

FLUIDIGM 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 *
Smith William Maxwell

(Last) (First) (Middle)

FLUIDIGM CORPORATION, 7000 SHORELINE COURT, SUITE 100

(Street)

SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94080

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
03/04/2016

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

See Remarks

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

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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		
				Code	V	Amount	

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	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transaction	5. Number of Derivative	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities
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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/Year)			(Instr. 3 and 4)		
			Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	03/04/2016	A		5,400		(2)	(2)	Common Stock	5,400
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 7.1	03/04/2016	A		13,500		(3)	03/04/2026	Common Stock	13,500

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Smith William Maxwell FLUIDIGM CORPORATION 7000 SHORELINE COURT, SUITE 100 SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94080				See Remarks

Signatures

/s/ William M. Smith,
attorney-in-fact

03/07/2016

 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) Each Restricted Stock Unit represents the contingent right to receive one share of FLDM common stock upon vesting of the unit. 4/48th of the total number of shares underlying the Restricted Stock Units granted will vest on May 20, 2016, and 3/48th of the total number of shares underlying the Restricted Stock Units granted will vest every three months thereafter until fully vested, subject to recipient's continued status as a Service Provider as defined in the Company's 2011 Equity Incentive Plan through the applicable vest date.
- (2) 1/48th of the total number of shares subject to the option will vest each month after the Vesting Commencement Date, on the same day of the month as the Vesting Commencement Date (and if there is no corresponding day, on the last day of the month), such that the option will be fully vested on January 1, 2020, subject to recipient continuing to be a Service Provider (as defined in the Fluidigm Corporation 2011 Equity Incentive Plan) through each such date. "Vesting Commencement Date" shall mean January 1, 2016.
- (3) 1/48th of the total number of shares subject to the option will vest each month after the Vesting Commencement Date, on the same day of the month as the Vesting Commencement Date (and if there is no corresponding day, on the last day of the month), such that the option will be fully vested on January 1, 2020, subject to recipient continuing to be a Service Provider (as defined in the Fluidigm Corporation 2011 Equity Incentive Plan) through each such date. "Vesting Commencement Date" shall mean January 1, 2016.

Remarks:
EVP, LEGAL AFFAIRS, SECRETARY & GC

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