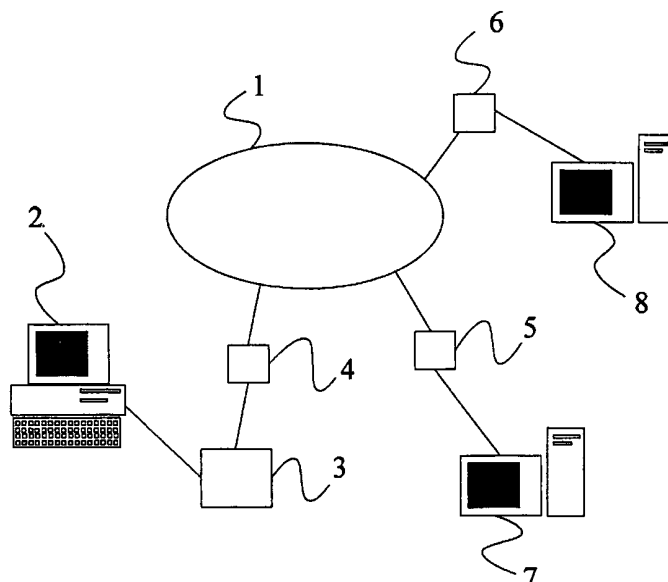




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A method of facilitating the correction of an incorrect hyperlink contained in a source web page stored on a first web server (7) at an address identified by a first Universal Resource Locator (URL) and which hyperlink points to a second URL at a second web server (8). The method comprises copying the source page from the first web server (7) to a browser of a client computer (2) via the Internet, and selecting the incorrect hyperlink at the browser so as to transmit a URL resource retrieval request from the browser to the second web server (8). The request is received at the second web server (8) which responds by returning to the browser a corrected URL. The corrected URL and said first URL are transmitted from the browser to said first web server (7).

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