ABSTRACT

A method and a device for intercepting a junk mail are provided. The method mainly includes: A: obtaining text data of a mail which requires filtering processing; B: determining whether the text data contain a keyword in a string contained in a string database for mail filtering, and if the text data contain the keyword in the string contained in the string database for mail filtering, further determining whether the text data comprise a string corresponding to the keyword contained in the string database; and C: determining whether the mail is a junk mail according to a result of the further determining and according to a predetermined determining policy, and intercepting the mail if the mail is the junk mail. By the method and device, the scanning efficiency and the scanning speed can be improved, and real-time filtering for the mail can be implemented even when the string database has a relatively large dimension.