

NORDSON CORP  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
**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)  
12/16/2005

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
COMMON SHARES	12/16/2005		M	40,000 A \$ 28.5	60,495	D	
COMMON SHARES	12/16/2005		M	20,000 A \$ 23.07	80,495	D	
COMMON SHARES	12/16/2005		S	17,500 D \$ 41.9579	62,995	D	
COMMON SHARES	12/16/2005		S	10,239 D \$ 40.8613	52,756	D	
COMMON SHARES	12/16/2005		S	8,750 D \$ 40.2031	31,653	D	

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COMMON SHARES	12/16/2005	S	9,758	D	\$ 40.57	21,895	D
COMMON SHARES	12/16/2005	S	1,400	D	\$ 40.5929	20,495	D
COMMON SHARES	12/16/2005	S	800	D	\$ 41.88	19,695	D
COMMON SHARES	12/16/2005	S	600	D	\$ 41.86	19,095	D
COMMON SHARES	12/16/2005	S	400	D	\$ 41.85	18,695	D
COMMON SHARES	12/16/2005	S	557	D	\$ 41.84	18,136	D
COMMON SHARES	12/16/2005	S	100	D	\$ 41.81	18,038	D
COMMON SHARES	12/16/2005	S	400	D	\$ 41.8	17,638	D
COMMON SHARES	12/16/2005	S	1,600	D	\$ 41.72	16,038	D
COMMON SHARES	12/16/2005	S	100	D	\$ 41.71	15,938	D
COMMON SHARES	12/16/2005	S	100	D	\$ 41.7	15,838	D
COMMON SHARES	12/16/2005	S	200	D	\$ 41.68	15,638	D
COMMON SHARES	12/16/2005	S	300	D	\$ 41.67	15,338	D
COMMON SHARES	12/16/2005	S	100	D	\$ 41.637	15,238	D
COMMON SHARES	12/16/2005	S	100	D	\$ 41.66	15,138	D
COMMON SHARES	12/16/2005	S	100	D	\$ 41.65	15,038	D
COMMON SHARES	12/16/2005	S	1,000	D	\$ 41.44	14,038	D
COMMON SHARES	12/16/2005	S	97	D	\$ 41.47	13,941	D
COMMON SHARES	12/16/2005	S	200	D	\$ 41.4	13,741	D
COMMON SHARES	12/16/2005	S	100	D	\$ 41.11	13,641	D
	12/16/2005	S	200	D	\$ 41.1	13,441	D

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SHARES 12/16/2005 S 300 D \$ 41.09 13,141 D

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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(9-02)**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)		
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 28.5	12/16/2005		M	40,000	11/06/2001	11/06/2010	COMMON SHARES	40,000
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 23.07	12/16/2005		M	20,000	11/05/2002	11/05/2011	COMMON SHARES	20,000

## 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

12/19/2005

\_\_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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