

DANTEC ALAIN
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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 *
DANTEC ALAIN

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
SEMTECH CORP [SMTC]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
200 FLYNN ROAD
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
03/01/2011

____ Director
 Officer (give title below)
____ 10% Owner
____ Other (specify below)
Senior Vice President

CAMARILLO, CA 93012-8790
(City) (State) (Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	03/01/2011		A		5,312	A	\$ 0 18,192
						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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 23.33	03/01/2011		A	20,700	(1)	03/01/2022	Common Stock	20,700
Restricted Stock Unit	(2)	03/01/2011		A	11,000	(1)	(1)	Common Stock	11,000
Restricted Stock Unit	(3)	03/01/2011		A	1,000	(4)	(4)	Common Stock	1,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
DANTEC ALAIN 200 FLYNN ROAD CAMARILLO, CA 93012-8790			Senior Vice President	

Signatures

Alain Dantec by Randall H. Holliday under Power of Attorney dated November 10, 2008 (Copy On File) 03/03/2011

__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) This grant vests in three annual installments beginning on March 1, 2012.
- (2) Each Restricted Stock Unit represents the contingent right to one share of the company's common stock.
- (3) Each Restricted Stock Unit represents the contingent right to receive one share of the company's common stock or its economic equivalent in cash.
- (4) This grant vests on the two year anniversary of the award, but is payable only six months after the reporting person's employment terminates.

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