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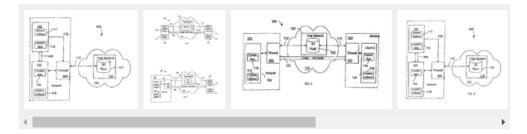
- Would you afford the time cost?
- Is your case likely to be patented?
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- Would you want to live around other inventors?
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Implicit population of access control lists

Abstract

Communication applications may include lists of users with which a user of the application communicates. If two users of a communications application each include the other user on their user lists, an implicit trust may be established between the users. For example, if user A includes user B in her list and user B includes user A in his list, then it may be determined that each user knows and/or trusts the other user. As a result, a connection or communications pathway may be automatically created between the client devices of the users to facilitate communications between the users based on the implicit trust.

Images (7)



Classifications

■ H04L63/0272 Virtual private networks

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Current Assignee: Facebook Inc.

Worldwide applications

2002 "US 2007 "US 2009 "US 2013 "US 2014 "US

Application US13/907,761 events 3

2002-12-31 • Priority to US10/334,142

2013-05-31 • Application filed by Facebook Inc.

2014-11-18 • Publication of USRE45254E1

2014-11-18 • Application granted

 Active Status

2022-12-31 • Anticipated expiration

Description

CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

This application is a continuation application of and claims priority to U.S. application Ser. No. 11/782,461, now U.S. Pat. No. 7,490,238, filed Jul. 24, 2007, which is a continuation of U.S. application Ser. No. 10/334,142, now U.S. Pat. No. 7,263,614, filed on Dec. 31, 2002, the entire contents all of which are hereby incorporated by reference.

TECHNICAL FIELD

The following description relates to network communications.

BACKGROUND

With the rapid proliferation and affordability of computers, the Internet has become the communications medium of choice for many users. Although the Internet is a public medium, techniques have been developed for using the Internet to enable private communications between networks. One such private communications technique is used to enable instant messaging.

Instant messaging allows users to rapidly communicate with other users of a communications network. Generally, client messaging software runs on a client A device 102 and provides a communications interface for entry of a message. The intended message recipient may be entered manually or may be selected from a user list, such as a Buddy List* from America Online, Inc. Instant messaging may be used to communicate text messages, images, and sounds or voice.

SUMMARY

In one general aspect, messaging applications, systems, and methods may be used to automatically configure a communications pathway based on an implicit trust between users. Each user of a communications application may have a user list that identifies other users to which a message may be sent. If two users of the communications application each include the other user on their user lists, an implicit trust may be inferred between the users. For example, if user A includes user B in her user list and user B includes user A in his. user list, then it may be inferred or determined that each user knows and/or implicitly trusts the other user. As a result, a connection or communications pathway may be automatically created and/or configured between the client devices of the users to facilitate communications between the users based on the implicit trust.

Claims (33)

What is claimed is:

1. A method comprising:

logging, by a server, a first client device into a the server;

logging, by the server, a second client device into the server;

accessing, using by the server, a first user list associated with a first user of the first client device:

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accessing, using by the server, a second user list associated with a second user of the second client device, wherein the first user list and the second user list are maintained separately from one another;

analyzing, using by the server, the accessed first user list to determine whether an identifier of the second user is included in the first user list;

analyzing, using by the server, the accessed second user list to determine whether an identifier of the first user is included in the second user list; and

regulating, using by the server, a communications pathway communications between the first client device and the second client device based on both the determination of whether the identifier of the first user is included on the second user list and the determination of whether the identifier of the second user is included on the first user list.

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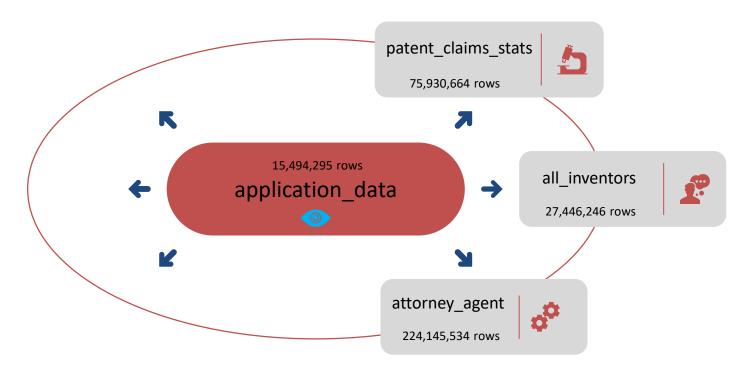
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9. A system comprising:

