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): November 2, 2021

Mallinckrodt plc

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Ireland	001-35803	98-1088325
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	(Commission File Number)	(IRS Employer Identification No.)

College Business & Technology Park, Cruiserath, Blanchardstown, Dublin 15, Ireland

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: +353 1 696 0000

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:

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□ Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)

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

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act: None

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company \Box

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.

Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On November 2, 2021, Mallinckrodt plc (the "Company" or "Mallinckrodt") provided its financial results for the three and nine months ended September 24, 2021 in the attached Exhibit 99.1.

The information in this Current Report on Form 8-K, including Exhibit 99.1, should be read in conjunction with the Company's Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the fiscal quarter ended September 24, 2021.

The information contained in this Item 2.02, including Exhibit 99.1, shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that Section, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference into any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, except as otherwise expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

NON-GAAP FINANCIAL MEASURES

Exhibit 99.1 contains financial measures, including adjusted EBITDA and net sales growth on a constant-currency basis, which are considered "non-GAAP" financial measures under applicable U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission rules and regulations.

Adjusted EBITDA represents amounts prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the U.S. (GAAP) and adjusts for certain items that management believes are not reflective of the operational performance of the business. Consolidated adjusted EBITDA represents net loss, adjusted for interest expense, net, taxes, depreciation and amortization and certain items that management believes are not reflective of the operational performance of the business and additional adjustments. These adjustments include, but are not limited to, restructuring charges, net; non-restructuring impairment charges; discontinued operations; changes in fair value of contingent consideration obligations; significant legal and environmental charges; divestitures; separation costs; unrealized gain on equity investment; reorganization items, net; share-based compensation and other items identified by the Company.

Segment net sales growth on a constant-currency basis measures the change in segment net sales between current- and prior-year periods using a constant currency, the exchange rate in effect during the applicable prior-year period.

The Company has provided these adjusted financial measures because they are used by management, along with financial measures in accordance with GAAP, to evaluate the company's operating performance. In addition, the Company believes that they will be used by certain investors to measure Mallinckrodt's operating results. Management believes that presenting these adjusted measures provides useful information about the Company's performance across reporting periods on a consistent basis by excluding items that the Company does not believe are indicative of its core operating performance. Reconciliations of these financial measures to the most directly comparable GAAP financial measures are included in Exhibit 99.1.

These adjusted measures should be considered supplemental to and not a substitute for financial information prepared in accordance with GAAP.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit No.	Exhibit
99.1	Third Quarter Financial Results.
104	Cover Page Interactive Data File (embedded within the inline XBRL document).

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.

MALLINCKRODT PLC (registrant)

Date: November 2, 2021

By: /s/ Bryan M. Reasons

Bryan M. Reasons Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer (principal financial officer)

MALLINCKRODT PLC (DEBTOR-IN-POSSESSION) CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS (unaudited, in millions, except per share data)

		Three Mor	nths	Ended	
	 September 24, 2021	Percent of Net sales		September 25, 2020	Percent of Net sales
Net sales	\$ 507.2	100.0 %	\$	698.3	100.0 %
Cost of sales	319.2	62.9		403.0	57.7
Gross profit	 188.0	37.1		295.3	42.3
Selling, general and administrative expenses	127.3	25.1		220.8	31.6
Research and development expenses	47.3	9.3		65.5	9.4
Restructuring charges, net	11.0	2.2		3.2	0.5
Gains on divestiture	_	_		(9.7)	(1.4)
Opioid-related litigation settlement loss (gain)	125.0	24.6		(25.8)	(3.7)
Medicaid lawsuit	_	_		(0.2)	_
Operating (loss) income	 (122.6)	(24.2)		41.5	5.9
Interest expense	(48.7)	(9.6)		(62.2)	(8.9)
Interest income	_	_		0.9	0.1
Other expense, net	(3.5)	(0.7)		_	_
Reorganization items, net	(126.2)	(24.9)		—	—
Loss from continuing operations before income taxes	 (301.0)	(59.3)		(19.8)	(2.8)
Income tax benefit	(32.0)	(6.3)		(211.6)	(30.3)
(Loss) income from continuing operations	 (269.0)	(53.0)		191.8	27.5
Income (loss) from discontinued operations, net of income taxes	5.3	1.0		(0.2)	_
Net (loss) income	\$ (263.7)	(52.0)%	\$	191.6	27.4 %
Basic (loss) income per share:					
(Loss) income from continuing operations	\$ (3.18)		\$	2.27	
Income (loss) from discontinued operations	0.06			_	
Net (loss) income	\$ (3.11)		\$	2.26	
Diluted (loss) income per share:					
(Loss) income from continuing operations	\$ (3.18)		\$	2.27	
Income (loss) from discontinued operations	0.06			—	
Net (loss) income	\$ (3.11)		\$	2.26	
Weighted-average number of shares outstanding					
Basic	84.7			84.6	
Diluted	84.7			84.6	

