

LUTZ ROBERT S
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FORM 4

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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 *
LUTZ ROBERT S

(Last) (First) (Middle)

2200 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE,
NW, SUITE 800W

(Street)

WASHINGTON, DC 20037

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
DANAHER CORP /DE/ [DHR]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
05/01/2012

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)
SVP-Chief Accounting Officer

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		
Common Stock	05/01/2012		M	10,000 A	\$ 17.44 32,866	D	
Common Stock	05/01/2012		S	10,000 D	\$ 54.826 22,866 (1)	D	
Common Stock	05/01/2012		M	15,000 A	\$ 22.62 37,866	D	
Common Stock	05/01/2012		S	15,000 D	\$ 54.8 22,866 (2)	D	

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

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The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$54.77 to 54.92, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to Danaher Corporation, any securityholder of Danaher Corporation, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in the footnotes to this Form 4.

- (2) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$54.75 to 54.91, inclusive.
- (3) Twenty percent of the options granted became exercisable on each of the first five anniversaries of the grant date, which was July 23, 2003.
- (4) Twenty percent of the options granted became exercisable on each of the first five anniversaries of the grant date, which was March 2, 2004.

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