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Data Source

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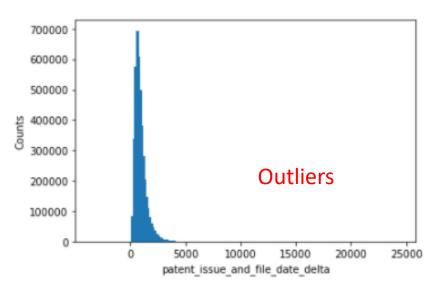
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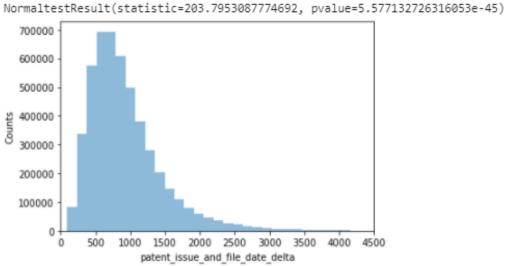
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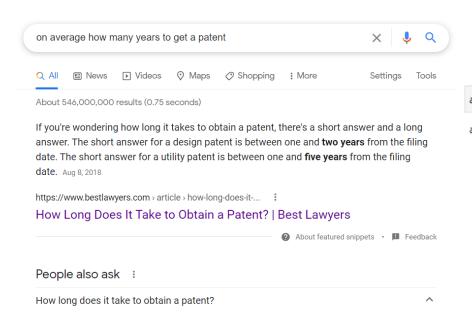
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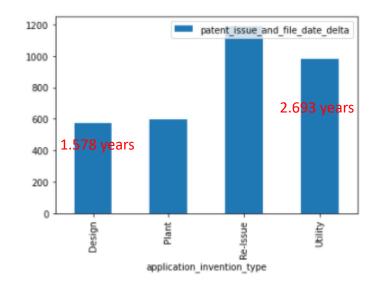
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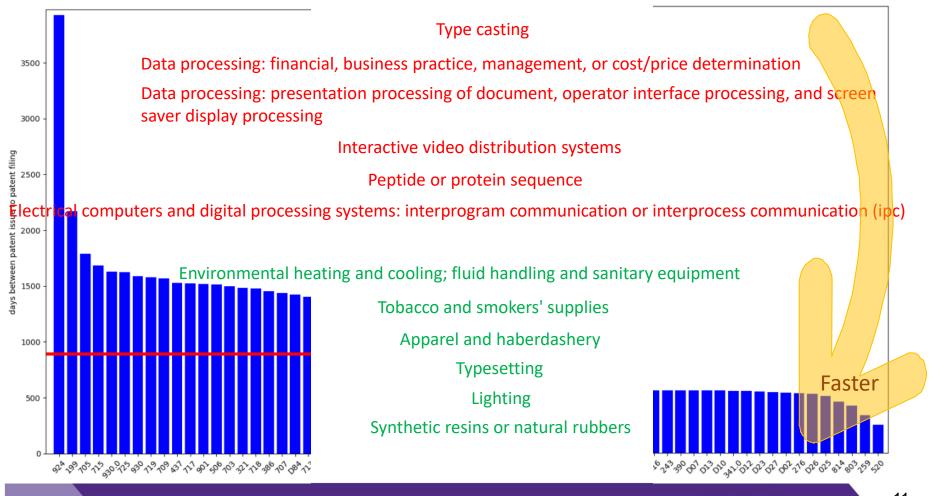


