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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Benchmark Capital Management Co. Issuer Symbol VII, L.L.C. Hortonworks, Inc. [HDP] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) _X__ 10% Owner Director _ Other (specify Officer (give title 2965 WOODSIDE ROAD 12/17/2014 below) (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person _X_ Form filed by More than One Reporting WOODSIDE, CA 94062 Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tal	ble I - Non-	Derivative Se	curitie	s Acqu	iired, Disposed o	of, or Benefici	ally Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Approx Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4 and	of (D)	ed (A)	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	12/17/2014		С	6,336,803	A	\$ 0 (1)	6,336,803	I	By Benchmark Capital Partners VII, L.P. (2)

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)

I S	. 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	orDe Se (A (D	ccurities Acquired a) or Disposed of	Expiration Date Acquired (Month/Day/Year) cosed of		7. Title and Amount Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)	
					Code V	(A	A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour Number Shares
(F	Series A Convertible Preferred Stock	(1)	12/17/2014		С		11,758,712	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	5,879
(F	Series C Convertible Preferred Stock	(1)	12/17/2014		С		522,101	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	261,
(F	Series D Convertible Preferred Stock	(1)	12/17/2014		С		392,795	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	196,

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
Tripy and a many state and	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Benchmark Capital Management Co. VII, L.L.C. 2965 WOODSIDE ROAD WOODSIDE, CA 94062		X				
Benchmark Capital Partners VII, L.P. 2965 WOODSIDE ROAD WOODSIDE, CA 94062		X				
Benchmark Founders' Fund VII, L.P. 2965 WOODSIDE ROAD WOODSIDE, CA 94062		X				
Benchmark Founders' Fund VII-B, L.P. 2965 WOODSIDE ROAD WOODSIDE, CA 94062		X				

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Signatures

Benchmark Capital Management Co. VII, L.L.C., /s/ Steven M. Spurlock, Managing Member	12/18/2014
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
Benchmark Capital Partners VII, L.P., by Benchmark Capital Management Co. VII, L.L.C., its general partner, /s/ Steven M. Spurlock, Managing Member	12/18/2014
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
Benchmark Founders' Fund VII, L.P., by Benchmark Capital Management Co. VII, L.L.C., its general partner, /s/ Steven M. Spurlock, Managing Member	12/18/2014
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
Benchmark Founders' Fund VII-B, L.P., by Benchmark Capital Management Co. VII, L.L.C., its general partner, /s/ Steven M. Spurlock, Managing Member	12/18/2014
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

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- * 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).
- Each share of Series A Convertible Preferred Stock, Series C Convertible Preferred Stock and Series D Convertible Preferred Stock automatically converted into Common Stock on a 1-for-2 basis (one share of Common Stock for every two shares of Preferred Stock) immediately prior to the closing of the Issuer's initial public offering of Common Stock and has no expiration date or conversion price.
 - Shares held of record by Benchmark Capital Partners VII, L.P, ("BCP VII"), as nominee for BCP VII, Benchmark Founders' Fund VII, L.P. ("BFF VII"), Benchmark Founders' Fund VII-B, L.P. ("BFF VII-B") and related persons. Benchmark Capital Management Co. VII, L.L.C. ("BCMC VII"), the general partner of each of BCP VII, BFF VII and BFF VII-B, may be deemed to have sole voting and
- investment power over such shares. Matthew R. Cohler, Bruce W. Dunlevie, Peter H. Fenton, J. William Gurley, Kevin R. Harvey, Steven M. Spurlock, and Mitchell H. Lasky are the managing members of BCMC VII, which serves as general partner to BCP VII, BFF VII and BFF VII-B, and may be deemed to share voting and investment power over the shares beneficially held by such entities. Each such person and entity disclaims the existence of a "group" and disclaims beneficial ownership of any securities (except to the extent of such person's or entity's pecuniary interest in such securities).

Remarks:

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