

VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS INC / MA

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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 \*  
Sachdev Amit

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O VERTEX  
PHARMACEUTICALS  
INCORPORATED, 130 WAVERLY  
ST.

(Street)

CAMBRIDGE, MA 02139

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS  
INC / MA [VRTX]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
09/13/2012

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)  
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6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**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)
Common Stock	09/13/2012		M	V	18,750 A \$ 29.25	49,858	D
Common Stock	09/13/2012		M	V	9,531 A \$ 32.16	59,389	D
Common Stock	09/13/2012		S <sup>(1)</sup>	D	19,644 D \$ 55.86	39,745	D
Common	09/13/2012		S <sup>(1)</sup>	D	18,637 D \$ 56.5	21,108	D

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Stock					(3) (4)			
Common Stock	09/14/2012		M	9,531	A	\$ 32.16	30,639	D
Common Stock	09/14/2012		S <sup>(1)</sup>	9,531	D	\$ 58	21,108	D
Common Stock							662	I 401(k)

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)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 29.25	09/13/2012		M	18,750	(5) 07/22/2017	07/22/2017	Common Stock	18,750
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 32.16	09/13/2012		M	9,531	(5) 07/23/2018	07/23/2018	Common Stock	9,531
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 32.16	09/14/2012		M	9,531	(5) 07/23/2018	07/23/2018	Common Stock	9,531

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Reporting Owners

Director 10% Owner Officer

Other

Sachdev Amit  
C/O VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS  
INCORPORATED  
130 WAVERLY ST.  
CAMBRIDGE, MA 02139

SVP, Corp Affairs & Pub  
Policy

## Signatures

Omar White,  
Attorney-In-Fact

09/17/2012

\_\_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) Transaction made pursuant to Mr. Sachdev's company approved trading plan under Rule 10b5-1.
- (2) Open market sales reported on this line occurred at a weighted average price of \$55.86 (range \$55.25 to \$56.23).
- (3) Mr. Sachdev undertakes to provide (upon request by the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer) full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (4) Open market sales reported on this line occurred at a weighted average price of \$56.50 (range \$56.25 to \$57.02).
- (5) Fully vested.

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