AMGEN INC
Form 4
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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Balachandran Madhavan

(Last) (First) (Middle)

ONE AMGEN CENTER DRIVE

(Street)

THOUSAND
OAKS, CA 91320-1799

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol
AMGEN INC [AMGN]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
07/31/2014

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

_____ Director _____ 10% Owner
__X__ Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
EVP, Operations

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 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	07/31/2014		F		4,587	D	$ 130.01	38,773	D	
Common Stock	07/31/2014		F		171	D	$ 130.01	38,602	D	
Common Stock	07/31/2014		G(1)	V	4,358	A	$ 0	46,101	I	By Family Trust
Common Stock	07/31/2014		G(1)	V	4,358	D	$ 0	34,244 (2) (3)	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)	4. 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)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur 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
Balachandran Madhavan ONE AMGEN CENTER DRIVE THOUSAND OAKS, CA 91320-1799			EVP, Operations	

Signatures

/s/ Madhavan Balachandran	08/01/2014
**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) These shares are being transferred to the reporting person's Family Trust.

(2) These shares include the following Restricted Stock Units (RSUs) granted under the Company's equity plans: 1,530 RSUs which vest in one installment on 4/25/2015; 1,684 RSUs which vest in two installments of 829 and 855 on 4/27/2015 and 4/27/2016, respectively; 17,845 RSUs which vest in one installment of 8,789 on 7/31/2015 and one installment of 9,056 on 7/31/2016; 7,477 RSUs which vest in two equal installments of 2,467 each on 1/28/2015 and 1/28/2016 and one installment of 2,543 on 1/28/2017; and 4,707 RSUs which vest in two equal installments of 1,553 each on 1/31/2016 and 1/31/2017 and one installment of 1,601 on 1/31/2018. Vested RSUs will be paid in shares of the Company's common stock on a one-to-one basis.

(3) These shares include 1,001 Dividend Equivalents (DEs) granted pursuant to the Amgen Inc. 2009 Amended and Restated Equity Incentive Plan and subject to a qualifying dividend reinvestment plan. DEs are credited on the reporting person's unvested RSUs and are

paid out in shares of the Company's common stock on a one-to-one basis according to the vesting schedule, along with a cash payment for any remaining fractional share amount.

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