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(Print or Type]	Responses)										
1. Name and A UGGLAS N	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BECTON DICKINSON & CO				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer						
		[BDX]				(Check all applicable)					
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O BECTON, DICKINSON AND COMPANY, 1 BECTON DRIVE			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/01/2006				X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)				
	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/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	N LAKES, NJ 074	+1/					Person		1 0		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	ole I - Non-I	Derivative	Securities A	cquired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		Date, if	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8) Code V	Disposed (Instr. 3, 4	(A) or of (D) 4 and 5) (A) or	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)		
Reminder: Rer	oort on a separate line	for each cla	ass of sec	urities benet	ficially own	ned directly (or indirectly				
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1. Title of
Derivative2.3. Transaction Date3A. Deemed4.5. Number6. Date Exercisable and
Expiration Date7. Title and Amount of
Underlying Securities8. Price
Derivative

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8	3)	Securitie Acquired (A) or Disposed (D) (Instr. 3, and 5)	d d of	(Month/Day/	/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)		Secur (Instr.
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Rights to Common Stock Under 1996 Directors Deferral Plan	ш	08/01/2006		Α		210.9		<u>(2)</u>	(2)	Common Stock	210.9	\$ 65

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
UGGLAS MARGERETHA AF C/O BECTON, DICKINSON AND COMPANY 1 BECTON DRIVE FRANKLIN LAKES, NJ 07417	Х							
Signatures								
Patricia Walesiewicz, by power of attorney for Ma Ugglas	08/03	08/03/2006						

**Signature of Reporting Person

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) The securities convert to common stock on a one-for-one basis.
- (2) The securities are distributed following termination of the reporting person's service as a director, or on the date or dates specified by the reporting person.

Date

(3) Includes shares acquired through dividend reinvestment since the last report filed by the reporting person.

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