

NATURES SUNSHINE PRODUCTS INC
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FORM 5

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ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 HUGHES EUGENE L

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 NATURES SUNSHINE PRODUCTS INC [NATR]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year)
 12/31/2007

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

NATURES SUNSHINE PRODUCTS, 75 EAST 1700 SOUTH

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting

(check applicable line)

PROVO, UT 84606

Form Filed by One Reporting Person
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(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)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D) Amount Price			
Common Stock	08/31/2007	^	G5(1)	6,000 D \$ 0	1,148,189	I	By Trusts (2)
Common Stock	12/31/2007	^	G5(1)	22,730 D \$ 0	1,125,459	I	By Trusts (2)
Common Stock	12/31/2007	^	G5(1)	22,795 D \$ 0	1,102,664	I	By Trusts (2)
	^	^	^	^ ^ ^	16,335	I	

Common Stock										By Spouse ⁽³⁾
Common Stock	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	92,072 ⁽⁴⁾	I		401(K) Plan ⁽⁵⁾

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)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. of
					(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
HUGHES EUGENE L NATURES SUNSHINE PRODUCTS 75 EAST 1700 SOUTH PROVO, UT 84606	Â X	Â X	Â	Â
HUGHES KRISTINE F NATURES SUNSHINE PRODUCTS 75 EAST 1700 SOUTH PROVO, UT 84606	Â X	Â X	Â	Â

Signatures

/s/ EUGENE L.
HUGHES 08/30/2008

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

/s/ KRISTINE
HUGHES 08/30/2008

Date

Signature of Reporting
Person

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).
- (1) Represents a gift by a revocable family trust for the benefit of the reporting persons and their children, of which the reporting persons are trustees.
- (2) Represents shares held by revocable family trusts for the benefit of the reporting persons and their children, of which the reporting persons are trustees.
- (3) Represents shares which are directly beneficially owned by Eugene L. Hughes and indirectly beneficially owned by Mr. Hughes' spouse, Kristine F. Hughes.
- (4) Represents total shares allocated to Mr. Hughes' 401(K) plan account. The reporting person received dividends of 808.6 shares and a mandatory withdrawal of 4,262.1 shares from Mr. Hughes' 401(K) plan during 2007.
- (5) Represents shares allocated to Mr. Hughes' 401(K) plan account, which is indirectly beneficially owned by Eugene L. Hughes and his spouse, Kristine F. Hughes.

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