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(57) Abstract

An apparatus (100) for processing a source (101A) of compressed digital video and control data occurring in transport packets. The apparatus (100) comprises a deriving means (104) responsive to the source (101A) for deriving copy control data (104A) from the transport packets. A generating means (105) responsive to the copy control data (104A) for generating a copy control word (CC). A forming means (108) for forming a superpacket (SP) including the copy control word (CC) and the transport packets (TP).

