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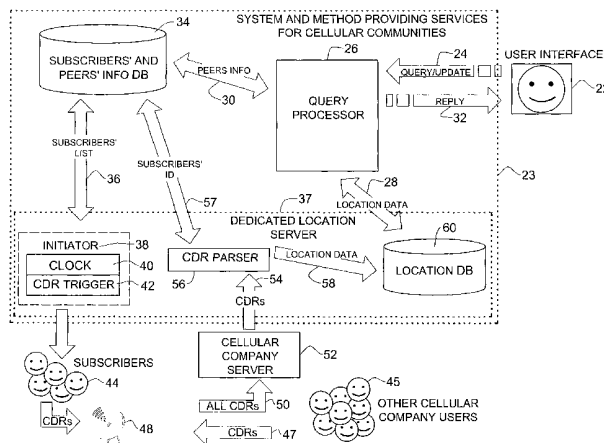
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(57) Abstract: A communication system for determining the location of users and for further using the users location information for the generation and transmission of communication data required by a plurality of users sharing common interests. The system (23) includes a wireless communication network and a plurality of user terminals (44) having a user interface providing wireless communication capabilities through the wireless communication network. Each terminal is configured to generate a query (24) and for further transmission of the query to a query processor apparatus. The user terminal is further configured to receive from the query apparatus query results (32) and providing them as an output. The query processor apparatus (26) being responsive to the query for processing the query results on the basis of information regarding user's location provided from a user location device that coupled to data communication bus coupled to a central processing unit. The central processing unit delivers, through the data bus, communication data stream that include user's location data. The user location device is configured to extract the user location data.



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