

COGNIZANT TECHNOLOGY SOLUTIONS CORP

Form 8-K

April 18, 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): April 18, 2005

Cognizant Technology Solutions Corporation

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Delaware

0-24429

13-3728359

(State or Other Jurisdiction
of Incorporation)

(Commission File Number)

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

500 Glenpointe Centre West
Teaneck, New Jersey

07666

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

(Zip Code)

(201) 801-0233

(Registrant's telephone number,
including area code)

Not applicable

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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 - 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 8.01 Other Events.

On April 15, 2005, Cognizant Technology Solutions Corporation acquired substantially all the assets of Fathom Solutions, L.L.C (Fathom), a Chicago-based consulting company for \$19 million in cash and stock in initial consideration, plus contingent consideration of up to \$16 million payable in cash two years from closing. Fathom is a privately-held consulting company, founded in 1999 by former Accenture executives, with a staff of approximately 120 employees. Fathom s clients include telecommunications and financial services companies.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits.

Exhibit No.	Description
99.1	Press release dated April 18, 2005

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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.

COGNIZANT TECHNOLOGY
SOLUTIONS CORPORATION

By: /s/ Steven E. Schwartz
Name: Steven E. Schwartz
Title: Vice President and General Counsel

Date: April 18, 2005