Accelerate Diagnostics, Inc Form 3 March 17, 2017 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION FORM 3 Washington, D.C. 20549 **INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF**

SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> Martin Joan			2. Date of Event RequiringStatement(Month/Day/Year)	^g 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Accelerate Diagnostics, Inc [AXDX]			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	03/07/2017	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)		
C/O ACCELERATE DIAGNOSTICS, INC., 3950 S.				(Check all applicable)			

Director

(give title below) (specify below)

EXECUTIVE VP AND HEAD

OF EMEA

SEC 1473 (7-02)

_X__Officer

10% Owner

_ Other

DIAGNOSTICS, INC., Â 3950 S. COUNTRY CLUB RD., SUITE 470

(Street)

TUCSON, AZÂ 85714

(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivat	tive Securiti	es Beneficially Owned
1.Title of Securi (Instr. 4)	ty		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)
Common Sto	ck		40,250	D	Â

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	2. Date Exercisable and	3. Title and Amount of	4.	5.	6. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 4)	Expiration Date	Securities Underlying	Conversion	Ownership	Beneficial
	(Month/Day/Year)	Derivative Security	or Exercise	Form of	Ownership

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6. Individual or Joint/Group

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Person

Reporting Person

X Form filed by One Reporting

Form filed by More than One

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	(Instr. 4) Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	(Instr. 5)
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	(1)	03/19/2025	Common Stock	160,000	\$ 20.91	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	02/17/2017	02/17/2026	Common Stock	28,549	\$ 11.52	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address			Relationships				
			10% Owner	Officer	Other		
C/O 3950 470	in Joan ACCELERATE DIAGNOSTICS, IN S. COUNTRY CLUB RD., SUITE SON, AZ 85714	C. Â	Â	EXECUTIVE VP AND HEAD OF EMEA	Â		
Sig	natures						
	avid Hinnant, 03/1	15/2017					
<u>**</u> Si	ignature of Reporting Person	Date					

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* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(b)(v).

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(1) 40% of the options vest on March 19, 2017, and the balance vests in 36 equal monthly installments beginning on April 19, 2017.

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Remarks:

Exhibit List: Exhibit 24 - Power of Attorney

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