FORM 5

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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OWNERSHIP

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Form 3 Holdings Reported.

Instruction 1(b)

Form 4	Transactions	Reported.	Fil	ed pursuant to or Sectio								4						
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* SNYDER CHARLES J (Last) (First) (Middle) FACTSET RESEARCH SYSTEMS INC				FDS]	or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol FACTSET RESEARCH SYSTEMS INC [FDS] 3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year) 08/31/2003								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director X 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)					
ONE GREENWICH PLAZA (Street) GREENWICH CT 06830 (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 10/15/2003 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person													
		Tab	le I - Non-Deri	vative Sec	uriti	es A	cquire	ed, D	isposed	of, or	Bene	ficiall	y Owne	t				
Date		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)			Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Dispos (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			osed Of	Securities Beneficially		6. Ownership Form: Direct		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
			(Month/Day/	(Month/Day/Year)		8)		ınt	(A) or (D)	Price		Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)		(D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		(Instr. 4)		
FactSet R	esearch Co	mmon Stock	01/23/2003	03		D		8	5,000	D	(1)		4,991	991,706		D		
FactSet Research Common Stock		03/25/2003			D		53	3,700	D	D (1)		4,938,006		D				
FactSet R	esearch Co	mmon Stock	09/20/2002		A		A		194	A	\$25.95		4,938	4,938,200		D		
FactSet R	esearch Co	ommon Stock 12/20/2002				A			176	A	A \$28.64		4,938,376		D			
FactSet Research Common Stock 03/21/200		03/21/2003			A			154	A	A \$32.85		4,938,530		D				
FactSet Research Common Stock		06/20/2003			A			144	A	A \$42		4,938,674		D				
		Т	able II - Deriva	ative Secu outs, calls									Owned					
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)	_	mber rative rities ired r osed)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)				curity	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)			Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					(A)	Date Exerci		sable	Expiration Date	Title	or Ni of SI	umber						
FactSet Stock Options	\$34.62					01/12/2		2002 ⁽²⁾	002 ⁽²⁾ 01/12/2011		ctSet nmon 3,000 cock			3,000		D		
FactSet Stock Options	\$36.7						01/11/2	2003 ⁽²⁾	01/11/2012	FactS Comm Stoc	ion 3	3,000		6,0	00	D		

Explanation of Responses:

1. The desposition was a gift.

FactSet

Options

2. 20% of option grant is exercisable annually

\$29.2

Charles J. Snyder

FactSet

Common

01/10/2013

10/16/2003

9,000

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** Signature of Reporting Person

3,000

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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