GOODYEAR TIRE & RUBBER CO /OH/ Form 8-K October 28, 2011

# **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 28, 2011

# THE GOODYEAR TIRE & RUBBER COMPANY

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Ohio (State or other jurisdiction of 1-1927 (Commission File Number) 34-0253240 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

incorporation)

1144 East Market Street, Akron, Ohio

44316-0001

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(Address of principal executive offices) Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (330) 796-2121

(Zip Code)

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### Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

A copy of the news release issued by The Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company on Friday, October 28, 2011, describing its results of operations for the third quarter of 2011, is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

## Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

99.1 News release, dated October 28, 2011

### 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.

## THE GOODYEAR TIRE & RUBBER COMPANY

Date: October 28, 2011

By /s/ Darren R. Wells Darren R. Wells

Executive Vice President

and Chief Financial Officer