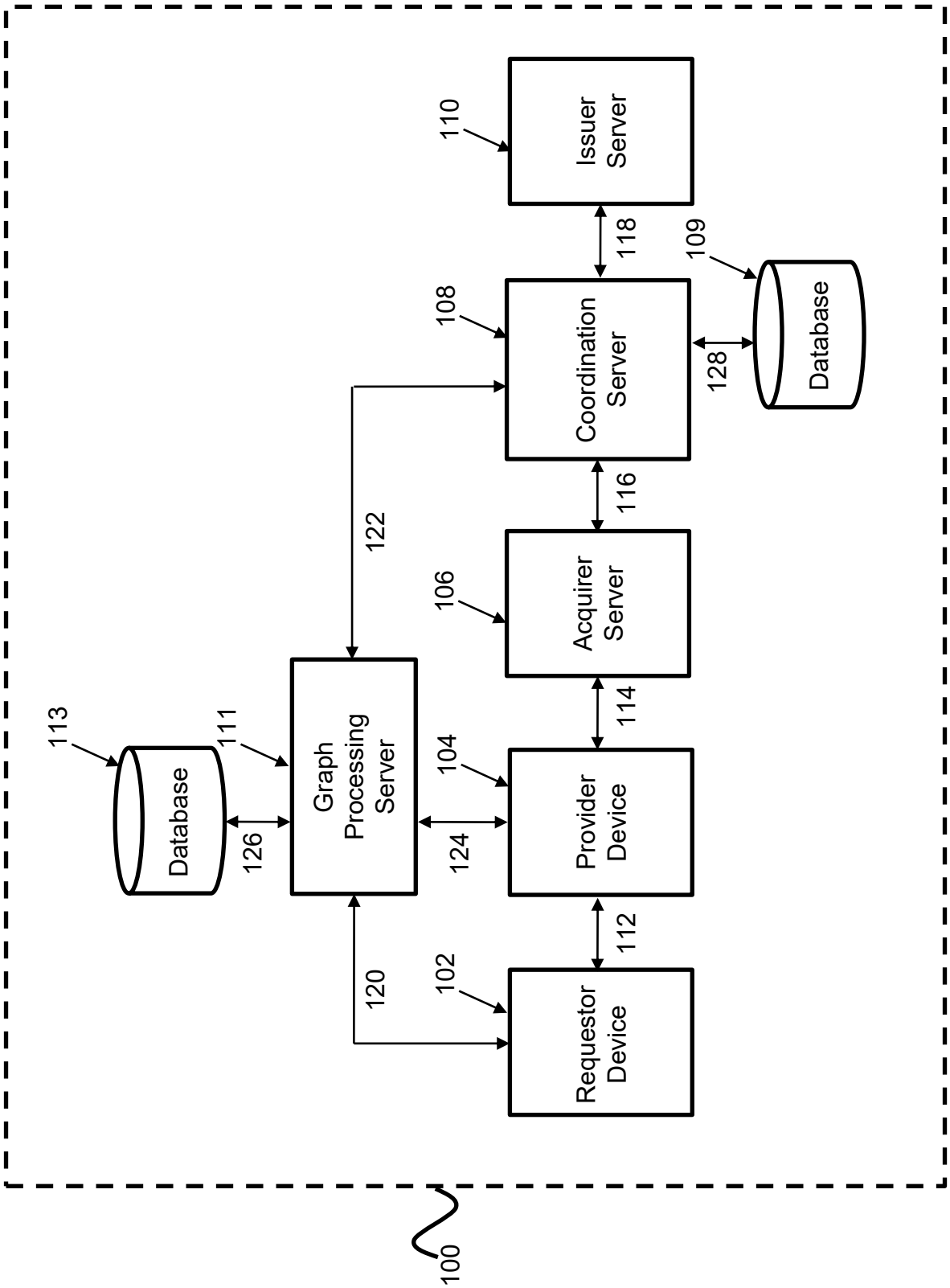

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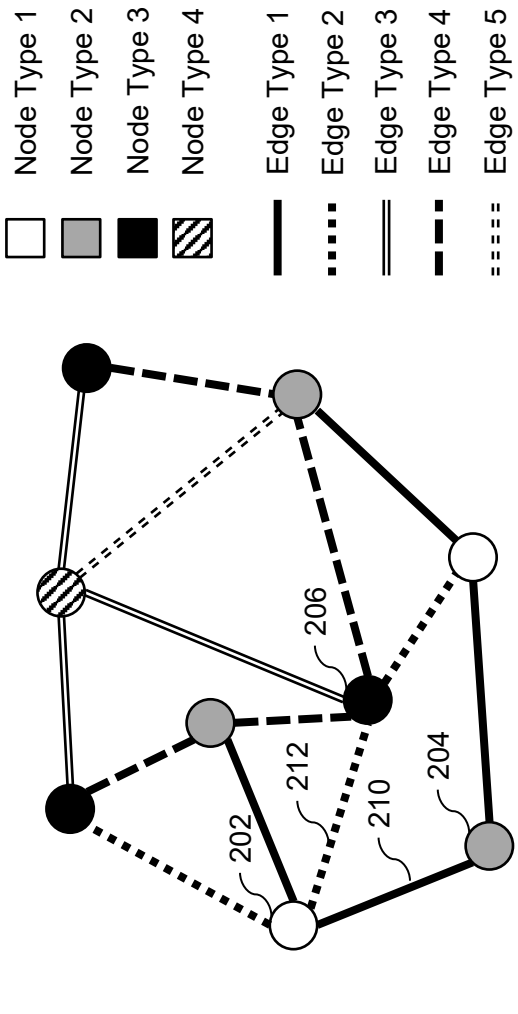

Node Type 1
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Edge Type 1
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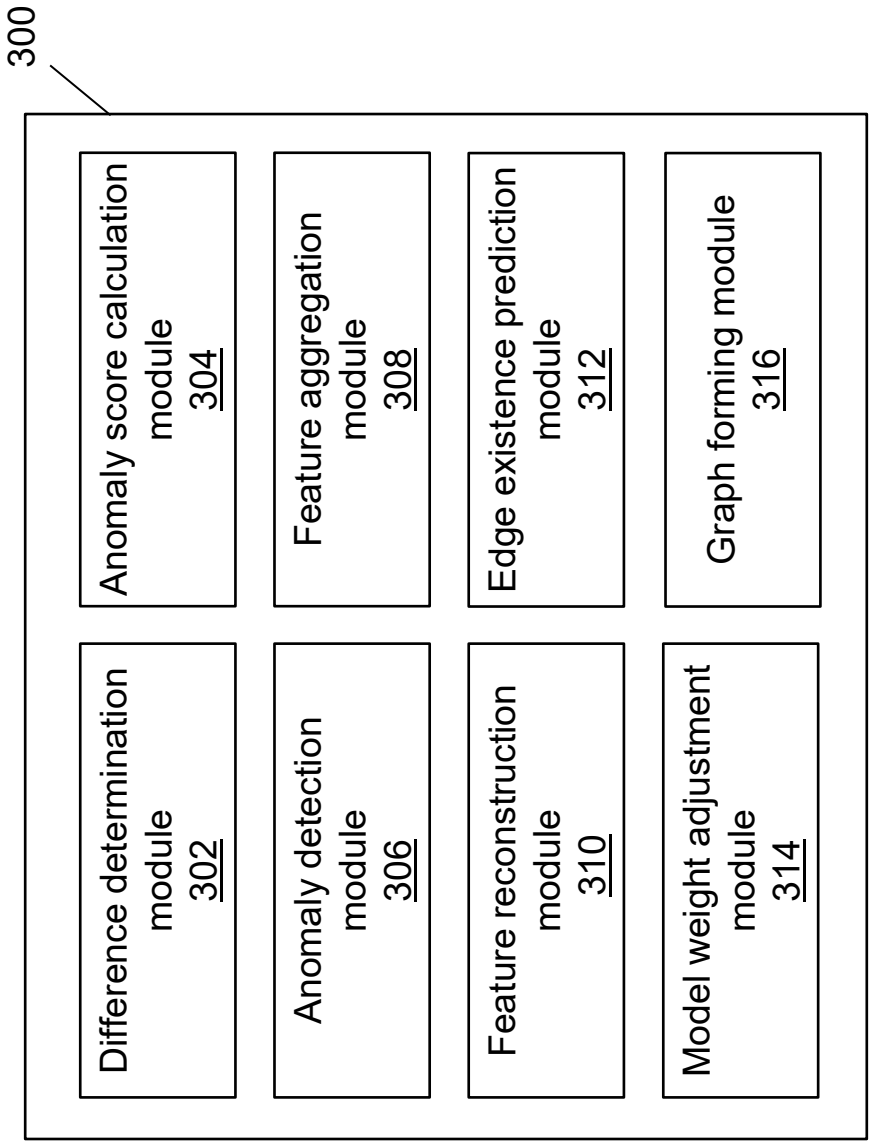

