

FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>REICH JOEL D</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) 495 EAST JAVA DRIVE (Street) SUNNYVALE CA 94089 (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>NetApp, Inc. [NTAP]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) <u>Exec VP, Product Operations</u>
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>02/27/2017</u>	
4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		

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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	02/27/2017		M		7,709	A	\$37.62	7,709	D	
Common Stock	02/27/2017		M		4,500	A	\$29.44	12,209	D	
Common Stock	02/27/2017		S		12,209	D	\$41.0055 ⁽¹⁾	0	D	

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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date						Title
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$29.44	02/27/2017		M		4,500		07/01/2012 ⁽²⁾	05/31/2019	Common Stock	4,500	\$41.055	0	D	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$37.62	02/27/2017		M		7,709		07/01/2010 ⁽³⁾	05/31/2017	Common Stock	7,709	\$41.055	0	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- The price in Column 4 is a weighted average price. The prices actually received ranged from \$41.00 to \$41.04. The reporting person will provide to the issuer, any security holder of the issuer, or the SEC staff, upon request, information regarding the number of shares sold at each price within the range.
- On June 1, 2012, the reporting person was granted 14,400 nonqualified stock options, subject to the option vesting monthly in equal installments over four years beginning on July 1, 2012, subject to continued service on each applicable vesting date.
- On June 1, 2010, the reporting person was granted 10,000 nonqualified stock options, subject to the option vesting monthly in equal installments over four years beginning on July 1, 2010, subject to continued service on each applicable vesting date.

By: Roberta S Cohen by Attorney-in-Fact For: Joel D. Reich 03/01/2017

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

* 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).

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