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(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 PERLMUTTER ROGER M Issuer Symbol AMGEN INC [AMGN] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title _ Other (specify ONE AMGEN CENTER DRIVE 03/02/2011 below) Exe VP, Research & Development (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

THOUSAND OAKS, CA 91320-1799

(City)

(State)

(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)	Execution Date, if any	Code	4. Securities Acquired ion(A) or Disposed of (D)			Securities Beneficially	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or	Indirect Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership	
						Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
					(A)		Reported		
					or		Transaction(s)		
			Code V	Amount		Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	03/02/2011		A	17,520	A	\$0	182,481 <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)

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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)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)		ate	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(Instr. 3, 4, and 5) (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title N	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

PERLMUTTER ROGER M ONE AMGEN CENTER DRIVE THOUSAND OAKS, CA 91320-1799

Exe VP, Research & Development

Signatures

/s/ Andrea A. Robinson, Attorney-in-Fact for Dr. Perlmutter

03/04/2011

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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These shares include the following Restricted Stock Units (RSUs) granted under the Company's equity plans: 6,000 RSUs which vest in two equal annual installments of 3,000 each commencing 4/29/2011; 9,000 RSUs which vest in three equal annual installments of 3,000 each commencing 4/28/2011; and 12,000 RSUs which vest in four equal annual installments of 3,000 each commencing 4/26/2011. Vested RSUs will be paid in shares of the Company's common stock on a one-to-one basis.

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