

BADGER METER INC
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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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 *
GRAS HORST

(Last) (First) (Middle)

NURTINGER STR. 76

(Street)

NEUFFEN, 2M 72639

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
BADGER METER INC [BMI]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
05/28/2014

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)
VP-International

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 Ownership (Instr. 4) | | |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--------|---|--|-----------------------------------|------------|-------|
| | | | | Code | V | Amount | | | | (A) or (D) | Price |
| Common Stock | 05/28/2014 | | M | | | 600 | A | \$ 38.69 | 11,940.616 | D | |
| Common Stock | 05/28/2014 | | M | | | 240 | A | \$ 38.41 | 12,180.616 | D | |
| Common Stock | 05/28/2014 | | M | | | 240 | A | \$ 36.59 | 12,420.616 | D | |
| Common Stock | 05/28/2014 | | M | | | 320 | A | \$ 36.15 | 12,740.616 | D | |
| Common Stock | 05/28/2014 | | S | | | 1,400 | D | \$ 50.2824 | 11,340.616 | D | |

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Common Stock 2,212 I Restricted Stock

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) | 8. P Der Sec (Ins | |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|-------------------|----------------------------|
| | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Stock Options | \$ 38.69 | 05/28/2014 | | M | 600 | 05/01/2010 05/01/2019 | BMI Common Stock | 600 | |
| Stock Options | \$ 38.41 | 05/28/2014 | | M | 240 | 05/07/2011 05/07/2020 | BMI Common Stock | 240 | |
| Stock Options | \$ 36.59 | 05/28/2014 | | M | 240 | 05/06/2012 05/06/2021 | BMI Common Stock | 240 | |
| Stock Options | \$ 36.15 | 05/28/2014 | | M | 320 | 05/04/2013 05/04/2022 | BMI Common Stock | 320 | |
| Stock Options | \$ 52.81 | | | | | 05/02/2009 05/02/2018 | BMI Common Stock | 1,500 | |
| Stock Options | \$ 51.29 | | | | | 03/01/2014 03/01/2023 | BMI Common Stock | 1,181 | |
| Stock Options | \$ 54.36 | | | | | 03/07/2015 03/07/2024 | BMI Common Stock | 1,208 | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| GRAS HORST NURTINGER STR. 76 NEUFFEN, 2M 72639 | | | VP-International | |

Signatures

Horst E. Gras 05/29/2014

__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) Stock Options are granted on a one-for-one basis.

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