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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*]
Â Hutchinson Michael David
(Last) (First) (Middle)

2825 AIRVIEW BLVD
(Street)

KALAMAZOO,Â MIÂ 49002
(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)
04/22/2014

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

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

_____ Director _____ 10% Owner
__X__ Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
General Counsel

5. 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 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	4,166 [(1)]	D	Â
Common Stock	441	I	By 401K

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)

	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Employee Stock Option granted 2/10/2009 (right to buy)	Â (2)	02/09/2019	Common Stock	5,000	$ 42	D	Â
Employee Stock Option granted 2/23/2010 (right to buy)	Â (2)	02/22/2020	Common Stock	5,190	$ 53.09	D	Â
Employee Stock Option granted 2/9/2011 (right to buy)	Â (2)	02/08/2021	Common Stock	5,805	$ 59.7	D	Â
Employee Stock Option granted 2/21/2012 (right to buy)	Â (2)	02/20/2022	Common Stock	6,530	$ 53.6	D	Â
Employee Stock Option granted 2/13/2013 (right to buy)	Â (2)	02/12/2023	Common Stock	9,770	$ 64.01	D	Â
Employee Stock Option granted 2/12/2014 (right to buy)	Â (3)	02/11/2024	Common Stock	12,325	$ 81.14	D	Â
Restricted Stock Units granted 2/21/2012	Â (4)	Â (4)	Common Stock	726	$ (5)	D	Â
Restricted Stock Units granted 2/13/2013	Â (6)	Â (6)	Common Stock	1,628	$ (5)	D	Â
Restricted Stock Units granted 2/12/2014	Â (7)	Â (7)	Common Stock	3,081	$ (5)	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Hutchinson Michael David 2825 AIRVIEW BLVD KALAMAZOO,Â MIÂ 49002	Â	Â	Â General Counsel	Â

Signatures

Lauren E. Keller, attorney-in-fact for Michael D. Hutchinson	05/02/2014
**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).
(1)	Includes 255 shares of Stryker Common Stock acquired pursuant to Stryker Corporation's Employee Stock Purchase Plan ("ESPP") as of April 22, 2014.
(2)	Employee stock option granted pursuant to the Stryker Corporation 2006 Long-Term Incentive Plan, exercisable as to 20% on each of the first five anniversaries of the date of grant.
(3)	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.
(4)	The Restricted Stock Units vest as to 726 shares on March 21, 2015.
(5)	Each Restricted Stock Unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Stryker Common Stock.
(6)	The Restricted Stock Units vest as to 814 shares on March 21, 2015 and the remaining 814 shares on March 21, 2016.
(7)	The Restricted Stock Units vest as to 1,027 shares on March 21, 2015, 1,027 shares on March 21, 2016 and 1,027 shares on March 21, 2017.

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