

NATURES SUNSHINE PRODUCTS INC
Form 8-K
October 21, 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 20, 2004**

Nature s Sunshine Products, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Utah
(State or other jurisdiction of
incorporation)

0-8707
(Commission File Number)

87-0327982
(IRS Employer Identification
Number)

**75 East 1700 South
Provo, Utah 84606**
(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(801) 342-4300
(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

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 to Form 8-K):

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
 - o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 40.13e-4(c))
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Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On October 20, 2004, Nature's Sunshine Products, Inc. issued a press release regarding its financial results for its fiscal quarter ended September 30, 2004. A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1.

The information contained in this Item 2.02 and the exhibit hereto are being furnished and shall not be deemed filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, and shall not be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing with the Securities and Exchange Commission under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or the Securities Act of 1933, whether made before or after the date hereof and irrespective of any general incorporation language in any filings.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) The following exhibit is being furnished herewith:

99.1 Press release issued by Nature's Sunshine Products, Inc. dated October 20, 2004.

SIGNATURE

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

October 21, 2004

By: NATURE S SUNSHINE PRODUCTS, INC.

/s/ Craig D. Huff

Name: Craig D. Huff

Title: Chief Financial Officer and Secretary

EXHIBIT INDEX

| Number | Exhibit |
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| 99.1 | Text of press release issued by Nature s Sunshine Products, Inc. dated October 20, 2004. |