AUTODESK INC Form 4 April 15, 2005

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * BARTZ CAROL			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AUTODESK INC [ADSK]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(
			(Month/Day/Year)	X Director 10% Owner		
111 MCINNIS	PARKWA	Y	04/15/2005	_X_ Officer (give title Other (specification) Chairman, President and CEO		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
SAN RAFAEI	., CA 94903		Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative	Secui	rities Acquir	ed, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securition Dispose (Instr. 3, 4)	ed of (` ′	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)
Common Stock	04/15/2005		M	50,000	A		1,050,392	D	
Common Stock	04/15/2005		S(1)	10,000	D	\$ 31.4155	1,040,392	D	
Common Stock	04/15/2005		S(1)	10,000	D	\$ 31.5839	1,030,392	D	
Common Stock	04/15/2005		S <u>(1)</u>	10,000	D	\$ 31.6249	1,020,392	D	
Common Stock	04/15/2005		S(1)	10,000	D	\$ 31.6541	1,010,392	D	

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Common Stock 04/15/2005 $S_{\underbrace{(1)}}$ 10,000 D $\begin{array}{c} \$ \\ 31,7003 \end{array}$ 1,000,392 D

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 or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisab Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year		7. Title and Ar Underlying Se (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title [
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 6.0313	04/15/2005		M	50,000	09/08/2000(2)	09/08/2009	Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Keiauonsnips				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
BARTZ CAROL 111 MCINNIS PARKWAY SAN RAFAEL, CA 94903	X		Chairman, President and CEO		

Signatures

Nancy R. Thiel, Attorney-in-fact for Carol Bartz 04/15/2005

**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 reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on May 21, 2002, as amended.
- (2) The option vests over a 3-year period beginning on 09/08/1999 at the rate of 272,000 shares on the first anniversary, 264,000 shares on the second anniversary, and 263,996 on the third anniversary.

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