

Rubicon Technology, Inc.  
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**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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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 Graffy Mardel A

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O RUBICON TECHNOLOGY  
 INC., 900 EAST GREEN ST., UNIT  
 A

(Street)

BENSENVILLE, IL 60106

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 Rubicon Technology, Inc. [RBCN]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
 (Month/Day/Year)  
 11/01/2014

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 VP - Financial Operations

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
|                                 |                                      |  |                                | (A) or (D)  | Price   |  |                                   |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                | Code V  | Amount  |  |                                   |
| Common Stock                    | 11/01/2014                           |  | M                              | 1,156   | A   | 1,156  | D                                 |
| Common Stock                    | 11/01/2014                           |  | F                              | 364   | D   | \$ 4.43  | D                                 |
| Common Stock                    |                                      |  |                                |   |   | 2,100  | I                                 |

Through Mardel Graffy Trust dated January 27, 2005

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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) | 8. Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|-------------------------------|
| Restricted Stock Units                     | (1)  | 11/01/2014                           |  | M                              | 1,156   | (2) (2)  | Common Stock  | 1,156                         |
| Restricted Stock Units                     | (3)  | 11/01/2014                           |  | A                              | 8,971   | (4) (4)  | Common Stock  | 8,971                         |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address  | Relationships |           |                           |       |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------------------------|-------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                   | Other |
| Graffy Mardel A<br>C/O RUBICON TECHNOLOGY INC.<br>900 EAST GREEN ST., UNIT A<br>BENSENVILLE, IL 60106 |               |           | VP - Financial Operations |       |

## Signatures

/s/ Scott Glickson,  
attorney-in-fact

11/04/2014

\*\*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) Restricted stock units convert into common stock on a one-for-one basis.
- (2) On November 1, 2013, the reporting person was granted 4,621 restricted stock units, vesting in four equal annual installments beginning on the first anniversary of the grant date.

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- (3) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Company's common stock.
- (4) The restricted stock units vest in three equal annual installments beginning November 1, 2015.

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