SEC Form 4

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Addres | s of Reporting Persor | ı* | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AUTODESK INC [ADSK] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | | | | |
|---------------------|-----------------------|----------|---|---|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|--|--|--|
| DANIZ CAN | | | | X | Director | 10% Owner | | | |
| (Last) | (First) | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) | X | Officer (give title below) | Other (specify below) | | | |
| 111 MCINNIS PARKWAY | | | 08/22/2005 | | Chairman, President and CEO | | | | |
| (Street) | | | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | 6. Indivi Line) | dual or Joint/Group Filing (C | Check Applicable | | | |
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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) | | | | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership |
|---------------------------------|--|---|---|---|--------|---------------|-----------|---|---|---|
| | | | Code | v | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | (Instr. 4) |
| Common Stock | 08/22/2005 | | М | | 48,048 | A | \$6.9063 | 1,048,440 | D | |
| Common Stock | 08/22/2005 | | S ⁽¹⁾ | | 10,000 | D | \$40.3452 | 1,038,440 | D | |
| Common Stock | 08/22/2005 | | S ⁽¹⁾ | | 10,000 | D | \$40.6508 | 1,028,440 | D | |
| Common Stock | 08/22/2005 | | S ⁽¹⁾ | | 10,000 | D | \$40.6666 | 1,018,440 | D | |
| Common Stock | 08/22/2005 | | S ⁽¹⁾ | | 10,000 | D | \$40.704 | 1,008,440 | D | |
| Common Stock | 08/22/2005 | | S ⁽¹⁾ | | 8,048 | D | \$40.8044 | 1,000,392 | D | |

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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| 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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
| | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | | | |
| Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | \$6.9063 | 08/22/2005 | | М | | | 48,048 | 05/28/2002 ⁽²⁾ | 05/28/2009 | Common Stock | 48,048 | \$0 | 0 | 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 05/28/1999 at the rate of 136,000 shares on the first anniversary, 132,000 shares on the second anniversary and 117,524 shares on the third anniversary.

| Nancy R. Thiel, Attorney-in- | 08/2 | | |
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| fact for Carol Bartz | <u>U0/2</u> | | |

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

22/2005

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

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