FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* MOLINELLI JOHN J					2. <u>A</u>	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AMETEK INC/ [AME]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Isst (Check all applicable) Director 10% Ow X Officer (give title Other (steps)				
(Last) 37 NOR			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/07/2008									below)	ECUTIVE VP & CFO			y			
		_ 4.	If Ame	ndme	nt, Date o	of Origina	al File	d (Month/Da		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable									
(Street) PAOLI	P	A		Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting															
(City)	(S	state)	(Zip)												F 613011	l			
			Гable I - N	on-Der	ivativ	e Se	curit	ies Ac	quirec	l, Di	sposed o	f, or Be	nefic	ially	Owned				
1. Title of	Security (Ins	tr. 3)		Date		/Year) Ex		Execution Date, if any			4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4		i (A) or . 3, 4 an	d 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	of Ind Bene Owne	direct eficial ership	
									Code	v	V Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(
Common	Stock			05/07	7/2008				M		66,916	A	\$12.	5467	327	7,383	D		
Common	Stock			05/07	7/2008				S		1,396	D	\$49	.25	325	,987	D		
Common	Stock			05/07/2008					S		13,700	D	\$49.3		312	312,287			
Common	Stock			05/07	7/2008				S		5,320	D	\$49	.33	306	,967	D		
Common	Stock			05/07	7/2008				S		100	D	\$49	.34	306	,867	D		
Common	Stock			05/07	7/2008				S		300	D	\$49	.45	306	5,567	D		
Common	Stock			05/07	7/2008				S		19,354	D	\$4	9.5	287	',213	D		
Common	Stock			05/07	7/2008				S		4,800	D	\$49.	5013	282	.,413	D		
Common Stock			05/07	7/2008				S		7,250	D	\$49.51		275	,163	D			
		05/07/2008					S		150	D	\$49.5101		275	275,013					
Common Stock		05/07	05/07/2008				S		7,200	D	\$49.5113		267	267,813					
Common Stock		05/07/2008				S		1,400	D	\$49.5128		266	266,413						
Common	Stock			05/07/2008				S		4,389	D	\$49.53		262,024		D			
Common	Stock			05/07/2008					S		1,157	D	\$49.54		260,867		D		
Common	Stock			05/07/2008					S		400	D	\$49.55		260	,467	D		
Common	Stock			05/08/2008					M		15,584	A	\$12.5467		276,051		D		
Common	Stock			05/08/2008					S		15,469	D	\$49.25		260,582		D		
Common	Stock			05/08/2008					S		115	D \$49		.29	260,467		D		
Common	Stock/SER	lP													46,	,373	D		
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			Table II												wned				
Derivative Conversion or Exercise (Instr. 3) Price of Derivative (Month/Day/Year)			Execution ar) if any	ned n Date,	Date, Transac		ition of str. Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr.		6. Date Exerc Expiration Da		isable and ite	of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu		int 8.	erivative ecurity	derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio	Owner Form: Direct or Indi (I) (Inst	ship of I Be D) Ow ect (In:	Indirect neficial vnership
					Code	v	(A)	(D)		able		Title	or Numb of	er					
Stock Option	\$12.0417								05/20/2	004	05/19/2010		90,0	00		90,000	D D		

	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	Conversion Date Execution Date, If any Code (Insertivative (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year)					6. Date Exerc Expiration D (Month/Day/	ate	7. Title an of Securit Underlyin Derivative (Instr. 3 ar	ies g Security	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Stock Option	\$17.45							05/18/2005	05/17/2011	Common Stock	39,375		39,375	D	
Stock Option	\$20.27							09/22/2005	09/21/2011	Common Stock	37,020		37,020	D	
Stock Option	\$25.2867							04/27/2006	04/26/2012	Common Stock	27,870		27,870	D	
Stock Option	\$33.2667							04/26/2007	04/25/2013	Common Stock	27,990		27,990	D	
Stock Option	\$36.44							04/24/2008	04/23/2014	Common Stock	30,750		30,750	D	
Stock Option	\$48.6							04/23/2009	04/22/2015	Common Stock	34,870		34,870	D	
Stock Option	\$12.5467	05/07/2008		М			66,916	05/22/2003	05/21/2009	Common Stock	66,916	\$12.5467	15,584	D	
Stock Option	\$12.5467	05/08/2008		M			15,584	05/22/2003	05/21/2009	Common	15,584	\$12.5467	0	D	

Explanation of Responses:

JOHNJMOLINELLI

05/08/2008

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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