

Bradshaw Christopher  
 Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 Bradshaw Christopher

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 111 MCINNIS PARKWAY  
 (Street)

SAN RAFAEL, CA 94903

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 AUTODESK INC [ADSK]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
 (Month/Day/Year)  
 01/03/2011

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 Sr VP, Chief Marketing Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	(A) or (D)	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	Price		
Common Stock	01/03/2011		M		4,000	A \$ 16.53	32,409	D
Common Stock	01/03/2011		M		30,000	A \$ 17.525	62,409	D
Common Stock	01/05/2011		S <sup>(3)</sup>		4,000	D \$ 38.93	58,409	D
Common Stock	01/05/2011		S		30,000	D \$ 40	28,409	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)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 16.53	01/03/2011		M	4,000	02/02/2010 <sup>(1)</sup> 02/02/2016	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 17.525	01/05/2011		M	6,090	<sup>(2)</sup> 04/05/2014	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 17.525	01/05/2011		M	23,910	<sup>(2)</sup> 04/05/2014	Common Stock

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Bradshaw Christopher 111 MCINNIS PARKWAY SAN RAFAEL, CA 94903			Sr VP, Chief Marketing Officer	

## Signatures

Nancy R. Thiel, Attorney-in-Fact for Christopher Bradshaw 01/05/2011

\_\_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 option vests over a 4-year period beginning on February 2, 2009, at the rate of 18,750 shares on the first and second anniversaries, 18,749 on the third anniversary, and 12,701 shares on the fourth anniversary.

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- (2) The option vested in annual installments over a four-year period beginning on April 5, 2005, and was fully vested as of the Transaction Date.
- (3) The sales reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on March 16, 2010.

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