Morningstar, Inc. Form 4 November 08, 2006

## FORM 4

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response...

*See* Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person Huang Tao	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Morningstar, Inc. [MORN]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last) (First) (Middle	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	(Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner			
C/O MORNINGSTAR, INC., 22. WEST WACKER DRIVE	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Officer (give titleOther (specify below) Chief Operating Officer			
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
CHICAGO, IL 60606	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	ole I - Non-	Derivative	Secu	rities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit oror Dispos (Instr. 3,	sed of	` ′	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	11/06/2006		$S_{\underline{(1)}}$	866	D	\$ 45.8	56,781	D	
Common Stock	11/06/2006		S <u>(1)</u>	1,114	D	\$ 45.81	55,667	D	
Common Stock	11/06/2006		S <u>(1)</u>	133	D	\$ 45.82	55,534	D	
Common Stock	11/06/2006		S <u>(1)</u>	62	D	\$ 45.8518	55,472	D	
Common Stock	11/06/2006		S <u>(1)</u>	124	D	\$ 45.86	55,348	D	

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Common Stock	11/06/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	557	D	\$ 45.88	54,791	D
Common Stock	11/06/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	681	D	\$ 45.89	54,110	D
Common Stock	11/07/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	10,210	D	\$ 45	43,900	D
Common Stock	11/07/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	1,003	D	\$ 45.01	42,897	D
Common Stock	11/07/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	314	D	\$ 45.02	42,583	D
Common Stock	11/07/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	502	D	\$ 45.03	42,081	D
Common Stock	11/07/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	125	D	\$ 45.0305	41,956	D
Common Stock	11/07/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	252	D	\$ 45.05	41,704	D
Common Stock	11/07/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	260	D	\$ 45.06	41,444	D
Common Stock	11/07/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	439	D	\$ 45.07	41,005	D
Common Stock	11/07/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	125	D	\$ 45.13	40,880	D

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

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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)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Tit Amou Under Secur (Instr	ınt of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

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### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Huang Tao

C/O MORNINGSTAR, INC. 225 WEST WACKER DRIVE CHICAGO, IL 60606

**Chief Operating Officer** 

#### **Signatures**

/s/ Rachel Felsenthal, by power of attorney

11/08/2006

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

#### **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* 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).
- (1) The sales reported on this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on May 15, 2006.

#### **Remarks:**

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