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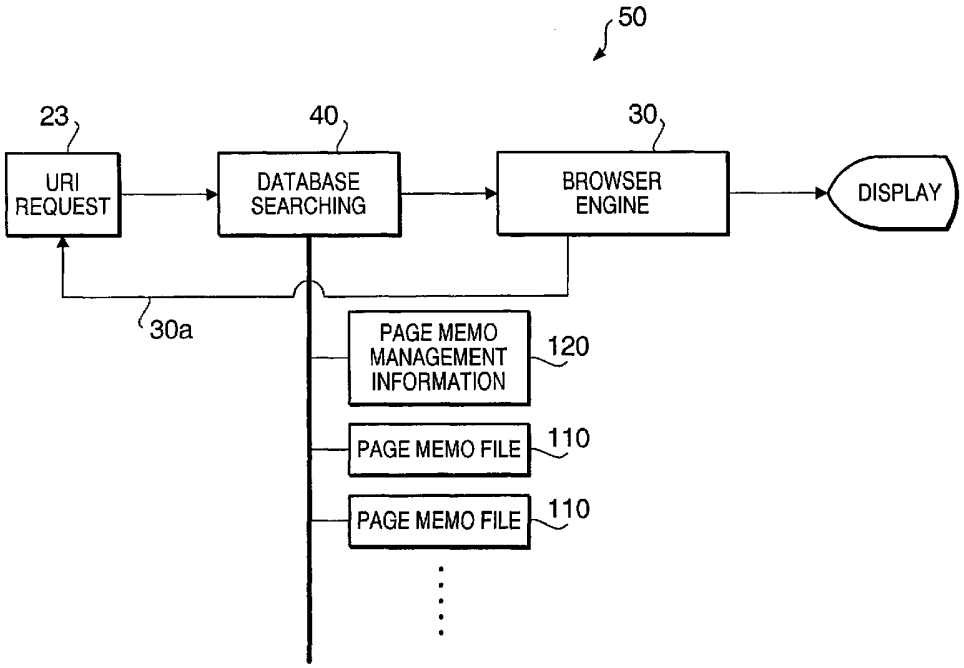

(57) Abstract: There is provided a method of browsing contents on a network in an offline mode of a terminal device. The method includes receiving a request for an object, reading out the requested object from a storing file, which stores at least one object obtained from the network and has a predetermined file format, by using management information including relationship between location information locating the requested object on the network and a file name of the storing file containing the requested object, and displaying the requested object read out from the storing file.

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