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(54) CRITICAL ALIGNMENT OF PARALLAX IMAGES FOR AUTOSTEREOSCOPIC DISPLAY

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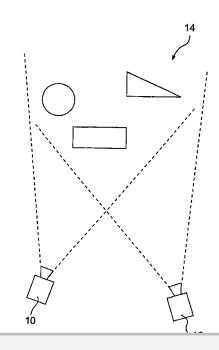
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(57) ABSTRACT

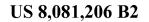
A method is provided for generating an autostereoscopic display. The method includes acquiring a first parallax image and at least one other parallax image. At least a portion of the first parallax image may be aligned with a corresponding portion of the at least one other parallax image. Alternating views of the first parallax image and the at least one other parallax image may be displayed.

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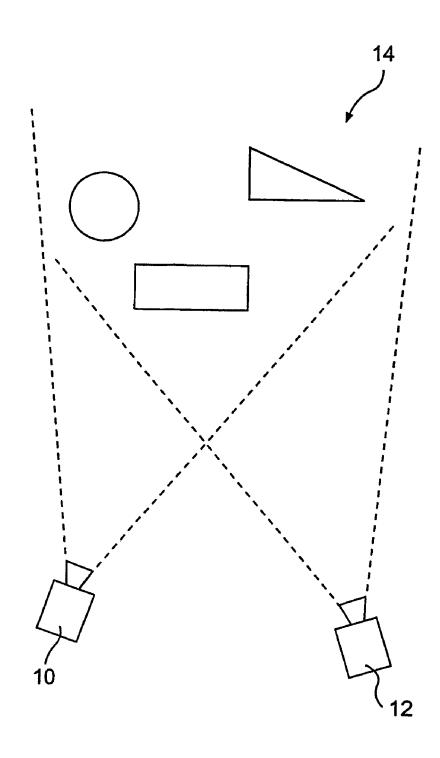


FIG. 1



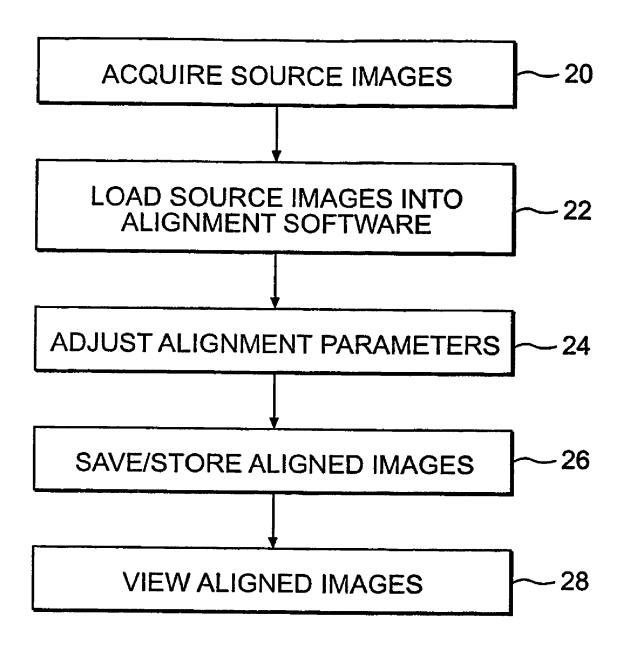
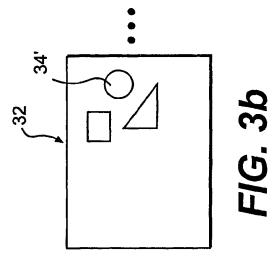
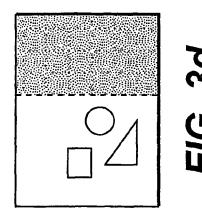
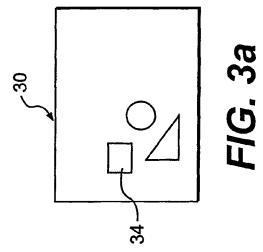


FIG. 2









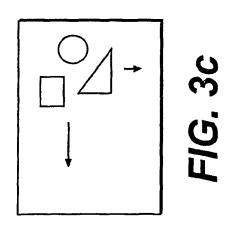


FIG. 4a

ALIGNED IMAGES (THREE R-L PAIRS)

ABCDEF

ABCDEFABCDEF SEQUENTIAL PLAYBACK PATTERN F/G. 4c

ADEBCFABCF

RANDOM PLAYBACK PATTERN

FIG. 4d

ANOTHER RANDOM PLAYBACK PATTERN

CFABEDBADEF

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