

BEGEMANN BRETT D
Form 4
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FORM 4

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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 *
BEGEMANN BRETT D

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
MONSANTO CO /NEW/ [MON]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
800 N. LINDBERGH BLVD.

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
11/02/2007

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)

EVP, Global Commercial

ST. LOUIS, MO 63167

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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(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			
Common Stock	11/02/2007		M ⁽¹⁾	20,695 A \$ 16.1925	117,709	D	
Common Stock	11/02/2007		M ⁽¹⁾	4,237 A \$ 20.805	121,946	D	
Common Stock	11/02/2007		S ⁽¹⁾	5,200 D \$ 91.5	116,746	D	
Common Stock	11/02/2007		S ⁽¹⁾	1,700 D \$ 91.53	115,046	D	
Common Stock	11/02/2007		S ⁽¹⁾	3,100 D \$ 91.54	111,946	D	

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Common Stock	11/02/2007	S ⁽¹⁾	2,000	D	\$ 91.7	109,946	D	
Common Stock	11/02/2007	S ⁽¹⁾	932	D	\$ 91.71	109,014	D	
Common Stock	11/02/2007	S ⁽¹⁾	600	D	\$ 91.77	108,414	D	
Common Stock	11/02/2007	S ⁽¹⁾	2,700	D	\$ 91.79	105,714	D	
Common Stock	11/02/2007	S ⁽¹⁾	3,200	D	\$ 91.8	102,514	D	
Common Stock	11/02/2007	S ⁽¹⁾	200	D	\$ 91.87	102,314	D	
Common Stock	11/02/2007	S ⁽¹⁾	200	D	\$ 91.88	102,114	D	
Common Stock	11/02/2007	S ⁽¹⁾	600	D	\$ 91.95	101,514	D	
Common Stock	11/02/2007	S ⁽¹⁾	100	D	\$ 91.96	101,414	D	
Common Stock	11/02/2007	S ⁽¹⁾	800	D	\$ 91.98	100,614	D	
Common Stock	11/02/2007	S ⁽¹⁾	3,500	D	\$ 92.08	97,114	D	
Common Stock	11/02/2007	S ⁽¹⁾	100	D	\$ 92.09	97,014	D	
Common Stock						5,038	I	By 401(k) Plan

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)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Title

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						Expiration Date		Amount or Number of Shares
Common Stock	\$ 16.1925	11/02/2007	M ⁽¹⁾	20,695	03/15/2005 ⁽²⁾	02/26/2014	Common Stock	20,695
Common Stock	\$ 20.805	11/02/2007	M ⁽¹⁾	4,237	11/15/2005 ⁽³⁾	10/28/2014	Common Stock	4,237

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
BEGEMANN BRETT D 800 N. LINDBERGH BLVD. ST. LOUIS, MO 63167				EVP, Global Commercial

Signatures

/s/ Christopher A. Martin, Attorney-in-Fact	11/02/2007
__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).
- (1) The sales and stock option exercises reported on this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person on July 9, 2007.
 - One-third of the options became exercisable on March 15, 2005, one-third of the options became exercisable on March 15, 2006 and
 - (2) one-third of the options became exercisable on March 15, 2007, subject to the terms and conditions of the Monsanto Company Long-Term Incentive Plan.
 - One-third of the options became exercisable on November 15, 2005, one-third of the options became exercisable on November 15, 2006
 - (3) and one-third of the options become exercisable on November 15, 2007, subject to the terms and conditions of the Monsanto Company Long-Term Incentive Plan.

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