

Title (en)  
MULTIPLE LAYER CONFOCAL INTERFERENCE MICROSCOPY USING WAVENUMBER DOMAIN REFLECTOMETRY AND BACKGROUND AMPLITUDE REDUCTION AND COMPENSATION

Title (de)  
MEHRSCICHT-KONFOKALE INTERFERENZMIKROSKOPIE MIT WELLENZAHL-DOMAIN-REFLEKTOMETRIE UND AMPLITUDENREDUKTION UND KOMPENSATION

Title (fr)  
MICROSCOPIE CONFOCALE D'INTERFERENCES A COUCHES MULTIPLES BASEE SUR LA REFLECTOMETRIE A DOMAINE DE NOMBRE D'ONDES ET SUR LA REDUCTION ET LA COMPENSATION D'AMPLITUDE D'ARRIERE-PLAN

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[origin: WO0055572A1] An in-focus image of an information-bearing region within and/or on a substance is discriminated from an out-of focus image so as to reduce errors in image information of the substance by producing a probe beam and a reference beam from a wideband point source (90a), producing antisymmetric spatial properties in the reference beam (83), converting the probe beam (81b) to a beam focused to a line in the region, producing antisymmetric spatial properties in the in-focus return probe beam.

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