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(54) **Optical disc and method for recording data on and/or reproducing data from the same**

(57) An optical disc on which data is recorded and/or from which data is reproduced comprises a recording area where data is recorded in at least one physical cluster (15), a defective area (16) where a defect that prevents recording and/or reproduction of data is present in the recording area, and a run-out having a guard 2 (18b)

to protect data provided subsequent to the physical cluster (15). A method for recording data on and/or reproducing data from a high density optical disc having a defective area (16) is performed by recording data in a predetermined recording area including the defective area (16), and recording a run-out having a guard 2 to protect data provided subsequent to the physical cluster (15).

FIG. 5

