

ABSTRACT

A mobile terminal apparatus 1 uses an acceleration sensor as a tilt angle sensor 24 and delivers a variety of applications based on a result of detection. A

5 processing unit 10 counts the number of steps that a person takes, based on low-frequency acceleration components detected by the tilt angle sensor 24. Further, the processing unit 10 is capable of turning on or off a power supply or adjusting a screen scroll speed in

10 accordance with the detected acceleration. By taking advantage of the result of detection by the tilt angle sensor 24, it is possible to configure the mobile terminal apparatus 1 as a highly useful apparatus.