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Form 8-K  
October 13, 2004

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

October 13, 2004

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Date of Report (Date of Earliest Event Reported)

ITRON, INC.

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(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Washington	000-22418	91-1011792
----- (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)	----- (Commission File No.)	----- (IRS Employer Identification No.)

2818 N. Sullivan Road, Spokane, WA 99216

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(Address of Principal Executive Offices, Zip Code)

(509) 924-9900

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(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

None

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(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 communications pursuant to Rule 425 under Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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### Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure

On October 13, 2004, Itron, Inc. issued a press release providing an update to expected financial results for the quarter ended September 30, 2004. A copy of this press release is attached as exhibit 99.1

### Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits.

Exhibit Number	Description
99.1	Press Release Dated October 13, 2004

### SIGNATURE

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.

ITRON, INC.

Dated: October 13, 2004

By: /s/ DAVID G. REMINGTON

David G. Remington  
Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

The following exhibits are filed as part of this report:

### EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit Number	Description
99.1	Press Release Dated October 13, 2004

The information presented in this Current Report on Form 8-K may contain forward-looking statements and certain assumptions upon which such forward-looking statements are in part based. Numerous important factors, including those factors identified in Itron, Inc.'s Annual Report on Form 10-K and other of the Company's filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission, and the fact that the assumptions set forth in this Current Report on Form 8-K

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could prove incorrect, could cause actual results to differ materially from those contained in such forward-looking statements.