

VEECO INSTRUMENTS INC  
 Form 3/A  
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**FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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 Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section  
 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

<p>1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *</p> <p>Â MARTINEZ ANTHONY L</p> <p>(Last) (First) (Middle)</p> <p>VEECO INSTRUMENTS INC., Â 100 SUNNYSIDE BOULEVARD, SUITE B</p> <p>(Street)</p> <p>WOODBURY, Â NY Â 11797</p> <p>(City) (State) (Zip)</p>	<p>2. Date of Event Requiring Statement</p> <p>(Month/Day/Year)</p> <p>01/14/2005</p>	<p>3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol</p> <p>VEECO INSTRUMENTS INC [VECO]</p>	<p>4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer</p> <p>(Check all applicable)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other                  (give title below) (specify below)                  Sr VP, Metrology</p>	<p>5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)</p> <p>03/12/2004</p>	<p>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person  <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person</p>
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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, \$0.01 par value	3,701 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	Â

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 Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Stock option granted 10/28/97	Â (2)	10/27/2007	Common stock	1,667	\$ 38.5	D	Â
Stock option granted 6/15/98	Â (2)	06/14/2008	Common stock	1,667	\$ 24	D	Â
Stock option granted 6/23/99	Â (2)	06/22/2009	Common stock	6,500	\$ 29.8125	D	Â
Stock option granted 5/23/00	Â (2)	05/22/2007	Common stock	5,000	\$ 43.75	D	Â
Stock option granted 7/20/01	Â (2)	07/19/2008	Common stock	4,000	\$ 34.05	D	Â
Stock option granted 6/25/02	Â (2)	06/24/2009	Common stock	5,000	\$ 21.68	D	Â
Stock option granted 7/1/02	Â (2)	06/30/2009	Common stock	15,000	\$ 23.11	D	Â
Stock option granted 4/1/03	Â (2)	03/31/2010	Common stock	14,000	\$ 15.48	D	Â

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MARTINEZ ANTHONY L VEECO INSTRUMENTS INC. 100 SUNNYSIDE BOULEVARD, SUITE B WOODBURY, NY 11797	Â	Â	Â Sr VP, Metrology	Â

## Signatures

Gregory A. Robbins,  
Attorney-in-fact

01/14/2005

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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) Originally reported (erroneously) as 4158 shares.

(2) Option becomes exercisable in 33 1/3% increments on the first, second and third anniversaries of the grant date.

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