INTELLIGENT DRILL-DOWN FOR GRAPHICAL USER INTERFACE

Abstract

A graphical user interface with intelligent drill-down capability is presented. On various views of data objects in the graphical user interface, a drill-down mechanism is provided. Data objects may include lists, tables, charts, or graphics. When the drill-down mechanism is activated, preferably via a one-step activation method, child data objects containing detailed information about the parent data object are automatically displayed. The data objects displayed are automatically selected based on the context of the parent data object.

FIGS. 5A & 5B ACCOMPANIES THIS ABSTRACT