Edgar Filing: CYPRESS SEMICONDUCTOR CORP /DE/ - Form 4

CYPRESS SEMICONDUCTOR CORP /DE/

Form 4

October 28, 2010

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

OMB Number:

3235-0287

0.5

January 31, Expires: 2005

OMB APPROVAL

Estimated average

burden hours per

response...

if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations

may continue.

See Instruction

Check this box

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * RODGERS THURMAN J | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CYPRESS SEMICONDUCTOR CORP /DE/ [CY] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | |
|---|----------|----------|--|---|--|--|
| (Last) 198 CHAMPIO | (First) | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/27/2010 | _X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) President & CEO | | |
| | (Street) | | 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 | | |
| SAN JOSE, CA | A 95134 | | | Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | |

| SAN JOSE, CA 95 | 0134 |
|-----------------|------|
|-----------------|------|

| (City) | (State) | (Zip) Tal | ble I - Non | -Derivative Se | curiti | es Acquire | d, Disposed of, o | r Beneficially | Owned |
|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---|--|--|-----------|--------------|--|--|---|
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities on Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4 an | (D) | red (A) or | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
| | | | Code V | Amount | or (D) | Price | (Instr. 3 and 4) | (| |
| Common Stock | 10/27/2010 | | M | 49,600 (1) | A | \$ 5.6277 | 5,725,205 | D | |
| Common Stock | 10/27/2010 | | S | 49,600 (2) | D | \$ 14.17 | 5,675,605 | D | |
| Common Stock | 10/27/2010 | | M | 10,500 (1) | A | \$ 5.6277 | 5,686,105 | D | |
| Common Stock | 10/27/2010 | | S | 10,500 (2) | D | \$ 14.18 | 5,675,605 | D | |
| Common Stock | 10/27/2010 | | M | 12,700 (1) | A | \$ 5.6277 | 5,688,305 | D | |

Edgar Filing: CYPRESS SEMICONDUCTOR CORP /DE/ - Form 4

| Common Stock | 10/27/2010 | S | 12,700 (2) | D | \$ 14.19 | 5,675,605 | D |
|-----------------|------------|---|----------------------|---|--------------|-----------|---|
| Common Stock | 10/27/2010 | M | 6,000 (1) | A | \$ 5.6277 | 5,681,605 | D |
| Common Stock | 10/27/2010 | S | 6,000 (2) | D | \$ 14.2 | 5,675,605 | D |
| Common Stock | 10/27/2010 | M | 100 (1) | A | \$ 5.6277 | 5,675,705 | D |
| Common Stock | 10/27/2010 | S | 100 (2) | D | \$ 14.22 | 5,675,605 | D |
| Common Stock | 10/28/2010 | M | 1,088,088 (1) (3) | A | \$ 5.6277 | 6,763,693 | D |

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

Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control number.

SEC 1474 (9-02)

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 or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | TransactionDerivative Securities | | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 7. Title and A Underlying So (Instr. 3 and 4 | | |
|---|---|---|---|----------------------------------|-----|--|---------------|--|--------------------|-----------------|
| | | | | Code V | 7 (| (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title |
| Non Qualified Stock Option | \$ 5.6277 | 10/27/2010 | | M | | | 49,600 (1) | 10/27/2010 | 12/14/2010 | Common Stock |
| Non Qualified Stock Option | \$ 5.6277 | 10/27/2010 | | M | | | 10,500 (1) | 10/27/2010 | 12/14/2010 | Common Stock |
| Non Qualified Stock Option | \$ 5.6277 | 10/27/2010 | | M | | | 12,700 (1) | 10/27/2010 | 12/14/2010 | Common Stock |
| Non Qualified Stock Option | \$ 5.6277 | 10/27/2010 | | M | | | 6,000 (1) | 10/27/2010 | 12/14/2010 | Common Stock |

Edgar Filing: CYPRESS SEMICONDUCTOR CORP /DE/ - Form 4

| Non Qualified Stock Option | \$ 5.6277 | 10/27/2010 | M | | 100 (1) | 10/27/2010 | 12/14/2010 | Common Stock |
|-------------------------------------|-----------|------------|---|------------------|---------|------------|------------|-----------------|
| Non Qualified Stock Option | \$ 5.6277 | 10/28/2010 | M | 1,088,088 (3) | | 10/28/2010 | 12/14/2010 | Common Stock |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|-----------------|-------|--|--|--|
| 1 8 | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | |
| RODGERS THURMAN J 198 CHAMPION COURT SAN JOSE, CA 95134 | X | | President & CEO | | | | |

Signatures

Neil H. Weiss, Treasurer, as attorney-in-fact for Thurman J. Rodgers. 10/28/2010

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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) Represents the exercise of an expiring grant.
- (2) Represents the sale of shares necessary to fund the exercise price and tax cost of an expiring grant.
- (3) Represents the exercise for cash and hold of the remaining portion of the expiring grant.

Remarks:

TWO OF TWO OF FORM 4

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.

Reporting Owners 3