CHAN CHI-FOON Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b). (Print or Type Responses)

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **CHAN CHI-FOON**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Middle)

SYNOPSYS INC [SNPS] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

_X__ Director 10% Owner

(Check all applicable)

700 EAST MIDDLEFIELD ROAD

(First)

(Month/Day/Year) 12/08/2012

X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

Co-CEO & President 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

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

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

MOUNTAIN VIEW, CA 94043

(Street)

Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab l	le I - Non-I	Derivative	Secur	ities Acqı	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 Reported	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	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(msu. 1)	
Common Stock	12/08/2012		M	10,825	A	\$ 0	190,405	D	
Common Stock	12/08/2012		M	10,000	A	\$ 0	200,405	D	
Common Stock	12/08/2012		M	9,575	A	\$ 0	209,980	D	
Common Stock	12/08/2012		F	4,668 (1)	D	\$ 32.92	205,312	D	
Common Stock	12/08/2012		F	4,470 (1)	D	\$ 32.92	200,842	D	

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

Der Sec	ritle of ivative urity tr. 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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	orDerivative Securities		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
Res Sto Un		\$ 0	12/08/2012		D		10,825	12/08/2012	12/08/2012	Common Stock	10,825
Res Sto Un		\$ 0	12/08/2012		D		10,000	12/08/2012	12/08/2013	Common Stock	10,000
Res Sto Un		\$ 0	12/08/2012		D		9,575	12/08/2012	12/08/2014	Common Stock	9,575

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
--	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
CHAN CHI-FOON 700 EAST MIDDLEFIELD ROAD MOUNTAIN VIEW, CA 94043	X		Co-CEO & President					

Signatures

By: Stephen Buckhout pursuant to POA For: Chi-Foon Chan 12/11/2012

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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These shares were retained by the Company in order to meet the tax withholding obligations of the award holder in connection with the

(1) vesting of an installment of the performance restricted stock unit award. The Compensation Committee approved the disposition of shares by the award holder and the amount retained by the Company was not in excess of the amount of the tax liability.

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