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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)

May 5, 2005

# **Target Corporation**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Minnesota (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

1-6049 (Commission File Number)

41-0215170 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

1000 Nicollet Mall Minneapolis, Minnesota (Address of principal executive offices)

55403 (Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code (612) 304-6073

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- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

#### Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On May 5, 2005, Target Corporation issued a News Release relating to its April sales results. The News Release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99. Forward-looking statements in this release should be considered in conjunction with the cautionary statements in Exhibit (99)C to Target Corporation s 2004 Form 10-K.

#### Item 8.01. Other Events.

On May 5, 2005, Target Corporation issued a News Release relating to its April sales results. The News Release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99. Forward-looking statements in this release should be considered in conjunction with the cautionary statements in Exhibit (99)C to Target Corporation s 2004 Form 10-K.

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## Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) <u>Exhibits</u>.

(99). Target Corporation s News Release dated May 5, 2005 relating to its April sales results.

#### **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.

#### TARGET CORPORATION

Date: May 5, 2005 /s/ Douglas A. Scovanner
Douglas A. Scovanner

Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

#### **EXHIBIT INDEX**

Exhibit Description Method of Filing

(99). Target Corporation s News Release dated May 5, 2005 relating to its April sales results. Filed Electronically

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