CABOT CORP Form 8-K November 03, 2005

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, DC 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): November 2, 2005

**CABOT CORPORATION** 

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

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

1-5667 04-2271897

(Commission File Number) (IRS Employer Identification No.)

# TWO SEAPORT LANE, SUITE 1300, BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS

02210-2019

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

(Zip Code)

(617) 345-0100

(Registrant s Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

(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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- o 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 November 2, 2005 Cabot Corporation issued a press release dated November 2, 2005 announcing its operating results for the fourth quarter and fiscal year ended September 30, 2005. A copy of the press release, together with fourth quarter and fiscal year 2005 supplemental business information, are furnished herewith as Exhibits 99.1 and 99.2.

## Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

- (c) Exhibits.
  - 99.1 Press release issued by Cabot Corporation on November 2, 2005
  - 99.2 Fourth Quarter and Fiscal Year 2005 Supplemental Business Information

## **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.

## **CABOT CORPORATION**

By: /s/ John A. Shaw Name John A. Shaw

Title: Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

Date: November 2, 2005

# EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit	
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