

ADOBE SYSTEMS INC  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
NARAYEN SHANTANU

(Last) (First) (Middle)

ADOBE SYSTEMS  
INCORPORATED, 345 PARK  
AVENUE

(Street)

SAN JOSE, CA 95110

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
ADOBE SYSTEMS INC [ADBE]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
10/27/2005

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)  
President and COO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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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 or Price		
Common Stock	10/27/2005		M		1,000 A \$ 13.8438	105,714 <sup>(1)</sup>	D
Common Stock	10/27/2005		M		37,500 A \$ 13.475	143,214	D
Common Stock	10/27/2005		M		2,200 A \$ 13.8438	145,414	D
Common Stock	10/27/2005		M		7,858 A \$ 13.235	153,272	D
Common Stock	10/27/2005		M		151,442 A \$ 13.235	304,714	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 Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 13.8438	10/27/2005		M	1,000	10/27/2005 <sup>(2)</sup> 03/02/2009	Common Stock	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 13.475	10/27/2005		M	37,500	10/27/2005 <sup>(2)</sup> 11/02/2009	Common Stock	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 13.8438	10/27/2005		M	2,200	10/27/2005 <sup>(2)</sup> 03/02/2009	Common Stock	
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 13.235	10/27/2005		M	7,858	10/27/2005 <sup>(2)</sup> 11/12/2009	Common Stock	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 13.235	10/27/2005		M	151,442	10/27/2005 <sup>(2)</sup> 11/12/2009	Common Stock	

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
NARAYEN SHANTANU ADOBE SYSTEMS INCORPORATED 345 PARK AVENUE SAN JOSE, CA 95110			President and COO	

## Signatures

/s/ Stuart Fagin, as  
attorney-in-fact

10/31/2005

\_\_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) Total includes purchase of 810 shares of common stock on June 30, 2005 pursuant to Adobe's 1997 Employee Stock Purchase Plan.
- (2) Options vest at a rate of 25% one year after grant date, 2.08% per month for the following 12 months, and 4.17% per month for the remaining 12 months.

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