WAL MART STORES INC
Reported by
JACKSON LAWRENCE V

FORM 3
(Initial Statement of Beneficial Ownership)

Filed 03/11/05 for the Period Ending 03/03/05

Address 702 SOUTHWEST 8TH ST
          BENTONVILLE, AR 72716
Telephone 5012734000
CIK 0000104169
Symbol WMT
SIC Code 5331 - Variety Stores
Industry Retail (Department & Discount)
Sector Services
Fiscal Year 01/31
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

JACKSON LAWRENCE V

702 SW 8TH STREET

BENTONVILLE, AR 72716

2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (MM/DD/YYYY)

3/3/2005

3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

WAL MART STORES INC [WMT]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)

_____ Director

_____ 10% Owner

___ X Officer (give title below)

___ Other (specify below)

Executive Vice President /

5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (MM/DD/YYYY)

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

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<tr>
<th>Title of Security (Instr. 4)</th>
<th>Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)</th>
<th>Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)</th>
<th>Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)</th>
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<tr>
<td>Common Stock</td>
<td>27856.00</td>
<td>D</td>
<td>By Trust</td>
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<td>Common Stock</td>
<td>8640.00</td>
<td>D</td>
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<tr>
<td>Common Stock</td>
<td>400.00</td>
<td>I</td>
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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

<table>
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<tr>
<th>Title of Derivate Security (Instr. 4)</th>
<th>Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (MM/DD/YYYY)</th>
<th>Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)</th>
<th>Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security</th>
<th>Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)</th>
<th>Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)</th>
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<tr>
<td>Stock Option</td>
<td>11/1/2005 11/1/2014</td>
<td>Common Stock 66389.00 (1)</td>
<td>$53.85</td>
<td>D</td>
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<tr>
<td>Stock Options</td>
<td>1/21/2006 1/20/2015</td>
<td>Common Stock 24728.00 (1)</td>
<td>$53.01</td>
<td>D</td>
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Explanation of Responses:

(1) This option to purchase shares of Wal-Mart common stock was granted under the Wal-Mart Stock Incentive Plan of 1998 in a transaction...
exempt under Rule 16b-3. This option becomes exercisable in 1/5 increments each year after the grant date and includes a tandem tax withholding right.

### Reporting Owners

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<th>Reporting Owner Name / Address</th>
<th>Relationships</th>
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<tr>
<td>JACKSON LAWRENCE V 702 SW 8TH STREET BENTONVILLE, AR 72716</td>
<td>Director 10% Owner Officer Executive Vice President</td>
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### Signatures

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<tr>
<th>Lawrence V. Jackson</th>
<th>3/11/2005</th>
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<td>** Signature of Reporting Person Date **</td>
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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).


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