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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Ad Dittrich Thor	•	orting Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AMGEN INC [AMGN]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction				
ONE AMGEN CENTER DRIVE			(Month/Day/Year) 04/28/2011	Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) VP, Finance & CAO			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Chec Applicable Line)			
THOUSAND OAKS, CA 91320				_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

	,		Person								
(City)	(State) (Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative Securities Acqu	iired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned				
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				

		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. Code	8) V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	Indirect (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	04/28/2011		F		78	D	\$ 56.82	12,007	D
Common Stock	04/29/2011		F		233	D	\$ 57.14	11,774 <u>(1)</u>	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	f 2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	e and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivativ	e Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	orNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amou	nt of	Derivative	Deriv
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					of (D)						(Instr
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					4, and 5)						
									Amount		
									Amount		
						Date	Expiration	or Title Numb	Number		
						Exercisable	Date		of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		
				Code v	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> 10% Owner Officer Other Director

Dittrich Thomas J.W. VP. ONE AMGEN CENTER DRIVE Finance & THOUSAND OAKS, CA 91320 **CAO**

Signatures

/s/ Thomas J.W. 05/02/2011 Dittrich

**Signature of Reporting Date

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These shares include the following Restricted Stock Units (RSUs) granted under the Company's equity plans: 2,500 RSUs which fully vest on 7/31/2011; 857 RSUs which fully vest on 4/29/2012; 572 RSUs which vest in two equal annual installments of 286 each

(1) commencing 4/28/2012; 922 RSUs which vest in two equal installments of 307 each on 4/26/2012 and 4/26/2013 and one installment of 308 on 4/26/2014; and 1,714 RSUs which vest in annual installments of 565, 566 and 583 on 4/25/2013, 4/25/2014 and 4/25/2015, respectively. Vested RSUs will be paid in shares of the Company's common stock on a one-to-one basis.

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