

Hardin John Wesley  
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 \*  
Hardin John Wesley

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
AMETEK INC/ [AME]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
1100 CASSATT ROAD, P.O. BOX 1764

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
02/03/2012

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
PRES. - ELECTRONIC INSTRUMENTS

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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BERWYN, PA 19312-1177

(City) (State) (Zip)

**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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	02/03/2012		M	9,148 A \$ 22.1778	50,456	D	
Common Stock	02/03/2012		S	9,148 D \$ 48.0071 (2)	41,308	D	
Common Stock	02/03/2012		M	11,122 A \$ 24.2933	52,430	D	
Common Stock	02/03/2012		S	11,122 D \$ 48.0451 (4)	41,308	D	
	02/03/2012		M	22,320 A	63,628	D	

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Common Stock					\$ 21.8067			
Common Stock	02/03/2012	S	22,320	D	\$ 48.0225 <u>(6)</u>	41,308	D	
Common Stock	02/03/2012	M	7,938	A	\$ 29.38	49,246	D	
Common Stock	02/03/2012	S	7,938	D	\$ 48.0099 <u>(8)</u>	41,308	D	
401k Plan						324	I	401k Plan
Common Stock/serp						8,044	D	

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. Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option	\$ 22.1778	02/03/2012		M	9,148	<u>(1)</u> 04/25/2013	Common Stock	9,148
Stock Option	\$ 24.2933	02/03/2012		M	11,122	<u>(3)</u> 04/23/2014	Common Stock	11,122
Stock Option	\$ 21.8067	02/03/2012		M	22,320	<u>(5)</u> 04/22/2016	Common Stock	22,320
Stock Option	\$ 29.38	02/03/2012		M	7,938	<u>(7)</u> 04/28/2017	Common Stock	7,938
Stock Option	\$ 32.4					<u>(9)</u> 04/22/2015	Common Stock	14,568

