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

> > SCHEDULE 13G

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

(Amendment No.)*

Xilinx, Incorporated
 (Name of Issuer)

Common Stock (Title of Class of Securities)

> 983919101 (CUSIP Number)

December 31, 2007 (Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)

Check the appropriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this Schedule is filed: [X] Rule 13d-1(b) [] Rule 13d-1(c) [] Rule 13d-1(d)

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1 NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NOS. OF ABOVE PERSONS The Growth Fund of America, Inc.	(ENTITIES ONLY)
2 CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GI INSTRUCTIONS)	ROUP (SEE (a)
3 SEC USE ONLY	(b)
4 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION	
Maryland	
5 SOLE VOTING POWER	
15,400,000	
6 SHARED VOTING POWER NUMBER OF SHARES NONE BENEFICIALL	
Y OWNED BY 7 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER	
EACH REPORTING NONE PERSON WITH:	
8 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER	
NONE	
9 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH H 15,400,000 See Additional information	
10 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9)	EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES

11 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9

5.2%

(SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

12 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

IV

CUSIP: 983919101 Page 2 of 5 SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, DC 20549 Schedule 13G Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 Amendment No. Name of Issuer: Item 1(a) Xilinx, Incorporated Item 1(b) Address of Issuer's Principal Executive Offices: 2100 Logic Drive San Jose, CA 95124 Item 2(a) Name of Person(s) Filing: The Growth Fund of America, Inc. Item 2(b) Address of Principal Business Office or, if none, Residence: 333 South Hope Street Los Angeles, CA 90071 Citizenship: N/A Item 2(c) Item 2(d) Title of Class of Securities: Common Stock Item 2(e) CUSIP Number: 983919101 Item 3 If this statement is filed pursuant to sections 240.13d-1(b) or 240.13d-2(b) or (c), check whether the person filing is a: [X] Investment company registered under section 8 (d) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-8). Ttem 4 Ownership Provide the following information regarding the aggregate number and percentage of the class of securities of the issuer identified in Item 1. (a) Amount beneficially owned: (b) Percent of class: (C) Number of shares as to which the person has: (i) Sole power to vote or to direct the vote: (ii) Shared power to vote or to direct the vote:

- (iii) Sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of:
- (iv) Shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition of:

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The Growth Fund of America, Inc., an investment company registered under the Investment Company Act of 1940, which is advised by Capital Research and Management Company ("CRMC"), is the beneficial owner of 15,400,000 shares or 5.2% of the 293,995,000 shares of Common Stock believed to be outstanding. CRMC manages equity assets for various investment companies through two divisions, Capital Research Global Investors and Capital World Investors. These divisions generally function separately from each other with respect to investment research activities and they make investment decisions and proxy voting decisions for the investment companies on a separate basis.

- Item 5 Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class. If this
 statement is being filed to report the fact that as of the date
 hereof the reporting person has ceased to be the beneficial
 owner of more than five percent of the class of securities,
 check the following: []
- Item 6 $$\operatorname{Ownership}$ of More than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person: N/A
- Item 7 Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary Which Acquired the Security Being Reported on By the Parent Holding Company or Control Person. : N/A
- Item 8 $$\rm Identification$ and Classification of Members of the Group: $$\rm N/A$$
- Item 9 Notice of Dissolution of Group: N/A
- Item 10 Certification

By signing below, I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were acquired and are held in the ordinary course of business and were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that purpose or effect.

Signature

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Date: February 11, 2008

Signature: Patrick F. Quan[^]

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Name/Title: Patrick F. Quan - Secretary The Growth Fund of America, Inc.

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^By /s/ Walter R. Burkley Walter R. Burkley Attorney-in-fact

Signed pursuant to a Power of Attorney dated December 21, 2007 included as an Exhibit to Schedule 13G filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission by The Growth Fund of America, Inc., on February 11, 2008 with respect to Southwest Airlines Company. CUSIP: 983919101

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