

SONOSITE INC  
Form 8-K  
April 22, 2005

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## 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

April 18, 2005

Date of Report  
(Date of Earliest Event Reported)

### SONOSITE, INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Washington  
(State or Other  
Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

0-23791  
(Commission  
File No.)

91-1405022  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

21919 30th Drive S.E., Bothell, Washington 98021-3904  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

(425) 951-1200  
(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

None  
(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 communication pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e4(c))

**Item 8.01 Other Events.**

On April 18, 2005, SonoSite, Inc. (the "Registrant") issued a press release announcing the worldwide launch of its MicroMaxx (TM) ultrasound system. A copy of this press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated into this current report by reference.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(c) Exhibits  
SonoSite, Inc. press release issued April 18, 2005.

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**SIGNATURE**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, SonoSite, Inc. has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

SONOSITE, INC.

Dated: April 18, 2005

By: /s/ MICHAEL J. SCHUH

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Michael J. Schuh  
Chief Financial Officer

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