

LEVIN CAPITAL STRATEGIES, L.P.
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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 *
LEVIN CAPITAL STRATEGIES, L.P.

(Last) (First) (Middle)

595 MADISON AVENUE, 17TH FLOOR

(Street)

NEW YORK, NY 10022

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
FLUIDIGM CORP [FLDM]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 10/25/2018

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

___ Director ___X___ 10% Owner
 ___ Officer (give title below) ___X___ Other (specify below)
 Passive Investor

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 ___ Form filed by One Reporting Person
 ___X___ 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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock ⁽¹⁾ ₍₂₎	10/25/2018		P	7,363 A \$ 7.211 ₍₁₀₎	11,334,743	I	By: Managed Accounts of Levin Capital Strategies, L.P. ⁽³⁾ ₍₄₎
Common Stock ⁽¹⁾ ₍₂₎	10/26/2018		P	2,599 A \$ 7.1875 ₍₁₁₎	11,337,342	I	By: Managed Accounts of Levin Capital Strategies, L.P. ⁽³⁾ ₍₄₎
Common Stock ⁽¹⁾					95,606	I	By: Bi-Directional

<u>(2)</u>						Disequilibrium Fund, L.P. <u>(6)</u>
Common Stock <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>		1,305,269	I			By: Transamerica Large Cap Value Fund <u>(5)</u>
Common Stock <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>		56,820	I			By: Levcap Alternative Fund, L.P. <u>(7)</u>
Common Stock <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>		19,818	I			By: Safinia Partners, L.P. <u>(8)</u>
Common Stock <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>		5,000	I			By: Spouse of John A. Levin <u>(9)</u>

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)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Following Reporting Transaction (Instr. 6)
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
LEVIN CAPITAL STRATEGIES, L.P. 595 MADISON AVENUE 17TH FLOOR		X		Passive Investor

NEW YORK, NY 10022

Levin Capital Strategies GP, LLC

595 MADISON AVENUE

17TH FLOOR

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Bi-Directional Disequilibrium Fund, L.P.

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Levcap Alternative Fund, L.P.

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LCS Event Partners, LLC

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Safinia Partners, L.P.

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LCS L/S, LLC

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LEVIN JOHN A

595 MADISON AVENUE

17TH FLOOR

X

Passive Investor

NEW YORK, NY 10020

Signatures

Levin Capital Strategies, L.P.; By: /s/ John A. Levin, Chief Executive Officer

10/26/2018

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Levin Capital Strategies GP, LLC; By: John A. Levin 2005 GRAT Separation Trust; By: /s/ Elisabeth Levin, Trustee

10/26/2018

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Bi-Directional Disequilibrium Fund, L.P.; By: LCS; By: /s/ John A. Levin, Managing Member

10/26/2018

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Levcap Alternative Fund, L.P.; By: LCS Event Partners, LLC; By: /s/ John A. Levin, Managing Member

10/26/2018

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

LCS Event Partners, LLC; By: /s/ John A. Levin, Managing Member

10/26/2018

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Date

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- (11) The price reported is a weighted average price. The reported shares were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$7.18 to \$7.19. The Reporting Persons undertake to provide to the Issuer, any security holder of the Issuer, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares purchased at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote 11.

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