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## FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* White Jonathan	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol HAEMONETICS CORP [ HAE ]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner
(Last) (First) (Middle) 400 WOOD ROAD	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/01/2012	X         Officer (give title below)         Other (specify below)           VP Research and Development
(Street) BRAINTREE MA 02184	<ul> <li>4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)</li> </ul>	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) 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 Da if any (Month/Day/Y		cution Date, Transaction I y Code (Instr.			4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)				7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
			Code	v	Amount	Int (A) or (D) Price		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	05/01/2012		<b>P</b> <sup>(1)</sup>		426	A	\$49.827	11,106 <sup>(2)</sup>	D		
Common Stock								1,500	Ι	by Spouse	

## 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. Transa Code ( 8)		n of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$52.94							10/27/2010 <sup>(3)</sup>	10/27/2016	Common Stock	12,242		12,242	D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$54.99							10/27/2011 <sup>(3)</sup>	10/27/2017	Common Stock	15,388		15,388	D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$60.05							01/28/2010 <sup>(3)</sup>	01/28/2016	Common Stock	17,641		17,641	D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$61.34							10/25/2012 <sup>(3)</sup>	10/25/2018	Common Stock	17,565		17,565	D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	<b>\$</b> 67.85							07/20/2012 <sup>(3)</sup>	07/20/2018	Common Stock	13,974		13,974	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Acquisition of shares of Common Stock pursuant to the Employee Stock Purchase Plan. Participant elected to purchase shares at least six months in advance of the effective date of the transaction.

2. Total includes Restricted Stock Awards and/or Restricted Stock Units that are subject to restrictions until vesting requirements are met. Grant was made under 2005 Long Term Incentive Compensation Plan. 3. Grant to reporting person of right to buy shares of common stock exercisable in annual increments of 25 percent beginning on the first anniversary of the date of grant.

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By: Susan M. Hanlon For:	
Jonathan White	

05/02/2012

\*\* 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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