BLOOMFIELD DOUGLAS C

Form 4

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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

Common

Shares (1)

11/28/2011

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * BLOOMFIELD DOUGLAS C			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)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction					
28601 CLEMENS ROAD			(Month/Day/Year) 11/28/2011			Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Vice President		
		4. If Amendment, Date Original			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
WESTLAKI		Filed(Month/Day/Year)			Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	e I - Non-D	erivative Securities Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	ally Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Dat (Month/Day/Year)) Execution any	med on Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities on Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price A 1,800 A \$0 $6,893 \stackrel{(2)}{=}$ D

(A)

Company Common Ι ESOP and $7,534^{(3)}$ **Shares** 401(k) Plan

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

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Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

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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 orDerivative 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
Share Equivalent Units	<u>(4)</u>	11/28/2011		J	41 (5)	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Shares	41 <u>(5)</u>
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 43.73	11/28/2011		A	10,000	<u>(6)</u>	11/28/2021	Common Shares	10,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
Treporting of the France of th	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
BLOOMFIELD DOUGLAS C						
28601 CLEMENS ROAD			Vice President			
WESTLAKE, OH 44145						

Signatures

Robert E. Veillette, Attorney-In-Fact

**Signature of Reporting Person Da

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) Grant to reporting person of restricted common shares pursuant to the Amended and Restated Nordson Corporation 2004 Long-Term Performance Plan. Restriction on transfer of one-third of the shares lapses annually for three years following date of grant.
- (2) Includes 107 shares acquired through participation in the Company's Dividend Reinvestment Plan.
- (3) Balance as of October 31, 2011.

Share Equivalent Units acquired through deferral of performance shares awarded under 2004 Long Term Performance Plan. Deferrals are made to the Nordson Stock Measurement Fund of the Amended & Restated 2005 Deferred Compensation Plan. Equivalent Units are

settled in common shares at reporting person's termination of employment or retirement subject to delayed distribution rules of Internal Revenue Code Section 409(A).

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- (5) Share Equivalent Units accrued through dividend payment.
- (6) Grant to reporting person of option to purchase shares of Common Stock under Nordson's Long-Term Performance Plan, exercisable in annual increments of 25% on a cumulative basis beginning 11-28-2012.

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