Titan Machinery Inc. Form SC 13G February 13, 2008

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

#### **SCHEDULE 13G**

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (Amendment No. )\*

### Titan Machinery Inc.

(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock, \$0.00001 par value

(Title of Class of Securities)

#### 88830R101

(CUSIP Number)

December 31, 2007

(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)

Check the appropriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this Schedule is filed:

- o Rule 13d-1(b)
- o Rule 13d-1(c)
- x Rule 13d-1(d)

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 the Notes).

<sup>\*</sup>The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter the disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

1.	Names of Reporting Persons Tony J. Christianson		
2.	Check the Appropriate Box if a **Joint Filing (a) (b)	Member of a Group (See Instructions)	
3.	SEC Use Only		
4.	Citizenship or Place of Organia USA	tion	
	5.	Sole Voting Power 2,667 (includes 2,667 shares which may be purchased upon exercise of currently exercisable warrants)	
Number of Shares Beneficially Owned by	6.	Shared Voting Power 1,164,130 (includes 130,659 shares which may be purchased upon exercise of currently exercisable warrants)	
Each Reporting Person With	7.	Sole Dispositive Power 2,667 (includes 2,667 shares which may be purchased upon exercise of currently exercisable warrants)	
	8.	Shared Dispositive Power 1,164,130 (includes 130,659 shares which may be purchased upon exercise of currently exercisable warrants)	
9.	Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person 1,166,797 (includes 133,326 shares which may be purchased upon exercise of currently exercisable warrants)		
10.	Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (9) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) o		
11.	Percent of Class Represented b 10.4%	Amount in Row (9)	
12.	Type of Reporting Person (See IN	nstructions)	

1.	Names of Reporting Persons Titan Income Holdings, LLP 20-2264806		
2.	Check the Appropriate Box if **Joint Filing (a) (b)	f a Member of a Group (See o o	e Instructions)
3.	SEC Use Only		
4.	Citizenship or Place of Organization Minnesota		
	5.		Sole Voting Power 0
Number of Shares Beneficially Owned by	6.		Shared Voting Power 303,885 (includes 115,650 shares which may be purchased upon exercise of currently exercisable warrants)
Each Reporting Person With	7.		Sole Dispositive Power 0
reisen wan	8.		Shared Dispositive Power 303,885 (includes 115,650 shares which may be purchased upon exercise of currently exercisable warrants)
9.	Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person 303,885 (includes 115,650 shares which may be purchased upon exercise of currently exercisable warrants)		
10.	Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (9) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) o		
11.	Percent of Class Represented 2.7%	by Amount in Row (9)	
12.	Type of Reporting Person (Se	ee Instructions)	

1.	Names of Reporting Persons Cherry Tree Companies, LLC 41-1945100		
2.	Check the Appropriate Box is **Joint Filing (a) (b)	f a Member of a Group (Sec o o	e Instructions)
3.	SEC Use Only		
4.	Citizenship or Place of Organ Minnesota	nization	
	5.		Sole Voting Power 0
Number of Shares Beneficially Owned by	6.		Shared Voting Power 15,009 (includes 15,009 shares which may be purchased upon exercise of currently exercisable warrants)
Each Reporting Person With	7.		Sole Dispositive Power 0
	8.		Shared Dispositive Power 15,009 (includes 15,009 shares which may be purchased upon exercise of currently exercisable warrants)
9.	Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person 15,009 (includes 15,009 shares which may be purchased upon exercise of currently exercisable warrants)		
10.	Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (9) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) o		
11.	Percent of Class Represented 0.1%	by Amount in Row (9)	
12.	Type of Reporting Person (Second	ee Instructions)	

1.	Names of Reporting Persons Adam Smith Activist Fund, LLC 26-0575402		
2.	Check the Appropriate E **Joint Filing (a) (b)	Box if a Member of a o o	Group (See Instructions)
3.	SEC Use Only		
4.	Citizenship or Place of C Minnesota	Organization	
	5.		Sole Voting Power 0
Number of Shares Beneficially Owned by	6.		Shared Voting Power 182,142
Each Reporting Person With	7.		Sole Dispositive Power 0
	8.		Shared Dispositive Power 182,142
9.	Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person 182,142		
10.	Check if the Aggregate	Amount in Row (9) E	excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) o
11.	Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (9) 1.6%		
12.	Type of Reporting Perso CO	on (See Instructions)	

