# 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 22, 2003

# **NOVOSTE CORPORATION**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Florida (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) 0-20727 (Commission File Number) 59-2787476 (IRS Employer Identification)

3890 Steve Reynolds Blvd., Norcross, GA 30093

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code (770) 717-0904

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

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#### **Item 7. Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(a)	Financial Statements.
Not applic	rable.
(b)	Pro Forma Financial Information.
Not applic	rable.
(c)	Exhibits.
	Exhibit Number Description
	Item 99.1 Press Release Dated October 22, 2003
Item 9. Regulation FD Disclosure.	
	er 22, 2003, Novoste Corporation (the Company) issued a press release announcing the Company's earnings for the quarter ended r 30, 2003. A copy of the release is furnished with this report as an exhibit pursuant to Item 12 under Item 9 of this Form 8-K.
The copy	of the Company s press release is included as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K.

The information in this report (including Exhibit 99.1) is furnished pursuant to Item 9 of Form 8-K and shall not be deemed be filed for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section. This report shall not be deemed an admission as to the materiality of any information contained herein that is required to be disclosed solely by Regulation FD.

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#### **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.

Dated: October 22, 2003

### NOVOSTE CORPORATION

(Registrant)

By: /s/ SUBHASH C. SARDA

Subhash C. Sarda

Acting Chief Financial Officer

#### **EXHIBIT INDEX**

Exhibit Number Description

99.1 Press Release, dated October 22, 2003