JANA PARTNERS LLC Form SC 13D/A June 11, 2003

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, DC 20549

SCHEDULE 13D/A (RULE 13D-101)

INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN STATEMENTS FILED PURSUANT TO RULE 13D-1(a) AND AMENDMENTS THERETO FILED PURSUANT TO RULE 13D-2(a)

(Amendment No. 1)

MIDDLEBY CORPORATION

(Name of Issuer)
COMMON STOCK, PAR VALUE \$0.01 PER SHARE

(Title of Class of Securities) 596278101

(CUSIP Number)

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June 5, 2003

(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of This Statement)

If the filing person has previously filed a statement on Schedule 13G to report the acquisition that is the subject of this Schedule 13D, and is filing this schedule because of Rule 13d-1(e), 13d-1(f) or 13d-1(g), check the following box $|_|$. NOTE. Schedules filed in paper format shall include a signed original and five copies of the schedule, including all exhibits. SEE Rule 13d-7 for other parties to whom copies are to be sent.

1 The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

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The following constitutes Amendment # 1 to the Schedule 13D filed by the undersigned (the "Schedule 13D").							
Item 3.	Source and Amount of Funds or Other Consideration.						
The aggregate purchase price of the 600,800 Shares of Common Stock owned beneficially by JANA Partners LLC is \$ 5,233,539. Such Shares of Common Stock were acquired with investment funds in accounts under management.							
Item 5.	Interest in Securitie	s of the Issu	uer.				
(a) The aggregate percentage of Shares of Common Stock reported owned beneficially by the Reporting Person is based upon 9,033,222 Shares outstanding, which is the total number of Shares of Common Stock outstanding as reported in the Issuer's Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended March 31, 2003.							
As of the close of business on June 5, 2003, JANA Partners LLC beneficially owned 600,800 Shares of Common Stock, constituting approximately 6.65% of the Shares outstanding.							
(b) The Reporting Person has sole voting and dispositive powers with respect to the Shares reported herein, which powers are exercised by the Principals. All of such Shares were acquired in open-market transactions.							
(c) Schedule A annexed hereto lists all transactions in the Issuer's Common Stock in the last sixty days by the Reporting Person.							
(d) No person other than the Reporting Person is known to have the right to receive, or the power to direct the receipt of dividends from, or proceeds from the sale of, such Shares of the Common Stock.							
(e) Not applicable.							
Item 7.	Material to be Filed	as Exhibits.					
None.							
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SIGNATURES

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of his knowledge and belief, the undersigned certifies that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Dated: June 11, 2003 JANA PARTNERS LLC

By: /s/ Barry S. Rosenstein

Barry S. Rosenstein

Managing Partner

By: /s/ Gary Claar

Gary Claar

Managing Director

SCHEDULE A

Transactions in the Shares During the Past 60 Days

Shares of Common Stock	Price Per	Date of
Purchased (Sold)	Share(\$)	Purchase (Sale)
	JANA PARTNERS LLC	
11,200	11.3211	06/02/03
36,300	11.5321	06/03/03
1,500	11.6000	06/04/03
20,800	11.5944	06/05/03