FORM 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Pers Wheeler, Michael	son*	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	Statement for (Month/Day/Year	6. Relationsh	ip of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) Southpointe 275 Technology Drive	(Middle)	ANSYS, Inc. [ANSS]	01/31/2003	X Officer (giv	10% Owner e title below) _ Other (specify below)		
(Street) Canonsburg, PA 15317		3. I.R.S. Identification Number of Reporting Person, if an entity (voluntary)	5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year)	,	Vice President and General chanical Business Unit		
(City) (State)	(Zip)				or Joint/Group cck Applicable Line)		
					by One Reporting Person 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. Trans Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	d (A) or Disposed Of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	ship Form: Direct (D) or Indirect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
			Code	V	Amount	A/D	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)	(I) (Instr. 4)			
Common Stock** Acquired through Employee Stock Purchase Plan	01/31/2003		J**		268	А	\$15.8865	1,232	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 2. Conversion 3. Transaction Date Deamed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) 3. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) 4. Transaction Code (Instr.8)					6. Date Exercisable(DE) and Expiration Date(ED) (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (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. Owner- ship Form of Deriv- ative Securities: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr.4)		
				Code	٧	А	D	DE	ED	Title	Amount or Number of Shares			(Instr.4)	
Options to Purchase	\$9.875							(1)	12/13/2010	Common Stock	15,000	\$	15,000	D	
Options to Purchase	\$18.70							(2)	8/20/2011	Common Stockn	7,800	\$	7,800	D	
Options to Purchase	\$26.56							(3)	12/10/2011	Common Stock	15,000	\$	15,000	D	
Options to Purchase	\$19.77							(4)	10/22/2012	Common Stock	12,000	\$	12,000	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- (1) The option grant of 15,000 shares vests in four equal annual installments beginning 12/13/2001
- (2) The option grant of 7,800 shares vests in four equal annual installments beginning 08/20/2002
- (3) The option grant of 15,000 shares vests in four equal annual installments beginning 12/10/2002
- (4) The option grant of 12,000 shares vests in four equal annual installments beginning 10/22/2003

By: Date:

<u>/s/</u>

** Signature of Reporting Person SEC 1474 (9-02)

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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