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(54) Title: AUTOMATIC SHARING OF EVENT CONTENT BY LINKING DEVICES

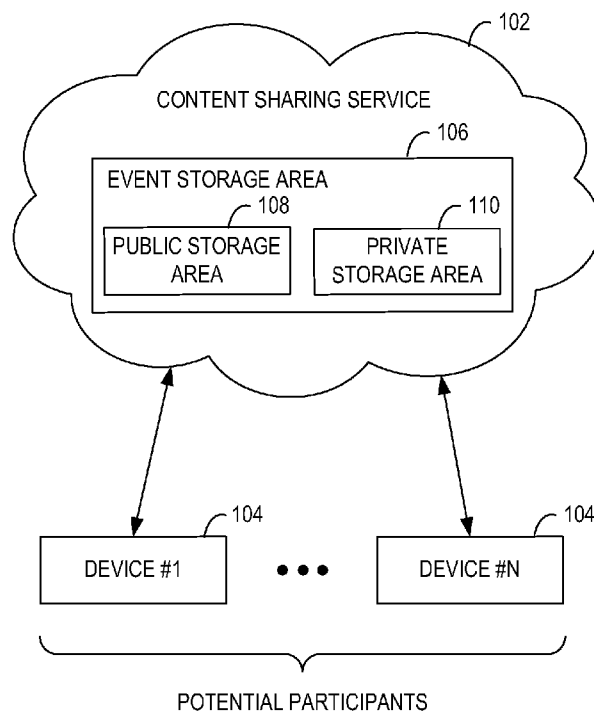


FIG. 1

(57) Abstract: Embodiments enable content sharing using event notifications that include a global identifier and a private identifier. The event notifications are sent to potential participants to an event. Potential participants that accept the event notification or otherwise request to join the event use the private identifier to submit content to a content sharing service. Based at least on the private identifiers associated with event participants, the content from event participants is selectively shared among the other event participants.

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