

ROCKWELL AUTOMATION INC
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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 *
 Oliver Timothy Charles

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)
 777 EAST WISCONSIN AVENUE, SUITE 1400
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 05/23/2005

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 Vice Pres. and Treasurer

MILWAUKEE, WI 53202

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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(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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock	05/23/2005		M	V	8,333 A \$ 31.66	13,833 ⁽¹⁾	D
Common Stock	05/23/2005		S		4,200 D \$ 51.3	9,633 ⁽¹⁾	D
Common Stock	05/23/2005		S		4,133 D \$ 51.29	5,500 ⁽¹⁾	D
Common Stock						54.5194 ⁽²⁾	I

By Savings Plan

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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)	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option	\$ 31.66	05/23/2005		M	8,333	05/17/2005 ⁽³⁾ 05/17/2014	Common Stock	8,333
Employee Stock Option	\$ 43.9					11/08/2005 ⁽⁴⁾ 11/08/2014	Common Stock	23,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Oliver Timothy Charles 777 EAST WISCONSIN AVENUE SUITE 1400 MILWAUKEE, WI 53202			Vice Pres. and Treasurer	

Signatures

Karen A. Balistreri, Attorney-in-Fact for Timothy C. Oliver
05/24/2005

__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) 5,500 shares are held by Company to implement restrictions on transfer unless and until certain conditions are met.
- (2) Includes shares represented by Company stock fund units acquired under the Company's Savings Plan since the date of the reporting person's last ownership report, based on information furnished by the Plan Administrator as of 4/29/2005.

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(3) 8,333 shares vest on 05/17/06 and 8,334 shares vest on 05/17/07.

(4) The option vests in three substantially equal annual installments beginning on the date exercisable.

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