

CISCO SYSTEMS INC  
 Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
**CHAMBERS JOHN T**

(Last) (First) (Middle)

170 WEST TASMAN DRIVE

(Street)

SAN JOSE, CA 95134

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**CISCO SYSTEMS INC [CSCO]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
 (Month/Day/Year)  
**05/17/2005**

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)  
 President/CEO

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	05/17/2005		M <sup>(1)</sup>		70,000	A	\$ 5.5556
Common Stock	05/17/2005		S <sup>(1)</sup>		70,000	D	\$ 18.85
Common Stock	05/17/2005		M <sup>(1)</sup>		70,000	A	\$ 5.5556
Common Stock	05/17/2005		S <sup>(1)</sup>		70,000	D	\$ 18.87
Common Stock	05/17/2005		M <sup>(1)</sup>		50,000	A	\$ 5.5556

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Common Stock	05/17/2005	<u>S</u> (1)	50,000	D	\$ 18.88	2,984,444	D
Common Stock	05/17/2005	<u>M</u> (1)	130,000	A	\$ 5.5556	3,114,444	D
Common Stock	05/17/2005	<u>S</u> (1)	130,000	D	\$ 18.9	2,984,444	D
Common Stock	05/17/2005	<u>M</u> (1)	40,000	A	\$ 5.5556	3,024,444	D
Common Stock	05/17/2005	<u>S</u> (1)	40,000	D	\$ 18.91	2,984,444	D
Common Stock	05/17/2005	<u>M</u> (1)	140,000	A	\$ 5.5556	3,124,444	D
Common Stock	05/17/2005	<u>S</u> (1)	140,000	D	\$ 18.92	2,984,444	D
Common Stock	05/17/2005	<u>M</u> (1)	30,000	A	\$ 5.5556	3,014,444	D
Common Stock	05/17/2005	<u>S</u> (1)	30,000	D	\$ 18.95	2,984,444	D
Common Stock	05/17/2005	<u>M</u> (1)	90,000	A	\$ 5.5556	3,074,444	D
Common Stock	05/17/2005	<u>S</u> (1)	90,000	D	\$ 18.98	2,984,444	D
Common Stock	05/17/2005	<u>M</u> (1)	186,621	A	\$ 5.5556	3,171,065	D
Common Stock	05/17/2005	<u>S</u> (1)	186,621	D	\$ 19	2,984,444	D
Common Stock	05/17/2005	<u>M</u> (1)	20,000	A	\$ 5.5556	3,004,444	D
Common Stock	05/17/2005	<u>S</u> (1)	20,000	D	\$ 19.05	2,984,444	D
Common Stock	05/17/2005	<u>M</u> (1)	73,379	A	\$ 5.5556	3,057,823	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)

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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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	
					V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 5.5556	05/17/2005		M <sup>(1)</sup>		70,000	(2)	07/29/2005	Common Stock	70,000
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 5.5556	05/17/2005		M <sup>(1)</sup>		70,000	(2)	07/29/2005	Common Stock	70,000
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 5.5556	05/17/2005		M <sup>(1)</sup>		50,000	(2)	07/29/2005	Common Stock	50,000
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 5.5556	05/17/2005		M <sup>(1)</sup>		130,000	(2)	07/29/2005	Common Stock	130,000
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 5.5556	05/17/2005		M <sup>(1)</sup>		40,000	(2)	07/29/2005	Common Stock	40,000
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 5.5556	05/17/2005		M <sup>(1)</sup>		140,000	(2)	07/29/2005	Common Stock	140,000
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 5.5556	05/17/2005		M <sup>(1)</sup>		30,000	(2)	07/29/2005	Common Stock	30,000
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 5.5556	05/17/2005		M <sup>(1)</sup>		90,000	(2)	07/29/2005	Common Stock	90,000
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 5.5556	05/17/2005		M <sup>(1)</sup>		186,621	(2)	07/29/2005	Common Stock	186,621
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 5.5556	05/17/2005		M <sup>(1)</sup>		20,000	(2)	07/29/2005	Common Stock	20,000
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 5.5556	05/17/2005		M <sup>(1)</sup>		73,379	(2)	07/29/2005	Common Stock	73,379

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
CHAMBERS JOHN T 170 WEST TASMAN DRIVE SAN JOSE, CA 95134	X		President/CEO	

## Signatures

John T.  
Chambers

05/19/2005

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 effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 plan adopted by the reporting person on August 17, 2004.
- (2) The option vested as to twenty-five percent (25%) of the shares on the one (1) year anniversary of the date of grant, and as to the remaining seventy-five percent (75%) of the shares thereafter in thirty-six (36) successive equal monthly installments.

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