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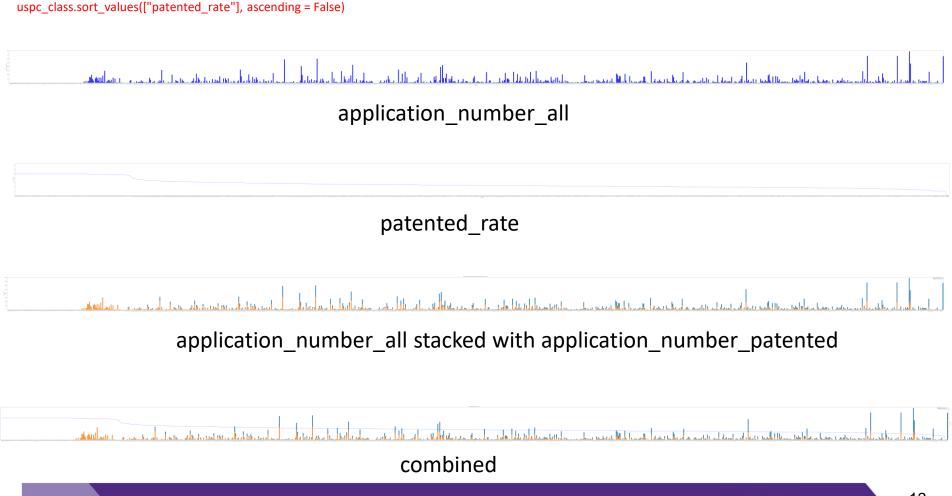
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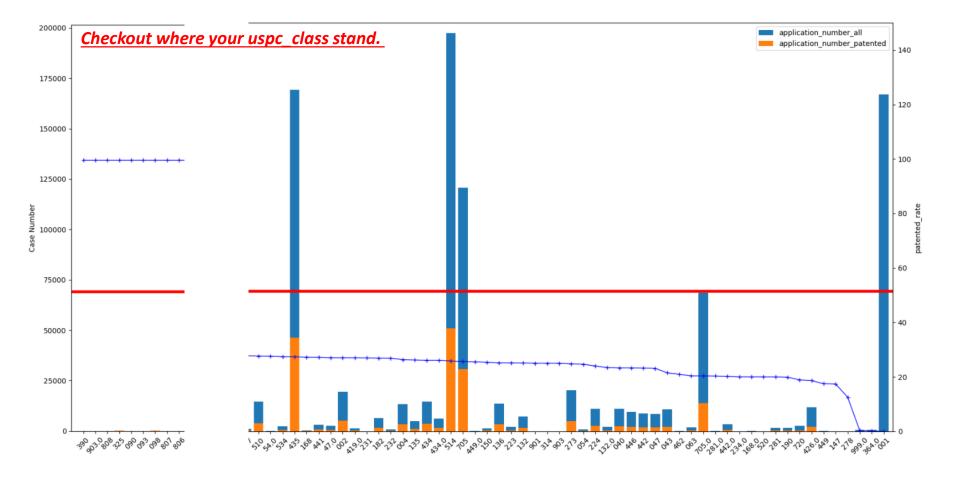
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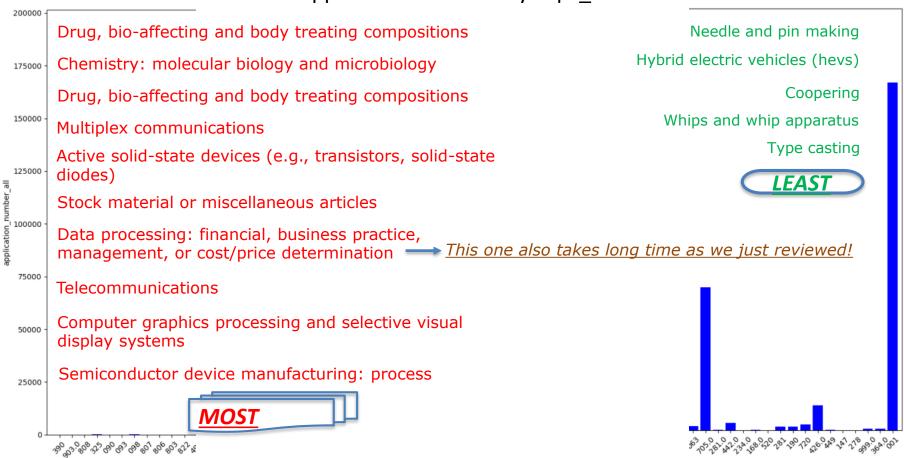
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- Use small dataset to test on.
- Manually calculate on one uspc_class and compare.
- <u>Two incoming DataFrames are from</u> <u>"application_cleaned", only filtered by</u> <u>different criteria, so data is accurate.</u>





total application numbers by uspc_class



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Drug, bio-affecting and body treating compositions

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Multiplex communications

Active solid-state devices (e.g., transistors, solid-state diodes)

Telecommunications

Semiconductor device manufacturing: process

Multiplex communications

Active solid-state devices (e.g., transistors, solid-state diodes)

Recording, communication, or information retrieval equipment

Image analysis

Pulse or digital communications

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052	Static structures (e.g., buildings)
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<u>D25 and D12 have close patented rate,</u> <u>check on their property: patent issue and file date delta with Independent t-tests</u>

One Step Further:

Make an App (SQL, PowerApp)

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Merge filing period DataFrame with patented rate DataFrame

