

This exploded view diagram illustrates the assembly of a 12-disc magnetic tape drive. The components are numbered as follows:

- 1:** Top metal housing or cap.
- 2:** Small pin or screw used for alignment.
- 3:** Long vertical shaft or spindle.
- 4:** Individual magnetic tape discs (12 total).
- 5:** Discs with a different surface pattern, likely for read/write heads.
- 6:** Discs with a third surface pattern.
- 7:** Bottom metal housing or cap.
- 8:** O-ring or seal for the bottom housing.
- 9:** Small metal component, possibly a bearing or spacer.
- 10:** Spring mechanism for disc tensioning.
- 11:** Small metal component, possibly a bearing or spacer.
- 12:** Small pin or screw used for alignment.

