## **UNITED STATES** SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

## FORM 4

| Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership   |
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| Filed pursuant to section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Act of 1935 or Section 30(f) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 |
| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person:   |
| Wille, Howard E. FactSet Research Systems Inc. One Greenwich Plaza Greenwich, CT 06830   |
| 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol:   |
| FactSet Research Systems Inc. (FDS)  |
| 3. IRS Number of Reporting Person, if an entity (voluntary)  |
| N/A  |
| 4. Statement for Month/Year:   |
| January 2002   |
| 5. If Amendment, Date of Original ( Month/Year):   |
| N/A  |
| 6. Relationship of Reporting Person to Issuer:   |
| (X) Director () Officer (*give title below) (X) 10% Owner  |
| () Other (specify below)   |
| 7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  |
| (X) Form filed by one reporting person   |
| () Form filed by more then one reporting person  |
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## TABLE I - NON-DERIVATIVE SECURITIES ACQUIRED, DISPOSED OF, OR BENEFICIALLY OWNED

|                      |                     | 3. Transaction | Code |        | rities Acquired<br>Disposed (D) | (A)   |
|----------------------|---------------------|----------------|------|--------|---------------------------------|-------|
| 1. Title of Security | 2. Transaction Date | Code           | V    | Amount | (A) or (D)                      | Price |

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|--|--|---------------------|--------------|-------------------------|---|---------|--|
| 6,112,51   | )  |                     |              |                         |   |         |  |
| 6. Ownership Fo  | orm: Direct (D) or Indire                              | ct (I)              |              |                         |   |         |  |
| D  |  |                     |              |                         |   |         |  |
| 7. Nature of Ind   | irect Beneficial Ownershi                              | p                   |              |                         |   |         |  |
| N/A  |  |                     |              |                         |   |         |  |
| TABLE II -   | DERIVATIVE SECURI                                      |                     |              |                         |   | LY OWNI |  |
| . Title of   |  |                     |              | 5. Number of Derivative |   |         |  |
| Derivative<br>Security   | Exercise Price<br>of Derivative<br>Security            | Date                | Code         |                         | Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed (D) |         |  |
|  |  |                     | Code         | V                       | (A)                                     | (D)     |  |
| Non-qualified<br>Stock Options<br>Right to Buy)                                      | \$36.70  | 01/11/02            | A            | N/A                     | 3,000                                   |         |  |
|  | able and Expiration Date (                             |                     | 002 is exerc | cisable on              | January 11, on                          |         |  |
| each of t  | he years 2003, 2004, 2000<br>ount of Underlying Securi | 5, 2006 and 2007. I |              |                         |   |         |  |
|  | Research Systems Inc. C                                |                     | 00 shares    |                         |   |         |  |
| ractori  | Research Systems Inc. C                                | ommon Stock - 5,0   | oo shares    |                         |   |         |  |
|  | zative Security  |                     |              |                         |   |         |  |
| 8. Price of Deriv  | vative Security  |                     |              |                         |   |         |  |
| 8. Price of Deriv  | vative Security erivative Securities Benef             | icially Owned at En | d of Month   | ı                       |   |         |  |
| 8. Price of Deriv  |  | icially Owned at En | d of Month   | ı                       |   |         |  |
| <ul><li>8. Price of Deriv</li><li>N/A</li><li>9. Number of D</li><li>6,000</li></ul> |  |                     |              | ı                       |   |         |  |
| <ul><li>8. Price of Deriv</li><li>N/A</li><li>9. Number of D</li><li>6,000</li></ul> | erivative Securities Benef                             |                     |              | ı                       |   |         |  |

Explanation of Responses:

N/A

Signature of Reporting Person

Date: February 8, 2002 /s/ Howard E. Wille

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Howard E. Wille