

MICROSOFT CORP  
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**FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section  
30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *		2. Date of Event Requiring Statement	3. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	
Â Morfit G Mason		(Month/Day/Year)	MICROSOFT CORP [MSFT]	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	03/11/2014	
435 PACIFIC AVENUE,Â 4TH FLOOR			4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)
(Street)			(Check all applicable)	
SAN FRANCISCO,Â CAÂ 94133			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	<input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner	<input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person
			<input type="checkbox"/> Officer	<input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other	
			(give title below) (specify below)	
			See Remarks	

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock	66,865,530	I	See footnotes (1) (2)
Common Stock	4,420,000	I	See footnotes (1) (3)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. SEC 1473 (7-02)

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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)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of	5. Ownership Form of Derivative	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
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Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)
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## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
Morfit G Mason 435 PACIFIC AVENUE 4TH FLOOR SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94133	Â X	Â	Â		See Remarks
ValueAct Holdings, L.P. 435 PACIFIC AVENUE, 4TH FLOOR SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94133	Â X	Â	Â		See Remarks
ValueAct Capital Master Fund, L.P. 435 PACIFIC AVENUE 4TH FLOOR SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94133	Â X	Â	Â		See Remarks
ValueAct Co-Invest Master Fund, L.P. 435 PACIFIC AVENUE 4TH FLOOR SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94133	Â X	Â	Â		See Remarks
VA Partners I, LLC 435 PACIFIC AVENUE, 4TH FLOOR SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94133	Â X	Â	Â		See Remarks
ValueAct Capital Management, L.P. 435 PACIFIC AVENUE, 4TH FLOOR SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94133	Â X	Â	Â		See Remarks
ValueAct Capital Management, LLC 435 PACIFIC AVENUE, 4TH FLOOR SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94133	Â X	Â	Â		See Remarks
ValueAct Holdings GP, LLC 435 PACIFIC AVENUE, 4TH FLOOR SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94133	Â X	Â	Â		See Remarks

## Signatures

By:/s/ G. Mason Morfit

03/21/2014

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

VALUEACT HOLDINGS, L.P. By: VALUEACT HOLDINGS GP, LLC, its General Partner

03/21/2014

By:/s/ George F. Hamel, Jr.

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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VALUEACT CAPITAL MASTER FUND, L.P. By: VA PARTNERS I, LLC, its General Partner By:/s/ George F. Hamel. Jr.

Signature of Reporting Person

Date

VALUEACT CO-INVEST MASTER FUND, L.P. By: VA PARTNERS I, LLC, its General Partner By:/s/ George F. Hamel. Jr.

03/21/2014

Signature of Reporting Person

Date

VA PARTNERS I, LLC By:/s/ George F. Hamel. Jr.

03/21/2014

Signature of Reporting Person

Date

VALUEACT CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, L.P. By: VALUEACT CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, LLC, its General Partner By:/s/ George F. Hamel. Jr.

03/21/2014

Signature of Reporting Person

Date

VALUEACT CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, LLC By:/s/ George F. Hamel. Jr.

03/21/2014

Signature of Reporting Person

Date

VALUEACT HOLDINGS GP, LLC By:/s/ George F. Hamel. Jr.

03/21/2014

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).

(1) Each reporting person listed herein disclaims beneficial ownership of the reported securities except to the extent of its pecuniary interest therein, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that such person is the beneficial owner of the securities for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or for any other purpose.

(2) The securities reported herein are directly beneficially owned by ValueAct Capital Master Fund, L.P. and may be deemed to be indirectly beneficially owned by (i) VA Partners I, LLC as General Partner of ValueAct Capital Master Fund, L.P., (ii) ValueAct Capital Management, L.P. as the manager of ValueAct Capital Master Fund, L.P., (iii) ValueAct Capital Management, LLC as General Partner of ValueAct Capital Management, L.P., (iv) ValueAct Holdings, L.P. as the sole owner of the limited partnership interests of ValueAct Capital Management, L.P. and the membership interests of ValueAct Capital Management, LLC and as the majority owner of the membership interests of VA Partners I, LLC and (v) ValueAct Holdings GP, LLC as General Partner of ValueAct Holdings, L.P. G. Mason Morfit is a member of the management board of ValueAct Holdings GP, LLC.

(3) The securities reported herein are directly beneficially owned by ValueAct Co-Invest Master Fund, L.P. and may be deemed to be indirectly beneficially owned by (i) VA Partners I, LLC as General Partner of ValueAct Co-Invest Master Fund, L.P., (ii) ValueAct Capital Management, L.P. as the manager of ValueAct Co-Invest Master Fund, L.P., (iii) ValueAct Capital Management, LLC as General Partner of ValueAct Capital Management, L.P., (iv) ValueAct Holdings, L.P. as the sole owner of the limited partnership interests of ValueAct Capital Management, L.P. and the membership interests of ValueAct Capital Management, LLC and as the majority owner of the membership interests of VA Partners I, LLC and (v) ValueAct Holdings GP, LLC as General Partner of ValueAct Holdings, L.P. G. Mason Morfit is a member of the management board of ValueAct Holdings GP, LLC.

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### Remarks:

-Â TheÂ reportingÂ personsÂ hereinÂ mayÂ beÂ deemedÂ toÂ beÂ membersÂ ofÂ aÂ "group"Â forÂ purposesÂ ofÂ theÂ

-Â G.Â MasonÂ Morfit,Â aÂ memberÂ ofÂ theÂ managementÂ committeeÂ ofÂ ValueActÂ HoldingsÂ GP,Â LLC,Â serve

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