## PHOTRONICS INC

## Form 424B3

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PROSPECTUS SUPPLEMENT NO. 9<br>(To Prospectus Dated February 22, 2002)<br>$\$ 200,000,000$<br>Photronics, Inc.<br>4 3/4\% Convertible Subordinated Notes Due 2006<br>and<br>Common Stock Issuable Upon Conversion of the Notes

This document supplements our prospectus dated February 22, 2002 relating to the resale of up to $\$ 200,000,000$ aggregate principal amount of our notes and the shares of our common stock issuable upon conversion of the notes, by certain holders of notes who are named as selling security holders in the prospectus.

You should read this prospectus supplement in conjunction with the prospectus. This prospectus supplement updates information in the prospectus, and, accordingly, to the extent inconsistent, the information in this prospectus supplement supersedes the information contained in the prospectus.

Investing in the notes involves risks. See "Risk Factors" beginning on page 7 of the prospectus.
NEITHER THE SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION NOR ANY STATE
SECURITIES COMMISSION HAS APPROVED OR DISAPPROVED OF THESE
SECURITIES OR PASSED UPON THE ADEQUACY OR ACCURACY OF THIS
PROSPECTUS. ANY REPRESENTATION TO THE CONTRARY IS A CRIMINAL
OFFENSE.

The date of this prospectus supplement is May 22, 2002.

The table of selling security holders beginning on page 36 of the prospectus is hereby amended to add the entities named below as selling security holders:

Principal | Number of |
| :--- |
| shares of |

| Name | amount of notes beneficially owned that may be sold | ```Percentage of notes outstanding``` | common stock that may be sold (1) | Percentage <br> of common stock <br> outstanding(2) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Man Convertible Bond |  |  |  |  |
| Master Fund, Ltd. | \$ 8,208,000 | $4.10 \%$ | 221,837 | * |
| St. Thomas Trading, Ltd | 13,468,000 | 6.73 | 363,999 | 1.18\% |

After giving effect to the addition of the foregoing selling security holders and the insertion of a new footnote (8) to the following table, the section of the prospectus entitled "Selling Security Holders" reads as follows:

## SELLING SECURITY HOLDERS

We originally issued the notes in a private placement in December 2001. The notes were resold by the initial purchasers of the notes to qualified institutional buyers under Rule 144 A under the Securities Act. Selling security holders may offer and sell the notes and the underlying common stock pursuant to this prospectus.

The following table sets forth information we have received as of May 21,2002 about the principal amount of notes and the underlying common stock beneficially owned by each selling security holder that may be offered using this prospectus.

| Name | Principal amount of notes beneficially owned that may be sold | ```Percentage of notes outstanding``` | shares of common st that may be sol (1) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Advent Convertible Master Cayman L.P. | \$ 2,935,000 | $1.47 \%$ | 79,324 |
| AIG/National Union Fire Insurance | 180,000 | * | 4,864 |
| AIM Alternative Asset Partners | 15,000 | $\star$ | 405 |
| Alpha US Sub Fund 4, LLC | 415,000 | $\star$ | 11,216 |
| Allentown City Firefighters Pension Plan | 29,000 | * | 783 |
| Allentown City Officers \& Employees Pension Fund | 11,000 | * | 297 |
| Allentown City Police Pension Plan | 54,000 | * | 1,459 |
| Amaranth LLC | 13,800,000 | 6.90 | 372,972 |
| American Motorist Insurance Company | 507,000 | * | 13,702 |
| AmSouth Bank Custodian for AmSouth VA Equity Income Fund | $2,100,000$ | 1.05 | 56,756 |

Number o shares o common st
that may
(1)

79,324
4, 864

56,756

## Name

AmSouth Bank Custodian for Silect Equity Variable Annuity Fund Arapahoe County Colorado
Argent Classic Convertible Arbitrage Fund L.P.
Argent Classic Convertible Arbitrage Fund (Bermuda) Ltd.
Argent Convertible Arbitrage Fund Ltd.
Argent LowLev Convertible Arbitrage Fund LLC
Arkansas Teachers Retirement System
Aventis Pension Master Trust (5)
Bank Austria Cayman Islands, LTD
Bankers Trust Company Trustee for DaimlerChrysler
Corp. Emp. \#1 Pension Plan dtd. 4/1/89
Baptist Health of South Florida
Black Diamond Offshore Ltd.
Boilermaker - Blacksmith Pension Trust (5)
British Virgin Islands Social Security Board
CALAMOS (R) Convertible Fund - CALAMOS (R) Investment Trust (5)
CALAMOS (R) Convertible Growth and Income Fund

