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ABSTRACT

A method of displaying a schedule on a wearable additional device is provided. The method includes connecting a portable electronic device which can synchronize a schedule, receiving a user input for displaying the schedule on a display screen of the wearable additional device, and displaying the schedule received from the portable electronic device on the display screen of the wearable additional device in response to the user input, wherein the schedule is displayed in a form of sector areas corresponding to a plurality of schedule items, and each of the sector areas has an area proportional to a time of a corresponding schedule item from among a total time of schedule data which can be displayed on the display screen of the wearable additional device.

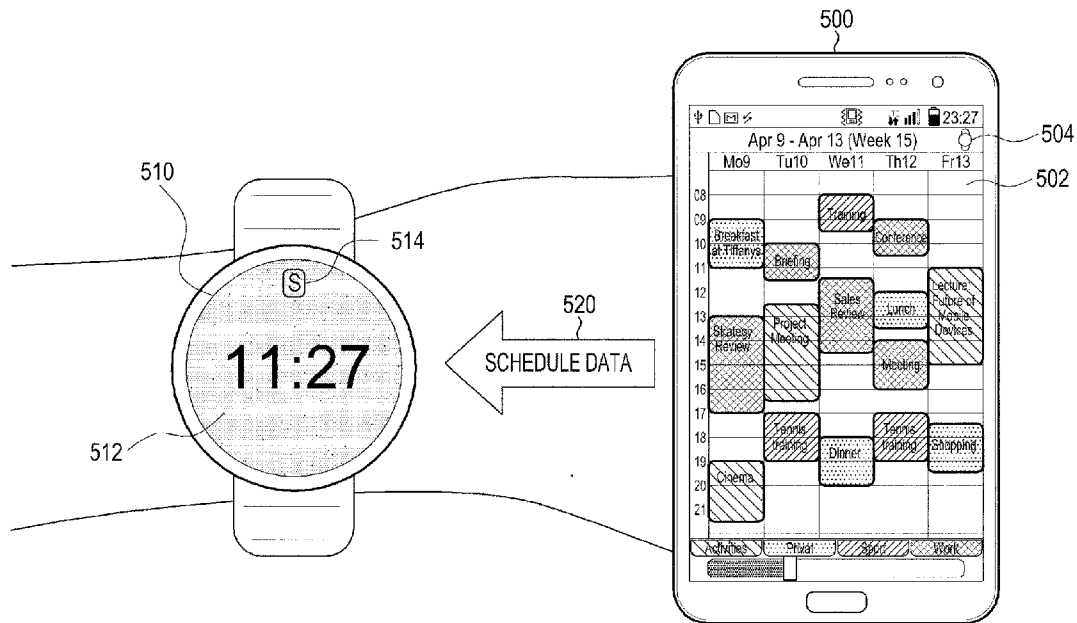




FIG.1

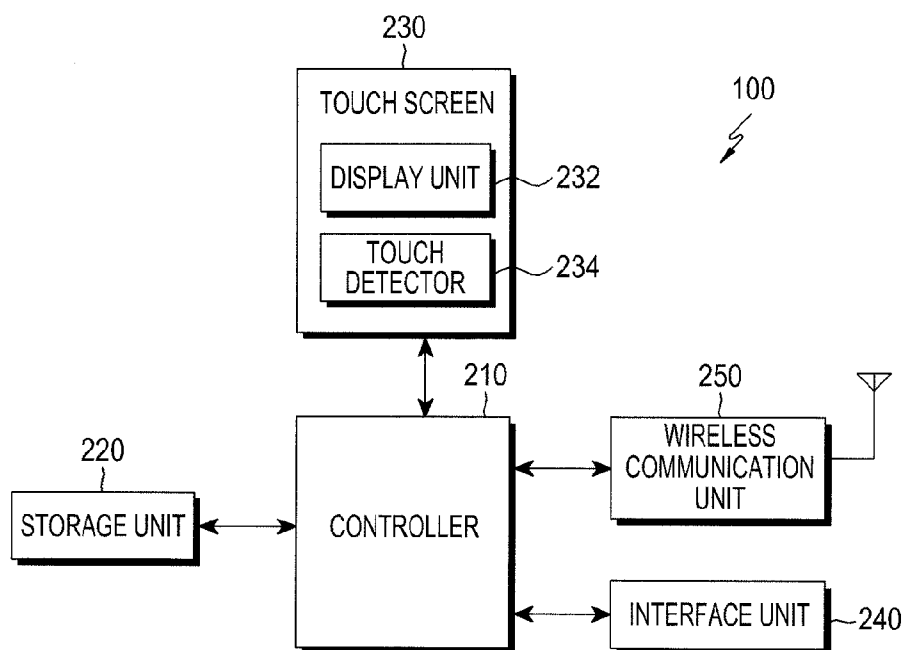


FIG.2

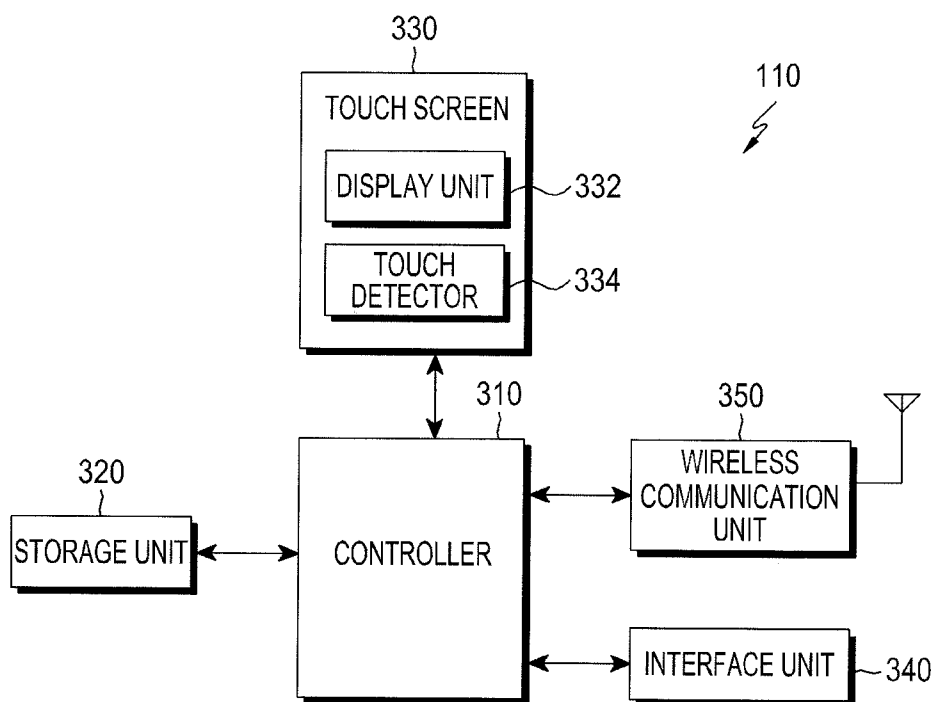


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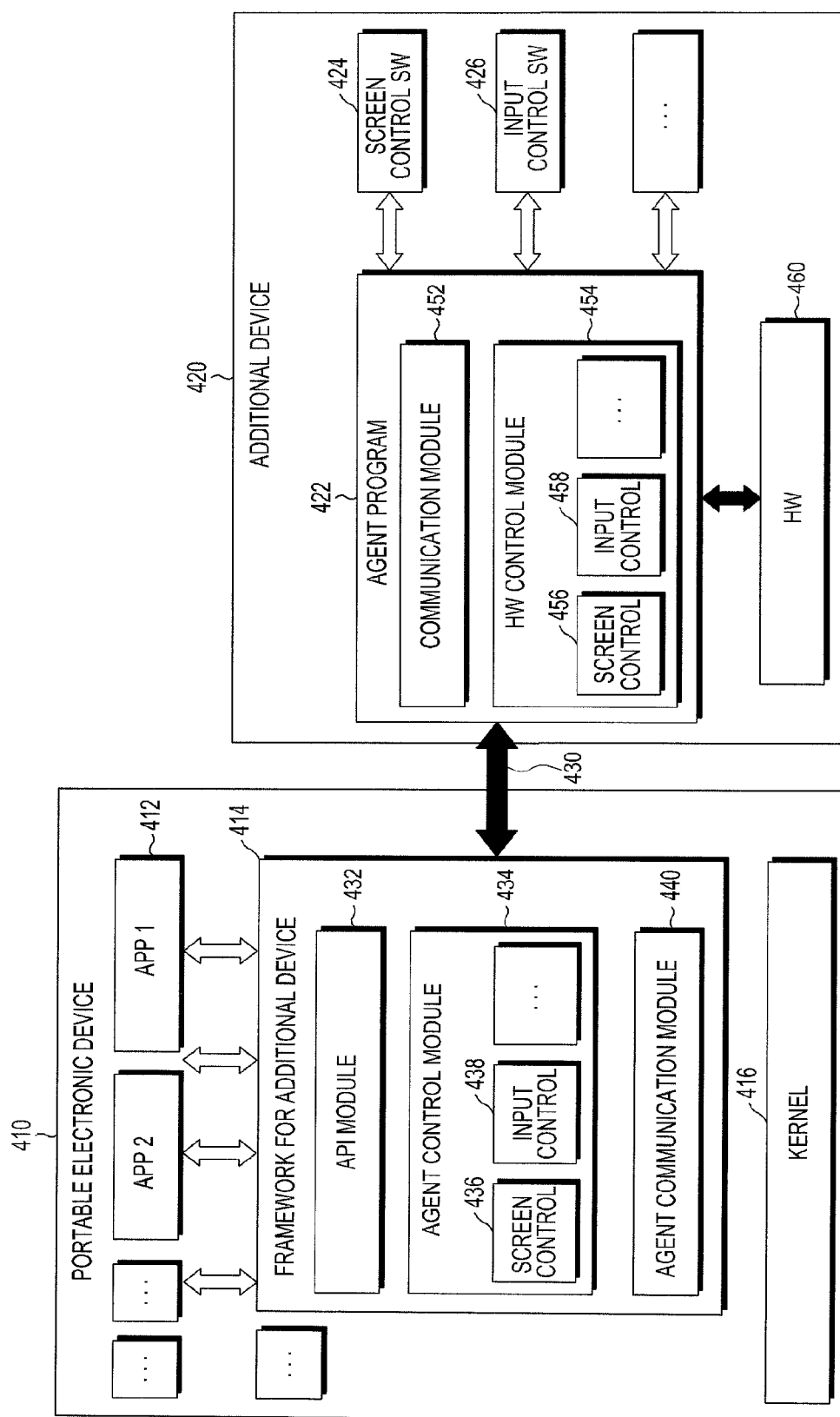


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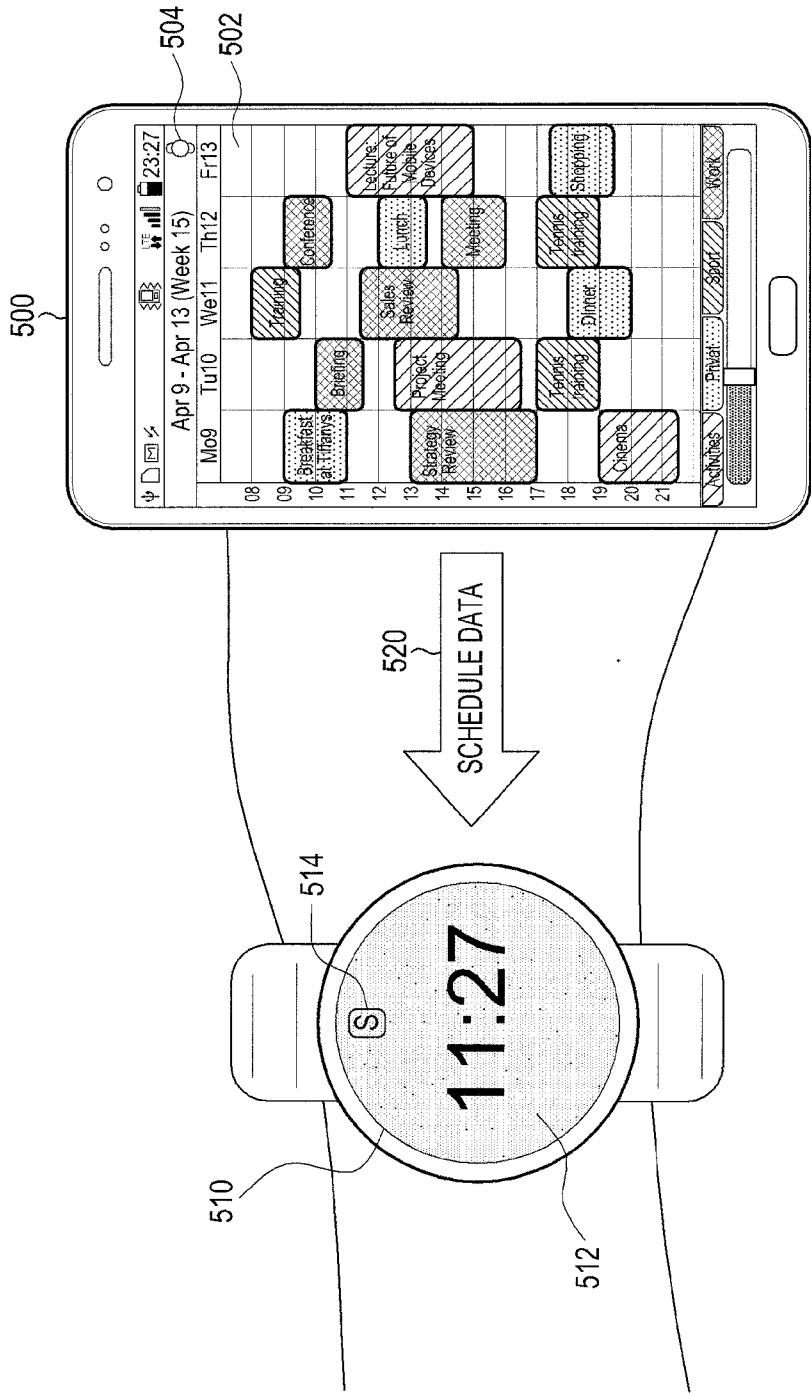


