Varian John Form 4 July 23, 2012

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Varian John

(First) (Middle)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

XOMA Corp [XOMA]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 07/19/2012

C/O XOMA CORPORATION, 2910 SEVENTH STREET

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

3.

BERKELEY, CA 94710

(State) (Zip)

(City)

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3)

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

TransactionAcquired (A) or Code (Instr. 8)

Disposed of (D)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

4. Securities

(A)

Beneficially Owned Following Reported

Securities

Issuer

below)

Person

5. Amount of

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

_X__ Director

Applicable Line)

X_ Officer (give title

Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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 Derivative Security

Conversion or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

any

4. 5. Number of **Transaction**Derivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Director and CEO

6. Ownership

Form: Direct

(D) or Indirect Beneficial

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

(I)

(Instr. 4)

10% Owner

Other (specify

7. Nature of

Ownership

(Instr. 4)

Indirect

Estimated average

burden hours per

7. Title and Amor Underlying Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8	I (Acquired (ADisposed of Instr. 3, 4, 5)	f (D)				
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Am Nui Sha
Non-Qualified Share Option (right to buy)	\$ 3.53	07/19/2012		A	ć	391,805		<u>(1)</u>	07/19/2022	Common Shares	39
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	07/19/2012		A	,	283,721		(2)	08/14/2015	Common Shares	28

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
r	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Varian John C/O XOMA CORPORATION 2910 SEVENTH STREET BERKELEY, CA 94710	X		Director and CEO				

Signatures

By: Fred Kurland For: John Varian 07/23/2012

**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) Exercisable with respect to 1/48th of options in monthly increments beginning 08/19/2012 and ending 07/19/2016.
- (2) These restricted stock units are scheduled to vest in substantially equal installments annually over three years, with the first installment vesting on August 14, 2013.

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