AUTODESK INC Form 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * CASTINO ALFRED			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	(Check all applicable)		
111 MCINNIS	1 MCINNIS PARKWAY		(Month/Day/Year) 09/01/2005	Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) Sr. VP and CFO		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
SAN RAFAEI	L, CA 94930)	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State) (Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acqu	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) (A) or		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	09/01/2005		M	7,000	A	\$ 6.36	31,632	D	
Common Stock	09/01/2005		S(3)	5,600	D	\$ 42.93	26,032	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. 5. Number Transaction Derivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Ame Underlying Sect (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	An or Ni of Sh
Incentive Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 6.36	09/01/2005		M	1,400	09/26/2004(1)	09/26/2012	Common Stock	1
Non-Qualified Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 6.36	09/01/2005		M	5,600	09/26/2004(2)	09/26/2012	Common Stock	5

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

CASTINO ALFRED 111 MCINNIS PARKWAY SAN RAFAEL, CA 94930

Sr. VP and CFO

Signatures

Nancy R. Thiel, Attorney-in-fact for Alfred J.

Castino 09/01/2005

**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 option vests in four equal annual installments of 15,722 each beginning on 09/26/2002.
- (2) The option vests in four equal annual installments of 44,278 each beginning on 09/26/2002
- (3) The sales reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on September 17, 2004.

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