

NORDSON CORP
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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 *
GINN WILLIAM D

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)
28601 CLEMENS ROAD
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
12/04/2008

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

WESTLAKE, OH 44145
(City) (State) (Zip)

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

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)
				(A) or (D) Code V Amount (D) Price			
COMMON SHARES					6,856	D	
COMMON SHARES					4,764	I	BY SPOUSE

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 (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)	8.	D	S	(
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		
				Code	V	(A)	(D)				
Stock Equivalent Units	(1)	12/04/2008		J	13	(1)	(1)	COMMON SHARES	13		
Restricted Stock Units	(2)	12/04/2008		A	2,436	(3)	(3)	COMMON SHARES	2,436		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
GINN WILLIAM D 28601 CLEMENS ROAD WESTLAKE, OH 44145	X			

Signatures

Robert E. Veillette,
Attorney-In-Fact

12/08/2008

**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) Stock Equivalent Units accrued through Nordson's Directors' Deferred Compensation Plan are settled in common shares on a one-for-one basis when reporting person ceases to be a Director.
- (2) Restricted Stock Units acquired through deferral of grant of restricted stock under Directors' Deferred Compensation Plan.
- (3) Restricted Stock Units vest two (2) years after the grant date and convert to an equal number of stock equivalent units on the vesting date.

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