

SYNOPSYS INC

Form 4

December 06, 2016

FORM 4
UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
RUNKEL JOHN F JR

(Last) (First) (Middle)

690 EAST MIDDLEFIELD ROAD

(Street)

MOUNTAIN VIEW, CA 94043

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading
Symbol
SYNOPSYS INC [SNPS]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
12/02/2016

4. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
____X____ Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)

General Counsel &

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
____X____ Form filed by One Reporting Person
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Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	12/02/2016		M	3,125	A \$ 39.09	11,570	D
Common Stock	12/02/2016		S ⁽¹⁾	3,125	D \$ 56.4111	8,445	D
Common Stock	12/02/2016		M	6,875	A \$ 42.43	15,320	D
Common Stock	12/02/2016		S ⁽¹⁾	6,875	D \$ 56.8346	8,445	D

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Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 39.09	12/02/2016		M		3,125		05/23/2015 ⁽⁴⁾	05/23/2021	Common Stock	3,125
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 42.43	12/02/2016		M		6,875		03/12/2015 ⁽⁵⁾	12/12/2021	Common Stock	6,875

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
RUNKEL JOHN F JR 690 EAST MIDDLEFIELD ROAD MOUNTAIN VIEW, CA 94043	General Counsel &

Signatures

By: POA pursuant Christina Escalante-Dutra For: John Frederick
Runkel, Jr.

12/06/2016

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) The transactions reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan.

(2) Represents a weighted average sale price per share. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$56.030 to \$56.690. The Reporting Person has provided to the Issuer, and undertakes to provide to the staff of the Securities and Exchange

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Commission or any security holder of the Issuer, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares purchased at each separate price within the range.

Represents a weighted average sale price per share. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$56.690 to 57.110. The Reporting Person has provided to the Issuer, and undertakes to provide to the staff of the Securities and Exchange

- (3) Commission or any security holder of the Issuer, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares purchased at each separate price within the range.
- (4) 1/4 of the grant becomes exercisable one year after grant date with the remainder becoming exercisable in a series of 12 equal quarterly installments thereafter.
- (5) Option vests in 16 equal quarterly installments beginning on the date shown.

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