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SCHEDULE 13G

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (Amendment No. ___)

Cadence Design Systems, Inc.
(Name of Issuer)
Common Stock, par value \$0.01
(Title of Class of Securities)
127387108
(CUSIP Number)
October 24, 2008
(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)
Check the appropriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this Schedule is filed:
[_] Rule 13d-1(b)
[X] Rule 13d-1(c)
[_] Rule 13d-1(d)
The information required in the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).
CUSIP No. 127387108

1.	NAME OF REPORTING PERSONS I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NOS. OF ABOVE PERSONS (ENTITIES ONLY)					
	Ahmet H	I. Okumus				
2.	CHECK I		CTION (a) (b)	[_]		
3.	SEC USE		(1)			
4.	CITIZEN	ISHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION				
	Republi	.c of Turkey				
NUMBE	R OF SH	NARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH				
5.	SOLE VC	TING POWER				
	0					
6.	SHARED	VOTING POWER				
	13,090,	178				
7.	SOLE DI	SPOSITIVE POWER				
	0					
8.	SHARED	DISPOSITIVE POWER				
	13,090,	178				
9.	AGGREGA	TE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON				
	13,090,	178				
10.		OX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)	N			
11.	PERCENT	OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9		[_]		
	5.0%					
12.		REPORTING PERSON (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)				
	IN					
CUSIF	No.	127387108				
Item	1(a).	Name of Issuer:				
		Cadence Design Systems, Inc.				

(b). Address of Issuer's Principal Executive Offices:

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			655 Seely Avenue, Building 5 an Jose, California 95134
Item	2(a).		ames of Persons Filing: hmet H. Okumus
	(b).	8	ddress of Principal Business Office, or if None, Residence: 50 Third Avenue, 10th Floor
	(c).	- С	ew York, New York 10022 itizenship: hmet H. Okumus - Republic of Turkey
	(d).	Т	itle of Class of Securities:
		C -	ommon Stock, par value \$0.01 (the "Common Stock")
	(e).	С	USIP Number:
		1	27387108
Item	3.		f This Statement is filed pursuant to ss.240.13d-1(b) or 40.13d-2(b), or (c), check whether the person filing is a:
	(a)	[_]	Broker or dealer registered under Section 15 of the Exchange Act (15 U.S.C. 78c).
	(b)	[_]	Bank as defined in Section 3(a)(6) of the Exchange Act (15 U.S.C. 78c).
	(c)	[_]	Insurance company as defined in Section 3(a)(19) of the Exchange Act (15 U.S.C. 78c).
	(d)	[_]	Investment company registered under Section 8 of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-8).
	(e)	[_]	An investment adviser in accordance with s.240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(E);
	(f)	[_]	An employee benefit plan or endowment fund in accordance with $s.240.13d-1$ (b) (1) (ii) (F);
	(g)	[_]	A parent holding company or control person in accordance with Rule 13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(G);
	(h)	[_]	A savings association as defined in Section 3(b) of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act (12 U.S.C.1813);
	(i)	[_]	A church plan that is excluded from the definition of an

investment company under Section 3(c)(14) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-3);

(j) [_] Group, in accordance with s.240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(J).

Item 4. Ownership.

Provide the following information regarding the aggregate number and percentage of the class of securities of the issuer identified in Item 1.

(a) Amount beneficially owned:

Ahmet H. Okumus - 13,090,178

(b) Percent of class:

Ahmet H. Okumus - 5.0%

(c) Number of shares as to which the person has:

Ahmet H. Okumus

- (i) Sole power to vote or to direct the vote 0
- (ii) Shared power to vote or to direct the vote 13,090,178
- (iii) Sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of
- (iv) Shared power to dispose or to direct the 13,090,178 disposition of

Item 5. Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class.

If this statement is being filed to report the fact that as of the date hereof the reporting person has ceased to be the beneficial owner of more than five percent of the class of securities, check the following [].

Not applicable.

Item 6. Ownership of More Than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person.

If any other person is known to have the right to receive or the power to direct the receipt of dividends from, or the proceeds from the sale of, such securities, a statement to that effect should be included in response to this item and, if such interest relates to more than five percent of the class, such person should be identified. A listing of the shareholders of an investment company registered under the Investment Company Act of 1940 or the beneficiaries of employee benefit plan, pension fund or endowment fund is not required.

Not applicable.

Item 7. Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary Which Acquired the Security Being Reported on by the Parent Holding Company or Control Person.

Not applicable.

Item 8. Identification and Classification of Members of the Group.

Not applicable.

Item 9. Notice of Dissolution of Group.

Not applicable.

Item 10. Certification.

By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having such purpose or effect.

SIGNATURE

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Date: November 3, 2008

/s/ Ahmet H. Okumus*

Ahmet H. Okumus

* The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership in the Common Stock, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

Attention. Intentional misstatements or omissions of fact constitute federal criminal violations (see 18 U.S.C. 1001).

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