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## FORM 4

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

CONTE DAVID F			Symbol	Issuer		
			SPLUNK INC [SPLK]	(Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) (Middle)		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	( supplies of the second of th		
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner	·	
C/O SPLUNK INC., 250 BRANNAN STREET			03/11/2014	_X_ Officer (give title Other (speci	fy	
			03/11/2011	below) below)		
				SVP & Chief Financial Officer		

(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
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Person

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

#### SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94107

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

(City)	(State) (	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ties Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)			5. Amount of 6. Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Direct Owned (D) or Following Indirect (I) Reported (Instr. 4) Transaction(s)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	03/10/2014		M	20,833	A	\$ 2.94	130,833	D	
Common Stock	03/10/2014		M	2,083	A	\$ 4.82	132,916	D	
Common Stock	03/10/2014		S <u>(1)</u>	3,100	D	\$ 84.19 (2)	129,816	D	
Common Stock	03/10/2014		S <u>(1)</u>	16,516	D	\$ 85.15 (3)	113,300	D	
	03/10/2014		S(1)	1,900	D		111,400	D	

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Common Stock					\$ 86.12 (4)		
Common Stock	03/10/2014	S(1)	1,400	D	\$ 87.03 (5)	110,000	D

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

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 $\label{thm:convergence} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \end{tabular}$ 

I S	. Title of Derivative ecurity (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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	ative Expiration Date ities (Month/Day/Year) ired (A) sposed of  . 3, 4,		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
S (	Employee Stock Option right to	\$ 2.94	03/10/2014		M	20,833	<u>(6)</u>	07/14/2021	Common Stock	20,833
S (	Employee Stock Option right to ouy)	\$ 4.82	03/10/2014		M	2,083	<u>(7)</u>	12/14/2021	Common Stock	2,083

## **Reporting Owners**

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

CONTE DAVID F C/O SPLUNK INC. 250 BRANNAN STREET SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94107

SVP & Chief Financial Officer

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## **Signatures**

/s/ Steve Dean, by power of attorney

03/12/2014

\*\*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 sales reported on this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person on September 27, 2013.
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$83.78 to \$84.73, inclusive. The Reporting Person undertakes to provide to the Issuer, any security holder of the Issuer, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in footnotes (2) through (5) to this Form 4.
- (3) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$84.78 to \$85.76, inclusive.
- (4) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$85.77 to \$86.75, inclusive.
- (5) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$86.76 to \$87.19, inclusive.
- The option, representing a right to purchase a total of 1,000,000 shares, is subject to an early exercise provision pursuant to which

  (6) 320,155 shares are immediately exercisable and an additional 34,013 shares become exercisable on January 1, 2015. One-fourth of the shares subject to the option vested on July 15, 2012 and one forty-eighth of the shares vest monthly thereafter.
- (7) One-fourth of the shares subject to the option vested on December 15, 2012 and one forty-eighth of the shares vest monthly thereafter. Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.

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