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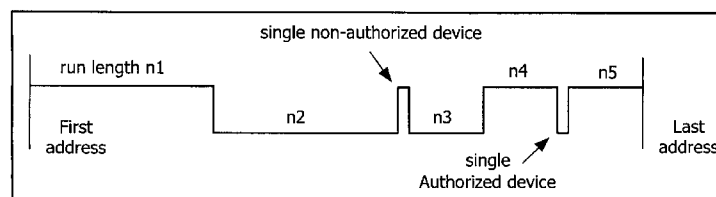
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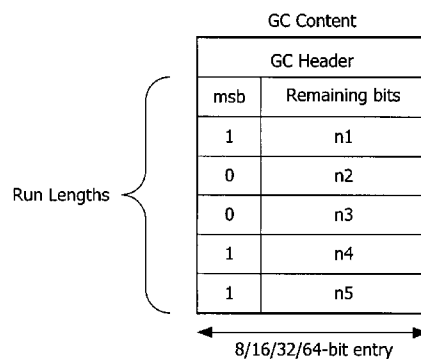
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0 = Authorized



(57) Abstract: A method of generating an authorization status list, comprising generating a run-length encoded representation of an authorization status of a number of devices and storing the representation in the authorization status list. Preferably comprises generating the representation by indicating, for each of a number of ranges of devices, the devices in a particular range having a same authorization status, the number of devices in each of said ranges, together with for each of said ranges the authorization status shared by the devices in each of said ranges. A range may then be omitted if it is of a predetermined length.

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