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(Print or Type R	Responses)											
1. Name and A BECTON H	ddress of Reporting Po ENRY P JR		Symbol	Name and				-	5. Relationship of Issuer	f R	eporting Pers	son(s) to
		BECTON DICKINSON & CO [BDX]						(Check all applicable)				
(Last) C/O BECTO	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/29/2013				_X_Director10% Owner Officer (give titleOther (specify below)below)							
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				endment, Date Original nth/Day/Year)				 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting 				
FRANKLIN	LAKES, NJ 0741	17							Person			porting
(City)	(State) (Z	Zip)	Table	I - Non-D	eı	rivative S	Securi	ities Ac	quired, Disposed o	f, c	or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution any		3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8) Code V	on	Disposed (Instr. 3,	l (A) d l of (E))	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	Fo (E In	Ownership orm: Direct)) or direct (I) nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	01/29/2013			А		2,007 (1)	A	\$0	23,820 <u>(2)</u>	D	1	
Common Stock									91,896	I		See footnote (3)
Common Stock									517,860	I		See footnote (4)
Common Stock									37,166	I		By wife (5)
Common Stock									108,712	I		See footnote (6)

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Common Stock	16,200	Ι	See footnote (7)
Common Stock	11,320	Ι	See footnote (8)
Common Stock	41,021	Ι	By GRATs

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	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transactio	5. Mumber	6. Date Exerc Expiration Da		7. Title a Amount		8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv
Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Mondur Day) Teat)	(Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3,		Month/Day/Year) U		ing es and 4)	Security (Instr. 5)	Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	4, and 5) (A) (D)		Expiration Date	or Title Ni of	umber		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
F F	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
BECTON HENRY P JR C/O BECTON, DICKINSON AND COMPANY 1 BECTON DRIVE FRANKLIN LAKES, NJ 07417	Х					
Signatures						
Richard Stout, by power of attorney for Henry P. Becton, Jr.	01/31/2013					
<u>**</u> Signature of Reporting Person		D	ate			

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) Represents restricted stock units awarded under the Becton, Dickinson and Company 2004 Employee and Director Equity-Based Compensation Plan.
- (2) Includes units acquired through dividend reinvestment since the last report filed by the reporting person.
- (3) Represents shares held in trust and/or limited liability company for benefit of reporting person.
- (4) Represents shares held in a limited liability company (the "LLC") in which the reporting person had previously held a passive interest. The reporting person disclaims beneficial interest in the shares except to the extent in the LLC.
- (5) Represents shares held in trust and directly by spouse.
- (6) By trusts for benefit of reporting person's children, with wife and independent advisor as co-trustees.
- (7) Represents shares held in a certain trust of which reporting person is a co-trustee. These shares were formerly in trust for reporting person's parent.
- (8) By trust for benefit of reporting person and his siblings, of which he is a co-trustee.

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