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FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANCE COMMISSION								OMB AF	OMB APPROVAL		
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<i>See</i> Instruction 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 1(b).											
(Print or Type I	Responses)										
MARQUARDT DAVID F Symb			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading mbol IICROSOFT CORP [MSFT]				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
(Last)	(First) (I	Middle) 3.	Date of Earliest T	ransaction			(Chech				
C/O MICROSOFT CORPORATION, ONE MICROSOFT WAY			(Month/Day/Year) 12/03/2004				X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)				
(Street) 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						
REDMOND, WA 98052-6399 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person									porting		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-	Derivative	Securi	ities Acqu	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned		
(Instr. 3) any		Execution Da	n Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Day/Year) (Instr. 8)				5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				
Common Stock	12/03/2004		S	50,000	D	\$ 27.3	1,933,118	D			
Common Stock	12/03/2004		S	50,000	D	\$ 27.27	1,883,118	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. Transact: Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	Secur	int of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

## **Reporting Owners**

	Relationships						
<b>Reporting Owner Name / Address</b>	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
MARQUARDT DAVID F C/O MICROSOFT CORPORATION ONE MICROSOFT WAY REDMOND, WA 98052-6399	Х						
Signatures							
Keith R. Dolliver, Attorney-in-Fact for Marquardt	12	12/03/2004					
<u>**</u> Signature of Reporting Person	Date						
Explanation of Responses:							
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\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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