

APPLE COMPUTER INC

Form 4

October 21, 2005

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 *
OPPENHEIMER PETER

(Last) (First) (Middle)

1 INFINITE LOOP

(Street)

CUPERTINO, CA 95014

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
APPLE COMPUTER INC [AAPL]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
10/20/2005

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 below) ____ Other (specify below)

Senior Vice President

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 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	10/20/2005	10/20/2005	M ⁽¹⁾	800 A	\$ 13.813	14,143	D
Common Stock	10/20/2005	10/20/2005	S ⁽¹⁾	800 D	\$ 56.28	14,143	D
Common Stock	10/20/2005	10/20/2005	M ⁽¹⁾	1,400 A	\$ 13.813	14,143	D
Common Stock	10/20/2005	10/20/2005	S ⁽¹⁾	1,400 D	\$ 56.29	14,143	D
Common Stock	10/20/2005	10/20/2005	M ⁽¹⁾	800 A	\$ 13.813	14,143	D

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Common Stock	10/20/2005	10/20/2005	<u>S</u> (1)	800	D	\$ 56.31	14,143	D
Common Stock	10/20/2005	10/20/2005	<u>M</u> (1)	700	A	\$ 13.813	14,143	D
Common Stock	10/20/2005	10/20/2005	<u>S</u> (1)	700	D	\$ 56.36	14,143	D
Common Stock	10/20/2005	10/20/2005	<u>M</u> (1)	800	A	\$ 13.813	14,143	D
Common Stock	10/20/2005	10/20/2005	<u>S</u> (1)	800	D	\$ 56.37	14,143	D
Common Stock	10/20/2005	10/20/2005	<u>M</u> (1)	100	A	\$ 13.813	14,143	D
Common Stock	10/20/2005	10/20/2005	<u>S</u> (1)	100	D	\$ 56.376	14,143	D
Common Stock	10/20/2005	10/20/2005	<u>M</u> (1)	800	A	\$ 13.813	14,143	D
Common Stock	10/20/2005	10/20/2005	<u>S</u> (1)	800	D	\$ 56.38	14,143	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 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)	Amount or Number of Shares
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title	
Employee Stock Option	\$ 13.813	10/20/2005	10/20/2005	<u>M</u> (1)	2,700	08/03/2000 08/03/2009	Common Stock	2,700
Employee Stock	\$ 13.813	10/20/2005	10/20/2005	<u>M</u> (1)	2,700	08/03/2000 08/03/2009	Common Stock	2,700

Option

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
OPPENHEIMER PETER 1 INFINITE LOOP CUPERTINO, CA 95014			Senior Vice President	

Signatures

/s/ Peter	
Oppenheimer	10/20/2005
**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 transactions reported on this Form 4 were made pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on August 17, 2005.

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