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### FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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obligations may continue. See
Instruction 1(b).

#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <sup>*</sup> Bhatt Jay			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>AUTODESK INC</u> [ ADSK ]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner				
(Last) 111 MCINNIS I	(First) PARKWAY	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/21/2011	X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Sr. VP, AEC				
(Street) SAN RAFAEL	СА	94903	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicabl Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	rivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Bene	eficially Owned				

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transaction Code (Instr.					5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(11311.4)
Common Stock	09/21/2011		<b>A</b> <sup>(1)</sup>		20,000	Α	\$ <mark>0</mark>	80,641	D	

#### Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) 7. Title and 9. Number of 1. Title of 3. Transaction 3A. Deemed 5. Number 6. Date Exercisable and 8. Price of 10. 11. Nature Derivative Security Conversion Execution Date Transaction Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Amount of Derivative derivative Ownership of Indirect Date (Month/Day/Year) of Derivative Securities or Exercise if anv Code (Instr. Security Securities Form: Beneficial Beneficially Owned (Instr. 3) Price of Derivative (Month/Day/Year) 8) Securities Underlying (Instr. 5) Direct (D) Ownership (Instr. 4) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Acquired Derivative (A) or Disposed Following Reported Security Security (Instr. 3 and 4) of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)

Explanation of Responses:

1. These are Restricted Stock Units that will be fully vested on March 6, 2013. The Reporting Person is entitled to receive one share of Common Stock for each Restricted Stock Unit. In the event the Reporting Person ceases to be a Section 16 Reporting Officer before these shares are fully vested they will be forfeited to the Issuer.

Date

Exercisable

Expiration

Date

Nancy R. Thiel, Attorney-in-

Amount or Number

Shares

of

Fact for Jay Bhatt

Title

09/23/2011

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

\* 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).

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