FORM 3

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* Crocco Michael S	2. Date of Event Requiring Stater (Month/Day/Year 09/30/2007	nent I	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AIR PRODUCTS & CHEMICALS INC /DE/ [APD]				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 7201 HAMILTON BOULEVARD			4. Relationship of Reporting Perso (Check all applicable) Director	on(s) to Issue	(Mor	5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	
(Street)			X Officer (give title below)	Other (spe below)	· .	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)	
			V.P. and Controller			X Form filed by One Reporting Person	
ALLENTOWN PA 18195						Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	
(City) (State) (Zip)							
	Table I - Nor	-Derivati	ve Securities Beneficiall	y Owned			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)			mount of Securities eficially Owned (Instr. 4) 3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		t (D) (Instr.	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)	
Common Stock			2,192	D			
Common Stock			2,196.22	I	By R	By RSP ⁽¹⁾	
			Securities Beneficially nts, options, convertible		s)		
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/Y	te	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise	5. Ownership Form:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
1999 Global Employee Stock Option ⁽²⁾	10/01/2002	10/01/2009	Common Stock	100	28.78	D	
2001 Rights ⁽³⁾	08/08/1988 ⁽³⁾	10/03/2010	Common Stock	1,600	(3)	D	
2001 Stock Options ⁽⁴⁾	08/08/1988 ⁽⁵⁾	10/03/2010	Common Stock	1,600	35.82	D	
2002 Rights ⁽³⁾	08/08/1988 ⁽³⁾	10/02/2011	Common Stock	4,000	(3)	D	
2002 Stock Options ⁽⁴⁾	08/08/1988 ⁽⁶⁾	10/02/2011	Common Stock	4,000	38.02	D	
2003 Rights ⁽³⁾	08/08/1988 ⁽³⁾	10/02/2012	Common Stock	5,500	(3)	D	
2003 Stock Options ⁽⁴⁾	08/08/1988 ⁽⁷⁾	10/02/2012	Common Stock	5,500	43.09	D	
2004 Stock Options ⁽⁴⁾	08/08/1988 ⁽⁸⁾	10/02/2013	Common Stock	5,100	45.53	D	
2005 Stock Options ⁽⁴⁾	08/08/1988 ⁽⁹⁾	10/02/2014	Common Stock	5,400	54.17	D	
2006 Stock Options ⁽⁴⁾	08/08/1988 ⁽¹⁰⁾	10/04/2015	Common Stock	5,000	55.33	D	
2007 Stock Options ⁽⁴⁾	08/08/1988 ⁽¹¹⁾	10/03/2016	Common Stock	4,400	67.23	D	
Rights 2004 ⁽³⁾	08/08/1988 ⁽³⁾	10/02/2013	Common Stock	5,100	(3)	D	
Rights 2005 ⁽³⁾	08/08/1988 ⁽³⁾	10/02/2014	Common Stock	5,400	(3)	D	
Rights 2006 ⁽³⁾	08/08/1988 ⁽³⁾	10/04/2015	Common Stock	5,000	(3)	D	
Rights 2007 ⁽³⁾	08/08/1988 ⁽³⁾	10/03/2016	Common Stock	4,400	(3)	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Shares represented by units of interest in the Company Stock Fund held under the issuer's Retirement Savings Plan.
- 2. Granted under the Global Employee Stock Option Awards
- 3. The Options include contractual rights (Rights) similar to employee restricted appreciation rights with exercise dates only during a 30 day period following a change in control of the Company (as defined in the LTIP). Exercise of Rights cancels the related Options on a one-for-one basis and entitles the reporting person to receive a cash payment equal to the fair market value of a share of Common Stock on the date of exercise (as defined int he LTIP) minus the option exercise price.
- 4. Employee Stock Options (Options) granted under the issuer's Long-Term Incentive Plan (LTIP). Exercise of these Options cancels the related Rights described herein on a one-for-one basis.
- $5.\ One-third\ became\ exercisable\ 10/02/01;\ one-third\ became\ exercisable\ 10/1/02;\ and\ one-third\ became\ exerciable\ 10/1/03.$
- 6. One-third became exercisable 10/1/02; one-third became exercisable 10/1/03; and one-third became exercisable 10/1/04.
- 7. One-third became exercisable 10/1/03; one-third became exercisable 10/1/04; and one-third became exercisable 10/1/05.
- 8. One-third became exercisable 10/1/04; one-third became exercisable 10/1/05; and one-third became exercisable 10/1/06. 9. One-third became exercisable 10/1/05; one-third became exercisable 10/1/06; and one-third become exercisable 10/1/07.
- 10. One-third became exercisable 10/3/06; one-third become exercisable 10/3/07; and one-third become exercisable 10/3/08.

11. One-third become exercisable on 10/2/07; one-third become exercisable on 10/2/08; and one-third become exercisable on 10/2/09.

By: Linda M. Svoboda as Attorney in Fact

** Signature of Reporting Person

09/30/2007

Date

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 5 (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).

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