

CYPRESS SEMICONDUCTOR CORP /DE/

Form 4

February 22, 2016

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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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) (First) (Middle)

198 CHAMPION COURT

(Street)

SAN JOSE, CA 95134

(City) (State) (Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
02/18/2016

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

☐ Director ☐ 10% Owner
☒ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)

PRESIDENT & CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person
☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

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 Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	02/18/2016		A	Amount 216,000 (1)	A 11 8,790,016	D	
Common Stock					100,000	I	By trust (2)
Common Stock					210,000	I	By trust (3)
Common Stock					210,000	I	By trust (4)

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 (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)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Transaction (Instr. 10)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

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

Signatures

/s/ Pamela Tondreau, as attorney-in-fact for THURMAN J.
RODGERS

02/22/2016

__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 aggregate number of shares of Issuer common stock acquired upon vesting related to the achievement of performance milestones pursuant to the 2015 Performance Based Accelerated Restricted Stock award granted March 3, 2015.
- (2) These shares are held by The Rodgers Massey 2012 Residences Trust, for which the Reporting Person and his spouse serve as co-trustees.
- (3) These shares are held by the T.J. Rodgers 2012 Irrevocable Trust, for which the Reporting Person's spouse serves as trustee.
- (4) These shares are held by the Valeta Massey 2012 Irrevocable Trust, for which the Reporting Person's spouse serves as trustee.

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