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response...

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

See Instruction

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

ROTHBLATT MARTINE A		A s	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol UNITED THERAPEUTICS CORP [UTHR]]	Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First) ((Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/16/2008					_X Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) CEO			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - Non-	Derivative	Secu	rities Acqu	ired, Disposed of,	or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		Date, if	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	Omr Dispos (Instr. 3,	sed of		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								115,456 <u>(1)</u>	I	By Grantor Retained Annuity Trust	
Common Stock								90,122 (2)	I	By Grantor Retained Annuity Trust	
Common Stock	01/16/2008	01/16/200)8	M	3,200	A	\$ 43.6	6,700	D		

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Common Stock	01/17/2008	01/17/2008	M	4,000	A	\$ 43.6	10,700	D
Common Stock	01/16/2008	01/16/2008	S	3,200 (3)	D	\$ 95.2415	7,500	D
Common Stock	01/17/2008	01/17/2008	S	4,000 (4)	D	\$ 94.4376	3,500	D

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)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Options	\$ 43.6	01/16/2008	01/16/2008	M	3,200	01/20/2005	06/26/2010	Common Stock	3,200
Employee Stock Options	\$ 43.6	01/17/2008	01/17/2008	M	4,000	01/20/2005	01/20/2005	Common Stock	4,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
• •	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
ROTHBLATT MARTINE A						
	X		CEO			

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Signatures

/s/ Paul Mahon under Power of Attorney 01/17/2008

**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).
- (1) Shares held by the reporting person in three GRATs.
- (2) Shares held by the reporting person's spouse in three GRATs.
- (3) This exercise and sale of 3,200 shares is pursuant to the 10b5-1 Plan adopted by the reporting person on August 3, 2007.
- (4) This exercise and sale of 4,000 shares is pursuant to the 10b5-1 Plan adopted by the reporting person on August 21, 2006.
- (5) Includes 1,468 shares issuable upon the exercise of stock options held by the reporting person's spouse.

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