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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

BEFORE THE HONORABLE WILLIAM H. ALSUP

ORACLE AMERICA, INC.,	)	
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Plaintiff,	)	
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VS.	)	No. C 10-3561 WHA
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GOOGLE, INC.,	)	
	)	
Defendant.	)	San Francisco, California
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(The following proceedings were held in open court, outside the presence of the jury.)

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**THE COURT:** All right. Please, be seated. Thank you.

How is everybody?

**MR. VAN NEST:** Fine, Your Honor. Good morning.

**THE COURT:** I want to start by saying, yesterday I sent out a short request to the lawyers saying that if we were to get a verdict today I would like to give the jury tomorrow off, and would that create any problems for you.

Of course, you lawyers know that that was just intended for your eyes, and the jury had no idea that that was in the works. But then members of the press picked it up like I was telling the jury they get a day off if they come back with the verdict today.

Of course, I never would have done that. The jury has no idea that that was a possibility. I just wanted to make that clear in case someone takes an appeal based on what's in the newspapers.

1           The newspapers had that one totally wrong. And I ask  
2 the members of the press to correct that, because I don't want  
3 the verdict in this case, the public not to have confidence in  
4 it.

5           I think some people in the public might draw the  
6 wrong impression if they thought the judge was trying to induce  
7 the jury to speed it up. I would never do that.

8           All right. Enough said on that. It was just a  
9 misunderstanding of what I had said.

10           We have a new note. Have you read the new note?

11           **MR. PURCELL:** We have.

12           **THE COURT:** Well, we will now deal with that. This  
13 is from Ms. Jennifer Michals. Ms. Michals says:

14           "In paragraph 28, when referring to 'average  
15 audience,' is the average audience the  
16 general public or the audience of programmers  
17 using the code?"

18           Let's see what paragraph 28 says. This is on  
19 de minimus.

20           Oh, I see, the second sentence:

21           "Copying is de minimus only if it is so  
22 meager and fragmentary that compared to the  
23 work as a whole the average audience would  
24 not recognize the appropriation."

25           Okay. What would you like to say on this subject?

1           **MR. VAN NEST:** Your Honor, we'd like a few minutes.  
2 We're checking to see if there's any law on it. If we could  
3 have a few minutes to do that, we would like to follow that up.  
4 We're just checking to see whether anyone has interpreted that  
5 language. And, if so, we would bring that to Your Honor's  
6 attention right away.

7           I don't know the answer off the top of my head.  
8 Maybe Mr. Baber does, and here he is.

9           **THE COURT:** Mr. Baber has elbowed his way to the  
10 lecturn.

11           (Laughter)

12           **MR. VAN NEST:** He didn't have to elbow me, Your  
13 Honor.

14           **MR. BABER:** I think, Your Honor --

15           **THE COURT:** I'm teasing. Go ahead, please.

16           **MR. BABER:** I'm not sure that there is any specific  
17 authority making it clearer, but the language about "average  
18 audience" comes directly out of *Newton vs. Diamond*, which is  
19 one of the cases we rely on for the de minimus doctrine.

20           And in *Newton vs. Diamond*, the Ninth Circuit said  
21 that the -- "this relates to the test for substantial  
22 similarity which, quote, also looks to the response of the  
23 average audience, or ordinary observer."

24           And that language about "ordinary observer" has been  
25 in copyright cases for decades. Off the top of my head, I

1 don't know of any case where a court has said it's anything  
2 less than, you know, the average, quote, ordinary observer.

3 **MR. JACOBS:** There is a fair amount of law on this,  
4 Your Honor. I have not located Ninth Circuit authority yet.

5 There is a fair amount of law that says that,  
6 particularly in technical cases or in cases involving distinct  
7 subject matter, the standpoint of the observer is measured from  
8 the standpoint of an observer in that field, rather than from  
9 the lay observer.

10 I'm not sure, at this stage, what to do because  
11 neither of us really briefed this in the context of the  
12 instruction.

13 So the question is whether the Court would want to  
14 elaborate, at this stage. If so, I think we probably should  
15 hustle and get you the right authority to look at very quickly.

16 **THE COURT:** Unless you both agree. If you both agree  
17 the law of the case would be whatever you agree to.

18 **MR. JACOBS:** I think Mr. Baber just suggested it's an  
19 ordinary observer. And I suggest that it's an observer in the  
20 relevant -- who is knowledgeable in the relevant subject area.

21 **THE COURT:** Well, may I make an observation and --  
22 without it being deemed to be a ruling?

23 Shouldn't the average audience be the audience of  
24 people who would read this sort of thing, as opposed to the  
25 general public?

1 I rather suspect the general public would not be able  
2 to read source code. And, from that point of view, they would  
3 need expert guidance to decide, I suppose. I'm not sure.

4 But from the point of view of people who read  
5 software programs, that's the audience that these works are  
6 directed to. And, to me, it seems like we should be defining  
7 "average audience" to be the group of people who would be  
8 reading this kind of thing.

9 Now, that's just my observation. I'm not making that  
10 ruling yet. But I can see all kinds of mischief if we were to  
11 come up with a different standard.

12 **MR. JACOBS:** One of my colleagues handed me a note  
13 that I do think crystallizes the question, which is: What if  
14 the defendant plagiarized a book in French? Plainly, you would  
15 want to evaluate the similarity from the standpoint of a French  
16 speaker, albeit before an American jury.

17 They would be aided by the expert testimony, who  
18 would say to any French reader these words, this structure,  
19 whatever the relevant copyrightable material, this looks  
20 identical.

21 **MR. BABER:** Your Honor, just in terms of the history  
22 here, looking back at the instructions that the parties  
23 proposed, the language about "average audience" actually comes  
24 from Oracle's proposed instruction, rather than ours.

25 Oracle asked for an instruction that said, in the

1 copyright infringement context, copying is considered  
2 de minimus only if it is so meager and fragmentary that the  
3 average audience would not recognize the appropriation. And  
4 they didn't address anything about being more specific.

5 Our proposed instruction on de minimus didn't use  
6 that language out of *Newton vs. Diamond* that I just cited to  
7 you.

8 **THE COURT:** Perhaps, but that doesn't get us  
9 anywhere. The jury is asking a question about the -- or at  
10 least one member of the jury is asking a question about the  
11 instruction as it was given. So --

12 **MR. VAN NEST:** Could we have just a moment to caucus,  
13 Your Honor, or handle this at the end of the hearing, either  
14 one?

15 **THE COURT:** I think we ought to deal with the jury's  
16 note first. I will sit here in stoney silence --

17 **MR. VAN NEST:** Thank you.

18 **THE COURT:** -- and wait for you to caucus.

19 (Pause)

20 **MR. VAN NEST:** Your Honor, what about -- something, I  
21 think, along the lines of what Your Honor suggested -- the  
22 average audience is essentially the audience for the works. In  
23 other words, it's a copyrighted work. The average audience  
24 would be the audience for the works. That's who -- that's who  
25 is really the intended audience.



1 I don't think it would be limited to just people  
2 writing in this code or just people using it, but the average  
3 audience probably is narrower than the general public. It  
4 would be the intended audience for the works.

5 **THE COURT:** What does that mean, people who are --

6 **MR. VAN NEST:** People --

7 **THE COURT:** A teenager in high school who has an  
8 Apple on her phone --

9 **MR. VAN NEST:** No.

10 **THE COURT:** -- and she is punching the button and  
11 using that? What does that mean?

12 **MR. VAN NEST:** No, no, no. The average audience that  
13 can read and understand code. It would include programmers and  
14 app developers.

15 **THE COURT:** All right. How about the "average  
16 audience" means those who would be expected to read the work?

17 **MR. VAN NEST:** Copyrighted works.

18 **THE COURT:** Copyrighted works.

19 **MR. JACOBS:** I think that's fine, Your Honor.

20 **THE COURT:** "'Average audience' means those who would  
21 be expected to read the copyrighted works."

22 Agreed?

23 **MR. VAN NEST:** That's fine, Your Honor.

24 **THE COURT:** Is this one I can just send back in  
25 without bringing the jury back?

1           **MR. VAN NEST:** Sure.

2           **THE COURT:** Here's what I'm going to do. I'm going  
3 to say, "answer." Why don't you take a look at this, to see if  
4 you think I'm okay. What is today? May 3rd, 11:10. Look at  
5 it and see if I wrote it down correctly.

6           (Pause)

7           **MR. JACOBS:** Yes, Your Honor.

8           **MR. VAN NEST:** That's fine, Your Honor.

