

ABSTRACTINFORMATION PROCESSING APPARATUS

5 An information processing apparatus (1) has a coordinate data
inputting means (31, 32) for sequentially inputting coordinate data by
operation of a movable member (6), the coordinate data corresponding to
the position of the movable member (6). The movable member is a pen
(6), a change of the moving angle of its locus being detected by a
10 detecting means (24) as an angle between the position of the pen (6)
and a predetermined base position based on the coordinate data. The
base position is displayed on a display (5) as a circular image in the
form of a dial on which the pen (6) may be pinned down so that a
processing means detects the rotating angle of the pen (6) to change a
15 function to be processed. In one arrangement, the circular image acts
as a jog control, rotation of the pen (6) causing turning of page
numbers.

