FORM 3

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and A	Address of Reporti idier	ng Person [*]	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 10/09/2012		3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AMBARELLA INC [AMBA]					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 2975 SAN YSIDRO WAY					Relationship of Reporting Perso (Check all applicable) Director	10% Owner		5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		
(Street)					X Officer (give title below) Executive Vice Pr	Other (specify below)		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)		
SANTA CA 95051					Executive vice Fi	Executive vice Fresident		Form filed b	Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)								
			Table I - Nor	n-Derivat	ive Securities Beneficial	ly Owned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)					. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)			4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)		
Ordinary Shares					522,222	D				
					e Securities Beneficially nts, options, convertible		s)			
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. Conversi or Exerci	se Form:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)	
			Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivativ Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		
Stock Option (right to buy)			(1)	08/08/2017	Ordinary Shares	55,555	1.22	D		
Stock Option (right to buy)			(2)	07/10/2018	Ordinary Shares	50,000	2.93	D		
Stock Option (right to buy)			(3)	07/09/2019	Odinary Shares	40,000	3.2	D		
Stock Option (right to buy)			(4)	11/03/2020	Ordinary Shares	17,777	8.82	D		
Stock Option (right to buy)			(5)	08/30/2021	Ordinary Shares	13,333	8.82	D		
Restricted Stock Units			(7)	(7)	Ordinary Shares	4,445	(6)	D		

Explanation of Responses:

- $1. \ Shares \ subject \ to \ the \ option \ vest \ monthly \ over \ four \ years \ beginning \ on \ June \ 16, \ 2008.$
- $2. \ Shares \ subject \ to \ the \ option \ vest \ monthly \ over \ four \ years \ beginning \ on \ August \ 1, \ 2008.$
- 3. Shares subject to the option vest monthly over four years beginning on August 1, 2009.
- $4. \ Shares \ subject to the \ option \ vest \ monthly \ over \ four \ years \ beginning \ on \ August \ 1, 2010.$
- $5. \ Shares \ subject \ to \ the \ option \ vest \ monthly \ over \ four \ years \ beginning \ on \ August \ 1, 2011.$
- 6. Each RSU represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Issuer's Ordinary Shares.
- 7. The RSUs vest as to 1/16 of the RSUs each three months following 9/15/12; provided however, that the RSUs shall not vest at all until either the expiration of the lock-up period applicable in connection with the Company's S-1 Registration Statement or upon a change of control transaction, at which time the original vesting schedule shall apply.

Michael Morehead, by Power of Attorney

10/09/2012

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

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