SPLUNK INC Form 4 September 03, 2014

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Schroeder Guido

(First)

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Middle)

SPLUNK INC [SPLK]

(Check all applicable)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

08/29/2014

Director 10% Owner

X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

SVP, Products

C/O SPLUNK INC., 250 **BRANNAN STREET**

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

Person

SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94107

(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	e I - Non-Do	erivative S	ecuriti	es Acq	uired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)			4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	08/29/2014		M	10,000	A	\$9	122,682	D	
Common Stock	08/29/2014		S <u>(1)</u>	10,000	D	\$ 50	112,682 (2)	D	

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative 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)	\$ 9	08/29/2014		M	10,000	(3)	04/03/2022	Common Stock	10,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Schroeder Guido C/O SPLUNK INC. 250 BRANNAN STREET SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94107

SVP, Products

Signatures

/s/ Steve Dean, by power of attorney

09/03/2014

**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 sale reported on this Form 4 was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person on December 18, 2013.
- (2) Includes 570 shares acquired under the Splunk Inc. Employee Stock Purchase Plan on June 16, 2014.
- (3) The option is subject to an early exercise provision and is immediately exercisable. One-fourth of the shares subject to the option vested on April 2, 2013 and one forty-eighth of the shares vest monthly thereafter.

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