determined by an other of the user identities.

77. (Currently amended) The method of claim 3, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether a parameter corresponding to the first user identity has been determined by an other of the user identities.

78. (Previously presented) The method of claim 4, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether a parameter corresponding to the first user identity has been determined by an other of the user identities.

79. (Previously presented) The method of claim 5, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether a parameter corresponding to the first user identity has been determined by an other of the user identities.

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80. (Previously presented) The method of claim 6, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether a parameter corresponding to the first user identity has been determined by an other of the user identities.

81. (Previously presented) The method of claim 7, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether a parameter corresponding to the first user identity has been determined by an other of the user identities.

82. (Previously presented) The method of claim 8, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether a parameter corresponding to the first user identity has been determined by an other of the user identities.

83. (Previously presented) The method of claim 9, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether a parameter corresponding to the first user identity has been determined by an other of the user identities.

84. (Previously presented) The method of claim 10, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether a parameter corresponding to the first user identity has been determined by an other of the user identities.

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85. (Previously presented) The method of claim 11, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data includes determining whether a parameter corresponding to the first user identity has been determined by an other of the user identities.

86. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

87. (Previously presented) The method of claim 2, wherein the determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

88. (Previously presented) The method of claim 3, wherein the determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

89. (Previously presented) The method of claim 4, wherein the determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

90. (Previously presented) The method of claim 5, wherein the determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

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91. (Previously presented) The method of claim 6, wherein the determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

92. (Previously presented) The method of claim 7, wherein the determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

93. (Previously presented) The method of claim 8, wherein the determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

94. (Previously presented) The method of claim 9, wherein the determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

95. (Previously presented) The method of claim 10, wherein the determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

96. (Previously presented) The method of claim 11, wherein the determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

97. (Previously presented) The method of claim 12, wherein the determining

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whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

98. (Previously presented) The method of claim 13, wherein the determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

99. (Previously presented) The method of claim 14, wherein the determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

100. (Previously presented) The method of claim 15, wherein the determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

101. (Previously presented) The method of claim 16, wherein the determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

102. (Previously presented) The method of claim 17, wherein the determining whether the first of the user identities and the second of the user identities are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

103. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

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104. (Previously presented) The method of claim 2, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

105. (Previously presented) The method of claim 3, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

106. (Previously presented) The method of claim 4, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

107. (Previously presented) The method of claim 5, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

108. (Previously presented) The method of claim 6, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

109. (Previously presented) The method of claim 7, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

110. (Previously presented) The method of claim 8, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

111. (Previously presented) The method of claim 9, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

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112. (Previously presented) The method of claim 10, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

113. (Previously presented) The method of claim 11, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

114. (Previously presented) The method of claim 12, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

115. (Previously presented) The method of claim 13, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

116. (Previously presented) The method of claim 14, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

117. (Previously presented) The method of claim 15, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

118. (Previously presented) The method of claim 16, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

119. (Previously presented) The method of claim 17, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

120. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the data represents

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a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

121. (Previously presented) The method of claim 2, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

122. (Previously presented) The method of claim 7, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

123. (Previously presented) The method of claim 8, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

124. (Previously presented) The method of claim 9, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

125. (Previously presented) The method of claim 13, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

126. (Previously presented) The method of claim 14, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

127. (Previously presented) The method of claim 15, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

128. (Previously presented) The method of claim 17, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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129. (Previously presented) The method of claim 18, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

130. (Previously presented) The method of claim 19, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

131. (Previously presented) The method of claim 24, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

132. (Previously presented) The method of claim 25, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

133. (Previously presented) The method of claim 26, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

134. (Previously presented) The method of claim 30, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

135. (Previously presented) The method of claim 31, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

136. (Previously presented) The method of claim 32, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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137. (Previously presented) The method of claim 34, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

138. (Previously presented) The method of claim 35, wherein the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

139. (Previously presented) The method of claim 36, wherein the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

140. (Previously presented) The method of claim 41, wherein the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

141. (Previously presented) The method of claim 42, wherein the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

142. (Previously presented) The method of claim 43, wherein the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

143. (Previously presented) The method of claim 47, wherein the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on

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demand.

