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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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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Silva Paul M

(First)

(Middle)

Symbol

VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS INC / MA [VRTX]

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

below) SVP & Corp Controller

PHARMACEUTICALS INCORPORATED, 130 WAVERLY

ST.

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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CAMBRIDGE, MA 02139

(City)	(State) (Table Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	05/02/2013		M	1,125	A	\$ 37.86	12,875	D	
Common Stock	05/02/2013		S <u>(1)</u>	700	D	\$ 77.17 (2) (3)	12,175	D	
Common Stock	05/02/2013		S <u>(1)</u>	425	D	\$ 77.59 (3) (4)	11,750	D	

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Common Stock	05/03/2013	M	937	A	\$ 38.8	12,687	D	
Common Stock	05/03/2013	S <u>(1)</u>	637	D	\$ 75.76 (3) (5)	12,050	D	
Common Stock	05/03/2013	S <u>(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 76.66 (3) (6)	11,850	D	
Common Stock	05/03/2013	S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 78.12	11,750	D	
Common Stock						169	I	401(k)

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number conf 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 of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 37.86	05/02/2013		M	1,125	<u>(7)</u>	02/01/2022	Common Stock	1,125
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 38.8	05/03/2013		M	937	<u>(8)</u>	02/02/2021	Common Stock	937

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Reporting Owners 2

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Silva Paul M C/O VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS INCORPORATED 130 WAVERLY ST. CAMBRIDGE, MA 02139

SVP & Corp Controller

Signatures

Kenneth L. Horton, Attorney-In-Fact

05/06/2013

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Transaction made pursuant to Mr. Silva's company approved trading plan under Rule 10b5-1.
- (2) Open market sales reported on this line occurred at a weighted average price of \$77.17 (range \$76.48 to \$77.41).
- (3) Mr. Silva undertakes to provide (upon request by the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer) full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (4) Open market sales reported on this line occurred at a weighted average price of \$77.59 (range \$77.49 to \$77.72).
- (5) Open market sales reported on this line occurred at a weighted average price of \$75.76 (range \$75.42 to \$76.21).
- (6) Open market sales reported on this line occurred at a weighted average price of \$76.66 (range \$76.47 to \$76.85).
- (7) The option vests in 16 quarterly installments beginning on 02/02/2012.
- (8) The option vests in 16 quarterly installments beginning on 02/03/2011.

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