FORM 3

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

## INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Viens Daniel			2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 12/01/2018		3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol FACTSET RESEARCH SYSTEMS INC [ FDS ]					
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O FACTSET RESEARCH SYSTEMS INC.					4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Iss (Check all applicable)  Director  10% Over 10% of the content of		er (M	5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		
601 MERRITT 7					X Officer (give title below)  SVP, CHRO	Other (specify below)		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person		
(Street) NORWALK CT 06851								Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)								
			Table I - Noi	n-Derivat	tive Securities Beneficiall	y Owned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)					2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)			4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)		
Common Stock					1,644	D				
Common Stock					283 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	D			
		(e.			e Securities Beneficially ants, options, convertible		s)			
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)			2. Date Exercisable an Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise	Form:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)	
			Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	1 Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)		(2)	11/03/2024	Common Stock	1,009	131.31	D			
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)		(3)	11/02/2025	Common Stock	3,017	175.2	D			
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)			(4)	11/01/2026	Common Stock	2,535	152.28	D		
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)			(5)	11/02/2027	Common Stock	2,072	189.98	D		
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)			(6)	11/01/2028	Common Stock	2,467	221.88	D		

## ${\bf Explanation\ of\ Responses:}$

- 1. Restricted stock units granted on November 1, 2018 vest 20% annually on the anniversary date of the grant and are fully vested after five years.
- 2. Options granted on November 3, 2014 vest 60% at three years from the anniversary date of the grant and 40% at five years from the anniversary date of the grant.
- 3. Options granted on November 2, 2015 vest 20% annually on the anniversary date of the grant and are fully vested after five years.
- $4.\ Options\ granted\ on\ November\ 1,\ 2016\ vest\ 20\%\ annually\ on\ the\ anniversary\ date\ of\ the\ grant\ and\ are\ fully\ vested\ after\ five\ years.$
- $5.\ Options\ granted\ on\ November\ 2,\ 2017\ vest\ 20\%\ annually\ on\ the\ anniversary\ date\ of\ the\ grant\ and\ are\ fully\ vested\ after\ five\ years.$
- $6.\ Options\ granted\ on\ November\ 1,\ 2018\ vest\ 20\%\ annually\ on\ the\ anniversary\ date\ of\ the\ grant\ and\ are\ fully\ vested\ after\ five\ years.$

## Remarks:

 $Effective\ December\ 1,\ 2018,\ FactSet\ Research\ Systems\ Inc.\ appointed\ Daniel\ Viens\ as\ the\ Chief\&\#160; Human\&\#160; Resources\&\#160; Officer\ ("CHRO").$ 

<u>/s/ Daniel Viens</u> <u>12/06/2018</u>

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person D

Date

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

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5 (b)(v).
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