

AVID TECHNOLOGY INC  
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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 \*  
**KRALL DAVID**

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 19720 THREE OAKS WAY  
 (Street)

SARATOGA, CA 95070

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**AVID TECHNOLOGY INC [AVID]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
 (Month/Day/Year)  
 11/01/2005

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 & CEO

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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock	11/01/2005		M	A	\$ 15.625	39,356	D
Common Stock	11/01/2005		M	A	\$ 15.625	43,080	D
Common Stock	11/01/2005		M	A	\$ 19	48,080	D
Common Stock	11/01/2005		M	A	\$ 16.5	50,580	D
Common Stock	11/01/2005		M	A	\$ 11.375	56,205	D

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Common Stock	11/01/2005	M	31,250	A	\$ 9.96	87,455	D
Common Stock	11/01/2005	S	200	D	\$ 49.52	87,255	D
Common Stock	11/01/2005	S	100	D	\$ 49.51	87,155	D
Common Stock	11/01/2005	S	24,700	D	\$ 49.5	62,455	D
Common Stock	11/01/2005	S	500	D	\$ 49.47	61,955	D
Common Stock	11/01/2005	S	100	D	\$ 49.43	61,855	D
Common Stock	11/01/2005	S	100	D	\$ 49.41	61,755	D
Common Stock	11/01/2005	S	500	D	\$ 49.4	61,255	D
Common Stock	11/01/2005	S	200	D	\$ 49.38	61,055	D
Common Stock	11/01/2005	S	100	D	\$ 49.37	60,955	D
Common Stock	11/01/2005	S	400	D	\$ 49.34	60,555	D
Common Stock	11/01/2005	S	100	D	\$ 49.33	60,455	D
Common Stock	11/01/2005	S	100	D	\$ 49.32	60,355	D
Common Stock	11/01/2005	S	800	D	\$ 49.31	59,555	D
Common Stock	11/01/2005	S	800	D	\$ 49.3	58,755	D
Common Stock	11/01/2005	S	300	D	\$ 49.27	58,455	D
Common Stock	11/01/2005	S	2,250	D	\$ 49.26	56,205	D
Common Stock	11/01/2005	S	18,750	D	\$ 49.25	37,455	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 Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 15.625	11/01/2005		M	1,901	06/17/1997 04/01/2007	Common Stock
Non-qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 15.625	11/01/2005		M	3,724	06/17/1997 04/01/2007	Common Stock
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 19	11/01/2005		M	5,000	12/22/1996 12/22/2005	Common Stock
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 16.5	11/01/2005		M	2,500	02/21/1997 02/21/2006	Common Stock
Non-qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 11.375	11/01/2005		M	5,625	10/25/2000 04/25/2010 <sup>(1)</sup>	Common Stock
Non-qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 9.96	11/01/2005		M	31,250	02/28/2002 08/30/2011	Common Stock

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
KRALL DAVID 19720 THREE OAKS WAY SARATOGA, CA 95070	X		President & CEO	

## Signatures

David A. Krall 11/03/2005

\*\*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) 25% of the option becomes exercisable on the date listed in the "Date Exercisable" column; the remaining 75% becomes exercisable in three equal six month installments thereafter.

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