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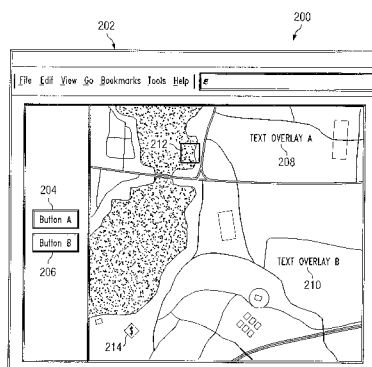


FIG. 2

(57) Abstract: According to one embodiment of the disclosure, a method for manipulating graphical images includes providing a browser that renders a graphical image on a display. The browser includes a JavaScript engine that uses one or more Asynchronous JavaScript and XML requests to interact with a graphical image manager. The graphical image manager retrieves the graphical image from a database. The method also includes adding one or more annotations to the graphical image. The method further includes storing the one or more annotations and the graphical image in the database.

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