MALLINCKRODT PLC (DEBTOR-IN-POSSESSION) CONSOLIDATED ADJUSTED EBITDA (unaudited, in millions)

					Three Mor	ths Ended			
			September 24	l, 2021		September 2	5, 2020		
	Gros	s Profit	SG&A	R&D	Adjusted EBITDA	Gross Profit	SG&A	R&D	Adjusted EBITDA
Net loss	\$	188.0 \$	127.3 \$	47.3 \$	(263.7)	\$ 295.3 \$	220.8 \$	65.5 \$	191.6
Adjustments:									
Interest expense, net		—	_		48.7	_	_	—	61.3
Income taxes		_	_	_	(32.0)	_	_	_	(211.6)
Depreciation ⁽¹⁾		17.3	(4.3)	(1.6)	23.2	18.3	(5.5)	(1.7)	25.5
Amortization		144.5	(0.8)		145.3	209.7	(0.9)	_	210.6
Restructuring charges, net		_	_	_	11.0	_	_	_	3.2
(Income) loss from discontinued operations		_	_	_	(5.3)	_	_	_	0.2
Change in contingent consideration fair value		_	2.1	_	(2.1)	_	(8.1)	_	8.1
Significant legal and environmental charges		_	_	_	125.0	0.7	(13.4)	_	(11.9)
Gains on divestiture		—	_		_	_	_	_	(9.7)
Separation costs		_	(0.1)	_	0.1	_	(33.0)	_	33.0
Unrealized loss on equity investment		_	_		6.9	_	_	_	0.8
Reorganization items, net		_	_	_	126.2	_	_	_	_
Share-based compensation		0.1	(1.9)	(0.4)	2.4	0.2	(3.4)	(0.7)	4.3
As adjusted:	\$	349.9 \$	122.3 \$	45.3 \$	185.7	\$ 524.2 \$	156.5 \$	63.1 \$	305.4

(1) Includes \$0.7 millions of accelerated depreciation in selling general and administrative ("SG&A") related to restructuring charges incurred during the three months ended September 24, 2021.

MALLINCKRODT PLC (DEBTOR-IN-POSSESSION) SEGMENT OPERATING INCOME (unaudited, in millions)

	Three Months Ended		
	September 24, 2021	September 25, 2020	
ecialty Brands	\$ 189. 9	291.8	
ecialty Generics	15.2	43.1	
egment operating income	205.1	334.9	
allocated amounts:			
Corporate and unallocated expenses ⁽¹⁾	(20.8)	(42.1)	
Pepreciation and amortization	(168.4)	(236.1)	
hare-based compensation	(2.4)	(4.3)	
lestructuring charges, net	(11.0)	(3.2)	
eparation costs	(0.1)	(33.0)	
Dpioid-related litigation settlement (loss) gain	(125.0)	25.8	
1edicaid lawsuit		(0.5)	
erating (loss) income	\$ (122.\$)	41.5	

⁽¹⁾ Includes administration expenses and certain compensation, legal, environmental and other costs not charged to the Company's reportable segments.

MALLINCKRODT PLC (DEBTOR-IN-POSSESSION) SEGMENT NET SALES AND CONSTANT-CURRENCY GROWTH

(unaudited, in millions)

	Three Mor	nths Ende	d			
	mber 24, 2021	Sep	tember 25, 2020	Percent change	Currency impact	Constant-currency growth
Specialty Brands	\$ 359.7	\$	539.6	(33.3)%	0.1 %	(33.4)%
Specialty Generics	147.5		159.4	(7.5)	0.1	(7.6)
Segment net sales	 507.2		699.0	(27.4)	0.1	(27.5)
Medicaid lawsuit	_		(0.7)	*	*	*
Net sales	\$ 507.2	\$	698.3	(27.4)%	0.1 %	(27.5)%

*Not meaningful

MALLINCKRODT PLC (DEBTOR-IN-POSSESSION) SELECT PRODUCT LINE NET SALES AND CONSTANT-CURRENCY GROWTH (unaudited, in millions)

