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response...

See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Stultz Timothy J			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NANOMETRICS INC [NANO]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check an applicable)		
			(Month/Day/Year)	X Director 10% Owner		
C/O NANOMETRICS, INC., 1550 BUCKEYE DRIVE		INC., 1550	04/01/2014	_X_ Officer (give title Other (specification) President & CEO		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person		
MILPITAS, C	A 95035			Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acqu	uired, Disposed o	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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securion(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	d of (D)	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	04/01/2014		M(1)	8,500	A	\$ 7.35	211,262	D	
Common Stock	04/01/2014		S <u>(1)</u>	8,500	D	\$ 18.24 (2)	202,762	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 Transactiom 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 Amount Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V		Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Shares
Non-Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 7.35	04/01/2014		M <u>(1)</u>	8,500	(3)	08/29/2014	Common Stock	8,50

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
•	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Stultz Timothy J C/O NANOMETRICS, INC. 1550 BUCKEYE DRIVE MILPITAS, CA 95035	X		President & CEO					

Signatures

/s/ Ronald W. Kisling,
Attorney-in-Fact
04/01/2014

**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) Transaction pursuant to Rule 10b5-1 Plan adopted November 1, 2013.
- The price in Column 4 is a weighted average sale price. The prices actually received ranged from \$18.05 to \$18.33. The reporting person will provide to the issuer, any security holder of the issuer, or the SEC staff, upon request, information regarding the number of shares sold at each price within the range.
- (3) Fully vested.

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