9           **THE COURT:** Do I have your permission now to send  
10 that into the jury room?

11          **MR. JACOBS:** Yes, Your Honor.

12          **MR. VAN NEST:** Yes.

13          **THE COURT:** Great. Dawn will do that now.

14          Now we can turn to the other event. I've lost my  
15 train of thought; didn't I?

16          Oh, yes, we want to go over your motion to exclude,  
17 so who's going to argue that and bring me up to speed on this?

18          **MR. PURCELL:** Well, it's their motion, Your Honor. I  
19 don't know if you wanted them to start. I'm happy to provide  
20 some background on it.

21          There's one, actually, important development that  
22 just happened in the past couple of days. If you recall, this  
23 motion started off as a motion to strike based on the fact that  
24 we didn't have the foundational interviewee on our witness  
25 list, Aditya Agarwal, so Your Honor gave us leave to substitute

1 Mr. Rubin.

2           They have now subpoenaed Mr. Argarwal to testify at  
3 trial. We have accepted service of the subpoena, so it seems  
4 like that problem should be solved, and we should be able to  
5 put Mr. Agarwal on the stand, put Mr. Rubin on the stand, lay  
6 the foundation to the documents through them, and then proceed  
7 from there. If they have any objections, we can deal with  
8 those as they make them.

9           That's how I would suggest to proceed.

10           **THE COURT:** Well, that would be great if it's that  
11 simple.

12           Mr. Norton, does that solve the problem?

13           **MR. NORTON:** It does not.

14           **THE COURT:** Okay.

15           **MR. NORTON:** The problem is not whether Aditya  
16 Agarwal testifies at trial, and it never was.

17           The problem is that Mr. Argarwal testified, as the  
18 30(b)(6) representative of Google, that he didn't know how the  
19 P&L was generated; he didn't know how Android costs were  
20 allocated. He didn't know anything about that P&L.

21           That was the basis for our motion to strike, was that  
22 Dr. Kearl assumed that Dr. Cox had correctly allocated costs  
23 for Android under 504(b). Dr. Cox assumed that the P&L  
24 correctly allocated costs. Dr. Cox's only basis for making  
25 that assumption was that he believed that Mr. Argarwal said so.

1 And Mr. Argarwal testified he didn't have the faintest idea how  
2 those numbers were generated.

3 **THE COURT:** So you know-- okay. Interrupt you for a  
4 second. Show me the numbers we're arguing over.

5 I would have thought that we had -- this is a public  
6 company. We would be dealing with audited financials, and that  
7 there would be no issue here. So why --

8 **MR. PURCELL:** We are, Your Honor.

9 **THE COURT:** No, Mr. Purcell --

10 **MR. PURCELL:** Fair enough.

11 **THE COURT:** It's his motion. Stop interrupting him.

12 **MR. PURCELL:** Fair enough.

13 **MR. NORTON:** I can hand up Exhibit 1069, which was  
14 the document produced by Google before Mr. Rubin's deposition  
15 and is the P&L for Android.

16 **THE COURT:** Is that this one?

17 **MR. NORTON:** You have an easier-to-read copy than I  
18 do.

19 **THE COURT:** What kind of document is this?

20 **MR. NORTON:** It is a document that was -- Mr. Rubin  
21 testified he received from the Google lawyers. And he  
22 testified that it appeared to be similar to the types of  
23 documents he received --

24 **THE COURT:** Is it ginned up just for this case, or a  
25 real document used in the ordinary course of business?

1           **MR. NORTON:** This document, I'll have to defer to  
2 Google on that. This is not a document that anyone has  
3 testified about, other than Mr. Rubin, who said that he  
4 received this document from the lawyers.

5           Dr. Cox cited a P&L statement in his report, and he,  
6 too, cited a document that he said he received from Google  
7 lawyers.

8           Google, in its discovery response, did direct us to  
9 other P&L statements, but not the ones that Dr. Cox relied upon  
10 and not the one that Mr. Rubin produced for his deposition.

11           So this document, so far as we can tell, so far as  
12 the testimony so far establishes, is not a document that is  
13 maintained in the ordinary course of business. It may be, but  
14 no one has ever testified to that.

15           **THE COURT:** All right. Help me understand the  
16 significance of the document.

17           How does this fit into the issues in the case on  
18 damages?

19           **MR. NORTON:** Sure. So we're solely focused on the  
20 question of infringer's profits right here. And for  
21 infringer's profits, we need only show their revenues for  
22 Android. And then they are required to prove their deductible  
23 expenses that are attributable to the copyright infringement.

24           Now, this issue right now is solely focused on what  
25 are the deductible expenses. And under Ninth Circuit law, the

1 only expenses they are entitled to deduct are those expenses  
2 that actually contributed to the sales of the infringing work.  
3 That's *Frank Music*. We cited that in our papers both on this  
4 motion and the prior motion. I don't think there is any actual  
5 dispute about that.

6           So this argument is not about whether or not Exhibit  
7 1079 is admissible; although, it very well may not be. The  
8 argument is about whether or not Dr. Cox, and by extension  
9 Dr. Kearl, has any basis to conclude that the numbers that  
10 appear in Exhibit 1079 reflect expenses that actually  
11 contributed to the sales of the infringing work.

12           The problem is that Mr. Rubin has testified now -- we  
13 have good reason to think it's not. So, one, no Google witness  
14 has been able to explain --

15           **THE COURT:** I don't even understand the document,  
16 though.

17           **MR. NORTON:** Sure.

18           **THE COURT:** Help me understand the basics, how the  
19 Google side says that it shows those expenses.

20           **MR. NORTON:** Sure. So on the first page -- and I  
21 think that, really, Dr. Cox only uses the first page -- we have  
22 the revenues, and we have them by period.

23           This includes a forecast when we get all the way to  
24 the right side. But Your Honor will see -- mine is very small,  
25 but there are 2010 actual revenues by quarter. There's 2011.

1           **THE COURT:** I don't see that -- oh I see it over  
2 here. 2010 actual by quarter revenues.

3           **MR. NORTON:** Okay.

4           **THE COURT:** So just stick with that part.

5           **MR. NORTON:** Sure.

6           **THE COURT:** Where are the deducts?

7           **MR. NORTON:** So then we have -- beneath that you'll  
8 see that there's a series of indented revenue figures: "Ads  
9 (AFMS)," "Ads (AFMA)," and so on. And then you'll see,  
10 "TAC:Dist/Organic." And, at that point, I understand we are  
11 deducting costs.

12           **THE COURT:** What is "TAC"?

13           **MR. NORTON:** I've seen it referred to both as "total  
14 acquisition cost" and "traffic acquisition cost."

15           At his deposition on the 27th, Mr. Rubin described it  
16 as total acquisition cost.

17           **THE COURT:** Just stick with one column, quarter 1.  
18 It says "Revenue, 97.66." Is that 97 million?

19           **MR. NORTON:** Yes.

20           **THE COURT:** And then those subparts underneath  
21 there --

22           **MR. NORTON:** Then there will be deductions for sales,  
23 marketing. You'll see under the bolded "Gross Margin":  
24 "sales, Marketing, Co-Marketing, PM, Engineering." And  
25 engineering is consistently the greatest expense claimed.

1           And then, as a result of those deductions, we get a  
2 number at the bottom, "Product Contribution," which I  
3 understand Google would contend represents the profit or loss  
4 for Android for that particular reporting period.

5           **THE COURT:** I'm sorry -- okay. Bear with me here.

6           **MR. NORTON:** Yes, Your Honor.

7           **THE COURT:** At the very top it says 97.66 million  
8 revenue.

9           **MR. NORTON:** For Q2010, yes, Your Honor.

10          **THE COURT:** Let's just stick with one column. The  
11 next one says, Revenue Ads distant -- d-i-s-t and organic.  
12 What does that mean?

13          **MR. NORTON:** That's advertising revenue, distribution  
14 and organic. And I don't know, offhand, right now what the  
15 distinction is between those two.

16          **THE COURT:** All right. Do those other non-bolded  
17 numbers supposedly add up to the one at the top? Is that the  
18 way it works?

19          **MR. NORTON:** Yes, Your Honor.

20          **THE COURT:** It's not like the total is at the bottom.  
21 The total is at the top.

22          **MR. NORTON:** That's correct.

23          **THE COURT:** Okay. I got that part. So now we go to  
24 "Est. TAC 3.74." What does that column, that -- that row  
25 represent?



1           **MR. NORTON:** I'm trying to find the column. I'm  
2 sorry, Your Honor.

