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OMB APPROVAL FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION OMB 3235-0287 Washington, D.C. 20549 Number: Check this box January 31, Expires: if no longer 2005 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF subject to Estimated average **SECURITIES** Section 16. burden hours per Form 4 or response... 0.5 Form 5 Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction 1(b). (Print or Type Responses) 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading LEVIN CAPITAL STRATEGIES, Issuer Symbol L.P. FLUIDIGM CORP [FLDM] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) _X__ 10% Owner Director Officer (give title ___X__ Other (specify 595 MADISON AVENUE, 17TH 09/11/2018 below) below) **FLOOR** Passive Investor (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person _X_ Form filed by More than One Reporting NEW YORK, NY 10022 Person (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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8) Code V	4. Securitie oror Dispose (Instr. 3, 4	d of (I	D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock (1) (2)	09/11/2018		Р	17	A	\$ 8.4199	11,465,884	I	By: Managed Accounts of Levin Capital Strategies, L.P. (3) (4)
$\frac{\text{Common}}{\text{Stock}} \frac{(1)}{(2)}$	09/12/2018		J	169,051	D	<u>(10)</u>	11,296,833	I	By: Managed Accounts of Levin Capital Strategies, L.P. (3) (4)
Common Stock (1)							95,606	Ι	By: Bi-Directional

(2)			Disequilibrium Fund, L.P. <u>(6)</u>
Common Stock (1) (2)	1,305,269	I	By: Transamerica Large Cap Value Fund <u>(5)</u>
Common Stock (1) (2)	56,820	Ι	By: Levcap Alternative Fund, L.P. <u>(7)</u>
Common Stock (1) (2)	19,818	I	By: Safinia Partners, L.P. (8)
Common Stock (1) (2)	5,000	Ι	By: Spouse of John A. Levin (9)

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)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. ofNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	;	Date	7. Titl Amou Under Securi (Instr.	int of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secu Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
LEVIN CAPITAL STRATEGIES, L.P. 595 MADISON AVENUE 17TH FLOOR		Х		Passive Investor		

NEW YORK, NY 10022							
Levin Capital Strategies GP, LLC 595 MADISON AVENUE 17TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022		Х	Passive Investor				
Bi-Directional Disequilibrium Func 595 MADISON AVENUE 17TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022	I, L.P.	X	Passive Investor				
Levcap Alternative Fund, L.P. 595 MADISON AVENUE 17TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022		X	Passive Investor				
LCS Event Partners, LLC 595 MADISON AVENUE 17TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022		X	Passive Investor				
Safinia Partners, L.P. 595 MADISON AVENUE 17TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022		X	Passive Investor				
LCS L/S, LLC 595 MADISON AVENUE 17TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022		X	Passive Investor				
LEVIN JOHN A 595 MADISON AVENUE 17TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10020		Х	Passive Investor				
Signatures							
Levin Capital Strategies, L.P.; By:	/s/ John A. Levin, Ch	ief Executive C	Officer	09/13/2018			
**Signature of Reporting Person							
Levin Capital Strategies GP, LLC; By: John A. Levin 2005 GRAT Separation Trust; By: /s/ Elisabeth Levin, Trustee							
		Date					
Bi-Directional Disequilibrium Fund, L.P.; By: LCS; By: /s/ John A. Levin, Managing Member							
	**Signature of Reporting Perse	on		Date			
Levcap Alternative Fund, L.P.; By: LCS Event Partners, LLC; By: /s/ John A. Levin, Managing Member							
		Date					
LCS Event Partners, LLC; By: /s/ John A. Levin, Managing Member							

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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Safinia Partners, L.P.; By: LCS L/S, LLC; By: /s/ John A. Levin, Managing Member					
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date				
LCS L/S, LLC; By: /s/ John A. Levin, Managing Member					
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date				
/s/ John A. Levin	09/13/2018				
**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).

