

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE (FIG. 1)

"PERPENDICULAR MAGNETIC HEAD AND
PERPENDICULAR MAGNETIC DISK APPARATUS"

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A perpendicular magnetic head has a write head including a main pole, a return yoke and a recording coil, a read head including a magnetoresistive film and a pair of shields arranged so as to sandwich the magnetoresistive film, and a soft magnetic film
10 arranged so as to surround side faces and a top face of the read head.



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