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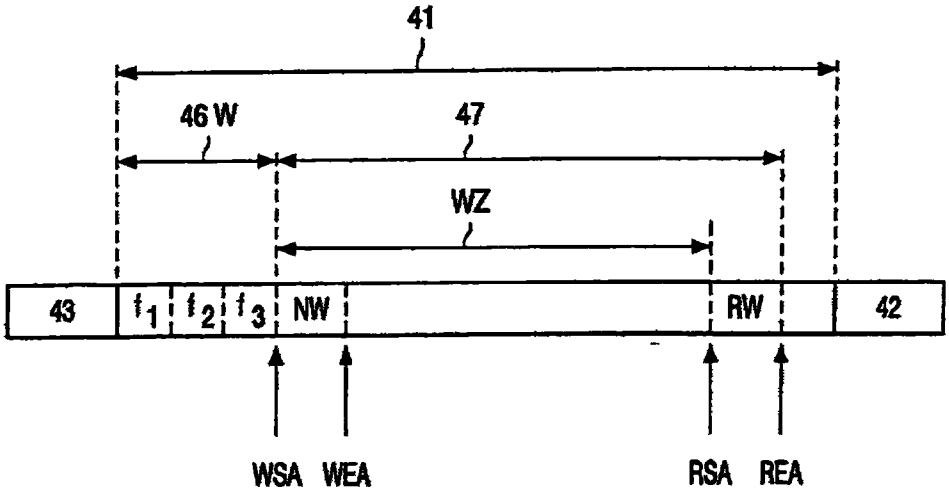
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(57) Abstract: A method is described for writing real time video signals on an optical disc (2) having a recording area (40) which comprises an administrative area (43), a spare area (42), and a user area (41). Normal recording takes place in blocks (45) in a first pre-reserved area (NW) of a free part (47) of the user area (41). If during the recording process a defective block (45*) is encountered a replacement recording having the size of a plurality of blocks is made in a second pre-reserved area (RW) of the free part (47) of the user area (41), after which normal recording continues in the first pre-reserved area (NW). On the one hand, this limits the number of jumps for replacement recording and, on the other hand, it results in the storage capacity of the disc (2) being used very efficiently.

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