Sirchio John Kristin Form 4 August 01, 2011

### FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Last)

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** 

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

Sirchio John Kristin

(First) (Middle)

850 DIXIE HIGHWAY

(Street)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

**BROWN FORMAN CORP** [BFA,BFB]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 07/28/2011

4. If Amendment, Date Original

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify

EVP, Chief Marketing Officer

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

below)

LOUISVILLE, KY 40210 (City) (State)

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year)

(Instr. 3)

Execution Date, if

(Zip)

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Code V Amount (D) Price

(A)

Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

5. Amount of

6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect Beneficial (T) (Instr. 4)

7. Nature of Indirect Ownership

(Instr. 4)

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

Conversion or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

any

4. 5. Number Transaction of Derivative Expiration Date Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8	3)	Acquired (A) or Disposed (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)					
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Number of Shar
Stock Appreciation Right (1)	\$ 50.57 (2)							05/01/2012	04/30/2019	Class B Common	3,660 (2)
Stock Appreciation Right (1)	\$ 61.24 (3)							05/01/2013	04/30/2020	Class B Common	10,42 (3)
Stock Appreciation Right (4)	\$ 73.95	07/28/2011		A		8,813		05/01/2014	04/30/2021	Class B Common	8,81

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Sirchio John Kristin 850 DIXIE HIGHWAY LOUISVILLE, KY 40210

EVP, Chief Marketing Officer

### **Signatures**

Diane Barhorst, Attorney in Fact for John Kristin Sirchio

08/01/2011

\*\*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) All outstanding derivative security amounts and exercise prices were adjusted on December 10, 2010, the record date for the Issuer's December 28, 2010 special cash dividend.
- (2) These stock appreciation rights were previously reported as covering 3,611 shares at an exercise price of \$51.30, but were adjusted to reflect the December 28, 2010 special cash dividend.
- (3) These stock appreciation rights were previously reported as covering 10,277 shares at an exercise price of \$62.13, but were adjusted to reflect the December 28, 2010 special cash dividend.
- (4) No money was paid to or received by the reporting person for this SAR.

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