

Trivedi Dhrupad
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section
30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting
Person *

Â Trivedi Dhrupad

(Last) (First) (Middle)

7733 FORSYTH
BOULEVARD,Â SUITE 800

(Street)

ST. LOUIS,Â MOÂ 63105

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Date of Event Requiring
Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

03/05/2013

3. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol
BELDEN INC. [BDC]

4. Relationship of Reporting
Person(s) to Issuer

5. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
__X__ Officer ____ Other
(give title below) (specify below)
President, Industrial IT

6. Individual or Joint/Group
Filing(Check Applicable Line)
__X__ Form filed by One Reporting
Person
____ Form filed by More than One
Reporting Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security
(Instr. 4)

2. Amount of Securities
Beneficially Owned
(Instr. 4)

3. Ownership
Form:
Direct (D)
or Indirect
(I)
(Instr. 5)

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial
Ownership
(Instr. 5)

Common Stock

4,514

D Â

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially
owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security
(Instr. 4)

2. Date Exercisable and
Expiration Date
(Month/Day/Year)

3. Title and Amount of
Securities Underlying
Derivative Security
(Instr. 4)
Title

4. Conversion
or Exercise
Price of
Derivative
Security

5. Ownership
Form of
Derivative
Security:
Direct (D)

6. Nature of Indirect
Beneficial
Ownership
(Instr. 5)

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date		Amount or Number of Shares		or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Stock Appreciation Rights	Â (1)	03/01/2021	Common Stock	7,540	\$ 35.83	D	Â
Stock Appreciation Rights	Â (2)	02/27/2022	Common Stock	19,480	\$ 39.83	D	Â
Stock Appreciation Rights	Â (3)	03/04/2023	Common Stock	12,133	\$ 50.01	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Trivedi Dhrupad 7733 FORSYTH BOULEVARD SUITE 800 ST. LOUIS, MO 63105	Â	Â	Â President, Industrial IT	Â

Signatures

/s/ Brian E. Anderson, attorney-in-fact for Dhrupad
Trivedi

03/06/2013

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(b)(v).

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(1) 3,770 SARs became exercisable on March 1, 2013 and 3,770 SARs will become exercisable on March 1, 2014.

(2) 6,494 SARs became exercisable on February 27, 2013. The remaining 12,986 SARs are scheduled to become exercisable in equal installments on February 27, 2014 and February 27, 2015.

(3) The SARs will become exercisable in equal installments on each of March 4, 2014, March 4, 2015 and March 4, 2016.

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