3           **THE COURT:** About this far down (indicating).

4           **MR. NORTON:** All right. "Est. TAC."

5           **THE COURT:** Yes.

6           **MR. MUINO:** Those are additional costs incurred by  
7 Google. They are claimed to have been incurred by Google with  
8 respect to Android in that period.

9           **THE COURT:** All right. Is that where the costs are  
10 to be shown?

11           **MR. NORTON:** Yes.

12           **THE COURT:** All right. So that's the first cost  
13 item.

14           **MR. NORTON:** And then they continue to be cost  
15 items -- I believe that the gross margin number reflects the  
16 adjustments that come above it. And then they continued to  
17 deduct sales, marketing, co-marketing --

18           **THE COURT:** All right. So gross margin is the  
19 18 million.

20           **MR. NORTON:** Yes, on that column, yes.

21           **THE COURT:** 18.88. And that's gross. And then there  
22 is a -- then, yet, more deductions; is that right? So it comes  
23 out to they are losing money.

24           **MR. NORTON:** So they claim.

25           **THE COURT:** They are losing money. Well, that would

1 mean there would be no disgorgement.

2           **MR. NORTON:** Well, no, it would not. But the  
3 standard -- this is disputed in the instructions, but the  
4 standard is not straight losses, but if the losses were  
5 avoided. Avoidable losses are considered profits.

6           That is, if you would have lost \$10 million but as a  
7 result of the infringement you only lost \$1 million, that's a  
8 \$9 million differential, and those are actually profits.

9           But for present purposes, in that particular quarter,  
10 they do claim a loss.

11           **THE COURT:** Okay. So we have loss quarter 1, loss  
12 quarter 2, loss quarter 3, loss quarter 4. That adds up to a  
13 big loss for the whole year.

14           Then we come to -- we come to, I guess, year -- Have  
15 we got all the years? We got a lot of months here for 2011.  
16 Looks like each one of these months -- no, here's a profit.  
17 June. Profit July --

18           **MR. NORTON:** And in May, Your Honor, yes.

19           **THE COURT:** Yes, I see.

20           So there are big losses but small profits from the  
21 second half of 2011. Okay. Now I understand the general  
22 format of this document.

23           **MR. NORTON:** Right.

24           **THE COURT:** And what is your problem with it?

25           **MR. NORTON:** Okay. So this is a P&L, purportedly,

1 just for Android. Your Honor asked, Google is a public  
2 company, surely there's information out there.

3 They don't publicly report Android as a distinct  
4 business unit. So it's not like we can go to their SEC filings  
5 and see, okay, here's the profit and loss for Android. So this  
6 is the document that we have.

7 Now, the problem is that not -- there has to be some  
8 step along the way where there are expenses incurred partly for  
9 Android and partly for other business units. So we asked  
10 Mr. Agarwal, how does Google do that? And he did not know.

11 So we asked -- and that was the basis, in part, for  
12 our prior motion, was, Mr. Argarwal couldn't explain how Google  
13 actually allocated its expenses to Android. Which engineers  
14 are actually working on Android, and which are the hundreds of  
15 other engineers at Google working on other projects, how are  
16 these numbers actually generated?

17 And Mr. Argarwal cannot answer that question.  
18 Mr. Rubin does not know the answer to that question.

19 **THE COURT:** Well, let me stop. Are you questioning  
20 the revenue side of this, or the expense side of this?

21 **MR. NORTON:** We are questioning the expense side of  
22 this.

23 **THE COURT:** All right. So the big number on here is  
24 that engineering.

25 **MR. NORTON:** That is the biggest portion of it, yes.

1 So here's the problem is, first, we know from Mr. Rubin, for  
2 example -- he testified to this on the 27th -- one of the  
3 things that's included in engineering costs is the cost of  
4 developing the Gmail app.

5 **THE COURT:** The what?

6 **MR. NORTON:** The Gmail, the e-mail app for Google.

7 **THE COURT:** Yes.

8 **MR. NORTON:** Now, the Gmail app is not just for  
9 Android. The Gmail app is the one they use on all the  
10 different phones, whether it's an Android phone or not. But it  
11 appears that, based on his testimony, that a hundred percent of  
12 the cost of the Gmail application has been allocated to  
13 Android.

14 Now, that may be appropriate in some accounting  
15 sense. It may or may not. It doesn't really matter for our  
16 purposes. Our purposes here are, are these expenses that  
17 actually contributed -- that's the standard -- actually  
18 contributed to the sales of the infringing work?

19 And the development of an application for use on  
20 non-Android phones doesn't fit the bill. So that's one.

21 Another problem is that Mr. Rubin testified that  
22 there are costs here to investigate options/alternatives to  
23 Android as far back as 2008. So Mr. Rubin testified -- and  
24 this is at page 11 of his deposition -- that there were  
25 additional costs that they incurred to look at other ways,

1 alternative ways to develop Android.

2 Well, those, again -- for example, the Court will  
3 hear testimony, has already heard testimony, that Google  
4 considered not using Java, and explored those alternatives.  
5 Well, apparently, they are claiming those cost, as well. But  
6 those two are not costs that actually contributed to the sales  
7 of the infringing work.

8 So then Mr. Rubin also says, in his deposition, that  
9 when he spoke to Dr. Cox -- he says, "When we reviewed the  
10 costs" -- I'm quoting from his deposition:

11 **"ANSWER:** When we reviewed the costs, I  
12 indicated there were a couple of -- you know,  
13 there was a couple of pieces of background  
14 information that were important to consider.  
15 One was, we didn't start any of the  
16 accounting until 2008. So there's a bunch of  
17 costs associated with Android that weren't  
18 tracked before 2008.

19 "I also talked to him briefly, that although  
20 the spreadsheets in these reports  
21 represent -- should certainly represent costs  
22 that were part of developing Android, the  
23 spreadsheets also could include costs in  
24 other areas that weren't Android. And those  
25 were -- we tried our best to -- you know, the

1           accounting system tries its best to sort  
2           those out. But, you know, there's some odd  
3           chance that other data would be in there."

4           So Mr. Rubin -- who doesn't really know how these  
5 things are created -- believes that there are other costs that  
6 are not Android, that are reflected in Exhibit 1079.

7           **THE COURT:** Let me ask you this, on just that  
8 engineering item that is the big one, 28 million.

9           **MR. NORTON:** Yes, Your Honor -- yes, Your Honor.

10          **THE COURT:** Is there a spreadsheet that backs the  
11 detail that goes behind that number? Where can I find that?

12          **MR. NORTON:** It's not a document on which Dr. Cox  
13 relied. Dr. Cox only uses this front -- this first piece of  
14 paper (indicating). This is the entirety of Dr. Cox's  
15 analysis, is what's here. And Dr. Cox doesn't know what this  
16 is.

17          Dr. Cox, by the way, is not an accountant. He's an  
18 economist.

19          **THE COURT:** That may be a good enough point, but I  
20 want to understand it better than that.

21          Is there a backup detail sheet for that 28 million?

22          **MR. NORTON:** There is some detail, but it would  
23 not -- the additional detail, which appears in the additional  
24 pages behind Exhibit 1079, does not answer our question.

25          **THE COURT:** Well, show me where that -- is there a

1 place where I can look and see the 28-plus million, and it has  
2 some line items that add up to 28 million?

3 **MR. NORTON:** I believe the answer to that is in  
4 Exhibit 1079 the answer is no, but I want to be certain of  
5 that.

6 On the second page of the document they break things  
7 down by headcount, but they do not appear to ever break things  
8 down by cost.

9 **THE COURT:** All right. Let's look at the second  
10 page.

11 It has the months. It has all of 2010. And it has  
12 engineering. These are quite large numbers. I'm not quite  
13 sure what to make of those numbers. But do they -- is there a  
14 line item that adds -- that ties to the engineering line on the  
15 main page, 2878? 2878.

16 **MR. NORTON:** Your Honor, we have not been able to  
17 find any such line in the spreadsheet. Again, there is a  
18 headcount breakdown. There is not a number that relates back  
19 to that --

20 **THE COURT:** What is the headcount breakdown?

21 **MR. NORTON:** The head count breakdown is page 2 of  
22 Exhibit 1079.

23 **THE COURT:** Right. I see that.

24 **MR. NORTON:** And so there are subcategories here for  
25 engineering. Of course, these are -- the cost for this

1 particular sheet start more recently, June 11. So to find the  
2 period that would correspond to the number Your Honor is  
3 interested in, first quarter of 2010, you would actually have  
4 to sum the three months, January, February and March of 2010,  
5 that are in the right most third of the page. But that would  
6 only tell you how many engineers were working. It wouldn't  
7 actually tell you a cost.

