

HERSHEY CO
Form 5
January 20, 2016

FORM 5

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

Check this box if
no longer subject
to Section 16.
Form 4 or Form
5 obligations
may continue.
See Instruction
1(b).
Form 3 Holdings
Reported
Form 4
Transactions
Reported

**ANNUAL 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

OMB APPROVAL

OMB
Number: 3235-0362
Expires: January 31,
2005
Estimated average
burden hours per
response... 1.0

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
HERSHEY TRUST CO

(Last) (First) (Middle)

100 MANSION ROAD EAST

(Street)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
HERSHEY CO [HSY]

3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended
(Month/Day/Year)
12/31/2015

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting

(check applicable line)

HERSHEY, PA 17033

__X__ Form Filed by One Reporting Person
____ Form Filed by More than One Reporting
Person

(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 at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	12/12/2015	Â	G ⁽¹⁾	100 A \$ 0 (2)	12,703,921	I	By Milton Hershey School Trust ⁽³⁾
Common Stock, \$1.00 par value	Â	Â	Â	Â Â Â Â	199,000	D ⁽⁴⁾	Â

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of
securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

**Persons who respond to the collection of information
contained in this form are not required to respond unless**

SEC 2270
(9-02)

the form displays a currently valid OMB control number.

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)
Class B Common Stock, \$1.00 par value ⁽⁵⁾	\$ 89.27 ⁽⁶⁾	Â	Â	Â	Â Â Â ⁽⁵⁾	Â ⁽⁵⁾	Common Stock, \$1.00 par value 60,612,012

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
HERSHEY TRUST CO 100 MANSION ROAD EAST HERSHEY, PA 17033	Â	Â X	Â	Â

Signatures

Gayla A. Molinelli, VP Finance, Hershey Trust Company

01/20/2016

__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).
- (1) Received as a donation to the Milton Hershey School Trust
- (2) No compensation was given to the donor for the receipt of shares. Valuation price at the date of donation was \$87.095 (The average of the high and low market price on the day of donation).
- (3) The reporting person is the trustee of Milton Hershey School Trust.
- (4) The reporting person is wholly owned by the Milton Hershey School Trust.
- (5) All shares of Class B common stock, \$1.00 par value, are convertible share-for-share into common stock, \$1.00 par value, at any time, and without payment other than for the fact of conversion. There is no expiration date.
- (6) Conversion price is the current market price (\$89.27 represents the closing price on 12/31/2015).

Edgar Filing: HERSHEY CO - Form 5

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space provided is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.