SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13G

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (Amendment No. 1)*

Odetics, Inc. (Name of Issuer) Common Stock (Title of Class of Securities) 676065204 (CUSIP Number)

Check the following box if a fee is being paid with this statement []. (A fee is not required only if the filing person: (1) has a previous statement on file reporting beneficial ownership of more than five percent of the class of securities described in Item 1; and (2) has filed no amendment subsequent thereto reporting beneficial ownership of five percent or less of such class.) (See Rule 13d-7.)

*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.

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 ("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).

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1. NAME OF REPORTING PERSON AND S.S. OR I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION	NO. OF PERSON
Fred Alger Management, Inc.13-2510833Fred M. Alger III378-40-9512	
	a) [X] b) []
3. SEC USE ONLY	

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4. CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

New York, New York

SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING	5. SOLE VOTING POWER 1,400			
	6. SHARED VOTING POWER -0-			
PERSON WITH				
	8. SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER -0-			
9. AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON				
	1,400			
10. CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES*				
11. PERCENT	OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)			
3.4%				
12. TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON*				
Fred Alger Management, Inc. IA Fred M. Alger III IN				
*SEE INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE FILLING OUT!				
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ITEM 1(A).	NAME OF ISSUER: Odetics, Inc.			
ITEM 1(B).	ADDRESS OF ISSUER'S PRINCIPAL EXECUTIVE OFFICES: 1515 S. Manchester Avenue Anaheim, CA 92802			
ITEM 2(A).	NAME OF PERSON FILING: 1. Fred Alger Management, Inc. 2. Fred M. Alger III			
ITEM 2(B).	ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL BUSINESS OFFICE, OR IF NONE, RESIDENCE: 1. 75 Maiden Lane, New York, NY 10038 2. 75 Maiden Lane, New York, NY 10038			
ITEM 2(C).	CITIZENSHIP: 1. New York 2. New York			

ITEM	2(D).	TITLE OF CLASS OF SECURITIES: Common Stock
ITEM	2(E).	CUSIP NUMBER: 676065204
ITEM	3.	THE PERSON FILING IS A: Group, in accordance with Rule 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(H)
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ITEM	4(A).	AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED: 1,400
ITEM	4(B).	PERCENT OF CLASS: 3.4%
ITEM	4(C).	NUMBER OF SHARES AS TO WHICH SUCH PERSON HAS:
		(i) sole power to vote or to direct the vote 1,400
		(ii) shared power to vote or to direct the vote -0-
		(iii) sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of 1,400
		(iv) shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition of $-0-$
ITEM	5.	OWNERSHIP OF FIVE PERCENT OR LESS OF A CLASS.
		If this statement is being filed to report the fact that as of the date hereof the reporting person has ceased to be the beneficial owner of more than five percent of the class of securities, check the following [X].
ITEM	6.	OWNERSHIP OF MORE THAN FIVE PERCENT ON BEHALF OF ANOTHER PERSON.
		N/A
ITEM	7.	IDENTIFICATION AND CLASSIFICATION OF THE SUBSIDIARY WHICH ACQUIRED THE SECURITY BEING REPORTED ON BY THE PARENT HOLDING COMPANY.
		N/A
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		Fred Alger Management, Inc. IA Fred M. Alger III IN
ITEM	9.	NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF GROUP.
ITEM	10.	CERTIFICATION.

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

Gregory S. Duch Executive Vice President NAME/TITLE

August 9, 1996 ------DATE