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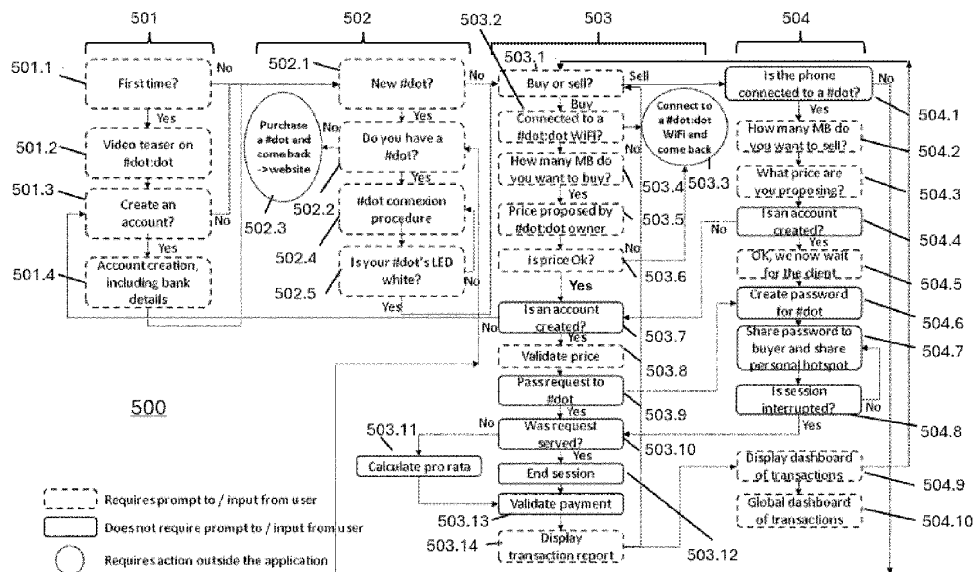


Fig. 5

(57) Abstract: Methods and devices for data transfer over a communication network are disclosed. The methods are implemented in a system comprising: - a first device (102) comprising an interface (203, 204) configured to provide a wireless connection to a second communication device; and a wireless access point for providing a wireless network; the second device (101) comprising a communication interface configured to provide a shared connection to a communication network to the first device, wherein the shared connection is adapted to enable data transfer over the communication network; - a third communication device (103) comprising a communication interface to connect to the wireless network of the access point of the first device. The methods allow the third device to access the shared connection through the first device. The first device is connected to the shared connection. The third device does thus not need to obtain the credentials for directly connecting to the shared connection. The methods allow a person owning a data plan

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