

FORM 3

U.S. SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities  
Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the  
Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or  
Section 30(f) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person\*

Henry Joseph Tenarvitz  
951 North Windward Drive  
Suttons Bay, Michigan 79682

2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)

September 27, 1996

3. IRS or Social Security Number of Reporting Person  
(Voluntary)

4. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Versus Technology, Inc. VSTI

5. Relationship of Reporting Person to Issuer  
(Check all applicable)

Director       10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)     Other (specify below)

Executive Vice President of Operations

6. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year)

7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check applicable line)

Form filed by One Reporting Person

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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
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Common Stock	97,025	D	
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\* If the Form is filed by more than one Reporting Person see Instruction 4(b)(v).  
Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly  
or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable & Expiration Date (Mo./day/yr.)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Number of Shares	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	6. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 5)
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Explanation of Responses:

HENRY JOSEPH TENARVITZ      12/9/96

Henry Joseph Tenarvitz      Date  
\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

\*\* 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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