ANSYS INC Form SC 13G/A February 11, 2003

UNITED STATES WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13G UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934 (AMENDMENT NO. __2_)*

Ansys, Inc.

(Name of Issuer)

<u>Common Stock</u> (Title of Class of Securities)

03662q105

(Cusip Number)

*The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

The information required on the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

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1. NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS S.S. OR I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NOS. OF ABOVE PERSONS . Brown Capital Management, Inc								
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3. SEC	USE ONLY							
4. CIT	TIZENSHIP (Maryl	and					
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9. AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH 1,060,385 REPORTING PERSON								
10. CHECK IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES								
11. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9) 7.28%								
12. TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON* IA CO								
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Item 1	(a) (b)	Name of Issuer Address of Issu	•	Ansys, Inc. 275 Technology Drive Canonsburg, PA 15317				
Item 2	(a) (b)	Name of Person Address of Prin Office or, if non	cipal Business	Brown Capital Managen 1201 N. Calvert Street Baltimore, Maryland 21				
	(c)	Citizenship:		Maryland				
	(d)	Title of Class of		Common Stock				
	(e)	CUSIP Number	Γ:	03662q105				

Item 3: Capacity in Which Person is Filing: [x] Investment Adviser registered

under

Section 203 of the Investment

Advisers Act of 1940

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disposition of :

Item 5: Ownership of Five Percent of Less of Class: No

Not applicable

Not applicable

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Item 6: Ownership of More than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person

All of the shares of Common Stock set forth in Item 4 are owned by various investment advisory clients of Brown Capital Management, Inc., which is deemed to be a beneficial owner of those shares pursuant to Rue 13d-3 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, due to it discretionary power to make investment decisions over such shares for its clients and its ability to vote such shares. In all cases, persons other than Brown Capital Management, Inc. has the right to receive, or the power to direct the receipt of, dividends from, or the proceeds from the sale of the shares. No individual client holds more than five percent of the class.

Item 7: Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary

Which Acquired the Security Being Reported on By

the Parent Holding Company:

Item 8: Identification and Classification of Members of the Group: Not applicable

Item 9:	Notice of Dissolution of Gro	oup:	Not applicable
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Item 10:	Certification:		
referred to ab for the purpos issuer of such	ove were acquired in the ordi se of and do not have the effe	st of my knowledge and belief, the securities inary course of business and were not acquired ect of changing or influencing the control of the tired in connection with or as a participant in any	
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	nable inquiry and to the best on set forth in this statement i	of my knowledge and belief, I certify that is true, complete and correct.	
		Brown Capital Management, Inc	
		By: /s/ Eddie C. Brown	
		Eddie C. Brown	
		President	
Date:		February 5, 2003	