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OPTICAL PICKUP

ABSTRACT

An optical pickup comprises a slide member displaced between an inner periphery of an information recording medium and an outer periphery thereof, a laser-beam receiving and emitting device comprised of an emitting unit for radiating the information recording medium with a laser beam and a receiving unit for receiving therein a laser beam reflected from the information recording medium, a first laser-beam receiving and emitting device holding means rotated so as to simulatedly linearly move with a position different from an optical axis of the laser beam as a fulcrum to thereby position and hold the laser-beam receiving and emitting device, and a second laser-beam receiving and emitting device holding means rotated with the optical axis thereof as a fulcrum to thereby position and hold the laser-beam receiving and emitting device. According to the above construction, two types of slide members become unnecessary and the position of the slide member can be easily adjusted.

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