

AUTODESK INC
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
BASS CARL

(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)
03/08/2006

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)

Chief Operating 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)	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)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
Common Stock	03/08/2006		M		50,000 A \$ 11	64,660 (1) (4)	D
Common Stock	03/08/2006		S(2)		10,000 D \$ 38.64	54,660 (1) (4)	D
Common Stock	03/08/2006		S(2)		10,000 D \$ 38.68	44,660 (1) (4)	D
Common Stock	03/08/2006		S(2)		20,000 D \$ 39	24,660 (1) (4)	D
Common Stock	03/08/2006		S(2)		10,000 D \$ 39.07	14,660 (1) (4)	D

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- (3) The option vests over a 4-year period beginning on 03/08/2002 at the rate of 100,000 shares on each of the first, second and third anniversaries, and 90,910 shares on the fourth anniversary.
- (4) Includes shares acquired in September 2005 pursuant to the Issuer's Employee Stock Purchase Plan.

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