

TERADYNE INC
Form 8-K
October 20, 2004

UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the
Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of report (Date of earliest event reported): October 19, 2004

Teradyne, Inc.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Massachusetts

001-06462

04-2272148

(State or Other

(Commission

(IRS Employer

Jurisdiction of

File Number)

Identification No.)

Incorporation)

321 Harrison Avenue, Boston, Massachusetts 02118

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (617) 482-2700

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(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On October 19, 2004, Teradyne, Inc. (the Company) issued a press release regarding its financial results for the quarter ended October 3, 2004. The Company's press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

The exhibit listed below and in the accompanying Exhibit Index is furnished as a part of this Current Report on Form 8-K.

(c) Exhibits.

| <u>Exhibit No.</u> | <u>Description</u> |
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| 99.1* | Press Release, dated October 19, 2004, of Teradyne, Inc. |

*Furnished, not filed.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

TERADYNE, INC.

Dated: October 19, 2004

By: /s/ Gregory R. Beecher
Name: Gregory R. Beecher

Title: V.P. & Chief Financial Officer

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