#### AVID TECHNOLOGY INC

Form 4

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1(b).

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * BAKER PATRICIA A			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol AVID TECHNOLOGY INC [AVID]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check an applicable)		
855 BOARDWALK PLACE		Œ	(Month/Day/Year) 10/29/2004	Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specify		
				below) below)  VP of Human Resources		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person		
REDWOOD CITY, CA 94065				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivative Securities Acquir	ed, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) our Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	10/29/2004		Code V M	Amount (D) Price 10,000 A \$ 13.0625	(Instr. 3 and 4) 19,177	D	

Stock	10/29/2004	M	9,792	A	\$ 14	28,969	D
Common Stock	10/29/2004	M	8,008	A	\$ 12.8	36,977	D
Common Stock	10/29/2004	S	200	D	\$ 52.19	36,777	D
Common	10/29/2004	S	6	D	\$ 52.2	36,771	D

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Common Stock	10/29/2004	S	9,700	D	\$ 52.2	27,071	D
Common Stock	10/29/2004	S	800	D	\$ 52.24	26,271	D
Common Stock	10/29/2004	S	200	D	\$ 52.25	26,071	D
Common Stock	10/29/2004	S	1,700	D	\$ 52.34	24,371	D
Common Stock	10/29/2004	S	500	D	\$ 52.3	23,871	D
Common Stock	10/29/2004	S	600	D	\$ 52.43	23,271	D
Common Stock	10/29/2004	S	401	D	\$ 52.44	22,870	D
Common Stock	10/29/2004	S	200	D	\$ 52.47	22,670	D
Common Stock	10/29/2004	S	300	D	\$ 52.5	22,370	D
Common Stock	10/29/2004	S	100	D	\$ 52.55	22,270	D
Common Stock	10/29/2004	S	600	D	\$ 52.63	21,670	D
Common Stock	10/29/2004	S	200	D	\$ 52.64	21,470	D
Common Stock	10/29/2004	S	1,177	D	\$ 52.65	20,293	D
Common Stock	10/29/2004	S	1,000	D	\$ 52.68	19,293	D
Common Stock	10/29/2004	S	900	D	\$ 52.7	18,393	D
Common Stock	10/29/2004	S	516	D	\$ 52.75	17,877	D
Common Stock	10/29/2004	S	408	D	\$ 52.77	17,469	D
Common Stock	10/29/2004	S	7,392	D	\$ 52.77	10,077	D
Common Stock	10/29/2004	S	400	D	\$ 52.78	9,677	D
Common Stock	10/29/2004	S	200	D	\$ 52.79	9,477	D

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisals Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year		7. Title and Ar Underlying Se (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title I
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 11.375	10/29/2004		M	2,200	05/09/2000(1)	11/09/2009	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 13.0625	10/29/2004		M	10,000	01/01/2001(2)	01/01/2010	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 14	10/29/2004		M	9,792	04/30/2001(3)	10/30/2010	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 12.8	10/29/2004		M	8,008	10/17/2001(3)	04/17/2011	Common Stock

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other

BAKER PATRICIA A 855 BOARDWALK PLACE REDWOOD CITY, CA 94065

VP of Human Resources

Deletionship

### **Signatures**

Patricia A. Baker 11/02/2004

\*\*Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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- \* 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) 25% of the option becomes exercisable on the date listed in the "Date Exercisable" column; the remaining 75% becomes exercisable in three equal six month installments thereafter.
- (2) 25% of the option becomes exercisable on the date listed in the "Date Exercisable" column; the remaining 75% becomes exercisable in 12 equal quarterly installments beginning three months after the date listed in the "Date Exercisable" column.
- (3) 12.5% of the option becomes exercisable on the date listed in the "Date Exercisable" column; the remaining 87.5% becomes exercisable in 42 equal monthly installments thereafter.

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