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NORDSON CORP
Form 5
November 30, 2001
      UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
      WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549
      FORM 5
      ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP
      () Check box if no longer subject to Section 16.
      Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instructions 1(b).
      (X) Form 3 Holdings Reported
      (X) Form 4 Transactions Reported
      1. Name and Address of Reporting Person
         ROSEN, BENEDICT P.
         28601 CLEMENS ROAD
         WESTLAKE, OH 44145
         U.S.A.
      2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
         NORDSON CORPORATION
         NDSN
      3. IRS or Social Security Number of Reporting Person (Voluntary)
      4. Statement for Month/Year
         10/28/2001
      5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Year)
      6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)
          (X) Director ( ) 10% Owner ( ) Officer (give title below) ( ) Other
         (specify below)
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- 7. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting (Check Applicable Line)
  - (X) Form filed by One Reporting Person
  - ( ) Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

1. Title of Security	<pre> 2.  3.  4.Securities Acquired (A)  Transaction  or Disposed of (D)</pre>							5.Amount of		
				Securities						
	Date  Code							Beneficially		
					P	A/		Owned at		
		I	I	Amount	D	)	Price	End of Year		
COMMON STOCK								2,025 (1)		
(1) Includes 25 shares thru	1				Ι			I		
Co. DRP Plan as of 10/31/01.	1									

Table I -- Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

Table II -- Derivative Securitites Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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Security	version	Trans	sactio	n rivative Secu	cisable and	of Underlying	of
	or Exer	Date	Code	rities Acqui	Expiration	Securities	vat
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	ltive			A	/ Exer- ation	Title and Number	
	Secu			D	cisa- Date	of Shares	1

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	rity		Amount	Ι	ble				
Stock Units	 		1,390 					TOCK 1,390	* 
Explanation of Resp * STOCK UNITS ACCR		NORDSON'S D	IRECTOR'S DEF	FERRE	D COMP	ENSAT	ION PLAN		

AS OF 11/2/2001 AND HAVE ACCRUED ON A PERIODIC BASIS. RECEIPT OF STOCK IS NOT PERMISSIBLE UINTIL THE DIRECTOR CEASES TO BE A DIRECTOR OR ATTAINS AGE 70, WHICHEVER OCCURS FIRST. SIGNATURE OF REPORTING PERSON NICHOLAS D. PELLECCHIA, ATTORNEY-IN-FACT DATE 11/28/2001