#### **EXACT SCIENCES CORP**

Form 4

January 03, 2013

# FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

**EXACT SCIENCES CORP [EXAS]** 

Symbol

OMB Number:

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Issuer

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

LIDGARD GRAHAM PETER

			EXACT SCIENCES CORP [EXAS]					XAS]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle)  C/O EXACT SCIENCES CORP., 441 CHARMANY DRIVE		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/01/2012						Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below)				
		4. If Ame			te Original			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person				
MADISON	DISON, WI 53719								Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Benef							f, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Dat (Month/Day/Year)	Executio any	med n Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transa Code (Instr.		4. Securition(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4)	sposed	of (D)	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	11/01/2012			A	V	603 (1)	A		100,355	D		
Common Stock	11/02/2012			G	V	4,500	D	\$ 0	95,855	D		
Common Stock	12/31/2012			M		16,667 (2)	A	\$ 0	112,522	D		
Common Stock	12/31/2012			F		7,076	D	\$ 10.59	105,446	D		
Common Stock									7,807	I	Held in 401(K) Account	

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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 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative 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)		88 II S ( (	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		
Restricted Stock Units	(3)	12/31/2012(4)		M	16,667	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	16,667		

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

LIDGARD GRAHAM PETER C/O EXACT SCIENCES CORP. 441 CHARMANY DRIVE MADISON, WI 53719

Sr. VP, Chief Science Officer

# **Signatures**

/s/ Graham Lidgard by Mark Busch, attorney-in-fact 01/03/2013

\*\*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) Represents purchase of shares pursuant to Employee Stock Purchase Plan.
- (2) Represents shares of common stock received upon vesting of a restricted stock unit award.
- (3) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of common stock.

Represents a restricted stock unit award granted on February 17, 2011 and earned on December 31, 2011 based on the satisfaction of

(4) certain performance-based vesting requirements. The restricted stock units vest in three equal annual installments beginning on December 31, 2011.

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