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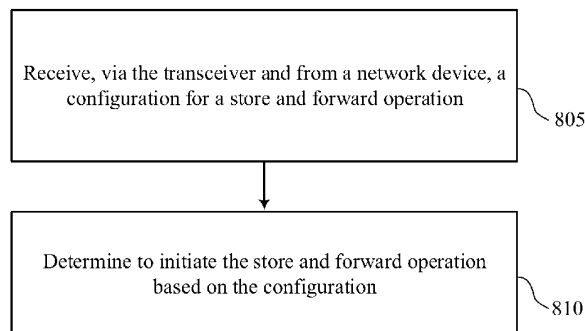


Fig. 8

- (57) **Abstract:** Various aspects of the present disclosure relate to store and forward operations. In an aspect, a user equipment receives a configuration for a store and forward operation from a network device. Based on the configuration, the user equipment determines to initiate the store and forward operation. In this way, the store and forward operation may be initiated at appropriate occasions. Therefore, the performance of communication is improved.

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