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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] SNYDER CHARLES J			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>FACTSET RESEARCH SYSTEMS INC</u> [FDS]		tionship of Reporting all applicable) Director	Person	on(s) to Issuer 10% Owner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) FACTSET RESEARCH SYSTEMS INC 601 MERRITT 7		(<i>,</i>	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/11/2005		Officer (give title below)		Other (specify below)	
(Street) NORWALK (City)	CT (State)	06851 (Zip)	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 03/31/2005	6. Indiv Line) X	idual or Joint/Group F Form filed by One F Form filed by More Person	eport	ing Person	

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transa Code (8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)	
FactSet Common Stock	03/30/2005		G ⁽¹⁾		67,000	D	\$ <mark>0</mark>	5,637,578	D		
FactSet Common Stock	03/30/2005		G		41,000	D	\$ <mark>0</mark>	5,596,578	D		
FactSet Common Stock	03/30/2005		G		3,400	D	\$ <mark>0</mark>	5,593,178	D		
FactSet Common Stock	03/30/2005		G		2,800	D	\$ <mark>0</mark>	5,590,378	D		
FactSet Common Stock	03/30/2005		G		150,000	D	\$ <mark>0</mark>	5,440,378	D		
FactSet Common Stock	03/30/2005		G		40,000	D	\$ <mark>0</mark>	5,400,378	D		

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. Transa Code (8)		of Exp		6. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/Y	ate	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				

Explanation of Responses:

1. Mr. Snyder gifted the shares to The Copper Beach Foundation, over which he retains voting control.

Charles J. Snyder

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

04/11/2005

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

 \ast If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

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