

FACTSET RESEARCH SYSTEMS INC

Form 4

January 06, 2010

**FORM 4**
**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**Washington, D.C. 20549**

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See Instruction  
1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
SNYDER CHARLES J

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
FACTSET RESEARCH SYSTEMS  
INC [FDS]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

601 MERRITT 7

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
01/04/2010

☒ Director ☐ 10% Owner  
☐ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)

4. If Amendment, Date Original  
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting  
Person

NORWALK, CT

(City) (State) (Zip)

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Ownership Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount (A) or (D)	Price	
FactSet Common Stock	01/04/2010		J(1)		316,010 (1)	A \$ 66.6 (4)	2,766,810 (2) D
FactSet Common Stock	01/05/2010		J(3)		293,092 (3)	A \$ 66.6 (4)	2,766,810 (2) D
FactSet Common Stock	01/06/2010		J(5)		609,102 (5)	D \$ (6)	67.51 2,766,810 (2) D

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 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repor Trans (Instr
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SNYDER CHARLES J 601 MERRITT 7 NORWALK, CT		X		

## Signatures

Charles J.  
Snyder 01/06/2010

\*\*Signature of  
Reporting Person

Date

## 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) Mr. Snyder transferred 316,010 shares of FactSet Common Stock from the 2008 Grantor Retained Annuity Trust, of which Mr. Snyder is the sole trustee, to himself.

Note that 1,766,810 of Mr. Snyder's shares are held directly, an additional 390,898 shares are held indirectly through the 2008 Grantor

- (2) Retained Annuity Trust and the remaining 609,102 are held indirectly through the 2010 Grantor Retained Annuity Trust. Mr. Snyder has complete authority in connection with the shares held by the trusts.

- (3) Mr. Snyder transferred 293,092 shares of FactSet Common Stock from the 2008 Grantor Retained Annuity Trust, of which Mr. Snyder is the sole trustee, to himself.

- (4) Based on the mean of the high and low price of the FactSet common stock on January 4, 2010.

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- (5) Mr. Snyder transferred 609,102 shares of FactSet Common Stock to the 2010 Grantor Retained Annuity Trust, of which Mr. Snyder is the sole trustee. He will have complete authority in connection with the shares held by the trust.
- (6) Based on the mean of the high and low price of the FactSet common stock on January 6, 2010.

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