

NUVASIVE INC
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
LACOB JOSEPH

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**C/O KLEINER PERKINS
CAUFIELD & BYERS, 2750 SAND
HILL ROAD**

(Street)

MENLO PARK, CA 94025

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
NUVASIVE INC [NUVA]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
11/09/2004

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)

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	11/09/2004		J		23,125	A	\$ 9.41
Common Stock	11/09/2004		J		5,908	A	\$ 9.41
Common Stock	11/09/2004		J		463,347	D	\$ 9.41
Common Stock	11/09/2004		J		26,864	D	\$ 9.41
							23,125
							5,908
							1,666,618
							96,627
						D	
						I	
						I	
						I	
							By Lacob Trust
							By "KPCB VIII" (1)
							By "KPCB VIII FF"

Common Stock	11/09/2004	J	9,789	D	\$ 9.41	35,211	I	(1) By "KPCB Life" (1)
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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)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Following Reporting Transaction (Instr. 5)
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

LACOB JOSEPH
C/O KLEINER PERKINS CAUFIELD & BYERS
2750 SAND HILL ROAD
MENLO PARK, CA 94025

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Signatures

Joseph S. Lacob 11/10/2004

**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) Mr. Lacob is a general partner of KPCB VIII Associates, L.P., a CA limited partnership ("KPCB VIII Associates"). KPCB VIII Associates is the general partner of Kleiner Perkins Caufield & Byers VIII, L.P., a CA limited partnership ("KPCB VIII") and KPCB VIII

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Founders Fund L.P., a CA limited partnership ("KPCB VIII FF"). Mr. Lacob is also a general partner of KPCB VII Associates, L.P., a CA limited partnership ("KPCB VII Associates"). KPCB VII Associates is the general partner of KPCB Life Sciences Zaibatsu Fund II, L.P., a CA limited partnership ("KPCB Life"). Mr. Lacob disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares of the Issuer's common stock held directly by KPCB VIII, KPCB VIII FF, KPCB Life and the Lacob Trust, except to the extent of any indirect pecuniary interest in his distributive share therein.

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