- CALAMOS (R) Investment Trust (5)

| 1,320,000 | * | 35,675 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 49,000 | * | 1,324 |
| 500,000 | * | 13,513 |
| 2,000,000 | 1.00 | 54,054 |
| 4,500,000 | 2.25 | 121,621 |
| 500,000 | * | 13,513 |
| 3,506,000 | 1.75 | 94,756 |
| 105,000 | * | 2,837 |
| 7,400,000 | 3.70 | 199,999 |
| 3,465,000 | 1.73 | 93,648 |
| 577,000 | * | 15,594 |
| 565,000 | * | 15,270 |
| 590,000 | * | 15,945 |
| 38,000 | * | 1,027 |
| 2,400,000 | 1.20 | 64,864 |
| 4,400,000 | 2.20 | 118,918 |

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Name

CALAMOS (R) Convertible Portfolio - CALAMOS(R)
Advisors Trust (5)
CALAMOS (R) Convertible Technology Fund - CALAMOS (R)
Investment Trust (5)
CALAMOS (R) Global Convertible Fund - CALAMOS (R)
Investment Trust (5)
CALAMOS (R) Market Neutral Fund - CALAMOS (R)
Investment Trust (5)

Principal
amount of notes
beneficially
owned that
may be sold
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Percentage
    of notes
outstanding
-----------
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Number shares o common sto
that may be sold
(1)
of notes
outstanding

54,054
, 21

94,756
2,837
199,999

93,648
15,59
15,945
1, 027
64,864

118,918

Number shares o common st that ma
be sol
(1)

1,891
5.25

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Castle Convertible Fund, Inc.
Chrysler Corporation Master Retirement Trust
CIBC World Markets
City of Albany Pension Plan (5)
City of Knoxville Pension System (5)
City of New Orleans
City University of New York
Clarica Life Insurance Co.- U.S. (5)
Clinton Multistrategy Master Fund, Ltd.
Clinton Riverside Convertible Portfolio Limited
Consulting Group Capital Markets Funds (5)
DeAm Convertible Arbitrage
Delta Airlines Master Trust (5)
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| $1,250,000$ | $*$ | 33,783 |
| ---: | :---: | ---: |
| $2,035,000$ | 1.01 | 54,999 |
| $1,000,000$ | $*$ | 27,027 |
| 50,000 | $*$ | 1,351 |
| 145,000 | $*$ | 3,918 |
| 203,000 | $*$ | 5,486 |
| 122,000 | $*$ | 3,297 |
| 145,000 | 2.00 | 3,918 |
| $4,000,000$ | 2.00 | 108,108 |
| $4,000,000$ | $\star$ | 108,108 |
| 250,000 | 1.65 | 6,756 |
| $3,300,000$ | $*$ | 89,189 |
| 950,000 |  | 25,675 |

    Name
    Delta Air Lines Master Trust (c/o Oaktree
Capital Management LLC)
Delta Pilots Disability and Survivorship
Trust (5)
Delta Pilots D \& S Trust (c/o Oaktree
Capital Management LLC)
Deutsche Banc Alex Brown
Dorinco Reinsurance Company (5)
Double Black Diamond Offshore LDC
Drury University (5)
Engineers Joint Pension Fund
Federated Equity Income Fund, Inc.
Federated Insurance Series, on behalf of
its Federated Income Fund II
Fidelity Financial Trust: Fidelity
Convertible Securities Fund (6)
Franklin and Marshall College
Gartmore Variable Insurance Trust, on
behalf of its Federated GVIT Equity Income
Fund
Goldman Sachs and Company
Grady Hospital Foundation
Granville Capital Corporation
HFR Convertible Arbitrage Account
HFR Master Fund, LTD. (5)
H.K. Porter Company, Inc. (5)

