

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

MICROSOFT CORPORATION,
Petitioner,

v.

X1 DISCOVERY, INC.,
Patent Owner.

IPR2025-00254
Patent 10,552,490

**PETITIONER'S SUR-REPLY IN SUPPORT OF ITS OPPOSITION TO
PATENT OWNER'S REQUEST FOR DISCRETIONARY DENIAL**

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1087	<i>Windows 10 available as a free upgrade on July 29</i> , Microsoft Corporation (June 1, 2015)
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1089	<i>Windows Guide, Using Windows Vista</i> , Microsoft Corporation (2008)
1090	Complaint, <i>X1 Discovery, Inc. v. Microsoft Corp.</i> 8:23-cv-02415-GW-JDE (C.D. Cal.), ECF No. 1 (December 19, 2023)
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1001	U.S. Patent No. 10,552,490 (“ 490 patent ”)
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1003	Declaration of Dr. Loren Terveen, dated December 19, 2024
1004	Steve Schwartz, <i>Visual QuickStart Guide Entourage 2001 for Macintosh</i> , Peachpit Press (2001) (“ Entourage-1 ”)
1005	Bonita Sebastian et al., <i>Microsoft Office 2001 A Hands-On Guide for Macintosh</i> , Computer Literacy Press (excerpts) (2000) (“ Entourage-2 ”)
1006	Nan Barber & David Reynolds, <i>Office 2001 for Macintosh: The Missing Manual</i> , Pogue Press/O’Reilly (1 st ed.) (Apr. 2001) (“ Entourage-3 ”)
1007	<i>Eudora Email User Manual for Windows Version 5.0</i> , QUALCOMM (Aug. 2000) (“ Eudora ”)
1008	Alan R. Neibauer, <i>Running Microsoft Outlook 2000</i> , Microsoft Press (excerpts) (1999) (“ Outlook ”)
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1012	U.S. Patent Application Publication No. 2002/0055981 to Spaey et al. (“ Spaey ”)
1013	U.S. Patent No. 5,845,278 to Kirsch et al. (“ Kirsch ”)
1014	U.S. Patent No. 4,255,796 to Gabbe et al. (“ Gabbe ”)
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1016	U.S. Patent No. 6,049,796 to Siitonen et al. (“ Siitonen ”)
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1022	Richard M. Stallman, <i>GNU Emacs Manual</i> (1 st ed.) (Jun. 1985) (“ GNU Emacs ”)
1023	Ricardo Baeza-Yates & Berthier Ribeiro-Neto, <i>Modern Information Retrieval</i> , ACM Press (1999) (“ Baeza-Yates ”)
1024	Sunny Lam, <i>The Overview of Web Search Engines</i> (Feb. 9, 2001) (“ Lam ”)
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1030	U.S. Patent No. 6,009,459 to Belfiore et al. (“ Belfiore ”)
1031	U.S. Patent No. 5,220,625 to Hatakeyama et al. (“ Hatakeyama ”)
1032	U.S. Patent No. 6,185,551 to Birrell et al. (“ Birrell ”)
1033	U.S. Patent No. 6,839,702 to Patel et al. (“ Patel ”)
1034	U.S. Patent No. 6,973,450 to Silverbrook et al. (“ Silverbrook ”)
1035	U.S. Patent No. 6,834,276 to Jensen et al. (“ Jensen ”)
1036	U.S. Patent No. 5,946,678 to Ijsbrand Jan Aalbersberg (“ Aalbersberg ”)
1037	European Patent Application Publication No. EP 1 209 866 to Baldonado et al. (“ Baldonado ”)
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1039	Kaitlin Duck Sherwood, <i>Overcome Email Overload With Eudora 5</i> , World Wide Webfoot Press (excerpts) (1 st ed.) (2001)
1040	Claims Listing
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1058	U.S. Patent No. 7,370,035 to Gross et al. (“ the ’035 patent ”)
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1062	Declaration of Dr. Ingrid Hsieh-Yee Dated December 16, 2024
1063	Exhibit CX-0196 to Complainant's Pre-Trial Brief in the Matter of <i>Certain Computing Devices Utilizing Indexed Search Systems and Components Thereof</i> , ITC-337-TA-1389 (August 29, 2024)
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1076	File History of U.S. Patent No. 9,663,139
1077	N/A
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1080	N/A
1081	First Amended Complaint in <i>XI Discovery, Inc. v. Microsoft Corporation</i> 8:23-cv-02415-GW-JDE (C.D. Cal), ECF No. 61 (May 9, 2025)
1082	Scheduling Order in <i>XI Discovery, Inc. v. Microsoft Corporation</i> 8:23-cv-02415-GW-JDE (C.D. Cal), ECF No. 62 (May 15, 2025)
1083	<i>C.D. Cal. Time to Milestones</i> , Docket Navigator (last visited May 15, 2025)
1084	<i>Judge George H. Wu Time to Milestones</i> , Docket Navigator (last visited May 15, 2025)
1085	Initial Determination Granting Summary Determination of Non-infringement, <i>Certain Computing Devices Utilizing Indexed Search Systems and Components Thereof</i> , 337-TA-1389, Order No. 18 (Sep. 3, 2024)
1086	Declaration of Arie Pellikaan, dated May 20, 2025

Settled expectations do not favor denial at least because there is no evidence Microsoft was aware of the '490 patent, which issued in 2020. Unlike iRhythm (*see* IPR2025-00363, Paper 10), Microsoft is a publicly traded company with diverse product offerings and there is no evidence that Microsoft competed with Patent Owner ("PO") or monitored PO's patent filings (or had reason to do so).

Even if related earlier patents or applications, *e.g.*, the '035 patent, were relevant (they are not) and even if Microsoft were deemed "aware of" those earlier patent documents (it should not be), any settled expectations disfavor denial. PO waited *over 15 years* from the 2007 release of the accused Windows Search feature before alleging it infringed the '035 patent in December 2023. *Compare* EX1093, 106-107 (describing search-as-you-type); EX1089 (same); EX1092 (same); EX1091 *with* EX1090, ¶¶ 17, 52; EX1081, ¶¶ 17, 52. And PO waited *over eight years* from the release of the accused Windows 10 OS that allegedly includes this feature. *E.g.*, EX1087 (July 2015 release); EX1088 (same). PO surely knew of these accused features, as it purportedly developed software to run on Microsoft Windows 7, 8, and 10. *E.g.*, EX1094; EX1090, ¶ 14. PO's inaction created the impression that it believed Microsoft did not infringe the '035 patent or its progeny. The settled expectations, if any, were that this patent family is not a concern to Microsoft.

Finally, it would be unfeasible, and a waste of party and Board resources, for companies like Microsoft to track and seek IPR of every IDS-listed patent.

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE
IN COMPLIANCE WITH 37 C.F.R. § 42.6(e)(4)**

The undersigned certifies that on June 18, 2025, a complete copy of **PETITIONER'S SUR-REPLY IN SUPPORT OF ITS OPPOSITION TO PATENT OWNER'S REQUEST FOR DISCRETIONARY DENIAL and EXHIBITS 1087-1094** were served on counsel for the Patent Owner via electronic mail as follows:

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