

at least partially based on the time slot associated with that haptic effect, the plurality of components including the resource manager.

28. The apparatus of claim 26, the plurality of components including:

a resource manager in communication with the output component and the driver, the resource manager being configured to manage resources available in the output component based on the control signal, the output component being further configured to associate each basis haptic effect from the plurality of basis haptic effects with an effect slot from a plurality of effect slots at least partially based on the time slot associated with that haptic effect, the plurality of components including the resource manager; and

an ordering component in communication with the driver, the ordering component being configured to associate each basis haptic effect from the plurality of basis haptic effects with a time slot from the plurality of time slots, the plurality of components including the ordering component.

29. The apparatus of claim 26, the plurality of components including:

a resource manager in communication with the output component and the driver, the resource manager being configured to manage resources available in the output component based on the control signal, the output component being further configured to associate each basis haptic effect from the plurality of basis haptic effects with an effect slot from a plurality of effect slots at least partially based on the time slot associated with that haptic effect, the plurality of components including the resource manager; and

an ordering component in communication with the driver, the ordering component being configured to associate each basis haptic effect from the plurality of basis haptic effects with a time slot from the plurality of time slots at least partially based on the control signal, the plurality of components including the ordering component.

30. The apparatus of claim 26, the plurality of components including:

an ordering component in communication with the driver, the ordering component being configured to associate each basis haptic effect from the plurality of basis haptic effects with a time slot from the plurality of time slots.

31. A processor-readable medium comprising code representing instructions to cause a processor to:

receive a signal from an interface component;

send a control signal at least partially based on the signal received from the interface component; and

output a plurality of signals, each signal from the plurality of signals being based at least partially on the control signal, each signal from the plurality of signals being configured to cause a basis haptic effect during an associated time slot.

32. The processor-readable medium of claim 31, further comprising code representing instructions to cause a processor to:

produce at least one ordered haptic-effect signal by ordering the plurality of signals at least partially based on a plurality of time slots, the plurality of time slots including the time slot associated with the basis haptic effect, each time slot from the plurality of time slots being associated with a basis haptic effect from a plurality of basis haptic effects, the plurality of basis haptic effects including the basis haptic effect.

33. The processor-readable medium of claim 31, further comprising code representing instructions to cause a processor to:

produce at least one ordered haptic-effect signal by ordering the plurality of signals at least partially based on a plurality of time slots, the plurality of time slots including the time slot associated with the basis haptic effect, each time slot from the plurality of time slots being associated with a basis haptic effect from a plurality of basis haptic effects, the plurality of basis haptic effects including the basis haptic effect; and

send the at least one ordered haptic-effect signal.

34. The processor-readable medium of claim 31, further comprising code representing instructions to cause a processor to:

produce at least one ordered haptic-effect signal by ordering the plurality of signals at least partially based on a plurality of time slots, the plurality of time slots including the time slot associated with the basis haptic effect, each time slot from the plurality of time slots being associated with a basis haptic effect from a plurality of basis haptic effects, the plurality of basis haptic effects including the basis haptic effect;

send the at least one ordered haptic-effect signal; and

output a plurality of basis haptic effects, each basis haptic effect from the plurality of haptic effects being output in an order specified by the at least one ordered haptic-effect signals.

35. The processor-readable medium of claim 31, further comprising code representing instructions to cause a processor to:

associate each basis haptic effect from the plurality of basis haptic effects being associated with an effect slot from a plurality of effect slots, the plurality of basis haptic effects including the basis haptic effect, each haptic effect from the plurality of basis haptic effects being associated with a time slot from a plurality of time slots, each haptic effect being associated with an effect slot from the plurality of effect slots at least partially based on the time slot associated with that basis haptic effect.

36. An apparatus, comprising:

a first output component configured to cause a plurality of basis haptic effects to be output, each basis haptic effect from the plurality basis haptic effects being associated with a time slot, the first output component being configured to output each basis haptic effect from the plurality of basis haptic effects during the associated time slot; and