

STANGL GUSTAV R  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE  
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <b>Stangl, Gustav R.</b>			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <b>DIMON Incorporated/DMN</b>				6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) <b>Senior Vice President - Regional Director Europe</b>				
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. I.R.S. Identification Number of Reporting Person, if an entity (voluntary)			4. Statement for Month/Day/Year <b>August 26, 2002</b>			7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
DIMON Place, Riverside Way Camberley, Surrey GU 15 3YF											
(Street)			5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year)			7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
England,											
(City) (State) (Zip)			<b>Table I Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned</b>								

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 & 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transactions(s) (Instr. 3 & 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock, no par value								300	D	
Common Stock, no par value -- Restricted Stock Grant 08/26/02	08/26/02		A	V	5,000	A		15,000	D	Restricted

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.  
\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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**FORM 4 (continued) Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivative	2. Conversion or	3. Transaction	3A. Deemed	4. Trans-	5. Number of	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration	7. Title and Amount of	8. Price of Derivative	9. Number of Derivative	10. Owner-	11. Na of Indi
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Security (Instr. 3)	Exercise Price of Derivative Security	Date (Month/ Day/ Year)	Execution Date, if any (Month/ Day/ Year)	Action		Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)  (Instr. 3, 4 & 5)	Date (Month/Day/ Year)		Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 & 4)		Security (Instr. 5)	Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	ship Form of Deriv- ative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Benefi- Owner (Instr.	
				Code	V		(A)	(D)	Date Exer- cisable	Expira- tion Date					Title
Employee Stock Option & Tandem SAR - Issued 08/26/02	\$6.25	08/26/02		A <sup>(1)</sup>	V	30,000		08/26/05	08/26/12 <sup>(2)</sup>	Common Stock	30,000		30,000	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- (1) Grant to reporting person under the company's Omnibus Stock Incentive Plan.
- (2) SARs expire five years from issue date. Stock Options expire ten years from issue date. Exercise of one results in expiration of the other.

By: /s/ **Gustav R. Stangl**

**12/05/02**  
Date

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

\*\*Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations.  
See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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