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(54) **Information recording material**

(57) An information recording material which contains a fluorine-containing nonionic surfactant, 1.5×10^{-5} mol/m² or more of a polyvalent metal salt, and an anionic surfactant capable of forming a sparingly soluble salt in an aqueous solution with the polyvalent metal, in the

outermost layer on a support on the side of an information recording layer. The information recording material is less in static charge and improved in surface deficiencies due to coating.

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