144. (Previously presented) The method of claim 48, wherein the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

145. (Previously presented) The method of claim 49, wherein the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

146. (Previously presented) The method of claim 51, wherein the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

147. (Previously presented) The method of claim 52, wherein the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

148. (Previously presented) The method of claim 53, wherein the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

149. (Previously presented) The method of claim 58, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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150. (Previously presented) The method of claim 59, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

151. (Previously presented) The method of claim 60, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

152. (Previously presented) The method of claim 64, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

153. (Previously presented) The method of claim 65, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

154. (Previously presented) The method of claim 66, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

155. (Previously presented) The method of claim 68, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

156. (Previously presented) The method of claim 69, wherein the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

157. (Previously presented) The method of claim 70, wherein the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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158. (Previously presented) The method of claim 75, wherein the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

159. (Previously presented) The method of claim 76, wherein the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

160. (Previously presented) The method of claim 77, wherein the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

161. (Previously presented) The method of claim 81, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

162. (Previously presented) The method of claim 82, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

163. (Previously presented) The method of claim 83, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

164. (Previously presented) The method of claim 85, wherein the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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165. (Withdrawn) A method of operating a system to receive a communication via an Internet network, the method including:

connecting a plurality of computers to a computer system;

sending, from each of the plurality of computers, a respective login name and a password corresponding to a respective user identity;

communicating a message comprised of a pointer, from a first of the plurality of computers to the computer system;

communicating the message from the computer system to a second of the plurality of computers; and

receiving via the pointer a communication from the first of the plurality of computers at the second of the plurality of computers, the communication being sent in real time and via the Internet network, the communication including data representing at least one of video, a graphic, sound, or multimedia.

166. (Previously presented) The method of claim 86, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

167. (Previously presented) The method of claim 87, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

168. (Previously presented) The method of claim 92, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

169. (Previously presented) The method of claim 93, wherein the pointer is a

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pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

170. (Previously presented) A method of communicating via an Internet network, the method including:

connecting a plurality of computers to a computer system;

sending, from each of the plurality of computers, a respective login name and password corresponding to a respective user identity;

determining whether a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities are able to form a group for sending and for receiving communications in real time;

determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data in the communications, the data representing at least one of a pointer, video, audio, a graphic or multimedia; and

if the first and the second user identities are able to form the group, then forming the group, sending the communications that are not censored based on the individual user identity, and receiving the communications, wherein the receiving is in real time and via the Internet network.

171. (Previously presented) The method of claim 94, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

172. (Previously presented) The method of claim 98, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

173. (Previously presented) The method of claim 99, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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174. (Previously presented) The method of claim 100, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

175. (Previously presented) The method of claim 102, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

176. (Previously presented) The method of claim 103, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

177. (Previously presented) The method of claim 104, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

178. (Previously presented) The method of claim 109, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

179. (Previously presented) The method of claim 110, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

180. (Previously presented) The method of claim 111, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

181. (Previously presented) The method of claim 115, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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182. (Previously presented) The method of claim 116, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

183. (Previously presented) The method of claim 117, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

184. (Previously presented) The method of claim 119, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

185. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein receiving the communications includes causing presentation of some of the communications by one of the plurality of computers in the group.

186. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, further including, when the data is censored, not receiving the communications that are censored based on the individual user identity, and not presenting the data that is censored to the corresponding output device.

187. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the computer system is comprised of an Internet service provider computer system.

188. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, further including:

storing, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical multimedia; and

based on the authorization, presenting the graphical multimedia at the output device corresponding to the second user identity.

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189. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, further including:

providing the first user identity with access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity.

190. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, further including:

determining whether the first user identity is censored from access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity;

if the first user identity is censored, not allowing access to the member-associated image; and

if the first user identity is not censored, allowing access to the member-associated image.

191. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data includes wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data representing a pointer.

192. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data includes wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data representing video.

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193. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data includes wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data representing audio.

194. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data includes wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data representing a graphic.

195. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data includes wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data representing multimedia.

196. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data includes wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data representing a pointer and video.

197. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the determining

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whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data includes wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data representing a pointer and audio.

198. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data includes wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data representing a pointer and a graphic.

199. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data includes wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data representing video and audio.

200. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data includes wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data representing video and a graphic.

201. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is

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censored from sending data includes wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data representing audio and a graphic.

202. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data includes wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data representing a pointer and video and audio.

203. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data includes wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data representing a pointer and video and a graphic.

204. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data includes wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data representing a pointer and audio and a graphic.

205. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data includes wherein the determining whether at least one of the first

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user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data representing video and audio and a graphic.

206. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data includes wherein the determining whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending data representing a pointer and video and audio and a graphic.

207. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

208. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 191, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

209. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 192, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

210. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 193, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

211. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 194, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

212. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 195, wherein at least some of

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the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

213. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 196, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

214. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 197, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

215. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 198, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

216. (Previously presented) The method of claim 199, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

217. (Previously presented) The method of claim 200, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

218. (Previously presented) The method of claim 201, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

219. (Previously presented) The method of claim 202, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

220. (Previously presented) The method of claim 203, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

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221. (Previously presented) The method of claim 204, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

222. (Previously presented) The method of claim 205, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

223. (Previously presented) The method of claim 206, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

224. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

225. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 191, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

226. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 192, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

227. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 193, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

228. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 194, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

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229. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 195, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

230. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 196, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

231. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 197, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

232. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 198, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

233. (Previously presented) The method of claim 199, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

234. (Previously presented) The method of claim 200, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

235. (Previously presented) The method of claim 201, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

236. (Previously presented) The method of claim 202, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

237. (Previously presented) The method of claim 203, further including

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determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

238. (Previously presented) The method of claim 204, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

239. (Previously presented) The method of claim 205, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

240. (Previously presented) The method of claim 206, further including determining whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content

241. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the determining whether the first user identity and the second user identity are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

242. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 191, wherein the determining whether the first user identity and the second user identity are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

243. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 192, wherein the determining whether the first user identity and the second user identity are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

244. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 193, wherein the determining whether the first user identity and the second user identity are able to form a group includes

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determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

245. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 194, wherein the determining whether the first user identity and the second user identity are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

246. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 195, wherein the determining whether the first user identity and the second user identity are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

247. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 196, wherein the determining whether the first user identity and the second user identity are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

248. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 197, wherein the determining whether the first user identity and the second user identity are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

249. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 198, wherein the determining whether the first user identity and the second user identity are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

250. (Previously presented) The method of claim 199, wherein the determining whether the first user identity and the second user identity are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

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251. (Previously presented) The method of claim 200, wherein the determining whether the first user identity and the second user identity are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

252. (Previously presented) The method of claim 201, wherein the determining whether the first user identity and the second user identity are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

253. (Previously presented) The method of claim 202, wherein the determining whether the first user identity and the second user identity are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

254. (Previously presented) The method of claim 203, wherein the determining whether the first user identity and the second user identity are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

255. (Previously presented) The method of claim 204, wherein the determining whether the first user identity and the second user identity are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

256. (Previously presented) The method of claim 205, wherein the determining whether the first user identity and the second user identity are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

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257. (Previously presented) The method of claim 206, wherein the determining whether the first user identity and the second user identity are able to form a group includes determining whether the first of the user identities is censored.

258. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

259. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 191, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

260. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 192, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

261. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 193, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

262. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 194, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

263. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 195, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

264. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 196, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

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265. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 197, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

266. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 198, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

267. (Previously presented) The method of claim 199, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

268. (Previously presented) The method of claim 200, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

269. (Previously presented) The method of claim 201, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

270. (Previously presented) The method of claim 202, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

271. (Previously presented) The method of claim 203, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

272. (Previously presented) The method of claim 204, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

273. (Previously presented) The method of claim 205, further including

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determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

274. (Previously presented) The method of claim 206, further including determining a user age corresponding to each of the user identities.

275. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing a human communication of sound.

276. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 191, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing a human communication of sound.

277. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 192, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing a human communication of sound.

278. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 193, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing a human communication of sound.

279. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 194, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing a human communication of sound.

280. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 195, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing a human communication of sound.

281. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 196, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing a human communication of sound.

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282. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 197, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing a human communication of sound.

283. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 198, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing a human communication of sound.

284. (Previously presented) The method of claim 199, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing a human communication of sound.

