

LAU YUE JOHN  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
LAU YUE JOHN

(Last) (First) (Middle)

224 AIRPORT PARKWAY, SUITE 400

(Street)

SAN JOSE, CA 95110

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
PIXELWORKS, INC [PXLW]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
07/26/2012

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_X\_ Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)

Sr. VP Foundry, IP & EDA

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**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)
				(A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	07/26/2012		A	11,500 A 11	42,878	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
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 49.5					<u>(2)</u>	01/02/2012	Common Stock	7,460
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 0.6					<u>(3)</u>	03/23/2019	Common Stock	100,000
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 2.28					<u>(3)</u>	02/28/2018	Common Stock	6,481
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 2.36					<u>(3)</u>	02/09/2018	Common Stock	50,000
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 3.13					<u>(3)</u>	02/10/2016	Common Stock	45,000
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 3.48					<u>(3)</u>	02/10/2017	Common Stock	60,000
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 7.47					<u>(3)</u>	12/04/2016	Common Stock	25,000
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 15.06					<u>(4)</u>	02/15/2016	Common Stock	16,666
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 22.71					<u>(5)</u>	01/31/2013	Common Stock	16,666
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 25.5					<u>(6)</u>	04/02/2011	Common Stock	13,333
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 28.44					<u>(7)</u>	03/04/2015	Common Stock	8,333

Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 46.23	(8)	03/09/2014	Common Stock	13,333
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 49.5	(2)	01/02/2012	Common Stock	9,206

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
LAU YUE JOHN 224 AIRPORT PARKWAY SUITE 400 SAN JOSE, CA 95110			Sr. VP Foundry, IP & EDA	

## Signatures

By: Andrew P. Bates For: John  
Yue Lau 07/30/2012

\_\_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) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of the registrant's common stock. The restricted stock units will vest 50% on the first anniversary of the grant date and 50% on the second anniversary of the grant date.

- The options become exercisable on a monthly basis over a 4-year period which commenced on January 31, 2002, as follows: 10%  
(2) exercisable as of January 31, 2003, 20% exercisable as of January 31, 2004, 30% exercisable as of January 31, 2005 and 40% exercisable as of January 31, 2006.

- (3) Becomes exercisable on a monthly basis over 3 years, commencing the last day of the month of the date of grant.

- The options become exercisable on a monthly basis over a 4-year period which commences February 15, 2006, as follows: 10%  
(4) exercisable as of February 15, 2007, 20% exercisable as of February 15, 2008, 30% as of February 15, 2009 and 40% exercisable as of February 15, 2010.

- The options become exercisable on a monthly basis over a 4-year period which commenced on January 31, 2002, as follows: 10%  
(5) exercisable as of January 31, 2003, 20% exercisable as of January 31, 2004, 30% exercisable as of January 31, 2005 and 40% exercisable as of January 31, 2006.

- The options become exercisable on a monthly basis over a 4-year period which commenced on April 30, 2001, as follows: 10%  
(6) exercisable as of April 30, 2002, 20% exercisable as of April 30, 2003, 30% exercisable as of April 30, 2004 and 40% exercisable as of April 30, 2005.

- The options become exercisable monthly over a 4-year period which commenced on March 4, 2005, with 10% becoming exercisable by  
(7) March 4, 2006, 20% becoming exercisable by March 4, 2007, 30% becoming exercisable by March 4, 2008, and 40% becoming exercisable by March 4, 2009.

- The option becomes exercisable on a monthly basis over a four year period which commences on March 31, 2004 as follows: 10%  
(8) exercisable as of March 31, 2005, 20% exercisable as of March 31, 2006, 30% exercisable as of March 31, 2007, and 40% exercisable as of March 31, 2008.

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