

SCHWEITZER MAUDUIT INTERNATIONAL INC  
Form 8-K  
February 05, 2009

**UNITED STATES**

**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

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**FORM 8-K**

**CURRENT REPORT**

**Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the  
Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

**February 5, 2009**

**Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)**

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**SCHWEITZER-MAUDUIT INTERNATIONAL, INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware**  
(State or other jurisdiction of  
incorporation or organization)

**1-13948**  
(Commission file number)

**62-1612879**  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

**100 North Point Center East, Suite 600**  
**Alpharetta, Georgia**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**30022**  
(Zip code)

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**1-800-514-0186**

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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- o 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 240.13e-4(c))
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**Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.**

On February 5, 2009, Schweitzer-Mauduit International, Inc. issued a Press Release announcing earnings for the fourth quarter ended December 31, 2008. The earnings release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1. This information shall not be deemed filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, or the Exchange Act, or otherwise subject to the liability of that section, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933 or the Exchange Act, except as expressly set forth by specific reference to such filings.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

**(d) Exhibits**

99.1 Press Release, dated February 5, 2009, of Schweitzer-Mauduit International, Inc., announcing earnings for the fiscal quarter ended December 31, 2008.

**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.

**Schweitzer-Mauduit International, Inc.**

By: /s/ Peter J. Thompson  
Peter J. Thompson  
Treasurer, Chief Financial and Strategic Planning Officer

Dated: February 5, 2009

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