

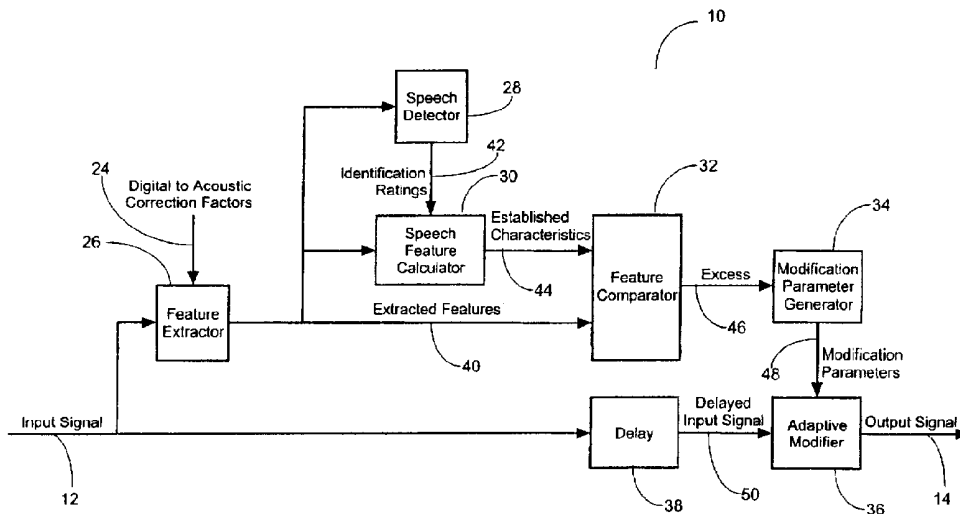
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(57) A method and system for controlling potentially harmful signals in a signal arranged to convey speech is described. The method includes the steps of establishing characteristics of the signal when it is conveying speech; monitoring the signal; and controlling the signal relative to the established characteristics.



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