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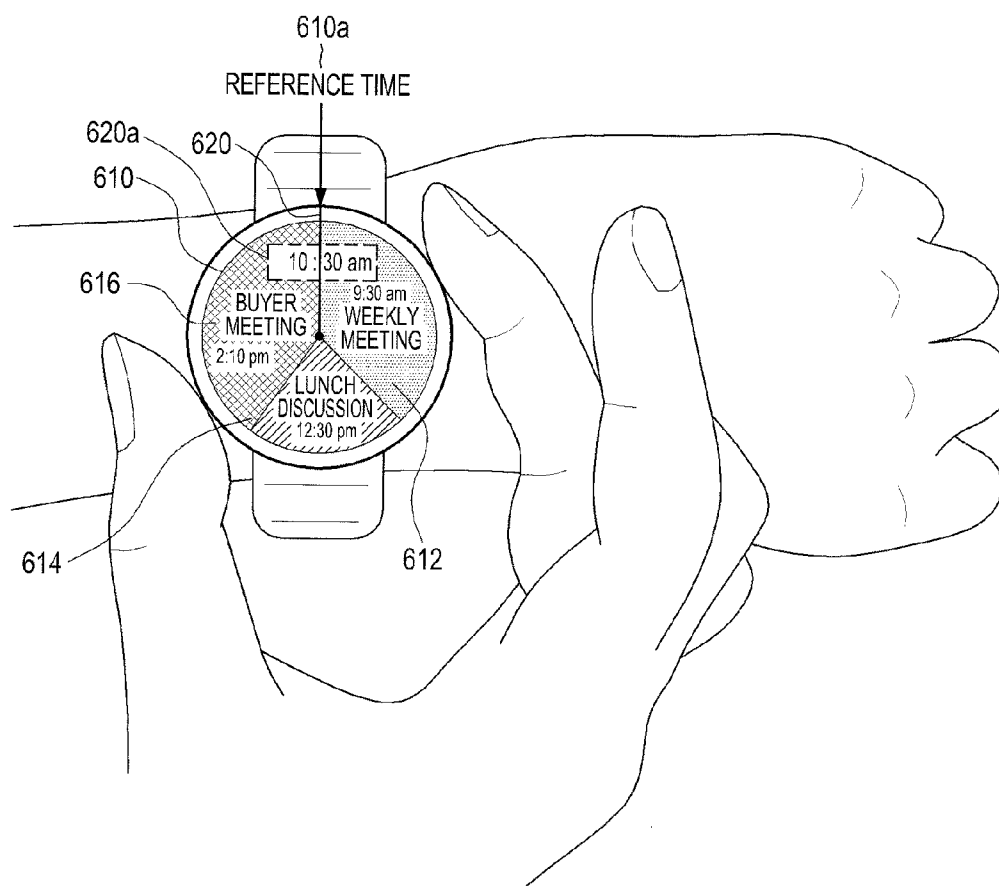


FIG.6A

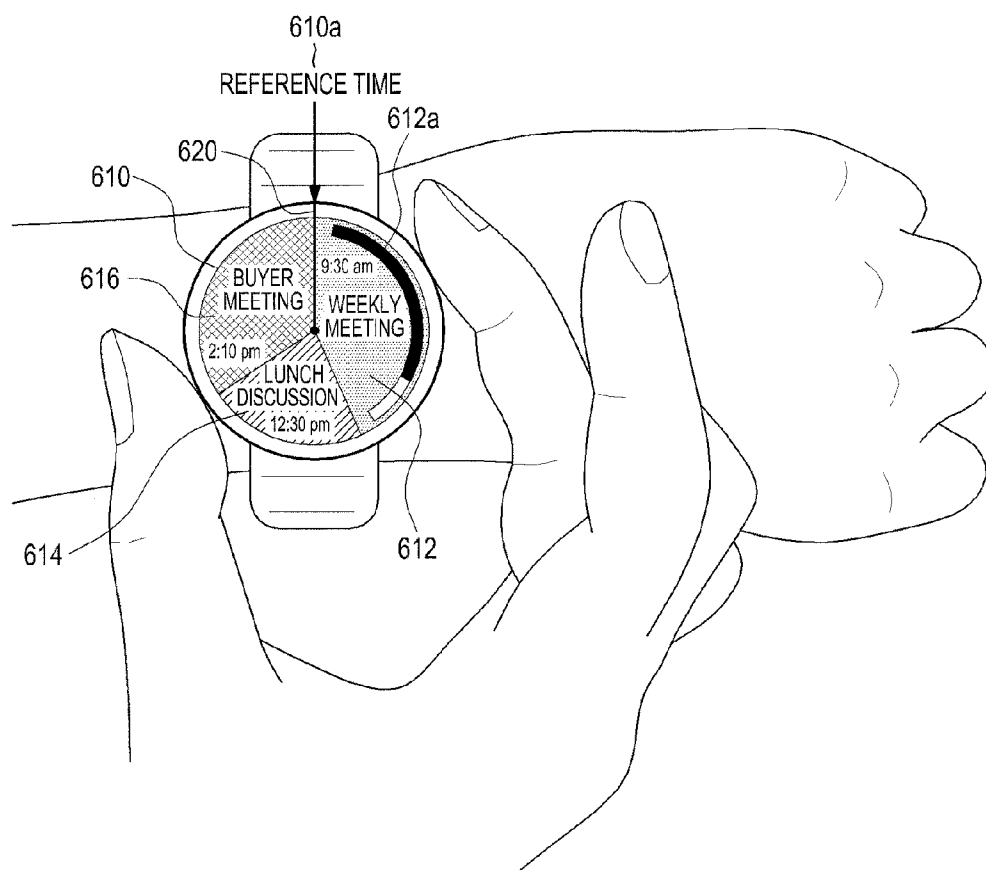


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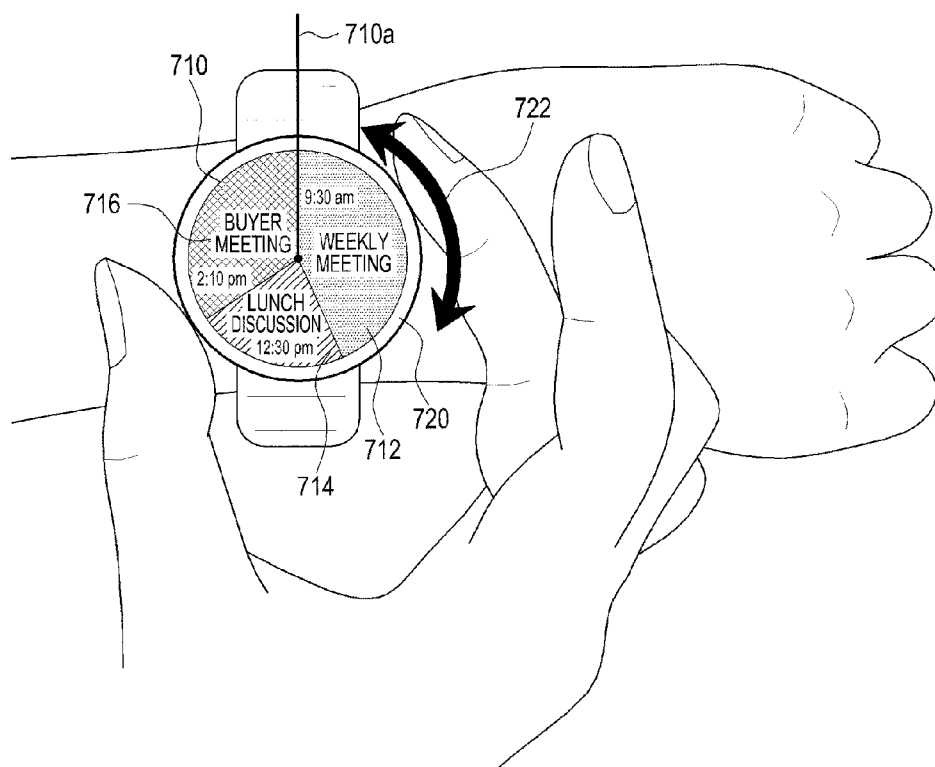


