

SPLUNK INC

Form 4

December 22, 2015

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
STEIN LEONARD R

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O SPLUNK INC., 250
BRANNAN STREET

(Street)

SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94107

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
SPLUNK INC [SPLK]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
12/18/2015

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
____X____ Officer (give title _____ Other (specify
below) below)

SVP, General Counsel & Sec.

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
____X____ Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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 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)
Common Stock	12/14/2015		G	V 2,100 D \$ 0	108,211	D	
Common Stock	12/18/2015		M	4,167 A \$ 4.82	112,383 ⁽¹⁾	D	
Common Stock	12/18/2015		S ⁽²⁾	6,273 D \$ 53.66	106,110	D	
Common Stock	12/18/2015		S ⁽²⁾	600 D \$ 54.3	105,510	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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities (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)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 4.82	12/18/2015		M	4,167	<u>(5)</u> 12/14/2021	Common Stock	4,167

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
STEIN LEONARD R C/O SPLUNK INC. 250 BRANNAN STREET SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94107			SVP, General Counsel & Sec.	

Signatures

/s/ Steve Dean, by power of attorney

12/22/2015

____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) Includes 5 shares acquired under the Splunk Inc. Employee Stock Purchase Plan on December 15, 2015.

(2) The sales reported on this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person on March 20, 2015.

(3)

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The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$53.09 to \$54.08, 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 (3) and (4) to this Form 4.

(4) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$54.12 to \$54.68, inclusive.

(5) The option is fully vested and immediately exercisable.

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