

ABSTRACT

A METHOD OF PROVIDING DATA FOR A PLANT MONITORINGAPPLICATION

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A method is disclosed for obtaining data for a plant monitoring application on a client machine. The method comprises updating data stored in a cache on the client machine and associated with a timestamp indicative of a specified time by the steps of a server identifying one or more updated data in the server, each updated data being data
10 updated in the server after the specified time; the client machine retrieving the identified updated data from the server; loading the identified updated data into the cache on the client machine by substituting the identified updated data for a corresponding data; and updating the timestamp.

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