

ESPELAND CURTIS E
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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 *
ESPELAND CURTIS E

(Last) (First) (Middle)

EASTMAN CHEMICAL
COMPANY, 200 SOUTH WILCOX
DRIVE

(Street)

KINGSPORT, TN 37660

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

EASTMAN CHEMICAL CO [EMN]

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

05/09/2011

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
SVP & CFO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

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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)	
				(A) or (D)	Price			
				Code	V	Amount		
Common Stock	05/09/2011		S ⁽¹⁾	5,535	D	\$ 104.22	2,277	D
						⁽²⁾		
Common Stock	05/09/2011		M	4,000	A	\$ 53.51	6,277	D
Common Stock	05/09/2011		S ⁽¹⁾	4,000	D	\$ 103.66	2,277	D
						⁽³⁾		
Common Stock	05/09/2011		M	6,000	A	\$ 60.92	8,277	D

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Common Stock	05/09/2011	S ⁽¹⁾	6,000	D	\$ 103.76 (4)	2,277	D	
Common Stock	05/09/2011	M	9,450	A	\$ 36.6	11,727	D	
Common Stock	05/09/2011	S ⁽¹⁾	9,450	D	\$ 103.76 (5)	2,277	D	
Common Stock						788	I	By ESOP

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)	Amount or Number of Shares	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 53.51	05/09/2011		M	4,000	11/01/2007 10/30/2015		Common Stock	4,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 60.92	05/09/2011		M	6,000	10/31/2007 10/30/2016		Common Stock	6,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 36.6	05/09/2011		M	9,450	10/28/2009 10/27/2018		Common Stock	9,450

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
ESPELAND CURTIS E EASTMAN CHEMICAL COMPANY 200 SOUTH WILCOX DRIVE KINGSPORT, TN 37660			SVP & CFO	

Signatures

Brian L. Henry, by Power of Attorney

05/11/2011

__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) The sales reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on March 7, 2011.
- (2) Average sale price for shares disposed of in the reported transaction. The shares were sold in multiple broker's transactions at various market prices per share ranging from \$103.58 to \$105.00.
- (3) Average sale price for shares disposed of in the reported transaction. The shares were sold in multiple broker's transactions at various market prices per share ranging from \$103.31 to \$104.00.
- (4) Average sale price for shares disposed of in the reported transaction. The shares were sold in multiple broker's transactions at various market prices per share ranging from \$103.48 to \$104.14.
- (5) Average sale price for shares disposed of in the reported transaction. The shares were sold in multiple broker's transactions at various market prices per share ranging from \$103.50 to \$103.91.

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