SMUCKER J M CO

Form 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading MECHEM CHARLES S JR Issuer Symbol SMUCKER J M CO [SJM] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction X__ Director (Month/Day/Year) 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify 2803 TETON PINE DR 03/02/2005 below) (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting **WILSON, WY 83014** Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	rities Acq	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	y 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. Securi on(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	d of (D)	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)
Common Shares	03/02/2005		M	2,561	A	\$ 36.64	5,663	D	
Common Shares	03/02/2005		M	1,500	A	\$ 40.61	7,163	D	
Common Shares	03/02/2005		D	3,102	D	\$ 49.88	4,061	D	

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4,		ate	7. Title and Amount or Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. De Se (In
				Code V	(A) (D		isable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Option Common Shares	\$ 36.64	03/02/2005		M	2,56	51	<u>(1)</u>	08/31/2012	Common Shares	2,561	\$
Option Common Shares	\$ 40.61	03/02/2005		M	1,50	00	<u>(1)</u>	08/31/2013	Common Shares	1,500	\$

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer Other				
MECHEM CHARLES S JR 2803 TETON PINE DR WILSON, WY 83014	X						

Signatures

M. Ann Harlan,
POA

**Signature of Reporting Person

O3/04/2005

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- * 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) Nonemployee Director stock option (right to buy) which becomes exercisable six months from grant date, if he/she has served continuously as a Nonemployee Director until such date.

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