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CONVEYING PARTY DATA

Name	Formerly	Execution Date	Entity Type
HYPERNEX, INC.		08/08/2006	CORPORATION: DELAWARE

RECEIVING PARTY DATA

Name:	NOVA MEASURING INSTRUMENTS, LTD.
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City:	NESS ZIONA
State/Country:	ISRAEL
Entity Type:	COMPANY: ISRAEL

PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 3

Property Type	Number	Word Mark
Registration Number:	2493990	HYPER-TEX
Registration Number:	2616331	CU-TEX
Registration Number:	2471835	HYPERNEX

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INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Hypernex, Inc. a Delaware corporation having an office located at 3006 Research Drive, State College, Pennsylvania 16801 ("Hypernex"), owns, by assignment, obligation under employment agreements or otherwise, all worldwide, right, title, and interest in the patents, trademarks, domain names, copyrights, applications for the same and other intellectual property used in connection with the business of Hypernex including, but not limited to, those specifically set forth in Schedule A attached hereto, and any invention, trade secret, modification and/or derivative work associated therewith (collectively "Intellectual Property");

WHEREAS, Nova Measuring Instruments Ltd., an Israeli corporation having a registered office at Weitzmann Science Park, Rehovoth 76100, Israel ("Company"), desires to own Hypernex's entire right, title, and interest in and to the Intellectual Property, in all countries throughout the world, and in and to any invention, trade secret, modification and/or derivative work associated therewith; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Amended and Restated Asset Purchase Agreement (the "Asset Purchase Agreement"), dated Agreement, between Hypernex. Company and the Stockholders listed on Schedule 4(a) of the Asset Purchase Agreement, whereby Hypernex agreed to assign all of its right, title, and interest in any intellectual property it owns, has a right to own and/or acquires in the future and Company agreed to acquire such intellectual property and the rights therein, the parties wish to further carry out the intent of the Asset Purchase Agreement as set forth herein;

NOW THEREFORE, be it known that, in exchange for payment of One Dollar (\$1.00) and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, Hypernex hereby irrevocably assigns, transfers, conveys, grants and sets over to Company and its lawful successors and assigns, Hypernex's entire worldwide right, title, and interest in and to the Intellectual Property, including the patents, trademarks (including goodwill therein), copyrights and applications for the same, inventions claimed therein, any other patent applications directed to the inventions, and all current or future patents that may be granted thereon, including, without limitation, any and all divisionals, continuations, continuations-in-part, reissues, reexaminations, substitutes, any extensions thereof, and all foreign equivalents, continuations, continuations-in-part, divisionals and counterparts of the foregoing and all rights to claim priority on the basis of such application, and all applications for patents that may be filed for the inventions in any foreign country and all patents that may be granted on the invention in any foreign country, including, without limitation, any and all divisionals, continuations, continuations-in-part, reissues, reexaminations, substitutes, and extensions thereof:

AND, Hypernex HEREBY authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States and any official of any foreign country whose duty it is to issue, assign, and/or record as assignee for all patents and applications as described

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above for the inventions and trademark registrations and applications to Company, its successors and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this Assignment;

AND, Hypernex HEREBY further agrees that, from and after the date of this Assignment, Company has succeeded to all of Hypernex's worldwide right, title, interest and standing to receive all rights and benefits pertaining to the Intellectual Property, institute and prosecute all suits and proceedings, take all actions that Company, in its sole discretion, may deem necessary or proper to collect, assert, or enforce any claim, right, title or interest of any kind under any and all of the Intellectual Property, including, without limitation, the right to sue for all past, present and future infringements or other violations of any rights relating thereto, to settle, defend, compromise and retain proceeds from any actions, suits, or proceedings relating to the transferred and assigned rights, title, interest, and benefits, and do all other such acts and things in relation thereto as Company, in its sole discretion, deems advisable;

AND, Hypernex HEREBY relinquishes exclusively to Company all of Hypernex's right, title and interest in and to all accrued and future causes of action for injunctive relief, damages, lost profits and litigation costs (including, without limitation, attorneys' fees) resulting from infringements or alleged infringements of the Intellectual Property, and this Assignment expressly includes the right to sue for pre-assignment infringements and any injunctive relief, damages, lost profits and litigation costs (including, without limitation, attorneys' fees) in connection with the same;

AND, Hypernex HEREBY further covenants that Hypernex has the full right to convey the interest assigned by this Assignment, Hypernex will take all action and execute all documents necessary to perfect the interest assigned hereby, and Hypernex has not executed and will not execute any agreement in conflict with this Assignment;

AND, Hypernex HEREBY further covenants and agrees that Hypernex, through its officers and employees, will, without further consideration, communicate with Company, its successors and assigns, any facts known to Hypernex and its officers and employees respecting the inventions and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers when called upon to do so, execute and deliver all papers that may be necessary or desirable to perfect the title to the inventions in said Company, its successors and assigns, execute all divisionals, continuations, continuations-in-part, reissues, reexaminations, substitutes, any extensions thereof, make all rightful oaths, and generally do everything possible to aid Company, its successors and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for the inventions in the United States and any foreign country, it being understood that any expense incident to the execution of such papers shall be borne by Company, its successors and assigns.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, each party has caused its authorized representative to execute this Assignment.

