

5 **PREDICTION AND CANCELLATION OF CAGE FREQUENCY
 IN A DISC DRIVE**

Abstract of the Disclosure

10 A method for writing servo information to a disc rotatably mounted
 to a spindle motor. A measured cage frequency is obtained from a written
 reference track, from which an actual cage frequency is predicted. The
 predicted cage frequency is then used to derive compensated position
 commands. During a servo write interval, the compensated position
15 commands are used to control the head such that the head follows the disc
 movements caused by the cage frequency.

FIG. 1