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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

Name and Address of Reporting Person * Donato Thomas			2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ROCKWELL AUTOMATION INC [ROK]					
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	01/01/2019	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)		
1201 SOUTI	H SECON	D					Thou(Monay Buy) Tour)		
STREET (Street) MILWAUKEE, WI 53204				(Check all applicable)					
				Director 10% Owner Officer Other (give title below) (specify below) Senior Vice President		ow)	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 - I	Non-Derivat	ive Securiti	es Be	neficially Owned		
1.Title of Secur (Instr. 4)	ity		2. Amount o Beneficially (Instr. 4)		3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nat Owne (Instr.	•		
Common Sto	ock		2,150		D	Â			
Reminder: Repo	•		ach class of securities benefic	cially S	EC 1473 (7-02)			
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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative	2. Date Exercisable and	3. Title and Amount of	4.	5.	6. Nature of Indirect
Security	Expiration Date	Securities Underlying	Conversion	Ownership	Beneficial
(Instr. 4)	(Month/Day/Year)	Derivative Security	or Exercise	Form of	Ownership
		(Instr. 4)	Price of	Derivative	(Instr. 5)
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	Date Exercisable	Title	Security	Direct (D)	

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		Expiration Date		Amount or Number of Shares		or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	12/02/2015(1)	12/02/2024	Common Stock	1,000	\$ 115.69	D	Â
Employee stock option (right to buy)	12/03/2016(1)	12/03/2025	Common Stock	3,100	\$ 104.08	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	12/06/2017(1)	12/06/2026	Common Stock	3,400	\$ 136.4	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	12/08/2018(1)	12/08/2027	Common Stock	3,900	\$ 192.86	D	Â
Employee stock option (right to buy)	12/04/2019(1)	12/04/2028	Common Stock	5,600	\$ 171.46	D	Â
Restricted stock units	12/06/2019	12/06/2019	Common Stock	210	\$ <u>(2)</u>	D	Â
Restricted stock units	12/08/2020	12/08/2020	Common Stock	240	\$ (2)	D	Â
Restricted stock units	12/04/2021	12/04/2021	Common Stock	350	\$ (2)	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Donato Thomas 1201 SOUTH SECOND STREET MILWAUKEE, WI 53204	Â	Â	Senior Vice President	Â		

Signatures

Karen A. Balistreri, Attorney-in-fact for Thomas
Donato
01/07/2019

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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 vests in three substantially equal annual installments beginning on the date exercisable.
- (2) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Rockwell Automation common stock.

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