SEC Form 4

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

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*	2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)
Noviello Nicholas R	NetApp, Inc. [NTAP]	

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*

Noviello Nicholas R

(Last)   (First)   (Middle)

495 EAST JAVA DRIVE

(Street)

SUNNYVALE   CA   94089

(City)   (State)   (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol
NetApp, Inc. [NTAP]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
02/15/2012

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)

	Director		10% Owner
X	Officer (give title below)		Other (specify below)

Chief Financial Officer

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 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	02/15/2012		M		3,000	A	$0	15,992	D	
Common Stock	02/15/2012		F		1,173	D	$39.88	14,819	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	Amount or Number of Shares				
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	$39.88	02/15/2012		A		37,500		(1)	02/14/2019	Common Stock	37,500	$0	37,500	D	
Restricted Stock Unit	$0	02/15/2012		A		12,500		(2)	(2)	Common Stock	12,500	$0	35,841	D	
Restricted Stock Unit	$0	02/15/2012		M			3,000	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	3,000	$0	32,841	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Option vests with respect to 25% of the option shares on January 1, 2013 and the balance in a series of equal monthly installments over the next 36 months of service thereafter.

2. The restricted stock unit shares vest as to 25% of the shares on the one-year anniversary of the grant date, and 25% of the shares on each annual anniversary thereafter for the next 3 years.

By: Janice Mahoney by Power of Attorney For: Nicholas R. Noviello   02/16/2012

** 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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