

KLEIN JONATHAN F  
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**FORM 4**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**KLEIN JONATHAN F**

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O MICROSTRATEGY  
 INCORPORATED, 1861  
 INTERNATIONAL DRIVE

(Street)

MCLEAN, VA 22102

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**MICROSTRATEGY INC [MSTR]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
 (Month/Day/Year)  
**09/03/2010**

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
**EVP, Law & General Counsel**

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Class A Common Stock	09/03/2010		M	1,500 A	\$ 4.7 1,500	D	
Class A Common Stock	09/03/2010		M	1,500 A	\$ 20.69 3,000	D	
Class A Common Stock	09/03/2010		S	3,000 D	\$ 81.27 0 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	
Class A Common Stock	09/07/2010		M	400 A	\$ 4.7 400	D	

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Common Stock								
Class A Common Stock	09/07/2010		M	407	A	\$ 20.69	807	D
Class A Common Stock	09/07/2010		S	800	D	\$ 81.67	7	D
Class A Common Stock	09/07/2010		S	7	D	\$ 81.6701	0	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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 4.7	09/03/2010		M	1,500	<u>(2)</u> 07/26/2012	Class A Common Stock	1,500	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 20.69	09/03/2010		M	1,500	<u>(3)</u> 02/08/2013	Class A Common Stock	1,500	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 4.7	09/07/2010		M	400	<u>(4)</u> 07/26/2012	Class A Common Stock	400	

buy)

Employee

Stock

Option	\$ 20.69	09/07/2010	M	407	(5)	02/08/2013	Class A Common Stock	407
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(right to buy)

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
KLEIN JONATHAN F C/O MICROSTRATEGY INCORPORATED 1861 INTERNATIONAL DRIVE MCLEAN, VA 22102			EVP, Law & General Counsel	

## Signatures

/s/ Jonathan F.  
Klein

09/08/2010

\_\_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).
- Separate open market sale transactions that were executed on the same day at the same price have been reported on an aggregate basis on a single line in Table I. The order in which sale transactions are set forth in Table I is not necessarily reflective of the sequence in which the sale transactions occurred in fact.
- (2) The 1,500 shares exercised on 09/03/2010 pursuant to this stock option vested on 07/26/2004. Of the remaining 35,272 shares subject to the stock option, 272 shares vested on 07/26/2004; 17,500 shares vested on 07/26/2005; and 17,500 shares vested on 07/26/2006.
  - (3) The 1,500 shares exercised on 09/03/2010 pursuant to this stock option vested on 02/08/2005. Of the remaining 35,535 shares subject to the stock option, 5,535 shares vested on 02/08/2005; 10,000 shares vested on 02/08/2006; 10,000 shares vested on 02/08/2007; and 10,000 shares vested on 02/08/2008.
  - (4) Of the 400 shares exercised on 09/07/2010 pursuant to this stock option, 272 shares vested on 07/26/2004 and 128 shares vested on 07/26/2005. Of the remaining 34,872 shares subject to the stock option, 17,372 shares vested on 07/26/2005 and 17,500 shares vested on 07/26/2006.
  - (5) The 407 shares exercised on 09/07/2010 pursuant to this stock option vested on 02/08/2005. Of the remaining 35,128 shares subject to the stock option, 5,128 shares vested on 02/08/2005; 10,000 shares vested on 02/08/2006; 10,000 shares vested on 02/08/2007; and 10,000 shares vested on 02/08/2008.
  - (6) See Exhibit A.

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