

SYNOPSYS INC

Form 4

June 17, 2016

**FORM 4**
**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Pham Trac

(Last) (First) (Middle)

690 EAST MIDDLEFIELD ROAD

(Street)

MOUNTAIN VIEW, CA 94043

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol

SYNOPSYS INC [SNPS]

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

06/15/2016

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_X\_\_\_\_ Officer (give title \_\_\_\_ Other (specify  
below) below)  
CFO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
\_\_\_\_X\_\_\_\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting  
Person

**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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	06/15/2016		M		1,750	A	\$ 0	8,656	D	
Common Stock	06/15/2016		M		1,375	A	\$ 0	10,031	D	
Common Stock	06/15/2016		M		1,439	A	\$ 0	11,470	D	
Common Stock	06/15/2016		F		654 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	\$ 52.53	10,816	D	
Common Stock	06/15/2016		F		517 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	\$ 52.53	10,299	D	

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Common Stock	06/15/2016	F	541 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 52.53	9,758	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 Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	06/15/2016		D		1,750		06/15/2013 <sup>(2)</sup>	06/15/2016	Common Stock	1,750
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	06/15/2016		D		1,375		06/15/2014 <sup>(3)</sup>	06/15/2017	Common Stock	1,375
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	06/15/2016		D		1,439		06/15/2015 <sup>(4)</sup>	06/15/2018	Common Stock	1,439

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Pham Trac 690 EAST MIDDLEFIELD ROAD MOUNTAIN VIEW, CA 94043			CFO	

## Signatures

By: poa pursuant Christina Escalante-Dutra For: Trac  
Pham

06/17/2016

          \*\*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).

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 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.

(2) The restricted stock units vested as to 25% of the total shares on 6/15/13 and the remaining 75% vest in three equal annual installments thereafter, subject to continued service through each vesting date.

(3) The restricted stock units vested as to 25% of the total shares on 6/15/14 and the remaining 75% vest in three equal annual installments thereafter, subject to continued service through each vesting date.

(4) The restricted stock units will vest as to 25% of the total shares on 6/15/15 and the remaining 75% vest in three equal annual installments thereafter, subject to continued service through each vesting date.

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