285. (Previously presented) The method of claim 200, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing a human communication of sound.

286. (Previously presented) The method of claim 201, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing a human communication of sound.

287. (Previously presented) The method of claim 202, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing a human communication of sound.

288. (Previously presented) The method of claim 203, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing a human communication of sound.

289. (Previously presented) The method of claim 204, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing a human communication of sound.

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290. (Previously presented) The method of claim 205, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing a human communication of sound.

291. (Previously presented) The method of claim 206, wherein at least one of the communications includes data representing a human communication of sound.

292. (Cancelled) ~~The method of claim 170, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.~~

293. (Cancelled) ~~The method of claim 191, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii~~.

294. (Cancelled) ~~The method of claim 192, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii~~.

295. (Cancelled) ~~The method of claim 193, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii~~.

296. (Cancelled) ~~The method of claim 194, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii~~.

297. (Cancelled) ~~The method of claim 195, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.~~

298. (Cancelled) ~~The method of claim 196, wherein at least one of the~~

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~~communications includes at least one of text or ascii.~~

299. (Cancelled) The method of claim 197, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.

300. (Cancelled) ~~The method of claim 198, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.~~

301. (Cancelled) ~~The method of claim 199, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.~~

302. (Cancelled) ~~The method of claim 200, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.~~

303. (Cancelled) ~~The method of claim 201, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.~~

304. (Cancelled) ~~The method of claim 202, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.~~

305. (Cancelled) ~~The method of claim 203, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.~~

306. (Cancelled) ~~The method of claim 204, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.~~

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307. (Cancelled) ~~The method of claim 205, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.~~

308. (Cancelled) ~~The method of claim 206, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.~~

309. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the computer system is comprised of an Internet service provider computer system.

310. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, further including:

storing, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical multimedia; and

based on the authorization, presenting the graphical multimedia at the output device corresponding to the second user identity.

311. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, further including:

providing the first user identity with access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity.

312. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, further including:

determining whether the first user identity is censored from access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity;

if the first user identity is censored, not allowing access to the member-associated image; and

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if the first user identity is not censored, allowing access to the member-associated image.

313. (Previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the data represents a pointer that a pointer-triggered message on demand.

314. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 191, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

315. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 196, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

316. (Previously presented) The method of claim 197, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

317. (Previously presented) The method of claim198, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

318. (Previously presented) The method of claim 202, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

319. (Previously presented) The method of claim 203, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

320. (Previously presented) The method of claim 204, wherein the pointer is a

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pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

321. (Previously presented) The method of claim 206, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

322. (Previously presented) The method of claim 207, wherein the data represents a pointer that a pointer-triggered message on demand.

323. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 208, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

324. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 213, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

325. (Previously presented) The method of claim 214, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

326. (Previously presented) The method of claim 215, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

327. (Previously presented) The method of claim 219, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

328. (Previously presented) The method of claim 220, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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329. (Previously presented) The method of claim 221, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

330. (Previously presented) The method of claim 223, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

331. (Previously presented) The method of claim 224, wherein the data represents a pointer that a pointer-triggered message on demand.

332. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 225, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

333. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 230, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

334. (Previously presented) The method of claim 231, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

335. (Previously presented) The method of claim 232, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

336. (Previously presented) The method of claim 236, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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337. (Previously presented) The method of claim 237, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

338. (Previously presented) The method of claim 238, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

339. (Previously presented) The method of claim 240, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

340. (Previously presented) The method of claim 241, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

341. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 242, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

342. (Previously presented) The method of claim 247, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

343. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 248, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

344. (Previously presented) The method of claim 249, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

345. (Previously presented) The method of claim 253, wherein the pointer is a

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pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

346. (Previously presented) The method of claim 254, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

347. (Previously presented) The method of claim 255, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

348. (Previously presented) The method of claim 257, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

349. (Previously presented) The method of claim 258, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

350. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 259, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

351. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 264, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

352. (Previously presented) The method of claim 265, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

353. (Previously presented) The method of claim 266, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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354. (Previously presented) The method of claim 270, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

355. (Previously presented) The method of claim 271, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

356. (Previously presented) The method of claim 272, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

357. (Previously presented) The method of claim 274, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

