

NORDSON CORP  
 Form 144  
 September 09, 2003

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

FORM 144

NOTICE OF PROPOSED SALE OF SECURITIES  
 PURSUANT TO RULE 144 UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933

ATTENTION: Transmit for filing 3 copies of this form concurrently with either placing an order with a market maker or executing a sale directly with a market maker

1 (a) NAME OF ISSUER (Please type or print)	(b) IRS IDENT. NO.	(c) S.E.C. FILE NO.
NORDSON CORPORATION	34-0590250	0-797

1 (d) ADDRESS OF ISSUER	STREET	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE
28601 Clemens Road		Westlake	Ohio	4414

2 (a) NAME OF PERSON FOR WHOSE ACCOUNT THE SECURITIES ARE TO BE SOLD	(b) IRS IDENT. NO.	(c) RELATIONSHIP TO ISSUER	(d) ADDRESS STREET
Robert A. Dunn, Jr.		Vice President	23523 Quail Hollow Dr.

INSTRUCTION: The person filing this notice should contact the issuer to obtain the I.R.S. Identification Number and the S.E.C. File Number.

3 (a) Title of the Class of Securities To Be Sold	(b) Name and Address of Each Broker Through Whom the Securities are to be Offered or Each	SEC USE ONLY ----- Broker-Dealer File Number	(c) Number of Shares or Other Units To Be Sold (See instr. 3(c))	(d)

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Market Maker  
who is Acquiring the Securities

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Common McDonald Investments 6,000  
Shares w/o 4910 Tiedeman Road  
Par Value Brooklyn, OH 44144  
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(f) (g)  
Approximate Name of Each  
Date of Sale Securities  
(See instr. 3(f)) Exchange  
(MO. DAY YR.) (See instr.  
3(g))

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INSTRUCTIONS:

1. (a) Name of issuer  
(b) Issuer's I.R.S. Identification Number (c) Issuer's S.E.C. file number, if any (d) Issuer's address, including zip code  
(e) Issuer's telephone number, including area code
2. (a) Name of person for whose account the securities are to be sold  
(b) Such person's I.R.S. identification number, if such person is an entity  
(c) Such person's relationship to the issuer (e.g., officer, director, 10% stockholder, or member of immediate family of any of the foregoing)  
(d) Such person's address, including zip code

3. (a) Title of the class of securities  
(b) Name and address of each securities are intended  
(c) Number of shares or other securities, give the aggregate  
(d) Aggregate market value of securities as of a specified date within this notice  
(e) Number of shares or other securities outstanding, or if debt securities to be outstanding, as shown by statement published by issuer  
(f) Approximate date on which securities are intended  
(g) Name of each securities

POTENTIAL PERSONS WHO ARE TO RESPOND TO THE COLLECTION OF INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THIS FORM ARE NOT REQUIRED TO RESPOND UNLESS THE FORM DISPLAYS A CURRENTLY VALID OMB CONTROL NUMBER.

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TABLE I - SECURITIES TO BE SOLD

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Furnish the following information with respect to the acquisition of the securities to be sold and with respect to the payment of all or any part of the purchase price or other consideration therefor:

Title of the Class	Date you Acquired	Nature of Acquisition Transaction	Name of Person from Whom Acquired (If gift, also give date do)
Common Shares w/o Par Value		Possible exercise of non-qualified stock option	Issuer

Date of Payment	Nature of Payment
	Cashless Exercise

- INSTRUCTIONS:
1. If the securities were purchased and full payment therefor was not made in cash at the time of purchase, explain in the table or in a note thereto the nature of the consideration given. If the consideration consisted of any note or other obligation, or if payment was made in installments describe the arrangement and state when the note or other obligation was discharged in full or the last installment paid.
  2. If within two years after the date of sale of securities the person for whom the securities were sold had any short positions in the securities, or if he or she disposed of securities referred to in this table, Rule 144, furnish full information.

TABLE II - SECURITIES SOLD DURING THE PAST 3 MONTHS

Furnish the following information as to all securities of the issuer sold during the past 3 months by the person for whose account the securities are to be sold.

Name and Address of Seller	Title of Securities Sold	Date of Sale	Amount of Securities Sold
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REMARKS:

INSTRUCTIONS:

See the definition of "person" in paragraph (a) of Rule 144. Information is to be given not only as to the person for whose account the securities are to be sold but also as to all other persons included in that definition. In addition, information shall be given as to sales by all persons whose sales are required by paragraph (e) of Rule 144 to be aggregated with sales for the account of the person filing this notice.

ATTENTION:

The person for whose account notice relates are to be sold this notice that he does not information in regard to the operations of the Issuer of has not been publicly disclosed.

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DATE OF NOTICE

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The notice shall be signed by the person for whose account the securities are to be sold. At least one copy of the notice shall be manually signed. Any copies not manually signed shall bear typed or printed signatures.

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ATTENTION: INTENTIONAL MISSTATEMENTS OR OMISSION OF FACTS CONSTITUTE  
FEDERAL CRIMINAL VIOLATIONS (SEE 18 U.S.C. 1001)  
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