FIG. 7A

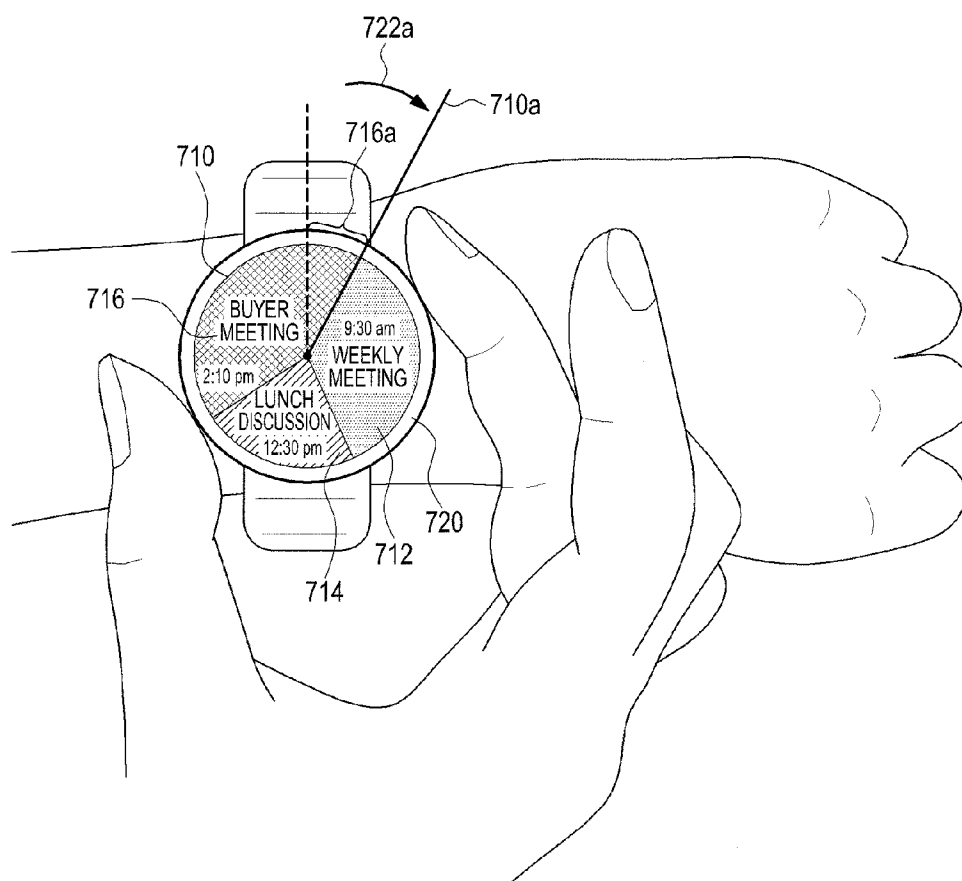


FIG. 7B

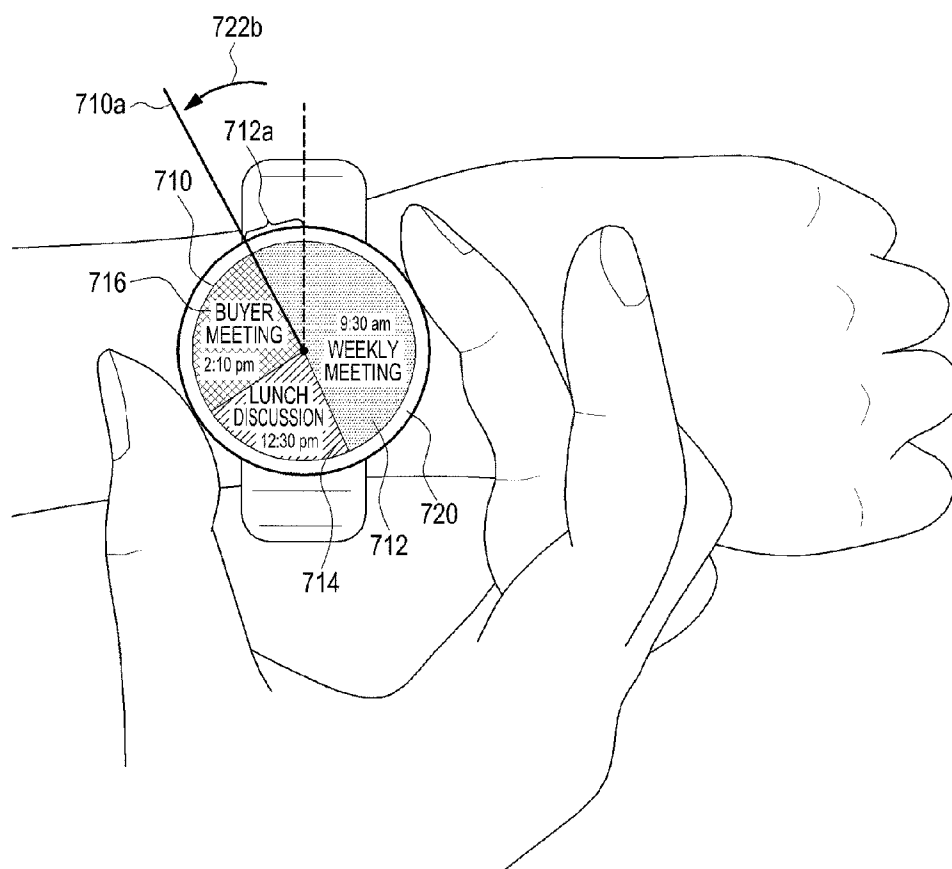


FIG. 7C

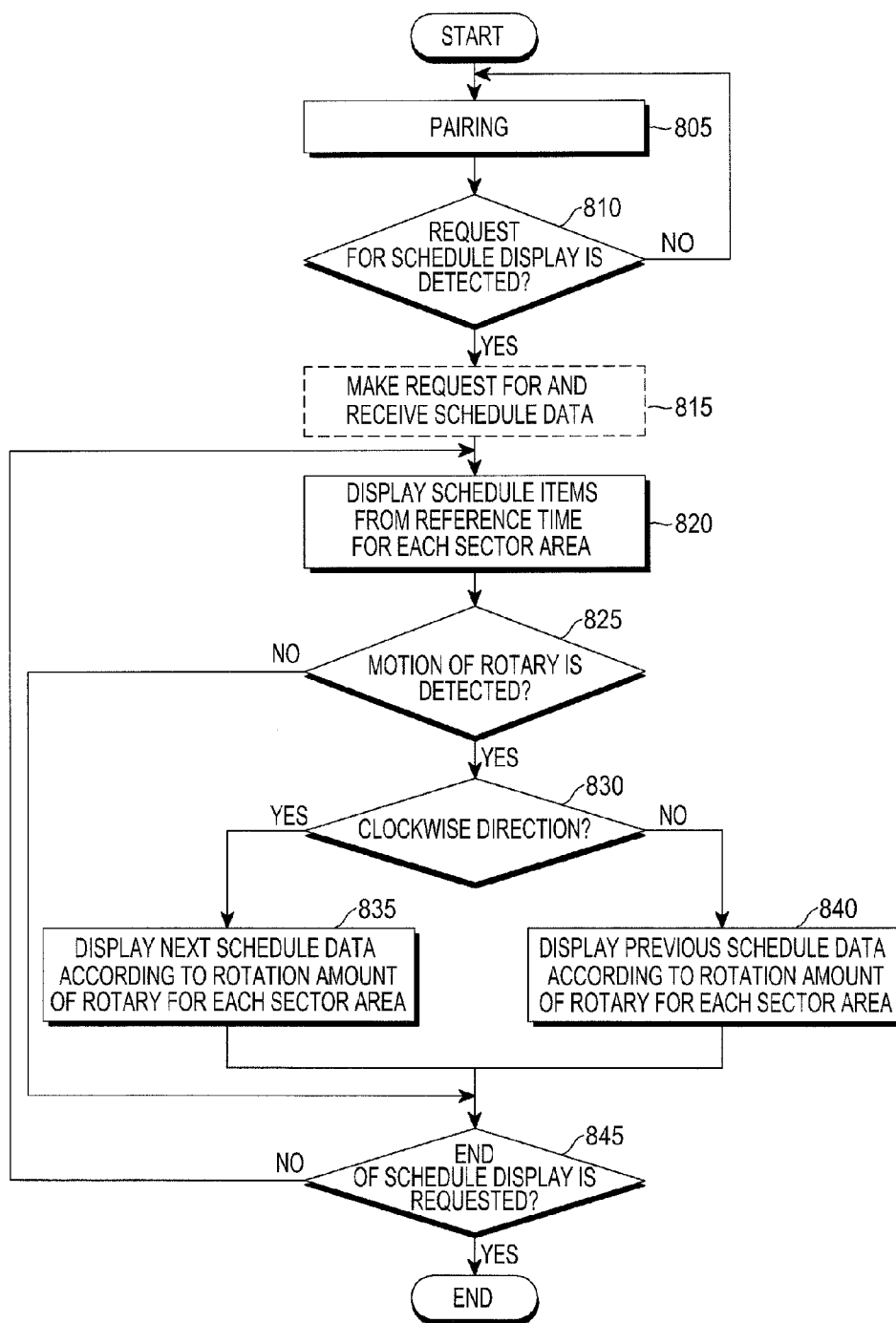


FIG.8

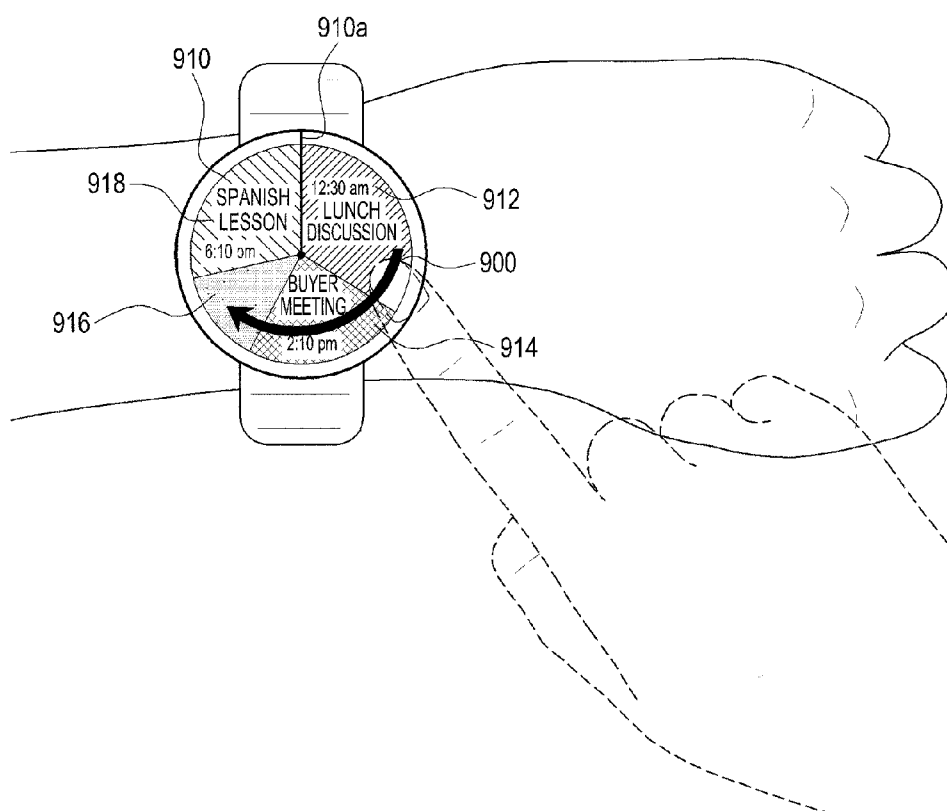
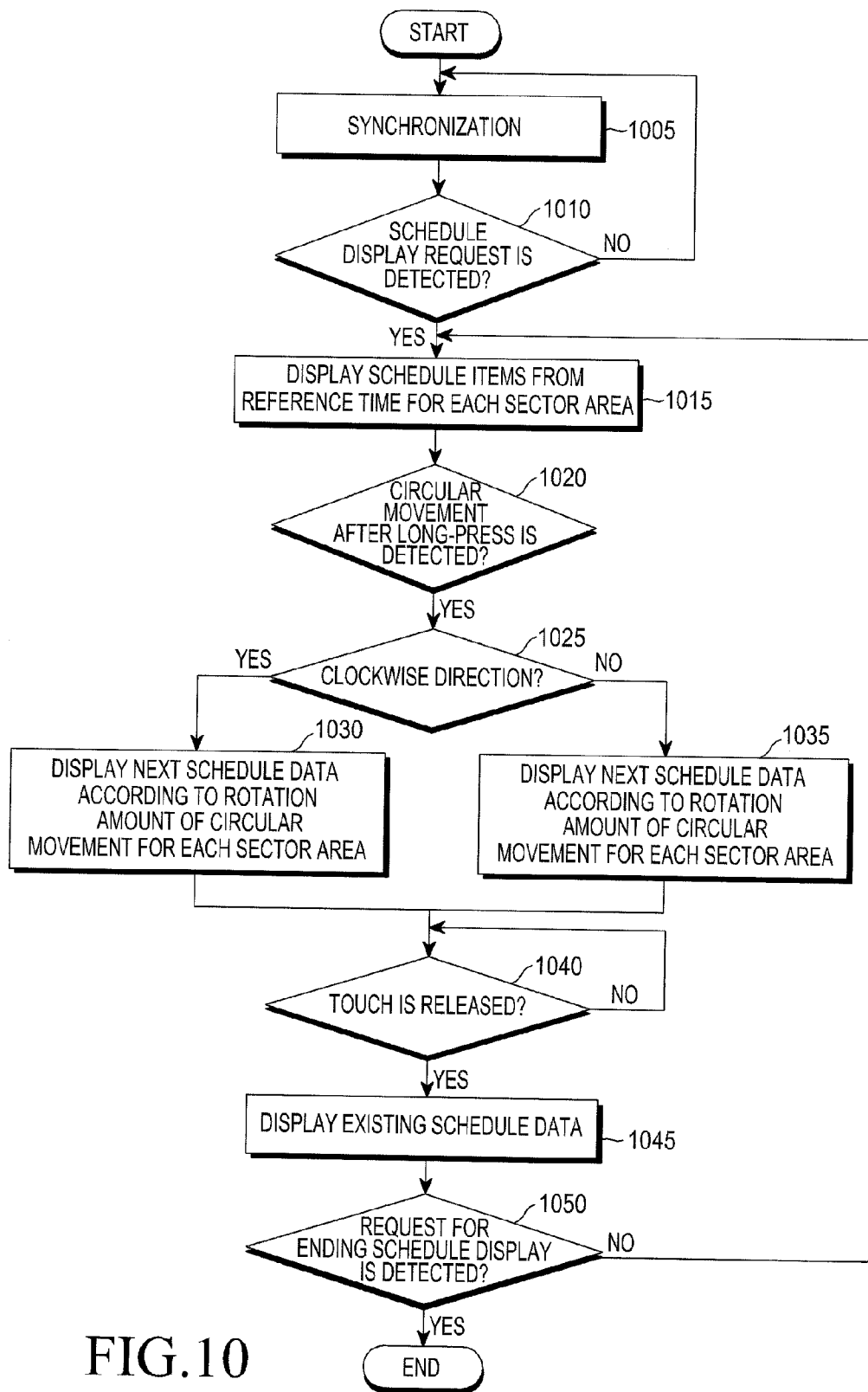


