UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C 20549 SCHEDULE 13G Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (Amendment No. 1)\* Big 5 Sporting Goods Corp. (Name of Issuer) (Title of Class of Securities) 08915P101 (CUSIP Number) December 31, 2004 (Date of Event Which Requires Filing of the Statement) Schedule is filed:

Check the appropriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this

[X] Rule 13d-1 (b)

Rule 13d-1 (c) [ ]

[ ] Rule 13d-1 (d)

\*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 the disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

The information required in 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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- NAME OF REPORTING PERSON 1) S.S. or I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON Neuberger Berman, Inc. 061523639 Neuberger Berman, LLC 13-5521910
- 2) CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP\*

 $(a) /_{-}$ 

(b)  $\sqrt{X/}$ 

- 3) SEC USE ONLY
- CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION 4) Delaware

NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH:

- SOLE VOTING POWER 23,900
- SHARED VOTING POWER 6) 2,175,649
- SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER 7)

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SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER 8) 2,807,849 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON 9) 2,807,849 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES\* 10) 72,700 11) PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9 12.39 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON\* 12) BD/IA CUSIP No. 08915P101 Page 2A of 5 Pages 13G 1) NAME OF REPORTING PERSON S.S. or I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON Neuberger Berman Genesis Fund 133240872 CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP\* 2) (a) /\_ (b) /X/ SEC USE ONLY 3) CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION 4) NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH: 5) SOLE VOTING POWER 6) SHARED VOTING POWER 2,807,849 7) SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER 8) SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER 2,807,849 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON 9) 2,807,849 10) CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES\* PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9 11) 9.3 12) TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON\* ΙV CUSIP No. 08915P101 13G Page 3 of 5 Pages Item 1. Name of Issuer: (a) Big 5 Sporting Goods Corp. Address of Issuer's Principal Executive Offices: Item 1 (b) 2525 East El Segundo Blvd. El Segundo, CA 90245 Item 2. Name of Person Filing: (a) Neuberger Berman, Inc. Neuberger Berman, LLC. Neuberger Berman Management Inc. Neuberger Berman Genesis Fund Item 2 (b) Address of Principal Business Office:

605 Third Ave., New York, NY, 10158-3698

Item 2 (c) Citizenship:

USA

Item 2 (d) Title of Class of Securities:

Common

Item 2 (e) CUSIP Number:

08915P101

Item 3. (g) /X/ Parent holding company, in accordance with 240.13d-1

(b) (ii) (G)

Item 4. Ownership:

(a) Amount Beneficially Owned:

2,807,849

(b) Percent of Class:

12.39

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(c) Number of Shares as to which such person has:

(I) Sole Power to vote or to direct the vote: 23,900

(II) Shared Power to vote or to direct the vote: 2,175,649

(III) Sole Power to dispose or to direct the disposition of: 0

(IV) Shared Power to dispose or to direct the disposition of: 2,807,849

Item 5. Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class:  $N/\Delta$ 

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

Neuberger Berman, LLC is deemed to be a beneficial owner for purpose of Rule 13(d) since it has shared power to make decisions whether to retain or dispose of, and in some cases the sole power to vote the securities of many unrelated clients. Neuberger Berman, LLC does not, however, have any economic interest in the securities of those clients. The clients are the actual owners of the securities and have the sole right to receive and the power to direct the receipt of dividends from or proceeds from the sale of such securities.

With regard to the shares set forth under Item 4.(c)(II), 2,807,849 shares or 9.3% of the outstanding are beneficially owned by Neuberger Berman Genesis Fund Portfolio, a series of Equity Managers Trust. Neuberger Berman, LLC and Neuberger Berman Management Inc. are deemed to be beneficial owners of these shares for purposes of Rule 13(d) since they both have shared power to make decisions whether to retain or dispose of the securities. Neuberger Berman, LLC and Neuberger Berman Management Inc. serve as sub-adviser and investment manager, respectively, of Neuberger Berman Genesis Fund Portfolio, which holds such shares in the ordinary course of its business and not with the purpose nor with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer.

With regard to the balance of the shares set forth under Item 4.(c)(II), Neuberger Berman, LLC and Neuberger Berman Management Inc. are deemed to be the beneficial owners for the purposes of Rule 13(d), since they have power to make decisions whether to retain or dispose of securities held by Neuberger Berman's various other Funds. Neuberger Berman, LLC is the subadvisor to the aforementioned Funds.

No other Neuberger Berman, LLC advisory client has an interest of more than 5% of the issuer.

It should be further noted that the share calculation under item 4.(c)(IV) is derived from a total combination of the shares set forth under Item 4.(c)(I and II). The remaining balance of shares, if any, are for individual client accounts over which Neuberger Berman, LLC has shared power to dispose.

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Item 7. Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary Which Acquired the Security Being Reported on by the Parent Holding Company:
Neuberger Berman, Inc. makes this filing pursuant to Rule 13d-1(b)(ii)(G) since it owns 100% of both Neuberger Berman, LLC and Neuberger Berman Management, Inc. and does not own over 1% of the issuer.
Neuberger Berman, LLC, as investment advisor and broker/dealer with discretion.
Neuberger Berman Management Inc. as investment advisor to a Series of Public Mutual Funds.

Item 8. Identification and Classification of Members of the Group:

N/A

Item 9. Notice of Dissolution of Group:

N/A

Item 10. Certification:

By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were acquired and are held in the ordinary course of business and were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that purpose or effect.

## Signature:

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

In addition, the undersigned hereby agree that the Schedule 13G filed herewith is filed jointly pursuant to Rule 13d-1(f)(1) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, on behalf of each of them.

By:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Kevin Handwerker

General Counsel
Neuberger Berman, Inc.
Neuberger Berman, LLC.

By: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Peter Sundman

President and Director
Neuberger Berman Management Inc.

Date: February 16, 2005

By: :\_\_\_\_\_\_

Peter Sundman

Chairman of the Board, Chief Executive
Officer and Trustee

Neuberger Berman Genesis Fund,
a Series of Equity Managers Trust