

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
San Jose Division

APPLIED OPTOELECTRONICS, INC.,
Plaintiffs,
v.
EOPTOLINK TECHNOLOGY USA INC.,
Defendants.

Case No. 24-cv-08165-NW

**CASE MANAGEMENT AND
TRIAL-SETTING ORDER (JURY)**

The court reviewed the parties' Joint Case Management Statement and issues this case management and trial-setting order. The September 16, 2025 case management conference is VACATED.

The parties have not yet reached an agreement regarding an ADR process. The parties are ordered to meet and confer within 10 days of this order to elect either private mediation or court-sponsored mediation, either of which must be completed by no later than August 31, 2026. If the parties cannot reach an agreement, the parties will be referred to court-sponsored mediation. The parties shall file an updated ADR agreement by Friday, October 3, 2025.

THE FOLLOWING DEADLINES ARE HEREBY ORDERED:

Scheduled Event	Date
Deadline to Complete ADR:	August 31, 2026
Disclosure of Asserted Claims and Infringement Contentions (Pat. L.R. 3-1 and 3-2)	Done
Invalidity Contentions (Pat. L.R. 3-3 and 3-4)	November 14, 2025
Damages Contentions (Pat. L.R. 3-8)	January 5, 2026
Responsive Damages Contentions (Pat. L.R. 3-9)	February 4, 2026
Damages Contentions Meeting (Pat. L.R. 3-10)	April 6, 2026
Exchange of Proposed Terms for Construction (Pat. L.R. 4-1)	November 28, 2025
Exchange of Preliminary Claim Constructions and Extrinsic Evidence (Pat. L.R. 4-2)	December 19, 2025
Joint Claim Construction and Prehearing Statement and Expert Reports (Pat. L.R. 4-3)	January 13, 2026
Completion of Claim Construction Discovery (Pat. L.R. 4-4)	February 12, 2026
Opening Claim Construction Brief	February 27, 2026
Responsive Claim Construction Brief	March 13, 2026
Reply Claim Construction Brief	March 20, 2026
Technology Tutorial	April 8, 2026 at 2 p.m.
Claim Construction Hearing	April 22, 2026 at 2 p.m.
Close of Fact Discovery	June 19, 2026
Opening Expert Reports	July 17, 2026
Rebuttal Expert Reports	August 14, 2026
Close of Expert Discovery	September 4, 2026
Deadline to File Dispositive Motions and <i>Daubert</i> Motions	Motions: September 25, 2026 Responses: October 9, 2026 Replies: October 16, 2026
Hearing on Dispositive and <i>Daubert</i> Motions	November 18, 2026 at 9:00 a.m.
Deadline to File Joint Pretrial Statement	January 6, 2027
Final Pretrial Conference	January 20, 2027 at 2:00 p.m.

Scheduled Event	Date
Trial	February 8, 2027 at 9:00 a.m.
Length of trial	5-8 days

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: September 8, 2025



Noël Wise
United States District Judge