8 **THE COURT:** So "headcount" refers to number of  
9 engineers?

10 **MR. NORTON:** That is what I understand it to mean and  
11 what I believe Mr. Rubin indicated at his deposition.

12 **THE COURT:** So he says engineering is Dev. There's  
13 quite a number of categories. "Dev" means what?

14 **MR. NORTON:** I believe "Dev" is development. Yes.

15 **THE COURT:** Skip "Other." "PM" means what?

16 **MR. NORTON:** I'm going to need some help here, Your  
17 Honor.

18 I believe that one is product management. I think  
19 that Mr. Rubin's testimony on this was that he was familiar  
20 with the categories but not necessarily all the acronyms.

21 **THE COURT:** Well, the -- far and away the biggest one  
22 of these categories is "Dev."

23 **MR. NORTON:** "Dev" is the most substantial one.

24 **THE COURT:** All right. May I let you sit down for a  
25 moment.



1           **MR. NORTON:** If I could make one last point, Your  
2 Honor.

3           **THE COURT:** All right. What is that?

4           **MR. NORTON:** The other problem with relying on this  
5 particular document, or any other similar such document, is  
6 that when we asked Google point blank what their revenues were  
7 by way of an interrogatory, what they answered was -- and this  
8 is Google's Third Supplemental Response to Plaintiff's  
9 Interrogatory No. 17. And Google specifically said -- this is  
10 on page 7 and 8:

11           "Google states that any financial data  
12 relating to mobile platforms from prior to  
13 January 2009 that it may have maintained are  
14 inaccurate and unreliable."

15           So they want us to take on faith -- because no one  
16 has been able to actually explain how this document was  
17 created -- that this document is entirely accurate;  
18 notwithstanding a lot of testimony that suggests that it isn't,  
19 and notwithstanding the fact that they themselves concede that  
20 their financial documentation up until January 2009 is  
21 inaccurate and unreliable.

22           So neither we nor Dr. Cox nor Dr. Kearl has any basis  
23 to be able to say that there's any line on Exhibit 1079 that  
24 you could say is a cost that was actually incurred by Android  
25 and actually contributed to the sales of the infringing work.

1           **THE COURT:** In what context was that interrogatory  
2 made? What was the question?

3           **MR. NORTON:** The question was:

4           "Please state the total amount of your actual  
5 and (as applicable) projected unit sales,  
6 revenues, gross profits, and operating  
7 profits, separately for each month  
8 January 2005 through December 2011, relating  
9 to or derived from each of (i) Android  
10 application developers' registration fees,  
11 (ii) Android application transaction fees  
12 (regardless of whether application downloads  
13 or transactions were conducted using Android  
14 Market), (iii) Android Market application  
15 downloads or other transactions, (iv) in-app  
16 billing on Android devices, (v) advertising  
17 on or through Android devices, (vi) any other  
18 product or service sold, licensed,  
19 downloaded, or otherwise offered in  
20 connection with Android, (vii) advertising on  
21 or through each mobile platform other than  
22 Android, and (viii) any other product or  
23 service sold, licensed, downloaded, or  
24 otherwise offered in connection with any  
25 mobile platform other than Android."

1           And then there's a request that documents on which  
2 the answer is based be produced. And they gave an answer,  
3 which provides some information. But what is most relevant  
4 here is their statement that their financial data up until  
5 prior 2009 -- prior to 2009, is inaccurate and unreliable, and  
6 yet they want us to rely upon a document that no one can  
7 actually explain.

8           **THE COURT:** Well, but that statement about being  
9 unreliable prior to 2009, the dates that you've got for me here  
10 are all after that.

11           **MR. NORTON:** Well, the dates -- that's actually true  
12 and interesting. The dates on this document are all after  
13 that. But it's not clear to us whether the numbers that appear  
14 for fiscal year 2009 include costs incurred in the prior  
15 period. But --

16           **THE COURT:** When did Google go public?

17           **MR. NORTON:** Google has been public since -- they'll  
18 know better than I, but well before this. Around 2000, 2001, I  
19 think.

20           But they do have on this sheet numbers for fiscal  
21 year 2008. This document, the very first column of the  
22 document says fiscal year 2008, the very year on which they say  
23 they don't have accurate or reliable numbers.

24           But it's not just a question of whether they have  
25 accurate numbers for the period prior to 2009. The question

1 is, in conjunction with all of the other evidence, how are  
2 we -- how is Dr. Cox -- and this is a motion directed at  
3 Dr. Cox and Dr. Kearl, really, not this particular document  
4 exclusively -- but how can Dr. Cox offer an opinion that  
5 Google's expenses that actually contributed to the sales of the  
6 infringing work, what those are?

7 **THE COURT:** All right. Let me hear from Mr. Purcell.

8 **MR. PURCELL:** So a couple of basic things, Your  
9 Honor. This document was not ginned up for the litigation.

10 If I could step back, Mr. Argarwal is the accountant  
11 for Android, who actually takes the inputs that are reported to  
12 him and creates these spreadsheets.

13 And then Mr. Rubin, of course, is the business head  
14 who reviews these every quarter, every time they are released  
15 to him, and uses them as a basis for running the business.

16 Both of them testified that these documents are  
17 created in the ordinary course of Google's business. They are  
18 reviewed regularly. They are checked.

19 Mr. Rubin said the financials are audited and they're  
20 relied on for purposes of product planning.

21 **THE COURT:** Mr. Rubin said these spreadsheets are  
22 audited?

23 I do understand auditing, Mr. Purcell, so you're not  
24 going to slip something by me. These are clearly not audited.

25 **MR. PURCELL:** Well, he said Google financials are

1 audited. He did not say the spreadsheets are audited. That's  
2 right.

3 **THE COURT:** Show me, then, if these were audited --

4 **MR. PURCELL:** I don't believe that we know whether  
5 these were audited. I don't believe Oracle asked that  
6 question. I can't represent that they are.

7 **THE COURT:** I'm sure they weren't.

8 What is the -- the backup to the 28.78 that we have  
9 been looking --

10 **MR. PURCELL:** The backup for the engineering costs  
11 for quarter 1, 2010?

12 **THE COURT:** Right.

13 **MR. PURCELL:** I don't believe it's shown on this  
14 spreadsheet. What's shown is headcount.

15 **THE COURT:** Did that number just get pulled out of  
16 thin air?

17 **MR. PURCELL:** No. That number was calculated by  
18 Google in the ordinary course of its business, and incorporated  
19 on the spreadsheet.

20 **THE COURT:** I don't think that's good enough.  
21 I just don't get this. You're telling me this  
22 document is used in the ordinary course of business?

23 **MR. PURCELL:** This is an executive summary financial  
24 spreadsheet that is used by Andy Rubin every time he gets  
25 reports on how Android is doing; every month, every quarter.

1 This is the format in which he gets it, the format in which he  
2 reviews it, receives it, and makes decisions based on it.

3 And it doesn't include specific line item breakdowns  
4 for each individual line item. Those documents do exist. I'm  
5 sure they could be generated. That was not something we  
6 provided to Dr. Cox. That was not something that we provided  
7 to Oracle. That's something that we could provide, certainly.

8 I have no doubt that that 28.78-million-dollar number  
9 is accounted for somewhere in a more specific form than this.

10 **THE COURT:** But you're saying that a -- that this  
11 very document that I'm holding is one that sometime in the  
12 past -- I don't mean it was drawn and compiled together from  
13 someone -- I mean this very document that somebody gave me this  
14 morning, there was a time in the past when Mr. Rubin looked at  
15 this for business purposes and it was exactly the same  
16 document?

17 **MR. PURCELL:** What Mr. Rubin said at his deposition  
18 is that this document is in the format that he is given  
19 financials on a monthly and a quarterly basis.

20 **THE COURT:** That is a much different proposition.

21 **MR. PURCELL:** I believe that this was -- I mean, this  
22 looks to me, just based on the numbers, that this is the  
23 financial statement for August of 2011. That's the last actual  
24 month. And I believe in that context this would have been  
25 reviewed by Mr. Rubin.

1           **THE COURT:** Have you produced the real documents that  
2 he looked at on an ongoing basis going back to 2008?

3           **MR. PURCELL:** We haven't produced them for every  
4 month. We could. This is --

5           **THE COURT:** Would they track these numbers?

