FORM 3

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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BCP IV AIV A, L.P. Requirir (Month/				Date of Event quiring Statem onth/Day/Year) /31/2015	ent	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AVID TECHNOLOGY, INC. [AVID]						
(Last) (First) (Middle) 909 MONTGOMERY STREET SUITE 400 (Street)						4. Relationship of Reporting Per (Check all applicable) Director Officer (give title below)	10% C	()		5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person		
SAN FRANCISCO		94133								X Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)										
			Tal	ole I - Non	-Derivati	ve Securities Beneficia	ally Own	ed				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)						Amount of Securities eneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	Form: D			4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)		
BCP IV AIV A, L.P.						2,987,238	I	D ⁽¹⁾				
BCP III AIV A, L.P.						4,100,000	I	D ⁽²⁾				
						Securities Beneficially						
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)			6	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Secu Underlying Derivative Secu				5. Ownership Form: Direct (D)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)	
				Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	or Numb of	Amount Derivat or Securit Number		or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		
1. Name and Ad BCP IV Al		ng Person*	'			•	,	•		7		
(Last)	(First)		(Middle)									

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* BCP IV AIV A, L.P.								
(Last) 909 MONTGOMEI SUITE 400	(First) RY STREET	(Middle)						
(Street) SAN FRANCISCO	CA	94133						
(City)	(State)	(Zip)						
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* BCP III AIV A, L.P.								
(Last) 909 MONTGOMER SUITE 400	MONTGOMERY STREET							
(Street) SAN FRANCISCO	CA	94133						
(City)	(State)	(Zip)						

Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

^{1.} These shares of the Common Stock of the Issuer are held directly by BCP IV AIV A, L.P. (the "AIV IV"). These shares may also be deemed to be owned indirectly by (i) Blum Strategic GP IV, L.P. ("Blum GP IV LP"), AIV IV's general partner, and (ii) Blum Strategic GP IV, L.L.C. ("Blum GP IV"), Blum GP IV LP's general partner. Both Blum GP IV LP and Blum GP IV disclaim beneficial ownership of these shares, except to the extent of any pecuniary interest therein.

^{2.} These shares of the Common Stock of the Issuer are held directly by BCP III AIV A, L.P. (the "AIV III"). These shares may also be deemed to be owned indirectly by (i) Blum Strategic GP III, L.P. ("Blum GP III LP"), AIV III's general partner, and (ii) Blum Strategic GP III, L.L.C. ("Blum GP III"), Blum GP III LP's general partner. Both Blum GP III LP and Blum GP III disclaim beneficial ownership of these shares, except to the extent of any pecuniary interest therein.

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** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * 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).

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EXHIBIT 99

Joint Filer Information

Designated Filer: BLUM CAPITAL PARTNERS, L.P.

Date of Earliest Transaction

Required to be Reported: August 31, 2015

Issuer & Symbol: Avid Technology, Inc. (AVID)

Address of each Reporting Person for this Form 3:

909 Montgomery Street, Suite 400, San Francisco, CA 94133

Relationship to Issuer of each Reporting Person: 10% Owner

Signatures

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

September 10, 2015

BCP III AIV A, L.P.

By: BLUM STRATEGIC GP III, L.P.

its General Partner

By: Blum Strategic GP III, L.L.C.

its General Partner

By: /s/ Peter Westley

Peter Westley

Partner

BCP IV AIV A, L.P.

By: BLUM STRATEGIC GP IV, L.P.

By: Blum Strategic GP IV, L.L.C.
its General Partner

By: /s/ Peter Westley

its General Partner

Peter Westley

Partner