	Three Mor	nths End	ed				
	ember 24, 2021	Se	ptember 25, 2020	Percent change	Currency impact	Constant-currency growth	
Specialty Brands							
Acthar Gel	\$ 143.4	\$	195.3	(26.6)%	— %	(26.6)%	
INOmax	98.4		141.9	(30.7)	_	(30.7)	
Ofirmev	4.7		88.7	(94.7)	_	(94.7)	
Therakos	62.5		62.6	(0.2)	0.7	(0.9)	
Amitiza	49.6		47.7	4.0	—	4.0	
Other	1.1		3.4	(67.6)	_	(67.6)	
Specialty Brands Total	 359.7		539.6	(33.3)	0.1	(33.4)	
Specialty Generics							
Hydrocodone (API) and hydrocodone- containing tablets	16.9		20.0	(15.5)	_	(15.5)	
Oxycodone (API) and oxycodone- containing tablets	15.2		16.1	(5.6)	_	(5.6)	
Acetaminophen (API)	49.6		54.9	(9.7)		(9.7)	
Other controlled substances	60.8		62.4	(2.6)	0.3	(2.9)	
Other	5.0		6.0	(16.7)	_	(16.7)	
Specialty Generics Total	147.5		159.4	(7.5)	0.1	(7.6)	
Segment net sales	507.2		699.0	(27.4)	0.1	(27.5)	
Medicaid lawsuit			(0.7)	*	*	()	
Net sales	\$ 507.2	\$	698.3	(27.4)%	0.1 %	(27.5)%	

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*Not meaningful

MALLINCKRODT PLC CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS (unaudited, in millions, except per share data)

Nine Months Ended September 24, 2021 Percent of Net sales September 25, 2020 Percent of Net sales Net sales (includes refined estimate of the retrospective one-time charge of \$535.1 million related to the Medicaid lawsuit for the nine months ended September 25, 2020) 100.0 % \$ 100.0 % \$ 1 611 6 1,530.6 Cost of sales 958.4 59.5 1,171.7 76.6 653.2 40.5 358.9 23.4 Gross profit Selling, general and administrative expenses 44.6 408.3 25.3 683.2 Research and development expenses 166.3 10.3 225.8 14.8 Restructuring charges, net 17.5 1.1 15.8 1.0 Non-restructuring impairment charges 64.5 4.0 63.5 4.1 Losses (gains) on divestiture 0.8 (10.1) (0.7) 7.8 Opioid-related litigation settlement loss (gain) 125.0 (34.1) (2.2) Medicaid lawsuit 105.1 6.9 Operating loss (129.2) (8.0) (690.3) (45.1) Interest expense (160.7) (10.0) (200.9) (13.1) Interest income 0.4 1.9 0.1 5.4 Other income, net 15.9 1.0 1.1 0.1 (329.2) (20.4)Reorganization items, net ____ Loss from continuing operations before income taxes (601.3) (37.3) (884.7) (57.8) Income tax benefit (81.9) (5.1) (69.2) (4.5) Loss from continuing operations (519.4) (32.2) (53.3) (815.5) Income from discontinued operations, net of income taxes 6.0 0.4 23.8 1.6 (513.4) (791.7) Net loss \$ (31.9)% \$ (51.7)% Basic loss per share: Loss from continuing operations (6.13) (9.66) \$ \$ Income from discontinued operations 0.07 0.28 Net loss \$ (6.06) \$ (9.38) Diluted loss per share: Loss from continuing operations (9.66) \$ (6.13)\$ Income from discontinued operations 0.07 0.28 (6.06) (9.38) Net loss \$ \$ Weighted-average number of shares outstanding: Basic 84.7 84.4 Diluted 84.7 84.4

MALLINCKRODT PLC (DEBTOR-IN-POSSESSION) CONSOLIDATED ADJUSTED EBITDA (unaudited, in millions)

