GENENTECH INC

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Requiring Statement GENENTECH INC [DNA] CLARK IAN T (Month/Day/Year) 08/16/2005 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 1 DNA WAY (Check all applicable) (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) 10% Owner Director _X_ Form filed by One Reporting _X__ Officer _Other Person (give title below) (specify below) SO SAN Form filed by More than One **SVP-COMMERCIAL** FRANCISCO, CAÂ 94080 Reporting Person **OPERATIONS** (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities 3. 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial (Instr. 4) Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) Common Stock 1,457 D Â Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) 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)	ivative Security 2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security		4. Conversion or Exercise	5. Ownership Form of	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
			(Instr. 4)		Price of	Derivative	(Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of	Derivative	Security:	
					Security	Direct (D)	
						or Indirect	

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				Shares		(I) (Instr. 5)	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	01/13/2003(1)	01/13/2013	Common Stock	46,500	\$ 18.15	D	Â
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	09/11/2003(1)	09/11/2013	Common Stock	48,750	\$ 42.05	D	Â
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	09/23/2004(1)	09/23/2014	Common Stock	95,000	\$ 53.23	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
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CLARK IAN T 1 DNA WAY SO SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94080	Â	Â	SVP-COMMERCIAL OPERATIONS	Â	

Signatures

IAN T CLARK 08/18/2005

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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).

This stock option vests over four years, with the first 25% of the shares vesting one year from the grant date and 75% of the shares (1) vesting in equal monthly increments over the following three years. This option may be immediately exercisable with the consent of Genentech.

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