Name

Delta Air Lines Master Trust (c/o Oaktree Capital Management LLC)
Delta Pilots Disability and Survivorship
Trust (5)
Capital Management LLC)
Deutsche Banc Alex Brown
Dorinco Reinsurance Company (5)
Double Black Diamond Offshore LDC
Drury University (5)
Engineers Joint Pension Fund
Federated Equity Income Fund, Inc.
its Federated Income Fund II
Fidelity Financial Trust: Fidelity
Convertible Securities Fund (6)
Gartmore Variable Insurance Trust, on
behalf of its Federated GVIT Equity Income
laman Sachs and Company
Principal
amount of notes
beneficially
owned that
may be sold

500,000
107,000
000,000
190,000
50,000
15,000
500,000
107,000
000,000
190,000
50,000
15,000
500,000
107,000
$2,000,000$
190,000
50,000
15,000
500,000
107,000
000,000
190,000
50,000
15,000
500,000
107,000
000,000
190,000
50,000
15,000
500,000
107,000
000,000
190,000
50,000
15,000
Number of shares o common sto
$15,624,000$
325,000
$2,935,000$
35,000
468,000
$7,300,000$
300,000

$11,680,000$
190,000
180,000
that may be sold
(1)

13,243

5,405
7,297
Percentage of notes outstanding
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422,269
8,783
79,324
945
12,648
197,297
8,108

315,675
5,135

4,864
13,513
2,891
54,054
5,135
1,351
405

Name

| Independence Blue Cross | 64,000 |
| :--- | ---: |
| Innovest Finanzdienstleistungs AG | 580,000 |
| Jefferies Umbrella Fund US Convertible Bonds | 270,000 |
| KBC Financial Products USA Inc. | 250,000 |
| Kettering Medical Center Funded | 35,000 |
| Depreciation Account (5) |  |
| Knoxville Utilities Board Retirement System | 120,000 |
| (5) |  |
| Lincoln National Global Asset Allocation | 40,000 |
| Fund, Inc. |  |
| Lipper Convertibles, L.P. | $1,500,000$ |
| Lipper Offshore Convertibles, L.P. | $1,500,000$ |
| Louisiana Workers' Compensation Corporation | 150,000 |
| (5) | 491,000 |
| Lumbermans | $1,230,000$ |
| Lyxor Master Fund Ref: Argent/LowLev CB | 145,000 |
| Macomb County Employees' Retirement System |  |
| (5) | $8,208,000$ |
| Man Convertible Bond Master Fund, Ltd. | $1,500,000$ |
| McMahan Securities Co., L.P. | 410,000 |
| Microsoft Corporation | 125,000 |
| Minnesota Power and Light | $1,500,000$ |
| Morgan Stanley \& Co. (7) | 545,000 |
| Motion Pictures Industry | 190,000 |
| Motion Picture Industry Health Plan - | 80,000 |
| Active Member Fund |  |
| Motion Picture Industry Health Plan - | 183,000 |

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| Principal amount of notes beneficially owned that may be sold | Percentage of notes outstanding |
| :---: | :---: |
| 64,000 | * |
| 580,000 | * |
| 270,000 | * |
| 250,000 | * |
| 35,000 | * |
| 120,000 | * |
| 40,000 | * |
| 1,500,000 | * |
| 1,500,000 | * |
| 150,000 | * |
| 491,000 | * |
| 1,230,000 | * |
| 145,000 | * |
| 8,208,000 | 4.10 |
| 1,500,000 | * |
| 410,000 | * |
| 125,000 | * |
| 1,500,000 | * |
| 545,000 | * |
| 190,000 | * |
| 80,000 | * |
| 183,000 | * |

Number oshares o
common st
that ma
be sold
(1)
1,729
15,594
7,297
6,75
945
3,243
1,081
40,540
40,540
4,054
13,270
33,243
3,918
221,837
40,54
11,081
3,378
40,540
14,729
5,135
2,162
4,945

Number of shares of common st

2,972
41,324

New Orleans Firefighters Pension / Relief Fund Nicholas Applegate Convertible Fund

Principal
amount of notes beneficially owned that may be sold

[^0]Percentage of notes outstanding ------------

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Nicholas Applegate Global Holdings LP
1 9 7 6 \text { Distribution Trust FBO A.R. Lauder /}
Zinterhofer
1 9 7 6 \text { Distribution Trust FBO Jane A. Lauder}
Occidental Petroleum Corporation
OCM Convertible Trust
Ohio National Fund, Inc., on behalf of its
Equity Income Portfolio
Ondeo Nalco
Onex Industrial Partners Limited
Palladin Securities LLC
Paloma Securities LLC
Partner Reinsurance Company Ltd.
Pebble Capital Inc.
Physicians Life
Policemen and Firemen Retirement System of
the City of Detroit
Port Authority of Allegheny County
Retirement and Disability Allowance Plan
for the Employees Represented by Local }8
of the Amalgamated Transit Union (5)
Pro-mutual
Putnam Asset Allocation Funds-
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Name

