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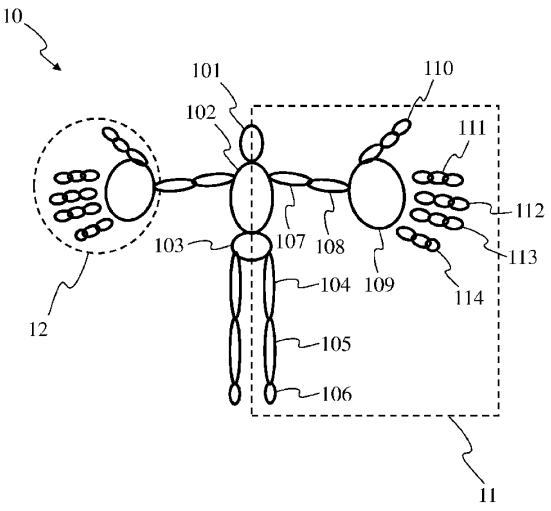

Fig. 1

(57) Abstract: There is provided methods and apparatus of signaling/parsing data representative of a mapping between a haptic effect and one or more body parts of a body model (10) targeted by the haptic effect. The body model comprising a first plurality of body parts, e.g., fingers (110 to 114), hands (12), phalanxes, head (101), and a second plurality of groups of body parts. Each group of the second plurality comprises one or more body part(s) of the first plurality. The signaling/parsing of the data comprises writing/reading, into/from a container, first data identifying the targeted body part with reference to one or more groups of the second plurality the targeted body part belongs to.

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