6           **MR. PURCELL:** I believe they would, Your Honor. I  
7 don't believe the numbers have changed.

8           This should be the document that Andy Rubin received  
9 after August 2011. That's the last actual month that's  
10 reported on this. He testified that this is the document in  
11 the format that he received it.

12           **THE COURT:** But "format," you have to forgive me  
13 because -- go ahead.

14           **MR. PURCELL:** I'm informed that we actually have  
15 produced every single Android profit and loss statement that we  
16 have. They should have those.

17           **THE COURT:** And it's in this format?

18           **MR. PURCELL:** I believe so.

19           **THE COURT:** Okay. Mr. Norton, is that true?

20           **MR. PURCELL:** Hold on. If I could, I would like to  
21 respond to a couple of the other things that Mr. Norton said  
22 that aren't right.

23           Number one, he raises this issue that there's costs  
24 in here about non-Android apps, apps that were developed -- the  
25 Gmail app he mentioned specifically -- for other platforms.

1 And he thinks we allocated all of those costs for the iPhone  
2 Gmail app, and the -- you know, Symbian Gmail app, just to the  
3 Android P&L. That's not right. That's not what Mr. Rubin  
4 said.

5 The question by Ms. Rutherford at the deposition was:  
6 "Are the costs of the apps that Google  
7 develops that are specific to Android  
8 included?"

9 Mr. Rubin said yes. And then he said Gmail is a good  
10 example of the application. And then he also mentioned GMaps.

11 As Your Honor knows, Google has to design separate  
12 versions of the Gmail app for Android versus for iPhone versus  
13 for other platforms. These platforms use different programming  
14 languages.

15 All Mr. Rubin said is that Android-specific apps,  
16 like Gmail on Android, are included in the P&Ls.

17 The other thing I would like to reference is the  
18 interrogatory response that Mr. Norton referenced about data  
19 before 2009.

20 If you listen to the categories that he mentioned,  
21 the categories he mentioned are all products, services,  
22 advertising related to Android.

23 Android didn't launch until October/November of 2008,  
24 with these platforms, these projects, these services. There  
25 wouldn't be any costs, really, for 2008.



1           And if you look at the P&L, what's represented on the  
2 P&L for 2008 is engineering, predominantly, which makes sense  
3 because in 2008 Android was being developed. There were huge  
4 engineering costs going into actually getting the first release  
5 of the software out there, which happened at the very end of  
6 the year?

7           **THE COURT:** Wait. Let me -- I want to get to the  
8 bottom of whether or not the financial statements in the  
9 ordinary course of business, that were in this format, were  
10 produced to Mr. Norton.

11           Mr. Norton, what is the answer to that?

12           **MR. NORTON:** The answer is, they were not.

13           So what we got, Google identified P&L statements in  
14 its interrogatory response, and -- in the interrogatory  
15 response I just read to the Court.

16           And I didn't bring everything. But I can show it to  
17 counsel. These are examples of the documents that are cited  
18 specifically in the interrogatory response.

19           You might want to show this to --

20           **MR. PURCELL:** These are also -- documents in that  
21 format are also attached to this, which is another one of the  
22 documents Mr. Rubin testified about at his deposition, and that  
23 we produced to Oracle recently, as supporting Mr. Rubin's  
24 discussion with Dr. Cox.

25           **THE COURT:** Well, I -- I would like to know whether

1 or not the very documents that Mr. Rubin would have looked at  
2 at the end of each quarter, for 2010, 2011, earlier, the ones  
3 done in the ordinary course of business without any massaging  
4 at all, the historical actual thing that he held in his hand,  
5 was that produced?

6 **MR. NORTON:** No. We are confident that they were  
7 not. Let me explain why I am so confidence.

8 **THE COURT:** This is an opinion you are about to give  
9 me?

10 **MR. NORTON:** I don't think so.

11 **THE COURT:** You don't actually know, you're just  
12 giving me an opinion. You're confident -- anyone who is  
13 confident means it's an opinion.

14 **MR. NORTON:** I'm going to explain the evidence.

15 We don't have spreadsheets that look like 1079, that  
16 first page. Those were not produced to us.

17 Secondly, Mr. Rubin testified at his deposition on  
18 the 27th. He was shown Exhibit 1079, the document that Your  
19 Honor has. And Ms. Rutherford asked:

20 "All right. You have before you Exhibit  
21 1079. Would you just verify that that's the  
22 spreadsheet you've been discussing, that you  
23 reviewed with Dr. Cox.

24 **"ANSWER:** This is -- well, let's see.

25 There's many pages here, and I think there's

1 actually different spreadsheets here. So  
2 let's review it for a second.

3 **"QUESTION:** Okay.

4 **"ANSWER:** It's an eye chart. This is -- I  
5 mean, it seems to be kind of some of the same  
6 data, but it's not in the exact form,  
7 probably just because of the way it was  
8 printed. For example, my spreadsheet had the  
9 names of tabs for one of these reports, and  
10 this doesn't have it.

11 **"QUESTION:** You are looking at a spreadsheet  
12 on a computer; is that correct?"

13 Objection to form.

14 **"ANSWER:** I looked at a version of this  
15 spreadsheet that was projected on the screen  
16 from a computer because the numbers are  
17 really small. And I'm trying to figure out  
18 if this is just one spreadsheet or more than  
19 one spreadsheet. I don't -- I don't know if  
20 this is the identical document that I  
21 reviewed. I guess that's my conclusion."

22 The point of that --

23 **THE COURT:** All right. That's a good point.

24 It would be okay -- it would be perfectly okay if  
25 these numbers were drawn from the same columns on some other

1 document that was produced in the ordinary course of business,  
2 and this just happens to be a summary sheet, so long as we  
3 could go back to the original documents. And if there was a  
4 big number, we could go behind it and find out what it was  
5 based on.

6 That's what we ought to be asking here is, where are  
7 the original documents that he held in his hand, so that you  
8 could sit down at a desk, put on your green eyeshade like Bob  
9 Cratchit, and then go to work seeing if you could reverse  
10 engineer this thing to see if the numbers add up, or whether  
11 it's been ginned up for litigation.

12 It wouldn't be the first time something had been  
13 ginned up for litigation. So that's what we ought to be trying  
14 to get to the bottom of. And then if -- a big number like  
15 28 million, you ought to be entitled to see the detail behind  
16 that.

17 **MR. NORTON:** I don't think there is any dispute here  
18 that we did not get that level of detail.

19 **THE COURT:** Well, then, maybe you should get the  
20 detail.

21 **MR. NORTON:** So -- but even with, you know, the  
22 challenge -- although, the document would need to be  
23 authenticated at trial. Our motion is not focused exclusively  
24 on the document. Right.

25 **THE COURT:** Well, if there was -- if I'm satisfied

1 that this -- these numbers are in the ballpark of reasonable,  
2 then I would let him testify to it, and put the burden on you  
3 to show that it was bogus. But I am concerned that he  
4 doesn't -- somebody just gave him a document. And Mr. Rubin  
5 can't -- can't vouch for it.

6 **MR. NORTON:** We absolutely share --

7 **THE COURT:** Somebody has got to be able to vouch for  
8 this document and where the numbers came from.

9 **MR. NORTON:** Well, that's exactly right. And we did  
10 take the deposition of a 30(b)(6) witness on Android finances.  
11 That was Mr. Argarwal.

12 And our original motion on this issue was not that  
13 Mr. Argarwal was not a trial witness. It was that Mr. Argarwal  
14 had testified, as the 30(b)(6) witness that, he did not know  
15 how these numbers were generated.

16 So now what they want to do is put up Mr. Rubin, who  
17 also doesn't know. And then, failing that, they want to  
18 produce some more documents to us that might justify these  
19 numbers. But we've been through several iterations of this,  
20 and, at the end of the day, they have a burden to produce the  
21 evidence that will allow them to prove their allocable costs.

22 **THE COURT:** Yes, that's their burden.

23 **MR. NORTON:** And we don't have that. And their  
24 expert can't offer an opinion in the absence of that evidence.

25 **THE COURT:** Dawn, can I have some water, please.

1           What would you like to say, Mr. Purcell?

2           **MR. PURCELL:** Very briefly, Your Honor.

3           I can't represent to you that I'm a hundred percent  
4 sure. And maybe that means that isn't good enough, but I  
5 believe that we produced to them our entire Android financial  
6 site, basically all of the data on that, which includes  
7 quarterly reports in greater detail than what they have, going  
8 back to 2009. So that's one point.