## Balanced Portfolio

Putnam Asset Allocation Funds-Conservative Portfolio
Putnam Convertible Income-Growth Trust
Putnam Convertible Opportunities and Income
Trust
Putnam Variable Trust-Putnam VT Global
Asset Allocation Fund
Qwest Occupational Health Trust
Ramius Capital Group
RAM Trading Ltd
Raytheon Master Pension Trust
RCG Halifax Master Fund, LTD
RCG Latitude Master Fund, LTD
RCG Multi Strategy A/C LP
Robertson Stephens
Rockhaven Fund
Rockhaven Premier Dividend Fund
San Diego City Retirement
San Diego County Convertible
SCI Endowment Care Common Trust Fund -
First Union (5)

| 35,000 | * | 945 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 7,000 | * | 189 |
| 13,000 | * | 351 |
| 118,000 | * | 3,189 |
| 1,180,000 | * | 8,918 |
| 30,000 | * | 810 |
| 40,000 | * | 1,081 |
| 1,950,000 | * | 52,702 |
| 1,200,000 | * | 32,432 |
| 5,000,000 | 2.50 | 135,135 |
| 330,000 | * | 8,918 |
| 650,000 | * | 17,567 |
| 183,000 | * | 4,945 |
| 503,000 | * | 13,594 |
| 615,000 | * | 16,621 |
| 603,000 | * | 16,297 |
| 310,000 | * | 8,378 |

## Number of

 shares o common sto
## (1)

| 240,000 | * | 6,486 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2,180,000 | 1.09 | 58,918 |
| 80,000 | * | 2,162 |
| 80,000 | * | 2,162 |
| 55,000 | * | 1,486 |
| 300,000 | * | 8,108 |
| 1,750,000 | * | 47,297 |
| 200,000 | * | 5,405 |
| 550,000 | * | 14,864 |
| 2,500,000 | 1.25 | 67,567 |
| 1,250,000 | * | 33,783 |
| 5,000,000 | 2.50 | 135,135 |
| 80,000 | * | 2,162 |
| 700,000 | * | 18,918 |
| 1,097,000 | * | 29,648 |
| 1,654,000 | * | 44,702 |
| 20,000 | * | 540 |


| SCI Endowment Care Common Trust Fund - | 70,000 | * |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| National Fiduciary Services (5) |  | * |
| SCI Endowment Care Common Trust Fund - | 30,000 | 810 |
| Suntrust (5) |  | 500,000 |
| Screen Actors Guild Pension Convertible | $1,500,000$ | $*$ |

Name

SG Hambros Trust Company (Jersey) Ltd as
Trustee of the Lyxor Master Fund
Shell Pension Trust
Silverado Arbitrage Trading, Ltd.
Silvercreek Limited Partnership
Silvercreek II Limited
Sisters of Good Shepherd
Southdown Pension Plan (5)
Southern Farm Bureau Life Insurance
SPT (5)
St. Thomas Trading, Ltd.
Starvest Combined Portfolio
State Employees' Retirement Fund of the
State of Delaware
State of Connecticut Combined Investment
Fund
State of Maryland Retirement Agency
State Street Bank Custodian for GE Pension
Trust
Sunrise Partners LLC
The Dow Chemical Company Employees'
Retirement Plan (5)
The Fondren Foundation (5)
The Grable Foundation
Trustmark Insurance Company
2000 Revocable Trust FBO A.R. Lauder /
Zinterhofer
Union Carbide Retirement Account (5)
Principal
amount of notes
beneficially
owned that
may be sold

| 300,000 | * |
| :---: | :---: |
| 320,000 | * |
| 500,000 | * |
| 1,100,000 | * |
| 900,000 | * |
| 100,000 | * |
| 60,000 | * |
| 185,000 | * |
| 710,000 | * |
| 13,468,000 | 6.73 |
| 190,000 | * |
| 810,000 | * |

Number shares o common st that ma be sol
(1)

