

AKAMAI TECHNOLOGIES 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 \*  
**SAGAN PAUL**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**AKAMAI TECHNOLOGIES INC  
 [AKAM]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
**AKAMAI TECHNOLOGIES INC, 8  
 CAMBRIDGE CENTER**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
 (Month/Day/Year)  
**02/11/2011**

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

(Street)  
**CAMBRIDGE, MA 02142**

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(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 (Instr. 4)
				Code	V Amount (D) Price			
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	02/11/2011		M	14,465	A \$ 0	168,865	D	
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	02/11/2011		M	17,907	A \$ 0	186,772	D	
Common Stock, par value \$.01	02/11/2011		M	15,820	A \$ 0	202,592	D	

per share

Common  
Stock, par  
value \$.01  
per share

200,663

I

See note (4)

Common  
Stock, par  
value \$.01  
per share

6

I

See note (5)

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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 41.43	02/11/2011		A	71,556	<u>(1)</u> 02/11/2018	Common Stock	71,556
Restricted Stock Units <u>(2)</u>	\$ 0	02/11/2011		M	26,817	<u>(2)</u> <u>(6)</u>	Common Stock	26,817
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Restricted Stock Units <u>(3)</u>	\$ 0	02/11/2011		M	24,737	<u>(3)</u> <u>(6)</u>	Common Stock	24,737

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SAGAN PAUL  
AKAMAI TECHNOLOGIES INC  
8 CAMBRIDGE CENTER  
CAMBRIDGE, MA 02142

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Chief Executive Officer

## Signatures

/s/ Paul Sagan

02/11/2011

\*\*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) Option vests over four years as follows: 25% on February 11, 2012, and the remaining 75% vests in equal installments of 6.25% each quarter thereafter.  
  
Each Restricted Stock Unit ("RSU") represents the right to receive one share of Akamai common stock. RSUs vest in three 33% annual installments on the second business day following the date on which the company releases its financial results for each of 2009, 2010 and 2011 if Akamai achieved certain corporate performance objectives during such years.
- (2) Each Restricted Stock Unit ("RSU") represents the right to receive one share of Akamai common stock. RSUs vest in three 33% annual installments on the second business day following the date on which the company releases its financial results for each of 2010, 2011 and 2012 if Akamai achieved certain corporate performance objectives during such years.
- (3) Held by the Paul Sagan Revocable Trust. Mr. Sagan disclaims beneficial ownership of shares held by the Paul Sagan Revocable Trust except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
- (4) Held in trust on behalf of Mr. Sagan's children.
- (5) Not applicable.

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