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Exhibit A

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2. Omniverse Server – Collaboration Server
3. Omniverse Kit – UI framework and toolkit
4. Omniverse Physics – NVIDIA PhysX technology
5. Omniverse RTX – Realtime Raytracer
6. NVIDIA Iray - Photorealistic Light-Simulation Raytracer
7. MDL-SDK