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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 \*  
 Cooper Jeffrey H

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 BIOMARIN PHARMACEUTICAL INC [BMRN]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
 (Check all applicable)  
 \_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 SVP, Chief Financial Officer

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 C/O BIOMARIN PHARMACEUTICAL INC., 105 DIGITAL DRIVE  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 02/24/2012

NOVATO, CA 94949  
 (City) (State) (Zip)

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

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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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock	02/24/2012	02/24/2012	M	4,864	A \$ 17.54	44,968	D
Common Stock	02/24/2012	02/24/2012	M	41,964	A \$ 17.33	86,932	D
Common Stock	02/24/2012	02/24/2012	M	8,708	A \$ 17.86	95,640	D
Common Stock	02/24/2012	02/24/2012	M	2,500	A \$ 14.39	98,140	D
	02/24/2012	02/24/2012	M	25,000	A \$ 21.51	123,140	D

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Common  
Stock

Common Stock	02/24/2012	02/24/2012	S	83,036	D	\$ 35.069 <u>(1)</u>	40,104	D
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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)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy) Comon Stock	\$ 17.54	02/24/2012	02/24/2012	M	4,864	05/20/2006 <sup>(2)</sup> 11/19/2016	Common Stock 4,864
Stock Option (right to buy) Common Stock	\$ 17.33	02/24/2012	02/24/2012	M	41,964	12/07/2007 <sup>(3)</sup> 06/06/2017	Common Stock 41,964
Stock Option (right to buy) Common Stock	\$ 17.86	02/24/2012	02/24/2012	M	8,708	05/17/2008 <sup>(4)</sup> 12/16/2018	Common Stock 8,708
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 14.39	02/24/2012	02/24/2012	M	2,500	11/12/2009 <sup>(5)</sup> 05/11/2019	Common Stock 2,500

Common  
Stock

Stock  
Option  
(right to  
buy)

\$ 21.51

02/24/2012

02/24/2012

M

25,000

11/12/2010<sup>(6)</sup>

05/11/2020

Common  
Stock

25,000

Common  
Stock

## Reporting Owners

### Reporting Owner Name / Address

### Relationships

Director

10% Owner

Officer

Other

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C/O BIOMARIN PHARMACEUTICAL INC.  
105 DIGITAL DRIVE  
NOVATO, CA 94949

SVP, Chief Financial Officer

## Signatures

Laura Randall Woodhead,  
Attorney-in-Fact

02/28/2012

\_\_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).

The price in Column 4 is a weighted average price. The prices actually received ranged from \$34.88 to \$35.29. The reporting person will

- (1) provide to the issuer, any security holder of the issuer, or SEC staff, upon request, information regarding the number of shares sold at each price within the range.
- (2) Original option grant vested 6/48ths on May 20, 2007 and 1/48th on the 12th of every month thereafter.
- (3) Original option grant vested 6/48ths on December 7, 2007 and 1/48th on the 12th of every month thereafter.
- (4) Original option grant vested 6/48ths on May 17, 2009 and 1/48th on the 12th of every month thereafter.
- (5) Original option grant vested 6/48ths on November 12, 2009 and 1/48th on the 12th of every month thereafter.
- (6) Original option grant vested 6/48ths on November 12, 2010 and 1/48th on the 12th of every month thereafter.

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