

Gupta Anil  
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**FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *		2. Date of Event Requiring Statement	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	
Â Gupta Anil		(Month/Day/Year)	ADAPTEC INC [ADPT]	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	10/23/2008	
691 SOUTH MILPITAS BLVD.			4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer	
(Street)			(Check all applicable)	
MILPITAS, CA 95035			<input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other (give title below)    (specify below) VP, GM	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	
			10/27/2008	
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)		2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable    Expiration Date	Title                      Amount or Number of Shares			

Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	09/02/2009 <sup>(1)</sup>	09/04/2015	Common Stock	40,000	\$ 3.6	D	Â
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## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Gupta Anil 691 SOUTH MILPITAS BLVD. MILPITAS, CA 95035	Â	Â	Â VP, GM	Â

## Signatures

/s/ Anil Gupta                      10/30/2008

\_\_Signature of                      Date  
Reporting Person

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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).

A total of 40,000 Incentive Stock Options were granted on 9/4/2008. The aggregate of these options vest at the rate of 33% on 9/2/2009 (1) and an additional 8.33% of the option shares will vest quarterly thereafter, such that the total option shares will be fully vested on 9/2/2011.

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