9           The other point is, I think their last motion was  
10 based entirely on Mr. Argarwal not being on the witness list.  
11 To the extent they felt his 30(b)(6) testimony was inadequate,  
12 they never moved to compel on that.

13           And, in fact, Mr. Argarwal did testify at his  
14 deposition that although he hadn't personally vetted every  
15 single input to his analysis, that he was the one who prepared  
16 these charts; he did so regularly; and he vouched for his  
17 accuracy.

18           And he certainly vouched for the fact that they  
19 weren't concocted for the litigation. He certainly vouched for  
20 the fact that this how Google does business, litigation or no  
21 litigation.

22           **THE COURT:** Who prepared this spreadsheet?

23           **MR. PURCELL:** That spreadsheet, I believe, is an  
24 output from Google's financial system, that I believe was  
25 created -- I think Mr. Argarwal did produce it in preparation

1 to give to Dr. Cox in about August of 2011. It was the most  
2 recent financial data that was available then. Dr. Cox's  
3 expert report was due on October 3rd. And it was the most  
4 recent monthly --

5 **THE COURT:** Do you have any workpapers that would  
6 help us reconstruct how he -- the original source for some of  
7 these numbers?

8 **MR. PURCELL:** I'm sure he does. I'm sure that that  
9 information is all in Google's accounting system and could be  
10 generated fairly quickly.

11 **THE COURT:** Look. I am going to tell you what should  
12 be done here. And I'm going to skip over the niceties of what  
13 this exact motion is all about.

14 We're talking about huge numbers here. If there  
15 is -- if the jury finds liability, \$600 million can turn on  
16 whether or not these numbers are any good, this spreadsheet is  
17 any good. And no one seems to know much about the pedigree of  
18 this thing.

19 So here's what should be done: Mr. Purcell, it is  
20 your burden to produce, again, in hard copy form, the actual  
21 documents that Mr. -- that were given to Mr. Rubin. Not these  
22 things that are constructed for the expert, but the actual  
23 documents that were given on a quarterly basis for 2010 and  
24 2011. Just those two years would be good enough. And to  
25 produce the backup of how the big number, which is the

1 engineering number, just that one number, how that was  
2 calculated, and the source for that information.

3 **MR. PURCELL:** We'll do it.

4 **THE COURT:** And then Mr. -- is it Agarwal, is his  
5 name?

6 **MR. PURCELL:** Yes, Your Honor.

7 **THE COURT:** He should be deposed again.

8 **MR. PURCELL:** We'll do that, too.

9 **THE COURT:** This should be done promptly. Let's say  
10 you produce the documents by Monday, and he gets deposed by the  
11 end of next week.

12 **MR. PURCELL:** We can do that.

13 **THE COURT:** Then if there's anything to fight over --

14 **MR. PURCELL:** I suspect there might be.

15 **THE COURT:** -- we can fight over it again later.

16 But my general view of it is that if the  
17 \$28.78 million is actually the way it was accounted for, for  
18 Android only, and allocated to Android, and there was some kind  
19 of reasonable method for allocation, that was the way it was  
20 done in the actual course of business, fine, then that can go  
21 before the jury and Mr. Norton can -- can argue over whether or  
22 not the allocation method was proper or not.

23 But, right now, it's unclear to me that anyone can  
24 vouch for any of these numbers, as to how they got put  
25 together. So this is the -- that's what we ought to do.



1           **MR. PURCELL:** Thank you, Your Honor.

2           **THE COURT:** Thank you.

3           All right. Any other items to take up right now?

4           **MR. VAN NEST:** I don't believe so, Your Honor. We  
5 understand, all of us, that the patent phase will begin Monday  
6 morning. That's what we understood from Your Honor's order  
7 last night.

8           **THE COURT:** That really is the way it has to be,  
9 because if they are deliberating tomorrow, then they will be  
10 deliberating and we won't be able to start. And if they reach  
11 a verdict today, then we'll all take Friday off and start on  
12 Monday.

13           So I think, basically, I've in effect said we will  
14 start on Monday unless they are still deliberating.

15           **MR. VAN NEST:** That's what we all understood, and  
16 that's what we're planning for. Thank you.

17           **THE COURT:** Anything more?

18           **MR. JACOBS:** Thanks, Your Honor. Nothing from us.

19           **THE COURT:** Well, please stand by.

20           Dawn, are they going to be here until 4:00 today?

21           **THE CLERK:** Correct.

22           **THE COURT:** Remember the note said they would be here  
23 until 4:00 today.

24           As soon as we know anything, any more notes, we'll  
25 let you know right away.

1 All right. We are in recess.

2 (Proceedings in recess from 11:53 to 2:27 p.m.)

3 **THE COURT:** Are we set and ready to go?

4 **MR. VAN NEST:** We are, Your Honor.

5 **THE COURT:** Mr. Jacobs.

6 **MR. JACOBS:** Just a minute, Your Honor. Yes.

7 **THE COURT:** Ready?

8 **MR. JACOBS:** Yes.

9 **THE COURT:** All right. We have note No. 7 from the  
10 jury. This one is from Megan Gallo. She says:

11 "To determine the transformative value of the  
12 copyrighted work, can we consider the  
13 non-copyrighted elements (the elements that  
14 Google added to make the Android platform) in  
15 deciding the 'purpose & character of the use'  
16 of the SSO of the 37 APIs?"

17 Okay. Views by the lawyers.

18 **MR. KWUN:** Your Honor, we would -- we would request  
19 that you tell the jury:

20 "Yes, you can consider the material Google  
21 added, and you should give it the weight you  
22 decide it deserves."

23 And the reason for that is that Jury Instruction 26,  
24 in the discussion of the first factor, states that the jury  
25 should consider whether the:

1            "... work is transformative, meaning whether  
2            Google's use added something new, with a  
3            further purpose or different character,  
4            altering the copied work with new expression,  
5            meaning, or message."

6            Moreover, if you look at fair use cases generally,  
7 when considering the first factor, the courts regularly look at  
8 material that was added.

9            So, for example, if you consider whether a piece of  
10 news criticism is transformative, you don't just look at the  
11 material they quoted. You look at what they said about it.  
12 That's obviously material that was added.

13            If you look at the *Campbell* case, in the Supreme  
14 Court, and you consider what use was made of *Pretty Woman*, you  
15 don't just look at what words were taken from the original  
16 work. You look at what additional expression was added by 2  
17 Live Crew that made it a parody.

18            So I think, just as a general matter, the first  
19 factor will almost always look at what material was added by  
20 the defendant.

21            **MR. JACOBS:** The answer is "no" to this question.  
22 The reason the answer is no lies in the instruction that was  
23 given.

24            We had problems and objected to the -- to providing  
25 an instruction on transformative use. But having crossed that

1 bridge, the language of the instruction is:

2           "... whether such work is transformative,  
3           meaning whether Google's use added something  
4           new, with a further purpose or a different  
5           character, altering the copied work with new  
6           expression, meaning, or message."

7           The purport of that language, in light of the cases  
8 that fall in favor of fair use on transformational grounds, is  
9 that it's not merely the non-copyrighted elements, the elements  
10 that Google added to make the Android platform, within the  
11 meaning of Question No. 7, that are to be considered but,  
12 rather, new elements that added something new, with a further  
13 purpose or different character, altering the copied work with  
14 new expression, meaning or message.

15           So transformative use is not merely take the first  
16 three stanzas of a song, and then add new expression to the  
17 remaining seven stanzas out of a ten-stanza song. That's not  
18 transformational even though, in that scenario, non-copyrighted  
19 elements, non- -- on a stanza-by-stanza basis, non-infringing  
20 elements would have been added to alter the song. That is not  
21 the addition of new expression that alters the copied work with  
22 a further purpose or a different character within the meaning  
23 of the instruction or within the meaning of the law of  
24 transformational fair use.

25           **MR. KWUN:** Your Honor, just a couple of points in

1 response.

2 First of all, if you look at *Kelly v. Arriba Soft* in  
3 the Ninth Circuit, that was a case involving thumbnail images  
4 that were used on an Internet search engine. That was held to  
5 be a fair use. The thumbnail images were smaller versions of  
6 the original image. But what was held to be transformative was  
7 the fact that the search engine as allowing people to find  
8 these images. So it was material that was added, that was  
9 not -- other than making the image smaller, there was not a  
10 transformation to the image itself.

11 Moreover, even under Mr. Jacobs' example, it is  
12 proper for the jury to consider material that was added. What  
13 Mr. Jacobs is suggesting is his read on what is required to be  
14 done with that material that's added. But that is adequately  
15 covered by the instruction.

