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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Foster Scarlett L

(First)

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

MONSANTO CO /NEW/ [MON]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Last)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Check all applicable)

800 N. LINDBERGH BLVD.

(Month/Day/Year)

06/29/2009

Director 10% Owner _X__ Officer (give title Other (specify

below)

VP Investor Relations

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

ST. LOUIS, MO 63167

(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)	Date, if Transactionor D Code (Inst				` ′	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
			Code	V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)	(======================================			
Common Stock	05/19/2009		G	V	40	D	\$ 0	11,908	D			
Common Stock	06/29/2009		M		4,440	A	\$ 29.2175	16,348	D			
Common Stock	06/29/2009		M		3,050	A	\$ 44.06	19,398	D			
Common Stock	06/29/2009		S <u>(1)</u>		7,490	D	\$ 76.5213	11,908	D			
Common Stock								442	I	By 401(k)		

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number op f 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Option (right to buy)	\$ 29.2175	06/29/2009		M	4,440	11/15/2006 <u>(2)</u>	10/28/2015	Common Stock	4,440
Option (right to buy)	\$ 44.06	06/29/2009		M	3,050	11/15/2007 <u>(3)</u>	10/26/2016	Common Stock	3,050

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Foster Scarlett L

800 N. LINDBERGH BLVD. VP Investor Relations

ST. LOUIS, MO 63167

Signatures

Jennifer L. Woods, Attorney-in-Fact 07/01/2009

**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).

This price represents the weighted average sale price for multiple transactions reported on this line. The price of the transactions reported (1) on this line ranged from \$76.52 to \$76.53. Upon request by the Commission staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer, the reporting person will undertake to provide full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.

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- One-third of the options became exercisable on November 15, 2006, one-third of the options became exercisable on November 15, 2007
- (2) and one-third of the options became exercisable on November 15, 2008, subject to the terms and conditions of the Monsanto Company Long-Term Incentive Plan.
- One-third of the options became exercisable on November 15, 2007, one-third of the options became exercisable on November 15, 2008 and one-third of the options become exercisable on November 15, 2009, subject to the terms and conditions of the Monsanto Company Long-Term Incentive Plan.

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