Rust Scott Arthur Form 4 May 02, 2019

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

obligations may continue. See Instruction

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Rust Scott Arthur

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

NATIONAL INSTRUMENTS CORP [NATI]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 02/01/2019

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

below)

(Check all applicable)

Senior Vice President

10% Owner Other (specify

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C/O NATIONAL INSTRUMENTS

(Street)

(First)

(Middle)

CORPORATION, 11500 NORTH **MOPAC**

(Last)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Director

X_ Officer (give title

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

AUSTIN, TX 78759

(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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquire onor Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		(D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
			Code	V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)				
Common Stock	02/01/2019		M	V	199 (1)	A	\$ 37.587	36,274	D			
Common Stock	05/01/2019		M	V	154 (1)	A	\$ 37.587	36,428	D			
Common Stock	05/01/2019		M		11,326	A	<u>(2)</u>	47,754	D			
Common Stock	05/01/2019		F		4,068	D	\$ 43.4716	43,686	D			

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day	ate	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
Restricted Stock Units	(2)	05/01/2019		M	851	(3)	05/01/2026	Common Stock	851
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(2)</u>	05/01/2019		M	794	(3)	05/01/2027	Common Stock	794
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(2)</u>	05/01/2019		M	510	<u>(3)</u>	05/01/2028	Common Stock	510
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(2)</u>	05/01/2019		M	567	(3)	05/01/2029	Common Stock	567
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(2)</u>	05/01/2019		M	1,701	(3)	05/01/2030	Common Stock	1,701
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(2)</u>	05/01/2019		M	1,903	(3)	05/01/2031	Common Stock	1,903
Restricted Stock Units	(2)	05/01/2019		M	5,000	<u>(4)</u>	05/01/2032	Common Stock	5,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Rust Scott Arthur C/O NATIONAL INSTRUMENTS CORPORATION 11500 NORTH MOPAC AUSTIN, TX 78759

Senior Vice President

Signatures

R. Eddie Dixon, Jr. as attorney-in-fact for Scott Arthur Rust

05/02/2019

**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) Acquisition of stock under Issuer's employee stock purchase plan.
- (2) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Issuer's common stock.
- (3) The restricted stock units vest and become exercisable based on time and performance milestones set by the Issuer.
- (4) The restricted stock units vest in four equal annual installments on the anniversary of the vesting commencement date of May 1, 2017.

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