8,108

8,648
13,513
29,729
24, 324
2,702
1,621
4,999
19,189
363,999
5,135
21,891

46,081

69,594
42,837

248,648
27,631

945
2,567
7,567
162

16,216

Number o shares o common sto

## Name

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United Food and Commercial Workers Local
1 2 6 2 \text { and Employee Pension Fund (5)}
Vanguard Convertible Securities Fund, Inc.
Vopak USA Inc., Retirement Plan (f.k.a. Van
Waters & Rogers, Inc. Retirement Plan) (5)
Wake Forest University
Wake Forest University Convertible Arbitrage
WPG Convertible Arbitrage Overseas Master
Fund, L.P
Writers Guild Industry Health Fund
Wyoming State Treasurer
Zurich Institutional Benchmark Master Fund
Ltd.
Any other holder of notes or future
transferee, pledgee, donee or
successor of any holder (3)
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Total..................................... . .

* Less than 1\%.
(1) Assumes conversion of all of the holder's notes at a conversion rate of 27.027 shares of common stock per $\$ 1,000$ principal amount of notes. However, this conversion rate will be subject to adjustment as described under "Description of Notes--Conversion Rights." As a result, the amount of common stock issuable upon conversion of the notes may increase or decrease in the future.
(2) Calculated based on $30,315,494$ shares of common stock outstanding as of December 31,2001 . In calculating this amount for each selling security holder, we treated as outstanding that number of shares of common stock issuable upon
conversion of all of that holder's notes. However, we did not assume the conversion of any other holder's notes, except in calculating the percentage for all selling security holders as a group.
(3) Information about other selling security holders will be set forth in prospectus supplements, if required.
(4) Column does not add up correctly because the fractional shares to which the holders would be entitled have been disregarded.
(5) Pursuant to an Investment Management Agreement, CALAMOS (R) Investments is not acting individually, but solely as an Investment Manager for the selling security holder.
(6) The entity is either an investment company or a portfolio of an investment company registered under Section 8 of the Investment Company Act of 1940,
as amended, or a private investment account advised by Fidelity Management and Research Company ("FMR Co."). FMR Co. is a Massachusetts corporation and an investment advisor registered under Section 203 of the Investment Advisers Act of 1940, as amended, and provides investment advisory services to each of such Fidelity entities identified above, and to other registered investment companies and to certain other funds which are generally offered to a limited group of investors. FMR Co. is a wholly owned subsidiary of FMR Corp., a Massachusetts corporation. The holdings are as of January 23, 2002.
(7) The entity owns $1,200,000$ of our $6.00 \%$ convertible subordinated notes due 2004. Further, Morgan Stanley \& Co. Incorporated acted as one of the initial purchasers in connection with the offer and sale of the notes in December 2001.
(8) The figures in this column are based on information supplied to us, as of May 21, 2002, by the respective selling security holders named in the table. As of that date, these selling security holders had supplied us with information indicating that, collectively, they owned more than $\$ 200,000,000$ aggregate principal amount of notes (which would be convertible into more than $5,405,400$ shares of common stock), reflecting, we believe, that one or more selling security holders supplied us with information for inclusion in the table and then sold their notes in transactions exempt from the registration requirements of the Securities Act to persons who also supplied us with information with respect to the same notes. However, since this prospectus would not be applicable to any sale of notes after they have been publicly sold utilizing this prospectus, no more than $\$ 200,000,000$ principal amount of notes could be sold utilizing this prospectus and, accordingly, the $\$ 200,000,000$ total in this column has been retained and represents the maximum principal amount of notes that could be sold hereunder.

We prepared this table based on the information supplied to us on or before May 21, 2002 by the selling security holders named in the table. The selling security holders listed in the above table may have sold or transferred, pursuant to the prospectus or in transactions exempt from the registration requirements of the Securities Act, some or all of their notes since the date they have supplied the information to us. Information about the selling security holders may change further over time. Any changed information supplied to us will be set forth in future prospectus supplements.

Other than as noted above, none of the selling security holders listed above has, or within the past three years has had, any position, office or other material relationship with us or any of

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our predecessors or affiliates.

Because the selling security holders may offer all or some of their notes or the underlying common stock from time to time, we cannot estimate the amount of the notes or the underlying common stock that will be held by the selling security holders upon the termination of any particular offering. See "Plan of Distribution."


[^0]:    110,000
    $1,529,000$

