

SHERWIN WILLIAMS CO
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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Â Knight Timothy A
(Last) (First) (Middle)

101 WEST PROSPECT AVENUE

(Street)

CLEVELAND,Â OHÂ 44115

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Date of Event Requiring Statement

(Month/Day/Year)
12/31/2011

3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
SHERWIN WILLIAMS CO [SHW]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock	31,340 ⁽¹⁾	D	Â
Common Stock	16,255	I	By Family Trust
Common Stock	8,023.89 ⁽²⁾	I	Stock Plan

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying	4. Conversion	5. Ownership	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial
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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Derivative Security (Instr. 4) Title	Amount or Number of Shares	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	Ownership (Instr. 5)
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	10/18/2007	10/17/2016	Common Stock	8,334	\$ 59.435	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	10/18/2008	10/17/2016	Common Stock	8,333	\$ 59.435	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	10/18/2009	10/17/2016	Common Stock	8,333	\$ 59.435	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	10/19/2008	10/18/2017	Common Stock	6,000	\$ 63.44	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	10/19/2009	10/18/2017	Common Stock	6,000	\$ 63.44	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	10/19/2010	10/18/2017	Common Stock	6,000	\$ 63.44	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	10/14/2009	10/13/2018	Common Stock	7,000	\$ 54.09	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	10/14/2010	10/13/2018	Common Stock	7,000	\$ 54.09	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	10/14/2011	10/13/2018	Common Stock	7,000	\$ 54.09	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	10/15/2010	10/14/2019	Common Stock	7,000	\$ 63.25	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	10/15/2011	10/14/2019	Common Stock	7,000	\$ 63.25	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	10/15/2012	10/14/2019	Common Stock	7,000	\$ 63.25	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	10/19/2011	10/18/2020	Common Stock	5,584	\$ 72.62	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	10/19/2012	10/18/2020	Common Stock	5,583	\$ 72.62	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	10/19/2013	10/18/2020	Common Stock	5,583	\$ 72.62	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	11/15/2011	11/14/2020	Common Stock	4,067	\$ 73.57	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	11/15/2012	11/14/2020	Common Stock	4,066	\$ 73.57	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	11/15/2013	11/14/2020	Common Stock	4,067	\$ 73.57	D	Â

