Instruction 1(b)

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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	Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>ARTZ CAROL</u>					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AUTODESK INC [ADSK]								Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 111 MCINNIS PARKWAY					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/19/2005									below)	icer (give title ow) hairman, President		Other (s below) and CEC		
(Street) SAN RA	Street) SAN RAFAEL CA 94903				4.	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									lividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting				1
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)											Person					
			ble I - No	on-Der	ivativ	e Se	curi	ties Ac	quired	l, Di	sposed of	f, or Ber	nefic	ially	Owned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)			2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		ar) E	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) of Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a			and 5) Securiti Benefici Owned I		s ally following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Direct Indirect Itr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transact (Instr. 3 a		ion(s)			(IIISU. 4)
Common Stock			05/19/2005		5			М		50,000	A	\$6.0313		1,050	1,050,392		D		
Common	Stock			05/19	9/2005	5			S ⁽¹⁾		10,000	D	\$36.	4018	1,040	40,392		D	
Common	Stock			05/19	9/2005				S ⁽¹⁾		10,000	D	\$36.	4098	1,030	30,392		D	
Common	on Stock		05/19/2005					S ⁽¹⁾		10,000	D	\$36.41 1,		1,020	20,392		D		
Common	Stock			05/19	9/2005				S ⁽¹⁾		10,000	D	\$36	6.405 1,0		10,392		D	
Common	Stock			05/19	9/2005				S ⁽¹⁾		10,000	D	\$36	5.41	.41 1,000,392 D		D		
			Table II								osed of, convertib				wned				
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			Exercison Dat	sable and e	7. Title and Am of Securities Underlying Derivative Sec (Instr. 3 and 4)		unt 8	8. Price of Derivative Security Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	Ownersh Form: Direct (D or Indirect (I) (Instr.	Ownership	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)		Date Exercisa	able	Expiration Date	Title	Amor or Numl of Share	ber					
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to	\$6.0313	05/19/2005			М			50,000	09/08/20	01 ⁽²⁾	09/08/2009	Common Stock	50,0	000	\$0	312,524		D	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. The sales reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on May 21, 2002, as amended.
- 2. The option vests over a three-year period beginning on 09/08/1999 at the rate of 272,000 shares on the first anniversary, 264,000 shares on the second anniversary and 263,996 shares on the third anniversary.

Nancy R. Thiel, Attorney-infact for Carol Bartz

05/19/2005

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- * 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).

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