

VAN NESS W DENMAN  
 Form 5  
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**FORM 5**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**ANNUAL 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

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 VAN NESS W DENMAN  
 (Last) (First) (Middle)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 XOMA LTD /DE/ [XOMA]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
 (Check all applicable)

C/O XOMA LTD., 2910 SEVENTH STREET  
 (Street)

3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year)  
 12/31/2008

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

BERKELEY, CA 94710  
 (City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting  
 (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 at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Shares	12/11/2008		S5 <sup>(1)</sup>	680	(2) D	\$ 0.9226	0	I	by Company
Common Shares							300	I	by IRA <sup>(3)</sup>
Common Shares							150	I	by Spouse <sup>(4)</sup>
Common Shares							49,481	I	by Trust

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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)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. of D S B O E F (I
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## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
VAN NESS W DENMAN C/O XOMA LTD. 2910 SEVENTH STREET BERKELEY, CA 94710	Â X	Â	Â	Â

## Signatures

/s/ Christopher J. Margolin for: W. Denman Van Ness  
Date: 02/06/2009

\_\_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) This Form 5 is being filed late due to an inadvertant error associated with the initial filing of the form, which was rejected due to a technical error.  
Mr. Van Ness inherited a 15.11% interest in the Denman Estate Company in 2004 which at that time held 4,500 common shares of XOMA Ltd., Mr. Van Ness' portion of which represented approximately 680 shares. Mr. Van Ness' interest in the Denman Estate Company has increased to 16.901% due to a reduction in the outstanding shares of the Denman Estate Company. On December 16, 2008, the Denman Estate Company sold all of its 4,500 common shares of XOMA Ltd., Mr. Van Ness' portion of which represented approximately 760 shares.
  - (3) Owned directly through W. D. Van Ness IRA.
  - (4) Held indirectly through the C. Van Ness IRA.

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