

SONOCO PRODUCTS CO
Form 8-K
April 18, 2013

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): April 18, 2013

SONOCO PRODUCTS COMPANY

Commission File No. 0-516

Incorporated under the laws

of South Carolina

I.R.S. Employer Identification

No. 57-0248420

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Section 2 Financial Information

Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On April 18, 2013, Sonoco Products Company issued a news release reporting the financial results of the Company for the quarter ended March 31, 2013. A copy of that release is attached as an exhibit hereto.

Section 9 Financial Statements and Exhibits

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibit 99 - Registrant's 2013 First Quarter Earnings Release

SIGNATURE

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.

SONOCO PRODUCTS COMPANY

Date: April 18, 2013

By: /s/ Barry L. Saunders
Barry L. Saunders
Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

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