FORM 3

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Auster Martin</u>	2. Date of Requiring (Month/Da 10/20/20	Statement ay/Year)	3. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol Ventyx Biosciences, Inc. [ VTYX ]				
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O VENTYX BIOSCIENCES, INC			4. Relationship of Reportin Issuer (Check all applicable)	10% Owner Other (specify below)		5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)      6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	
662 ENCINITAS BLVD, SUITE 250	_		Director  Officer (give title below)				
(Street) ENCINITAS CA 92024	_		Chief Financia				
(City) (State) (Zip)							
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned							
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)			2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Owne Form: D (D) or In (I) (Instr	oirect Ov odirect	ature of Indirect Beneficial nership (Instr. 5)	
Common Stock			95,296				
Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)							
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of	Form:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr.
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Derivative Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	5)
Stock Option (right to buy)	(1)	05/06/2031	Common Stock	381,184	3.45	D	
Stock Option (right to buy)	(2)	09/18/2031	Common Stock	56,883	8.04	D	

#### **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Option granted under pursuant to the Issuer's 2019 Equity Incentive Plan, as amended (the "2019 Plan"). Subject to the Reporting Person continuing to be a Service Provider (as defined 2019 Plan) through each applicable date, one third (1/3rd) of the shares subject to the options shall vest on the one year anniversary of the Vesting Commencement date, and, thereafter, one twenty-fourth (1/24th) of the remaining shares subject to the option shall vest each month on the same day of the month as the Vesting Commencement Date (and if there is no corresponding day, on the last day of the month). "Vesting Commencement Date" shall mean May 3, 2021.
- 2. Option granted under pursuant to the Issuer's 2019 Equity Incentive Plan, as amended (the "2019 Plan"). Subject to the Reporting Person continuing to be a Service Provider (as defined 2019 Plan) through each applicable date, twenty-five percent (25%) of the shares subject to the options shall vest on the one year anniversary of the Vesting Commencement date, and, thereafter, one thirty-sixth (1/36th) of the remaining shares subject to the option shall vest each month on the same day of the month as the Vesting Commencement Date (and if there is no corresponding day, on the last day of the month). "Vesting Commencement Date" shall mean September 17, 2021.

#### Remarks:

Exhibit 24 - Power of Attorney

/s/ Christopher Krueger, as Attorney-in-Fact 10/20/2021

\*\* Signature of Reporting

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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

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### POWER OF ATTORNEY

The undersigned, as a Section 16 reporting person of Ventyx Biosciences, Inc. (the "Company"), hereby constitutes and appoints Raju Mohan, Christopher Krueger, Martin Waters, Raymond Multer, and Brandon Shaw the undersigned's true and lawful attorneys-in- fact to:

- 1. complete and execute Forms 3, 4 and 5 and other forms and all amendments thereto as such attorneys-in-fact shall in their discretion determine to be required or advisable pursuant to Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (as amended) and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder, or any successor laws and regulations, as a consequence of the undersigned's ownership, acquisition or disposition of securities of the Company; and
- 2. do all acts necessary in order to file such forms with the Securities and Exchange Commission, any securities exchange or national association, the Company and such other person or agency as the attorneys-in-fact shall deem appropriate.

The undersigned hereby ratifies and confirms all that said attorneys-in-fact and agent shall do or cause to be done by virtue hereof. The undersigned acknowledges that the foregoing attorneys-in-fact, in serving in such capacity at the request of the undersigned, are not assuming, nor is the Company assuming, any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (as amended).

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4 and 5 with respect to the undersigned's holdings of and transactions in securities issued by the Company, unless earlier revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to the Company and the foregoing attorneys-in-fact.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 20th day of October, 2021.

Signature: /s/ Martin D. Auster

Print Name: Martin D. Auster

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