

ROCKWELL AUTOMATION INC
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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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 *
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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
ROCKWELL AUTOMATION INC [ROK]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
1201 SOUTH SECOND STREET
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
02/17/2011

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

MILWAUKEE, WI 53204

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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(City) (State) (Zip)

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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount (A) or (D) Price		
Common Stock	02/17/2011		M		1,500 A \$ 65.35	18,919	D
Common Stock	02/17/2011		M		1,500 A \$ 58.54	20,419	D
Common Stock	02/17/2011		M		1,500 A \$ 54.77	21,919	D
Common Stock	02/17/2011		M		1,500 A \$ 63.17	23,419	D
Common Stock	02/17/2011		S		6,000 (1) D \$ 89.9095	17,419	D

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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 Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Director Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 65.35	02/17/2011		M	1,500	02/01/2009 02/01/2016	Common Stock	1,500
Director Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 58.54	02/17/2011		M	1,500	02/02/2008 02/02/2015	Common Stock	1,500
Director Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 54.77	02/17/2011		M	1,500	02/06/2011 02/06/2018	Common Stock	1,500
Director Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 63.17	02/17/2011		M	1,500	02/07/2010 02/07/2017	Common Stock	1,500

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other

ISTOCK VERNE G
1201 SOUTH SECOND STREET
MILWAUKEE, WI 53204

Signatures

Karen A. Balistreri, Attorney-in-Fact for Verne G.
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02/17/2011

__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).

Price reported in column 4 is a weighted average price. Shares sold at prices ranging from \$89.908 to \$89.928. The reporting person
(1) undertakes to provide to the Company, any shareowners of the Company and the staff of the SEC, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.

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