

DATA MASTERS must comply with Factory specifications.

About 10% of client submitted Yellow Book (data) Masters are rejected for being out of spec. Although error rates are not as critical for CDRs, the specs are still quite useful. Following these guidelines significantly decreases the probability of your Master being rejected.

1. Defrag you data before writing to CDR.
2. Write the data at 2x with a quality media:

RECOMMENDED:

Taiyo Yuden / TDK / Sony / Kodak / Mitsui / HHB / Ricoh

ACCEPTABLE:

Phillips / BASF/ Quantigy / Verbatim / Imation / Fuji

AVOID:

Com-USA / Maxell / KAO / Smart & Friendly / Princo / DIC

4. Test your Master with various CPUs, operating systems, and monitors.
5. Have someone other than the author test the Master.
6. Make a backup copy. GDA cannot be held responsible for any damage of loss of client submitted disks.
7. **MAKE SURE THERE ARE NO SCRATCHES ON YOUR MASTER !**
8. Store your Master in a JEWEL BOX. Please do not use paper or Tyvek.
9. **FACTORY SPECS ARE:**

NO E-32 ERRORS

DISK-AT-ONCE MODE (CLOSED SESSIONS)

BLER LESS THAN 100

NO SCRATCHES

SINGLE SESSION IS RECOMMENDED (NOT REQUIRED)

DATA SUMMARY (MB) OF YOU FILES IS HELPFUL