

BROWN FORMAN CORP  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Brown Owsley III

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
BROWN FORMAN CORP [BFA, BFB]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
12/08/2015

\_\_\_\_ Director  
\_\_\_\_ Officer (give title below)  
 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)

850 DIXIE HIGHWAY

(Street)

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

LOUISVILLE, KY 40210

(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 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)			
Class A Common	12/08/2015		G		125	A	\$ 0 1,233	D	
Class A Common	12/08/2015		G		125	A	\$ 0 2,625	I	Trust fbo Victoire Brown
Class A Common	12/08/2015		G		125	A	\$ 0 10,648	I	Trust fbo Child-1
Class A Common	12/08/2015		G		125	A	\$ 0 10,456	I	Trust fbo Child-2
Class A Common	12/08/2015		G		125	A	\$ 0 3,231	I	Trust fbo Child-3

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Class B Common	562	I	c/f Child-1
Class B Common	562	I	c/f Child-2
Class A Common	2,290	I	CLB 2012 Trust
Class B Common	45,671	I	CLB 2012 Trust
Class A Common	196,272	I	CLB Grandchildren Eq. Tr.
Class B Common	122,685	I	CLB Grandchildren Eq. Tr.
Class A Common	18	I	Eleanor Lee Trusts
Class B Common	12,895	I	Eleanor Lee Trusts
Class A Common	51,873	I	GRAT #1
Class A Common	33,646	I	GRAT #2
Class B Common	51,440	I	GST Exempt QTIP Trust
Class B Common	201,736	I	GST Non-Exempt QTIP Trust
Class B Common	546	I	Hebe Exempt Trust
Class A Common	316,837	I	Hebe Three Limited Partnership
Class B Common	215,284	I	Hebe Three Limited Partnership
Class A Common	3,330,115	I	Olympus Three LLC
Class B Common	6,703,641	I	Olympus Three LLC
Class B Common	1,972	I	Trust fbo Child-1
	1,924	I	

Class B Common					Trust fbo Child-2
Class B Common	117	I			Trust fbo Child-3
Class A Common	20,439	I			Trust fbo Owsley Brown III
Class B Common	5,109	I			Trust fbo Owsley Brown III
Class B Common	712	I			Trust fbo Victoire Brown
Class A Common	13,063	I			Woodford Partners California, LLC

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. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 6)
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
				Code	V (A) (D)				

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
				X

Brown Owsley III  
850 DIXIE HIGHWAY  
LOUISVILLE, KY 40210

## Signatures

Kelly A. Bowen, Attorney in Fact for Owsley  
Brown III

03/31/2016

\_\_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).

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