### **BROWN FORMAN CORP**

Form 4

January 07, 2008

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* **BROWN OWSLEY II** 

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

BROWN FORMAN CORP [BFA, BFB]

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Last)

(First)

(Street)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

\_X\_\_ Director Officer (give title below)

\_X\_\_ 10% Owner \_ Other (specify

850 DIXIE HIGHWAY

01/02/2008

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

LOUISVILLE, KY 40210

(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. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of 6. Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Owned Direct (D) Following or Indirect		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(I) (Instr. 4)	
Class A Common	01/02/2008		G	3,096	D	\$0	124,715	D	
Class A Common	01/04/2008		<u>J(1)</u>	156	A	\$0	124,871	D	
Class A Common							200,032	I	Breeze Hill, LP
Class A Common	01/04/2008		<u>J(1)</u>	156	D	\$0	344,997	I	GRAT (Grantor Trust) '94
Class A Common							22,958	I	GRAT 12/01

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Class A Common						99,964	I	Longview, LP
Class A Common						529,610	I	Poplar Terrace, LP
Class A Common						1,612	I	Guilford-Brown, LP
Class A Common						3,788.9	I	Nectar, LP
Class A Common						438,008.5	I	GANYMO Trust/Partnership
Class A Common						2,090,418	I	Olympus Three, LLC
Class A Common	01/02/2008	G	162	A	\$0	173,092	I	By Spouse
Class B Common						1,234	D	
Committee								
Class B Common						346,589	I	Hebe, LP
Class B						346,589 2,537	I	Hebe, LP  Hebe Non-Exempt Trust fbo Owsley Brown II
Class B Common								Hebe Non-Exempt Trust fbo Owsley
Class B Common Class B Common						2,537	I	Hebe Non-Exempt Trust fbo Owsley Brown II Hebe Exempt Trust fbo Owsley
Class B Common  Class B Common  Class B Common						2,537 874	I	Hebe Non-Exempt Trust fbo Owsley Brown II Hebe Exempt Trust fbo Owsley Brown II Equal Shares
Class B Common  Class B Common  Class B Common  Class B Common  Class B						2,537 874 54,402	I I	Hebe Non-Exempt Trust fbo Owsley Brown II Hebe Exempt Trust fbo Owsley Brown II Equal Shares 2006, LP

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)

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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. conNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		te	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 30.37					05/01/2002	04/30/2009	Class B Common	55,877
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 24.6					05/01/2003	04/30/2010	Class B Common	81,061
Non_Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 33.34					05/01/2004	04/30/2011	Class B Common	64,089
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 31.33					05/01/2005	04/30/2012	Class B Common	81,254
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 38.27					05/01/2006	04/30/2013	Class B Common	81,190
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 45.44					05/01/2007	04/30/2014	Class B Common	64,966
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 68					11/15/2007	04/30/2017	Class B Common	2,627

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
Transfer and the same and the s	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
BROWN OWSLEY II							
850 DIXIE HIGHWAY	X	X					
LOUISVILLE, KY 40210							

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# **Signatures**

Holli H. Lewis, Attn In Fact for: Owsley
Brown II

01/07/2008

\*\*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).
- (1) Transfer of shares from a Grantor Trust to direct ownership.

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