VERISSIMO MARC J

Form 5

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Form 4 Transactions Reported

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer VERISSIMO MARC J Symbol SVB FINANCIAL GROUP [SIVB] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) 3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Last) (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner _X__ Officer (give title Other (specify 12/31/2010 below) below) 3005 TASMAN DRIVE ChiefStrategyOfficer (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting Filed(Month/Day/Year) (check applicable line) SANTA CLARA, CAÂ 95054

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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-Dei	ivative Se	curiti	es Acq	uired, Disposed	l of, or Benefi	cially 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 at end of Issuer's	Ownership Form:	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	(I) (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	12/31/2010	12/31/2010	J	32 (1)	D	\$0	11,663	I	By self in 401K/ESOP
Common Stock	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	12,680	D	Â

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	and	8. Price of	
	Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	Number	Expiration Da	ate	Amour	nt of	Derivative	
	Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Underl	ying	Security	
(Instr. 3)		Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Securit	ies	(Instr. 5)	
		Derivative			Securities			(Instr. :	3 and 4)			
Security						Acquired (A) or						
						Disposed						
						of (D)						
						(Instr. 3,						
			4, and 5)									
										Amount		
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	or Title Numb of				
						(A) (D)						
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

VERISSIMO MARC J 3005 TASMAN DRIVE Â Â Â ChiefStrategyOfficer Â SANTA CLARA, CAÂ 95054

Signatures

Lisa Bertolet as attorney in fact 02/14/2011

**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) Reporting person holds share units in a 401K retirement plan that reports holdings in a unitized accounting basis instead of a share accounting basis. This transaction is to report changes in liquidity only, no ownership changes actually took place.

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