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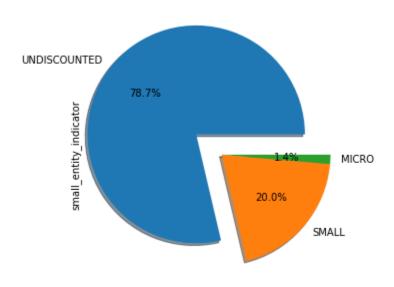
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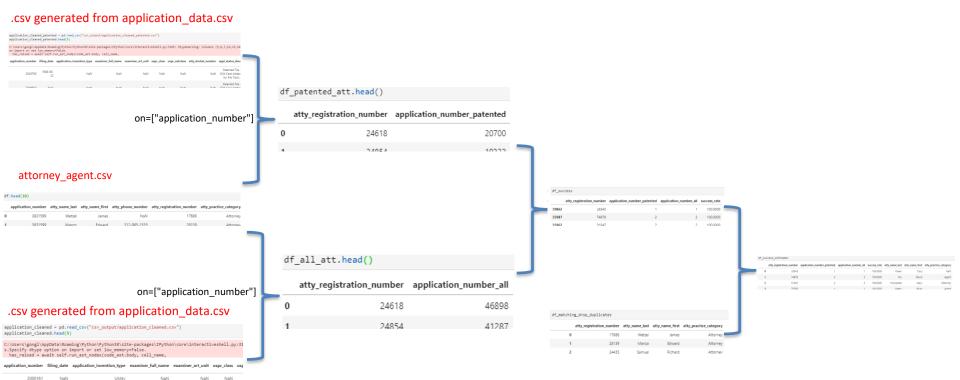
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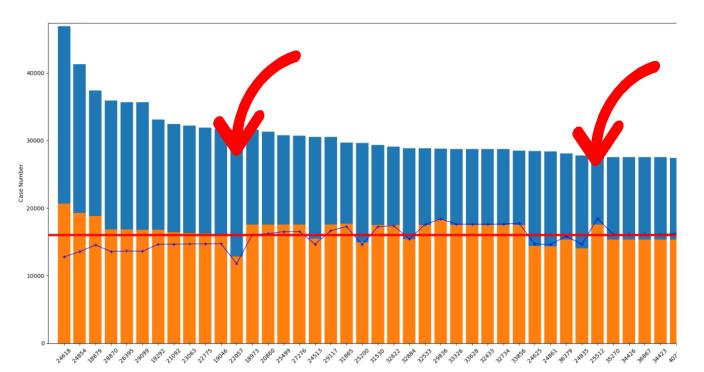
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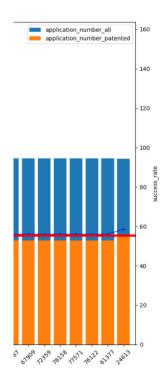


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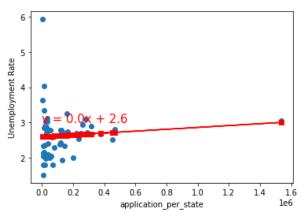
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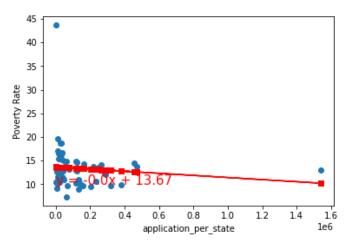
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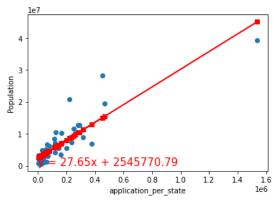


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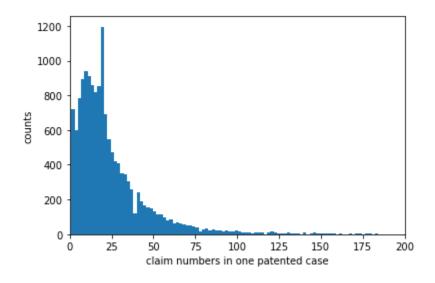
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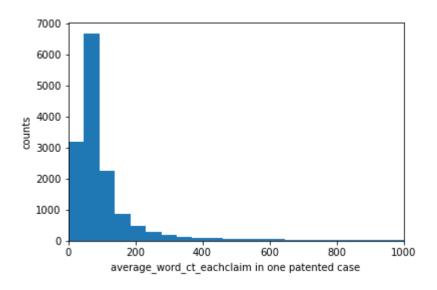
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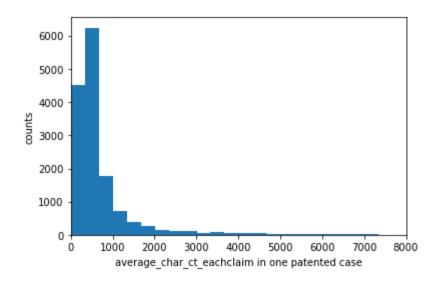
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How many characters in one claim?

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75%
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