

ANSYS INC  
Form S-8 POS  
September 28, 2011

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Registration No. 333-177030

**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**WASHINGTON, DC 20549**

**POST EFFECTIVE AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO**  
**FORM S-8 REGISTRATION STATEMENT NO. 333-177030**  
**UNDER**  
**THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933**

**ANSYS, INC.**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

**Delaware**

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation or Organization)

**04-3219960**

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

**ANSYS, Inc.**

**Southpointe**

**275 Technology Drive**

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**Canonsburg, Pennsylvania 15317**

**(Address of Principal Executive Offices)**

**Apache Design Solutions, Inc. Amended and Restated 2001 Stock Option/Stock Issuance Plan**

**(Full Title of the Plan)**

**James E. Cashman III**

**President and Chief Executive Officer**

**ANSYS, Inc.**

**Southpointe**

**275 Technology Drive**

**Canonsburg, Pennsylvania 15317**

**(Name and Address of Agent for Service)**

**(724) 746-3304**

**Telephone Number, Including Area Code, of Agent For Service.**

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**John R. LeClaire**

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**Boston, Massachusetts 02109**

**(617) 570-1000**

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, or a smaller reporting company. See the definitions of large accelerated filer, accelerated filer and smaller reporting company in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act.

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Large accelerated filer  x  
Non-accelerated filer  (Do not check if a smaller reporting company)

Accelerated filer  ..  
Smaller reporting company  ..

**EXPLANATORY NOTE**

ANSYS, Inc. (the Company) is filing this Post-Effective Amendment No. 1 to the Registration Statement on Form S-8 No. 333-177030 to correct the description of Exhibit 23.2 filed with such Registration Statement and to correct the language of the Company's Independent Registered Public Accountant's Letter Regarding Unaudited Financial Information filed as Exhibit 15 to the Registration Statement by filing an updated version of that Exhibit.

**PART II**

**INFORMATION REQUIRED IN THE REGISTRATION STATEMENT**

**Item 8. Exhibits.**

<b>Exhibit No.</b>	<b>Description of Exhibit</b>
*15	Independent Registered Public Accountant's Letter Regarding Unaudited Financial Information
*23.2	Consent of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm, Deloitte & Touche LLP
* Filed herewith.	

**SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, the registrant certifies that it has reasonable grounds to believe that it meets all of the requirements for filing on Form S-8 and has duly caused this Post-Effective Amendment to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, in the City of Canonsburg, State of Pennsylvania, on this 28th day of September, 2011.

ANSYS, INC.

By: /s/ James E. Cashman III  
James E. Cashman III

*President and Chief Executive Officer*

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act, this Post-Effective Amendment been signed by the following persons in the capacities and on the date(s) indicated:

<b>Signature</b>	<b>Capacity</b>	<b>Date</b>
/s/ James E. Cashman III James E. Cashman III	President and Chief Executive Officer (Principal Executive Officer)	September 28, 2011
/s/ Maria T. Shields Maria T. Shields	Chief Financial Officer, Vice President, Finance and Administration (Principal Financial Officer and Accounting Officer)	September 28, 2011
* Peter J. Smith	Chairman of the Board of Directors	September 28, 2011
* Ajei S. Gopal	Director	September 28, 2011
* William R. McDermott	Director	September 28, 2011
* Jacqueline C. Morby	Director	September 28, 2011
* Bradford C. Morley	Director	September 28, 2011
* Michael C. Thurk	Director	September 28, 2011
* Patrick J. Zilvitis	Director	September 28, 2011

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\* Signed by Maria T. Shields, attorney-in-fact

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