

Title (en)

MAINTAINING TIME-DATE INFORMATION FOR SYNCING LOW FIDELITY DEVICES

Title (de)

FÜHREN VON ZEITDATUMINFORMATIONEN ZUM SYNCHRONISIEREN VON EINRICHTUNGEN MIT GERINGER WIEDERGABETREUE

Title (fr)

CONSERVATION DES DONNEES HEURE ET DATE POUR LA SYNCHRONISATION DES DISPOSITIFS A FAIBLE FIDELITE

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Abstract (en)

[origin: WO2005111808A2] For low fidelity devices without time-date fields, the present invention provides for formatting, identifying and storing time-date information (350) corresponding to remote property values in a standard format (305) on the remote device. The time-date information is parsable by several devices and used in resolving conflicts between property values. Other example embodiments provide for determining if a value for a property on a remote device has changed since a last sync between the remote device and a local machine by comparing a remote representation (320) of a property value to a local representation associated with the same property value. Still other example embodiments provide for preserving memory resources by selecting property values to be assigned time-date information used in resolving conflicts between sync values. The property values may be selected based on, e.g., the available resources of a remote device or based on historical information.

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