Hypernex, Inc.

Company

By: David & Hrt	Ву:
Date: 8/1/2006	Date:

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INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY ASSIGNMENT

Patents, Copyrights, Licenses and Trademarks

Owned Intellectual Property:

Case #	Case Type	Country	Prio #	Client Case #	Status, Filing Date, App. Serial #	Pat/Reg No., Issue/Reg Date	Title	Status	Owner, Gov Rights
4173-101	Patens			Hypernex, Inc.(417 3) No Client Case No.		Issued: 4/19/2005 Pat. #: 6.882.739	Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR RAPID GRAIN SIZE ANALYSIS OF POLYCRYSTALLIN E MATERIALS	Due 10/19/2008	
4173-102	US Patent	US		3)		Issued: 9/14/2004 Pat. #: 6.792,075	Title: MRD THICKNESS MAPPING	3,5 M, F, Due 3/14/2008	Co- assignce - IBM
4173- 102- CIP	US Patent		4:73- 102	Hypernex, Inc.(417 3) No Client Case No.	Filed: 12/23/2003	Issued: 6/21/2005 Pat. #: 6,909,772	Title: MRD THICKNESS MAPPING	3.5 M, F. Due 13/21/2008	Co- assignee- IBM
4173- 102- EURO PE	Foreign Patent		4173- 102	Hypemex, Inc.(417 3)	Pending Filed: 2/17/2005 App. #: 03793095.5	lssued: 6/15/2005 Pat. # EP1540276	Title: MRD THICKNESS MAPPING	Pending	
4173- 102- JAPA N	Foreign Patent	Japan	4173- 102	Нуретех,	Filed: 2/16/2005 App. #: 2004-	Issued: 2/12/2005 Pat. #JP2005536745	Title: MRD THICKNESS MAPPING	Examination Due 8/15/2006	
4173- 102- PCT	PCT	PCT	4173- 102	Hypernex, Inc.(417 3) No Client Case No.	Filed: 8/15/2003 App. #: PCT/US03/25769	Issued: 3/04/2004 Publ #: WO04018959A2 Issued: 16/07/2004 Publ.#: WO2004018959A3	Title: MRD THICKNESS MAPPING	Completed	
4173- 102- TAIW AN	Patem	TAIWAN	4173- 102	Hypemex, Inc.(417 3) No Client Case No.	Filed: 8/20/2003 App. #:	Issued: 3/11/2005	THICKNESS	3 rd Annuity Fee Due 3/10/2007	
4173-103	US Patent	US		Hypemex.	Filed: 7/26/2002 App. #:		Title: QUANTITAT PHASE MAPPING	3.5 M. F Due 7/13/2007	SS(s) sector

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4173- 103- EURO PE	Foreign Patem	EPO	4173-163	Inc.(417 3) No Client Case No.	Filed: 1/25/2005 App. #: 03771582.8	Issued: 6/15/2005 Pat. # EP1540319	QUANTITATIVE PHASE ANALYSIS OF TEXTURED POLYCRYSTALLIN E MATPRIALS	Maintenance Fee Duc 2/20/2007
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Note: For Case nos. 4173-102, 103 and 403, the Australian Patent Office allocated publication numbers, however applications were not filed from PCT

4173- 103- JAPA N	Foreign Patem	Japan	4173- 103	Hypernex, Inc.(417 3) No Client Case No.	Filed: 1/25/2005 App. # 2004-	Issued: 11/10/2005 Pat. #JP200553402 8	Title: QUANTITAT. PHASE MAPPING	Examination Due 7/9/2006	s.
4173- 103- PCT	PCT	PCT	4173- 103	Hypernex, Inc.(417 3)	Done Filed: 7/9/2003 App. #: PCT/US03/21330	Issued: 2/05/2004 Publ.#: WG20040119	Title: QUANTITAT. PHASE MAPPING	Completed	8
4173- 103- TAIW AN	Poreigr Patem		4173- 103	3)	Issued Filed: 7/24/2003 App. #: 92120199	Issued: Pat. #: 1- 241413 Expires: 7/23/2023	Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR QUANTITATIVE PHASE ANALYSIS OF TEXTURE POLYCRYSTALLIN E MATERIALS	3 rd Annuity Fee Due 10/10/2007	
	US Patent			Hypernex, inc (417 3) No Client Case No.	Issued Filed: 3/25/1997 App. #: 823,967	Issued: 12/8/1998 Pat. #: 5,848,122 Expires: 3/25/2017	THE: APPARATUS FOR RAPID IN- SITU X-RAY STRESS MEASUREMENT DURING THERMAL CYCLING OF SEMICONDUCTOR WAFERS	7.5 M, F. Due 6/8/2006	Dept. of Aur Force Contract # P30602- 96-C- 9107
	US Patent			3)	Issued Filed: 3/25/1997 App. #: 08/823,971	Issued: 11/27/1998 Pat. #: 5,828,724	Title: PHOTO- SENSOR FIBER- OPTIC STRESS ANALYSIS SYSTEM	7.5 M. F. Due 4/27/2006	
4173- 241- DIV	US Patent	US		3)	Issued Filed: 9/1/1998 App. #: 09/144,932	Issued: 5/2/2000 Pat. #: 6,058,160	Title: PHOTO- SENSOR FIBER- OPTIC STRESS ANALYSIS SYSTEM	7.5 M. F. Due 11/2/2007	
4173-269	US Tradema tk	US		3)	Registered Filed: 12/5/1997 App. #: 75/400,762	Registered: 7/24/2001 Reg. #: 2,471,835	Title: HYPERNEX	Section 8 & 15 Affidavit Due 7/24/2006	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·

