# 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 20, 2004

# UNITED TECHNOLOGIES CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction	1-812 (Commission	06-0570975		
of incorporation)	File Number)	(I.R.S. Employer  Identification No.)		
One Financial Plaza  Hartford, Connecticut 06103				
	Hartford, Connecticut 06103			
(Addre	ess of principal executive offices, including zip code)			
Reg	gistrant s telephone number, including area code			
	(860) 728-7000			
	N/A			
(Former	name or former address, if changed since last repo	rt)		
eck the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K fi following provisions:	ling is intended to simultaneously satisfy the fili	ng obligation of the registrant under any of		
 Written communications pursuant to Rule 425	5 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)			
 Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 un	nder the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)			
Pre-commencement communications pursuant	t to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 C	CFR 240.14d-2(b))		
 Pre-commencement communications pursuant	t to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 C	FR 240.13e-4(c))		

#### **Section 2 Financial Information**

#### Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On October 20, 2004, United Technologies Corporation issued a press release announcing its third quarter 2004 results. The press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

The press release issued October 20, 2004 is furnished herewith as Exhibit No. 99.1 to this Report, and shall not be deemed filed for the purposes of Section 18 of the Exchange Act.

#### Section 9 Financial Statements and Exhibits

#### Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

#### (c) Exhibits.

The following exhibit is included herewith:

#### Exhibit

Exhibit

Number Description

99.1 Press release, dated October 20, 2004, issued by United Technologies Corporation.

#### **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.

**UNITED TECHNOLOGIES CORPORATION** (Registrant)

Date: October 20, 2004 By: /s/ Gregory J. Hayes

Gregory J. Hayes

Vice President, Accounting and Control

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