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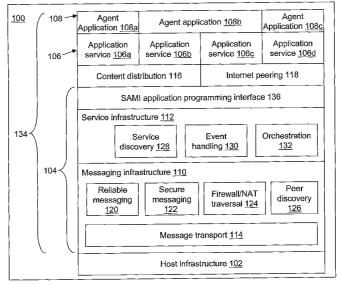
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(57) Abstract: An advertisement presentation method is provided. A request for content is sent to a device in a peer-to-peer (P2P) network. A file is received from the P2P network that includes the content requested and a campaign file including information identifying when and which advertisements are presented to a user during execution of the requested content. The received file is installed, and the requested content is executed. A time is determined for presenting an advertisement based on information read from the campaign file. At the determined time, the advertisement is requested and presented. The advertisement is delivered in-advance of a request or on demand in response to a request from either the content-requesting device, a peer or server in the P2P network, or a third party Internet delivery service. For example, an advertisement is displayed during the playback of a video.





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