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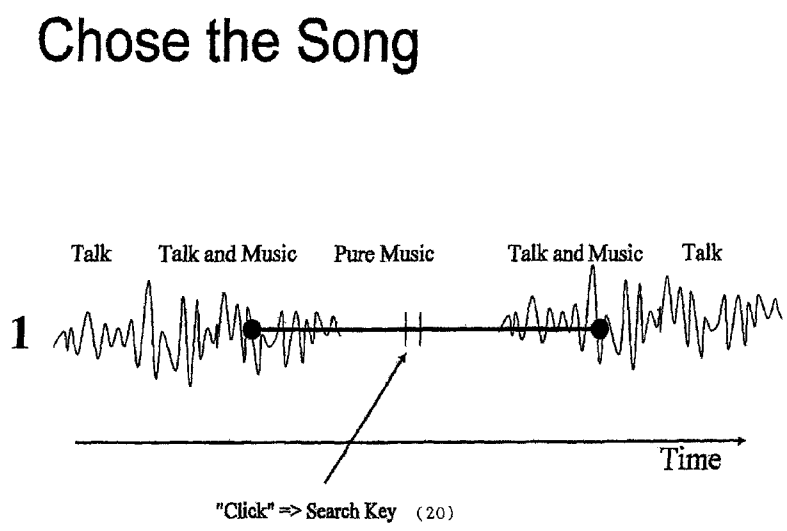
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(57) Abstract: The invention relates to an improved method to achieve signals which are essentially devoid of unwanted signal components by using a search and comparison process. The present invention provides a method to receive media signals through receiving means, said media signals containing unwanted signal components, to chose a representation for said media signals and process these media signals in such a way that said unwanted signal components are essentially removed and the remaining signal components are saved, said method comprising the steps of: from the media signals chose a search key representation; in a search track conduct a first search after a signal representation that contains a section which is essentially identical with said search key; to compare a first segment, which lies before and after said search key, with a second segment which lies before and after said section, which is essentially identical with the first search key; from said first segment and said second segment find a first common segment; said method being characterized in that said common segment is stored in said memory domain as a signal representation without unwanted signal components.

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