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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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owned directly or indirectly.

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement Otonomy, Inc. [OTIC] **ORBIMED ADVISORS LLC** (Month/Day/Year) 08/12/2014 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 601 LEXINGTON AVE., 54TH (Check all applicable) **FLOOR** (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group _X__ 10% Owner Director Officer Other Filing(Check Applicable Line) (give title below) (specify below) Form filed by One Reporting Person NEW YORK, NYÂ 10022 X_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 5) (Instr. 4) Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02)

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of	5. Ownership Form of Derivative	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	,	Amount or Number of Shares	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	

						(Instr. 5)	
Series C Preferred Stock	(1)	(1)	Common Stock	1,706,484	\$ 0	I	See footnotes (2) (3)
Series D Preferred Stock	(1)	(1)	Common Stock	378,039	\$ 0	I	See footnotes (2)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
FG	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
ORBIMED ADVISORS LLC 601 LEXINGTON AVE., 54TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022	Â	ÂX	Â	Â	
OrbiMed Capital GP IV LLC 601 LEXINGTON AVE., 54TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022	Â	ÂX	Â	Â	
ISALY SAMUEL D 601 LEXINGTON AVE., 54TH FLOOR NEW YORK Â NYÂ 10022	Â	ÂX	Â	Â	

Signatures

/s/ Samuel D. Isaly, as managing member of OrbiMed Advisors LLC				
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date			
/s/ Samuel D. Isaly, as managing member of OrbiMed Advisors LLC, the managing member of OrbiMed Capital GP IV LLC				
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date			
/s/ Samuel D. Isaly	08/12/2014			
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date			

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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).
- The Series C Convertible Preferred Stock and the Series D Convertible Preferred Stock will automatically convert into Common Stock on a one-for-one basis, for no additional consideration, immediately prior to the completion of the Issuer's initial public offering of common stock and have no expiration date.
- The reported securities are held of record by OrbiMed Private Investments IV, LP ("OPI IV"). OrbiMed Capital GP IV LLC ("GP IV") is the sole general partner of OPI IV, and OrbiMed Advisors LLC ("Advisors"), a registered adviser under the Investment Advisers Act of 1940, as amended, is the sole managing member of GP IV. Samuel D. Isaly ("Isaly"), a natural person, is the managing member of, and owner of a controlling interest in, Advisors. By virtue of such relationships, GP IV, Advisors and Isaly may be deemed to have voting and investment power with respect to the securities held by OPI IV. The Reporting Persons have designated a representative, currently Chau Khuong, a Private Equity Partner of Advisors, to serve on the Issuer's board of directors.
- This report on Form 3 is jointly filed by GP IV, Advisors and Isaly. Each of the Reporting Persons disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities reported herein for purposes of Rule 16a-1(a) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), except to the extent of its or his pecuniary interest therein, if any. This report on Form 3 shall not be deemed an admission that any of the Reporting Persons is a beneficial owner of such securities for the purpose of Section 16 of the Exchange Act, or for any other purpose.

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