

Sisco Robynne  
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 \*  
Sisco Robynne

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
VMWARE, INC. [VMW]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
3401 HILLVIEW AVENUE  
  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
09/02/2010

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
CAO, Corporate Controller

PALO ALTO, CA 94304

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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(City) (State) (Zip)

**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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
Class A Common Stock	09/02/2010		M		10,000 A \$ 29.30	D	
Class A Common Stock	09/02/2010		S		2,500 D \$ 81.64 (1) (2)	D	
Class A Common Stock	09/02/2010		S		7,400 D \$ 82.86 (2) (3)	D	
Class A Common	09/02/2010		S		100 D \$ 18,750 83.42	D	

Stock

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)
Stock Option (right-to-buy)	\$ 29.3	09/02/2010		M	10,000	<u>(4)</u> 07/15/2015	Class A Common Stock 10,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Sisco Robynne 3401 HILLVIEW AVENUE PALO ALTO, CA 94304			CAO, Corporate Controller	

## Signatures

Larry Wainblat,  
attorney-in-fact 09/03/2010

    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).
- (1) Price represent weighted average for sales reported. The range of prices for the sale reported is \$81.13 through \$82.07.
- (2) The reporting person will provide upon request by the commission staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (3) Price represent weighted average for sales reported. The range of prices for the sale reported is \$82.34 through \$83.29.
- (4)

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The option, representing a right to purchase a total of 50,000 shares of Class A Common stock, became exercisable as to one-quarter of the shares on July 15, 2010, and vests in 36 equal monthly installments as to the remaining shares until fully exercisable on July 15, 2013.

### **Remarks:**

The transactions reported on this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person.

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