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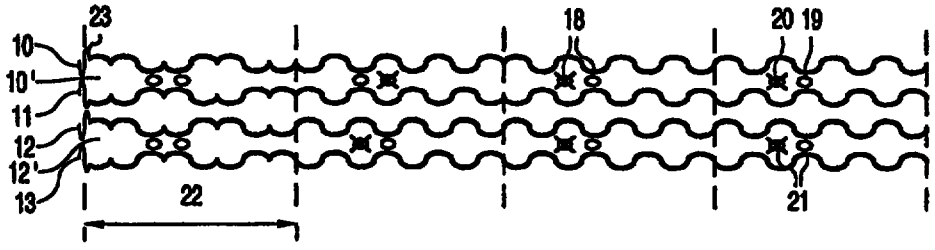
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(57) Abstract

An optical record carrier has parallel tracks for recording user information in a pattern of optically detectable marks, the tracks being provided with control information. The tracks are grouped in pairs of neighbouring tracks. The control information in both tracks of a pair is identical and the control information on tracks of different pairs is different. The identity of the control information reduces the effect of crosstalk on neighbouring tracks.