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November 05, 2010

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
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2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
**NATIONAL INSTRUMENTS
CORP /DE/ [NATI]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
**C/O NATIONAL INSTRUMENTS
CORP, 11500 N. MOPAC BLDG B**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
05/03/2010

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
__X__ Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)
Vice President

(Street)
AUSTIN, TX 78759

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

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

(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 Ownership Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	
Common Stock	05/03/2010		M	V	230 ⁽¹⁾	A	\$ 24.9815	25,615 D
Common Stock	08/02/2010		M	V	212 ⁽¹⁾	A	\$ 27.115	25,827 D
Common Stock	11/01/2010		M	V	151 ⁽¹⁾	A	\$ 27.115	25,978 D
Common Stock	11/04/2010		M		6,716	A	\$ 21.0417	32,694 D
Common Stock	11/04/2010		S		6,716	D	\$ 35.0018	25,978 D

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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. Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 21.0417	11/04/2010		M	6,716	<u>(2)</u> 03/21/2011	Common Stock	6,716

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

FINGER MARK
C/O NATIONAL INSTRUMENTS CORP
11500 N. MOPAC BLDG B
AUSTIN, TX 78759

Vice President

Signatures

David G. Hugley as attorney-in-fact for Mark
Finger

11/05/2010

__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) Acquisition of stock under Issuer's employee stock purchase plan.

(2) Options vested and became exercisable based on time and performance milestones set by the Issuer.

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