

BECTON DICKINSON & CO

Form 3

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Â Bruder Scott P

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

2. Date of Event Requiring Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

09/01/2007

3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
BECTON DICKINSON & CO [BDX]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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

(Check all applicable)

☐ Director ☐ 10% Owner☒ X Officer ☐ Other

(give title below) (specify below)

SrVP; Chief Technology Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group

Filing(Check Applicable Line)

☒ X Form filed by One Reporting Person☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting PersonC/O BECTON, DICKINSON
AND COMPANY,Â 1 BECTON
DRIVE

(Street)

FRANKLIN
LAKES,Â NJÂ 07417

(City)

(State)

(Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned1. Title of Security
(Instr. 4)2. Amount of Securities
Beneficially Owned
(Instr. 4)3. Ownership
Form:
Direct (D)
or Indirect
(I)
(Instr. 5)4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial
Ownership
(Instr. 5)

Common Stock

1,745 ⁽¹⁾

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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 Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)1. Title of Derivative Security
(Instr. 4)2. Date Exercisable and
Expiration Date
(Month/Day/Year)3. Title and Amount of
Securities Underlying
Derivative Security
(Instr. 4)4. Conversion
or Exercise
Price of
Derivative5. Ownership
Form of
Derivative
Security:6. Nature of
Indirect Beneficial
Ownership
(Instr. 5)

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Stock Appreciation Right	09/01/2008 ⁽²⁾	09/01/2017	Common Stock	9,201	\$ 77.02	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				Other
	Director	10% Owner	Officer		
Bruder Scott P C/O BECTON, DICKINSON AND COMPANY 1 BECTON DRIVE FRANKLIN LAKES,Â NJÂ 07417	Â	Â	Â SrVP; Chief Technology Officer	Â	

Signatures

Patricia Walesiewicz, by power of attorney for Scott P. Bruder 09/07/2007

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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) Represents restricted stock units ("career shares") awarded under the Becton, Dickinson and Company 2004 Employee and Director Equity-Based Compensation Plan.
- (2) The stock appreciation right vests in four annual installments beginning September 1, 2008.

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