FIG.9



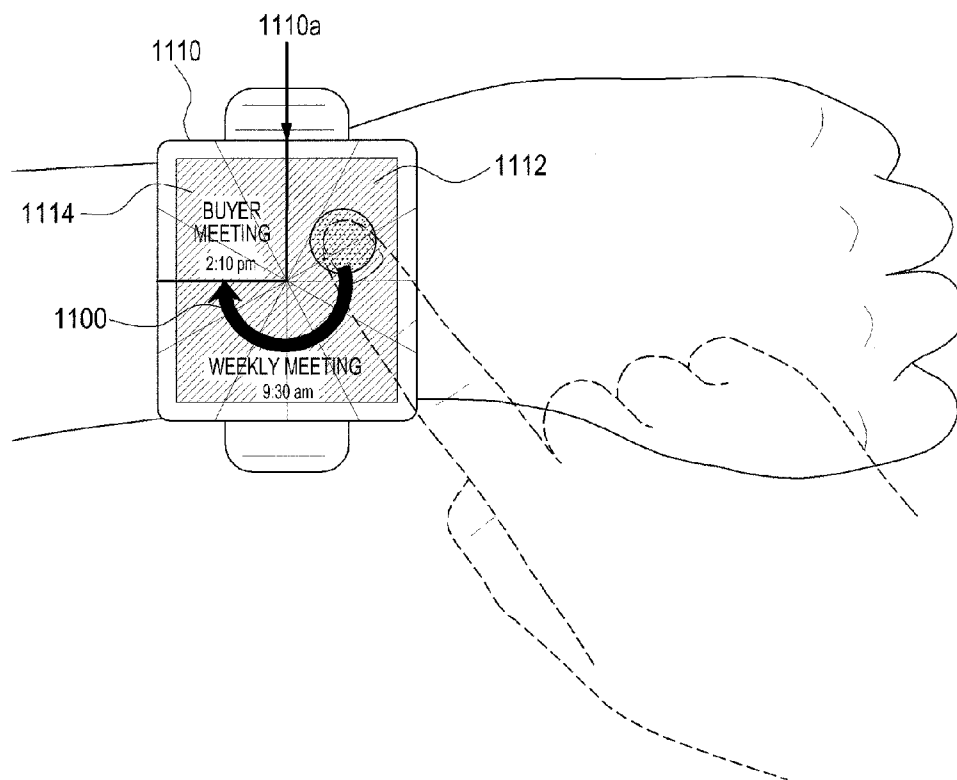


FIG.11A

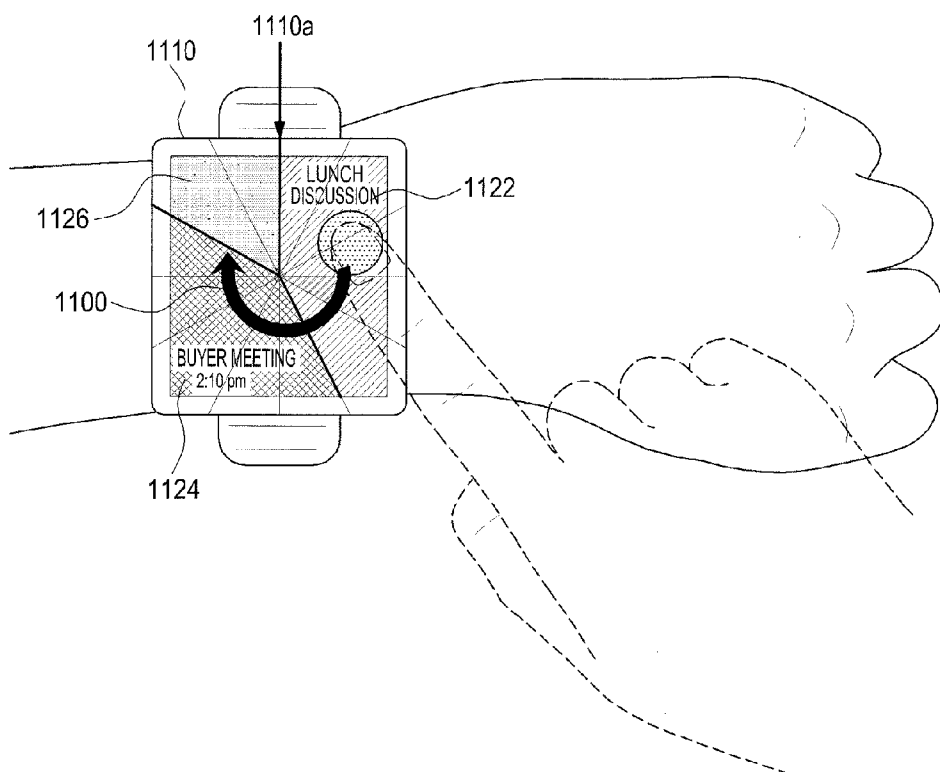


FIG.11B

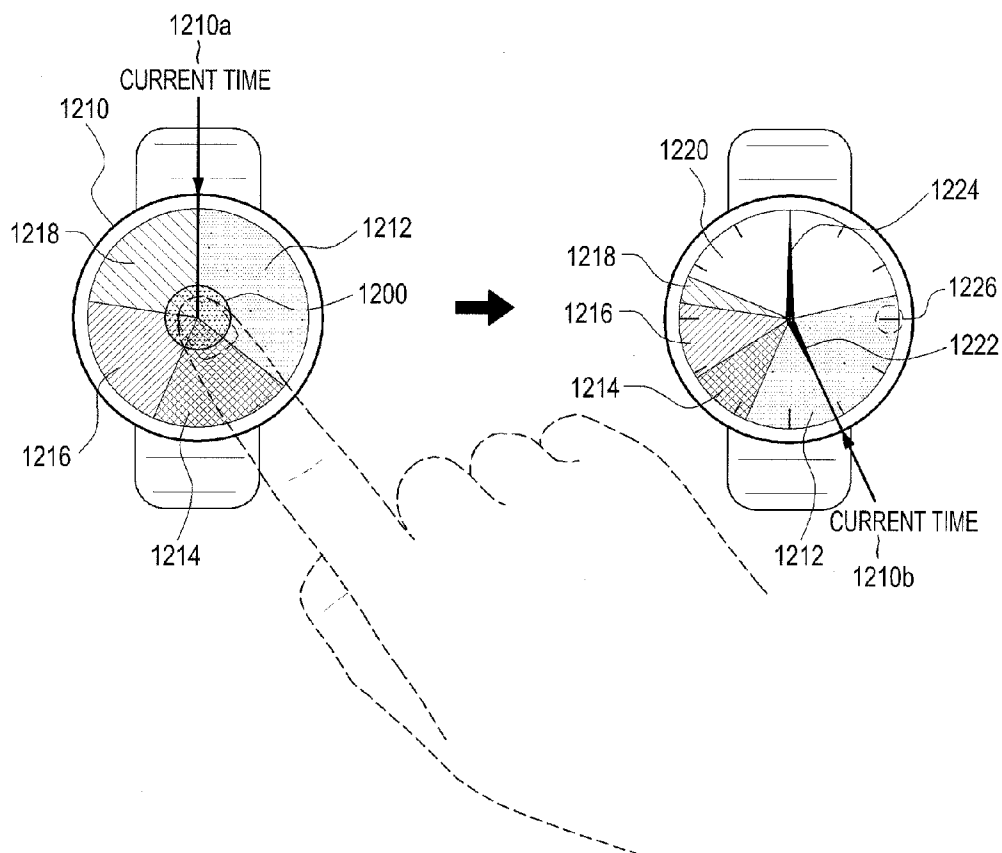


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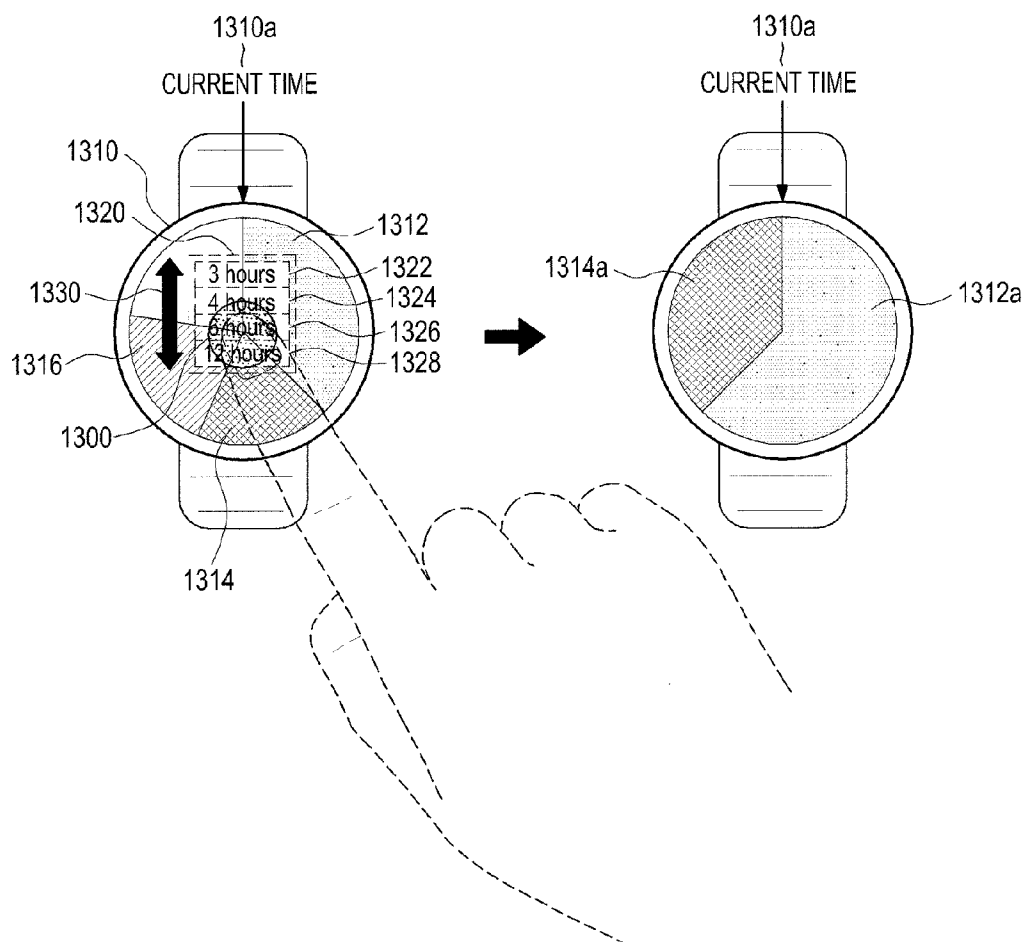


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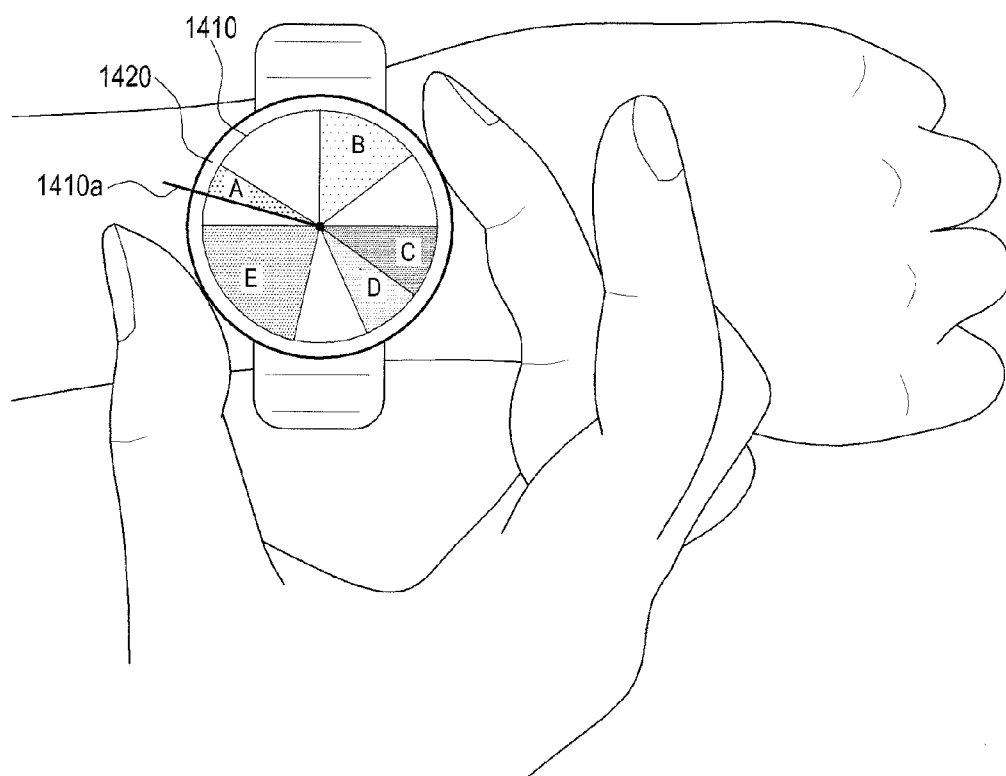


