

ROCKWELL AUTOMATION INC  
 Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
 MCDERMOTT JOHN P

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 ROCKWELL AUTOMATION INC [ROK]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 1201 SOUTH SECOND STREET  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 02/14/2017

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 \_\_\_\_ Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 Sr. Vice President

MILWAUKEE, WI 53204

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 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 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					97.2528	I	By Savings Plan <sup>(1)</sup>
Common Stock	02/14/2017		M	19,000 A \$ 74.14	56,609	D	
Common Stock	02/14/2017		M	1,200 A \$ 80.11	57,809	D	
Common Stock	02/14/2017		M	900 A \$ 108.89	58,709	D	
Common Stock	02/14/2017		S	18,800 <sup>(2)</sup> D \$ 151.9408	39,909	D	

Common Stock    02/14/2017    S    200 <sup>(3)</sup>    D    \$ 152.435    39,709    D <sup>(4)</sup>

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)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable    Expiration Date	Title    Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 74.14	02/14/2017		M	19,000	12/01/2012    12/01/2021	Common Stock    19,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 80.11	02/14/2017		M	1,200	12/06/2013    12/06/2022	Common Stock    1,200
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 108.89	02/14/2017		M	900	12/04/2014    12/04/2023	Common Stock    900

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MCDERMOTT JOHN P 1201 SOUTH SECOND STREET MILWAUKEE, WI 53204			Sr. Vice President	

## Signatures

Karen A. Balistreri, Attorney-in-Fact for John P.  
McDermott

02/15/2017

\_\_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).

Includes shares represented by Company stock fund units acquired under the Company Savings Plan since the date last reported for this person based on information furnished by the Plan Administrator as of 12/31/2016. The number of stock fund units represented by the

(1) balance of the participant's Company stock fund account may not exactly equal the number of stock fund units represented by a prior balance due to variance in the proportion of uninvested cash held in the reference fund used to determine unit values of the Company stock fund under the Plan.

Price reported in column 4 is a weighted average price. Shares sold at prices ranging from \$151.4300 to \$152.3800. The reporting person

(2) undertakes to provide to the Company, any shareowners of the Company and the staff of the SEC, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.

Price reported in column 4 is a weighted average price. Shares sold at prices ranging from \$152.4300 to \$152.4400. The reporting person

(3) undertakes to provide to the Company, any shareowners of the Company and the staff of the SEC, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.

(4) Includes 2,910 shares held by the Company to implement restrictions on transfer unless and until certain conditions are met.

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