

Schwabe Stefan K.F.  
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**FORM 4** UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Schwabe Stefan K.F.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
SUPERNUS  
PHARMACEUTICALS INC  
[SUPN]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Executive Vice President R&D

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
09/07/2017

C/O SUPERNUS  
PHARMACEUTICALS, INC., 1550  
EAST GUDE DRIVE

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

ROCKVILLE, MD 20850

(City) (State) (Zip)

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	09/07/2017		M <sup>(1)</sup>		95,000	A	\$ 12.92
					96,855		<sup>(2)</sup>
Common Stock	09/07/2017		S <sup>(1)</sup>		95,000	D	\$ 46.585
					1,855		<sup>(3)</sup>

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 Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 12.92	09/07/2017		M <sup>(1)</sup>	95,000	<sup>(4)</sup> 08/09/2022	Common Stock	95,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Schwabe Stefan K.F. C/O SUPERNUS PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. 1550 EAST GUDE DRIVE ROCKVILLE, MD 20850			Executive Vice President R&D	

## Signatures

/s/ Gregory S. Patrick, as attorney-in-fact  
Date: 09/11/2017

\*\*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) Transaction made pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted August 8, 2017.
- (2) Includes an aggregate of 324 shares acquired by the Reporting Person through the Issuer's Employee Stock Purchase Plan subsequent to the date of the Reporting Person's most recent filing on Form 4.  
The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$46,000 to \$47,800, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to Supernus Pharmaceuticals, Inc. ("Supernus"), any security holder of Supernus, 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 range set forth in this footnote (3) to this Form 4.
- (3)
- (4) The option became exercisable in four equal installments beginning on August 9, 2013, which was the first anniversary of the date on which the option was granted.

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