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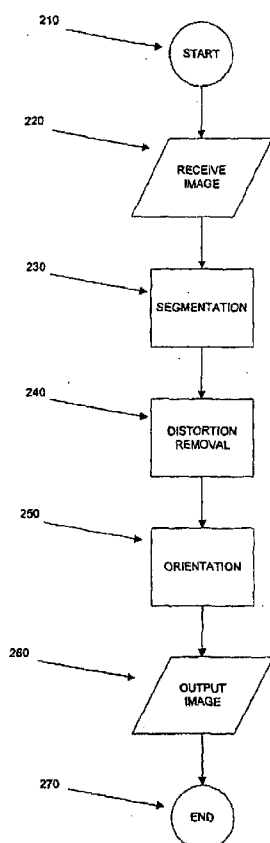
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(57) Abstract: An apparatus and method for processing a captured image (220) and, more particularly, for processing a captured image comprising a document. In one embodiment, an apparatus comprising a camera to capture documents is described. In another embodiment, a method for processing a captured image that includes a document comprises the steps of distinguishing an imaged document from its background, adjusting (240) the captured image to reduce distortions created from use of a camera and properly orientating (250) the document is described.

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