

WHALEN CHAD MICHAEL
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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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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 *

Â WHALEN CHAD MICHAEL

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O F5 NETWORKS,
INC.,Â 401 ELLIOTT AVE.
WEST

(Street)

SEATTLE,Â WAAÂ 98119

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Date of Event Requiring
Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

07/09/2018

3. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol
F5 NETWORKS INC [FFIV]

4. Relationship of Reporting
Person(s) to Issuer

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

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
__X__ Officer ____ Other
(give title below) (specify below)
EVP, Worldwide Sales

6. Individual or Joint/Group
Filing(Check Applicable Line)
__X__ Form filed by One Reporting
Person
____ Form filed by More than One
Reporting Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security
(Instr. 4)

2. Amount of Securities
Beneficially Owned
(Instr. 4)

3. Ownership
Form:
Direct (D)
or Indirect
(I)
(Instr. 5)

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial
Ownership
(Instr. 5)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially
owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security
(Instr. 4)

2. Date Exercisable and
Expiration Date
(Month/Day/Year)

3. Title and Amount of
Securities Underlying
Derivative Security
(Instr. 4)

4. Conversion
or Exercise
Price of
Derivative
Security

5. Ownership
Form of
Derivative
Security:
Direct (D)

6. Nature of Indirect
Beneficial Ownership
(Instr. 5)

Date Expiration Title Amount or
Exercisable Date Number of

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				Shares			or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Restricted Stock Units <u>(1)</u>	Â <u>(2)</u>	Â <u>(3)</u>	Common Stock	2,339	\$ 0		D	Â
Restricted Stock Units <u>(1)</u>	Â <u>(4)</u>	Â <u>(3)</u>	Common Stock	498	\$ 0		D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
WHALEN CHAD MICHAEL C/O F5 NETWORKS, INC. 401 ELLIOTT AVE. WEST SEATTLE, WA 98119	Â	Â	Â EVP, Worldwide Sales	Â

Signatures

/s/ Scot F. Rogers by Power of Attorney

07/17/2018

Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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) Each Restricted Stock Unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of F5 Networks, Inc. Common Stock on the vest date.
The service-based Restricted Stock Units (RSUs) outstanding under this 02/01/2017 grant vest as follows: 213 vest 08/01/2018, 212 vest 11/1/2018, 213 vest 2/1/2019, 212 vest 05/01/2019, 213 vest 08/01/2019, 213 vest 11/01/2019, 212 vest 02/01/2020, 213 vest 05/01/2020, 212 vest 08/01/2020, 213 vest 11/01/2020 and 213 vest 02/01/2021.
- (2) If the reporting person continues to provide services to the Company through the vest date, the corresponding number of shares of Common Stock of F5 Networks, Inc. will be issued to the reporting person on the vest date.
- (3) The service-based Restricted Stock Units (RSUs) outstanding under this 11/01/2017 grant vest as follows: 83 vest 08/01/2018, 83 vest 11/1/2018, 83 vest 2/1/2019, 83 vest 05/01/2019, 83 vest 08/01/2019, 83 vest 11/01/2019.

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