FIG.14A

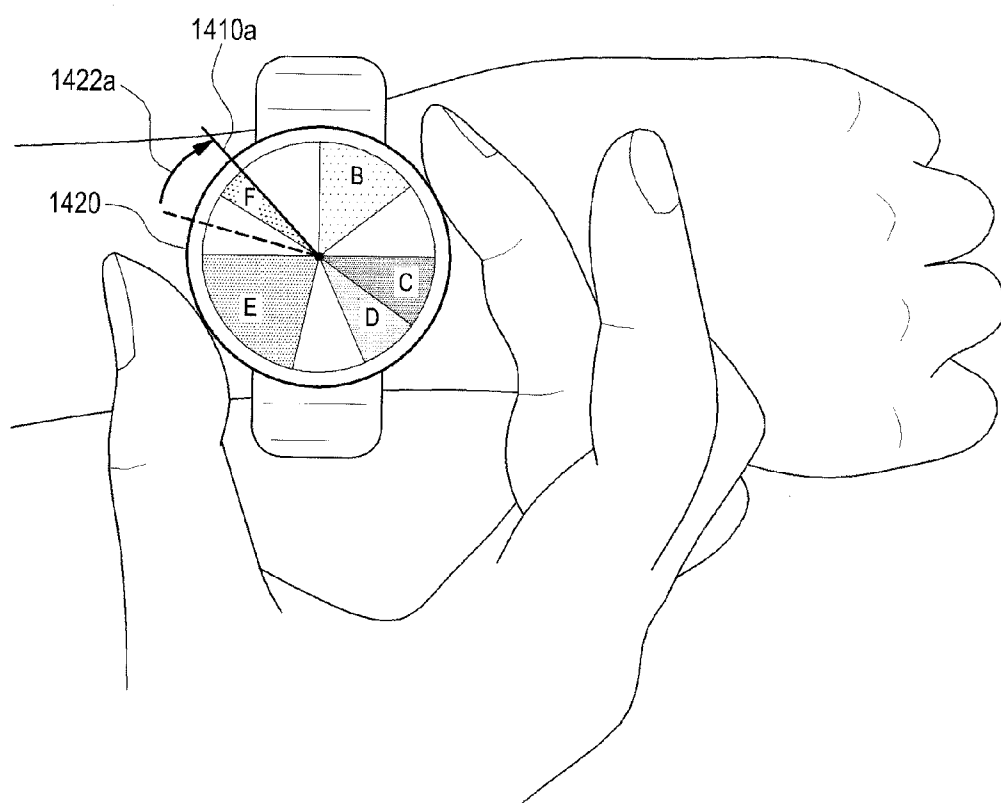


FIG.14B

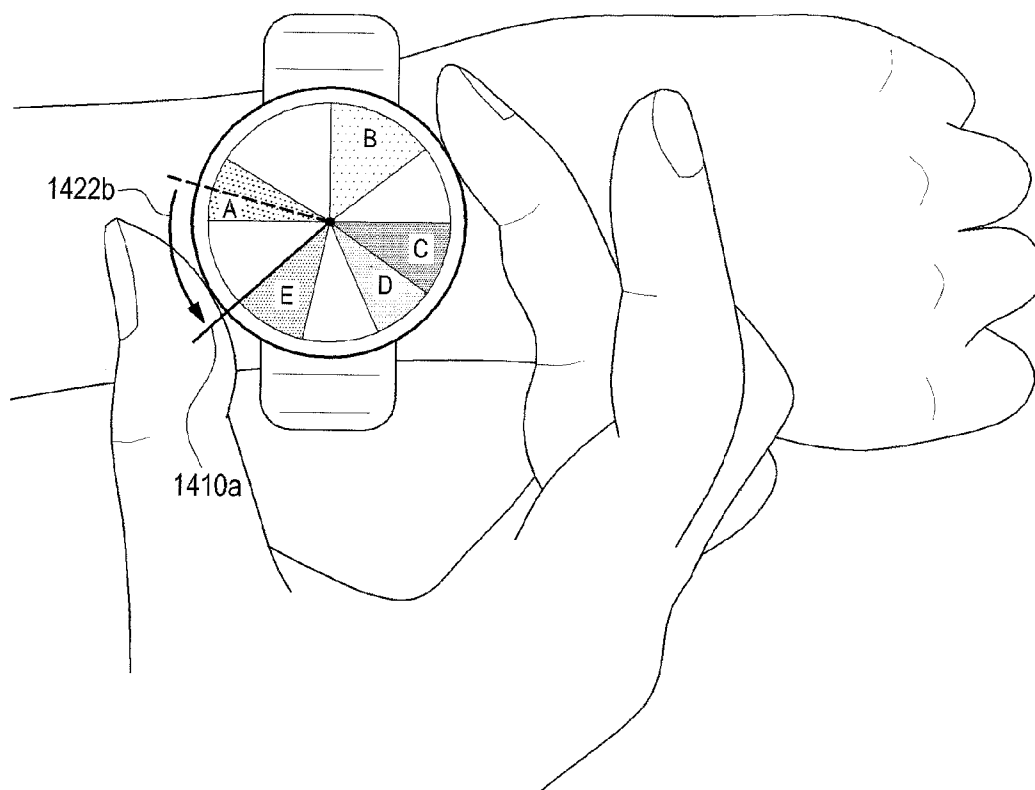


FIG.14C

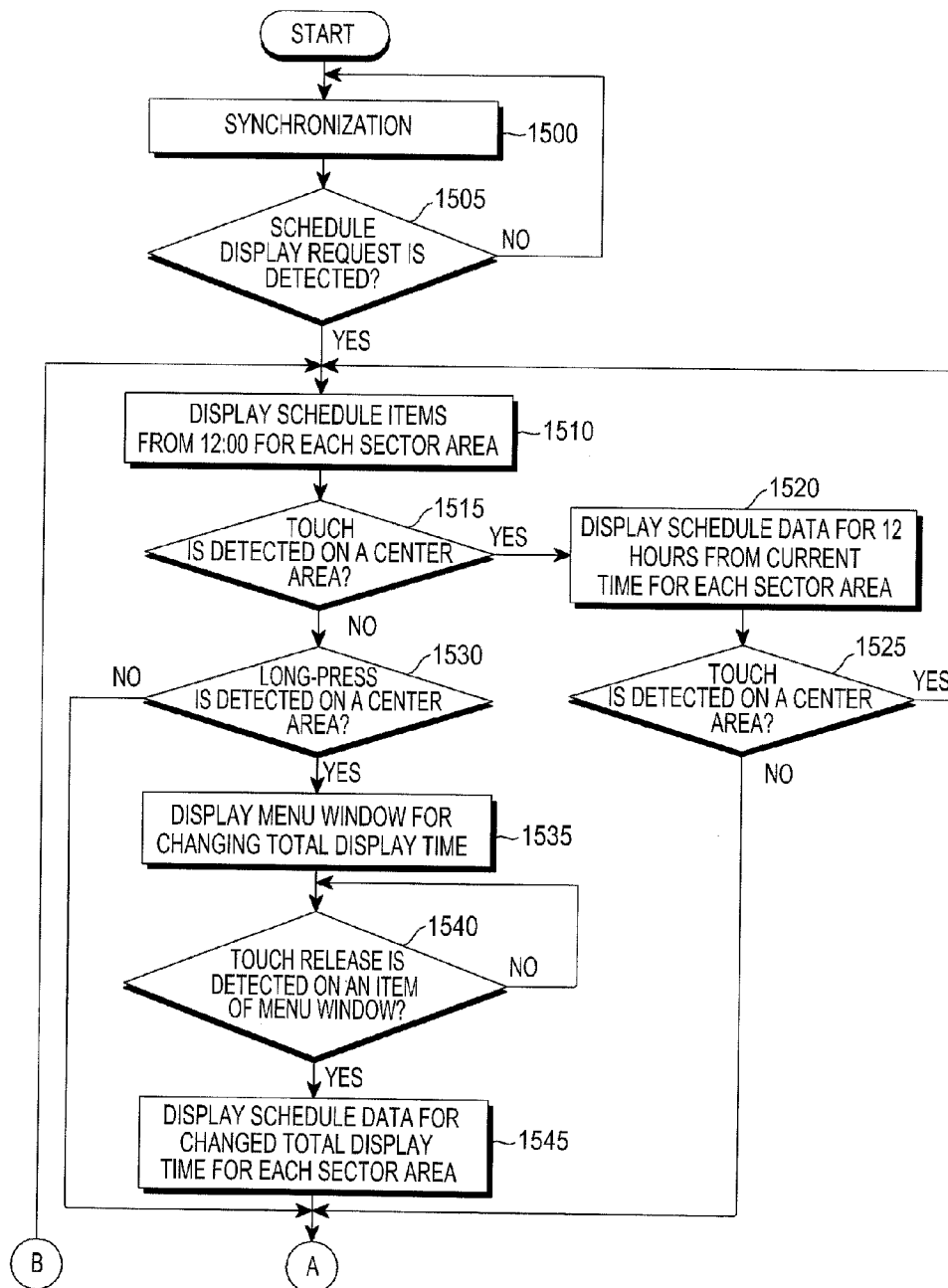


FIG.15A

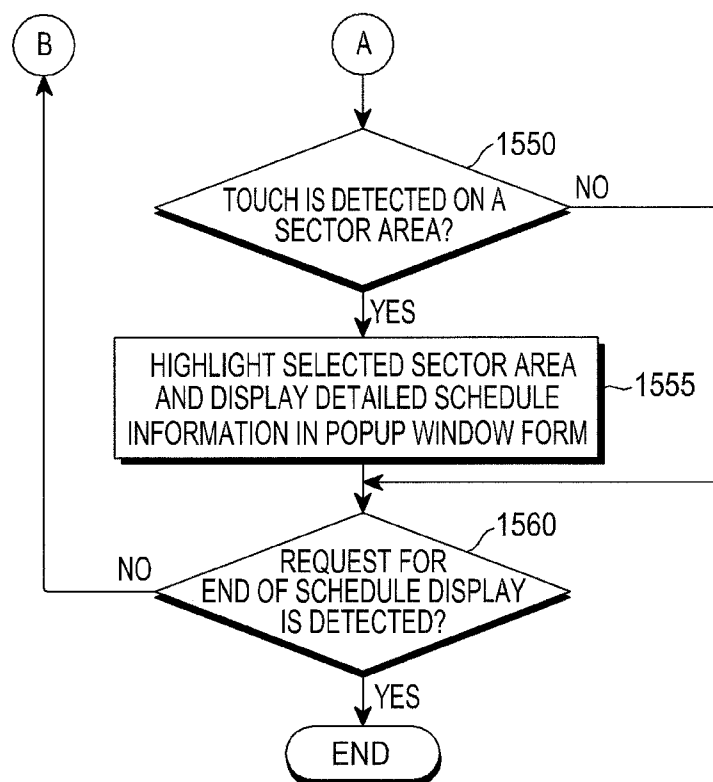


FIG.15B

METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR DISPLAYING SCHEDULE ON WEARABLE DEVICE

CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATION(S)

[0001] This application claims the benefit under 35 U.S.C. §119(a) of a Korean patent application filed on May 22, 2013 in the Korean Intellectual Property Office and assigned Serial No. 10-2013-0057756, the entire disclosure of which is hereby incorporated by reference.

TECHNICAL FIELD

[0002] The present disclosure relates generally to providing a user interface in an electronic device. More particularly, the present disclosure relates to a method and an apparatus for displaying a schedule on a wearable additional device.

BACKGROUND

[0003] Portable electronic devices are small devices which have been developed for the convenience of performing digital work and may be implemented in various forms, such as a Personal Digital Assistant (PDA), a video player, a smart phone or the like. A smart phone, for example, has various applications as well as a call function. Additionally, users can freely download and install desired applications through smart phones. For these reasons, smart phones have been widely distributed.

[0004] A primary advantage of the portable electric device is its portability since the portable electric device has a smaller size than that of a computing device of the related art, such as a desktop computer, a laptop computer or a notebook computer. However, due to this advantage, the portable electronic device has a limitation in the size of its display. In order to overcome this limitation, recent portable electronic devices have been implemented with a touch screen in which a display and an input means are combined. Despite this configuration, there remain the inconveniences that a user will experience while using various applications due to the relatively small display screen of the portable electronic device.

[0005] Therefore, a need exists for a method and an apparatus for displaying an application, such as a schedule, on a wearable additional electronic device.

[0006] The above information is presented as background information only to assist with an understanding of the present disclosure. No determination has been made, and no assertion is made, as to whether any of the above might be applicable as prior art with regard to the present disclosure.

SUMMARY

[0007] Aspects of the present disclosure are to address at least the above-mentioned problems and/or disadvantages and to provide at least the advantages described below. Accordingly, an aspect of the present disclosure provides a method and an apparatus for displaying a schedule in an electronic device.

[0008] Another aspect of the present disclosure is to provide a method and an apparatus for displaying a user's schedule based on a current time in a pie chart type in a wearable additional device.

[0009] Another aspect of the present disclosure is to provide a method and an apparatus for displaying schedule data

in a form of sector areas having an arc length or angle according to a time section of a corresponding schedule item in a wearable additional device.

[0010] In accordance with an aspect of the present disclosure, a method of displaying a schedule on a wearable additional device is provided. The method includes connecting a portable electronic device configured to synchronize a schedule, receiving a user input for displaying the schedule on a display screen of the wearable additional device, and displaying the schedule received from the portable electronic device on the display screen of the wearable additional device in response to the user input, wherein the schedule is displayed in a form of sector areas corresponding to a plurality of schedule items, and wherein each of the sector areas has an area proportional to a time of a corresponding schedule item from among a total time of schedule data which can be displayed on the display screen of the wearable additional device.

[0011] In accordance with another aspect of the present disclosure, a wearable additional device for displaying a schedule is provided. The wearable additional device includes a communication unit configured to connect a portable device which can synchronize the schedule, a display screen configured to display the schedule in a form of sector areas corresponding to a plurality of schedule items, and a controller configured to receive a user input for displaying the schedule on the display screen and displays the schedule received from the portable electronic device on the display screen in response to the user input, wherein each of the sector areas has an area proportional to a time of a corresponding schedule item from among a total time of schedule data which can be displayed on the display screen of the wearable additional device.

[0012] In accordance with another aspect of the present disclosure, a method of displaying a schedule on a wearable additional device connectable with a portable electronic device is provided. The method includes reconfiguring the schedule in a form which can be displayed on a display screen of the wearable additional device; and transmitting User Interface (UI) composition information indicating the reconfigured schedule to the wearable additional device, wherein the UI composition information corresponds to a plurality of schedule items and indicates sector areas arranged to be displayed on the display screen of the wearable additional device, and each of the sector areas has an area proportional to a time of a corresponding schedule item from among a total display time of schedule data which can be displayed on the display screen of the wearable additional device.

[0013] In accordance with another aspect of the present disclosure, a portable electronic device displaying a schedule on a wearable additional device is provided. The portable electronic device includes a controller configured to reconfigure the schedule in a form which can be displayed on a display screen of the wearable additional device; a communication unit configured to transmit UI composition information indicating the reconfigured schedule to the wearable additional device, wherein the UI composition information corresponds to a plurality of schedule items and indicates sector areas arranged to be displayed on the display screen of the wearable additional device, and each of the sector areas has an area proportional to a time of a corresponding schedule item from among a total time of schedule data which can be displayed on the display screen of the wearable additional device.

[0014] Other aspects, advantages, and salient features of the disclosure will become apparent to those skilled in the art from the following detailed description, which, taken in conjunction with the annexed drawings, discloses various embodiments of the present disclosure.

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS

[0015] The above and other aspects, features, and advantages of certain embodiments of the present disclosure will be more apparent from the following description taken in conjunction with the accompanying drawings, in which:

[0016] FIG. 1 illustrates a connection between a portable electronic device and an additional device according to an embodiment of the present disclosure;

[0017] FIG. 2 is a block diagram illustrating a configuration of a portable electronic device according to an embodiment of the present disclosure;

[0018] FIG. 3 is a block diagram illustrating a configuration of an additional device which may be connected with a portable electronic device according to an embodiment of the present disclosure;

[0019] FIG. 4 illustrates a connection between a portable electronic device and an additional device according to an embodiment of the present disclosure;

[0020] FIG. 5 illustrates transmission of schedule data according to an embodiment of the present disclosure;

[0021] FIGS. 6A and 6B illustrate displays of schedule data on an additional device according to an embodiment of the present disclosure;

[0022] FIGS. 7A, 7B and 7C illustrate examples of changing a display of schedule data on an additional device according to an embodiment of the present disclosure;

[0023] FIG. 8 is a flowchart illustrating a process of displaying schedule data on an additional device according to an embodiment of the present disclosure;

[0024] FIG. 9 illustrates an example of changing a display of schedule data on an additional device according to an embodiment of the present disclosure;

[0025] FIG. 10 is a flowchart illustrating a process of changing schedule data displayed on an additional device according to an embodiment of the present disclosure;

[0026] FIGS. 11A and 11B illustrate displays of schedule data on an additional device according to an embodiment of the present disclosure;

[0027] FIG. 12 illustrates an operation of changing a view mode of schedule data in a wrist watch according to an embodiment of the present disclosure;

[0028] FIG. 13 illustrates an operation of changing a total display time of schedule data in a wrist watch according to an embodiment of the present disclosure;

[0029] FIGS. 14A, 14B and 14C illustrate examples of changing a display of schedule data in a wrist watch according to an embodiment of the present disclosure; and

[0030] FIGS. 15A and 15B are flowcharts illustrating a process of changing a view mode of a wrist watch according to an embodiment of the present disclosure.

[0031] Throughout the drawings, it should be noted that like reference numbers are used to depict the same or similar elements, features, and structures.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION

[0032] The following description with reference to the accompanying drawings is provided to assist in a comprehen-

sive understanding of various embodiments of the present disclosure as defined by the claims and their equivalents. It includes various specific details to assist in that understanding but these are to be regarded as merely exemplary. Accordingly, those of ordinary skill in the art will recognize that various changes and modifications of the various embodiments described herein can be made without departing from the scope and spirit of the present disclosure. In addition, descriptions of well-known functions and constructions may be omitted for clarity and conciseness.

[0033] The terms and words used in the following description and claims are not limited to the bibliographical meanings, but, are merely used by the inventor to enable a clear and consistent understanding of the present disclosure. Accordingly, it should be apparent to those skilled in the art that the following description of various embodiments of the present disclosure is provided for illustration purpose only and not for the purpose of limiting the present disclosure as defined by the appended claims and their equivalents.

[0034] It is to be understood that the singular forms “a,” “an,” and “the” include plural referents unless the context clearly dictates otherwise. Thus, for example, reference to “a component surface” includes reference to one or more of such surfaces.

[0035] The following various embodiments describe a technology that displays schedule data stored in a portable electronic device on an additional device.

[0036] FIG. 1 illustrates a connection between a portable electronic device and an additional device according to an embodiment of the present disclosure.

[0037] Referring to FIG. 1, a portable electronic device 100 and an additional device 110 may be connected with each other through a wireless communication technology, a Near Field Communication, or a wired cable. According to an embodiment, the portable electronic device 100 may be connected with the additional device 110 through a wireless communication technology such as Bluetooth, Bluetooth Low Energy (BLE), ZigBee, infrared communication, Wi-Fi Direct, home Radio Frequency (RF), Digital Living Network Alliance (DLNA), or the like. According to an embodiment, the portable electronic device 100 may be connected with the additional device 110 through a wired technology such as a High-Definition Multimedia Interface (HDMI) cable, a Universal Serial Bus (USB) cable, a micro/mini USB cable, an Audio-Video (AV) cable, or the like.

[0038] The portable electronic device 100 includes a display to execute a stored or downloaded application and may take various forms, such as a Personal Digital Assistant (PDA), a cellular phone, a smart phone, a tablet Personal Computer (PC), a Portable Multimedia Player (PMP), or the like. The portable electronic device 100 may display schedule data on the additional device 110 in a state where the portable electronic device 100 is connected with the additional device 110 wirelessly or through a wired cable and synchronized with the additional device 110.

[0039] The additional device 110 may display the schedule data provided by the portable electronic device 100. The additional device 110 may have a display having a size equal to, or relatively smaller than, a size of the display of the portable electronic device 100, and may be a device having high portability and user accessibility. For example, the additional device may be a device in a form of a wrist watch worn around a wrist, an earset remote control having a display means worn around a neck, or a wearable device attached to

or worn on a head, an arm, a leg, or the body of the user. The additional device in the form of the wrist watch may have a communication function, such as Bluetooth, and may interact with a smart phone to support a function such as notification of a text message, a call, or an instant message. The additional device in the form of the wrist watch or the earset remote control may be included in the wearable device.

[0040] In various embodiments of the present disclosure, the schedule data refers to schedule items such as an appointment, work to do, an anniversary, or the like, input by the user. The additional device **110** may display one or more schedule items for an amount of time from a reference time in a form of circular segments or sector areas. Hereinafter, components and operations required for displaying schedule items on the additional device **110** will be described.

[0041] FIG. 2 is a block diagram illustrating a configuration of a portable electronic device according to an embodiment of the present disclosure.

[0042] Referring to FIG. 2, the portable electronic device **100** may include a wireless communication unit **250**, an interface unit **240**, a touch screen **230**, a storage unit **220**, and a controller **210**. The touch screen **230** may include a display unit **232** and a touch detector **234**.

[0043] The wireless communication unit **250** may form wireless communication channels with other devices located within a communicable range under a control of the controller **210**. More particularly, the wireless communication unit **250** according to an embodiment of the present disclosure may form a wireless communication channel with the additional device **110** and may transmit schedule data for a time range to the additional device **110** through the wireless communication channel. The wireless communication unit **250** may use a wireless communication technology such as Bluetooth, infrared communication, Wi-Fi, P2P, Wi-Fi Direct, home RF, DLNA, ZigBee, or the like.

[0044] The interface unit **240**, which may be optionally implemented in embodiments, may include a wired cable for a wired connection with the additional device **110** and may transmit schedule data to the additional device **110** through the wired cable. Accordingly, the interface unit **240** may be formed by a USB, a micro/mini USB, an HDMI, a 20-pole connector, or the like. When the portable electronic device **100** does not provide an additional UI through a wired cable, the interface unit **240** may be omitted.