16 The answer to the question, which is whether you  
17 consider material added, is clearly yes, even under the example  
18 given by Mr. Jacobs.

19 And, Your Honor, the material that's in the -- in the  
20 jury instruction comes from *Sony v. Connectix*, which itself  
21 gets the -- looks like it's a quote, actually, in *Sony v.*  
22 *Connectix*, from *Campbell v. Acuff-Rose*. So it's binding  
23 Supreme Court authority and Ninth Circuit authority.

24 **THE COURT:** All right. Anything more that anyone  
25 wishes to say?

1           **MR. JACOBS:** In the alternative, Your Honor, if you  
2 don't agree that the answer is "no," this may be a case where  
3 the best thing to do is say the existing instruction provides  
4 all the guidance on this topic that the Court is able to  
5 provide.

6           **MR. KWUN:** Your Honor --

7           **MR. JACOBS:** I fear that anything more in the  
8 direction that Google urges will only aggravate the potential  
9 for error lurking in giving a transformational instruction in  
10 the first place.

11           **MR. KWUN:** Your Honor, yesterday there was a question  
12 from the jury about another aspect of the first factor, on  
13 commerciality. And there, the Court provided the jury with a  
14 direct answer to their direct question.

15           And it's only appropriate that the Court, once again,  
16 give a direct answer to a direct question about the first  
17 factor, as it did yesterday, which is why we ask that the Court  
18 say that, yes, the jury can consider added material, and that  
19 they should give it whatever weight they determine is  
20 appropriate.

21           **THE COURT:** All right. Here's what I propose to say:

22            "In evaluating the transformative value, you  
23           may consider the non-copyrighted elements,  
24           but only insofar as they shed light on" --

25           Someone coughed and I have to start over. It's just

1 hard to follow whenever we have hacking and coughing.

2 Would you like a cough drop?

3 **MR. KWUN:** I would, Your Honor.

4 **THE COURT:** All right. Right here.

5 "In evaluating the transformative value, you  
6 may consider the non-copyrighted elements,  
7 but only insofar as they shed light on the  
8 actual purpose and use of the copied part of  
9 the copyrighted work as used in the accused  
10 work. Of course, please remember to consider  
11 all of the factors set forth in paragraph  
12 26."

13 **MR. BABER:** The only one-word tweak, Your Honor, you  
14 said something about the copied parts.

15 **THE COURT:** Yes.

16 **MR. BABER:** And that's telling the jury something was  
17 or wasn't copied. You say "the parts of the copyrighted work  
18 that are used in Android."

19 **THE COURT:** I'll say the "accused part."

20 **MR. BABER:** That's fine.

21 **MR. JACOBS:** Your existing instruction says "altering  
22 the copied work." So that language comes straight from  
23 paragraph 1.

24 **THE COURT:** I'm sorry, I don't get your point.

25 **MR. JACOBS:** So referring to "copied work" links back

1 to the way you expressed this thought in -- in paragraph 1 of  
2 the fair use instructions.

3 **THE COURT:** I see that. But, you know, I think  
4 "accused part of the copyrighted" -- let's see. The actual  
5 purpose and use of the -- no, I do think "copied" is best here.  
6 So we're going to say "copied part."

7 They don't reach this unless they've decided that  
8 it's been copied.

9 **MR. VAN NEST:** "Copied work," Your Honor, I think is  
10 what you're talking about. Copied work. Copied work is what  
11 the instruction says.

12 **THE COURT:** All right. I'll say:  
13 "But only insofar as they shed light on the  
14 actual purpose and use of the part of the  
15 copyrighted work used in the accused work."

16 **MR. BABER:** "Purpose and character of the use," Your  
17 Honor, in the preamble.

18 **THE COURT:** Oh, "purpose and character," yes. That's  
19 what it should say.

20 **MR. BABER:** Otherwise, I think that's fine with us.

21 **THE COURT:** Purpose and character of the use. Of the  
22 part of the copyrighted work used in the accused work.

23 **MR. BABER:** Yes, Your Honor.

24 **THE COURT:** Now, I could either write that out and  
25 send it in, or we could have the jury come back out. Whatever



1 you prefer.

2           **MR. VAN NEST:** Whatever Your Honor prefers. I'm  
3 happy to have them come out.

4           **MR. JACOBS:** Fine, Your Honor.

5           **MR. VAN NEST:** Or send it in. What do you prefer,  
6 Your Honor?

7           **THE COURT:** I'm going to write it out.

8           **MR. VAN NEST:** Fine.

9           **THE COURT:** Because I've got another hearing  
10 underway. But --

11           **MR. VAN NEST:** That's fine.

12           (Pause)

13           **THE COURT:** May I ask you to look at what I've  
14 written here.

15           Dawn, could you show this to counsel.

16           **THE CLERK:** Okay.

17           (Pause)

18           **MR. JACOBS:** Approved as to form, Your Honor.

19           **MR. KWUN:** Yes, Your Honor.

20           **THE COURT:** All right.

21           **MR. BABER:** I think, again, a tweak --

22           **THE COURT:** No. I don't want --

23           **MR. BABER:** I thought it was supposed to be "nature  
24 and character," but you wrote "purpose and character."

25           **THE COURT:** That's what's in the -- "purpose and

1 character" is in paragraph 1.

2 **MR. BABER:** Fine.

3 **THE COURT:** You're trying to tweak me into an error.

4 Dawn, you may take that in -- please make a copy in  
5 case -- we may not be able to retrieve the original. So make a  
6 copy for the file. But let me just read it out loud into the  
7 record, so we'll at least have it there. Here's what's going  
8 in:

9 "In evaluating the transformative value, you  
10 may consider the non-copyrighted elements but  
11 only insofar as they shed light on the actual  
12 purpose and character of the use of the part  
13 of the copyrighted work used in the accused  
14 work. Of course, please remember to consider  
15 all the factors set forth in paragraph 26.

16 The Judge. May 3rd, 2:40 p.m."

17 All right. That problem solved for now, subject to  
18 all of your appeals.

19 Thank you. Stand by for more notes.

20 (Counsel simultaneously thank the Court.)

21 (Proceedings in recess from 2:44 to 3:42 p.m. )

22 **THE COURT:** Back to work.

23 Next note says, signed by Ms. Gallo:

24 "What happens if we can't reach a unanimous  
25 decision and people are not budging?"

1 All right. Suggestions.

2 **MR. VAN NEST:** Your Honor, you have a very good  
3 instruction on this. It's instruction 31. I think you could  
4 read the second and third paragraphs of that or point them to  
5 it.

6 The first paragraph just talks about electing a  
7 foreperson. And maybe then say you guys -- you jurors are free  
8 to continue deliberating this evening, in the time you have  
9 left, or feel free to return in the morning.

10 But paragraph 31 is actually -- that's one of your  
11 standard instructions, and talks about discussing the case with  
12 your fellow jurors. Each of you has to decide for yourself.  
13 You should all consider all the evidence. Don't be afraid to  
14 change your opinion. Don't come to a decision just because  
15 other jurors think it's right. Et cetera.

16 My recommendation would be either send them home  
17 tonight -- read that to them and have them come back in the  
18 morning, or give them the choice whether they want to  
19 deliberate further tonight. But something like that is  
20 appropriate with this question, I think.

21 **THE COURT:** Mr. Jacobs.

22 **MR. JACOBS:** Your Honor has vastly more experience in  
23 this situation than we do. I would be most interested in what  
24 your proposed -- I imagine it's something like an Allen charge  
25 you would give them in this situation.

1           **THE COURT:** Well, I have a few observations. First,  
2 this is not the foreperson who is writing it. And, second, it  
3 doesn't say that they are deadlocked. It says, "What happens  
4 if ...?"

5           We don't know yet that -- the jury is not writing us  
6 that they're deadlocked. It could be -- the meaning, it's  
7 possible that that's a -- that that's what's going on, but,  
8 read literally, it's not what the question -- the question by  
9 one juror is, "What happens if ...?"

10           Well, let me ask you a few other things, to look  
11 forward for a moment.

12           Let's assume, for the sake of argument, that we do  
13 get a note that says they're deadlocked and can't reach a  
14 verdict. Then I would like to get your views on -- before we  
15 know anything more than that -- whether or not anyone is going  
16 to say, "Oh, we need a mistrial," or, "Oh, no, we can't take a  
17 partial verdict," or, "We would be wrong to continue with the  
18 patent part of the case."