This Form 4 is filed jointly by Levin Capital Strategies, L.P. ("LCS"), Levin Capital Strategies GP, LLC ("LCS GP"), Bi-Directional Disequilibrium Fund, L.P. ("BDD")(formerly known as Levin Capital Trilogy Master Fund, Ltd.), Levcap Alternative Fund, L.P. ("Levcap"), LCS Event Partners, LLC ("LCSEP"), Safinia Partners, L.P. ("Safinia"), LCS L/S, LLC ("LCSLS"), and John A. Levin

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Pursuant to Rule 16a-1(a)(4) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), this filing shall not be construed as an admission that the Reporting Persons are, for purposes of Section 16 of the Exchange Act or otherwise, the beneficial

(2) owners of any of the securities reported herein under Section 16 or otherwise. Each of the Reporting Persons specifically disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities reported herein that are not directly owned by such Reporting Person, except to the extent of their pecuniary interest therein.

Shares held in certain separately managed accounts (the "Managed Accounts"). LCS, as the investment manager to the Managed Accounts, may be deemed to beneficially own such shares. LCS does not have a reportable pecuniary interest under Section 16a-1(a)(2) of the Exchange Act in the shares held in the Managed Accounts, as LCS receives an asset-based management fee for serving as

- (3) investment manager to the Managed Accounts, except that with respect to 127,460 shares held in the Managed Accounts, LCS receives a performance-based incentive fee. The performance-based incentive fee LCS receives also does not constitute a reportable pecuniary interest under Section 16a-1(a)(2) of the Exchange Act, as such fee is based on the performance of the overall account, over a period of one year or more, and the shares of the Issuer held in such accounts constitute no more than 10% of the market value thereof.
- (4) For the reasons set forth in footnote 3, none of LCS GP, BDD, Levcap, LCSEP, Safinia, LCSLS and Mr. Levin have a reportable pecuniary interest in the shares held in the Managed Accounts.

Shares held by the separate managed account Transamerica Large Cap Value Fund ("Transamerica"). LCS, as the sub-investment advisor to Transamerica, may be deemed to share voting and dispositive power over the shares held by Transamerica. LCS receives an

(5) asset-based management fee for serving as sub-investment advisor to Transamerica. Accordingly, LCS does not have a reportable pecuniary interest in the shares held by Transamerica. In addition, none of LCS GP, BDD, Levcap, LCSEP, Safinia, LCSLS and Mr. Levin have a reportable pecuniary interest in the shares held by Transamerica.

Shares owned directly by BDD. LCS, as the investment advisor of BDD, may be deemed to share voting and dispositive power over the shares owned directly by BDD. Mr. Levin, as the Chief Executive Officer of LCS, may be deemed to share voting and dispositive power over the shares owned directly by BDD.

(7) Shares owned directly by Levcap. LCSEP, as the general partner of Levcap, may be deemed to share voting and dispositive power over the shares owned directly by Levcap. LCS, as the investment advisor of Levcap, may be deemed to share voting and dispositive power over the shares owned directly by Levcap. Mr. Levin, as the Chief Executive Officer of LCS, may be deemed to share voting and dispositive power dispositive power over the shares owned directly by Levcap.

Shares owned directly by Safinia. LCSLS, as the general partner of Safinia, may be deemed to share voting and dispositive power over the shares owned directly by Safinia. LCS, as the investment advisor of Safinia, may be deemed to share voting and dispositive power

- (8) the shares owned directly by Safinia. ICCS, as the investment advisor of Safinia, may be deemed to share voting and dispositive power over the shares owned directly by Safinia. Mr. Levin, as the Chief Executive Officer of LCS, may be deemed to share voting and dispositive power over the shares owned directly by Safinia.
- (9) Shares owned directly by the spouse of Mr. Levin. Mr. Levin has investment discretion over such shares.

On September 12, 2018, one of the Managed Accounts that held 169,051 shares closed. Accordingly, as of September 12, 2018, LCS
 (10) ceased to serve as the investment manager for such Managed Account and as such, relinquished all voting and dispositive power over the shares held in the Managed Account.

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