

Sirchio John Kristin
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Sirchio John Kristin

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
BROWN FORMAN CORP
[BFA,BFB]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
850 DIXIE HIGHWAY
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
12/24/2012

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
EVP, Chief Marketing Officer

LOUISVILLE, KY 40210

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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(City) (State) (Zip)

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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
Class A Common					1,695 ⁽³⁾	D	
Class B Common	12/24/2012		M	5,839 A	\$ 31.74 5,839	D	
Class B Common	12/24/2012		F	3,937 D	\$ 63.31 1,902	D	
Class B Common	12/24/2012		S	1,902 D	\$ 63.297 0	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. 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)	Amount or Number of Shares	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 31.74 <u>(2) (3)</u>	12/24/2012		M	5,839	05/01/2012	04/30/2019	Class B Common	5,839 <u>(2) (3)</u>
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 38.43 <u>(2) (3)</u>					05/01/2013	04/30/2020	Class B Common	16,611 <u>(2) (3)</u>
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 46.4 <u>(2) (3)</u>					05/01/2014	04/30/2021	Class B Common	14,041 <u>(2) (3)</u>
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 58.7 <u>(2) (3)</u>					05/01/2015	04/30/2022	Class B Common	12,641 <u>(2) (3)</u>

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	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

12/27/2012

**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).

- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$63.292 to \$63.32, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to Brown-Forman Corporation, any security holder of
- (1) Brown-Forman Corporation, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in footnote (1) to this Form 4.
 - (2) All outstanding derivative security amounts and exercise prices were adjusted on December 27, 2012, the record date for the Issuer's December 12, 2012 special cash dividend.
 - (3) On August 10, 2012, the Class A and Class B common stock of Brown-Forman Corporation split 3-2, resulting in the reporting person's acquisition of additional shares of common stock.

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