

GACKA MARK G  
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# FORM 4

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
GACKA MARK G

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
NORDSON CORP [NDSN]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

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

28601 CLEMENS ROAD

09/07/2005

VICE PRESIDENT

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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WESTLAKE, OH 44145

(City) (State) (Zip)

### Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
COMMON SHARES	09/07/2005		M		30,000	A	\$ 22.41
COMMON SHARES	09/07/2005		M		36,750	A	\$ 22.16
COMMON SHARES	09/07/2005		S		800	D	\$ 36.71
COMMON SHARES	09/07/2005		S		10,000	D	\$ 36.16
COMMON SHARES	09/07/2005		S		55,950	D	\$ 36

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COMMON SHARES	09/08/2005	M	7,250	A	\$ 22.16	45,275 <sup>(1)</sup>	D
COMMON SHARES	09/08/2005	M	36,000	A	\$ 28.5	81,275 <sup>(1)</sup>	D
COMMON SHARES	09/08/2005	M	27,000	A	\$ 23.07	108,275 <sup>(1)</sup>	D
COMMON SHARES	09/08/2005	M	6,500	A	\$ 27.78	114,775 <sup>(1)</sup>	D
COMMON SHARES	09/08/2005	M	3,250	A	\$ 27.71	118,025 <sup>(1)</sup>	D
COMMON SHARES	09/08/2005	S	500	D	\$ 35.75	117,525 <sup>(1)</sup>	D
COMMON SHARES	09/08/2005	S	500	D	\$ 35.7	117,025 <sup>(1)</sup>	D
COMMON SHARES	09/08/2005	S	1,000	D	\$ 35.6	116,025 <sup>(1)</sup>	D
COMMON SHARES	09/08/2005	S	1,000	D	\$ 35.5	115,025 <sup>(1)</sup>	D
COMMON SHARES	09/08/2005	S	10,000	D	\$ 35.55	105,025 <sup>(1)</sup>	D
COMMON SHARES	09/08/2005	S	2,000	D	\$ 35.58	103,025 <sup>(1)</sup>	D
COMMON SHARES	09/08/2005	S	25,000	D	\$ 35.5	78,025 <sup>(1)</sup>	D
COMMON SHARES	09/08/2005	S	1,000	D	\$ 35.48	77,025 <sup>(1)</sup>	D
COMMON SHARES	09/08/2005	S	1,000	D	\$ 35.45	76,025 <sup>(1)</sup>	D
COMMON SHARES	09/08/2005	S	1,000	D	\$ 35.4	75,025 <sup>(1)</sup>	D
COMMON SHARES	09/08/2005	S	37,000	D	\$ 35.18	38,025 <sup>(1)</sup>	D

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

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**  
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 22.41	09/07/2005		M		30,000		11/02/1999	11/02/2008	COMMON SHARES	30,000
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 22.16	09/07/2005		M		36,750		11/01/2000	11/01/2009	COMMON SHARES	36,750
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 22.16	09/08/2005		M		7,250		11/01/2000	11/01/2009	COMMON SHARES	7,250
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 28.5	09/08/2005		M		36,000		11/06/2001	11/06/2010	COMMON SHARES	36,000
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 23.07	09/08/2005		M		27,000		11/05/2002	11/05/2011	COMMON SHARES	27,000
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 27.78	09/08/2005		M		6,500		12/09/2003	12/09/2012	COMMON SHARES	6,500
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 27.71	09/08/2005		M		3,250		11/03/2004	11/03/2013	COMMON SHARES	3,250

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
GACKA MARK G 28601 CLEMENS ROAD WESTLAKE, OH 44145			VICE PRESIDENT	

## Signatures

Robert E. Veillette, Attorney-In-Fact	09/09/2005
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\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(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).
- (1) Includes 14,399 shares owned through Co. 401(k) Plan; and 242 shares owned through Co. Excess Retirement Plan.
  - (2) The price of the Derivative Security has been reported in column 2.

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