

Santos Esteban
Form 4
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FORM 4

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

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Santos Esteban

(Last) (First) (Middle)

ONE AMGEN CENTER DRIVE

(Street)

THOUSAND OAKS, CA 91320

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
08/02/2017

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 ____ Other (specify
below) below)

EVP, Operations

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
__X__ Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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 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)
Common Stock	08/02/2017		F	639	D \$ 174.13	31,478 ⁽¹⁾ ⁽²⁾	D
Common Stock					698.9459 ⁽³⁾	I	401K Plan

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 Own Follo Repor 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
Santos Esteban ONE AMGEN CENTER DRIVE THOUSAND OAKS, CA 91320	EVP, Operations

Signatures

/s/ Esteban
Santos 08/02/2017

__Signature of Date
Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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These shares include the following Restricted Stock Units (RSUs) granted under the Company's equity plans: 372 RSUs which vest fully in one installment on 1/31/2018; 616 RSUs which vest in one installment of 303 on 1/30/2018 and one installment of 313 on 1/30/2019; 1,023 RSUs which vest in two equal installments of 337 on 5/3/2018 and 5/3/2019 and one installment of 348 on 5/3/2020; 11,483 RSUs

(1) which vest in two equal installments of 3,789 on 8/1/2018 and 8/1/2019 and one installment of 3,905 on 8/1/2020; and 3,444 RSUs which vest in installments of 1,136 on 5/1/2019, 1,137 on 5/1/2020 and 1,171 on 5/1/2021. Vested RSUs will be paid in shares of the Company's common stock on a one-to-one basis. Amount of securities beneficially owned reflects a Rule 16a-12 transfer of 2,133 shares exempt from Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

These shares include 410 Dividend Equivalents (DEs) granted pursuant to the Amgen Inc. Amended and Restated 2009 Equity Incentive Plan and subject to a qualifying dividend reinvestment plan. DEs are credited to 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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(3) These shares are acquired under the Company's 401(k) Plan and represent interests in the Company's stock fund as of this filing.

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