1.	Names of Reporting Persons Adam Smith Growth Partners, LP 41-1807999		
2.	Check the Appropriate Box **Joint Filing (a) (b)	if a Member of a Group (Sec o o	e Instructions)
3.	SEC Use Only		
4.	Citizenship or Place of Orga Minnesota	anization	
N. I. C	5.		Sole Voting Power 0
Number of Shares Beneficially Owned by	6.		Shared Voting Power 663,094
Each Reporting Person With	7.		Sole Dispositive Power 0
	8.		Shared Dispositive Power 663,094
9.	Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person 663,094		
10.	Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (9) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) o		
11.	Percent of Class Represente 5.9%	d by Amount in Row (9)	
12.	Type of Reporting Person (SPN	See Instructions)	

#### Item 1. Name of Issuer (a) Titan Machinery Inc. (b) Address of Issuer s Principal Executive Offices 4876 Rocking Horse Circle, Fargo, ND 59106-6049 Item 2. Name of Person Filing (a) Tony J. Christianson, an individual ( Christianson ), with respect to the warrants for common stock directly owned by him and the common stock beneficially owned by him. Mr. Christianson is Chairman of Adam Smith Companies, LLC which is the general partner of Adam Smith Growth Partners, LP, the majority owner of Cherry Tree Companies, LLC and one of the general partners of Titan Income Holdings, LLLP. Mr. Christianson is Chairman of Adam Smith Management, LLC which is the managing member of Adam Smith Activist Fund, LLC. (ii) Titan Income Holdings, LLLP, a Minnesota limited liability partnership ( TIH ), with respect to the warrants for common stock owned directly by it. (iii) Cherry Tree Companies, LLC, a Minnesota limited liability company (CTC), with respect to the warrants for common stock owned directly by it. Adam Smith Activist Fund, LLC, a Minnesota limited liability company (ASAF), with respect to the common stock owned directly by it. Adam Smith Growth Partners, LP, a Minnesota limited partnership ( ASGP ), with respect to the common stock owned directly by it. (b) Address of Principal Business Office or, if none, Residence The address of Christianson, TIH, CTC, ASAF and ASGP is: c/o Cherry Tree Companies, LLC 301 Carlson Parkway, Suite 103 Minnetonka, MN 55305 Citizenship (c) See Cover Pages, Item 4 Title of Class of Securities (d) Common Stock, \$0.00001 par value **CUSIP** Number (e) See Cover Pages Item 3. If this statement is filed pursuant to §§240.13d-1(b) or 240.13d-2(b) or (c), check whether the person filing is a: Broker or dealer registered under section 15 of the Act (15 U.S.C. o (a) Bank as defined in section 3(a)(6) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c). (b) 0 Insurance company as defined in section 3(a)(19) of the Act (15 (c) o U.S.C. 78c). (d) Investment company registered under section 8 of the Investment o Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-8). (e) o An investment adviser in accordance with §240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(E);

(f)

An employee benefit plan or endowment fund in accordance with

§240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(F);

(g)	О	A parent holding company or control person in accordance with
		§240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(G);
(h)	o	A savings association as defined in Section 3(b) of the Federal
		Deposit Insurance Act (12 U.S.C. 1813);
(i)	o	A church plan that is excluded from the definition of an investment
		company under section 3(c)(14) of the Investment Company Act of
		1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-3);
(j)	o	Group, in accordance with §240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(J).

#### Item 4. Ownership

Provide the following information regarding the aggregate number and percentage of the class of securities of the issuer identified in Item 1.

(a) Amount beneficially owned:

See Cover Pages, Items 5 through 11

(b) Percent of class:

See Cover Pages, Items 5 through 11

(c) Number of shares as to which the person has:

See Cover Pages, Items 5 through 11

(ii)

(i) Sole power to vote or to direct the vote

See Cover Pages, Items 5 through 11 Shared power to vote or to direct the vote

See Cover Pages, Items 5 through 11

(iii) Sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of

See Cover Pages, Items 5 through 11

(iv) Shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition of

See Cover Pages, Items 5 through 11

#### Item 5. Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class

If this statement is being filed to report the fact that as of the date hereof the reporting person has ceased to be the beneficial owner of more than five percent of the class of securities, check the following o.

Item 6. Ownership of More than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person

Not applicable

Item 7. Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary Which Acquired the Security Being Reported on By the Parent

**Holding Company or Control Person** 

Not applicable

Item 8. Identification and Classification of Members of the Group

Not applicable

Item 9. Notice of Dissolution of Group

Not applicable

Item 10.	Certification Not applicable
Exhibits	
Joint Filing	Agreement, dated February 12, 2008, between the Reporting Persons.
	Signature
After reason and correct.	nable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete
Dated: Feb	ruary 12, 2008