

APPLE COMPUTER INC
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
SERLET BERTRAND

(Last) (First) (Middle)

1 INFINITE LOOP MS 81-2CL

(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)
10/24/2005

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Senior Vice President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	10/24/2005	10/24/2005	M ⁽¹⁾		20,000	A	\$ 9.25
					5,161		
Common Stock	10/24/2005	10/24/2005	S ⁽¹⁾		20,000	D	\$ 56.29
					5,161		
Common Stock	10/25/2005	10/25/2005	M ⁽¹⁾		11,296	A	\$ 9.25
					5,161		
Common Stock	10/25/2005	10/25/2005	S ⁽¹⁾		11,296	D	\$ 56.4
					5,161		
Common Stock	10/25/2005	10/25/2005	M ⁽¹⁾		8,704	A	\$ 10.195
					5,161		

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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)			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Share
Employee Stock Option	\$ 9.25	10/24/2005	10/24/2005	M ⁽¹⁾		6,296		07/26/2004	10/26/2010	Common Stock	6,296
Employee Stock Option	\$ 9.25	10/24/2005	10/24/2005	M ⁽¹⁾		13,704		10/26/2004	10/26/2010	Common Stock	13,704
Employee Stock Option	\$ 9.25	10/25/2005	10/25/2005	M ⁽¹⁾		11,296		10/26/2004	10/26/2010	Common Stock	11,296
Employee Stock Option	\$ 10.195	10/25/2005	10/25/2005	M ⁽¹⁾		8,704		03/14/2002	12/14/2011	Common Stock	8,704

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SERLET BERTRAND 1 INFINITE LOOP MS 81-2CL CUPERTINO, CA 95014			Senior Vice President	

Signatures

/S/ Bertrand
Serlet

10/26/2005

__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 in this Form 4 were made pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on April 30, 2004.

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