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FORM 4

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7. Nature of

Indirect

Beneficial

Ownership

(Instr. 4)

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

(Last)

(City)

Stock

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * RUNKEL JOHN F JR

(First)

700 EAST MIDDLEFIELD ROAD

(Street)

(State)

(Middle)

(Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

Symbol

SYNOPSYS INC [SNPS]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

02/27/2015

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)

General Counsel &

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

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Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

MOUNTAIN VIEW, CA 94043

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) 5. Amount of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transactionor Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: (Month/Day/Year) Owned Direct (D) (Instr. 8) Following or Indirect Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)

Amount (D) Price

Common 02/27/2015 216 Α (Instr. 3 and 4)

216 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)

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

RUNKEL JOHN F JR 700 EAST MIDDLEFIELD ROAD MOUNTAIN VIEW, CA 94043

General Counsel &

Signatures

By: POA pursuant Christina Escalante-Dutra For: John Frederick Runkel, Jr.

03/03/2015

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**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) Acquisition of stock under Synopsys, Inc Employee Stock Purchase Plan

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