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### FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * RODGERS THURMAN J			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CYPRESS SEMICONDUCTOR CORP /DE/ [CY]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)		
(Last) 198 CHAMPI	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/17/2010	_X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) President & CEO		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)		
SAN JOSE, CA 95134				_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State) (	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	ecurit	ies Acq	uired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	lly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)		2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of Code (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Securities Form: Direct In Beneficially (D) or B Owned Indirect (I) O Following (Instr. 4) (I		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	12/17/2010		G	1,250 (1)	D	\$0	6,414,996	D	
Common Stock	12/20/2010		G	555 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$0	6,414,441	D	
Common Stock	12/20/2010		G	56,000 (1)	D	\$0	6,358,441	D	

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)

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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
reporting owner runner runners	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
RODGERS THURMAN J 198 CHAMPION COURT SAN JOSE, CA 95134	X		President & CEO					

# **Signatures**

Neil H. Weiss, Treasurer, as attorney-in-fact for Thurman J.
Rodgers
12/20/2010

\*\*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) Represents gift of Cypress Semiconductor Corp Common Stock to a charitable organization.

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