

# VMWARE, INC.

## **FORM 8-A12B** (Securities Registration (section 12(b)))

Filed 07/27/07

Address	3401 HILLVIEW AVENUE PALO ALTO, CA, 94304
Telephone	(650) 427-5000
CIK	0001124610
Symbol	VMW
SIC Code	7372 - Services-Prepackaged Software
Industry	IT Services & Consulting
Sector	Technology
Fiscal Year	01/31

---

**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549**

**FORM 8-A**

**FOR REGISTRATION OF CERTAIN CLASSES OF SECURITIES  
PURSUANT TO SECTION 12(b) OR (g) OF THE  
SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

**VMware, Inc.**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

**Delaware**  
(State of Incorporation or Organization)

**94-3292913**  
(I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

**3401 Hillview Avenue**  
**Palo Alto, California**  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

**94304**  
(Zip Code)

**Securities Act registration statement file number to which this form relates: 333-142368**

**Securities to be registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:**

**Title of Each Class  
to be so Registered**  
Class A Common Stock,  
par value \$0.01 per share

**Name of Each Exchange on Which  
Each Class is to be Registered**  
New York Stock Exchange, Inc.

If this form relates to the registration of a class of securities pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Exchange Act and is effective pursuant to General Instruction A.(c), please check the following box.

If this form relates to the registration of a class of securities pursuant to Section 12(g) of the Exchange Act and is effective pursuant to General Instruction A.(d), please check the following box.

---

**Securities to be registered pursuant to Section 12(g) of the Act:**

None  
(Title of Class)

---

**Item 1. Description of Registrant's Securities to be Registered**

A description of the registrant's Class A common stock, par value \$0.01 per share (the "Class A Common Stock"), is set forth under the caption "Description of Capital Stock" in the registrant's registration statement on Form S-1 (File No. 333-142368) filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on April 26, 2007, as thereafter amended (the "Registration Statement"), which is incorporated herein by reference. The form of prospectus that constitutes part of the Registration Statement and is filed by the registrant pursuant to Rule 424(b) under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, shall be deemed incorporated herein by reference.

**Item 2. Exhibits**

Under the instruction as to exhibits with respect to Form 8-A, no exhibits are required to be filed because no other securities of the registrant are registered with the New York Stock Exchange, Inc. and the shares of Class A Common Stock registered hereby are not being registered pursuant to Section 12(g) of the Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

---

**SIGNATURE**

Pursuant to the requirements of Section 12 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this registration statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereto duly authorized.

Dated: July 27, 2007

VMware, Inc.

By: /s/ Rashmi Garde

Name: Rashmi Garde

Title: Vice President and General Counsel