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Form 8-K
January 20, 2005

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) January 20, 2005

AVOCENT CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

DELAWARE	000-30575	91-2032368
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	(Commission File Number)	(IRS Employer Identification No.)

4991 CORPORATE DRIVE HUNTSVILLE, AL	35805
(Address of principal executive offices)	(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (256) 430-4000

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))

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Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On January 20, 2005, Avocent Corporation publicly disseminated a press release announcing the financial results for its fourth quarter and year ended December 31, 2004. The information contained in the press release is incorporated herein by reference and filed as Exhibit 99.1 hereto.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits.

Exhibit Number	Description of Exhibit
99.1	Press release issued January 20, 2005

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.

AVOCENT CORPORATION

Date: January 20, 2005

By: /s/ Douglas E. Pritchett

Douglas E. Pritchett
Senior Vice President of Finance,
Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer

EXHIBIT INDEX

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99.1	Press Release dated January 20, 2005