

Life Technologies Corp
Form 4
December 14, 2010

FORM 4

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

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
IYER BALAKRISHNAN S

(Last) (First) (Middle)

5791 VAN ALLEN WAY

(Street)

CARLSBAD, CA 92008

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
Life Technologies Corp [LIFE]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
12/10/2010

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)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
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Person

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 <u>(1)</u>	12/10/2010	12/10/2010	M		2,800 A \$ 30.59	6,800	D
Common Stock <u>(2)</u>	12/10/2010	12/10/2010	S		800 D \$ 52.76	6,000	D
Common Stock <u>(2)</u>	12/10/2010	12/10/2010	S		300 D \$ 52.79	5,700	D
Common Stock <u>(2)</u>	12/10/2010	12/10/2010	S		1,100 D \$ 52.8	4,600	D
Common Stock <u>(2)</u>	12/10/2010	12/10/2010	S		200 D \$ 52.81	4,400	D
	12/10/2010	12/10/2010	S		300 D	4,100	D

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Common Stock <u>(2)</u>						\$		
						52.83		
Common Stock <u>(2)</u>	12/10/2010	12/10/2010	S	100	D	\$	4,000	D
						52.84		

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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. Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options (1)	\$ 30.59	12/10/2010	12/10/2010	M	2,800	07/19/2002 07/19/2011	Common Stock	2,800

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
IYER BALAKRISHNAN S 5791 VAN ALLEN WAY CARLSBAD, CA 92008	X

Signatures

/s/ David L. Szekeres, POA	12/14/2010
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) Options Exercised from Grant #3722

(2) Sale of Common Stock from Exercise of Grant #3722

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