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the Indian Standard:	Document Management - Applications - Archiving of Electronic
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	Laser Disc (COLD)
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a)Scope b) Salient features of content:	This document specifies techniques for archiving electronic data to ensure their long-term integrity, accessibility, usability, readability and reliability, in order to protect the evidential value of the data.
	In this document, long term is considered to be a period of time lasting more than a century (see ISO 18911).
	Black-and-white microforms processed with liquid chemicals are used in this document because the result is always an irreversible record and because of the proven quality of microforms as a long-term preservation media.
	This document also specifies procedures for the parallel recording, by a single production unit, of COM and COLD output from the same data.
	It applies to many different types of electronic data, such as text and two-dimensional graphic data which can be represented as a black-and-white image.
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