SYNOPSYS INC Form 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Kankanwadi Sudhindra

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

SYNOPSYS INC [SNPS] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 12/15/2016

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Director 10% Owner Other (specify

(Check all applicable)

X_ Officer (give title below) below) VP and Corporate Controller

690 EAST MIDDLEFIELD ROAD

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

MOUNTAIN VIEW, CA 94043

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (I) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported (A) Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 5. Number of 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and Ar 4. Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if **Transaction**Derivative **Expiration Date** Underlying Se Securities Security or Exercise Code (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3 and 4) any

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 60.37	12/15/2016		A(1)	17,395	03/15/2017(2)	12/15/2023	Common Stock
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	12/15/2016		A(3)	3,313	12/08/2017(4)	12/08/2020	Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Kankanwadi Sudhindra 690 EAST MIDDLEFIELD ROAD MOUNTAIN VIEW, CA 94043

VP and Corporate Controller

Signatures

By: POA pursuant Christina Escalante-Dutra For: Sudhindra
Kankanwadi

12/19/2016

**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).
 - Grant to reporting person to buy shares of common stock under the Synopsys, Inc 2006 Employee Equity Incentive Plan. The
- (1) Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors approved an option grant value of \$200,000, with the number of shares subject to the option to be determined by dividing that amount by the fair value of an option to acquire a share of Synopsys common stock on the grant date using the Black-Scholes option pricing model.
- (2) Option vests in 16 equal quarterly installments beginning on the date shown.
- (3) The Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors approved a restricted stock unit grant value of \$200,000, with the number of restricted stock units to be determined by dividing that amount by the closing price of Synopsys common stock on the grant date.
- (4) The restricted stock units vest in four equal annual installments beginning December 8, 2017.

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