[0045] The touch screen **230** may perform an input function and an output function. For these functions, the touch screen **230** may include the display unit **232** for performing the output function and the touch detector **234** for performing the input function. The display unit **232** displays information on an application executed in the portable electronic device **100**, information input by the user, and/or information to be provided to the user. For example, the display unit **232** may provide work areas for various applications such as a schedule management application and a note application, a picture viewer, and a game according to the use of the portable electronic device **100**.

[0046] The touch detector **234** may generate an input event according to a contact or a detection of a user's finger or a stylus and transmit the generated input event to the controller **210**. The touch detector **234** may recognize a change in a physical quantity (for example, capacitance, resistance, or the like) according to the contact or approach of the finger or the

stylus, and transmit the input event including a type of the input and information on a position where the input is detected to the controller **210**.

[0047] The storage unit **220** may store a program code required for operations according to an embodiment of the present disclosure, user data or the like. For example, the storage unit **220** may store a program that controls general operations of the portable electronic device **100**, applications required for an Operating System (OS) booting the portable electronic device **100**, and additional functions of the portable electronic device **100**, such as a camera function, a sound play function, an image editing function, an image display function, a video play function, a wireless communication function, or the like. More particularly, the storage unit **220** may store schedule data including one or more schedule items input by the user under a control of the controller **210** and provide the schedule data when there is a request of the controller **210**. In an embodiment, the storage unit **220** may store UI composition information indicating schedule data that is arranged in a form suitable for screen information of the additional device **110** (for example, a physical shape such as a rectangle, a circle, an oval, or a polygon, a resolution, or a size) under a control of the controller **210** and provide the UI composition information to the controller **210** when there is a request of the controller **210**.

[0048] The controller **210** may control general operations of the portable electronic device **100** and a signal flow between components within the portable electronic device **100**. More particularly, when there is a request of the additional device **110** or when another trigger condition for transmitting the schedule data is satisfied, the controller **210** may transmit schedule data input by the user to the additional device **110** through a schedule management application. In an embodiment, the controller **210** may reconfigure the schedule data in a form suitable for being displayed on the additional device **110** according to the screen information of the additional device **110**, for example, a display shape, a size, and a resolution of the additional device **110**, and may transmit UI composition information indicating the reconfigured schedule data to the additional device **110**. Accordingly, the controller **210** may acquire the screen information of the additional device **110** from the additional device **110** directly or from an Internet manufacturer server through a connection (for example, Bluetooth pairing) with the additional device **110**.

[0049] Although not illustrated in FIG. 2, the portable electronic device **100** may further include optional components for providing additional functions, such as a camera module for photographing an image or a video, a broadcasting reception module for receiving broadcasts, a digital music play module such as MPEG audio layer-3 (MP3), and a proximity sensor module for proximity sensing. All types of the components cannot be listed since a variation on the components varies greatly according to a convergence trend of digital devices, and the portable device **100** according to embodiments of the present disclosure may further include components in an equal level to that of the above listed components.

[0050] FIG. 3 is a block diagram illustrating a configuration of an additional device which may be connected with a portable electronic device according to an embodiment of the present disclosure.

[0051] Referring to FIG. 3, similarly to the portable electronic device **100**, the additional device **110** may include a wireless communication unit **350**, an interface unit **340**, a

touch screen **330**, a storage unit **320**, and a controller **310**, and the touch screen **330** may include a display unit **332** and a touch detector **334**. The wireless communication unit **350** may form a wireless communication channel with the portable electronic device **100** under a control of the controller **310** and may receive schedule data from the portable electronic device **100** through the wireless communication channel. The interface unit **340**, which may be optionally implemented in an embodiment, may include a wired cable for a wired connection with the portable electronic device **100** and receive schedule data from the portable electronic device **100** through the wired cable.

[0052] The touch screen **330** may include the display unit **332** for performing a screen output and the touch detector **334** for performing a screen input, and the display unit **332** displays information generated in the additional device **110**, information input by the user and/or information to be provided to the user. For example, when the additional device **110** is a wrist watch, the display unit **332** may display a digital watch screen including digital numbers or an analog watch screen including a dial face and hour and minute hands. When there is the schedule data received from the portable electronic device **100** and a request for displaying the schedule from the user is detected, the controller **310** may display the schedule data on the display unit **332**.

[0053] In an embodiment, the controller **310** graphically reconfigures schedule items for an amount of time from a reference time from among a plurality of items included in the schedule data to be identifiable from each other and displays the reconfigured schedule items on the display unit **332**. The amount of time refers to a display range of the schedule data and may be called a total display time. In an embodiment, the controller **310** may display the schedule items in a form of sector areas having an arc length or a central angle according to a corresponding time section.

[0054] The touch detector **334** may generate an input event according to a contact or a detection of a user's finger or a stylus and may transmit the generated input event to the controller **310**. The touch detector **334** may recognize a change in physical quantities (for example, capacitance, resistance, or the like) according to the contact or approach of the finger or stylus and transmit an input event including a type of the input and information on a position where the input is detected to the controller **310**. The controller **310** may control a display of the schedule data based on the input event.

[0055] The storage unit **320** may store a program code required for operations according to an embodiment of the present disclosure, user data, or the like. For example, the storage unit **320** may store a program controlling general operations of the additional device **110**, applications required for an Operating System (OS) booting the additional device **110**, and functions of the additional device **110**, for example, program codes required for executing a clock function, an alarm function, a notification function, or the like. Further, the storage unit **320** may store the schedule data received from the portable electronic device **100**.

[0056] The controller **310** may control general operations of the additional device **110** and a signal flow between components within the additional device **110**. More particularly, when there is schedule data provided from the portable electronic device **100** and a request for displaying the schedule from the user is detected, the controller **310** may display schedule items of the schedule data for each sector area on the display unit **332**. Further, when a detection of a user input is

notified from the touch detector **334**, the controller **310** may control a display of the schedule data according to the user input.

[0057] Although not illustrated in FIG. 3, the additional device **110** may further optionally include components for providing additional functions such as at least one physical input unit, or the like, such as a speaker for outputting an audio signal, a motion sensor, a rotary or a crown of a wrist watch. The additional device **110** according to embodiments of the present disclosure may further include components in an equal level to that of the aforementioned components.

[0058] FIG. 4 illustrates a connection between a portable electronic device and an additional device according to an embodiment of the present disclosure.

[0059] Referring to FIG. 4, a portable electronic device **410** refers to a main device including a schedule management application, and includes a plurality of executable applications **412** and a framework **414** for an additional device operated on a kernel **416**. The framework **414** for the additional device communicates with the schedule management application which is one of the applications **412** and takes on communication with an additional device **420**.

[0060] The portable electronic device **410** is connected with the additional device **420** by using a wireless or wired communication means **430**. The additional device **420** includes an agent program **422** for communication between the portable electronic device **410** and the additional device **420** and one or more software execution blocks **424** and **426**. The software execution blocks **424** and **426** may include screen control software **424** and input control software **426**. The screen control software **424** displays information generated in the additional device **420** or schedule data provided from the portable electronic device **410** through the agent program **422** on a screen of the additional device **420**, and the input control software **426** detects and processes information input through a touch screen of the additional device **420** or another input unit or transmits the information to the portable electronic device **410** through the agent program **422**.

[0061] The framework **414** for the additional device within the portable electronic device **410** includes an Application Program Interface (API) module that communicates with the applications **412**, an agent control module **434** that configures schedule data to be transmitted to the additional device **420** and receives and analyzes information transmitted from the additional device **420**, and an agent communication module **440** that takes on communication with the agent program **422** of the additional device **420** according to a communication scheme connecting the portable electronic device **410** and the additional device **420**. The agent control module **434** includes a screen control sub module **436** that configures schedule data to be transmitted to the additional device **420** and transmits the schedule data to the additional device **420** through the agent communication module **440**, and an input control sub module **438** that analyzes information transmitted from the additional device **420** through the communication module **440** and transmits the information to the corresponding application **412**.

[0062] API module **432** provides an interface which may use resources, such as an interface of controlling a screen of the additional device **420** and controlling an input. Accordingly, the API module **432** may use the agent control module **434**. The agent control module **434** provides support allowing the portable electronic device **410** to use resources (e.g., a screen output, a touch input, or the like) of the additional

device **420** through the sub modules **436** and **438** that take on controlling the screen of the additional device **420** and the touch input. The agent communication module **440** transmits a request of the application **412** transmitted through the agent control module **434** to the additional device **420** or transmits a user input from the additional device **420** to the corresponding application **412** through the agent control module **434**.

[0063] The agent program **422** within the additional device **420** includes a communication module **452** communicating with the framework **414** for the additional device of the portable electronic device **410** and a hardware control module **454** controlling input/output hardware **560** of the additional device **420**. The input/output hardware **460** includes output units such as a display or a touch screen and input units such as a touch screen, a motion sensor, or physical buttons. The hardware control module **454** includes a screen control sub module **456** displaying schedule data transmitted through the communication module **452** on a display or a touch screen of the input/output hardware **460** and an input control sub module **458** transmitting user input data detected through a touch screen or another input unit of the input/output hardware **460** to the portable electronic device **410** through the communication module **452**.

[0064] The hardware control module **454** may perform receiving a request from the portable electronic device **410** and transmitting request information generated in the additional device **420** to the portable electronic device **410**. The hardware control module **454** may be operated by using a device driver of an Operating System (OS) or directly approaching a hardware register according to a software structure of the additional device **420**.

[0065] FIG. 5 illustrates transmission of schedule data according to an embodiment of the present disclosure.

[0066] In FIG. 5, the portable electronic device is implemented by a smart phone and the additional device is implemented by a wrist watch wirelessly connected with the smart phone.

[0067] Referring to FIG. 5, a smart phone **500** executes a schedule management application **502** to sequentially display a plurality of schedule items according to date and time through the schedule management application **502**. A wrist watch **510** is configured to display a watch screen **512** such as an analog type dial face or a digital type dial face and receives schedule data **520** for an amount of time from the smart phone **500**. For example, the smart phone **500** may transmit schedule items corresponding to the schedule data **520** for six hours, for twelve hours, or for twenty-four hours to the wrist watch **510**. In another example, a range of the transmitted schedule data **520** may be determined according to a range of schedule data displayed on the wrist watch **510**. For example, when the wrist watch **510** is set to display schedule data for 6 hours, the wrist watch **510** may receive the schedule data for 6 hours from the current time or receive schedule data for six hours from the current time, may schedule data for six hours before the current time, and may schedule data for six hours starting six hours after the current time.

[0068] According to embodiments of the present disclosure, the schedule data **520** refers to schedule items such as an appointment, work to do, an anniversary, or the like, input by the user, and one schedule item includes a title, a start and end time, a memo, a schedule type, or the like. For example, the title may indicate a business meeting, a lunch discussion, a

buyer meeting, a Spanish lesson, or the like, and the schedule type may be business, individual, family, anniversary, or the like.

[0069] In an embodiment, the smart phone **500** transmits the schedule data **520** for a time range to the wrist watch **510** when detecting a connection with the wrist watch **510**. The time range of the transmitted schedule data **520** may be determined according to, for example, a range of schedule items displayed on the wrist watch **510** based on a setting. In an embodiment, the smart phone **500** displays an icon **504** for transmitting the schedule data through a menu area of the schedule management application **502** and transmits the schedule data **520** to the wrist watch **510** when a user input such as a touch is detected from the icon **504**.

[0070] In an embodiment, when a user input making a request for displaying a schedule is detected, the wrist watch **510** is requested to transmit the schedule data **520**. In an embodiment, the wrist watch **510** provides an icon **514** for displaying a schedule on the display screen and determines that a request for displaying the schedule is detected when a user input, for example, a touch is detected from the icon **514**. In an embodiment, the wrist watch **510** displays a digital or analog dial face in a standby state, and displays at least a part of icons corresponding to executable applications in a list form when a user input such as a touch, a long-touch, or a long-press is detected from the dial face. When a user input is detected from an icon for executing a display of the schedule from among the displayed icons, the wrist watch determines that there is a request for the display of the schedule.

[0071] In an embodiment, the smart phone **500** may periodically transmit the schedule data **520** to the wrist watch **510** according to a period set by a manufacturer or user, for example, three hours, six hours, twelve hours, or the like. In an embodiment, when a new schedule item is input by the user or when a pre-input schedule item is changed, the smart phone **500** transmits the schedule data **520** including the new or changed schedule item to the wrist watch **510**.

[0072] The schedule data **520** transmitted to the wrist watch **510** from the smart phone **500** may include, for example, schedule items for six hours or twelve hours before and after a current time. Amounts of the schedule data **520**, that is, a time range of schedule items included in the schedule data **520** may be determined according to a setting of the user. For example, when the wrist watch **510** is set to display schedule items for six hours, the smart phone **500** may transmit the schedule data **520** including schedule items for six hours from a current time, schedule items from six hours later until twelve hours later, and schedule items for six hours before the current time to the wrist watch **510**.

[0073] The schedule data **520** transmitted to the wrist watch **510** from the smart phone **500** may include UI composition information of schedule items reconfigured based on a physical shape (e.g., a circle, an oval, a rectangle, a polygon, or the like) of the wrist watch **510**, a size, and screen information such as resolution.

[0074] FIGS. 6A and 6B illustrate displays of schedule data on an additional device according to an embodiment of the present disclosure.

[0075] Referring FIGS. 6A and 6B, an example wherein the additional device is implemented as a wrist watch **610** will be described.

[0076] Referring to FIG. 6A, the wrist watch **610** displays a total display time from a reference time **610a**, for example, one or more schedule items for six hours in a form of sector

areas **612**, **614** and **616**. The sector areas **612**, **614** and **616** corresponding to the schedule items are sequentially arranged on the display screen of the wrist watch **610** in a clockwise direction to form a pie chart. Each of the sector areas **612**, **614** and **616** corresponding to one schedule item has a vertex which matches a center of the display screen of the wrist watch **610**, has an arc of a length or an angle corresponding to a time section set for the corresponding schedule item, is arranged chronologically in a clockwise direction. Accordingly, each of the sector areas **612**, **614** and **616** may occupy a larger area within the pie chart as a time section set for the corresponding schedule item is larger.

[0077] The time section is determined by a start time and an end time set for the corresponding schedule item. In the shown example, the sector area **612** corresponds to a schedule item indicating a “weekly meeting” set to start at 9:30 am and end at 12:30 pm, the sector area **614** corresponds to a schedule item indicating a “lunch discussion” set to start at 12:30 pm and end at 2:10 pm, and the sector area **616** corresponds to a schedule item indicating a “buyer meeting” set to start at 2:10 pm.