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Figure 3

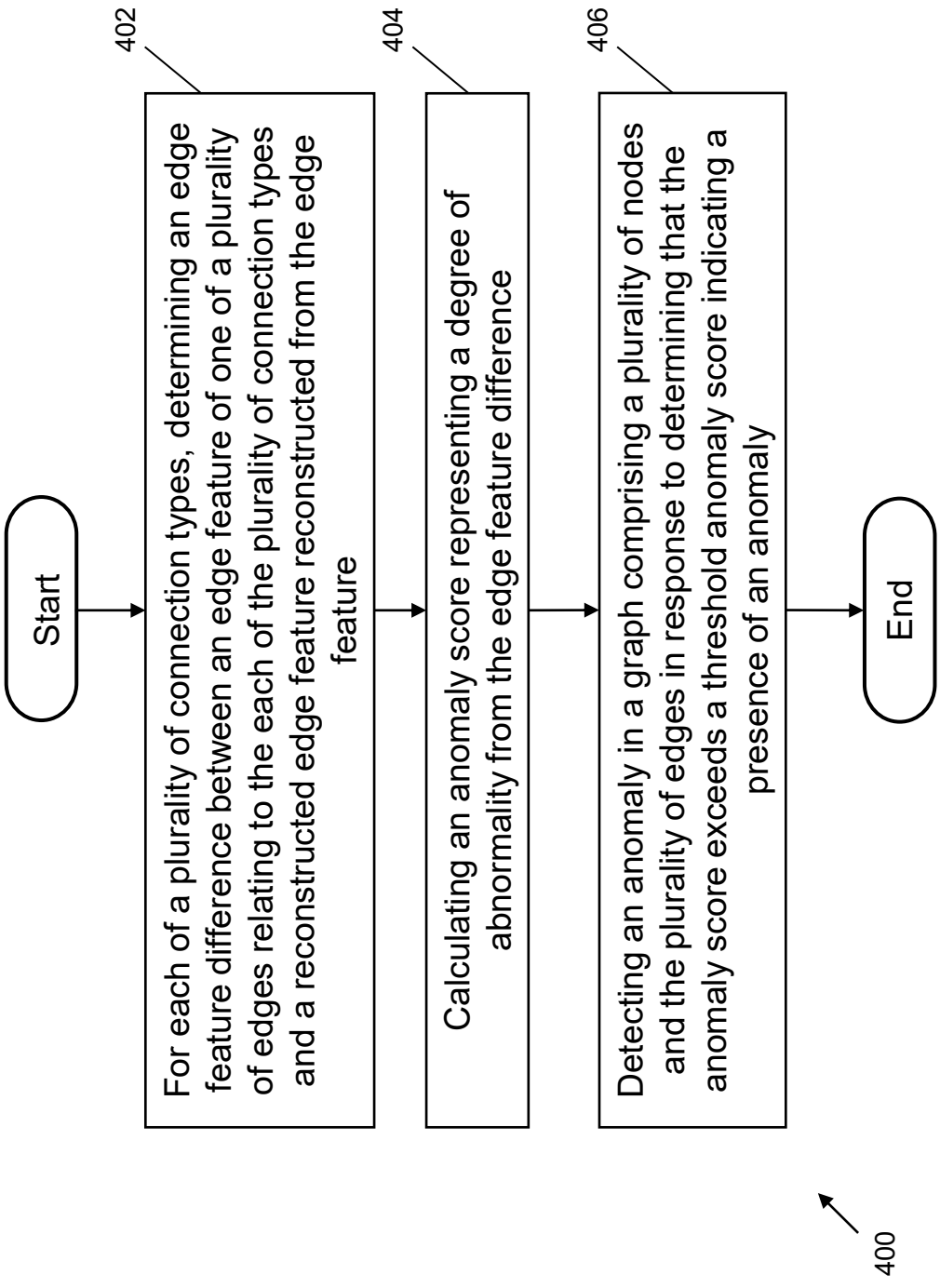

Start
402
For each of a plurality of connection types, determining an edge feature difference between an edge feature of one of a plurality of edges relating to the each of the plurality of connection types and a reconstructed edge feature reconstructed from the edge feature
404
Calculating an anomaly score representing a degree of abnormality from the edge feature difference
406
Detecting an anomaly in a graph comprising a plurality of nodes and the plurality of edges in response to determining that the anomaly score exceeds a threshold anomaly score indicating a presence of an anomaly
End
400

Figure 4

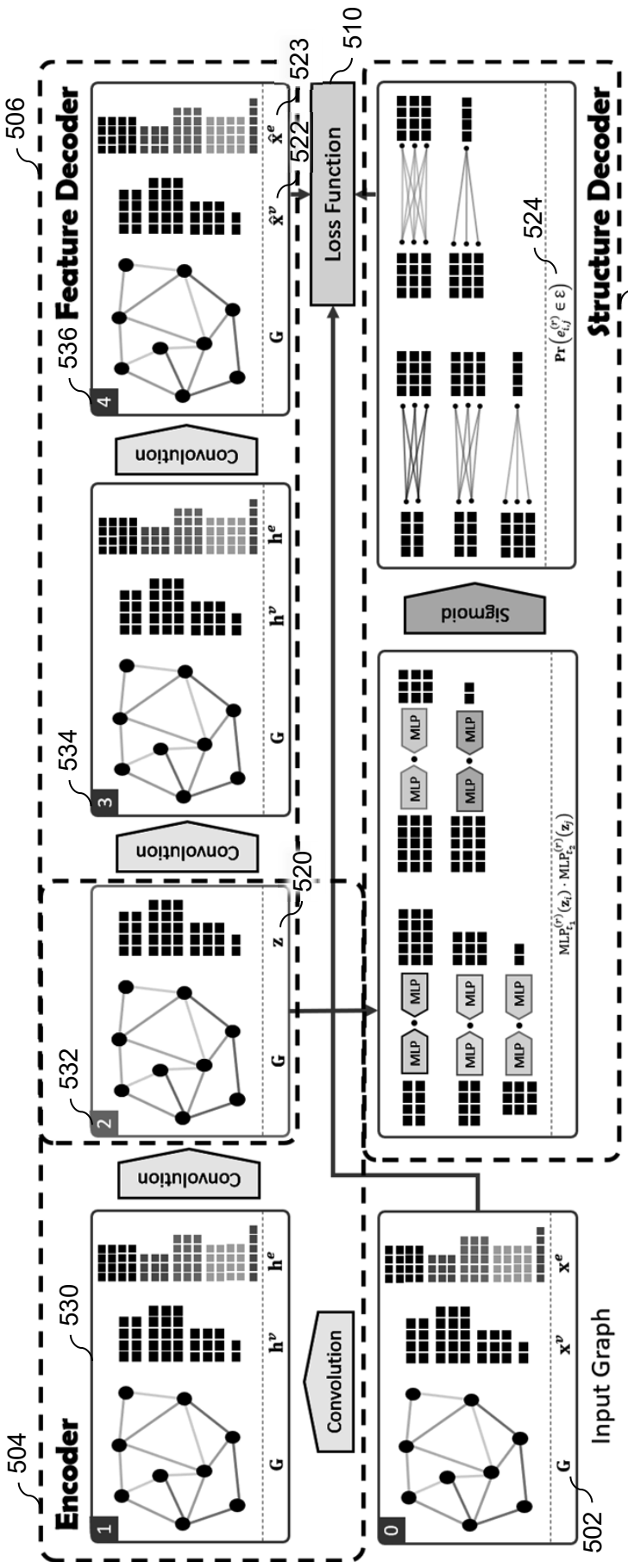

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Input Graph
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Encoder
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Feature Decoder
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Structure Decoder
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Convolution
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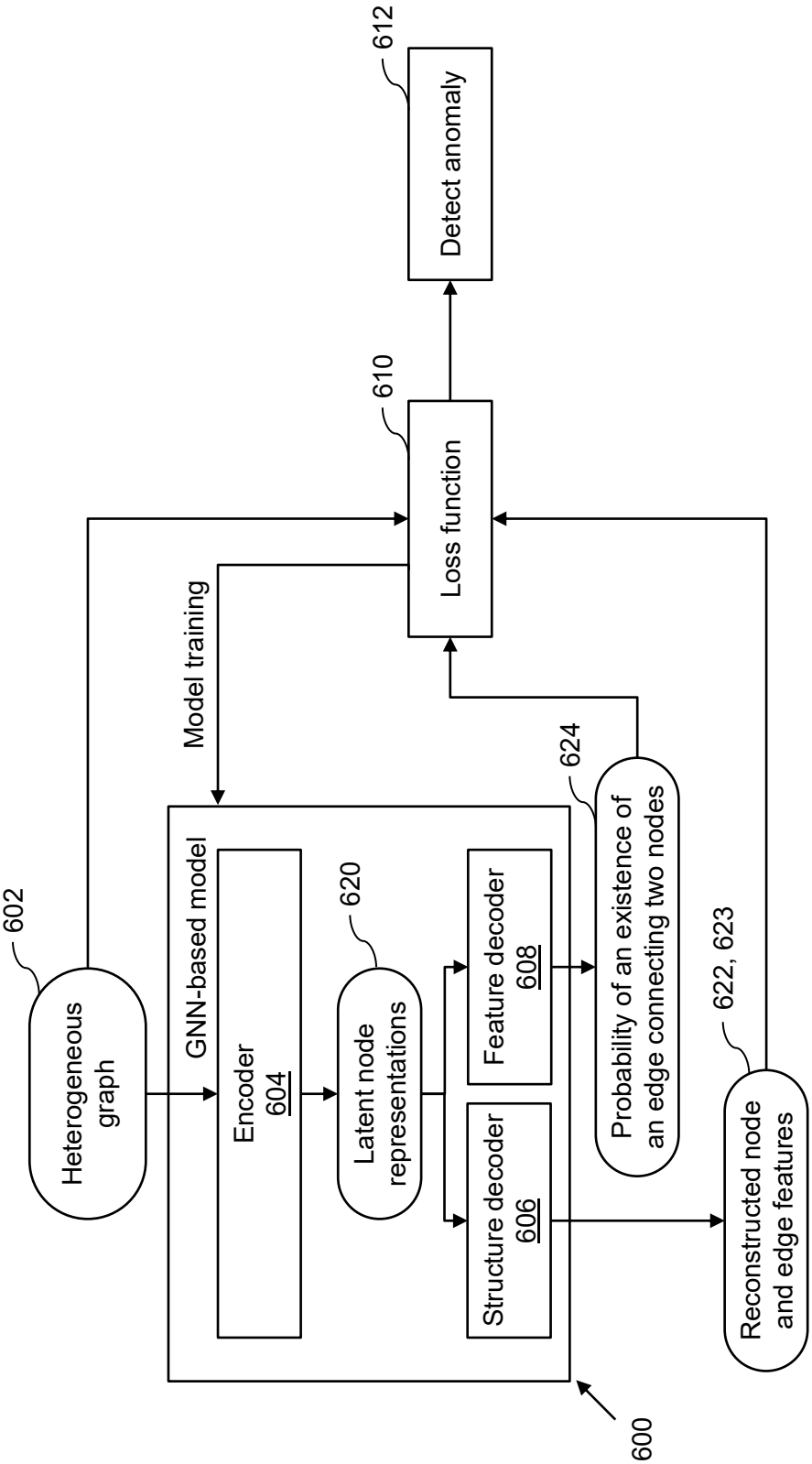

