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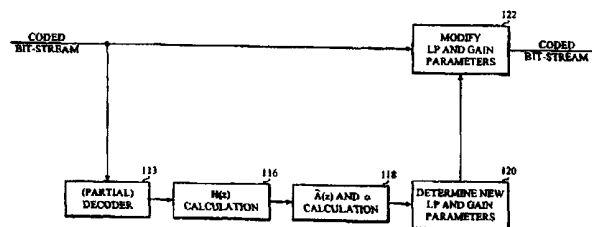
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(57) A network noise suppressor includes means (113) for partially decoding a CELP coded bit-stream. Means (116) determine a noise suppressing filter H(z) from the decoded parameters. Means (118, 120) use this filter to determine modified LP and gain parameters. Means (122) overwrite corresponding parameters in the coded bit-stream with the modified parameters.



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