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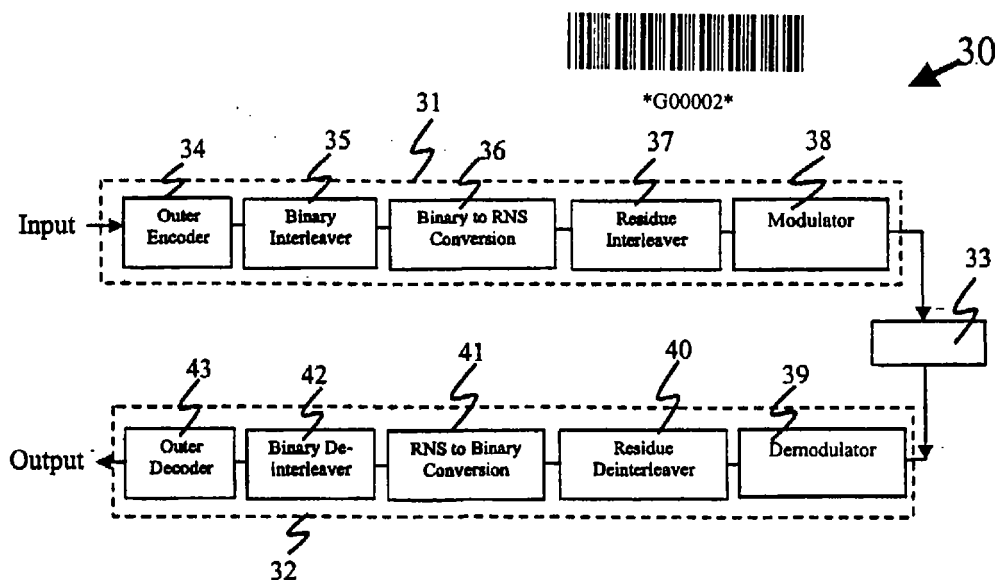
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(54) Title: COMMUNICATION SYSTEM USING A MODULATION METHOD BASED ON RESIDUE NUMBER SYSTEMS



(57) Abstract: A communication system (30) having a transmitting section (31) and a receiving section (32) to transmit and to receive, respectively, a spread signal. The communication system (30) applies a modulation scheme using the residue number system to modulate binary information for the spread signal using a modulator (38) of the transmitting section (31). Residue sets are derived from a plurality of bits provided by the binary information. Each residue set corresponds to a residue symbol and has at least one non-redundant residue. A fixed number of least significant binary bits of each residue set are then modulated to form a modulated symbol. An orthogonal code sequence, associated with remaining bits of the binary bits of each residue set, is then selected to spread the modulated symbol on a residue channel for transmission. At the receiving section (32), a demodulator (39) demodulates the spread signal to obtain the binary information.

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