FORM 3

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Add	Date of Event Requiring Stater Month/Day/Yea 0/24/2011	ment	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol FACTSET RESEARCH SYSTEMS INC [ FDS ]									
(Last) 601 MERRIT	(First)	(Middle)	_			tionship of Reporting Perso all applicable)	rson(s) to Issuer		5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)			
	1 /				24	X Director Officer (give title below)	Other (spe		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)			
(Street) NORWALK CT 06851		06851				,	,			X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)										
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned												
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)						int of Securities ially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)			
FactSet common stock <sup>(1)</sup>						0	D					
Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)												
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)  2. Date Exercisable Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			ate	and 3. Title and Amount of Secu Underlying Derivative Secur		ity (Instr. 4) Conv			5. Ownership Form:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)		
			Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	ı Title		Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Deriva Securi	tive	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		
FactSet common stock <sup>(2)</sup>		(2)	F	actSet common stock	0	(2)		D				

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Ms. Abrams owns no FactSet stock as of October 24, 2011.
- $2.\ No\ derivative\ securities\ have\ been\ awarded\ to\ Ms.\ Abrams\ as\ of\ October\ 24,\ 2011.$

Robin A. Abrams 10/25/2011

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person 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 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).

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