

FACTSET RESEARCH SYSTEMS INC
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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 *
SNYDER CHARLES J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
FACTSET RESEARCH SYSTEMS INC [FDS]

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

(Last) (First) (Middle)
601 MERRITT 7
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
03/22/2013

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

NORWALK, CT 06851
(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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | | | |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|-------------------------|--------------------------|---|--|
| | | | | Code | V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | | | |
| FactSet Common Stock | 03/22/2013 | | J | | 436,962 ⁽¹⁾ | A | | \$ 90.92 ⁽²⁾ | 2,063,148 | D | |
| FactSet Common Stock | 03/22/2013 | | G | | 53,200 | D | | \$ 90.92 ⁽²⁾ | 2,009,948 | D | |
| FactSet Common Stock | 03/25/2013 | | G | | 2,100 | D | | \$ 91.17 ⁽⁴⁾ | 2,007,848 ⁽³⁾ | D | |

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. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 5) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--|--|
| | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| SNYDER CHARLES J 601 MERRITT 7 NORWALK, CT 06851 | | X | | |

Signatures

/s/ Charles J. Snyder
03/26/2013

**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) On March 22, 2013, Susan J. Snyder, the wife of Charles J. Snyder, transferred 436,962 shares of FactSet Common Stock, that she had previously owned in her name, to The Susan J. Snyder 2013 Grantor Retained Annuity Trust, of which Susan J. Snyder is the sole trustee.
- (2) Based on the average of the high and low price of FactSet Common Stock on March 22, 2013.
Note that 829,486 of Mr. Snyder's shares are held directly and that an additional 1,178,362 shares are held indirectly as follows: 469,400
- (3) held in the Charles J. Snyder 2013 Grantor Retained Annuity Trust, 272,000 in the Charles J. Snyder 2012 Grantor Retained Annuity Trust and the remaining 436,962 shares held in the Susan J. Snyder 2013 Grantor Retained Annuity Trust.
- (4) Based on the average of the high and low price of FactSet Common Stock on March 25, 2013.

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