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SNAP ON INC  
Form 8-K  
February 04, 2004

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) February 4, 2004  
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Snap-On Incorporated  
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(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware -----	1-7724 -----	39-0622040 -----
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)	(Commission File Number)	(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

10801 Corporate Drive, Pleasant Prairie, Wisconsin 53158-1603  
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(Address of principal executive offices)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (262) 656-5200  
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Item 7. Financial Statements and Exhibits  
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(c) Exhibits

99 Press Release of Snap-on Incorporated, dated February 4, 2004

Item 12. Results of Operations and Financial Condition  
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On February 4, 2004, Snap-on Incorporated (the "Corporation") issued a press release entitled "Snap-on Reports \$0.30 EPS for Fourth-quarter 2003 and \$1.35 EPS for Full-year 2003; Results in line with recent estimates." The text of the press release is incorporated herein by reference. The press release is being furnished pursuant to Item 12 - Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

The press release also contains cautionary statements identifying important

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factors that could cause actual results of the Corporation to differ materially from those described in any forward-looking statement of the Corporation.

The press release also contains information concerning the impacts of foreign currency translation on certain items of reported results, and this information may include non-GAAP financial measures. The Corporation presents information in this manner to show changes in these items of reported results apart from those related to the quarterly volatility of foreign currency changes.

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### SIGNATURES

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Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, Snap-on Incorporated has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

SNAP-ON INCORPORATED

Date: February 4, 2004

By: /s/ Martin M. Ellen

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Martin M. Ellen, Principal Financial Officer,  
Senior Vice President - Finance and  
Chief Financial Officer

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### EXHIBIT INDEX

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Description

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