

MAYGER DOUGLAS W
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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

<p>1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *</p> <p>Â MAYGER DOUGLAS W</p> <p>(Last) (First) (Middle)</p> <p>MINERALS TECHNOLOGIES INC., Â 405 LEXINGTON AVENUE</p> <p>(Street)</p> <p>NEW YORK, Â NY Â 10174</p> <p>(City) (State) (Zip)</p>	<p>2. Date of Event Requiring Statement</p> <p>(Month/Day/Year)</p> <p>10/01/2008</p>	<p>3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol</p> <p>MINERALS TECHNOLOGIES INC [MTX]</p>	<p>4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer</p> <p>(Check all applicable)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other</p> <p>(give title below) (specify below)</p> <p>Vice President</p>	<p>5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)</p>	<p>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person</p>
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock	705 ⁽¹⁾	I	By 401(k) 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 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 Derivative	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	Â (2)	04/23/2018	Common Stock	900	\$ 65.93	D	Â
Deffered Restricted Stock Units ("DRSUs")	Â (3)	Â (3)	Common Stock	250	\$ (4)	D	Â
DRSUs	Â (5)	Â (5)	Common Stock	500	\$ (4)	D	Â
DRSUs	Â (6)	Â (6)	Common Stock	300	\$ (4)	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MAYGER DOUGLAS W MINERALS TECHNOLOGIES INC. 405 LEXINGTON AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10174	Â	Â	Â Vice President	Â

Signatures

Charles Malone for Douglas W. Mayger
10/10/2008

__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).
- (1) Mr. Mayger has 705 shares of Minerals Technologies Inc. stock under the Company's 401(k) Plan. The information in this report is based on a plan statement dated as of October 1, 2008.
- (2) The options vest in three equal annual installments beginning on April 23, 2009.
- (3) DRSUs vest in three equal annual installments beginning on February 27, 2009. Vested shares will be delivered Mr. Mayger upon vesting.
- (4) Each DRSU is the economic equivalent of one share of Minerals Technologies Inc. Common Stock.
- (5) DRSUs vest in three equal annual installments beginning on April 23, 2009. Vested shares will be delivered Mr. Mayger upon vesting.
- (6) DRSUs will vest on February 28, 2010. Vested shares will be delivered Mr. Mayger upon vesting.

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