

AVNET INC  
Form 8-K  
October 18, 2002

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**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 16, 2002

**AVNET, INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

New York

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

1-4224  
(Commission File Number)

11-1890605  
(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

2211 South 47th Street, Phoenix, Arizona  
(Address of principal executive offices)

85034  
(Zip Code)

(480) 643-2000

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Not Applicable

(Former name or former address if changed since last report)

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Item 7. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(a) Inapplicable

(b) Inapplicable

(c) Exhibits: 99.1 Press

Release of  
Avnet, Inc.  
dated

October 16,  
2002 99.2 Press

Release of  
Avnet, Inc.  
dated

October 17,  
2002

Item 9. Regulation F-D Disclosure.

The press releases of Avnet, Inc. issued on October 16, 2002 and October 17, 2002 are being filed as Exhibit 99.1 and Exhibit 99.2 hereto.

Management of Avnet, Inc. may, from time to time, comment on expectations concerning Avnet's future financial performance during discussions with investors, the media, investment analysts and others. To the extent management's expectations differ during those discussions from the comments made by management in Avnet's quarterly earnings conference calls, such new expectations will be posted on the Investor Relations home page of Avnet's web site.

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 thereunto duly authorized.

AVNET, INC.

(Registrant) Date: October 17, 2002 By: /s/ Raymond  
Sadowski

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Raymond Sadowski Senior Vice President and Chief  
Financial Officer

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<u>Exhibit Number</u>	<u>Description of Exhibit</u>
99.1	Press Release of Avnet, Inc. dated October 16, 2002
99.2	Press Release of Avnet, Inc. dated October 17, 2002