BRISTOL MYERS SQUIBB CO Form SC 13G February 13, 2006

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

# **SCHEDULE 13G**

**Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934** 

(Amendment No. \_)\*

BRISTOL MYERS SQUIBB CO	_
(Name of Issuer)	
Preferred Stock	_
(Title of Class of Securities)	
110122207	_
(CUSIP Number)	
December 31, 2005	
(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)	
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[X] Rule 13d-1(b)

[] Rule 13d-1(c)

[] Rule 13d-1(d)

The information required in the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the "Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act, but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes.)

<sup>\*</sup> The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter the disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

CUSIP 110122207

NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS

 I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSONS
 (ENTITIES ONLY)

(a)	U. S. Trust Corporation*	13-2927955
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(b) United States Trust Company of New York 13-5459866

(c) U.S. Trust Company, N.A. 95-4311476

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- 2. CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP\*
  - (a) []
  - (b) []
- 3. SEC USE ONLY
- 4. CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION
  - (a) U. S. Trust Corporation (Incorporated in New York)
  - (b) United States Trust Company of New York (Incorporated in New York)
  - (c) U.S. Trust Company, N.A. (National Bank with headquarters in Connecticut)
    - 5. SOLE VOTING POWER 400

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NUMBER OF 6. SHARED VOTING POWER 0

**SHARES** 

BENEFICIALLY 7. SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER 400

OWNED BY EACH

REPORTING 8. SHARED DISPOSITIVE 0

PERSON WITH POWER

9. AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

400

10. CHECK IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES

[]

11. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)

5.71%

12. TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

U. S. Trust Corporation (HC)

United States Trust Company of New York (BK)

U.S. Trust Company, N.A. (BK)

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#### Item 1.

- (a) Name of Issuer
  BRISTOL MYERS SQUIBB CO
- (b) Address of Issuer's Principal Executive Offices 345 Park Avenue NEW YORK, NY 10154

# Item 2.

- (a) Name of Person Filing
  - (a) U. S. Trust Corporation\*
  - (b) United States Trust Company of New York
  - (c) U.S. Trust Company, N.A.

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(b) Address of Principal Business Office or, if None, Residence 114 West 47th Street, 25th Floor New York, NY 10036-1532

# (c) Citizenship

- (a) U. S. Trust Corporation (Incorporated in New York)
- (b) United States Trust Company of New York (Incorporated in New York)
- (c) U.S. Trust Company, N.A. (National Bank with headquarters in Connecticut)
- (d) Title of Class of Securities

Preferred Stock

(e) **CUSIP Number** 110122207

# Item 3. If This Statement is Filed Pursuant to Rule 13d-1(b), or 13d-2(b) or (c), Check Whether the Person Filing is a:

(a) [] Broker or dealer registered under Section 15 of the Act (15 U.S.C. 780).

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	(b)	[X]	Bank as defined in Section 3(a)(6) of the Act (15 U.S.C 78c).	J.		
	(c)	[] Insurance Company as defined in Section 3(a)(19) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c).				
	(d)	[]	Investment Company registered under Section 8 of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-8).			
	(e)	[]	An investment adviser in accordance with Rule 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(E);			
	(f)	[]	An employee benefit plan or endowment fund in accordance with Rule 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(F);			
	(g)	[X]	A parent holding company or control person in accordance with Rule 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(G);			
	(h) [] A savings association as defined in Section 3(b) of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act (12 U.S.C. 1813);					
	(i)	A church plan that is excluded from the definition of an investment company under Section 3(c)(14) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-3);				
	(j)	[]	Group, in accordance with Rule 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(J).			
Item 4.	Own	ership	o.			
		-	ormation regarding the aggregate number and percentag he issuer identified in Item 1.	e of		
	(a)	400				
	(b)					
		5.71%  Number of shares as to which such person has:				
	(c)					
		(i)	sole power to vote or to direct the vote	400		
		(ii)	shared power to vote or to direct the vote	0		
		(iii)	sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of	400		
		(iv)	shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition of	0		
Item 5.	Own	ership	of Five Percent or Less of Class.			
	hered	of the r	ment is being filed to report the fact that as of the date reporting person has ceased to be the beneficial owner of the class of securities, check the following			
Item 6.	Ownership of More than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person			rson.		

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The securities as to which this Schedule is filed by UST Corp., in its capacity as investment adviser, are owned of record by clients of UST

Corp.. Those clients have the right to receive, or the power to direct the receipt of, dividends from, or the proceeds from the sale of, such securities. No such client is known to have such right or power with respect to more than five percent of this class of securities, except as follows:

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Item 7. Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary Which Acquired the Security Being Reported on by the Parent Holding Company.

Not Applicable

## Item 8. Identification and Classification of Members of the Group.

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# Item 9. Notice of Dissolution of Group.

Not Applicable

# Item 10. Certification.

By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were acquired and are held in the ordinary course of business and were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that purpose or effect.

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# **SIGNATURE**

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

By: /s/ Michael J. Murphy

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Date: February 14, 2006 Name: Michael J. Murphy Title: Senior Vice President

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