

Christie Katherine Blair  
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**FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

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|---|---------|---|--|---|
| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * |         | 2. Date of Event Requiring Statement  | 3. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol |   |
| Christie Katherine Blair                  |         | (Month/Day/Year)  | CISCO SYSTEMS INC [CSCO]                           |   |
| (Last)                                    | (First) | (Middle)  | 01/24/2011   |   |
| 170 WEST TASMAN DRIVE                     |         | 4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  |  | 5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)  |
| (Street)                                  |         | (Check all applicable)  |  | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  |
| SAN JOSE, CA 95134                        |         | <input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other<br>(give title below)    (specify below) |  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person<br><input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person |
| (City)                                    | (State) | (Zip)   | SVP, Chief Marketing Officer                       |   |

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 4) | 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4) | 3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) | 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5) |
|---------------------------------|---|--|---|
| Common Stock                    | 289,395 <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u> <u>(3)</u>              | D  | ^   |

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. SEC 1473 (7-02)

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4) | 2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4) | 4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect | 6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5) |
|--|--|---|--|--|---|
|  | Date Exercisable    Expiration Date                      | Title    Amount or Number of  |  |  |   |

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|   |       |            |              | Shares  |          | (I)<br>(Instr. 5) |   |
|---|-------|------------|--------------|---------|----------|-------------------|---|
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | Â (4) | 08/08/2012 | Common Stock | 3,333   | \$ 17.58 | D                 | Â |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | Â (4) | 09/02/2012 | Common Stock | 14,000  | \$ 19.59 | D                 | Â |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | Â (4) | 03/12/2013 | Common Stock | 35,000  | \$ 23.13 | D                 | Â |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | Â (4) | 08/23/2013 | Common Stock | 49,500  | \$ 19.18 | D                 | Â |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | Â (4) | 09/29/2014 | Common Stock | 69,000  | \$ 17.86 | D                 | Â |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | Â (5) | 07/05/2015 | Common Stock | 75,000  | \$ 19.6  | D                 | Â |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | Â (6) | 09/21/2015 | Common Stock | 200,000 | \$ 23.01 | D                 | Â |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | Â (7) | 09/20/2016 | Common Stock | 120,000 | \$ 32.21 | D                 | Â |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | Â (8) | 06/11/2016 | Common Stock | 70,000  | \$ 20.1  | D                 | Â |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address  | Relationships |           |                                |       |
|---|---------------|-----------|--------------------------------|-------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                        | Other |
| Christie Katherine Blair<br>170 WEST TASMAN DRIVE<br>SAN JOSE, CA 95134 | Â             | Â         | Â SVP, Chief Marketing Officer | Â     |

## Signatures

Katherine Blair Christie by Evan B. Sloves,  
Attorney-in-Fact

02/03/2011

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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).

- Includes: (i) the 10,000 remaining unvested shares of a restricted stock unit award originally granted with respect to 50,000 shares of common stock on September 21, 2006, which will vest on November 3, 2011; (ii) the 5,055 remaining unvested shares of a restricted stock unit award originally granted with respect to 8,425 shares of common stock on March 20, 2008, which will vest in three (3) successive equal annual installments starting on May 2, 2011; (iii) the 12,500 remaining unvested shares of a restricted stock unit award originally granted with respect to 25,000 shares of common stock on September 11, 2008, which will vest in two (2) successive equal annual installments starting on October 24, 2011; (Continued on Footnotes 2 and 3)
- (1) (Continued from Footnote 1) (iv) the 6,187 remaining unvested shares of a restricted stock unit award, originally resulting from the satisfaction of a fiscal 2008 performance condition and granted with respect to 15,466 shares of common stock on September 11, 2008,

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which will vest in two (2) successive equal annual installments starting on October 24, 2011; (v) a restricted stock unit award with respect to 35,000 shares of common stock, which award was granted on March 12, 2009 and which will vest on April 24, 2013; (vi) the 26,250 remaining unvested shares of a restricted stock unit award originally granted with respect to 35,000 shares of common stock on March 12, 2009, which will vest in three (3) successive equal annual installments starting on April 24, 2011; (Continued on Footnote 3)

- (Continued from Footnotes 1 and 2) (vii) the 75,000 remaining unvested shares of a restricted stock unit award originally granted with respect to 100,000 shares of common stock on November 12, 2009, which will vest in three (3) successive equal annual installments
- (3) starting on October 24, 2011; and (viii) a restricted stock unit award with respect to 75,000 shares of common stock, which award was granted on September 16, 2010, of which the first twenty-five percent (25%) of the shares vest on September 11, 2011 and the remaining shares vest in three (3) successive annual installments thereafter.
  - (4) The remaining portion of this option is immediately exercisable.
  - (5) 66,250 shares of this option are immediately exercisable and the remaining 8,750 shares will vest in seven (7) successive equal monthly installments starting on February 17, 2011.
  - (6) 166,667 shares of this option are immediately exercisable and the remaining 33,333 shares will vest in ten (10) successive equal monthly installments starting on February 2, 2011.
  - (7) 76,000 shares of this option are immediately exercisable and the remaining 44,000 shares will vest in twenty-two (22) successive equal monthly installments starting on February 1, 2011.
  - (8) 26,249 shares of this option are immediately exercisable and the remaining 43,751 shares will vest in thirty (30) successive equal monthly installments starting on February 23, 2011.

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