

FACTSET RESEARCH SYSTEMS INC  
Form SC 13G  
February 11, 2004

**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

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**SCHEDULE 13G**

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**Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

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**FactSet Research Systems Inc.**

(Name of Issuer)

**Common Stock**

(Title of Class of Securities)

**303075105**

(CUSIP Number)

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Check the following box if a fee is being paid with this statement [  ]. (A fee is not required only if the filing person: (1) has a previous statement on file reporting beneficial ownership of more than five percent of the class of securities described in Item 1; and (2) has filed no amendment subsequent thereto reporting beneficial ownership of five percent or less of such class.) (See Rule 13d-7.)

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The information required in the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be filed for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ( Act ) or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see Notes).

1. Name of Reporting Person:

**Snyder, Charles J.**

2. Check the appropriate box if a member of a group:

(a)

(b)

3. SEC Use Only

4. Citizenship or Place of Organization:

**United States of America**

5. Number of shares beneficially owned by each reporting person with *Sole Voting Power*:

**4,791,574**

6. Number of shares beneficially owned by each reporting person with *Shared Voting Power*:

**N/A**

7. Number of shares beneficially owned by each reporting person with *Sole Dispositive Power*:

**4,791,574**

8. Number of shares beneficially owned by each reporting person with *Shared Dispositive Power*:

**N/A**

9. Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned By Each Reporting Person:

**4,791,574**

10. Check if the aggregate amount in Row (9) excludes certain shares ():

**N/A**

11. Percent of Class Represented By Amount In Row (9):

**14.2%**

12. Type Of Reporting Person:

**IN**

ITEM 1 (A). Name Of Issuer:

**FactSet Research Systems Inc.**

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- ITEM 1 (B). Address Of Issuer's Principal Executive Offices:  
**One Greenwich Plaza  
Greenwich, CT 06830**
- ITEM 2 (A). Name Of Person Filing:  
**Synder, Charles J.**
- ITEM 2 (B). Address of Principal Business Office, Or If None, Residence:  
**244 Highland Avenue  
Ridgewood, NJ 07450**
- ITEM 2 (C). Citizenship:  
**United States of America**
- ITEM 2 (D). Title Of Class Of Securities:  
**Common Stock**
- ITEM 2 (E). CUSIP Number:  
**303075105**
- ITEM 3. If This Statement is Filed Pursuant To Rules 13d-1(b), or 13(d)-2(b),  
Check Whether The Person Filing Is A:  
**N/A**
- ITEM 4 (A). Amount Beneficially Owned:  
**4,791,574**
- ITEM 4 (B). Percent of Class:  
**14.2%**
- ITEM 4 (C). Numbers of Shares As To Which Such Person Has:
- (1) Sole power to vote or to direct the vote  
**4,791,574**
  - (i) shared power to vote or to direct the vote  
**N/A**
  - (ii) sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of  
**4,791,574**
  - (iii) shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition of  
**N/A**
- ITEM 5. Ownership Of Five Percent Or Less Of A Class:  
**N/A**
- ITEM 6. Ownership Of More Than Five Percent On Behalf Of Another Person:  
**N/A**

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ITEM 7. Identification and Classification Of The Subsidiary Which Acquired The Security Being Reported On By The Parent Holding Company:

N/A

ITEM 8. Identification and Classification Of Members Of The Group:

N/A

ITEM 9. Notice Of Dissolution Of Group:

N/A

ITEM 10. Certification:

**After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.**

Date: February 11, 2004

/s/ Charles J. Snyder

Charles J. Snyder  
Vice Chairman of the Board  
and Retired President