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FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE (Washington, D.C. 20549						NGE C	OMMISSION	OMB AF OMB Number:	PROVAL 3235-0287		
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See Instr 1(b).		30(h)	of the In	vestment	Company	y Act	t of 194	0			
(Print or Type]	Responses)										
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> HADLEY PHILIP A			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol FACTSET RESEARCH SYSTEMS INC [FDS]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 601 MERRITT 7			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/28/2012					_X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) CEO & Chairman			
NODWALL	(Street)			ndment, Da nth/Day/Year	-			6. Individual or Jos Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by O Form filed by M	ne Reporting Per	rson	
NORWALI	X, CT 06851							Person		portung	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ties Acqu	uired, Disposed of,	or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Dat (Month/Day/Year)		n Date, if	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8) Code V	4. Securiti on(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4	sposed	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)	
FactSet Common Stock	12/28/2012			M	18,975	A	\$ 43.39	935,359	D		
FactSet Common Stock	12/28/2012			М	17,138	A	\$ 43.39	952,497	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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amou Underlying Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)	
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
I B B B B B B B B B B B B B B B B B B B	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
HADLEY PHILIP A 601 MERRITT 7 NORWALK, CT 06851	Х		CEO & Chairman				

Signatures

/s/ Philip A. Hadley <u>**Signature of</u> Reporting Person 01/02/2013 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) Column 8 has been intentionally left blank because the transaction was an exercise of a derivative security.

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