

NORDSON CORP
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
GROOS MICHAEL

(Last) (First) (Middle)
28601 CLEMENS ROAD
(Street)

WESTLAKE, OH 44145

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
12/19/2005

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 below) Other (specify below)
Vice President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| | | | Code | V | Amount or Price | | |
| COMMON SHARES | 12/19/2005 | | M | | 8,000 A \$ 27.78 | D | |
| COMMON SHARES | 12/19/2005 | | M | | 8,000 A \$ 27.71 | D | |
| COMMON SHARES | 12/19/2005 | | S | | 1,077 D \$ 41.77 | D | |
| COMMON SHARES | 12/19/2005 | | S | | 100 D \$ 41.76 | D | |
| COMMON SHARES | 12/19/2005 | | S | | 200 D \$ 41.72 | D | |

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| COMMON SHARES | 12/19/2005 | S | 100 | D | \$ 41.6 | 26,123 | D |
| COMMON SHARES | 12/19/2005 | S | 100 | D | \$ 41.59 | 26,023 | D |
| COMMON SHARES | 12/19/2005 | S | 300 | D | \$ 41.58 | 25,723 | D |
| COMMON SHARES | 12/19/2005 | S | 100 | D | \$ 41.57 | 25,623 | D |
| COMMON SHARES | 12/19/2005 | S | 100 | D | \$ 41.56 | 25,523 | D |
| COMMON SHARES | 12/19/2005 | S | 200 | D | \$ 41.49 | 25,323 | D |
| COMMON SHARES | 12/19/2005 | S | 700 | D | \$ 41.47 | 24,623 | D |
| COMMON SHARES | 12/19/2005 | S | 100 | D | \$ 41.46 | 24,523 | D |
| COMMON SHARES | 12/19/2005 | S | 100 | D | \$ 41.41 | 24,423 | D |
| COMMON SHARES | 12/19/2005 | S | 100 | D | \$ 41.4 | 24,323 | D |
| COMMON SHARES | 12/19/2005 | S | 300 | D | \$ 41.35 | 24,023 | D |
| COMMON SHARES | 12/19/2005 | S | 100 | D | \$ 41.33 | 23,923 | D |
| COMMON SHARES | 12/19/2005 | S | 550 | D | \$ 41.32 | 23,373 | D |
| COMMON SHARES | 12/19/2005 | S | 100 | D | \$ 41.16 | 23,272 | D |
| COMMON SHARES | 12/19/2005 | S | 401 | D | \$ 41.11 | 22,872 | D |
| COMMON SHARES | 12/19/2005 | S | 499 | D | \$ 41.08 | 22,373 | D |
| COMMON SHARES | 12/19/2005 | S | 100 | D | \$ 41.12 | 22,273 | D |
| COMMON SHARES | 12/19/2005 | S | 1,000 | D | \$ 41.06 | 21,273 | D |
| COMMON SHARES | 12/19/2005 | S | 700 | D | \$ 41.05 | 20,573 | D |
| COMMON SHARES | 12/19/2005 | S | 300 | D | \$ 41.04 | 20,273 | D |
| | 12/19/2005 | S | 8,673 | D | | 11,600 | D |

COMMON SHARES \$ 41.03

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) | Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------|
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 27.78 | 12/19/2005 | | M | 8,000 | 12/09/2003 12/09/2012 | COMMON SHARES | 8,000 |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 27.71 | 12/19/2005 | | M | 8,000 | 11/03/2004 11/03/2013 | COMMON SHARES | 8,000 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|----------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| GROOS MICHAEL 28601 CLEMENS ROAD WESTLAKE, OH 44145 | | | Vice President | |

Signatures

Robert E. Veillette,
Attorney-In-Fact 12/20/2005

**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) The price of the Derivative Security has been reported in column 2.

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