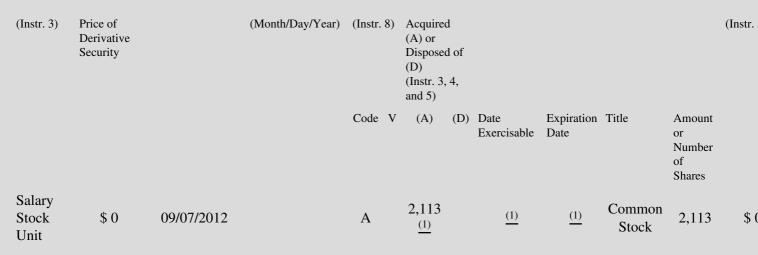
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(Print or Type Respon	nses)									
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> Hatcher Samuel F.			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SYNOVUS FINANCIAL CORP			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
			[SNV]				(Check all applicable)			
(Last) (P.O. BOX 120	(First) (1	Middle)		of Earliest T Day/Year) 2012	ransaction		Director X Officer (gi below) EVP.Ge		% Owner her (specify retary	
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					Amount		(Instr. 3 and 4)			
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 Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned
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1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and Amount of	8. Price
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	onof Derivative	Expiration Date	Underlying Securities	Deriva
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Addres	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Hatcher Samuel F. P.O. BOX 120 COLUMBUS, GA 31902			EVP,Gen.Counsel, Secretary				
Signatures							
/s/ Mary Maurice Young	09/11/201	2					
**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).

Salary stock units ("SSUs") are restricted stock units issued bi-weekly as a portion of the reporting person's salary compensation, net of withholdings and deductions, and are issued under the Synovus Financial Corp. 2007 Omnibus Plan. An SSU represents the right to

 receive a cash payment equal to the future value of a share of Synovus common stock. For more information, please see the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Synovus on March 16, 2012. SSUs are fully vested on the date of grant and will settle in cash on February 15, 2013.

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