SHRADER PATRICIA B

Form 4

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

SHRADER PATRICIA B

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

BECTON DICKINSON & CO

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

[BDX]

(Last) (First) (Middle)

11/23/2010

(Month/Day/Year)

Director X_ Officer (give title

Issuer

below)

10% Owner Other (specify

C/O BECTON, DICKINSON AND COMPANY, 1 BECTON DRIVE

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Senior Vice President

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

FRANKLIN LAKES, NJ 07417

(City) (State) (Zip) 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

Security

(Instr. 3)

3. 4. Securities (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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)

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 1. Title of 5. Number of 6. Date Exercisable and Derivative (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionDerivative **Expiration Date** Conversion

7. Title and Amo

Underlying Secu

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed o (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D) Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Ar or Nu of
Stock Appreciation	\$ 76.64	11/23/2010		A	17,684	11/23/2011(1)	11/23/2020	Common	1′

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SHRADER PATRICIA B C/O BECTON, DICKINSON AND COMPANY 1 BECTON DRIVE FRANKLIN LAKES, NJ 07417

Senior Vice President

Signatures

Right

Patricia Walesiewicz, by power of attorney for Patricia B.

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> **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 stock appreciation rights vest in four annual installments beginning November 23, 2011.

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