[0078] The first sector area **612** corresponds to a schedule item including the current time and is arranged to start at 12:00 indicating the reference time **610a**. In an embodiment, the sector area **612** has an arc of a length corresponding to the time section from the current time to 12:30 pm which is the end time, that is, the remaining time of the current schedule item. In an embodiment, the wrist watch **610** may further display a reference line in a bar shape formed from a center of the display screen to a position corresponding to the current time in order to allow the user to easily identify the current time. When the reference time **610a** is the current time, the reference line **620** is directed toward 12:00. In addition, a text character string **620a**, for example, “10:30 am” indicating the current time may be displayed on the reference line **620** or near the reference line **620**.

[0079] FIG. 6B illustrates an embodiment of the present disclosure in which the sector area **612** has an arc of a length corresponding to a time section from 9:30 am which is a start time to 12:30 pm which is an end time of a corresponding schedule time. In this case, the sector area **612** may include a progress bar **612a** (for example, an arc type) indicating a progress state of the corresponding schedule item, and the progress bar **612a** visually displays the current time from among entire time sections of the corresponding schedule item. Although not illustrated, the text character string **620a** indicating the current time, for example, “10:30 am” may be additionally displayed near the reference line **620** like in FIG. 6A.

[0080] When an end time of the last section area **616** is later than six hours after the current time, an arc of the last sector area **616** may have a length smaller than a length corresponding to a time section of the corresponding schedule item.

[0081] Each of the sector areas **612**, **614** and **616** is detailed information on the corresponding schedule item and may include a text character string indicating at least one of a start time, an end time, and a title. In the shown example, each of the sector areas **612**, **614** and **616** includes text character strings such as the start time and the title. In an embodiment, the sector areas **612**, **614** and **616** may be visually distinguished to be identifiable from each other. In an embodiment, the sector areas **612**, **614** and **616** may have different colors according to a schedule type set for the corresponding sched-

ule item, for example, a business appointment, an individual appointment, a family appointment, an anniversary function, or the like.

[0082] In an example of FIG. 6, the wrist watch **610** chronologically displays the sector areas **612**, **614** and **616** corresponding to schedule items for six hours from the current time not to overlap each other according to a setting.

[0083] FIGS. 7A, 7B and 7C illustrate examples of changing a display of schedule data on an additional device according to an embodiment of the present disclosure.

[0084] Referring to FIGS. 7A, 7B and 7C, an example wherein the additional device is implemented as a wrist watch **710** will be described.

[0085] Referring to FIG. 7A, the wrist watch **710** includes a rotary **720** configured to rotate along a circumference of the display screen having a circular shape and may change a reference time for displaying schedule data according to a rotation of the rotary **720**. First, the wrist watch **710** sequentially displays sector areas **712**, **714**, and **716** corresponding to one or more schedule items for an amount of time from a current time in a circular form, and additionally displays a reference line **710a** corresponding to 12:00 indicating the current time. At this time, the reference time becomes the current time.

[0086] When a rotation **722** of the rotary **720** is detected, the wrist watch **710** changes the reference time according to a direction of the rotation **722**, rotates the reference line **710a** in a direction pointing to the changed reference time, and accordingly additionally displays schedule data before or after the reference time.

[0087] Referring to FIG. 7B, when a rotation **722a** of the rotary in a clockwise direction is detected, the wrist watch **710** performs a circular movement of the reference line **710a** by an amount of the rotation **722a** in a clockwise direction. As the reference line **710a** is moved as described above, the remaining parts **716a** of the last sector area **716** are additionally displayed, and the additionally displayed parts **716a** are displayed while covering at least a part of the first sector area **712**. Although not illustrated, when the rotary **720** has a larger rotation **722a**, at least one next section area following the last sector area **716** may be additionally displayed within a range which does not exceed the reference time **710a**. When no next schedule data to be displayed according to the rotation **722a** of the rotary **720** is stored in the wrist watch **710**, the wrist watch **710** may make a request for additionally transmitting the corresponding schedule data to the smart phone (not shown).

[0088] Total amounts of the additionally displayed parts **716a** (and the next sector area) are determined according to an amount of a rotation of the rotary **720**. For example, when a total display time is set to six hours and the rotary **720** rotates by 120 degrees (i.e., 360 degrees/3) in a clockwise direction, the wrist watch **710** may additionally display an area corresponding to schedule data for two hours (i.e., six hours/3) after the total display time. At least one front sector area **712** of the displayed sector areas **712**, **714** and **716** may be hidden by the additionally displayed area.

[0089] Referring to FIG. 7C, when a rotation **722b** of the rotary **720** in a counterclockwise direction is detected, the wrist watch **710** performs a circular movement of the reference line **710a** by an amount of the rotation **722b** in a counterclockwise direction. As the reference line **710a** is moved as described above, a previous part of the first section area **712** is additionally displayed and a part of the last section area **716** is

hidden by the additionally displayed part **712a**. Although not illustrated, when the rotary **720** has a larger rotation **722b**, at least one sector area prior to the first sector area **712** may be additionally displayed within a range which does not exceed the reference line **710a**. When no previous schedule data to be displayed according to the rotation **722b** of the rotary **720** is stored in the wrist watch **710**, the wrist watch **710** may make a request for additionally transmitting the corresponding schedule data to the smart phone (not shown).

[0090] Total amounts of the additionally displayed area **712a** (and the previous sector area) are determined according to an amount of a rotation of the rotary **720**. For example, when a total display time is set to six hours and the rotary **720** rotates by 120 degrees (i.e., 360 degrees/3) in a clockwise direction, the wrist watch **710** may additionally display an area corresponding to schedule data for two hours (i.e., six hours/3) before the total display time. At least one last sector area **716** of the displayed sector areas **712**, **714** and **716** may be hidden by the additionally displayed area.

[0091] FIG. 8 is a flowchart illustrating a process of displaying schedule data on an additional device according to an embodiment of the present disclosure.

[0092] In FIG. 8, an example where the additional device is implemented as a wrist watch will be described.

[0093] Referring to FIG. 8, the wrist watch recognizes and pairs with a communicable portable electronic device at operation **805**. In an embodiment, when the wrist watch identifies a password and completes an authentication between the wrist watch and the portable electronic device, the wrist watch determines that communication with the portable electronic device is possible. In an embodiment, when Bluetooth is used for a wireless connection with the portable electronic device, the wrist watch has made a pairing with the portable electronic device by using Bluetooth.

[0094] The wrist watch determines whether a user input making a request for displaying a schedule is detected at operation **810**. In an embodiment, the wrist watch provides an icon for executing a schedule display application on a display screen, and determines that a schedule display request is detected when a user input, for example, a touch is detected from the icon. In an embodiment, the wrist watch displays a dial face in a standby state, and displays at least a part of icons corresponding to executable applications in a list form when a user input such as a touch, a long-touch, or a long-press is detected from the dial face. When a user input is detected from an icon for executing the schedule display application from among the displayed icons, the wrist watch determines that there is a request for displaying the schedule.

[0095] Operation **815** may be optionally performed when there is the request for displaying the schedule. That is, when the request for displaying the schedule is detected and there is no stored schedule data, the wrist watch makes a request for transmitting schedule data to the portable electronic device which has been synchronized with the wrist watch and receives schedule data including schedule items for an amount of time from the portable electronic device. In an example of FIG. 5, the smart phone **500** may transmit schedule items corresponding to the schedule data **520** for six hours, twelve hours, and twenty-four hours to the wrist watch **510**. In another example, a range of the transmitted schedule data **520** may be determined according to a range of the schedule data displayed on the wrist watch **510**. When there is

stored schedule data, that is, when the wrist watch **510** is synchronized with the smart phone **500**, operation **815** may be omitted.

[0096] At operation **820**, the wrist watch displays sector areas corresponding to schedule items for an amount of time from a reference time, for example, for six hours on the display screen. The sector areas are arranged on the display screen to form a circle, and each of the sector areas has an arc of a length or an angle corresponding to a time section set for the corresponding schedule item.

[0097] The wrist watch determines whether a motion of the rotary is detected at operation **825**. When the motion of the rotary is detected, the wrist watch determines whether the rotary rotates in a clockwise or counterclockwise direction at operation **830**. When the rotary rotates in the clockwise direction, the wrist watch displays a section area corresponding to at least one next schedule item according to an amount of the rotation of the rotary on the display screen at operation **835**. The sector area corresponding to the next schedule item is displayed just behind the sector area corresponding to the previous schedule item. When the rotary rotates in the counterclockwise direction, the wrist watch displays a sector area corresponding to at least one previous schedule item according to an amount of the rotation of the rotary on the display screen at operation **840**. The sector area corresponding to the previous schedule item is displayed in front of the sector area corresponding to the schedule item of the current time.

[0098] At operation **845**, the wrist watch determines whether to end the display of the schedule. In an embodiment, when a user input instructing to end the display of the schedule is detected, the wrist watch ends displaying of sector areas corresponding to schedule items. In an embodiment, when the connection with the portable electronic device is disconnected or when the wrist watch receives a command instructing to end the display of the schedule from the portable electronic device, the wrist watch ends displaying of sector areas corresponding to schedule items and may execute a function. In one example, the wrist watch may display a watch screen according to the function.

[0099] FIG. 9 illustrates an example of changing a display of schedule data on an additional device according to an embodiment of the present disclosure.

[0100] Referring to FIG. 9, an example wherein the additional device is implemented as a wrist watch **810** which does not have a rotary will be described.

[0101] Referring to FIG. 9, a wrist watch **910** may have a display screen in a circular shape, an oval shape, a rectangular shape, or a random shape and may display sector areas **912**, **914**, **916** and **918** corresponding to schedule items for an amount of time from a reference time in a circular form in response to a request for displaying the schedule, and outer lines of the sector areas **912**, **914**, **916** and **918** may have a random shape according to the shape of the display screen. In addition, a reference line **910a** pointing 12:00 may be displayed on the display screen of the wrist watch **910** to indicate a current time. When a user input **900**, for example, a drag in a circular direction (that is, a circular movement) after a long-press is detected from the display screen, the wrist watch **910** additionally displays previous or next schedule data according to the direction of the circular movement.

[0102] In an embodiment, when the long-press is detected from the remaining areas except for a center of the display screen, the wrist watch **910** processes the display screen to dim and waits for the circular movement. In an embodiment,

when the long-press is detected from a reference line **910a**, the wrist watch **910** processes the display screen to dim and waits for the circular movement. When a circular movement in a clockwise direction after the long-press is detected, the wrist watch **910** additionally displays schedule data after a displayed last sector area **918**, for example, the remaining parts of the last sector area **918** or a sector area corresponding to the next schedule data to follow the reference line **910a** while performing the circular movement of the reference line **910a** in the clockwise direction (see FIG. 7B).

[0103] Similarly, when a circular movement in a counterclockwise direction after the long-press is detected, the wrist watch **910** additionally displays schedule data before a displayed first sector area **912**, for example, a front part of the first sector area **912** or a sector area corresponding to the previous schedule data to follow the reference line **910a** while performing the circular movement of the reference line **910a** in the counterclockwise direction (see FIG. 7C).

[0104] FIG. 10 is a flowchart illustrating a process of changing schedule data displayed on an additional device according to an embodiment of the present disclosure.

[0105] Referring to FIG. 10, an example wherein the additional device is implemented as the wrist watch will be described.

[0106] Referring to FIG. 10, the wrist watch is synchronized with the portable electronic device by using, for example, Bluetooth at operation **1005**. That is, the wrist watch has schedule data synchronized with the portable electronic device. When the wrist watch receives a request for displaying the schedule from the user at operation **1010**, the wrist watch displays sector areas corresponding to schedule items for a total display time from a reference time on the display screen in a circular form at operation **1015**. Each of the sector areas has an arc of a length or an angle corresponding to a time sector set for the corresponding schedule item.

[0107] The wrist watch detects a circular movement after a long-press from the display screen at operation **1020**, and determines whether the circular movement is performed in a clockwise direction or a counterclockwise direction at operation **1025**. When the circular movement is performed in the clockwise direction, the wrist watch sequentially displays sector areas corresponding to next schedule items according to a rotation amount of the circular movement after the displayed last sector area at operation **1030**. In contrast, when the circular movement is performed in the counterclockwise direction, the wrist watch displays sector areas corresponding to previous schedule items according to a rotation amount of the circular movement in an inverse order before the displayed first sector area at operation **1035**.

[0108] At operation **1040**, the wrist watch determines whether a touch release, that is, a “detouch,” is detected after the circular movement. When the touch release is detected, the wrist watch displays again the original sector areas corresponding to the original schedule items of operation **1015** at operation **1045**. The original sector areas may be returned to have an original arrangement while rotating in a direction opposite to the rotation direction of operation **1030** or **1035** in response to the touch release. In an embodiment, the wrist watch may maintain sector areas displayed at the time when the touch release is detected, in response to the touch release at operation **1045**.

[0109] The wrist watch determines to end the display of the schedule at operation **1050**. When a command instructing to end the display of the schedule is detected, the wrist watch

removes the displayed sector areas from the display screen, and executes a function, for example, a function of displaying a watch screen.

[0110] FIGS. 11A and 11B illustrate displays of schedule data on an additional device according to an embodiment of the present disclosure.

[0111] Referring to FIGS. 11A and 11B, the additional device is implemented as a wrist watch **1110** having a display screen of a rectangular type.

[0112] Referring to FIG. 11A, the wrist watch **1110** displays sector areas **1112** and **1114** corresponding to schedule items for a total display time from a reference time **1110a** (for example, a current time), for example, for four hours on the display screen. The sector areas **1112** and **1114** corresponding to the schedule items are arranged on the display screen of the wrist watch **1110** in a circular form. In an embodiment, each of the sector areas **1112** and **1114** corresponding to one schedule item has a vertex which matches a center of the screen of the wrist watch **1110** and has an angle corresponding to a time sector set for the corresponding schedule item, and the sector areas **1112** and **1114** are chronologically arranged in a clockwise direction. The time section is defined by a start time and an end time set for the corresponding schedule item.

[0113] The first sector area **1112** corresponds to a schedule item including the current time and is arranged to start at 12:00 indicating a reference time **1110a**. In the shown example, the sector area **1112** corresponds to a schedule item indicating a “weekly meeting” set to start at 9:30 am and end at 12:30 pm, and occupies first, third, and fourth quadrants of the screen of the wrist watch **1110**. The sector area **1114** corresponds to a schedule item indicating a “lunch discussion” set to start at 12:30 pm and end at 2:10 pm, and occupies only the second quadrant of the screen of the wrist watch **1110**.

[0114] Similar to the example of FIG. 9, when the wrist watch **1110** detects a user input **1100**, for example, a circular movement, after a long-press from the display screen, the wrist watch **1110** additionally displays schedule data corresponding to next or previous schedule items.