					Nine Mont	hs Ei	Nine Months Ended										
			September 2	4, 2021	September 25, 2020												
	Gro	oss Profit	SG&A	R&D	Adjusted EBITDA	Gr	oss Profit	SG&A	R&D	Adjusted EBITDA							
let loss	\$	653.2 \$	408.3 \$	166.3 \$	(513.4)	\$	358.9 \$	683.2 \$	225.8 \$	(791.7							
djustments:																	
Interest expense, net			—	—	158.8				—	195.5							
Income tax benefit			_	_	(81.9)		_	_	—	(69.2							
Depreciation ⁽¹⁾		52.2	(13.4)	(4.7)	70.3		54.2	(16.3)	(5.2)	75.7							
Amortization		433.3	(2.5)	_	435.8		597.2	(2.6)	_	599.8							
Restructuring charges, net		_	_	_	17.5		_	_	_	15.8							
Non-restructuring impairment charges		_	_	_	64.5		_	_	_	63.5							
Income from discontinued operations		—	_	_	(6.0)		—	_	_	(23.8							
Change in contingent consideration fair value		_	7.6	_	(7.6)		_	(2.4)	_	2.4							
Significant legal and environmental charges		_	_	_	125.0		535.1	(53.1)	_	659.2							
Losses (gains) on divestiture		_	_	_	0.8		_	_	_	(10.1							
Separation costs		_	(1.0)	_	1.0		_	(75.0)	_	75.0							
Unrealized gain on equity investment		_	_	_	(4.8)		_	_	_	(2.2							
R&D upfront payment		—	_	_	_		—	_	(5.0)	5.0							
Reorganization items, net		_	_	_	329.2		_	_	_								
Share-based compensation		0.4	(6.6)	(1.4)	8.4		0.8	(14.0)	(2.8)	17.6							
s adjusted:	\$	1,139.1 \$	392.4 \$	160.2 \$	597.6	\$	1,546.2 \$	519.8 \$	212.8 \$	812.5							

(1) Includes \$2.0 million of accelerated depreciation in SG&A related to restructuring charges incurred during the nine months ended September 24, 2021.

MALLINCKRODT PLC (DEBTOR-IN-POSSESSION) SEGMENT OPERATING INCOME (unaudited, in millions)

	Nin	e Months Ended
	September 24 2021	, September 25, 2020
Specialty Brands	\$ 5	88.6 \$ 765.0
Specialty Generics		73.8 155.5
Segment operating income	6	62.4 920.5
Unallocated amounts:		
Corporate and unallocated expenses ⁽¹⁾	(69.1) (152.3)
Depreciation and amortization	(5	06.1) (675.5)
Share-based compensation		(8.4) (17.6)
Restructuring charges, net	(17.5) (15.8)
Non-restructuring impairment charges	(64.5) (63.5)
Separation costs		(1.0) (75.0)
R&D upfront payment		— (5.0)
Opioid-related litigation settlement (loss) gain	(1	25.0) 34.1
Medicaid lawsuit		— (640.2)
Operating loss	\$ (1	29.2) \$ (690.3)

(1) Includes administration expenses and certain compensation, legal, environmental and other costs not charged to the Company's reportable segments.

MALLINCKRODT PLC (DEBTOR-IN-POSSESSION) SEGMENT NET SALES AND CONSTANT-CURRENCY GROWTH (unaudited, in millions)

	Nine Mon	ths Ende	d			
	ember 24, 2021	Sep	otember 25, 2020	Percent change	Currency impact	Constant-currency growth
Specialty Brands	\$ 1,149.6	\$	1,553.0	(26.0)%	0.3 %	(26.3)%
Specialty Generics	462.0	_	512.7	(9.9)	0.1	(10.0)
Segment net sales	1,611.6		2,065.7	(22.0)	0.2	(22.2)
Medicaid lawsuit	—		(535.1)	*	*	*
Net sales	\$ 1,611.6	\$	1,530.6	5.3 %	0.2 %	5.1 %

*Not meaningful

MALLINCKRODT PLC (DEBTOR-IN-POSSESSION) SELECT PRODUCT LINE NET SALES (unaudited, in millions)

		Nine Mon	ths End	led				
	Sep	tember 24, 2021	September 25, 2020		Percent change	Currency impact	Constant-currency growth	
Specialty Brands								
Acthar	\$	423.9	\$	576.6	(26.5)%	— %	(26.5)%	
Inomax		338.3		438.5	(22.9)	0.1	(23.0)	
Ofirmev		24.0		216.0	(88.9)	_	(88.9)	
Therakos		197.8		174.1	13.6	2.1	11.5	
Amitiza		155.8		138.2	12.7	_	12.7	
Other		9.8		9.6	2.1	_	2.1	
Specialty Brands Total		1,149.6		1,553.0	(26.0)	0.3	(26.3)	
Specialty Generics								
Hydrocodone (API) and hydrocodone- containing tablets		60.7		71.9	(15.6)	_	(15.6)	
Oxycodone (API) and oxycodone- containing tablets		49.5		48.0	3.1	_	3.1	
Acetaminophen (API)		146.8		154.5	(5.0)	_	(5.0)	
Other controlled substances		187.9		223.8	(16.0)	0.3	(16.3)	
Other		17.1		14.5	17.9		17.9	
Specialty Generics Total		462.0		512.7	(9.9)	0.1	(10.0)	
Segment net sales		1,611.6		2,065.7	(22.0)	0.2	(22.2)	
Medicaid lawsuit				(535.1)	() *	*	*	
Net sales	\$	1,611.6	\$	1,530.6	5.3 %	0.2 %	5.1 %	