612
Detect anomaly
610
Loss function
Model training
602
Heterogeneous graph
GNN-based model
Encoder 604
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Latent node representations
Feature decoder 608
Structure decoder 606
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Probability of an existence of an edge connecting two nodes
622, 623
Reconstructed node and edge features
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Figure 6

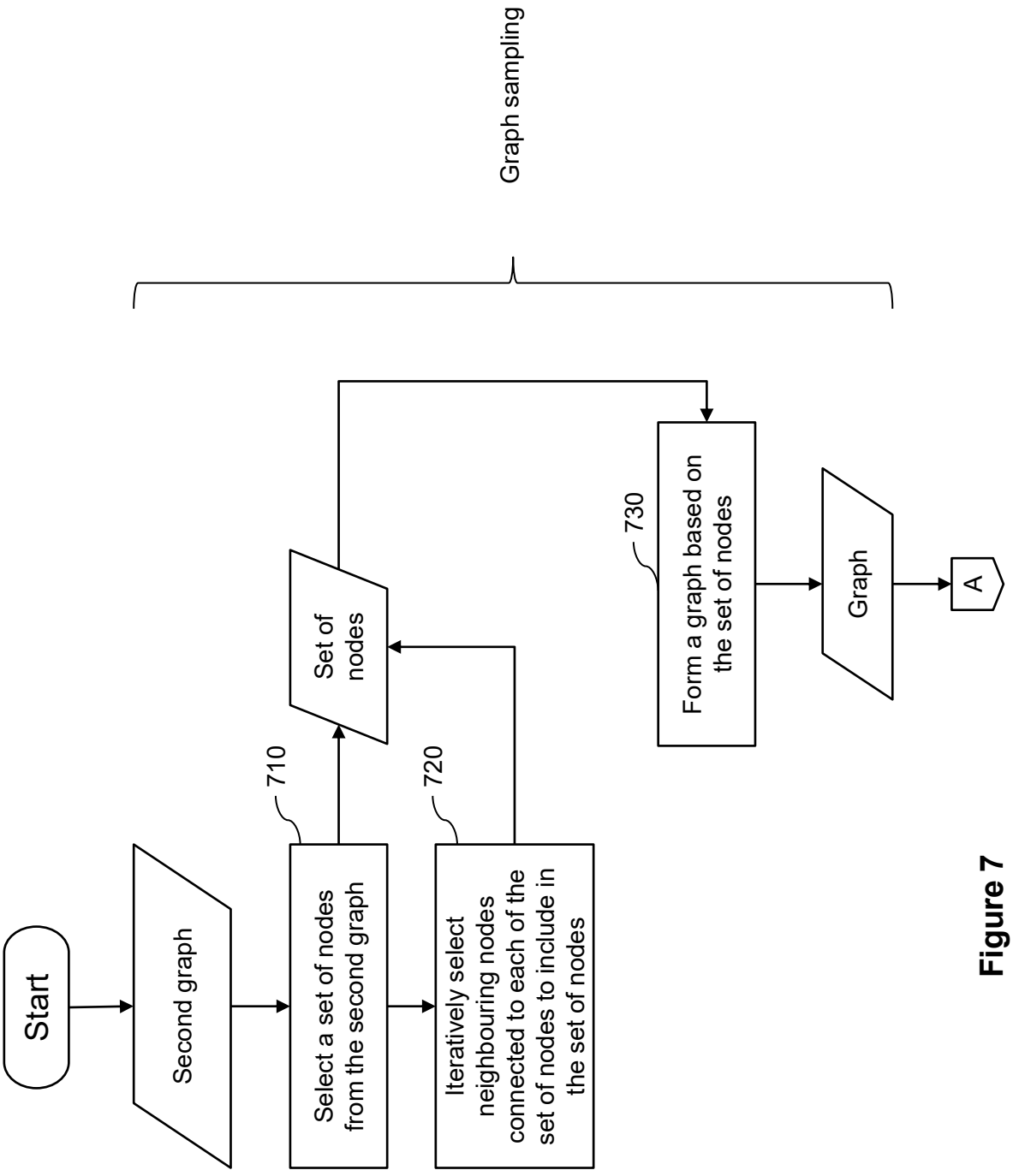

Graph sampling
Start
Second graph
710
Select a set of nodes from the second graph
720
Iteratively select neighbouring nodes connected to each of the set of nodes to include in the set of nodes
Set of nodes
730
Form a graph based on the set of nodes
Graph
A

Figure 7

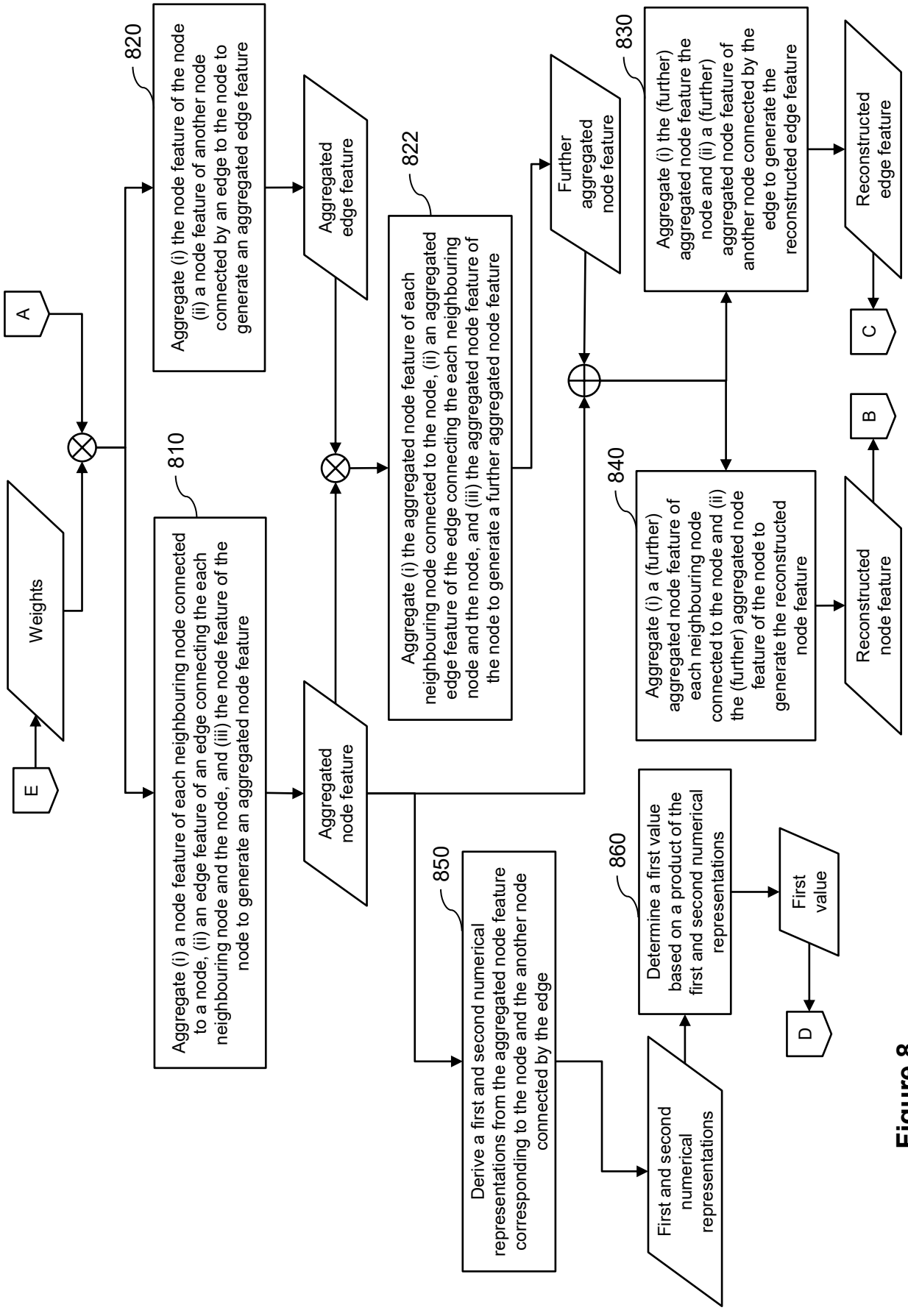

E
Weights
A
810
Aggregate (i) a node feature of each neighbouring node connected to a node, (ii) an edge feature of an edge connecting the each neighbouring node and the node, and (iii) the node feature of the node to generate an aggregated node feature
820
Aggregate (i) the node feature of the node (ii) a node feature of another node connected by an edge to the node to generate an aggregated edge feature
Aggregated node feature
Aggregated edge feature
822
Aggregate (i) the aggregated node feature of each neighbouring node connected to the node, (ii) an aggregated edge feature of the edge connecting the each neighbouring node and the node, and (iii) the aggregated node feature of the node to generate a further aggregated node feature
Further aggregated node feature
830
Aggregate (i) the (further) aggregated node feature the node and (ii) a (further) aggregated node feature of another node connected by the edge to generate the reconstructed edge feature
Reconstructed edge feature
C
B
840
Aggregate (i) a (further) aggregated node feature of each neighbouring node connected to the node and (ii) the (further) aggregated node feature of the node to generate the reconstructed node feature
Reconstructed node feature
850
Derive a first and second numerical representations from the aggregated node feature corresponding to the node and the another node connected by the edge
First and second numerical representations
860
Determine a first value based on a product of the first and second numerical representations
First value
D

