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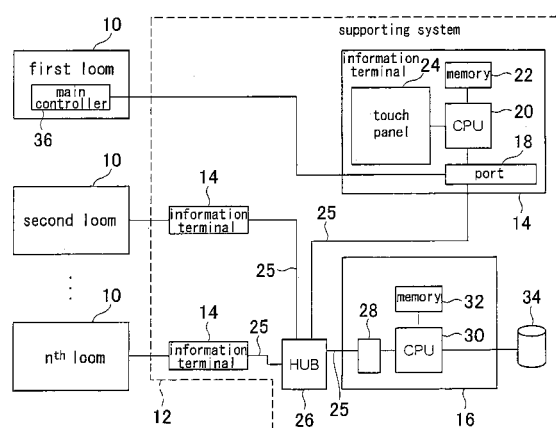
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(54) **Method of supporting textile machinery and supporting apparatus**

(57) A method of supporting textile machinery comprises: a storing step (ST003) for storing yarn troubles occurring in the textile machinery (10) and times of occurrence of the yarn troubles as storage information; an analyzing step (ST104, ST105) for selecting one of plural trouble occurrence patterns different in time sequence of the yarn troubles on the basis of the storage information through an information terminal in a loom in an operation for specifying the causes of yarn troubles and making the selected trouble occurrence patterns answers; a managing information extracting step (ST108) for extracting managing information from a database where plural pieces of managing information concerning yarn troubles are pre-accumulated so as to be extracted on the basis of the answers and in correspondence to the answers; and a managing information indicating step (ST110) for indicating the managing information in the information terminal (14).

Fig. 1





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