

WHANG JONG S  
Form 4  
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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 \*  
WHANG JONG S

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
AMTECH SYSTEMS INC [asys]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
11/17/2010

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

Chief Executive Officer

(Street)

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

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

**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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
|   |                                      |  | Code                           | V   | Amount  | (D)  | Price   |
| Amtech Systems, Inc. \$.01 par value common stock | 11/17/2010                           |  | M                              |   | 5,700   | A  | \$ 6.5315   |
| Amtech Systems, Inc. \$.01 par value common stock | 11/17/2010                           |  | S                              |   | 300   | D  | \$ 18   |

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|---|------------|---|--------|---|-----------|---------|---|
| Amtech Systems, Inc. \$.01 par value common stock | 11/17/2010 | S | 200    | D | \$ 18.01  | 108,533 | D |
| Amtech Systems, Inc. \$.01 par value common stock | 11/17/2010 | S | 300    | D | \$ 18.02  | 108,233 | D |
| Amtech Systems, Inc. \$.01 par value common stock | 11/17/2010 | S | 1,400  | D | \$ 18.2   | 106,833 | D |
| Amtech Systems, Inc. \$.01 par value common stock | 11/17/2010 | S | 2,100  | D | \$ 18.25  | 104,733 | D |
| Amtech Systems, Inc. \$.01 par value common stock | 11/17/2010 | S | 100    | D | \$ 18.34  | 104,633 | D |
| Amtech Systems, Inc. \$.01 par value common stock | 11/17/2010 | S | 1,300  | D | \$ 18.45  | 103,333 | D |
| Amtech Systems, Inc. \$.01 par value common stock | 11/19/2010 | M | 23,958 | A | \$ 6.5315 | 127,291 | D |
| Amtech Systems, Inc. \$.01 par value common       | 11/19/2010 | S | 10,058 | D | \$ 17.5   | 117,233 | D |

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|---|------------|---|-------|---|----------|---------|---|
| stock   |            |   |       |   |          |         |   |
| Amtech Systems, Inc. \$.01 par value common stock | 11/19/2010 | S | 2,389 | D | \$ 17.51 | 114,844 | D |
| Amtech Systems, Inc. \$.01 par value common stock | 11/19/2010 | S | 1,300 | D | \$ 17.52 | 113,544 | D |
| Amtech Systems, Inc. \$.01 par value common stock | 11/19/2010 | S | 1,611 | D | \$ 17.53 | 111,933 | D |
| Amtech Systems, Inc. \$.01 par value common stock | 11/19/2010 | S | 2,700 | D | \$ 17.54 | 109,233 | D |
| Amtech Systems, Inc. \$.01 par value common stock | 11/19/2010 | S | 3,600 | D | \$ 17.55 | 105,633 | D |
| Amtech Systems, Inc. \$.01 par value common stock | 11/19/2010 | S | 900   | D | \$ 17.56 | 104,733 | D |
| Amtech Systems, Inc. \$.01 par value common stock | 11/19/2010 | S | 200   | D | \$ 17.58 | 104,533 | D |
| Amtech Systems, Inc. \$.01 par value              | 11/19/2010 | S | 100   | D | \$ 17.59 | 104,433 | D |

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|   |            |   |     |   |          |         |   |
|---|------------|---|-----|---|----------|---------|---|
| common stock                                      |            |   |     |   |          |         |   |
| Amtech Systems, Inc. \$.01 par value common stock | 11/19/2010 | S | 100 | D | \$ 17.61 | 104,333 | D |
| Amtech Systems, Inc. \$.01 par value common stock | 11/19/2010 | S | 100 | D | \$ 17.63 | 104,233 | D |
| Amtech Systems, Inc. \$.01 par value common stock | 11/19/2010 | S | 100 | D | \$ 17.64 | 104,133 | D |
| Amtech Systems, Inc. \$.01 par value common stock | 11/19/2010 | S | 500 | D | \$ 17.65 | 103,633 | D |
| Amtech Systems, Inc. \$.01 par value common stock | 11/19/2010 | S | 200 | D | \$ 17.66 | 103,433 | D |
| Amtech Systems, Inc. \$.01 par value common stock | 11/19/2010 | S | 100 | D | \$ 17.67 | 103,333 | 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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| 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) |   |                            |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|---|----------------------------|
|  |  |                                      |  | Code                           | V (A) (D)   | Date Exercisable   | Expiration Date   | Title   | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Amtech Systems, Inc. Employee Stock Option | \$ 6.5315  | 11/17/2010                           |  | M                              | 5,700   | 03/15/2006   | 03/15/2011  | Amtech Systems, Inc. \$.01 par value common stock | 5,700                      |
| Amtech Systems, Inc. Employee Stock Option | \$ 6.5315  | 11/19/2010                           |  | M                              | 23,958  | 03/15/2006   | 03/15/2011  | Amtech Systems, Inc. \$.01 par value common stock | 23,958                     |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships |           |                         |       |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------|-------------------------|-------|
|                                | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                 | Other |
| WHANG JONG S                   | X             |           | Chief Executive Officer |       |

## Signatures

Robert T. Hass on behalf of Jong S. Whang by Power of Attorney  
 11/19/2010  
 \*\*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) Price omitted because the transaction is a grant of a stock option.
- (2) This is the number of derivative securities, with the same terms and conditions, following the reported transaction.
- (3) This is the number of derivative securities, with the same terms and conditions, following the reported transaction. Total of all derivative securities, with different terms and conditions, held following the reported transaction is 185,709.

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