358. (Previously presented) The method of claim 275, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

359. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 276, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

360. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 281, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

361. (Previously presented) The method of claim 282, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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362. (Previously presented) The method of claim 283, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

363. (Previously presented) The method of claim 287, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

364. (Previously presented) The method of claim 288, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

365. (Previously presented) The method of claim 289, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

366. (Previously presented) The method of claim 291, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

367. (Cancelled) ~~The method of claim 292, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.~~

368. (Cancelled) ~~The method of claim 293, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.~~

369. (Cancelled) ~~The method of claim 298, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.~~

370. (Cancelled) ~~The method of claim 299, wherein the pointer is a pointer~~

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~~that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.~~

371. (Cancelled) ~~The method of claim 300, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.~~

372. (Cancelled) ~~The method of claim 304, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.~~

373. (Cancelled) ~~The method of claim 305, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.~~

374. (Cancelled) ~~The method of claim 306, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.~~

375. (Cancelled) ~~The method of claim 308, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.~~

376. (Previously presented) The method of claim 309, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

377. (Previously presented) The method of claim 310, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

378. (Previously presented) The method of claim 311, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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379. (Previously presented) The method of claim 312, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

380. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the data represents a pointer.

381. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the data represents video.

382. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the data represents audio.

383. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the data represents a graphic.

384. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the data represents multimedia.

385. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the data represents a pointer and video.

386. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the data represents a pointer and audio.

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387. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the data represents a pointer and a graphic.

388. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the data represents video and audio.

389. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the data represents video and a graphic.

390. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the data represents audio and a graphic.

391. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the data represents a pointer and video and audio.

392. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the data represents a pointer and video and a graphic.

393. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the data represents a pointer and audio and a graphic.

394. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the data represents video and audio and a graphic.

395. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the data

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represents a pointer and video and audio and a graphic.

396. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

397. (Previously presented) The system of claim 380, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

398. (Previously presented) The system of claim 381, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

399. (Previously presented) The system of claim 382, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

400. (Previously presented) The system of claim 383, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

401. (Previously presented) The system of claim 384, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

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402. (Previously presented) The system of claim 385, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

403. (Previously presented) The system of claim 386, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

404. (Previously presented) The system of claim 387, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

405. (Previously presented) The system of claim 388, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

406. (Previously presented) The system of claim 389, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

407. (Previously presented) The system of claim 390, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

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408. (Previously presented) The system of claim 391, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

409. (Withdrawn) A method of communicating via an Internet network, the method including:

connecting a plurality of computers to a computer system via the Internet network;

sending, from each of said plurality of computers, a login name and a password corresponding to a respective user identity;

determining which of the plurality of computers can communicate communications with at least one other of the plurality of computers,

receiving at least some of the communications in real time via the Internet network; and

providing, to at least one of the plurality of computers under control of the computer system, a member-associated image and member identity information corresponding to one of the user identities.

410. (Previously presented) The system of claim 392, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

411. (Previously presented) The system of claim 393, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

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412. (Previously presented) The system of claim 394, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

413. (Previously presented) The system of claim 395, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

414. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia, and

send the communications that are not censored from sending.

415. (Previously presented) The system of claim 380, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia, and

send the communications that are not censored from sending.

416. (Previously presented) The system of claim 381, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia, and

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send the communications that are not censored from sending.

417. (Previously presented) The system of claim 382, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia, and

send the communications that are not censored from sending.

418. (Previously presented) The system of claim 383, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia, and

send the communications that are not censored from sending.

419. (Previously presented) The system of claim 384, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia, and

send the communications that are not censored from sending.

420. (Previously presented) The system of claim 385, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia, and

send the communications that are not censored from sending.

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421. (Previously presented) The system of claim 386, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia, and

send the communications that are not censored from sending.

422. (Previously presented) The system of claim 387, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia, and

send the communications that are not censored from sending.

423. (Previously presented) The system of claim 388, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia, and

send the communications that are not censored from sending.

424. (Previously presented) The system of claim 389, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia, and

send the communications that are not censored from sending.

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425. (Previously presented) The system of claim 390, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia, and

send the communications that are not censored from sending.

426. (Previously presented) The system of claim 391, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia, and

send the communications that are not censored from sending.