[0115] Referring to FIG. 11B, the wrist watch **1110** sequentially displays sector areas **1122**, **1124** and **1126** corresponding to schedule items for a total display time from a reference time **1110a** (for example, a current time), for example, for six hours on the display screen in a clockwise direction. The first sector area **1122** corresponds to a schedule item including the current time and is arranged to start at 12:00 corresponding to the reference time **1110a**. In the shown example, the sector area **1122** is arranged between 12:00 to 5:00, the sector area **1124** is arranged between 5:00 and 10:00, and the sector area **1126** is arranged between 10:00 and 12:00.

[0116] Similarly, the user performs a long-press and then a circular movement **1100** on the display screen of the wrist watch **1110**, by using a finger (or another touch means) to display next or previous schedule items on the wrist watch **1110**.

[0117] FIG. 12 illustrates an operation of changing a view mode of schedule data in a wrist watch according to an embodiment of the present disclosure.

[0118] Referring to FIG. 12, a wrist watch **1210** arranges and displays sector areas **1212**, **1214**, **1216** and **1218** corresponding to schedule items for a total display time from 12:00 indicating a current time **1210a** on the display screen in a circular form in a clockwise direction. As described above, a

view mode that designates a reference of 12:00 as the current time **1210a** is referred to as a now view mode in this specification.

[0119] When a user input **1200**, for example, a touch (or one click) is detected from a center area of the display screen of the wrist watch **1210**, the wrist watch **1210** changes the view mode to a daily view mode. The center area may be defined as an area including a middle point of the display screen of the wrist watch **1210**. In the daily view mode, sector areas **1212**, **1214**, **1216**, **1218** and **1220** corresponding to schedule items for twelve hours from the current time start at a position **1210b** are indicated by an hour hand corresponding to the current time and are sequentially arranged in a clockwise direction.

[0120] In the view mode of the schedule data, the wrist watch **1210** may display a watch screen including a dial face **1226** and an hour hand/minute hand **1222/1224** below the sector areas **1212** to **1220**, and may further display a reference line in a thick bar form in the hour hand position **1210b** corresponding to the current time. In order to allow the user to more easily recognize the sector areas **1212** to **1220**, watch screens **1222**, **1224** and **1226** may be translucently displayed. In an embodiment, the sector areas **1212** to **1220** may be translucently displayed instead of the watch screens **1222**, **1224** and **1226**.

[0121] FIG. 13 illustrates an operation of changing a total display time of schedule data in a wrist watch according to an embodiment of the present disclosure.

[0122] Referring to FIG. 13, a wrist watch **1310** arranges and displays sector areas **1312**, **1314** and **1316** corresponding to schedule items for six hours from 12:00 corresponding to a current time **1310a** on the display screen of the wrist watch **1310** in a circular form. When the user desires to change the total display time indicating a range of the schedule data to be displayed, the user performs a user input **1300**, for example, a long-press on a center area of the wrist watch **1310**.

[0123] When the user input **1300** corresponding to the long-press is detected from the center area of the wrist watch **1310**, the wrist watch **1310** displays a menu window **1320** for changing the total display time on the display screen. For example, the menu window **1320** may be displayed on a dial face in a popup window form. The menu window **1320** includes a plurality of menu items **1322**, **1324**, **1326** and **1328** indicating changeable total display times, for example, three hours, four hours, and twelve hours. In a state where a touch after the long-press **1300** has not been released, when a touch release is detected after a touch input moves to a particular menu item, for example, to a three hour item **1322** which is indicated by an arrow **1330**, the wrist watch **1310** replaces sector areas **1312** to **1316** corresponding to schedule items for six hours on the display screen with sector areas **1312a** and **1314a** corresponding to schedule items for three hours and displays the replaced sector areas **1312a** and **1314a**.

[0124] FIGS. 14A, 14B and 14C illustrate examples of changing a display of schedule data in a wrist watch according to an embodiment of the present disclosure.

[0125] In FIGS. 14A, 14B and 14C, an example of a wrist watch **1410** displaying schedule data in a daily view mode will be described.

[0126] Referring to FIG. 14A, the wrist watch **1410** includes a rotatable rotary **1420** and controls a display of schedule data according to a rotation of the rotary **1420**. The wrist watch **1410** sequentially displays sector areas A, B, C, D and E corresponding to schedule items for twelve hours from

a current time in a circular form on the display screen, and the sector areas A to E start at an hour hand position corresponding to the current time and are sequentially arranged in a clockwise direction. A reference line **1410** in a bar form may be additionally displayed on the hour hand position corresponding to the current time.

[0127] When a rotation of the rotary **1420** is detected, the wrist watch **1410** moves the reference line **1410a** according to a direction of the rotation, and accordingly, previous or next schedule data is displayed. Although not illustrated, when the wrist watch **1410** includes a display screen implemented as a touch screen without the rotary **1420**, the wrist watch **1410** moves the reference line **1410a** and display previous or next schedule data as the wrist watch detects a circular movement after a long-press from the display screen or the reference line **1410a**.

[0128] Referring to FIG. 14B, when the rotary **1420** detects a rotation **1422a** in a clockwise direction, the wrist watch **1410** performs a circular movement of the reference line **1410a** by an amount of the rotation **1422a** in the clockwise direction. As the reference line **1410a** is moved as described above, the part **1422a** of the sector area F corresponding to the next schedule data after the last sector area E is additionally displayed after the reference line **1410a**, and the first sector area A is hidden by the additionally displayed part **1422a**. Although not illustrated, when the rotary **1420** has a larger rotation **1422a**, additional next sector areas may be displayed within a range which does not exceed the reference line **1410a**.

[0129] Referring to FIG. 14C, when a rotation **1422b** of the rotary **1420** in a counterclockwise direction is detected, the wrist watch **1410** performs a circular movement of the reference line **1410a** by an amount of the rotation **1422b** in the counterclockwise direction. As the reference line **1410a** is moved as described above, the previous part **1422a** of the first sector area A is additionally displayed, and a part of the last sector area E is hidden by the additionally displayed part **1422a**. Although not illustrated, when the rotary **1420** has a larger rotation **1422b**, at least one previous sector area before the first sector area A may be additionally displayed within a range which does not exceed the reference line **1410a**.

[0130] FIGS. 15A and 15B are flowcharts illustrating a process of changing a view mode of the wrist watch according to an embodiment of the present disclosure.

[0131] Referring to FIGS. 15A and 15B, the wrist watch is synchronized with the portable electronic device by using, for example, Bluetooth at operation **1500**. That is, the wrist watch has schedule data synchronized with the portable electronic device. When the wrist watch receives a schedule display request from the user at operation **1505**, the wrist watch displays sector areas corresponding to schedule items for a total display time from 12:00 indicating a reference time in a circular form on the display screen at operation **1510**. That is, the sector areas are displayed in a now view mode.

[0132] The wrist watch detects a user input, for example, a touch from a center area of the display screen at operation **1515**, and changes the view mode to a daily view mode in response to the user input and sequentially arranges and displays sector areas corresponding to schedule items for twelve hours in a clockwise direction, starting from an hour hand position corresponding to the current time at operation **1520**. The wrist detects whether a touch is detected from the center area of the display screen while schedule data is displayed in a daily view mode at operation **1525**. When the touch is

detected, the wrist watch changes the daily view mode to a now view mode at operation 1510. In contrast, when the touch is not detected, operation 1530 is performed.

[0133] Meanwhile, when the touch is not detected from the center area of the display screen of the wrist watch at operation 1515, the wrist watch detects a user input, for example, a long-press from the center area of the display screen at operation 1530 and proceeds to operation 1535. At operation 1535, the wrist watch displays a menu window for changing a total display time of schedule data on the display screen at operation 1535. The menu window includes a plurality of menu items indicating the changeable total display time, and is displayed after the long-press and continues on the screen before the touch is released.

[0134] At operation 1540, the wrist watch detects whether the touch is released on a menu item from among menu items included in the menu window. When the touch release is detected, the wrist watch identifies the total display time corresponding to the menu item on a position where the touch is released and displays sector areas corresponding to schedule items for the identified total display time on the display screen at operation 1545.

[0135] Referring to FIG. 15B, at operation 1550, the wrist watch determines whether the touch is detected from a particular sector area from among the sector areas displayed on the display screen. When the touch is detected from the particular sector area, the wrist watch highlights the sector area on the position selected by the touch and displays detailed schedule information of the schedule item corresponding to the sector area, for example, a title, a start time, an end time, a memo, a schedule type, or the like, in a popup window form at operation 1555. The remaining sector areas except for the selected sector area may be dimly or opaquely displayed. In an embodiment, the highlighted sector area and the detailed schedule information are displayed for an amount of time and then automatically disappear. In an embodiment, the highlighted sector area and the detailed schedule information may disappear when a touch is detected from the display screen.

[0136] At operation 1560, the wrist watch determines whether to end the display of the schedule. When a command instructing to end the display of the schedule is detected, the wrist watch removes the displayed sector areas from the display screen, and executes a function, for example, a function of displaying a watch screen.

[0137] While the present disclosure has been shown and described with reference to various embodiments thereof, it will be understood by those skilled in the art that various changes in form and details may be made therein without departing from the spirit and scope of the present disclosure as defined by the appended claims and their equivalents.

What is claimed is:

1. A method of displaying a schedule in a wearable additional device, the method comprising:

connecting a portable electronic device configured to synchronize a schedule;
receiving a user input for displaying the schedule on a display screen of the wearable additional device; and
displaying the schedule received from the portable electronic device on the display screen of the wearable additional device in response to the user input,
wherein the schedule is displayed in a form of sector areas corresponding to a plurality of schedule items, and
wherein each of the sector areas has an area proportional to a time of a corresponding schedule item from among a

total time of schedule data which can be displayed on the display screen of the wearable additional device.

2. The method of claim 1, wherein the displaying of the schedule comprises chronologically arranging section areas corresponding to schedule items for a total display time from a reference time in a clockwise direction and displaying the sector areas on the display screen.

3. The method of claim 1, wherein the user input is received from the portable electronic device or detected from the display screen of the wearable additional device.

4. The method of claim 2, wherein the reference time is a current time, and the sector areas start at 12:00 on the display screen or start at an hour hand corresponding to the current time and are arranged in a clockwise direction.

5. The method of claim 4, further comprising:
detecting a touch input by a user from the display screen;
and

arranging and displaying sector areas corresponding to schedule items for twelve hours on the display screen in a clockwise direction from the hour hand corresponding to the current time in response to the touch input.

6. The method of claim 1, wherein each of the sector areas includes at least one text character string indicating at least one of a title, a start time, an end time, a memo, and a schedule type set for a corresponding schedule item.

7. The method of claim 1, wherein the sector items have different colors in accordance with schedule types set for corresponding schedule items.

8. The method of claim 1, further comprising:
detecting a circular movement of a rotary included in the wearable additional device;
changing the reference time in response to the circular movement; and

chronologically displaying the sector areas corresponding to the schedule items for the total display time from the changed reference time.

9. The method of claim 1, further comprising:
detecting a touch gesture from the display screen of the wearable additional device;
changing the reference time in response to the touch gesture; and

chronologically displaying the sector areas corresponding to the schedule items for the total display time from the changed reference time.

10. The method of claim 1, further comprising:
detecting a touch gesture from the display screen;
displaying a menu window including a plurality of menu items corresponding to a plurality of changeable total display times on the display screen in response to the touch gesture; and

when a touch release is detected from a particular menu item from among the menu items, arranging and displaying sector areas corresponding to schedule items for a total display time corresponding to the menu item from which the touch release is detected in a clockwise direction.

11. The method of claim 1, further comprising:
detecting a touch input by a user from a particular sector area of the sector areas; and
at least one of highlighting the particular sector area in response to the detection of the touch input, displaying a popup window including detailed schedule information of a schedule item corresponding to the particular sector area in response to the detection of the touch input, and

displaying remaining sector areas except for the particular sector area to dim in response to the detection of the touch input.

12. A wearable additional device for displaying a schedule, the wearable additional device comprising:

- a communication unit configured to connect a portable device which can synchronize the schedule;
- a display screen configured to display the schedule in a form of sector areas corresponding to a plurality of schedule items; and
- a controller configured to receive a user input for displaying the schedule on the display screen and to display the schedule received from the portable electronic device on the display screen in response to the user input, wherein each of the sector areas has an area proportional to a time of a corresponding schedule item from among a total time of schedule data which can be displayed on the display screen of the wearable additional device.

13. The wearable additional device of claim **12**, wherein the controller is configured to chronologically arrange sector areas corresponding to schedule items for a total display time from a reference time in a clockwise direction and to display the sector areas on the display screen.

14. The wearable additional device of claim **12**, wherein the user input is received from the portable electronic device or detected from the display screen of the wearable additional device.

15. The wearable additional device of claim **13**, wherein the reference time is a current time, and the sector areas start at 12:00 on the display screen or start at an hour hand corresponding to the current time and are arranged in a clockwise direction.

16. The wearable additional device of claim **12**, wherein each of the sector areas includes at least one text character string indicating at least one of a title, a start time, an end time, a memo, and a schedule type set for a corresponding schedule item.

17. The wearable additional device of claim **12**, wherein the sector items have different colors in accordance with schedule types set for corresponding schedule items.

18. The wearable additional device of claim **12**, wherein the communication unit receives the schedule data from the portable electronic device.

19. A method of displaying a schedule in a wearable additional device connectable with a portable electronic device, the method comprising:

- reconfiguring the schedule in a form which can be displayed on a display screen of the wearable additional device; and

- transmitting User Interface (UI) composition information indicating the reconfigured schedule to the wearable additional device,

wherein the UI composition information corresponds to a plurality of schedule items and indicates sector areas arranged to be displayed on the display screen of the wearable additional device, and each of the sector areas has an area proportional to a time of a corresponding schedule item from among a total display time of schedule data which can be displayed on the display screen of the wearable additional device.

20. The method of claim **19**, wherein the UI composition information corresponds to schedule items for a total display time from a reference time and indicates sector areas chronologically arranged in a clockwise direction.

21. A portable electronic device displaying a schedule to a wearable additional device, the portable electronic device comprising:

- a controller configured to reconfigure the schedule in a form which can be displayed on a display screen of the wearable additional device;

- a communication unit configured to transmit User Interface (UI) composition information indicating the reconfigured schedule to the wearable additional device,

wherein the UI composition information corresponds to a plurality of schedule items and indicates sector areas arranged to be displayed on the display screen of the wearable additional device, and each of the sector areas has an area proportional to a time of a corresponding schedule item from among a total time of schedule data which can be displayed on the display screen of the wearable additional device.

22. The portable electronic device of claim **22**, wherein the UI composition information corresponds to schedule items for a total display time from a reference time and indicates sector areas chronologically arranged in a clockwise direction.

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