19           I'm not agreeing with any of that. But I think it's  
20 best to get your views on that before you know which way they  
21 come out. Then whoever is unhappy about which way they come  
22 out on a partial verdict might want to raise all sorts of  
23 issues. Now is the time for me to hear your views on that.

24           Mr. Jacobs.

25           **MR. JACOBS:** May I have a moment, Your Honor?

1           **THE COURT:** Yeah.

2           Let me make it easy for you, so that there will be --  
3 my view of this, but I could be talked out of it, but my  
4 tentative view of it is if they have reached a partial verdict,  
5 we should get as much benefit as we can from the work that  
6 they've done and then move then to the second phase.

7           So let's say that they found, yes, infringement, no  
8 or they can't agree on something else, or maybe they got  
9 answers to some of the questions but not all of the questions.  
10 I think, my view would be take what we can get and move on to  
11 the patent phase. That would be my view, but that's just a  
12 suggestion to you. And I'm not making that as a ruling.

13           All right. So go ahead and tell me what you think.

14           **MR. VAN NEST:** Your Honor, I would want to give that  
15 a little consideration. I think a lot depends on what it is.  
16 But I note that we've got Seventh Amendment issues that would  
17 certainly come into play.

18           **THE COURT:** There's no Seventh Amendment issue. What  
19 is the issue? Come on.

20           **MR. VAN NEST:** Well, if we believe that one jury has  
21 to hear all phases, which is what we are operating under, I  
22 think the fact they couldn't reach a verdict on one phase would  
23 be -- may be fatal to the rest of it.

24           I would want to find out a little more and do  
25 research on it. For example, the question -- Question 1 is one

1 question. It's got part A and part B. I think if they can't  
2 resolve fair use, if that were the -- if that were the  
3 situation, then Question 1 hasn't been resolved because if  
4 there's -- we have an absolute right to fair use, and if that  
5 issue hasn't been resolved, then I don't think 1 has been  
6 resolved. It's possible that 2 and 3 are severable, and  
7 possibly 4.

8 But without doing any research, I really would prefer  
9 not to speculate on it, and give a little research tonight. As  
10 Your Honor points out, we are not there, and I don't want to  
11 answer off the top of my --

12 **THE COURT:** I'm not going to force the other side to  
13 answer that. Both of you ought to be prepared to answer at the  
14 same time.

15 Another thing that, in my experience, could happen --  
16 although I haven't had this precise scenario, but I know enough  
17 about human nature -- that is, we could take a partial verdict,  
18 go to the patent phase. The scales will fall from someone's  
19 eyes on the jury and they will resolve all the issues. They'll  
20 go back and be able to decide the copyright issues that they  
21 previously weren't because something that they've seen in the  
22 course of it has caused them to reevaluate the evidence that  
23 they heard in Phase One. Could easily happen.

24 Frankly, I wouldn't see anything wrong with that. So  
25 I think what you need to be -- have in mind is the proposal

1 that I have given you to consider and to react to.

2 So what do you want me to do about this immediate  
3 note?

4 **MR. VAN NEST:** Your Honor, I think either nothing, or  
5 I think my original suggestion of just pointing them to  
6 Instruction 31 is appropriate, too.

7 **MR. JACOBS:** I suspect Your Honor has a form of  
8 guidance to give to a jury in this situation. And even though  
9 they haven't yet reported this is the result, that is, that  
10 they can't reach a unanimous decision and people are not  
11 budging, I think it's close enough to that that you could say  
12 to them what you would say if that was the result they would  
13 report. I would -- something along the lines of, I would urge  
14 you to continue to deliberate, listen, et cetera.

15 I think the instruction that Mr. Van Nest is pointing  
16 to is not directly responsive to this question, I think.

17 **MR. VAN NEST:** And we would object to that. I mean,  
18 we're a long way from Allen charge territory, or anything like  
19 that, given this note that we have from our juror. A long way  
20 from that.

21 **THE COURT:** All right. I have an idea in mind.  
22 Let's bring in the jury, and I will -- it's close to the end of  
23 the day. They are probably ready to go home for the day.  
24 Let's catch them before they go.

25 (Jury enters at 3:52 p.m.)

1           **THE COURT:** Okay. Welcome back and have a seat.

2           So you're all working very hard in there.

3           **UNIDENTIFIED JUROR:** Oh.

4           **THE COURT:** We know that. And I know you were going  
5 to leave at 4:00 today, so I wanted to catch you before you  
6 leave because I got a note from Ms. Gallo.

7           And just in case you all don't know, she didn't have  
8 to share it with you before she sent out the note. So here's  
9 what it says:

10           "What happens if we can't reach a unanimous  
11 decision & people are not budging?"

12           All right. So I've got a few things to say about  
13 this. But you remember a few weeks back or a few days back  
14 somebody sent out a note, What happens if one of us gets hit by  
15 a car or a truck? I think it was.

16           Well, that was an iffy question. President Roosevelt  
17 used to say he wouldn't answer iffy questions. I'm not old  
18 enough to remember President Roosevelt. I shouldn't suggest  
19 that. But I read about it. And he just didn't like to answer  
20 hypothetical questions.

21           Now, in your case, you're saying, "What happens  
22 if ...?" But nobody has actually said you're not able to reach  
23 a unanimous decision. And so this is -- it sort of smacks of  
24 "what if" as opposed to you think you are in the position where  
25 you're not going to be able to reach a decision.



1           So I need to be careful not to presume upon your  
2 deliberations and assume that you've reached some deadlock when  
3 you haven't actually told me that. And so I will be -- I will  
4 make my comments brief, at this point.

5           If you were to tell me that you were deadlocked,  
6 there are admonitions that I could give to you that I would  
7 talk with the lawyers about first, and we would consult about  
8 what is the best course to pursue. If that were to occur.

9           In all event, if you eventually were unable to reach  
10 any decision, even a partial decision on what you have been  
11 deliberating on, nonetheless, we would go to Phase Two, all of  
12 us. All of you. All of us.

13           We would put aside the copyright part of the case.  
14 That would have to be retried with a different jury at some  
15 point in the future. At least parts of it would have to be,  
16 whatever you cannot decide.

17           But, we would go ahead with the patent part of the  
18 case and then to the damages part of the case. So we would  
19 just have some unfinished business, if that ever were to occur.

20           We don't -- you know, you are dealing with some many  
21 hundreds of exhibits and many witnesses over a pretty long  
22 period of time. It's not unusual for people to disagree. And,  
23 you know, then if you discuss it long enough sometimes you  
24 begin to see a point of view that the other side -- other  
25 person has. And maybe in the middle of the night you wake

1 up -- like I do -- and you think of something that hadn't  
2 occurred to you before. You see things in a different light.

3 So it may be that it's a bit premature for you to  
4 panic and think that you're not going to be able to reach a  
5 unanimous verdict if you continue to work hard and in good  
6 faith, and to see each other's point of view.

7 Don't give up a point of view that you genuinely hold  
8 just to reach agreement. That would be wrong. But this is not  
9 as simple as who ran the red light. There's a lot of exhibits  
10 here and a lot of history that takes some time for a jury.

11 And you're doing a good job getting in there and  
12 rolling up your sleeves and working hard. So don't be mad at  
13 yourself for -- and no one is telling me that you are. You're  
14 just saying, "What if?" "What if?"

15 So I've already said more than President Roosevelt  
16 would have said.

17 Here's what I suggest you do. You go home, get a  
18 good night's rest, come back and start fresh in the morning and  
19 continue to do your work.

20 And we very much appreciate your hard efforts in this  
21 case.

22 So, counsel, can I send the jury home for the  
23 evening? Is there anything more you want me to say?

24 **MR. VAN NEST:** You certainly may, Your Honor.

25 **MR. JACOBS:** Yes, Your Honor.

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1           **THE COURT:** Okay. Have a good evening. See you  
2 tomorrow.

3           **THE CLERK:** All rise.

4           (Jury out at 3:57 p.m.)

5           **THE COURT:** All right. So you all should do your  
6 homework on those issues. We will confer tomorrow. I guess  
7 nobody will get any 3-day weekend, will they?

8           (Laughter)

9           **THE COURT:** Too bad, but here we are.  
10 Anything else I can help you with today?

11          **MR. VAN NEST:** I don't believe so, Your Honor. Thank  
12 you.

13          **MR. JACOBS:** Nothing from us, Your Honor.

14          **THE COURT:** See you tomorrow.

15          (At 3:58 p.m. the proceedings were adjourned until  
16 Friday, May 4, 2012, for further jury deliberations.)

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