

SUPPLEMENTARY PARTIAL EUROPEAN SEARCH REPORT

Application number: EP 20 85 04 46

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Classification of the application (IPC): G06F 3/14, A63F 13/90, A63F 13/26, G06F 3/01, H04N 5/765, G09G 5/12, G07F 17/32, G09G 3/32, G09G 5/373

Technical fields searched (IPC): G07F, G06F, G09G

DOCUMENTS CONSIDERED TO BE RELEVANT						
Category	Citation of document with indication, where appropriate, of relevant passages	Relevant to claim				
Х	US 2016163018 A1 (WANG TAE-HO [KR] ET AL) 09 June 2016 (2016-06-09)	1-13				
	* paragraph [0031] - paragraph [0427]; figures 1-7 *					

INCOMPLETE SEARCH

The Search Division considers that the present application, or one or more of its claims, does/do not comply with the EPC so that only a partial search (R. 62a, 63) has been carried out.

Claim(s) completely searchable:1-13

Claim(s) not searched:14, 15

Reason for the limitation of the search:

[0001] 1 Rule 62a EPC 1.1 The search division identified multiple independent device claims in the same category (independent device claims 1 and 15; independent method claims 11, 14). In response to the invitation pursuant to Rule 62a(1) EPC the applicant indicated, with the letter of reply dated 21.12.2022, independent device claim 1 as the claim to be searched in the device category and independent method claim 11 as the claim to be searched in the method category.

[0002] The search division followed this indication in drawing up the search report. Independent device claim 15 and Independent method claim 14 were not searched.

The supplementary search report has been based on the last set of claims valid and available at the start of the search

> Place of search Date of completion of the search Examiner 22 December 2022 Gartlan, Michael Munich

CATEGORY OF CITED DOCUMENTS

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