

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 \*  
ROSEN BENEDICT P

(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)  
05/28/2008

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)

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
COMMON SHARES	05/28/2008		M		2,400 A \$ 28	6,822	D
COMMON SHARES	05/28/2008		M		5,348 A \$ 21.1	12,170	D
COMMON SHARES	05/28/2008		M		3,958 A \$ 28.5	16,128	D
COMMON SHARES	05/28/2008		M		3,808 A \$ 29.61	19,936	D
COMMON SHARES	05/28/2008		M		2,552 A \$ 24.22	22,488	D
	05/28/2008		M		2,500 A	24,988	D

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COMMON SHARES					\$ 27.71		
COMMON SHARES	05/28/2008	M	2,500	A	\$ 37.11	27,488	D
COMMON SHARES	05/28/2008	M	2,500	A	\$ 38.99	29,988	D
COMMON SHARES	05/28/2008	S	400	D	\$ 70.94	29,588	D
COMMON SHARES	05/28/2008	S	800	D	\$ 70.93	28,788	D
COMMON SHARES	05/28/2008	S	4	D	\$ 70.92	28,784	D
COMMON SHARES	05/28/2008	S	900	D	\$ 70.91	27,884	D
COMMON SHARES	05/28/2008	S	100	D	\$ 70.89	27,784	D
COMMON SHARES	05/28/2008	S	200	D	\$ 70.81	27,584	D
COMMON SHARES	05/28/2008	S	100	D	\$ 70.8	27,484	D
COMMON SHARES	05/28/2008	S	100	D	\$ 70.79	27,384	D
COMMON SHARES	05/28/2008	S	600	D	\$ 70.76	26,784	D
COMMON SHARES	05/28/2008	S	500	D	\$ 70.75	26,284	D
COMMON SHARES	05/28/2008	S	1,100	D	\$ 70.74	25,184	D
COMMON SHARES	05/28/2008	S	500	D	\$ 70.72	24,684	D
COMMON SHARES	05/28/2008	S	253	D	\$ 70.71	24,331	D
COMMON SHARES	05/28/2008	S	100	D	\$ 70.7	24,331	D
COMMON SHARES	05/28/2008	S	300	D	\$ 70.69	24,031	D
COMMON SHARES	05/28/2008	S	900	D	\$ 70.68	23,131	D
COMMON SHARES	05/28/2008	S	600	D	\$ 70.67	22,531	D
	05/28/2008	S	600	D		21,931	D

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COMMON SHARES						\$ 70.66		
COMMON SHARES	05/28/2008		S	100	D	\$ 70.63	21,831	D
COMMON SHARES	05/28/2008		S	100	D	\$ 70.6	21,731	D
COMMON SHARES	05/28/2008		S	200	D	\$ 70.54	21,531	D
COMMON SHARES	05/28/2008		S	200	D	\$ 70.53	21,331	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
Restricted Stock Units	(1)					(2) (2)	COMMON SHARES	(2)
Stock Equivalent Units	(1)					(3) (3)	COMMON SHARES	(3)
Director's Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 28	05/28/2008		M	2,400	09/11/1999 03/11/2009	COMMON SHARES	2,400
Director's Stock Option	\$ 21.1	05/28/2008		M	5,348	09/09/2000 03/09/2010	COMMON SHARES	5,348

(right to buy)										
Director's Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 28.5	05/28/2008	M	3,958	09/08/2001	03/08/2011	COMMON SHARES	3,958		
Director's Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 29.61	05/28/2008	M	3,808	09/08/2002	03/08/2012	COMMON SHARES	3,808		
Director's Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 24.22	05/28/2008	M	2,552	09/06/2003	03/06/2013	COMMON SHARES	2,552		
Director's Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 27.71	05/28/2008	M	2,500	05/03/2004	11/03/2013	COMMON SHARES	2,500		
Director's Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 37.11	05/28/2008	M	2,500	05/08/2005	11/08/2014	COMMON SHARES	2,500		
Director's Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 38.99	05/28/2008	M	2,500	05/14/2006	11/14/2015	COMMON SHARES	2,500		

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
ROSEN BENEDICT P 28601 CLEMENS ROAD WESTLAKE, OH 44145	X			

## Signatures

Robert E. Veillette,  
Attorney-In-Fact

05/28/2008

\_\_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) Security converts into common stock on one-for-one basis.
- (2) Restricted Stock Units accrued through deferral of grant of restricted stock under Directors' Deferred Compensation Plan. Receipt of stock is not permissible until participant ceases to be a Director.
- (3) Stock Equivalent Units accrued through Nordson's Directors' Deferred Compensation Plan. Receipt of stock is not permissible until participant ceases to be a Director.

### Remarks:

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