*Not meaningful

MALLINCKRODT PLC (DEBTOR-IN-POSSESSION) CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS (unaudited, in millions)

September 24, 2021 December 25, 2020 Assets Current Assets: Cash and cash equivalents 1,070.6 \$ 1,322.6 \$ Accounts receivable, net 431.7 538.8 Inventories 367.6 344.9 Prepaid expenses and other current assets 350.0 203.7 Total current assets 2,325.6 2,304.3 Property, plant and equipment, net 767.7 833.1 Intangible assets, net 5,684.1 6,184.5 393.5 9,715.4 Other assets 380.6 9,158.0 **Total Assets** \$ \$ Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity Current Liabilities:

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Current maturities of long-term debt	\$ 1,388.1	\$ 3,587.9
Accounts payable	122.2	93.3
Accrued payroll and payroll-related costs	62.7	79.4
Accrued interest	25.7	26.9
Accrued and other current liabilities	387.1	331.2
Total current liabilities	1,985.8	4,118.7
Pension and postretirement benefits	32.6	34.6
Environmental liabilities	60.3	59.8
Deferred income taxes	61.5	80.6
Other income tax liabilities	82.9	100.1
Other liabilities	86.0	109.8
Liabilities subject to compromise	6,335.5	4,192.6
Total Liabilities	8,644.6	8,696.2
Shareholders' Equity:		
Preferred shares	_	—
Ordinary shares	18.9	18.8
Ordinary shares held in treasury at cost	(1,616.1)	(1,616.1)
Additional paid-in capital	5,596.0	5,587.6
Retained deficit	(3,474.9)	(2,961.5)
Accumulated other comprehensive loss	(10.5)	(9.6)
Total Shareholders' Equity	513.4	1,019.2
Total Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity	\$ 9,158.0	\$ 9,715.4

MALLINCKRODT PLC (DEBTOR-IN-POSSESSION) CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

(unaudited, in millions)

	Nir	Nine Months Ended		
	September 2021	24,	September 25, 2020	
Cash Flows From Operating Activities:				
Net loss	\$ (!	513.4)	\$ (791.7	
Adjustments to reconcile net cash from operating activities:				
Depreciation and amortization		506.1	675.5	
Share-based compensation		8.4	17.6	
Deferred income taxes		(19.1)	304.0	
Non-cash impairment charges		64.5	63.5	
Losses (gains) on divestiture		0.8	(10.1	
Reorganization items, net		22.5	—	
Other non-cash items		(6.0)	(21.6	
Changes in assets and liabilities:				
Accounts receivable, net		105.7	61.1	
Inventories		(30.9)	(43.9	
Accounts payable		14.7	(52.4	
Income taxes		92.5	(431.2	
Opioid-related litigation settlement liability		125.0		
Medicaid lawsuit		(4.8)	640.2	
Other		40.4	(116.3	
Net cash from operating activities		406.4	294.7	
Cash Flows From Investing Activities:				
Capital expenditures		(39.2)	(42.4	
Proceeds from divestitures, net of cash		15.7	(0.7	
Other		1.4	6.7	
Net cash from investing activities		(22.1)	(36.4	
Cash Flows From Financing Activities:		<u>`</u>	`	
Repayment of external debt	()	128.2)	(134.6	
Debt financing costs		_	(9.3	
Repurchase of shares		_	(0.4	
Other		_	(36.3	
Net cash from financing activities	()	128.2)	(180.6	
Effect of currency rate changes on cash		(0.9)	0.2	
Net change in cash, cash equivalents and restricted cash		255.2	77.9	
Cash, cash equivalents and restricted cash at beginning of period		127.0	822.6	
			\$ 900.5	
Cash, cash equivalents and restricted cash at end of period	φ <u>1</u> ,	JUL.L	÷ 500.5	
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	\$1,	322.6	\$ 844.2	
Restricted cash included in prepaid expenses and other assets at end of period		23.3	20.2	
Restricted cash included in other long-term assets at end of period		36.3	36.1	
Cash, cash equivalents and restricted cash at end of period	\$ 1,	382.2	\$ 900.5	