

BYRD VINCENT C

Form 4

March 20, 2006

FORM 4
UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
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(Last) (First) (Middle)

ONE STRAWBERRY LANE

(Street)

ORRVILLE, OH 44667-0280

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
SMUCKER J M CO [SJM]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
03/16/2006

4. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
X Officer (give title ____ Other (specify
below) below)

Vice President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
X Form filed by One Reporting Person
____ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially 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. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Shares	03/16/2006		M	4,725 A	\$ 17.194	43,007.19 ⁽¹⁾	D
Common Shares	03/16/2006		M	4,725 A	\$ 18.252	47,732.19 ⁽¹⁾	D
Common Shares	03/16/2006		S	4,725 D	\$ 39.94	43,007.19 ⁽¹⁾	D
Common Shares	03/16/2006		S	4,725 D	\$ 39.94	38,282.19 ⁽¹⁾	D
Common Shares					4,571.4302	I	by ESOP

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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 Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Option Common Shares	\$ 17.194	03/16/2006		M	4,725	<u>(2)</u>	10/17/2006	Common Shares	4,725
Option Common Shares	\$ 18.252	03/16/2006		M	4,725	<u>(2)</u>	10/17/2006	Common Shares	4,725

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
BYRD VINCENT C ONE STRAWBERRY LANE ORRVILLE, OH 44667-0280	Vice President

Signatures

M. Ann Harlan,
POA 03/20/2006

**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) Includes shares acquired under the Company's dividend reinvestment plan, as administered by its transfer agent.

(2) Employee stock option (right to buy) which becomes exercisable at the rate of 1/3 of shares per year beginning one year after grant date.

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