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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting

Person *

À Conroy Alexandre

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

(Zip)

Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

06/01/2012

2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

BECTON DICKINSON & CO [BDX]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Senior Vice President

5. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

C/O BECTON, DICKINSON AND COMPANY, 1 BECTON DRIVE

(Street)

Director _X__ Officer

10% Owner Other

6. Individual or Joint/Group (give title below) (specify below) Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting

Person

Form filed by More than One

Reporting Person

FRANKLIN LAKES, NJÂ 07417

(City) (State)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security

(Instr. 4)

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

(Instr. 4)

3. Ownership 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership

Form: Direct (D)

(Instr. 5) or Indirect

(I) (Instr. 5)

Common Stock

7,411 (1)

Â D

Common Stock

31,482

Ι GSIP Trust (2)

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

Conversion or Exercise

Ownership Form of

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	(Instr. 4)		Price of	Derivative	(Instr. 5)
			Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	11/23/2005(3)	11/23/2014	Common Stock	7,641	\$ 54.41	D	Â
Stock Appreciation Rights	11/21/2006(4)	11/21/2015	Common Stock	7,626	\$ 59.16	D	Â
Stock Appreciation Rights	11/21/2007(5)	11/21/2016	Common Stock	6,876	\$ 71.72	D	Â
Stock Appreciation Rights	11/20/2008(6)	11/20/2017	Common Stock	5,546	\$ 84.33	D	Â
Stock Appreciation Rights	11/25/2009(7)	11/25/2018	Common Stock	7,338	\$ 62.5	D	Â
Stock Appreciation Rights	11/24/2010(8)	11/24/2019	Common Stock	10,127	\$ 75.63	D	Â
Stock Appreciation Rights	11/23/2011(9)	11/23/2020	Common Stock	9,147	\$ 76.64	D	Â
Stock Appreciation Rights	11/22/2012(10)	11/22/2021	Common Stock	11,763	\$ 72.12	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address			Relationships		
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
Conroy Alexandre C/O BECTON, DICKINSON AND COMPANY 1 BECTON DRIVE FRANKLIN LAKES, NJ 07417	Â	Â	Senior Vice President	Â	

Signatures

Richard Stout, by power of attorney for Alexandre Conroy 06/07/2012

**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) Includes 1,042 restricted stock units awarded under the Becton, Dickinson and Company 2004 Employee and Director Equity-Based Compensation Plan.
- (2) Represents shares of common stock held under the Becton, Dickinson and Company Global Share Investment Program (the "GSIP"). The information presented for the GSIP is as of May 31, 2012.
- (3) The option became exercisable in four annual installments beginning November 23, 2005.

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- (4) The stock appreciation rights vest in four annual installments beginning November 21, 2006.
- (5) The stock appreciation rights vest in four annual installments beginning November 21, 2007.
- (6) The stock appreciation rights vest in four annual installments beginning November 20, 2008.
- (7) The stock appreciation rights vest in four annual installments beginning November 25, 2009.
- (8) The stock appreciation rights vest in four annual installments beginning November 24, 2010.
- (9) The stock appreciation rights vest in four annual installments beginning November 23, 2011.
- (10) The stock appreciation rights vest in four annual installments beginning November 22, 2012.

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