427. (Previously presented) The system of claim 392, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia, and

send the communications that are not censored from sending.

428. (Previously presented) The system of claim 393, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia, and

send the communications that are not censored from sending.

429. (Previously presented) The system of claim 394, wherein the computer

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system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia, and

send the communications that are not censored from sending.

430. (Previously presented) The system of claim 395, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from sending the communications data representing at least one of a pointer, video, a graphic, or multimedia, and

send the communications that are not censored from sending.

431. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.

432. (Previously presented) The system of claim 380, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.

433. (Previously presented) The system of claim 381, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.

434. (Previously presented) The system of claim 382, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.

435. (Previously presented) A system to communicate over an Internet network, the system including:

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a plurality of computers connected to a computer system, each of the plurality of computers being connected to a respective input device and a respective output device, the computer system being programmed to: form a group, responsive to each of the plurality of computers sending a respective login name and a password corresponding to a respective user identity, the group corresponding to a first of the user identities and a second of the user identities, each member of the group being capable of sending and receiving communications in real time,

determine whether at least one of the first user identity and the second user identity, individually, is censored from data representing a pointer, video, audio, a graphic, or multimedia,

cause the plurality of computers in the group to receive, in real time via the Internet network, the communications that are not censored based on the individual user identity, and

cause the plurality of computers in the group to not present the data that is censored based on the individual user identity to the corresponding output device.

436. (Previously presented) The system of claim 383, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.

437. (Previously presented) The system of claim 384, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.

438. (Previously presented) The system of claim 385, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.

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439. (Previously presented) The system of claim 386, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.

440. (Previously presented) The system of claim 387, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.

441. (Previously presented) The system of claim 388, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.

442. (Previously presented) The system of claim 389, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.

443. (Previously presented) The system of claim 390, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.

444. (Previously presented) The system of claim 391, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.

445. (Previously presented) The system of claim 392, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.

446. (Previously presented) The system of claim 393, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.

447. (Previously presented) The system of claim 394, wherein at least one of

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the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.

448. (Previously presented) The system of claim 395, wherein at least one of the communications includes at least one of text or ascii.

449. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the computer system is comprised of an Internet service provider.

450. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the computer system is further programmed to:

store, for the first user identity, an authorization associated with presentation of graphical data, and

based on the authorization, allow the graphical data to be presented at the output device corresponding to the second user identity.

451. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the computer system is further programmed to:

provide the first user identity with access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity.

452. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the computer system is further programmed to:

determine whether the first user identity is censored from access to a member-associated image corresponding to the second user identity,

If the first user identity is censored, not allowing access to member-associated

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image, and

If the first user identity is not censored, allow access to the member-associated image.

453. (Previously presented) The system of claim 435, the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

454. (Previously presented) The system of claim 380, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

455. (Previously presented) The system of claim 385, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

456. (Previously presented) The system of claim 386, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

457. (Previously presented) The system of claim 387, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

458. (Previously presented) The system of claim 391, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

459. (Previously presented) The system of claim 392, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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460. (Previously presented) The system of claim 393, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

461. (Previously presented) The system of claim 395, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

462. (Previously presented) The system of claim 396, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

463. (Previously presented) The system of claim 397, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

464. (Previously presented) The system of claim 402, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

465. (Previously presented) The system of claim 403, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

466. (Previously presented) The system of claim 404, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

467. (Previously presented) The system of claim 408, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

468. (Previously presented) The system of claim 410, wherein the pointer is a

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pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

469. (Previously presented) The system of claim 411, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

470. (Previously presented) The system of claim 413, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

471. (Previously presented) The system of claim 414, wherein the data that is censored from sending represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

472. (Previously presented) The system of claim 415, wherein the data that represents the pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

473. (Previously presented) The system of claim 420, wherein the data that represents the pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

474. (Previously presented) The system of claim 421, wherein the data that represents the pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

475. (Previously presented) The system of claim 422, wherein the data that represents the pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

476. (Previously presented) The system of claim 426, wherein the data that

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represents the pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

477. (Previously presented) The system of claim 427, wherein the data that represents the pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

478. (Previously presented) The system of claim 428, wherein the data that represents the pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

479. (Previously presented) The system of claim 430, wherein the data that represents the pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

