

SYNOPSIS INC  
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**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
RUNKEL JOHN F JR

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
690 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)  
12/02/2016

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_X\_ Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
General Counsel &

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	12/02/2016		M		3,125	A	\$ 39.09
							11,570
Common Stock	12/02/2016		S <sup>(1)</sup>		3,125	D	\$ 56.4111
							8,445
Common Stock	12/02/2016		M		6,875	A	\$ 42.43
							15,320
Common Stock	12/02/2016		S <sup>(1)</sup>		6,875	D	\$ 56.8346
							8,445

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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)
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 39.09	12/02/2016		M	3,125	05/23/2015 <sup>(4)</sup> 05/23/2021	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 42.43	12/02/2016		M	6,875	03/12/2015 <sup>(5)</sup> 12/12/2021	Common Stock

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
RUNKEL JOHN F JR 690 EAST MIDDLEFIELD ROAD MOUNTAIN VIEW, CA 94043			General Counsel &	

## Signatures

By: POA pursuant Christina Escalante-Dutra For: John Frederick Runkel, Jr. 12/06/2016

\_\_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).
- (1) The transactions reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan.
  - (2) Represents a weighted average sale price per share. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$56.030 to \$56.690. The Reporting Person has provided to the Issuer, and undertakes to provide to the staff of the Securities and Exchange

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Commission or any security holder of the Issuer, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares purchased at each separate price within the range.

Represents a weighted average sale price per share. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$56.690 to 57.110. The Reporting Person has provided to the Issuer, and undertakes to provide to the staff of the Securities and Exchange

- (3) Commission or any security holder of the Issuer, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares purchased at each separate price within the range.
- (4) 1/4 of the grant becomes exercisable one year after grant date with the remainder becoming exercisable in a series of 12 equal quarterly installments thereafter.
- (5) Option vests in 16 equal quarterly installments beginning on the date shown.

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