

OLIN CORP  
Form 8-K  
May 17, 2005

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**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): 05/17/2005**

**OLIN CORPORATION**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

**Commission File Number: 1-1070**

**VA**  
(State or Other Jurisdiction of  
Incorporation or Organization)

**13-1872319**  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

**190 Carondelet Plaza Suite 1530 Clayton, MO 63105**  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices, Including Zip Code)

**314-480-1400**  
(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:

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
  - Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act(17CFR240.14a-12)
  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act(17CFR240.14d-2(b))
  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act(17CFR240.13e-4(c))
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Items to be Included in this Report

**Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure**

In accordance with General Instruction B.2. of Form 8-K, the following information shall not be deemed to be "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended. Olin disclaims any intention or obligation to update or revise this information.

Attached as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated herein by reference, is a copy of the registrant's press release dated May 17, 2005, announcing presentations to investors to be made at Fulcrum Global Partners meetings on May 19, 2005.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits**

Exhibit 99.1 Press Release, dated May 17, 2005.

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**Signature(s)**

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.

OLIN CORPORATION

Date: May 17, 2005.

By: /s/ George H. Pain

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George H. Pain  
Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary

**Exhibit Index**

| <b><u>Exhibit No.</u></b> | <b><u>Description</u></b>         |
|---------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| EX-99.1                   | Press Release, dated May 17, 2005 |