FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* Timko Thomas S				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol APPLIED MATERIALS INC /DE [AMAT]								heck all	ationship of Reporti (all applicable) Director Officer (give title		10% C			
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O APPLIED MATERIALS, INC. P.O. BOX 58039, 3050 BOWERS AV, M/S 1268					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/05/2011								^ b	elow)		below)		
(Street) SANTA CLARA (City)		95054 (Zip)		4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)					ar)		. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ine) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person							
	Ta	able I - No	n-Deriv	ative	Se	curitie	s Acq	uired,	Dis	posed o	f, or	Bene	eficia	ally Ov	vned			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)				Execution Date,		Transaction Disposed Of Code (Instr. 5)		ies Acquired (A) Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			d Se Be Ov	ecurities eneficially wned Following		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
									v	Amount	(A) or (D) P		Price	Tra	ported ansaction(s) str. 3 and 4)			(instr. 4)
Common Stock			12/05	05/2011				A		30,000	O ⁽¹⁾ A		\$)	128,260(2)		D	
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 of Exercise Price of Derivative Security Security 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) General Date (Month/Day/Year) Security 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) And Derivative Security		n Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		ı of E		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		ount	8. Price Derivati Security (Instr. 5	ve derivative / Securitie	illy	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		

Explanation of Responses:

1. Represents performance shares (restricted stock units) that will be converted on a one-for-one basis into shares of Applied Materials, Inc. common stock upon vesting, which vesting is scheduled to occur in four equal annual installments beginning December 19, 2012 (subject to continued employment through each vest date).

2. Increased number of shares reflects periodic payroll acquisitions under Employees' Stock Purchase Plan that are exempt under Rule 16a-10 and Rule 16b-3. Number of shares includes 69,000 performance shares (restricted stock units) previously reported that in the future will be converted on a one-for-one basis into shares of Applied Materials, Inc. common stock upon vesting, which vesting is scheduled to occur as follows: (a) 37,500 shares are scheduled to vest in installments during each April of 2012 through 2015 (all vesting is subject to continued employment through each vest date).

> /s/ Charmaine Mesina, Attorney-in-Fact

12/07/2011

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * 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).

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