

STRYKER CORP  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *		2. Date of Event Requiring Statement	3. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	
Â Fox-Smith Andrew Grant		(Month/Day/Year)	STRYKER CORP [SYK]	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)
2825 AIRVIEW BLVD.			(Check all applicable)	
(Street)			<input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
KALAMAZOO,Â MIÂ 49002			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	(give title below) (specify below)	<input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
			President	

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock	24,000	D	Â

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. SEC 1473 (7-02)

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Title	Amount or Number of		

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				Shares		(I) (Instr. 5)	
Common Stock	Â (1)	09/19/2011	Common Stock	24,000	\$ 23.3	D	Â
Common Stock	Â (1)	04/28/2012	Common Stock	40,000	\$ 26.4	D	Â
Common Stock	Â (1)	10/13/2013	Common Stock	40,000	\$ 38.83	D	Â
Common Stock	Â (1)	03/04/2014	Common Stock	36,000	\$ 45.21	D	Â
Common Stock	Â (1)	04/21/2015	Common Stock	40,000	\$ 48.27	D	Â
Common Stock	Â (1)	02/06/2016	Common Stock	48,000	\$ 46.85	D	Â
Common Stock	Â (1)	02/13/2017	Common Stock	44,000	\$ 62.65	D	Â

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Fox-Smith Andrew Grant 2825 AIRVIEW BLVD. KALAMAZOO, MI 49002	Â	Â	Â President	Â

## Signatures

Andrew G. Fox-Smith 01/02/2008

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) Stock option granted under the 1998 Stryker Corporation Stock Option Plan, exercisable as to 20% each year on the anniversary date of the date of the grant.

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