

CORDANO MICHAEL D  
Form 4  
November 06, 2017

**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 \*  
CORDANO MICHAEL D

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O WESTERN DIGITAL  
CORPORATION, 5601 GREAT  
OAKS PARKWAY

(Street)

SAN JOSE, CA 95119

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
WESTERN DIGITAL CORP  
[WDC]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
11/03/2017

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_X\_\_\_\_ Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
President and COO

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

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

| 1. Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired<br>(A) or Disposed of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or<br>Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------------|---|---|--------------------------------------|---|--|--|---|
|                                       |   |   | Code                                 | V   | Amount   | (A)<br>or<br>(D)   | Price                                   |
| Common<br>Stock                       | 11/03/2017                              |   | M                                    |   | 120 <sup>(1)</sup>   | A  | \$ 0                                    |
|                                       |   |   |                                      |   |  |  | 71,060                                  |
| Common<br>Stock                       | 11/03/2017                              |   | F                                    |   | 991 <sup>(2)</sup>   | D  | \$ 77.01                                |
|                                       |   |   |                                      |   |  |  | 70,069                                  |

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) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|
|  |  |                                      |  | Code                           | V (A) (D)   | Date Exercisable Expiration Date                         | Title Amount or Number of Shares                              |
| Dividend Equivalent Rights                 | <u>(1)</u>   | 11/03/2017                           |  | M                              | 120.9176  | <u>(1)</u> <u>(1)</u>                                    | Common Stock 120.9176   |

## Reporting Owners

### Reporting Owner Name / Address

### Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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5601 GREAT OAKS PARKWAY  
SAN JOSE, CA 95119

President and COO

## Signatures

By: /s/ Sandra Garcia Attorney-in-Fact For: Michael D. Cordano

11/06/2017

\_\_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).

The dividend equivalents were converted into, and paid in the form of, shares of the Issuer's common stock on a one-for-one basis in

(1) connection with the vesting of restricted stock units to which the dividend equivalents relate. A cash amount equal to \$79.84 was also paid to the holder to settle a fractional dividend equivalent of 0.9176.

(2) Payment of tax obligation by withholding securities incident to the vesting of securities in accordance with Rule 16b-3(e).

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