#### **INVITROGEN CORP**

Form 4

November 09, 2007

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(City)	(State) (	(Zip) Tabl	e I - No	n-D	erivative :	Secur	ities Acqu	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transa Code (Instr.			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
			Code	V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	11/07/2007	11/07/2007	S	V	100	D	\$ 90.84	3,679	D	
Common Stock	11/07/2007	11/07/2007	S	V	100	D	\$ 90.84	3,579	D	
Common Stock	11/07/2007	11/07/2007	S	V	100	D	\$ 90.84	3,479	D	
Common Stock	11/07/2007	11/07/2007	S	V	300	D	\$ 90.86	3,179	D	
Common Stock	11/07/2007	11/07/2007	S	V	100	D	\$ 90.83	3,079	D	
	11/07/2007	11/07/2007	S	V	1,079	D		2,000	D	

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Common \$ Stock 90.82

Common Stock 3,000 I by trust (3)

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	Sec Acc or I (D)	curities quired (A) Disposed of str. 3, 4,	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amo Underlying Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	' (A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	An or Nu of S
Non-Qualified Stock Option	\$ 30.08	11/07/2007	11/07/2007	M V	7	10,000 (1)	04/24/2007	04/24/2013	Common Stock	10
Non-Qualified Stock Option	\$ 35.12	11/07/2007	11/07/2007	M V	7	10,000 (2)	05/24/2003	05/24/2012	Common Stock	10

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
GRIMM DONALD W							
1600 FARADAY AVENUE	X						
CARLSBAD, CA 92084							

# **Signatures**

/s/ Joseph W. Seondine, Jr., POA 11/09/2007

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

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(1) Option exercised from grant # 6106.

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- (2) Option exercised from grant # 4931.
- (3) Shares held by Donald W. Grimm & Kathryn A. Grimm, Trustees, Grimm Family Trust.

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