BECTON DICKINSON & CO

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person
Sichak Stephen

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

BECTON DICKINSON & CO [BDX]

(Check all applicable)

(First) (Middle)

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

Director 10% Owner Other (specify X_ Officer (give title below)

C/O BECTON, DICKINSON AND

05/13/2016

Executive Vice President

COMPANY, 1 BECTON DRIVE

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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FRANKLIN LAKES, NJ 07417

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivative	Secur	ities 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 or Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed 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	05/13/2016		M	22,915	A	\$ 72.12	31,561	D	
Common Stock	05/13/2016		D	9,920	D	\$ 166.48 (1)	21,641	D	
Common Stock	05/13/2016		S	12,995	D	\$ 166.48 (1)	8,646	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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisab Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year		7. Title and Ar Underlying Se (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Ar or Nt of
Stock Appreciation Rights	\$ 72.12	05/13/2016		M	22,915	11/22/2012(2)	11/22/2021	Common Stock	22

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Sichak Stephen

C/O BECTON, DICKINSON AND COMPANY 1 BECTON DRIVE

FRANKLIN LAKES, NJ 07417

Executive Vice President

Signatures

Richard Stout, by power of attorney for Stephen Sichak

05/16/2016

**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).
- The reported sale price reflects the weighted average sale price for multiple transactions. The actual sales prices for the transactions

 (1) ranged from \$165.86 through \$166.89. Full information regarding the number of shares purchased at each separate price will be provided to the Securities and Exchange Commission, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer upon request.
- (2) The stock appreciation rights vest in four annual installments beginning November 22, 2012.

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