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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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(Print or Type Responses)

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Schwab Gisela

(First)

C/O EXELIXIS, INC., 210 E.

GRAND AVE.

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

EXELIXIS, INC. [EXEL]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

09/26/2017

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner

_X__ Officer (give title _ Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Pres Prod Dev & Med Aff & CMO

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94080

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-I	Derivative	Secur	ities Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	09/26/2017		Code V M	Amount 33,333	(D)	Price \$ 9.91	216,338 (1)	D	
Common Stock	09/26/2017		S	33,333	D	\$ 23.68 (2)	183,005	D	
Common Stock	09/27/2017		M	33,333	A	\$ 9.91	216,338	D	
Common Stock	09/27/2017		S	33,333	D	\$ 23.94 (3)	183,005	D	

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Common Stock	09/28/2017	M	33,334	A	\$ 9.91	216,339	D	
Common Stock	09/28/2017	S	33,334	D	\$ 23.74 (4)	183,005	D	
Common Stock						14,186	I	By 401(k)

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 (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisab Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year		7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Share
Option (right to buy)	\$ 9.91	09/26/2017		M	33,333	12/06/2008(6)	12/05/2017	Common Stock	33,333
Option (right to buy)	\$ 9.91	09/27/2017		M	33,333	12/06/2008(6)	12/05/2017	Common Stock	33,333
Option (right to buy)	\$ 9.91	09/28/2017		M	33,334	12/06/2008(6)	12/05/2017	Common Stock	33,334

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		

Schwab Gisela C/O EXELIXIS, INC. 210 E. GRAND AVE. SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94080

Pres Prod Dev & Med Aff & CMO

2 Reporting Owners

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/s/ Jeffrey J. Hessekiel, Attorney in Fact

09/28/2017

**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) Includes 20,000 shares of Exelixis, Inc. common stock that will be issued to the Reporting Person upon vesting of restricted stock units.
 - Represents the weighted average sales price. The shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$23.66 to \$23.80.
- (2) Reporting person undertakes to provide Exelixis, Inc., any security holder of Exelixis, Inc., or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in footnote 2 to this Form 4.
 - Represents the weighted average sales price. The shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$23.70 to \$24.22.
- (3) Reporting person undertakes to provide Exelixis, Inc., any security holder of Exelixis, Inc., or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in footnote 3 to this Form 4.
 - Represents the weighted average sales price. The shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$23.70 to \$23.76.
- (4) Reporting person undertakes to provide Exelixis, Inc., any security holder of Exelixis, Inc., or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in footnote 4 to this Form 4.
- (5) Represents 14,186 shares of Exelixis, Inc. common stock under the Exelixis, Inc. 401(k) Plan, pursuant to a plan statement dated as of September 26, 2017.
- (6) The option, representing the right to purchase a total of 200,000 shares of Exelixis, Inc. common stock, became fully exercisable on December 6, 2011.

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