EASTMAN CHEMICAL CO

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FORM 4

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

See Instruction

ROTHWELL ALLAN R			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol EASTMAN CHEMICAL CO [EMN]				Is	Issuer			
								(Check	all applicable)	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)				_	Director 10% Owner			
EASTMA	EASTMAN CHEMICAL COMPANY, 100 N. EASTMAN			2005				_X Officer (give t elow)	title Othe below)	r (specify	
COMPAN	Y, 100 N. EAST	MAN					U		Voridian Div I	Pres	
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	(Street)		4. If Am	nendment, D	ate Origina	al	6	. Individual or Joi	nt/Group Filin	g(Check	
			Filed(Me	Filed(Month/Day/Year)				Applicable Line)			
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tal	ole I - Non-	Derivative	Secu	rities A <i>c</i> ani	red, Disposed of,	or Reneficiall	v Owned	
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1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Year			3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) Transaction Disposed of (D)				5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership	7. Nature of Indirect	
(Instr. 3)	(1,101,11,12,11), 1,2,11	any					Beneficially	Beneficial			
		(Month/D	ay/Year)	(Instr. 8)				Owned	Ownership		
								Following Reported	or Indirect (I)	(Instr. 4)	
						(A)		Transaction(s)	(Instr. 4)		
				Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common	0.5.10.0.10.0.5					. /	\$	22.454	_		
Stock	05/20/2005			M	11,000	A	45.8125	33,171	D		
							\$				
Common	05/20/2005			S	11,000	D	58.9513	22,171	D		
Stock	03/20/2003			3	11,000	ט	(1)	22,171	D		
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Common	05/20/2005			M	49,200	A	\$ 47.55	71,371	D		
Stock											
Common							\$				
Stock	05/20/2005			S	49,200	D	58.7007	22,171	D		
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Common Stock	05/20/2005	M	4,000	A	\$ 43.66	26,171	D	
Common Stock	05/20/2005	S	4,000	D	\$ 58.9323	22,171	D	
Common Stock						273	I	401(k)
Common Stock						769	I	ESOP

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. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) 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 Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 45.8125	05/20/2005		M		11,000	02/16/2001	02/15/2009	Common Stock	11,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 47.55	05/20/2005		M		49,200	04/05/2004	04/04/2012	Common Stock	49,200
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 43.66	05/20/2005		M		4,000	04/02/2005	04/01/2014	Common Stock	4,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

ROTHWELL ALLAN R EASTMAN CHEMICAL COMPANY 100 N. EASTMAN ROAD KINGSPORT, TN 37660-5075

EVP and Voridian Div Pres

Signatures

Brian L. Henry, by Power of Attorney

05/24/2005

**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) Average sale price for shares disposed of in the reported transaction. The shares were sold in multiple brokers' transactions at various market prices per share.

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