Figure 8

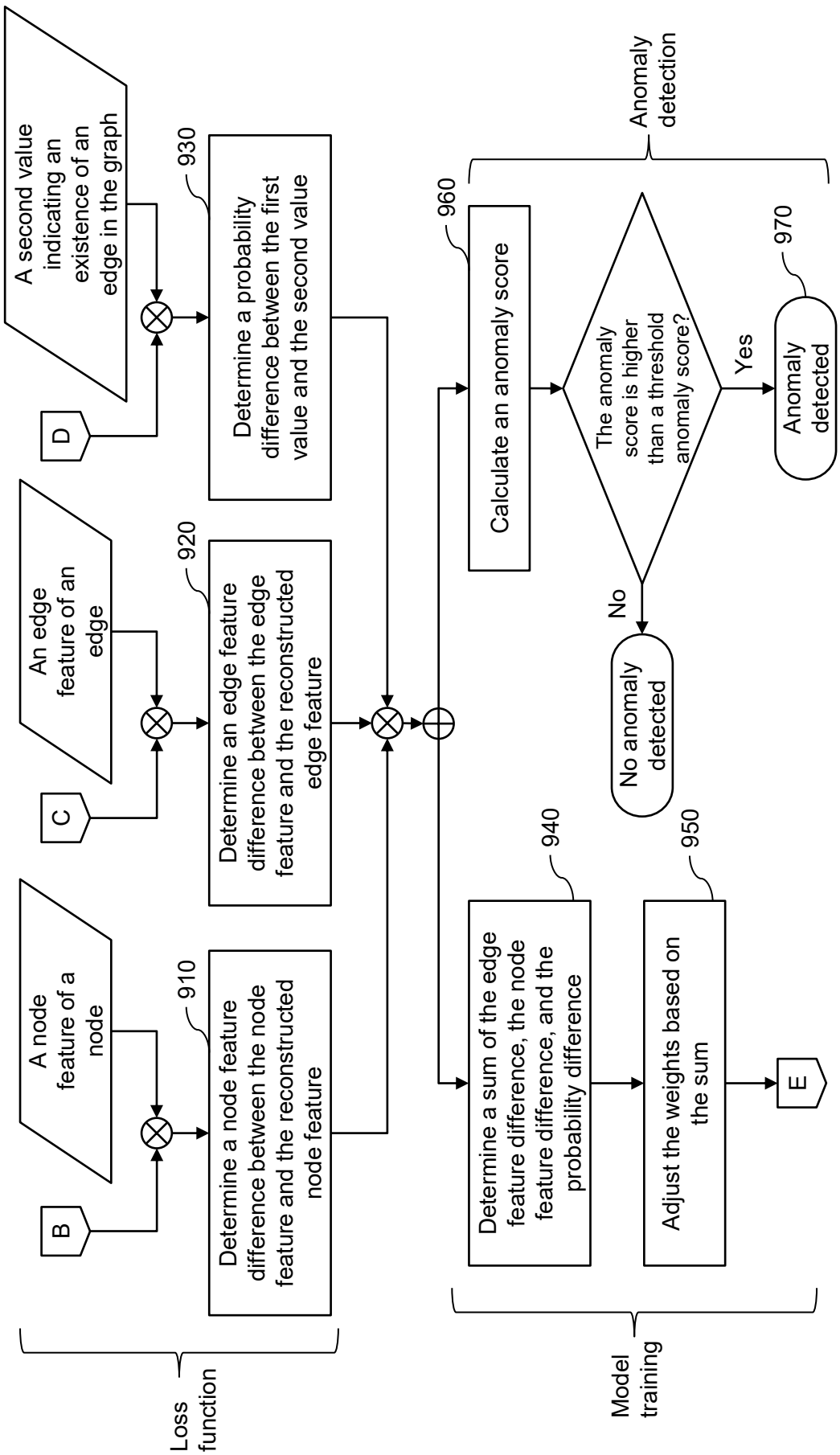

A second value indicating an existence of an edge in the graph
D
930
Determine a probability difference between the first value and the second value
An edge feature of an edge
C
920
Determine an edge feature difference between the edge feature and the reconstructed edge feature
A node feature of a node
B
910
Determine a node feature difference between the node feature and the reconstructed node feature
Loss function
960
Calculate an anomaly score
The anomaly score is higher than a threshold anomaly score?
Yes
970
Anomaly detected
No
No anomaly detected
Anomaly detection
940
Determine a sum of the edge feature difference, the node feature difference, and the probability difference
950
Adjust the weights based on the sum
E
Model training

Figure 9

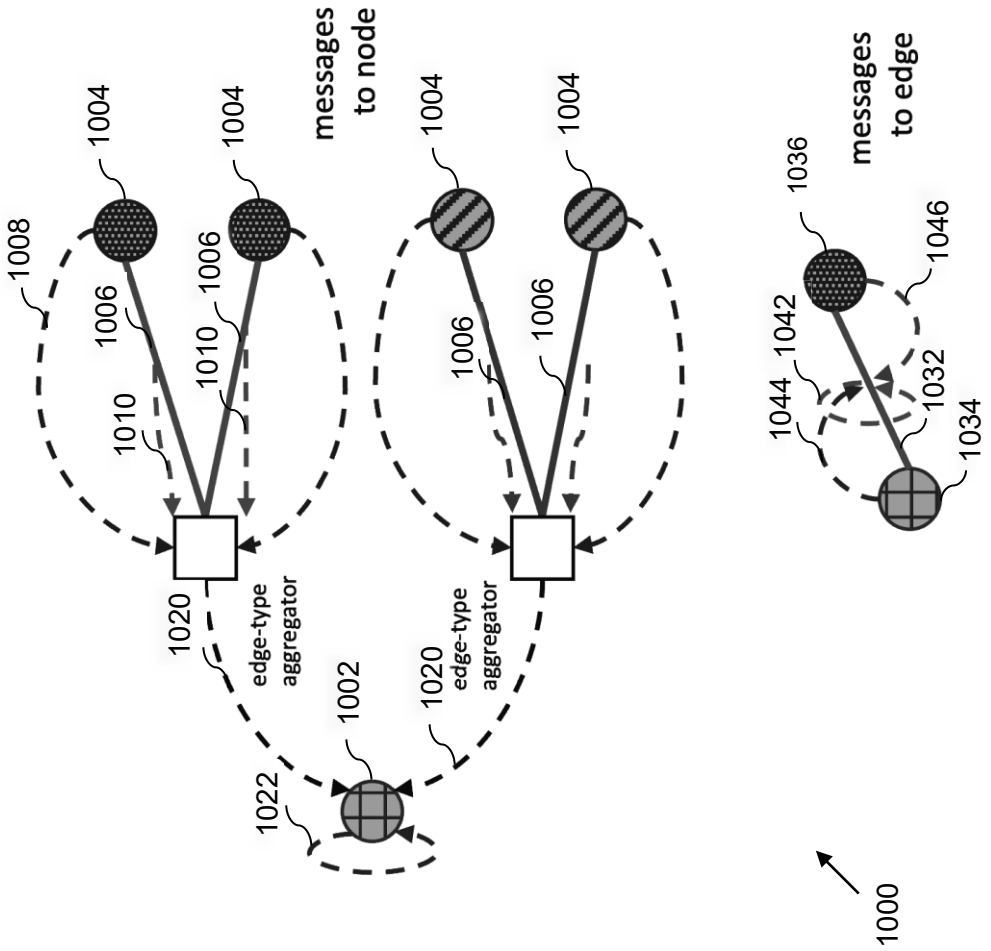

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edge-type aggregator
edge-type aggregator
messages to node
messages to edge

