ABSTRACT

A vehicle management center 20 receives a detected travel distance from an on-vehicle terminal apparatus 10, calculates a cumulative travel distance La by cumulating changes in the detected travel distance, and successively stores it. The vehicle management center 20 estimates a future travel distance of a vehicle by making use of cumulated travel distances La(1), La(2) . . La(n) up to the present. In accordance with this estimated travel distance of the vehicle, the vehicle management center 20 previously prepares a mail containing information regarding the vehicle, such as the time for oil change, and previously provides the information to the on-vehicle terminal apparatus 10 and a computer 60c of a vehicle dealer. Accordingly, it becomes possible to previously provide the information to the vehicle early enough on the basis of the vehicle-status information received from the vehicle. Further, the provided information is not influenced by a change in the detected travel distance which is made on the vehicle side.