480. (Previously presented) The system of claim 431, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

481. (Previously presented) The system of claim 432, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

482. (Previously presented) The system of claim 438, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

483. (Previously presented) The system of claim 439, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

484. (Previously presented) The system of claim 440, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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485. (Previously presented) The system of claim 444, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

486. (Previously presented) The system of claim 445, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

487. (Previously presented) The system of claim 446, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

488. (Previously presented) The system of claim 448, wherein the pointer is a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

489. (Previously presented) The system of claim 449, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

490. (Previously presented) The system of claim 450, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

491. (Previously presented) The system of claim 451, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

492. (Previously presented) The system of claim 452, wherein the data represents a pointer that produces a pointer-triggered message on demand.

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493. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the data represents a pointer.

494. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein data represents video.

495. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the data represents audio.

496. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the data represents a graphic.

497. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the data represents multimedia.

498. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the data represents a pointer and video.

499. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the data represents a pointer and audio.

500. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the data represents a pointer and a graphic.

501. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the data

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represents video and audio.

502. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the data represents video and a graphic.

503. (Cancelled) ~~The system of claim 604, wherein the data represents video and a graphic.~~

504. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the data represents a pointer and video and a audio.

505. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the data represents a pointer and video and a graphic.

506. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the data represents a pointer and audio and a graphic.

507. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the data represents video and audio and a graphic.

508. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the data represents a pointer and video and audio and a graphic.

509. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

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510. (Previously presented) The system of claim 493, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

511. (Previously presented) The system of claim 494, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

512. (Previously presented) The system of claim 495, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

513. (Previously presented) The system of claim 496, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

514. (Previously presented) The system of claim 497, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

515. (Previously presented) The system of claim 498, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

516. (Previously presented) The system of claim 499, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

517. (Previously presented) The system of claim 500, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

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518. (Previously presented) The system of claim 501, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

519. (Previously presented) The system of claim 502, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

520. (Cancelled) ~~The system of claim 503, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.~~

521. (Previously presented) The system of claim 504, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

522. (Previously presented) The system of claim 505, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

523. (Previously presented) The system of claim 506, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

524. (Previously presented) The system of claim 507, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

525. (Previously presented) The system of claim 508, wherein at least some of the communications include at least one of text or ascii.

526. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the computer

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system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

527. (Previously presented) The system of claim 493, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

528. (Previously presented) The system of claim 494, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

529. (Previously presented) The system of claim 495, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

530. (Previously presented) The system of claim 496, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

531. (Previously presented) The system of claim 497, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

532. (Previously presented) The system of claim 498, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is

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censored based on content.

533. (Previously presented) The system of claim 499, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

534. (Previously presented) The system of claim 500, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

535. (Previously presented) The system of claim 501, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

536. (Previously presented) The system of claim 502, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

537. (Cancelled) ~~The system of claim 503, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.~~

538. (Previously presented) The system of claim 504, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

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539. (Previously presented) The system of claim 505, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

540. (Previously presented) The system of claim 506, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

541. (Previously presented) The system of claim 507, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

542. (Previously presented) The system of claim 508, wherein the computer system is further programmed to determine whether at least one of the communications is censored based on content.

543. (Previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein at least one of the communications includes a human communication of sound.

544. (Previously presented) The system of claim 493, wherein at least one of the communications includes a human communication of sound.

545. (Previously presented) The system of claim 494, wherein at least one of the communications includes a human communication of sound.

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546. (Previously presented) The system of claim 495, wherein at least one of the communications includes a human communication of sound.

547. (Previously presented) The system of claim 496, wherein at least one of the communications includes a human communication of sound.

548. (Previously presented) The system of claim 497, wherein at least one of the communications includes a human communication of sound.

549. (Previously presented) The system of claim 498, wherein at least one of the communications includes a human communication of sound.

550. (Previously presented) The system of claim 499, wherein at least one of the communications includes a human communication of sound.

551. (Previously presented) The system of claim 500, wherein at least one of the communications includes a human communication of sound.

552. (Previously presented) The system of claim 501, wherein at least one of the communications includes a human communication of sound.

553. (Previously presented) The system of claim 502, wherein at least one of the communications includes a human communication of sound.

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