AMERICAN SOFTWARE INC Form SC 13G/A February 01, 2007

UNITED STATES WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13G UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934 (AMENDMENT NO. _8_)*

American Software

(Name of Issuer)

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

029683109

(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).

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1. NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS S.S. OR I.R.S. Brown Capital Management, Inc IDENTIFICATION NOS. OF ABOVE PERSONS .								
2. CHI	(a)[] (b)[]							
3. SEC	USE ONLY							
4. CIT	TIZENSHIP OR		Maryland					
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 9. AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON 1,190,700 10. CHECK IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES 								
11. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9) 5.55%								
12. TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON*				IA CO				
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Item 1	(b) A	fame of Issuer: ddress of Issuer's xecutive Offices	s Principal	American Software 470 E. Paces Ferry Road, NE Atlanta, GA 30305				
Item 2		ame of Person Fi	_	Brown Capital Management, In 1201 N. Calvert Street	nc			

Baltimore, Maryland 21202

Maryland

Common Stock

Office or, if none, Residence:

Title of Class of Securities:

Citizenship:

(c) (d)

(e) CUSIP Number: 029683109

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

under

Section 203 of the Investment

Not applicable

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Advisers Act of 1940

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Item 4:	Ownership As of Decemb	per 31, 2006:	
(a)	Amount Beneficially Owned:		1,190,700
(b)	Percent of class:		5.55%
(c)	Number of shares to which such person	on has:	
(i)	Sole power	to vote or to direct the vote:	191,900
(ii)	Shared pov	ver to vote or to direct the vote:	None
(iii)	Sole power	to dispose or to direct the	1,190,700
(iv)	disposition	of:	None
	Shared pov	ver to dispose or to direct the	
	disposition	of:	

Ownership of Five Percent of Less of Class:

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

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Item 5:

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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	y:	
Item 8: Identification and Classification of Members of the		of Members of the Group:	Not applicable
Item 9:	Notice of Dissolution of Group:		Not applicable
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Item 10:	Certification:		
referred to all for the purpo issuer of such	pove were acquired in the ordinary use of and do not have the effect of	my knowledge and belief, the securities course of business and were not acquired changing or influencing the control of the in connection with or as a participant in any	
SIGNATUI After reaso		y knowledge and belief, I certify that	
the informati	on set forth in this statement is tru	•	
		Brown Capital Management, Inc	Э.
		By: /s/ Eddie C. Brown	
		Eddie C. Brown	
		President	
Date:		December 31, 2006	