

SPLUNK INC  
Form 4  
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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 \*  
CONTE DAVID F

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O SPLUNK INC., 250  
BRANNAN STREET

(Street)

SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94107

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
SPLUNK INC [SPLK]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
09/09/2014

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
SVP & Chief Financial Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	09/09/2014		M		19,307	A	\$ 2.94
							151,653 <sup>(1)</sup>
Common Stock	09/09/2014		S <sup>(2)</sup>		2,400	D	\$ 57.74
							149,253 <sup>(3)</sup>
Common Stock	09/09/2014		S <sup>(2)</sup>		16,473	D	\$ 58.96
							132,780 <sup>(4)</sup>
Common Stock	09/09/2014		S <sup>(2)</sup>		434	D	\$ 59.57
							132,346 <sup>(5)</sup>

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Common Stock	09/10/2014	M	1,693	A	\$ 2.94	134,039	D
Common Stock	09/10/2014	S <sup>(2)</sup>	1,693	D	\$ 59.17 (6)	132,346	D
Common Stock	09/11/2014	S <sup>(7)</sup>	1,317	D	\$ 60.49 (8)	131,029	D
Common Stock	09/11/2014	S <sup>(2)</sup>	1,183	D	\$ 59.93 (9)	129,846	D

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 of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 2.94	09/09/2014		M	19,307	(10) 07/14/2021	Common Stock	19,307	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 2.94	09/10/2014		M	1,693	(10) 07/14/2021	Common Stock	1,693	

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

CONTE DAVID F  
C/O SPLUNK INC.  
250 BRANNAN STREET  
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94107

SVP & Chief Financial Officer

## Signatures

/s/ Steve Dean, by power of  
attorney

06/20/2014

\_\_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) Includes 570 shares acquired under the Splunk Inc. Employee Stock Purchase Plan on June 16, 2014.
- (2) The sale reported on this Form 4 was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person on June 27, 2014.  
The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$57.34 to \$58.33, inclusive. The Reporting Person undertakes to provide to the Issuer, any security holder of the Issuer, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in footnotes (3) through (6), (8) and (9) to this Form 4.
- (3) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$58.41 to \$59.39, inclusive.
- (4) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$59.54 to \$59.68, inclusive.
- (5) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$58.90 to \$59.75, inclusive.
- (6) The reported shares were sold to satisfy the Reporting Person's tax liability in connection with the vesting of restricted stock units.
- (7) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$60.49 to \$60.50, inclusive.
- (8) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$59.35 to \$60.33, inclusive.
- (9) The option, representing a right to purchase a total of 1,000,000 shares, is subject to an early exercise provision pursuant to which 34,013 shares become exercisable on January 1, 2015. One-fourth of the shares subject to the option vested on July 15, 2012 and one forty-eighth of the shares vest monthly thereafter.
- (10)

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