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(Print or Type R	Responses)											
Arbuckle Stuart A Sym			Symbol	Name and				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
			INC / M	IA [VRT	X]			(Check all applicable)				
(Month				Earliest Tr	ansaction			Director 10% Owner Other (specify below) below)				
C/O VERTE PHARMAC INCORPOR ST.		VERLY	12/12/20	013				EVP\Chief	Commercial C	officer		
				ndment, Da nth/Day/Year	_	1		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting				
CAMBRIDO	GE,, MA 02139							Person	ore than One Re	porting		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Dat (Month/Day/Year)	ned n Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	Fransaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) (A)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)				
C				Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)				
Common Stock	12/12/2013			S <u>(1)</u>	3,021	D	65.47 (2) (3)	36,718	D			
Common Stock								140	I	401(k)		

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)

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date		4.	5.	6. Date Exerc Expiration D		7. Tit		8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or	of (Month/Day/Year) Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3,		Secur	rlying	Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code \	7 (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Arbuckle Stuart A C/O VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS **INCORPORATED** 130 WAVERLY ST. CAMBRIDGE,, MA 02139

EVP\Chief Commercial Officer

Signatures

Kenneth L. Horton, Attorney-In-Fact

12/12/2013

**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) Transaction made pursuant to Mr. Arbuckle's company approved trading plan under Rule 10b5-1.
- (2) Open market sales reported on this line occurred at a weighted average price of \$65.47 (range \$65.06 to \$65.92).
- Mr. Arbuckle undertakes to provide (upon request by the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer) full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.

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