

BECTON DICKINSON & CO  
Form 8-K  
July 31, 2015

**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**Washington, D.C. 20549**

**FORM 8-K**

**CURRENT REPORT**

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

**Date of Report (Date of the earliest event reported): July 31, 2015**

**BECTON, DICKINSON AND COMPANY**

**(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)**

**New Jersey**  
**(State of Other Jurisdiction**

**or Incorporation)**

**001-4802**  
**(Commission**

**File Number)**  
**1 Becton Drive**

**27-0760120**  
**(IRS Employer**

**Identification No.)**

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**Franklin Lakes, New Jersey 07417-1880**

**(Address of Principal Executive Offices)(Zip Code)**

**(201) 847-6800**

**(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)**

**N/A**

**(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:

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

**Item 8.01. Other Events.**

As previously announced, on March 17, 2015, Becton, Dickinson and Company, a New Jersey corporation ( BD ), completed the acquisition of CareFusion Corporation, a Delaware corporation ( CareFusion ). Pursuant to the terms of the previously announced Agreement and Plan of Merger (the Merger Agreement ), dated as of October 5, 2014, among BD, CareFusion and Griffin Sub, Inc., a Delaware corporation and wholly-owned subsidiary of BD ( Merger Corp ), Merger Corp merged with and into CareFusion, with CareFusion as the surviving entity (the Merger ). As a result of the Merger, CareFusion became a wholly-owned subsidiary of BD.

BD is filing this Current Report on Form 8-K to present the unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial information (and notes thereto) of BD giving effect to the Merger and related financing transactions, which are filed as Exhibit 99.1 hereto.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(b) The unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial information (and notes thereto) of BD giving effect to the Merger and related financing transactions is filed herewith as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated herein by reference.

(d) Exhibits

**Exhibit**

<b>No.</b>	<b>Description of Exhibit</b>
99.1	Unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial information (and notes thereto) of BD giving effect to the Merger and related financing transactions

**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 hereunto duly authorized.

BECTON, DICKINSON AND  
COMPANY  
(Registrant)

By: /s/ Gary DeFazio  
Name: Gary DeFazio  
Title: Vice President and Corporate Secretary

Date: July 31, 2015

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