FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     SPADE THOMAS D					SY	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SYNAPTICS INC [ SYNA ]								Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)     Director 10% Owner						
(Last) 2381 BE		(First) (Middle)				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/16/2003									pelow)	er (give title v) /P of Worldwi		Other (s below) le Sales	specify	
(Street) SAN JOS (City)	AN JOSE CA 95131						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
		Tab	le I - N	Non-Deriv	ative	Sec	urit	ies Ac	quired,	Dis	posed o	f, or Be	neficia	lly O	wned	k				
Di				2. Transac Date (Month/Da		Execution Date,		Transaction Dispose Code (Instr. and 5)			ties Acqu d Of (D) (Ir		3, 4 Securit Benefic Owned		es ially	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
								Code	v	Amount	(A) o (D)	r Price	rice Tra		Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		1. 4)	(Instr. 4)		
Common Stock				12/16/2				M		700	A	\$2.	5		704		D			
Common Stock				12/16/2003				S <sup>(1)</sup>		500	D	\$15.	.44 2		204		D			
Common Stock				12/16/2003				S <sup>(1)</sup>		200	D	\$15.	45		4		D			
Common Stock				12/17/2	12/17/2003				M		14,50	0 A	\$2.	5 14		4,504		D		
Common Stock			12/17/2	2/17/2003				<b>S</b> <sup>(1)</sup>		14,30	0 D	_	\$15.44		204		D			
Common Stock 12/			12/17/2			S <sup>(1)</sup>		200	D	\$15.	15.91		4		D					
			Tab	le II - Deri <sup>.</sup> (e.a.							sed of, onvertible		-	wned						
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execut if any	BA. Deemed Execution Date,		5. Number of		6. Date Exercisable a Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		able and			8. Pri of Deriv Secui (Instr	ative rity	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership		
				Code	v	(A)	(D)			Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	nber							
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$2.5	12/16/2003			М			700	01/12/2001	(2)	01/11/2010	Common Stock	700	\$	0	27,471		D		
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$2.5	12/17/2003			М			14,500	01/12/2001	(2)	01/11/2010	Common Stock	14,500	\$	0	12,971	ı	D		

## Explanation of Responses:

- $1. \ The \ shares \ were \ sold \ pursuant \ to \ a \ 10b5-1 \ Sales \ Plan \ dated \ November \ 25, \ 2003.$
- 2. 25% of the total number of shares subject to the option vested and became exercisable on the twelve month anniversary of the 1/12/00 vesting commencement date, and 1/48th of the total number of shares subject to the option vested or shall vest and became or shall become exercisable on the 12th day of each month thereafter.

## Remarks:

Thomas D. Spade

12/17/2003

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

erson Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

 $<sup>^{\</sup>star}$  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).

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