## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name a	<u>SYN</u>	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SYNAPTICS INC [SYNA]									lationship k all app Direct	,	ng Pe	erson(s) to Is 10% Ov					
(Last)	(Last) (First) (Middle)					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/24/2011								X	Office below	er (give title /)		Other ( below)	specify
3120 SC											VP of WW Sa			Sales					
(Street)	4. If A	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)								
SANTA CLARA CA 95054															X Form filed by One Reporting Person				
(City) (State) (Zip)															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) Date (Month/Day						Execution Date,			Transaction Dispos Code (Instr. and 5)		irities Acquired ( and Of (D) (Instr. 3			5. Amo Securit Benefic Owned	ties For cially (D) I Ind		m: Direct or rect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
									Code	v	Amoun	t (A) or P		rice	Report Transa	Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		tr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
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)	Execution Date, if any		4. Transact Code (In 8)	ion of E			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		o D S (I	. Price f erivative ecurity nstr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	y	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	e V (A) (D		(D)	Date Exercisable		piration te	Amou or Numb of Title Share		er							
Employee Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$27.99	01/24/2011			А		37,500		(1)	01	/24/2021	Common Stock	37,5	00	\$0.00	37,500		D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. 1/48th of the total number of shares subject to the option shall vest and become exercisable on the 24th day of each month following the date of grant.

Remarks:

Kermit Nolan, as attorney-infact 01/25/2011

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

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