UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS WACO DIVISION

GREENTHREAD, LLC

Plaintiff,

vs.

INTEL CORPORATION, DELL INC., AND DELL TECHNOLOGIES INC.; Civil Action No. 6:22-cv-105-ADA

JURY TRIAL DEMANDED

Defendants.

SCHEDULING ORDER

The Court hereby enters the following scheduling order to govern the case:

Item	Deadline
Defendants respond to Plaintiff's Amended Complaint	6/13/2022
Case Readiness Status Report ("CRSR")	6/20/2022
Plaintiff serves preliminary infringement contentions in the form of a chart setting forth where in the accused product(s) each element of the asserted claim(s) are found. Plaintiff shall also identify the earliest priority date (i.e. the earliest date of invention) for each asserted claim and produce: (1) all documents evidencing conception and reduction to practice for each claimed invention, and (2) a copy of the file history for each patent in suit.	6/27/2022
Case Management Conference ("CMC")	7/4/2022
Defendant serves preliminary invalidity contentions in the form of (1) a chart setting forth where in the prior art references each element of the asserted claim(s) are found, (2) an identification of any limitations the Defendant contends are indefinite or lack written description under section 112, and (3) an identification of any claims the Defendant contends are directed to ineligible subject matter under section 101. Defendant shall also produce (1) all prior art referenced in the invalidity contentions, and (2) technical documents, including software where applicable, sufficient to show the operation of the accused product(s).	8/22/2022

Item	Deadline
Parties exchange claim terms for construction.	9/6/2022
Parties exchange proposed claim constructions.	9/19/2022
Parties disclose extrinsic evidence. The parties shall disclose any extrinsic evidence, including the identity of any expert witness they may rely upon with respect to claim construction or indefiniteness. With respect to any expert identified, the parties shall identify the scope of the topics for the witness's expected testimony.[2] With respect to items of extrinsic evidence, the parties shall identify each such item by production number or produce a copy of any such item if not previously produced.	9/26/2022
[2] Any party may utilize a rebuttal expert in response to a brief where expert testimony is relied upon by the other party.	
Deadline to meet and confer to narrow terms in dispute and exchange revised list of terms/constructions.	10/3/2022
Defendant files Opening claim construction brief, including any arguments that any claim terms are indefinite.	10/10/2022
Plaintiff files Responsive claim construction brief.	10/31/2022
Defendant files Reply claim construction brief.	11/14/2022
For pending inter-district venue transfer motions, the moving party to provide the Court with a status report with respect to whether the motion(s) has been fully briefed and ready for resolution no later than four weeks prior to the date of the <i>Markman</i> hearing [<i>see</i> fn 1] that is scheduled in that case.	11/14/2022
Plaintiff files Sur-Reply claim construction brief.	11/28/2022
Parties submit Joint Claim Construction Statement. See General Issues Note #8 regarding providing copies of the briefing to the Court and the technical adviser (if appointed).	12/1/2022
Parties submit optional technical tutorials to the Court and technical adviser (if appointed).[3]	12/5/2022
[3] The parties should contact the law clerk to request a Box link so that the party can directly upload the file to the Court's Box account.	
Markman Hearing	12/12/2022
Fact Discovery opens; deadline to serve Initial Disclosures per Rule 26(a).	12/13/2022

Item	Deadline
Deadline to add parties.	1/23/2023
Deadline to serve Final Infringement and Invalidity Contentions. After this date, leave of Court is required for any amendment to Infringement or Invalidity contentions. This deadline does not relieve the Parties of their obligation to seasonably amend if new information is identified after initial contentions.	2/6/2023
Deadline to amend pleadings. A motion is not required unless the amendment adds patents or patent claims. (Note: This includes amendments in response to a 12(c) motion.)	4/3/2023
Deadline for the first of two meet and confers to discuss significantly narrowing the number of claims asserted and prior art references at issue. Unless the parties agree to the narrowing, they are ordered to contact the Court's Law Clerk to arrange a teleconference with the Court to resolve the disputed issues.	6/12/2023
Close of Fact Discovery	7/17/2023
Opening Expert Reports	7/24/2023
Rebuttal Expert Reports	8/21/2023
Close of Expert Discovery	9/12/2023
Deadline for the second of two meet and confer to discuss narrowing the number of claims asserted and prior art references at issue to triable limits. To the extent it helps the parties determine these limits, the parties are encouraged to contact the Court's Law Clerk for an estimate of the amount of trial time anticipated per side. The parties shall file a Joint Report within 5 business days regarding the results of the meet and confer.	9/15/2023
Dispositive motion deadline and Daubert motion deadline. See General Issues Note #8 regarding providing copies of the briefing to the Court and the technical adviser (if appointed).	9/18/2023
Serve Pretrial Disclosures (jury instructions, exhibits lists, witness lists, discovery and deposition designations).	10/2/2023
Serve objections to pretrial disclosures/rebuttal disclosures.	10/16/2023
Parties to jointly email the Court's law clerk to confirm their pretrial conference and trial dates.	10/16/2023

Item	Deadline
Serve objections to rebuttal disclosures and File Motions in-limine.	10/23/2023
File Joint Pretrial Order and Pretrial Submissions (jury instructions, exhibits lists, witness lists, discovery and deposition designations); file oppositions to motions <i>in limine</i> .	10/30/2023
File Notice of Request for Daily Transcript or Real Time Reporting. If a daily transcript or real time reporting of court proceedings is requested for trial, the party or parties making said request shall file a notice with the Court and e-mail the Court Reporter, Kristie Davis at kmdaviscsr@yahoo.com Deadline to meet and confer regarding remaining objections and disputes on motions in limine.	11/6/2023
File joint notice identifying remaining objections to pretrial disclosures and disputes on motions <i>in-limine</i> .	11/17/2023
Final Pretrial Conference. The Court expects to set this date at the conclusion of the <i>Markman</i> Hearing.	11/20/2023
Jury Selection/Trial. The Court expects to set this date at the conclusion of the <i>Markman</i> Hearing.	12/11/2023

Signed this 22nd day of May, 2022.

ALAN D ALBRICHT UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE