

WESTERN DIGITAL CORP
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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 *
 MASSENGILL MATTHEW E

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 WESTERN DIGITAL CORP
 [WDC]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 12/02/2004

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
 Chairman and CEO

C/O WESTERN DIGITAL CORPORATION, 20511 LAKE FOREST DRIVE

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

LAKE FOREST, CA 92630-7741

(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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
Common Stock	12/02/2004		M		250,000 A \$ 2.1	723,106	D
Common Stock	12/02/2004		M		206,250 A \$ 3.85	929,356	D
Common Stock	12/02/2004		M		225,229 A \$ 4.5625	1,154,585	D
Common Stock	12/02/2004		S		929 D \$ 10.32	1,153,656	D
	12/02/2004		S		11,613 D \$ 10.33	1,142,043	D

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Common Stock									
Common Stock	12/02/2004		S	54,443	D	\$ 10.34	1,087,600	D	
Common Stock	12/02/2004		S	7,525	D	\$ 10.41	1,080,075	D	
Common Stock	12/02/2004		S	132,577	D	\$ 10.4	947,498	D	
Common Stock	12/02/2004		S	23,691	D	\$ 10.38	923,807	D	
Common Stock	12/02/2004		S	20,254	D	\$ 10.37	903,553	D	
Common Stock	12/02/2004		S	111,766	D	\$ 10.39	791,787	D	
Common Stock	12/02/2004		S	131,091	D	\$ 10.35	660,696	D	
Common Stock	12/02/2004		S	108,143	D	\$ 10.36	552,553	D	
Common Stock	12/02/2004		S	12,449	D	\$ 10.31	540,104	D	
Common Stock	12/02/2004		S	200,348	D	\$ 10.3	339,756	D	
Common Stock							4,008	I	by Trust 401(K)

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)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount
Employee Stock	\$ 2.1	12/02/2004		M	250,000	03/26/2002 ⁽¹⁾	09/26/2011	Common Stock	250,000

Option
(right to
buy)

Employee
Stock

Option \$ 3.85 12/02/2004
(right to
buy)

M

206,250 03/23/2003⁽²⁾ 09/23/2012

Common
Stock 206

Employee
Stock

Option \$ 4.5625 12/02/2004
(right to
buy)

M

225,229 01/12/2001⁽³⁾ 01/12/2010

Common
Stock 225

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MASSENGILL MATTHEW E C/O WESTERN DIGITAL CORPORATION 20511 LAKE FOREST DRIVE LAKE FOREST, CA 92630-7741	X		Chairman and CEO	

Signatures

By: /s/ Sandra Garcia Attorney-in-Fact For: Matthew E.
Massengill

12/06/2004

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) The option vested 25% 6 months from the grant date of 9/26/2001, and the remaining 75% vested in three equal installments on September 26, 2002, 2003 and 2004.
- (2) The option vested 25% 6 months from the grant date of 9/23/2002, 50% vested in two equal installments on September 23, 2003 and 2004, and the final 25% will vest on September 23, 2005.
- (3) The option vested 25% 12 months from the grant date of 1/12/2000 and 6.25% at the end of each three-month period thereafter.

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