

NANOMETRICS INC  
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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 \*  
Heidrich Kevin

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O NANOMETRICS,  
INCORPORATED, 1550  
BUCKEYE DRIVE

(Street)

MILPITAS, CA 95035

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
NANOMETRICS INC [NANO]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
09/21/2015

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_X\_ Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Senior VP, Marketing

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
\_X\_ 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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	09/21/2015		M <sup>(1)</sup>		10,000	A	\$ 2.38
							52,256 <sup>(2)</sup>
Common Stock	09/21/2015		S <sup>(1)</sup>		10,000	D	\$ 13.32
							42,256 <sup>(3)</sup>
Common Stock	09/21/2015		S <sup>(1)</sup>		7,425	D	\$ 13.31
							34,831 <sup>(4)</sup>

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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
Non-Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 2.38	09/21/2015		M <sup>(1)</sup>	10,000	<sup>(5)</sup> 06/18/2016	Common Stock	10,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Heidrich Kevin C/O NANOMETRICS, INCORPORATED 1550 BUCKEYE DRIVE MILPITAS, CA 95035			Senior VP, Marketing	

## Signatures

/s/Janet Taylor,  
Attorney-in-Fact

09/23/2015

\*\*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) Transaction pursuant to Rule 10b5-1 Plan adopted August 18, 2015.

(2) Includes 928 shares acquired pursuant to the Issuer's Amended and Restated 2003 Employee Stock Purchase Plan on June 30, 2015.

The price in Column 4 is a weighted average sale price. The prices actually received ranged from \$13.05 to \$13.89. The reporting person  
(3) will provide to the issuer, any security holder of the issuer, or the SEC staff, upon request, information regarding the number of shares sold at each price within the range.

The price in Column 4 is a weighted average sale price. The prices actually received ranged from \$13.05 to \$13.69. The reporting person  
(4) will provide to the issuer, any security holder of the issuer, or the SEC staff, upon request, information regarding the number of shares sold at each price within the range.

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(5) Fully vested.

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