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## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE **COMMISSION**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *				2.	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol										5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
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(Last) (First) (Middle)					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY)										Directo	Director X Officer (give title below)			wner r (specify	
C/O EXACT SCIENCES CORP., 441 CHARMANY DRIVE																below) Senior VP and CFO				
(Street)					4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (MM/DD/YYYY)										6. Individu Applicable Li	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)				
MADISON, WI 53719 (City) (State) (Zip)																_ X _ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
		Table I	- Non-E	)eriva	ativ	e Sec	curiti	ies Ac	qui	red,	Disp	009	sed of,	or	Beneficially	y Owned				
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			2. Trai Date	2. Trans. Date		ned	3. Trans. Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) of Disposed of (I (Instr. 3, 4 and			or Followi D) (Instr. 3			ount of Securities Beneficially Owned ring Reported Transaction(s) 3 and 4)			7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
								Code	V	Amou	О	r	Price					(I) (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock				11/30/	2011			G	v	3500	1	)	\$ 0		180	o55 <sup>(1)</sup>		D		
Common Stock 1				12/31/	12/31/2011			М		16667 (2)	7 A		\$0	34722				D		
Common Stock				12/31/	2011	L		F		5908	I	)	\$8.12		28	8814		D		
Common Stock															5446			I	Held in 401(K) Account	
Tab	le II - Dei	rivative S	Securitie	s Ber	nefi	cially	y Ow	ned (	e.g.	, pu	ıts, c	al	ls, waı	rrai	nts, options,	convert	ible secur	ities)		
1. Title of Derivate Security (Instr. 3)  2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security  3. Trans. Date Execution Date, if any			Code	Trans. Code S (Instr. A)		. Number of Derivative ecurities acquired (A) r Disposed of D) (Instr. 3, 4 and b)		and Expiration Date				7. Title and Ai Securities Und Derivative Sec (Instr. 3 and 4		Inderlying Security	(Instr. 5)	of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr.	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exer	cisal		pirati ite	on	Title	N	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction (s) (Instr. 4)	4)		
Restricted Stock Units	(3)	12/31/2011		A		50000			(4)		(4)		Commo Stock		50000	\$ 0	50000	D		
Restricted Stock Units	(3)	12/31/2011		М			16667	,	(4)		(4)		Commo Stock		16667	\$ 0	33333	D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- (1) Includes 2,942, 2,084 and 1,369 shares acquired under the Exact Sciences Corporation Employee Stock Purchase Plan on November, 1, 2010, May 2, 2011 and October 31, 2011, respectively.
- (2) Represents shares of common stock received upon vesting of a restricted stock unit award.

- (3) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of common stock.
- (4) Represents a restricted stock unit award granted on February 17, 2011 and earned on December 31, 2011 based on the satisfaction of certain performance-based vesting requirements. The restricted stock units vest in three equal annual installments beginning on December 31, 2011.

**Reporting Owners** 

Paperting Owner Name / Address	Relationships								
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other					
ARORA MANEESH									
C/O EXACT SCIENCES CORP.									
			Senior VP and CFO	1					
441 CHARMANY DRIVE									
MADISON, WI 53719									

## **Signatures**

/s/ Maneesh Arora by Mark Busch, attorney-in-fact

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

1/4/2012

Date

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

- \* 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).

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