

FACTSET RESEARCH SYSTEMS INC  
Form 3  
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**FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person		2. Date of Event Requiring Statement	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	
* ^ Blair Nancy E		(Month/Day/Year)	FACTSET RESEARCH SYSTEMS INC [FDS]	
(Last)	(First)	09/07/2005		
BLAIR & POTTS, P.O. BOX 1214		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)
(Street)		(Check all applicable)		
STAMFORD, CT 06904-1214		____ Director <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	____ Officer    ____ Other	
		(give title below)    (specify below)		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person
				____ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Factset Common Stock	3,900,555 <sup>(1)</sup>	I	Executor of Estate
Factset Common Stock	1,500,000 <sup>(2)</sup>	I	Executor of Estate holding beneficial interest

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security	4. Conversion or Exercise	5. Ownership Form of	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	(Instr. 4) Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	(Instr. 5)
Factset Common Stock Options	12/22/2005	12/22/2014	Factset Common Stock	22,500	\$ 0	I	Executor of Estate

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Blair Nancy E BLAIR & POTTS P.O. BOX 1214 STAMFORD, CT 06904-1214		X		

## Signatures

/s/ Nancy E. Blair	09/29/2005
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
/s/ Brian C. Wille	09/29/2005
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
/s/ Nancy E. Blair, for the Estate	09/29/2005
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) On Sep. 27, 2005 the estate sold 1,800,000 shares of Factset common stock through a Rule 144 transaction.
- (2) The estate is the non-managing member of Wille Family Investments LLC, which owns 1,500,000 shares of Factset common stock. Brian C. Wille is the manager of Wille Family Investments LLC.

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### Remarks:

This Form 3 is also filed on behalf of the Estate of Howard E. Wille, P.O. Box 1214, Stamford, CT 06904-1214.

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