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ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE (FIG. 1)

"APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR CONTROLLING
HEAD UNLOAD OPERATION IN DISK DRIVE"

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An actuator supports a head such that the head is
movable in a radial direction of a disk. The actuator
has a voice coil motor (VCM) used as a driving source
for the actuator. A voice coil motor driver (VCM
10 driver) supplies the VCM with a driving current for
driving the VCM. During a head unload operation of
using the actuator to retract the head to a ramp away
from a recording surface of the disk, a driver driving
unit drives the VCM driver by a voltage higher than
15 that required for a non-head-unload operation.