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(Print or Type	Responses)										
Coates Norman V Symbol			ibol	er Name and Ticker or Trading OMETRICS INC [NANO]				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	ate of Earliest T	_	12 11 10	^]	(Check all applicable)						
(Month/			th/Day/Year) 1/2012				_X_Director10% Owner Officer (give titleOther (specify below)below)				
MILPITAS	Amendment, D d(Month/Day/Yea	-	l		 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)	(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned								ly Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	rity (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if		Code	Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. 7. Nature of Ownership Indirect Form: Direct Beneficial (D) or Ownership Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)			
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		_		
Common Stock	11/21/2012		S	25,000	D	\$ 14 (1)	808,819	Ι	See footnote (2)		
Common Stock	11/23/2012		S	25,000	D	\$ 14.15 (3)	783,819	Ι	See footnote (2)		
Common Stock							4,096	D			

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)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)	Expiration D (Month/Day/ e	piration Date Ionth/Day/Year)		le and int of rlying ities . 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secu Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
			Code V	(Instr. 3, 4, and 5) (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Coates Norman V C/O NANOMETRICS, INC. 1550 BUCKEYE DRIVE MILPITAS, CA 95035	Х						
Signatures							
/s/Ronald W. Kisling, Attorney-in-Fact		11/26/20)12				

*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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The price in Column 4 is a weighted average sale price. The prices actually received ranged from \$13.90 to \$14.10. The reporting person
(1) 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.

(2) Shares held of record by the Vincent J. Coates Separate Property Trust, U/D/T dated August 7, 1981, for which Norman Coates and Stella Coates act as co-trustees.

The price in Column 4 is a weighted average sale price. The prices actually received ranged from \$14.03 to \$14.26. 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.

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