BECTON DICKINSON & CO

Form 4

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * COHEN GARY M

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

BECTON DICKINSON & CO

[BDX]

(Check all applicable)

(Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

08/11/2016

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

Executive Vice President

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

(First)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

(Street) Filed(Month/Day/Year)

FRANKLIN LAKES, NJ 07417

(City)	(State) 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit ord Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed of (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 Stock	08/11/2016		M	51,833	A	\$ 76.64	125,870	D	
Common Stock	08/11/2016		D	22,466	D	\$ 176.81 (1)	103,404	D	
Common Stock	08/11/2016		S	29,367	D	\$ 176.81 (1)	74,037	D	
Common Stock							2,880	I	By children

Common Stock

18,471 (2) I

SIP Trust

(9-02)

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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 Amo Underlying Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Ar or Nu of
Stock Appreciation Rights	\$ 76.64	08/11/2016		M	51,833	11/23/2011(3)	11/23/2020	Common Stock	5

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Officer Director 10% Owner Other

COHEN GARY M C/O BECTON, DICKINSON AND COMPANY 1 BECTON DRIVE FRANKLIN LAKES, NJ 07417

Executive Vice President

Signatures

Richard Stout, by power of attorney for Gary M. Cohen

08/12/2016

**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 reported sale price reflects the weighted average sale price for multiple transactions. The actual sales prices for the transactions (1) ranged from \$176.70 through \$177.16. Full information regarding the number of shares purchased at each separate price will be provided to the Securities and Exchange Commission, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer upon request.

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Represents shares of common stock held under the Becton, Dickinson and Company Savings Incentive Plan (the "SIP"). The information presented for the SIP is as of July 31, 2016.

(3) The stock appreciation rights vest in four annual installments beginning November 23, 2011.

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