Figure 10

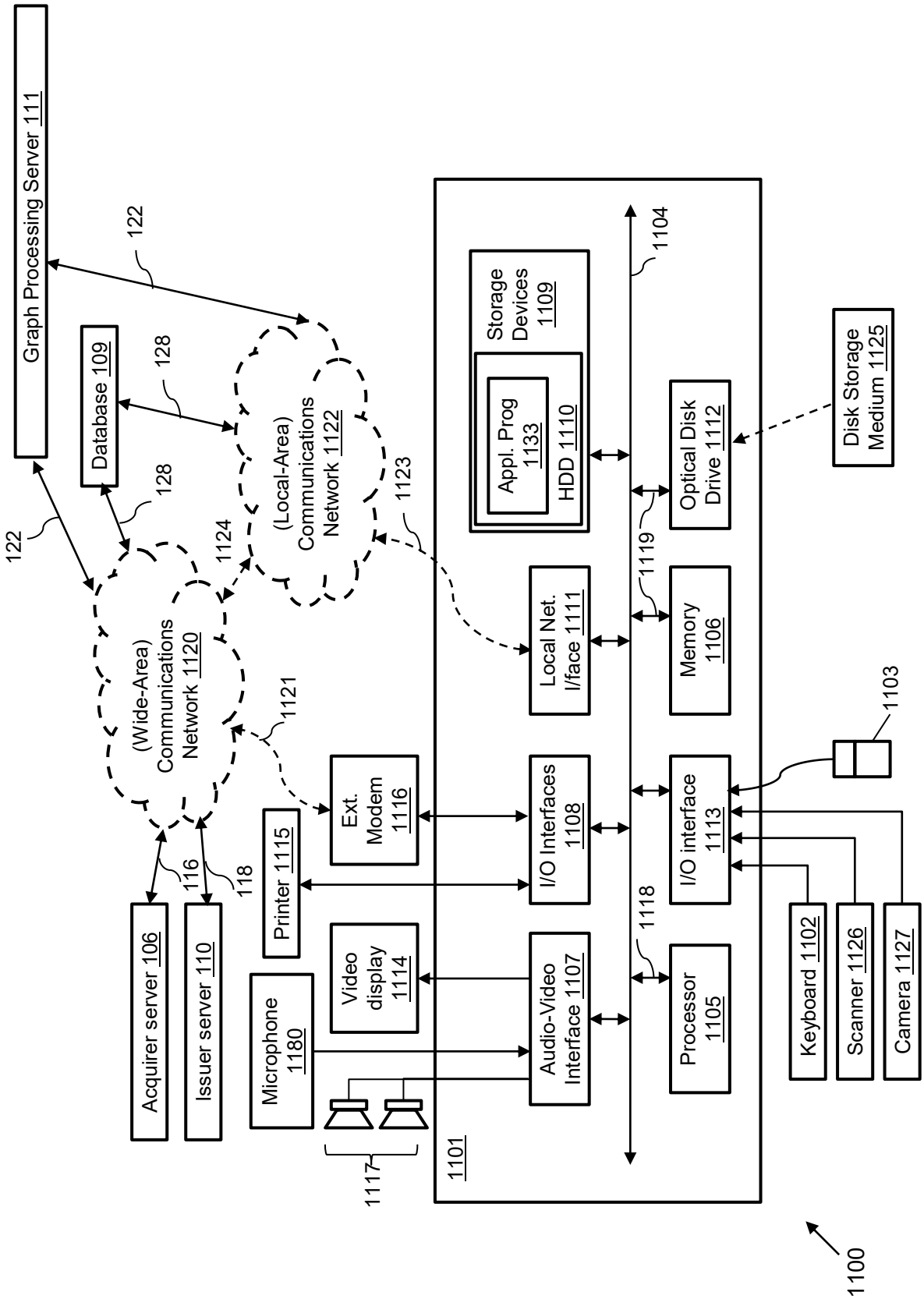

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1119
Memory 1106
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I/O Interfaces 1108
I/O interface 1113
1103
Acquirer server 106
116
Issuer server 110
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Printer 1115
Video display 1114
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Audio-Video Interface 1107
Processor 1105
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Scanner 1126
Camera 1127
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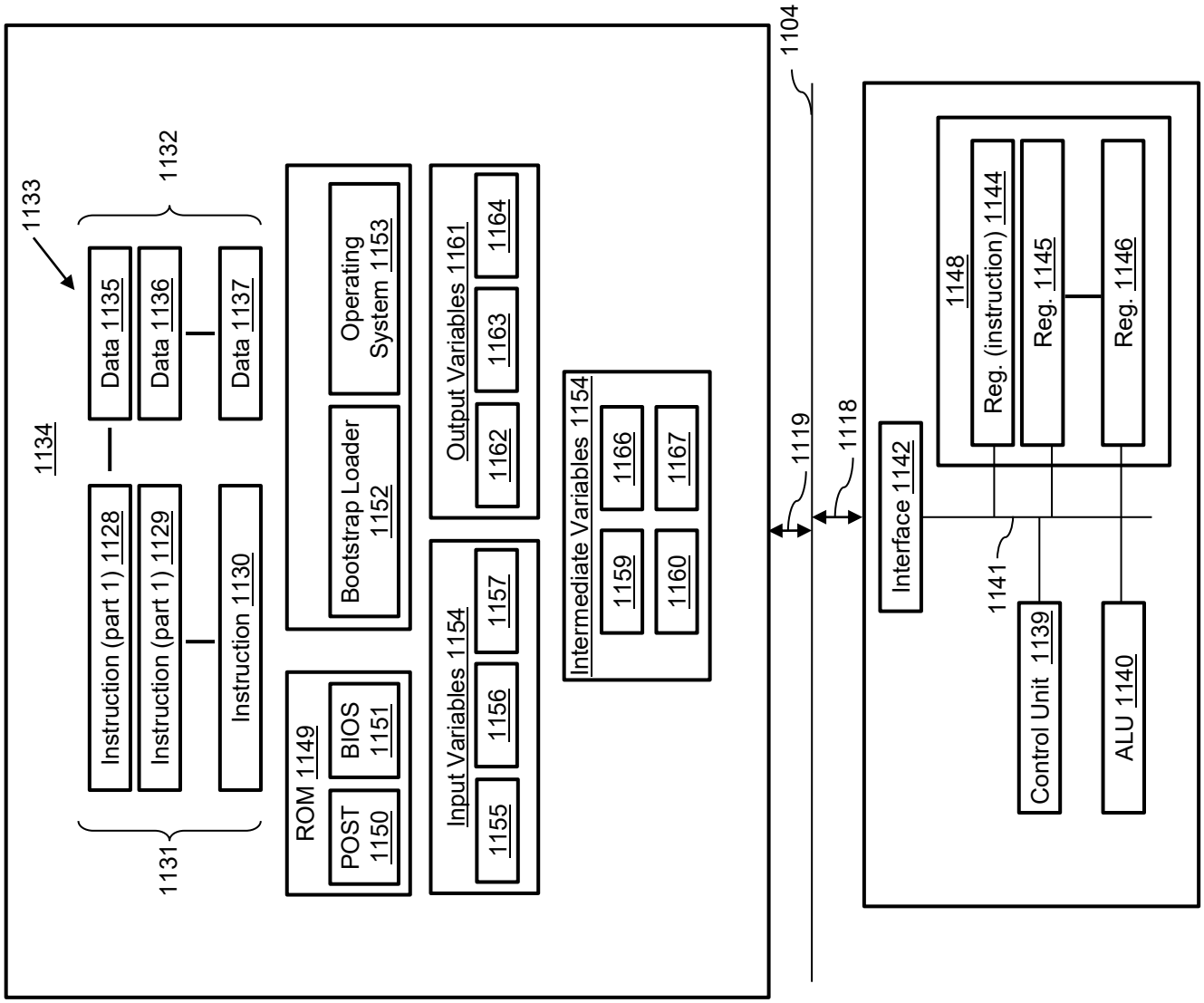

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Data 1135
Data 1136
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Instruction (part 1) 1128
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POST 1150
BIOS 1151
Bootstrap Loader 1152
Operating System 1153
Input Variables 1154
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Output Variables 1161
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Intermediate Variables 1154
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ALU 1140

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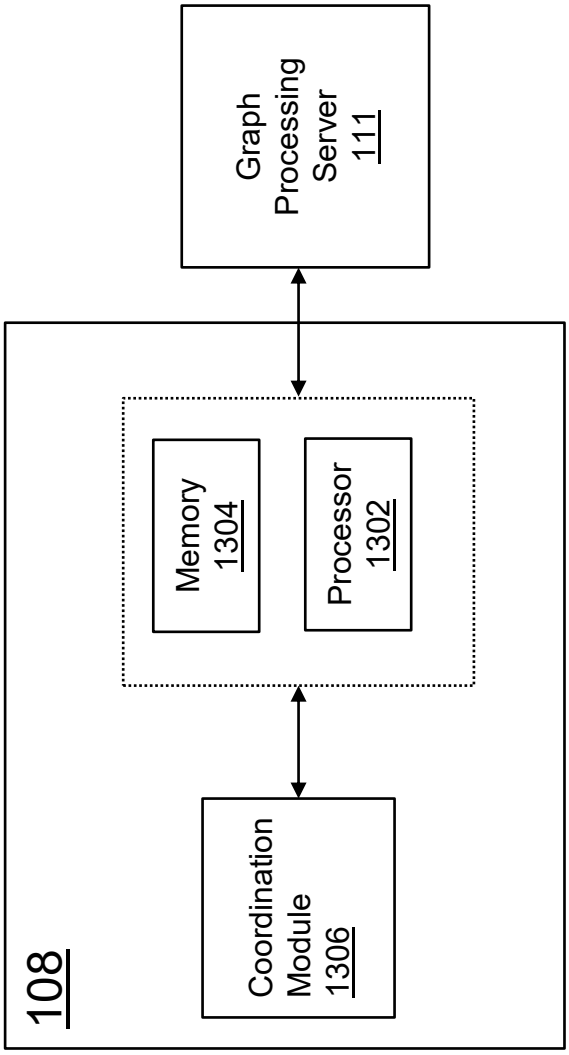

Graph Processing Server 111
Memory 1304
Processor 1302
Coordination Module 1306
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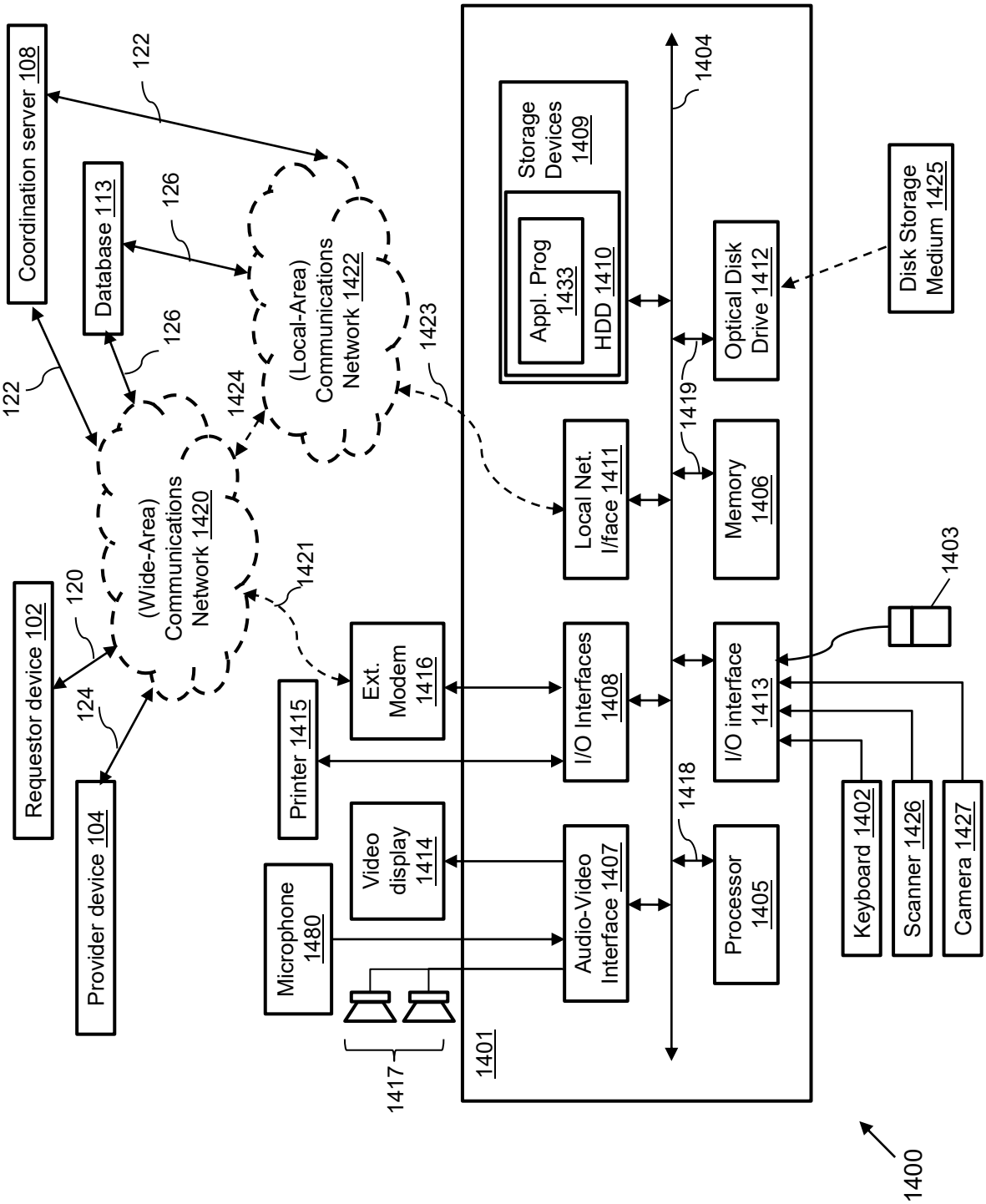

