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QUIDEL CORP /DE/ Form SC 13G/A January 30, 2015 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549
SCHEDULE 13G (Amendment No. 12)
Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934
Quidel Corporation
(Name of Issuer)
Common Stock, par value \$0.001
(Title of Class of Securities)
74838J101
(CUSIP Number)
December 31, 2014
(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)
Check the appropriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this Schedule is filed:
Rule 13d-1(b) Rule 13d-1(c) Rule 13d-1(d)
The information required in the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the "Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

NAME OF REPORTING **PERSONS** I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NOS. OF 1 ABOVE PERSONS (ENTITIES ONLY) Larry N. Feinberg CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (See Instructions) 2 (a) (b) SEC USE ONLY 3 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF **ORGANIZATION** 4 **United States** ₅ SOLE VOTING POWER NUMBER OF 33,500 SHARED VOTING POWER BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY 2,877,633 $_{7}$ SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER **EACH REPORTING PERSON** 33,500 $_{2}$ SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER WITH: 2,877,633 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY 9 **EACH REPORTING PERSON** 2,911,133 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW 10 (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES (See Instructions) PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN 11 ROW (9) 8.5%

TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

12 (See Instructions)

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NAME OF REPORTING **PERSONS** I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NOS. OF 1 ABOVE PERSONS (ENTITIES ONLY) Oracle Partners, L.P. CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (See Instructions) 2 (a) (b) SEC USE ONLY 3 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF **ORGANIZATION** 4 Delaware 5 SOLE VOTING POWER 0 NUMBER OF SHARED VOTING POWER BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY 2,035,124 $_{7}$ SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER **EACH REPORTING PERSON** $_8$ SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER WITH: 2,035,124 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY 9 **EACH REPORTING PERSON** 2,035,124 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW 10 (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN **SHARES** (See Instructions) 11 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)

5.9%

TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

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NAME OF REPORTING **PERSONS** I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NOS. OF 1 **ABOVE PERSONS (ENTITIES** ONLY) Oracle Institutional Partners, L.P. CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (See Instructions) 2 (a) (b) SEC USE ONLY 3 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF 4 **ORGANIZATION** Delaware 5 SOLE VOTING POWER NUMBER OF 0 SHARED VOTING POWER **SHARES BENEFICIALLY** OWNED BY 277,922 **EACH** $_7$ SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER REPORTING **PERSON** $_8$ SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER WITH: 277,922 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY 9 **EACH REPORTING PERSON** 277,922 **CHECK BOX IF THE** AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW 10 (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN **SHARES** (See Instructions)

PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)

0.8%

TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

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NAME OF REPORTING **PERSONS** I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NOS. OF 1 ABOVE PERSONS (ENTITIES ONLY) Oracle Associates, LLC CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (See Instructions) 2 (a) (b) SEC USE ONLY 3 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF **ORGANIZATION** 4 Delaware 5 SOLE VOTING POWER NUMBER OF 0 SHARED VOTING POWER BENEFICIALLY **OWNED BY** 2,313,046 $_{7}$ SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER **EACH REPORTING PERSON** $_{2}$ SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER WITH: 2,313,046 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY 9 **EACH REPORTING PERSON** 2,313,046 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW 10 (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN **SHARES** (See Instructions) 11 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN

ROW (9)

6.7%

TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

12 (See Instructions)

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NAME OF REPORTING **PERSONS** I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NOS. OF 1 **ABOVE PERSONS (ENTITIES** ONLY) Oracle Ten Fund Master, L.P. CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (See Instructions) 2 (a) (b) SEC USE ONLY 3 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF **ORGANIZATION** 4 Cayman Islands 5 SOLE VOTING POWER NUMBER OF 0 SHARES SHARED VOTING POWER BENEFICIALLY **OWNED BY** 522,087 $_{7}$ SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER **EACH REPORTING PERSON** $_{2}$ SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER WITH: 522,087 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY 9 **EACH REPORTING PERSON** 522,087 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW 10 (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN **SHARES** (See Instructions) 11 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN

ROW (9)

1.5%

TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

12 (See Instructions)

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NAME OF REPORTING **PERSONS** I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NOS. OF 1 ABOVE PERSONS (ENTITIES ONLY) Oracle Investment Management, Inc. Employees' Retirement Plan CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (See Instructions) 2 (a) (b) SEC USE ONLY 3 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF 4 **ORGANIZATION** Connecticut 5 SOLE VOTING POWER NUMBER OF 0 .6 SHARED VOTING POWER **SHARES** BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY 36,000 $_7$ SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER **EACH REPORTING PERSON** 8 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER WITH: 36,000 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY 9 **EACH REPORTING PERSON** 36,000 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW 10 (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN **SHARES** (See Instructions)

PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)

0.1%

TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

12 (See Instructions)

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NAME OF REPORTING **PERSONS** I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NOS. OF 1 **ABOVE PERSONS (ENTITIES** ONLY) Oracle Investment Management, Inc. CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (See Instructions) 2 (a) (b) SEC USE ONLY 3 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF 4 **ORGANIZATION** Delaware $_{5}$ SOLE VOTING POWER SHARED VOTING POWER BENEFICIALLY NUMBER OF OWNED BY 558,087 7 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER **EACH REPORTING PERSON** $_8 {
m SHARED}$ DISPOSITIVE POWER WITH: 558,087 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY 9 **EACH REPORTING PERSON** 558,087 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW 10 (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN **SHARES** (See Instructions) 11 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN

ROW (9)

1.6%
TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON
(See Instructions)
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NAME OF REPORTING **PERSONS** I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NOS. OF 1 ABOVE PERSONS (ENTITIES ONLY) The Feinberg Family Foundation CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (See Instructions) 2 (a) (b) SEC USE ONLY 3 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF **ORGANIZATION** 4 Connecticut 5 SOLE VOTING POWER NUMBER OF SHARED VOTING POWER BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY $_{7}$ SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER **EACH** REPORTING **PERSON** 8 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER WITH: 6,500 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY 9 **EACH REPORTING PERSON** 6,500 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW 10 (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES (See Instructions) PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN 11 ROW (9) 0.0%

TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

12 (See Instructions)

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This Amendment No. 12 to Schedule 13G (this "Amendment No. 12") is being filed with respect to the Common Stock, par value \$0.001 ("Common Stock") of Quidel Corporation, a Delaware corporation (the "Issuer"), to amend the Schedule 13G filed on April 23, 2001, as previously amended by Amendment No. 1, filed on February 14, 2002, by Amendment No. 2, filed on February 12, 2003, by Amendment No. 3, filed on February 9, 2005, by Amendment No. 4, filed on February 7, 2006, by Amendment No. 5, filed on February 15, 2008, by Amendment No. 6 filed on May 20, 2009, by Amendment No. 7, filed on February 2, 2010, by Amendment No. 8, filed on February 8, 2011, by Amendment No. 9, filed on February 6, 2012, by Amendment No. 10, filed on February 12, 2013, and by Amendment No. 11 filed on February 13, 2014 (as so amended, the "Schedule 13G"), in accordance with the annual amendment requirements. Capitalized terms used but not defined herein have the meaning ascribed thereto in the Schedule 13G.

Item 4: Ownership:

Item 4 of the Schedule 13G is hereby amended and restated as follows:

The percentage of shares owned is based upon 34,410,771 shares of the Issuer's Common Stock issued and outstanding as of October 14, 2014, as set forth in the Issuer's most recent Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the period ended September 30, 2014, filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on October 24, 2014.

The beneficial ownership of the Reporting Persons as of the date of this Amendment No. 12 is set forth below. This filing and any future amendments hereto shall not be considered an admission that any Reporting Person is a beneficial owner of shares beneficially owned by any other Reporting Person named herein.

A. Larry N. Feinberg

- (a) Amount beneficially owned: 2,911,133
- (b) Percent of class: 8.5%
- (c) Number of shares as to which such person has:
- (i) Sole power to vote or direct the vote: 33,500
- (ii) Shared power to vote or direct the vote: 2,877,633
- (iii) Sole power to dispose or direct the disposition: 33,500
- (iv) Shared power to dispose or direct the disposition: 2,877,633

B. Oracle Partners, L.P.

- (a) Amount beneficially owned: 2,035,124
- (b) Percent of class: 5.9%
- (c) Number of shares as to which such person has:
- (i) Sole power to vote or direct the vote: 0
- (ii) Shared power to vote or direct the vote: 2,035,124
- (iii) Sole power to dispose or direct the disposition: 0
- (iv) Shared power to dispose or direct the disposition: 2,035,124

C. Oracle Institutional Partners, L.P.

- (a) Amount beneficially owned: 277,922
- (b) Percent of class: 0.8%

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- (iii) Sole power to dispose or direct the disposition: 0
- (iv) Shared power to dispose or direct the disposition: 277,922