

Oliynik Robert G.  
Form 3  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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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 * Ô Oliynik Robert G. (Last) (First) (Middle)	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 01/01/2009	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BECTON DICKINSON & CO [BDX]	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)
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C/O BECTON, DICKINSON AND COMPANY, Ô 1 BECTON DRIVE

(Street)

FRANKLIN LAKES, Ô NJ Ô 07417

(City) (State) (Zip)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer  Other  
 (give title below) (specify below)  
 Vice President and Controller

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock	4,474 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	Ô
Common Stock	2,554	I	SIP Trust <sup>(2)</sup>

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

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security	4. Conversion or Exercise	5. Ownership Form of	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	(Instr. 4) Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	(Instr. 5)
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	11/25/2003 <sup>(3)</sup>	11/25/2012	Common Stock	6,500	\$ 29.99	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	11/24/2004 <sup>(4)</sup>	11/24/2013	Common Stock	8,000	\$ 38.78	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	11/23/2005 <sup>(5)</sup>	11/23/2014	Common Stock	4,457	\$ 54.41	D	Â
Stock Appreciation Rights	11/21/2006 <sup>(6)</sup>	11/21/2015	Common Stock	4,693	\$ 59.16	D	Â
Stock Appreciation Rights	11/21/2007 <sup>(7)</sup>	11/21/2016	Common Stock	3,143	\$ 71.72	D	Â
Stock Appreciation Rights	11/20/2008 <sup>(8)</sup>	11/20/2017	Common Stock	4,492	\$ 84.33	D	Â
Stock Appreciation Rights	11/25/2009 <sup>(9)</sup>	11/25/2018	Common Stock	6,004	\$ 62.5	D	Â

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Oliynik Robert G. C/O BECTON, DICKINSON AND COMPANY 1 BECTON DRIVE FRANKLIN LAKES, NJ 07417	Â	Â	Â Vice President and Controller	Â

## Signatures

Patricia Walesiewicz, by power of attorney for Robert G. Oliynik

01/08/2009

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* 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).
- (1) Includes 2,149 restricted stock units awarded under the Becton, Dickinson and Company 2004 Employee and Director Equity-Based Compensation Plan.
  - (2) Represents shares of common stock held under the Becton, Dickinson and Company Savings Incentive Plan (the "SIP"). The information presented for the SIP is as of December 31, 2008.
  - (3) The option became exercisable in four annual installments beginning November 25, 2003.
  - (4) The option became exercisable in four annual installments beginning November 24, 2004.
  - (5) The option became exercisable in four annual installments beginning November 23, 2005.

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- (6) The stock appreciation rights vest in four annual installments beginning November 21, 2006.
- (7) The stock appreciation rights vest in four annual installments beginning November 21, 2007.
- (8) The stock appreciation rights vest in four annual installments beginning November 20, 2008.
- (9) The stock appreciation rights vest in four annual installments beginning November 25, 2009.

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