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Database 113
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Provider device 104
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Video display 1414
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Audio-Video Interface 1407
I/O Interfaces 1408
Local Net. I/face 1411
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Memory 1406
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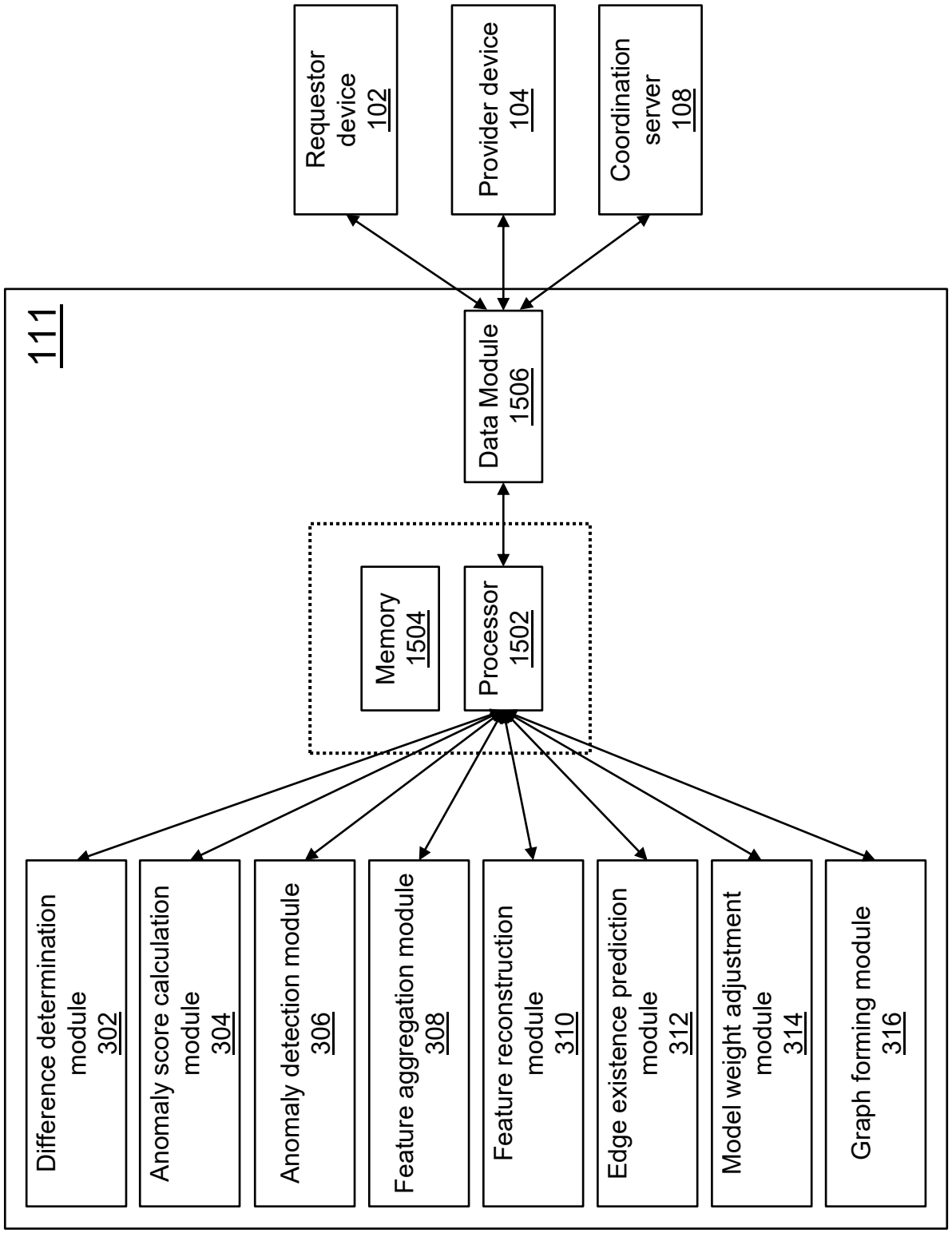

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Memory 1504
Processor 1502
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Edge existence prediction module 312
Model weight adjustment module 314
Graph forming module 316

