IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
WACO DIVISION

ALIGN TECHNOLOGY, INC.,

Plaintiff,

v.

CLEARCORRECT OPERATING, LLC, CLEARCORRECT HOLDINGS, INC., INSTITUT STRAUMANN AG, & STRAUMANN USA, LLC

Defendants.

CLEARCORRECT OPERATING, LLC, CLEARCORRECT HOLDINGS, INC., & STRAUMANN USA, LLC,

Counterclaim-Plaintiffs,

v.

ALIGN TECHNOLOGY, INC.,

Counterclaim-Defendant.

Case No. 6:24-cv-00187-ADA-DTG

FOURTH SCHEDULING ORDER

ALIGN - EXHIBIT 2003
ClearCorrect Operating, LLC. v. Align Technology, Inc.
IPR2025-00815

Current Deadline	New Deadline	Item
N/A	6/13/25	Deadline for parties to identify additional ESI custodians.
N/A	7/18/25	Deadline for Align to narrow its asserted patent claims to no more than 100 claims.
N/A	6/27/25	Deadline for parties to finalize search terms for additional ESI custodians.
4/28/25	7/18/25	Substantial completion deadline for document production, including customer contracts.
N/A	8/4/25	Deadline for ClearCorrect to narrow its prior art references to a number agreed to by the parties. If the parties are unable to agree upon a number of references, the parties should submit a discovery dispute chart to the Court.
5/22/25	8/22/25	Deadline to serve Final Infringement and Invalidity Contentions. After this date, leave of Court is required for any amendment to infringement contentions. This deadline does not relieve the parties of their obligation to seasonably amend if new information is identified after initial contentions.
N/A	9/12/25	Substantial completion deadline for document production for additional ESI custodians.
6/16/25	8/29/25	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.)
7/24/25	10/2/25	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.
7/29/25	10/17/25	Close of Fact Discovery.
8/28/25	11/14/25	Opening Expert Reports.
9/30/25	12/17/25	Rebuttal Expert Reports.
10/28/2025	1/21/2026	Close of Expert Discovery.
11/4/25	1/21/26	Deadline for the second of two meet and confers to discuss narrowing the number of claims asserted and prior art references at issue to triable limits. If 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.

Current Deadline	New Deadline	Item
11/11/25	2/6/26	Dispositive motion deadline and *Daubert* motion deadline. Response and reply deadlines shall be governed by Local Rule CV-7. Deadline for parties desiring to consent to trial before the magistrate judge to submit Form AO 85, "Notice, Consent, And Reference Of A Civil Action To A Magistrate Judge," available at https://www.uscourts.gov/forms/civilforms/notice-consent-and-reference-civil-action-magistratejudge.
11/25/25	3/6/26	Serve Pretrial Disclosures (jury instructions, exhibits lists, witness lists, deposition designations).
12/9/25	3/11/26	Serve objections to pretrial disclosures/rebuttal disclosures.
12/15/25	3/13/26	Parties to jointly email the Court's law clerk (See OGP at 1) to confirm their pretrial conference and trial dates.
12/16/25	3/20/26	Serve objections to rebuttal disclosures; file motions *in limine*.
1/6/26	4/8/26	File Joint Pretrial Order and Pretrial Submissions (jury instructions, exhibits lists, witness lists, deposition designations); file oppositions to motions *in limine*. From this date onwards, the parties are obligated to notify the Court of any changes to the asserted patents or claims. Such notification shall be filed on the docket within seven (7) days of the change and shall include a complete listing of all asserted patents and claims. If a change to the asserted patents or claims requires leave of court (for example, if a party is moving for leave to assert additional claims), notification shall not be required until the Court grants leave, at which point the notification must be filed within seven (7) days.
1/13/26	4/10/26	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 email the Court Reporter, Kristie Davis at kmdaviscsr@yahoo.com Deadline to file replies to motions *in limine*.
1/20/26	4/17/26	Deadline to meet and confer regarding remaining objections and disputes on motions *in limine*.
1/22/26	4/21/26	File joint notice identifying remaining objections to pretrial disclosures and disputes on motions *in limine*.
1/27/26	4/24/26 at 1:30 PM	Final Pretrial Conference. Held in person unless otherwise requested.

Current Deadline	New Deadline	Item
2/16/26	5/11/26	Jury Selection/Trial.[1]

SIGNED this 12th day of June, 2025.

DEREK T. GILLILAND
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

[1] If the actual trial date materially differs from the Court's default schedule, the Court will consider reasonable amendments to the case schedule post-*Markman* that are consistent with the Court's default deadlines in light of the actual trial date.