SYNOPSYS INC

Form 4

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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Person

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Pham Trac			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SYNOPSYS INC [SNPS]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First) ((Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)		
690 EAST M	MIDDLEFIELD	ROAD	(Month/Day/Year) 12/08/2016	Director 10% Owner _X Officer (give title Other (specify below) CFO		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line)		

MOUNTAIN VIEW, CA 94043

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(City)	(State)	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Secur	ities Acqu	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	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	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	12/08/2016		M	625	A	\$0	10,576	D	
Common Stock	12/08/2016		M	2,062	A	\$ 0	12,638	D	
Common Stock	12/08/2016		F	235 (1)	D	\$ 59.31	12,403	D	
Common Stock	12/08/2016		F	775 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 59.31	11,628	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)

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivati Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	e Expiration Date		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	12/08/2016		D	625	12/08/2016	12/08/2016	Common Stock	625
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	12/08/2016		D	2,06	2 12/08/2016	12/08/2018	Common Stock	2,062

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
-	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Pham Trac							
690 EAST MIDDLEFIELD ROAD			CFO				
MOUNTAIN VIEW, CA 94043							

Signatures

By: POA pursuant Christina Escalante-Dutra For: Trac
Pham
12/12/2016

**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).
- These shares were retained by the Company in order to meet the tax withholding obligations of the award holder in connection with the vesting of an installment of the restricted stock unit award. The Compensation Committee approved the disposition of shares by the award holder and the amount retained by the Company was not in excess of the amount of the tax liability.

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

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