Figure 15

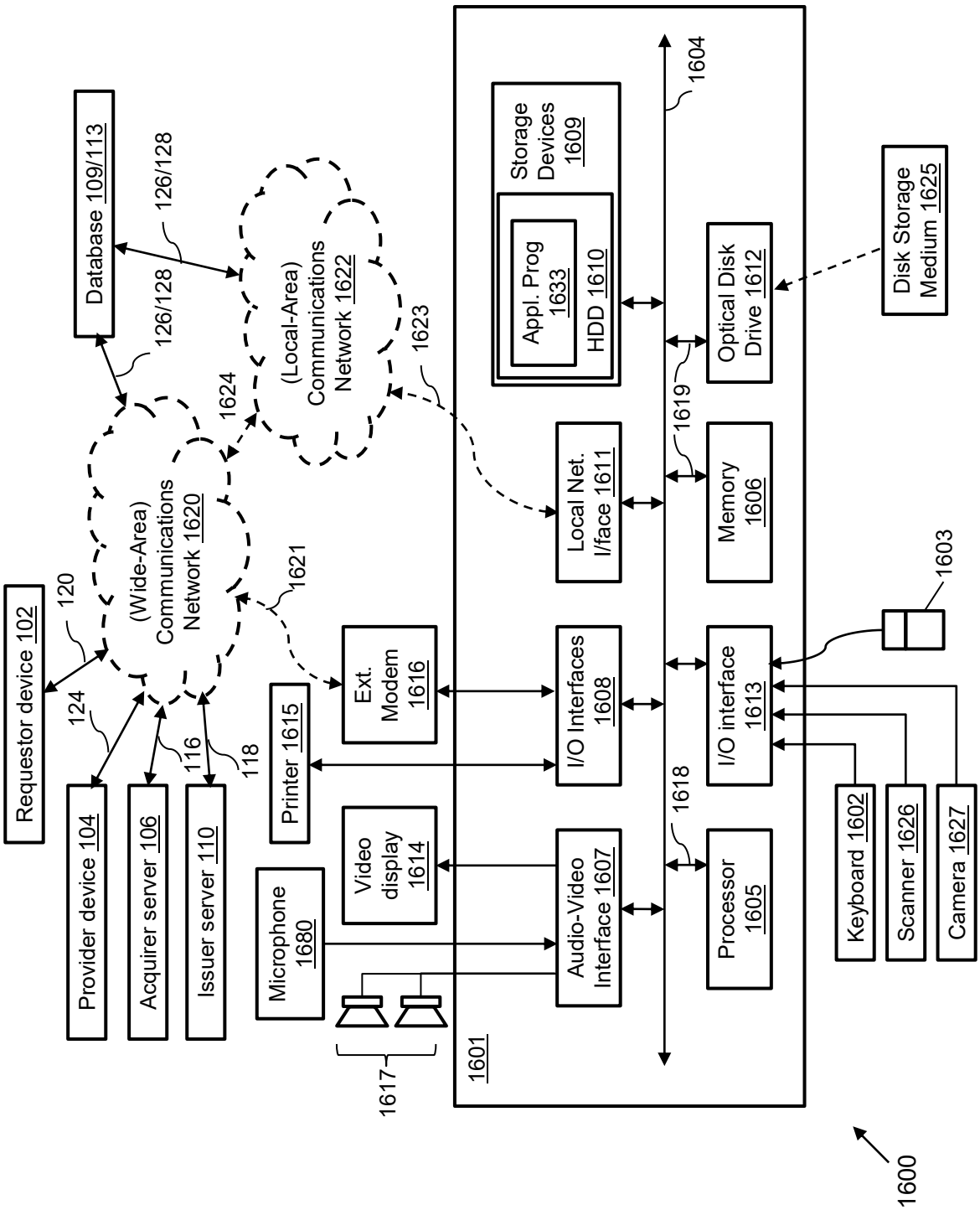

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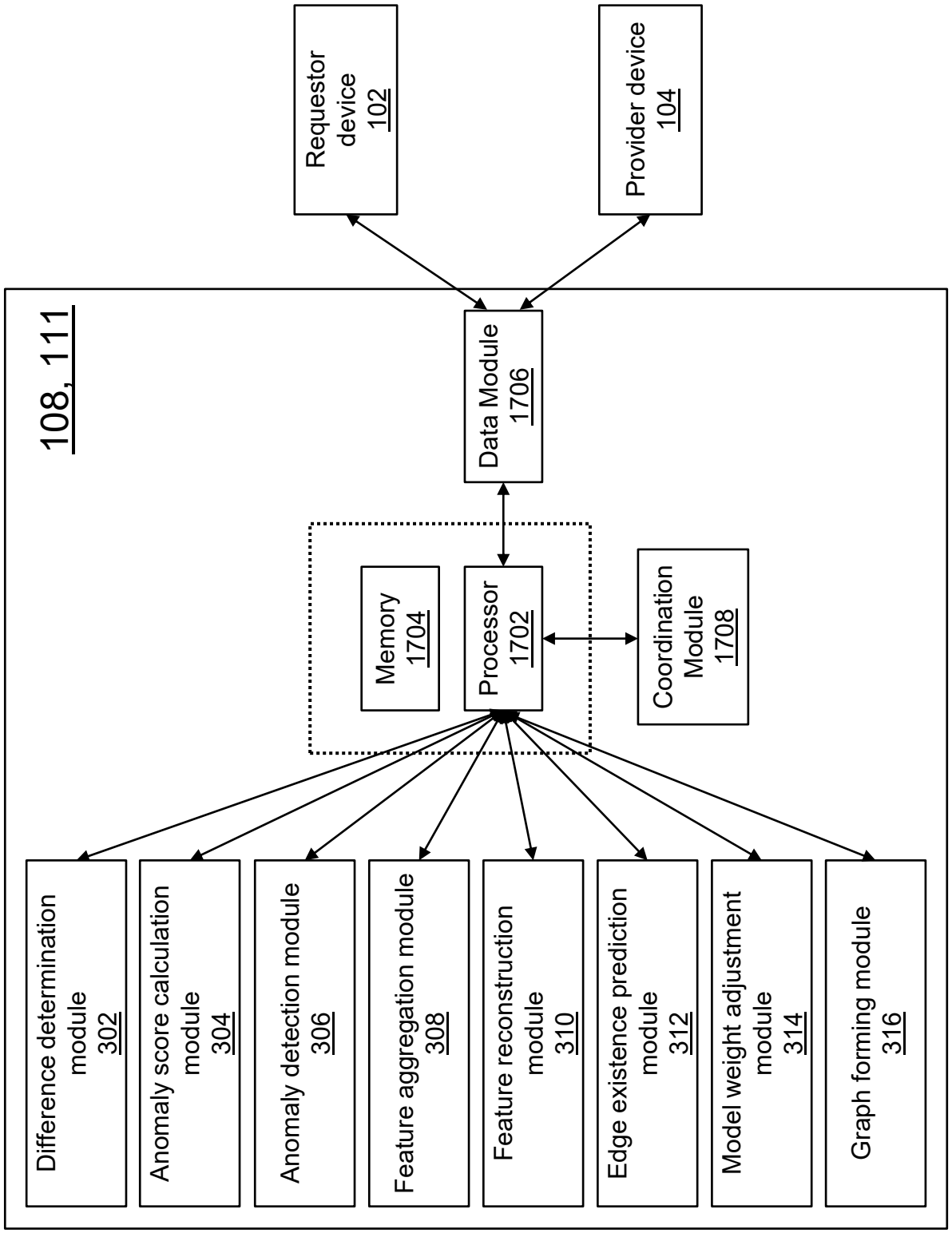
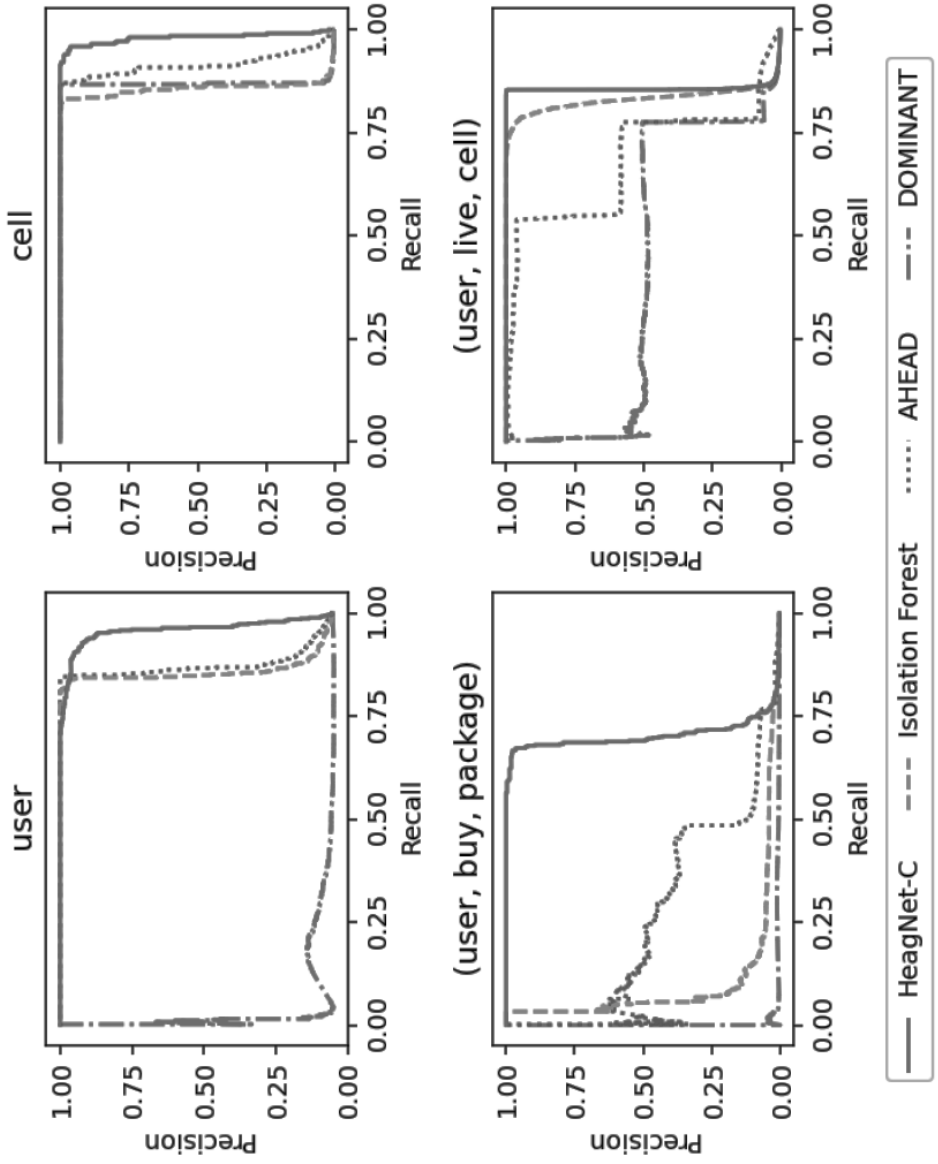
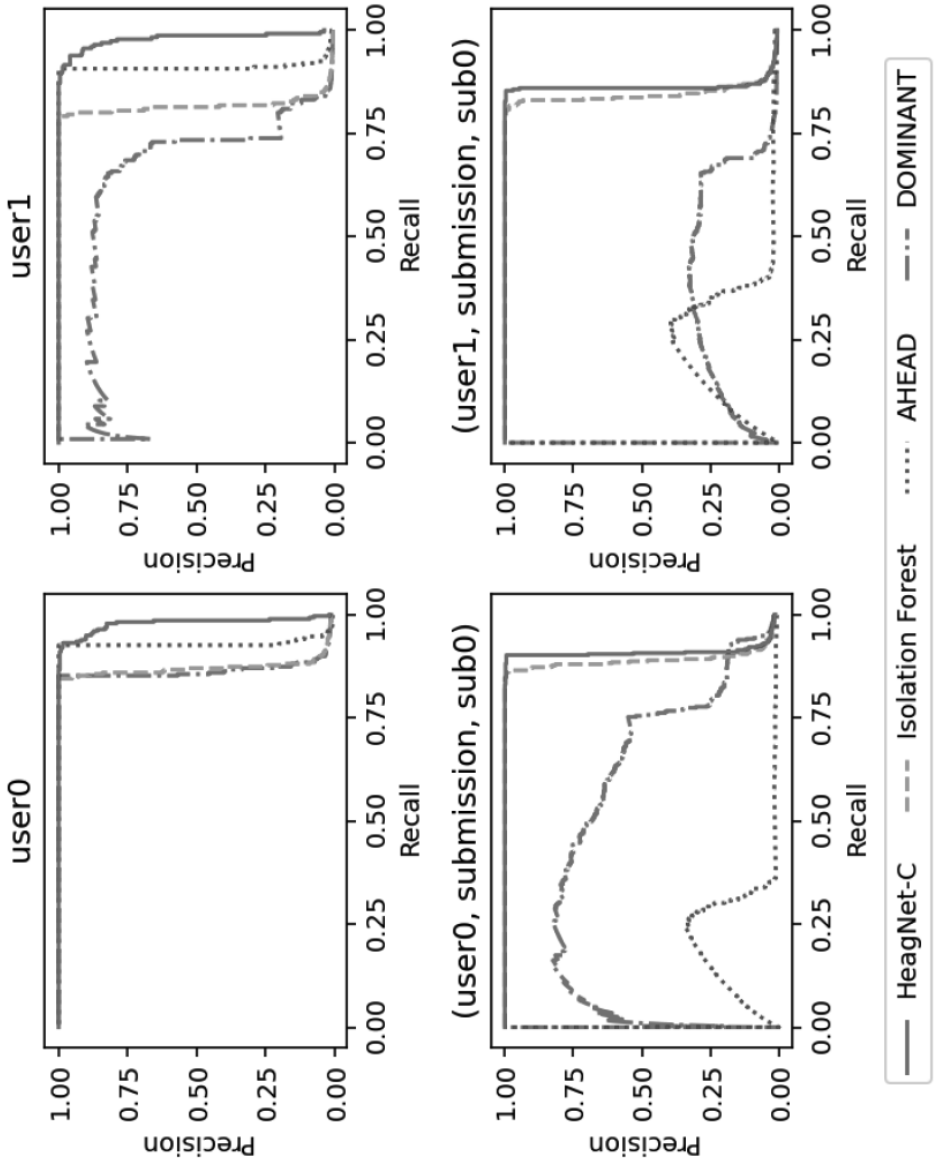

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Processor 1702
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Figure 17



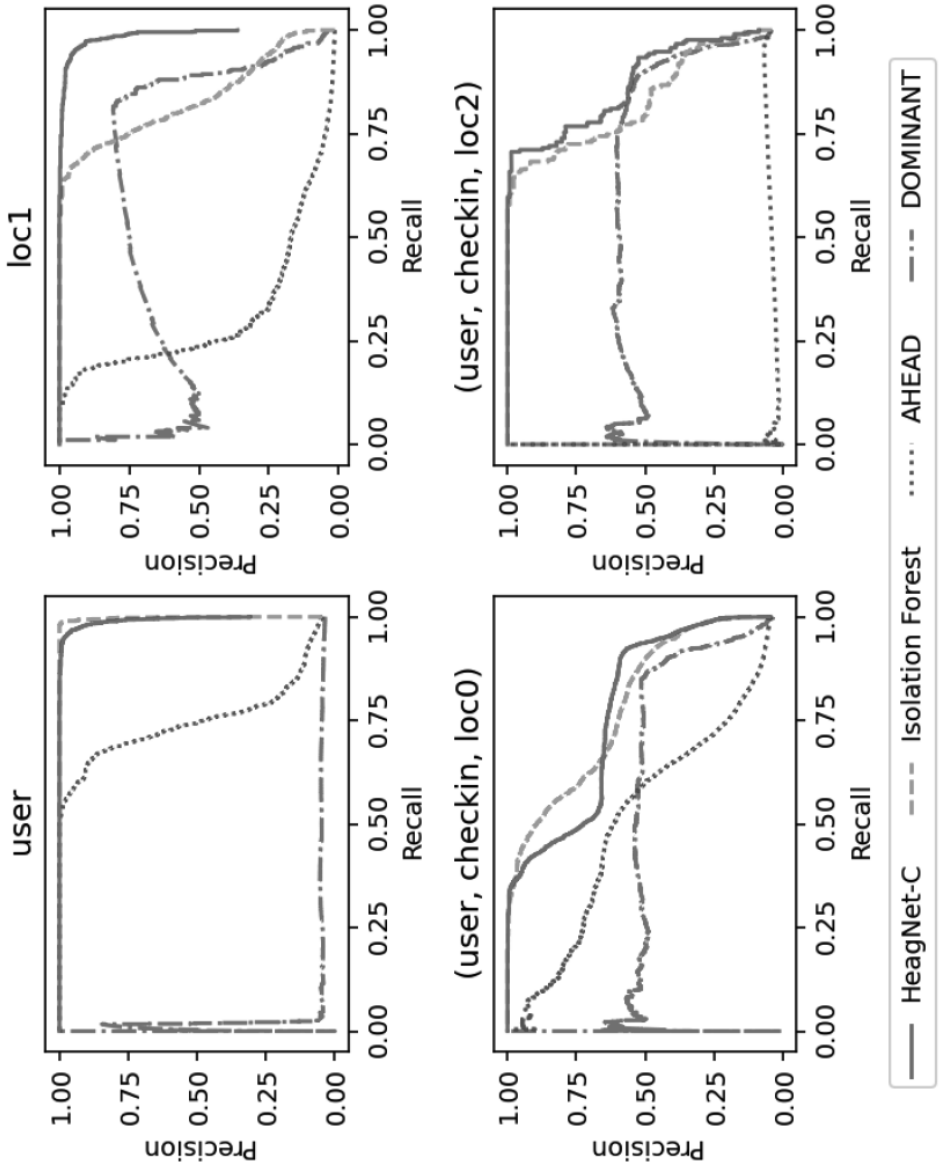
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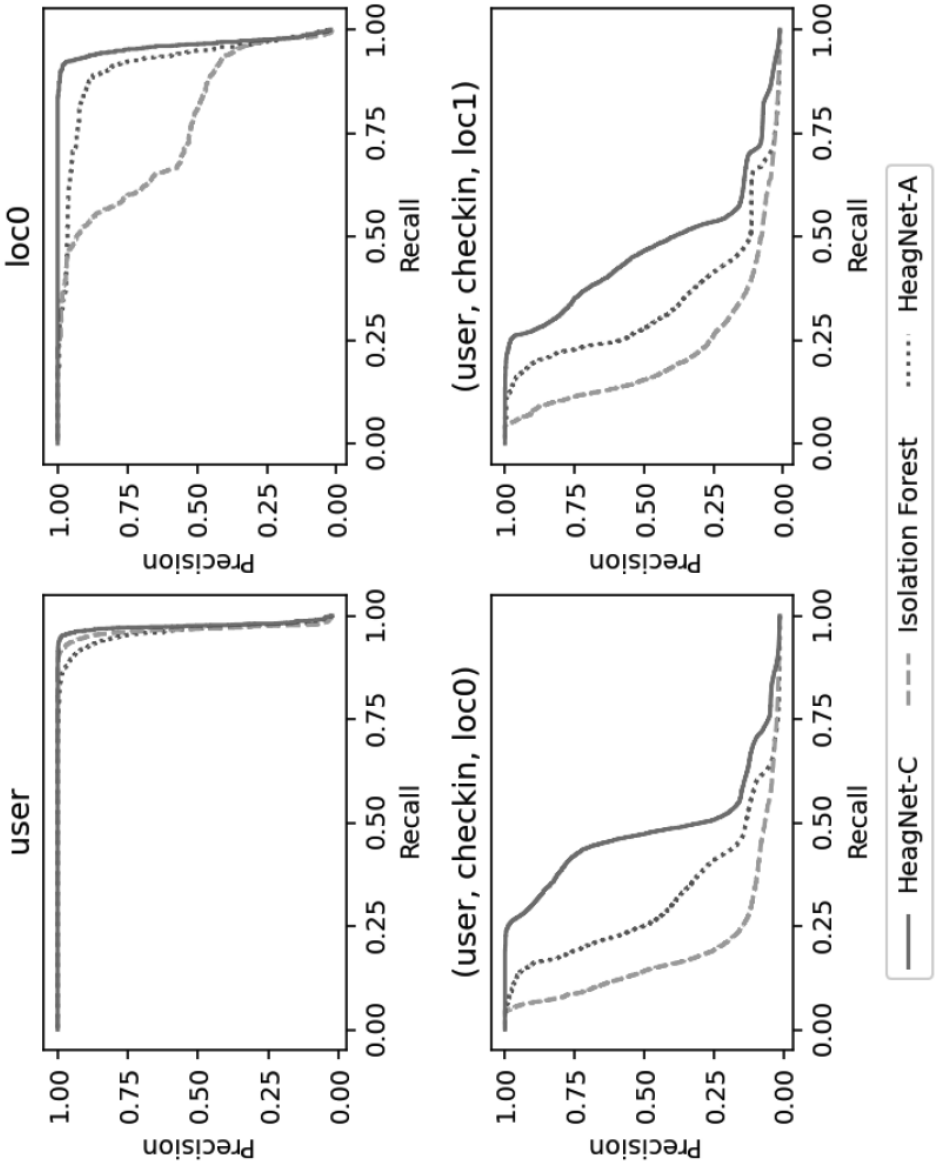
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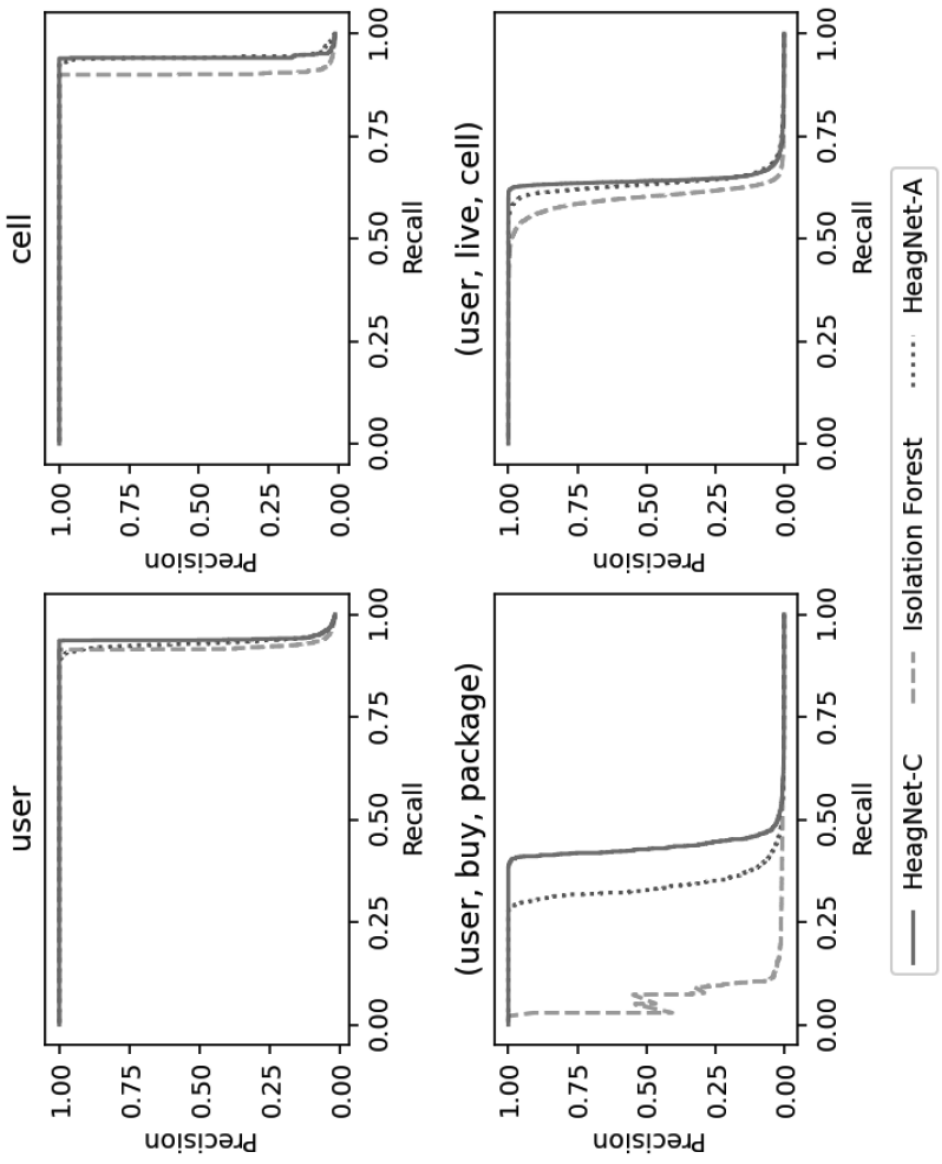
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