ANSYS INC Form SC 13G/A February 09, 2005

#### UNITED STATES WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

# SCHEDULE 13G UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934 (AMENDMENT NO. \_\_4\_)\*

Ansys, Inc.

(Name of Issuer)

<u>Common Stock</u> (Title of Class of Securities)

03662q105

(Cusip Number)

\*The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

The information required on the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

#### SCHEDULE 13G

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1. NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS S.S. OR I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NOS. OF ABOVE PERSONS  Brown Capital Management, Inc.								
2. CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP*						(a)[] (b)[]		
3. SEC	USE ONLY							
4. CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION						Maryland		
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9. AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH 1,877,430 REPORTING PERSON								
10. CHECK IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES								
11. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9) 6.01%								
12. TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON*					IA CC	)		
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Item 1	(a)	Name of Issuer	:	Ansys, Inc.				
	(b)	Address of Issu	ırer	275 Technolo Canonsburg,	•			
Item 2	(a)	Name of Person	n Filing:	Brown Capita	al Management, Inc	2		
	(b)	Address of Prin	•		ert Street Taryland 21202			
	(c)	Citizenship:		Maryland				
	(d)	Title of Class o		Common Sto	ck			
	(e)	CUSIP Number	r:	03662q105				

Item 3: Capacity in Which Person is Filing: [x]Investment Adviser registered

under

Section 203 of the Investment

Not applicable

Advisers Act of 1940

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Item 4:	Ownership As of Decemb	per 31, 2004:	
(a)	Amount Beneficially Owned:		1,877,430
(b)	Percent of class:		6.01%
(c)	Number of shares to which such pers	on has:	
(i)	Sole powe	r to vote or to direct the vote:	930,330
(ii)	Shared por	wer to vote or to direct the vote:	None
(iii)	Sole powe	r to dispose or to direct the	1,877,430
(iv)	disposition	of:	None
	Shared por	wer to dispose or to direct the	
	disposition	of:	

Ownership of Five Percent of Less of Class:

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Item 6: Ownership of More than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person

All of the shares of Common Stock set forth in Item 4 are owned by various investment advisory clients of Brown Capital Management, Inc., which is deemed to be a beneficial owner of those shares pursuant to Rue 13d-3 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, due to it discretionary power to make investment decisions over such shares for its clients and its ability to vote such shares. In all cases, persons other than Brown Capital Management, Inc. has the right to receive, or the power to direct the receipt of, dividends from, or the proceeds from the sale of the shares. No individual client holds more than five percent of the class.

Item 7: Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary Not applicable

Which Acquired the Security Being Reported on By

the Parent Holding Company:

Item 5:

Item 8: Identification and Classification of Members of the Group: Not applicable

Item 9:	Notice of Dissolution of Gro	oup: Not applicab.
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Item 10:	Certification:	
referred to ab for the purpos issuer of such	ove were acquired in the ording se of and do not have the effe	at of my knowledge and belief, the securities nary course of business and were not acquired ct of changing or influencing the control of the ired in connection with or as a participant in any
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	nable inquiry and to the best of set forth in this statement i	of my knowledge and belief, I certify that s true, complete and correct.
		Brown Capital Management, Inc.
		By: /s/ Eddie C. Brown
		Eddie C. Brown
		President
Date:		December 31, 2004