

FRISCHMANN DON  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
FRISCHMANN DON

(Last) (First) (Middle)

20330 STEVENS CREEK  
BOULEVARD

(Street)

CUPERTINO, CA 95014

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
SYMANTEC CORP [SYMC]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
11/10/2004

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_ Officer (give title \_\_\_\_ Other (specify  
below) below)  
SVP, Communications & Brand Mgt

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
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Person

**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 Stock	11/10/2004		M		20,000	A	\$ 8.6407	60,101 D
Common Stock	11/10/2004		M		10,000	A	\$ 13.9063	70,101 D
Common Stock	11/10/2004		S		200	D	\$ 60.18	69,901 D
Common Stock	11/10/2004		S		1,896	D	\$ 60.17	68,005 D
Common Stock	11/10/2004		S		2,348	D	\$ 60.16	65,657 D

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Common Stock	11/10/2004	S	1,400	D	\$ 60.15	64,257	D
Common Stock	11/10/2004	S	90	D	\$ 60.14	64,167	D
Common Stock	11/10/2004	S	3	D	\$ 60.13	64,164	D
Common Stock	11/10/2004	S	2,000	D	\$ 60.1	62,164	D
Common Stock	11/10/2004	S	100	D	\$ 60.04	62,064	D
Common Stock	11/10/2004	S	200	D	\$ 60.03	61,864	D
Common Stock	11/10/2004	S	868	D	\$ 60.01	60,996	D
Common Stock	11/10/2004	S	7,332	D	\$ 60	53,664	D
Common Stock	11/10/2004	S	5,000	D	\$ 59.91	48,664	D
Common Stock	11/10/2004	S	500	D	\$ 59.89	48,164	D
Common Stock	11/10/2004	S	100	D	\$ 59.87	48,064	D
Common Stock	11/10/2004	S	100	D	\$ 59.86	47,964	D
Common Stock	11/10/2004	S	700	D	\$ 59.82	47,264	D
Common Stock	11/10/2004	S	1,500	D	\$ 59.75	45,764	D
Common Stock	11/10/2004	S	1,000	D	\$ 59.62	44,764	D
Common Stock	11/10/2004	S	1,000	D	\$ 59.3	43,764	D
Common Stock	11/10/2004	S	1,400	D	\$ 59.21	42,364	D
Common Stock	11/10/2004	S	2	D	\$ 59.1	42,362	D
Common Stock	11/10/2004	S	1,000	D	\$ 59	41,362	D
Common Stock	11/10/2004	S	1,000	D	\$ 58.97	40,362	D
	11/10/2004	S	59	D	\$ 58.03	40,303	D

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Common  
Stock

Common Stock    11/10/2004    S    202    D    \$ 58    40,101    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)

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 Grant	\$ 8.6407	11/10/2004		M	20,000	12/18/2001	12/18/2010	Common Stock	20,000
Employee Stock Option Grant	\$ 13.9063	11/10/2004		M	10,000	12/20/2000	12/20/2009	Common Stock	10,000

## Reporting Owners

### Reporting Owner Name / Address

### Relationships

Director    10% Owner    Officer

Other

FRISCHMANN DON  
20330 STEVENS CREEK BOULEVARD  
CUPERTINO, CA 95014

SVP, Communications & Brand Mgt

## Signatures

Don Frischmann

05/24/2004

\*\*Signature of  
Reporting Person

Date

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Arthur F.  
Courville

05/24/2004

Signature of  
Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

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- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. *See* 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

### Remarks:

Post transaction holdings

Stock:40,101

Options:205,891

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