

BERGY DEAN H
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
BERGY DEAN H

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
STRYKER CORP [SYK]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
2825 AIRVIEW BLVD
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
11/01/2012

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
X Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
Interim CFO and VP, Corp Secy

KALAMAZOO, MI 49002
(City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
X Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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 Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Code V Amount (D) Price		

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	2. Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Transaction Code	5. Number of Derivative Securities	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option granted 11/01/2012 (right to buy)	\$ 52.6	11/01/2012		A		7,315		<u>(1)</u>	10/31/2022	Common Stock	7,315
Restricted Stock Units granted 11/01/2012	<u>(2)</u>	11/01/2012		A		2,439		<u>(3)</u>	<u>(3)</u>	Common Stock	2,439

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
BERGY DEAN H 2825 AIRVIEW BLVD KALAMAZOO, MI 49002			Interim CFO and VP, Corp Secy	

Signatures

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 **Signature of Date
 Reporting Person

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) Employee stock option granted pursuant to the Stryker Corporation 2011 Long-Term Incentive Plan, exercisable as to 20% on each of the first five anniversaries of the date of grant.
- (2) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Stryker common stock.
 The Restricted Stock Units vest as to 813 shares on February 21, 2013; 813 shares on February 21, 2014; and 813 shares on February 21, 2015. Vesting will be accelerated in the event of termination of employment by reason of disability or death but will otherwise cease upon termination of employment with Stryker.

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