

ANDREAS G ALLEN

Form 4

August 10, 2005

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

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
ANDREAS G ALLEN

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
ARCHER DANIELS MIDLAND
CO [ADM]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

4666 FARIES PARKWAY

(Street)

DECATUR, IL 62526

(City) (State) (Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
08/08/2005

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

Chief Executive

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
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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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	08/08/2005		A	480,091	A \$ 0	1,425,518	D
Common Stock	08/08/2005		F	75,562	D \$ 20.78	1,349,956	D
Common Stock					86,528.79 ⁽¹⁾	I	Employee Benefit Plan
Common Stock					190,124	I	Partnership ⁽²⁾
Common Stock					445,719	I	Partnership ⁽³⁾

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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)			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 20.9	08/08/2005		A		166,619		<u>(4)</u>	08/08/2015	Common Stock	166,16

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
ANDREAS G ALLEN 4666 FARIES PARKWAY DECATUR, IL 62526	X		Chief Executive	

Signatures

Stuart E. Funderburg, Attorney-in-Fact for Glen Allen
Andreas, Jr. 08/10/2005

__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) Between December 29, 2004 and August 8, 2005, the reporting person acquired 1076.8937 shares of ADM Common Stock pursuant to an employee benefit plan. The information in this report is based on a plan statement dated August 8, 2005.
- (2) Shares held by a partnership for a trust for my benefit.
- (3) Shares held by a partnership for trusts for the benefit of members of my immediate family including those which I am sole or co-trustee. I disclaim any beneficial interest in any of these shares.
- (4) The option vests in five approximately equal annual installments beginning on August 8, 2006.

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