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SCHEDULE 13G

(Rule 13d-102)

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NORDSON CORPORATION
(Name of Issuer)

COMMON SHARES, WITHOUT PAR VALUE
(Title of Class of Securities)
655663 10 2
(CUSIP Number)

For the year ended December 31, 2005
(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)

Check the appropriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this Schedule is filed:

- o Rule 13d-1(b)
- o Rule 13d-1(c)
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CUSIP No. 13G 655663 10 2 Page 2 of 5 Pages NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS: ERIC T. NORD 1 I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NOS. OF ABOVE PERSONS (ENTITIES ONLY): CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (SEE INSTRUCTIONS): 2 (a) o (b) o SEC USE ONLY: 3 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION: 4 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA SOLE VOTING POWER: 5 NUMBER OF 1,891,368 **SHARES** SHARED VOTING POWER: 6 BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY 981,261 **EACH** SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER: 7 REPORTING **PERSON** 1,891,368 WITH: SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER: 8 981,261

AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON:

9

4

2,872,629

CHECK IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES (SEE INSTRUCTIONS):

o

PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9):

11

8.6%

TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON (SEE INSTRUCTIONS):

12

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Item 1(b).	Address of Issuer's Principal Executive Offices:
	28601 Clemens Road Westlake, Ohio 44145
Item 2(a).	Name of Person Filing: Eric T. Nord
Item 2(b).	Address of Principal Business Office or, if None, Residence:
	28601 Clemens Road Westlake, Ohio 44145
Item 2(c).	Citizenship: United States of America
Item 2(d).	Title of Class of Securities: Common Shares, without par value
Item 2(e).	CUSIP Number: 655663 10 2
Item 3.	Rule 13d-1(b), or Rule 13d-2(b) or (c). Information: Not Applicable

Item 4. Ownership

Item 1(a).

(a) Amount Beneficially Owned: 2,872,629

Name of Issuer: Nordson Corporation

- (b) Percent of Class: 8.6%
- (c) Number of Shares as to which such person has:
 - (i) Sole power to vote or to direct the vote: 1,891,368
 - (ii) Shared power to vote or to direct the vote: 981,261
 - (iii) Sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of: 1,891,368
 - (iv) Shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition of: 981,261

- Item 5. Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class: Not Applicable.
- Item 6. Ownership of More than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person:

Eric T. Nord holds 481,340 of the Common Shares covered by this Schedule as testamentary trustee under the will of Walter G. Nord, the founder of Nordson Corporation. Eric T. Nord is entitled for his lifetime to receive the net income, and may receive discretionary distributions of principal, from the shares. Upon his death, he has a limited power of appointment over the trust property held for his benefit and, in default of appointment, the trust property would be apportioned among his lineal descendants and subsequently held in trust for their benefit.

Eric T. Nord and William D. Ginn hold 349,145 of the Common Shares covered by this Schedule as trustees of the Eric and Jane Nord Foundation and may be deemed to have shared voting power and shared investment power with respect to all of these shares.

Eric T. Nord holds 632,116 of the Common Shares covered by this Schedule as a trustee of The Nord Family Foundation. Eric T. Nord may be deemed to have shared voting power and shared investment power with respect to all of these shares.

- Item 7. Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary Which Acquired the Security Being Reported on by the Parent Holding Company or Control Person: Not Applicable.
- Item 8. Identification and Classification of Members of the Group: Not Applicable.
- Item 9. Notice of Dissolution of Group: Not Applicable.
- Item 10. Certifications: Not Applicable.

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SIGNATURE

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

February 7, 2006
/s/ Eric T. Nord
Eric T. Nord