4173-403	US Patent	US	Hypernex, Inc.(417 3) No Client Case No.	Filed: 7/30/1999 App. #:	Issued: 10/9/2001 Pat. #: 6,301,330 Expires:	Title: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR TEXTURE ANALYSIS ON SEMICONDUCTOR	7.5 M. F. Due 4/9/2009
			NO.		7/30/2019	WAFERS	

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4173- 403- EURO PE	Foreign Patem	EUROPE	4173- 403	Hypernex Inc.(417 3) No Client Case No.	Filed: 2/18/2002 App. #: 00 953	Issued: 7/03/2002 Pat. # EP1218729	Title: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR TEXTURE ANALYSIS ON SEMICONDUCTO	V.
4173- 463- JAPA N	Foreign Pateni	JAPAN	4173- 403	Hypernex, Inc.(417 3) No Client Case No.	Filed: 1/30/2002 App. #: 2001- 514458	Issued: 2/18/2003 Pat. # JP200350667 3	R WAFERS Title: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR TEXTURE ANALYSIS ON SEMICONDUCTO R WAFERS	Duc 7/28/2007
4173- 403- PCT	PCT	PCT		Hypernex, Inc.(417 3) No Client Case No.	Filed: 7/28/2000 App. #: PCT/US00/20653	Issued: 2/8/2001 WO0109925A2 Issued: 5/31/2001 WO0109925A3 Issued: 6/21/2001 WO0109925B1	Title: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR TEXTURE ANALYSIS ON SEMICONDUCTO R WAFERS	Completed
4173- 403- TAIW AN	Fereign Patent	TAIWAN	4173- 403	Hypemex, Inc.(417 3) No Client Case No.	Filed: \$/9/2000 App. #:	issued: 2/21/2002 Publ. # TW477018	Title: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR TEXTURE ANALYSIS ON SEMICONDUCTO R WAFERS	6 th Annuity Fee Due 2/20/2007
4173-445	US Tradema rx	US		Inc.(417 3)	Registered Filed: 1/5/2000 App. #: 75/887,574	Registered: 9/19/2002 Reg. #: 2,616,331	Title: CU-TEX	Section 8 & 15 Affidavit Duc 9/10/2007
4173-446	US Tradenia rk	US		Hypomex, Inc.(417 3) No Client Casc No.	Registered Filed: 1/5/2000 App. #: 75/887,575	Registered: 10/2/2001 Reg. #: 2,493,990	Title: HYPER-TEX	Section 8 & 15 Affidavit Due 10/2/2006
onnoise.	US Patent	US	to Nanamat 1.3		Issued Filed: 1/24/1996 App#: 590,956	Issued: 3/3/1998 Pat#: 5,724,401	Title: LARGE ANGLE SOLID STATE POSITION SENSITIVE X- RAY DETECTOR SYSTEM	Expired due to non- payment of maintenance fee

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Issued App#: 916,378 Pat #:

5,784,432

| Issued | Issued: Title: LARGE | Filed: 8/22/1997 | 7/21/1998 | ANGLE SOLID | App#: 916.378 | Pat # | STATE POSITE ANGLE SOLID to non-STATE POSITION payment of SENSITIVE X- maintenance RAY DETECTOR fee

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Licensed Intellectual Property:

None

Domain name: HyperNex, Inc. owns domains "www.hypernexinc.com"

Domain name was registered on 10-Dec-1997 Record expires on 09-Dec-2008

Network Solutions user ID: 24080448

Password: rpG0!@pm

There are no claims on this domain name.

Domain name: HyperNex, Inc. owns domains "www.hypernex.com"

Domain name was registered on 05-Nov-2002 Record expires on 04-Nov-2008

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