

# SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

## FORM 4

Statement of changes in beneficial ownership of securities

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## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <b>Walsh Peter G</b>			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <b>FACTSET RESEARCH SYSTEMS INC</b> <b>[FDS]</b>			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify below) <b>Executive Vice President &amp; COO</b>		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <b>01/09/2013</b>					
<b>601 MERRITT 7</b>			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check applicable line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form Filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form Filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(Street) <b>NORWALK, CT 06851</b>								
(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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
FactSet Common Stock	01/09/2013		<u>M</u>		2,000	A	\$43.39	37,240	D	
FactSet Common Stock	01/09/2013		<u>M</u>		2,000	A	\$43.39	39,240	D	
FactSet Common Stock	01/09/2013		<u>M</u>		2,000	A	\$43.39	41,240	D	
FactSet Common Stock	01/09/2013		<u>M</u>		3,500	A	\$43.39	44,740	D	
FactSet Common Stock	01/09/2013		<u>M</u>		2,500	A	\$43.39	47,240	D	
FactSet Common Stock	01/09/2013		<u>M</u>		2,500	A	\$43.39	49,740	D	
FactSet Common Stock	01/09/2013		<u>M</u>		7,432	A	\$43.39	57,172	D	
FactSet Common Stock	01/09/2013		<u>M</u>		2,000	A	\$43.39	59,172	D	
FactSet Common Stock	01/09/2013		<u>M</u>		23,932	D	\$88.62	35,240	D	
FactSet Common Stock	01/10/2013		<u>M</u>		2,000	A	\$43.39	37,240	D	
FactSet Common Stock	01/10/2013		<u>M</u>		1,979	A	\$43.39	39,219	D	
FactSet Common Stock	01/10/2013		<u>M</u>		3,979	D	\$89.19	35,240	D	

**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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$43.39	01/09/2013		<u>M</u>			2,000	08/14/2007	08/14/2013	FactSet Common Stock	2,000	(1)	390,538	D	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$43.39	01/09/2013		<u>M</u>			2,000	08/14/2007	08/14/2013	FactSet Common Stock	2,000	(1)	388,538	D	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$43.39	01/09/2013		<u>M</u>			2,000	08/14/2007	08/14/2013	FactSet Common Stock	2,000	(1)	386,538	D	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$43.39	01/09/2013		<u>M</u>			3,500	08/14/2007	08/14/2013	FactSet Common Stock	3,500	(1)	383,038	D	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$43.39	01/09/2013		<u>M</u>			2,500	08/14/2008	08/14/2013	FactSet Common Stock	2,500	(1)	380,538	D	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$43.39	01/09/2013		<u>M</u>			2,500	08/14/2008	08/14/2013	FactSet Common Stock	2,500	(1)	378,038	D	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$43.39	01/09/2013		<u>M</u>			7,432	08/14/2008	08/14/2013	FactSet Common Stock	7,432	(1)	370,606	D	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$43.39	01/09/2013		<u>M</u>			2,000	08/14/2008	08/14/2013	FactSet Common Stock	2,000	(1)	368,606	D	
Non-Qualified Stock Option	\$43.39	01/10/2013		<u>M</u>			2,000	08/14/2007	08/14/2013	FactSet Common Stock	2,000	(1)	366,606	D	

(right to buy)															
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$43.39	01/10/2013		M		1,979	08/14/2007	08/14/2013	FactSet Common Stock	1,979	(L)	364,627	D		

**Explanation of Responses:**

- Column 8 has been intentionally left blank because the transaction was an exercise of a derivative security.

**Signatures**

/s/ Peter G. Walsh

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

01/11/2013

Date

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