

EXHIBIT A

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS**

PROXENSE, LLC,

Plaintiffs,

v.

SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS, CO., LTD. and
SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS AMERICA, INC,

Defendants.

Civil Action No. 6:21-cv-00210-ADA

INFRINGEMENT CONTENTIONS FOR US PATENT NO. 8,352,730

U.S. Patent Number 8,352,730 – Preliminary Infringement Contentions¹

Assignee:	Proxense, LLC
Title:	Biometric personal data key (PDK) authentication
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Inventor:	Giobbi, John J.

'730 Patent Claim ²		Accused Instrumentality And Where Each Claim Element Is Found
1	A method for verifying a user during authentication of an integrated device, comprising the steps of ⁴ :	Samsung Pay preloaded ⁵ smartphones carry out the claim steps of the method, under the doctrine of equivalents, for at least the reasons set forth below.
	persistently storing biometric data of the user and a plurality of codes and other data values comprising a device ID code uniquely identifying the integrated device and a secret decryption value in a tamper proof format written to a storage element on the integrated device that is unable to be subsequently altered;	<u>persistently storing biometric data of the user ... in a tamper proof format written to a storage element on the integrated device that is unable to be subsequently altered</u> Utilizing the Android operating system, Samsung Pay smartphones persistently store biometric data of the user in a tamper proof format written to a storage element on the integrated device that is unable to be subsequently altered.

¹ The Preliminary Infringement Contentions (PICS) provided herein are based on information obtained to date and may not be exhaustive. Plaintiff's infringement is ongoing. Plaintiff reserves the right to supplement and/or amend these PICS to identify additional instrumentalities and to further identify each claim is found in each accused instrumentality, including on the basis of discovery obtained from Defendants, and from third-parties during the litigation, pursuant to ¶2 of the Order Governing Proceedings – Patent Cases under Hon. Alan D. Albright.

² All PICS set forth herein for any independent patent claims are hereby incorporated by reference into the PICS alleged for any dependent patent claims, as if fully set forth therein.

³ The Accused Instrumentalities and associated exhibits discussed and/or cited for any claim herein are representative in all material respects of the devices identified for that claim (e.g., a specified Samsung Galaxy phone may be used as a representative example in these charts since the other accused devices, despite differences in their hardware and/or software configuration, the cited references are believed to be illustrative of all such accused devices).

⁴ Plaintiff's inclusion of any claim preamble in this claim chart should not be interpreted as an admission that the preamble is limiting. Plaintiff maintains its position that the claim preambles are limiting or not limiting on a claim-by-claim basis.

⁵ For the avoidance of doubt, "preloaded" includes devices that ship with Samsung Pay pre-installed or upon which Samsung Pay is otherwise installed.

'730 Patent Claim ²	Accused Instrumentality And Where Each Claim Element Is Located
	<p>following the implementation guidelines, fingerprint data is stored in the TEE. Android's TEE, called Trusty, "uses ARM virtualization to virtualize the main processor and create a secure environment" isolated from the rest of the system. Project: Trusty TEE, https://source.android.com/docs/security/tee/trusty. Accordingly, fingerprint data, which never leaves the Trustzone housing, Trusty. Keeping fingerprint data within the Trustzone, Android phones, including Samsung Pay, can persistently store biometric data in a trusted environment.</p> <p>Samsung Pay admittedly adheres to Android's implementation guidelines. Specifically, Samsung Pay utilizes Samsung Knox. Samsung Knox and tokenization add extra layers of security. Samsung Pay, https://www.samsung.com/us/samsung-pay/, utilizes Knox, "the authentication software does not store or transmit biometric measurements of any user." Knox Platform for Enabling Secure Applications (Knox PEA) Version 1.3.1 (2020), page 41. "The measurements are encrypted so that they can't be used to reproduce the original biometric data." Knox PEA accessed and decoded within the specific part of the Trustzone. "Access to access to the biometric hardware." <i>Id.</i> Ensuring that access to the biometric hardware is limited within a specific part of the Trustzone can access to the biometric hardware. Samsung Knox keeps biometric information within the Trustzone to Android's implementation guidelines.</p> <p>On Android devices (like the Samsung devices that use Samsung Pay), access to the biometric hardware is controlled by the Android Open Source Project (AOSP). "Android uses Fingerprint Hardware Interface (FIDO) to connect to a vendor-specific library and fingerprint sensor (for example, a fingerprint sensor)." Android Open Source Project (AOSP) FIDO HIDL, https://source.android.com/docs/security/authtoken/fido/hidl. Only permitting access to biometric information through the FIDO HIDL to biometric hardware, Samsung Pay preloaded with the FIDO HIDL must limit access to fingerprint biometric data to the FIDO HIDL. The methods enabled by the FIDO HIDL permit altering biometric data. <i>Id.</i> (providing a</p>

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