

BEATTIE BRIAN M  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
BEATTIE BRIAN M

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
700 EAST MIDDLEFIELD ROAD  
(Street)

MOUNTAIN VIEW, CA 94043

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
SYNOPSIS INC [SNPS]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
03/01/2011

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)  
CFO

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price
Common Stock	03/01/2011		M		25,000	A	\$ 21.15
							38,058
Common Stock	03/01/2011		S		25,000	D	\$ 27.5819
							13,058

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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 21.15	03/01/2011		M <sup>(2)</sup>	25,000	10/30/2008	01/17/2013	Common Stock

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
BEATTIE BRIAN M 700 EAST MIDDLEFIELD ROAD MOUNTAIN VIEW, CA 94043			CFO	

## Signatures

By: Stephen Buckhout pursuant to POA For: Brian M Beattie  
Date: 03/02/2011

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).

(1) The average price of \$27.5819 consists of 200 at 27.30, 400 at 27.31, 300 at 27.32, 300 at 27.33, 200 at 27.34, 891 at 27.35, 489 at 27.36, 400 at 27.37, 700 at 27.38, 600 at 27.39, 1100 at 27.40, 800 at 27.41, 400 at 27.42, 700 at 27.43, 600 at 27.44, 300 at 27.45, 500 at 27.46, 500 at 27.47, 100 at 27.48, 300 at 27.49, 100 at 27.50, 100 at 27.51, 349 at 27.52, 400 at 27.53, 500 at 27.54, 300 at 27.55, 1100 at 27.56, 300 at 27.57, 200 at 27.58, 300 at 27.60, 100 at 27.61, 100 at 27.62, 500 at 27.64, 200 at 27.65, 200 at 27.66, 100 at 27.67, 300 at 27.68, 587 at 27.69, 1013 at 27.70, 551 at 27.71, 300 at 27.72, 300 at 27.73, 700 at 27.74, 672 at 27.75, 1100 at 27.76, 1100 at 27.77, 300 at 27.78, 800 at 27.79, 830 at 27.80, 418 at 27.81, 700 at 27.82, 200 at 27.83, 400 at 27.85, 100 at 127.86

(2) The transactions reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan.

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