Intellectual Property In-Class Exercise

The Patent Document

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Particularly identify (such as by column and line numbers, or by sheet number, etc.) the portion or a portion of the patent document that:

Names the inventors	
Identifies the examiner	
Identifies the owner of the patent	
Sets out the test for infringement	
Tells the reader when the patent must expire	
Identifies prior art cited by the applicant	
Identifies prior art cited by the examiner	
Is an example of an independent claim	
Is an example of an dependent claim	
Is an example of a multiple-dependent claim	

Describe, as best you can, how the patent document:

Shows that the invention is patentable subject matter under 35 U.S.C. § 101

Shows that the invention is novel under 35 U.S.C. § 102

Shows that the invention is nonobvious under 35 U.S.C. § 103

Shows that the invention is useful under 35 U.S.C. § 101

Provides an enabling disclosure under 35 U.S.C. § 112

Sets for the best mode, as required under 35 U.S.C. § 112

Identify a particular parent claim and dependent claim that descends from it. Then describe (A) a particular hypothetical circumstance under which the owner of the patent could sue on the parent claim but not the dependent claim, and (B) a particular hypothetical circumstance under which the owner could sue on the dependent claim but not the parent claim.