

SANOFI-AVENTIS  
Form 6-K  
September 23, 2005  
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**UNITED STATES**

**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

**Washington, D.C. 20549**

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**FORM 6-K**

**REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER**

**PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR 15d-16**

**UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

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For the month of September 2005

Commission File Number: 001-31368

**SANOFI-AVENTIS**

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

174, avenue de France, 75013 Paris, FRANCE

(Address of principal executive offices)

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Yes

No

If  Yes marked, indicate below the file number assigned to the registrant in connection with Rule 12g3-2(b): 82\_\_\_\_\_

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On September 23, 2005, Sanofi-Aventis caused its consolidated financial statements as of June 30, 2005, and its Management Report for the six months ended June 30, 2005, each adopted on August 30, 2005, to be published in the French official gazette *Bulletin des Annonces légales obligatoires* or BALO. English translations of the consolidated financial statements and the management report are attached hereto as Exhibits 99.1, and 99.2, respectively, and incorporated herein by reference.

**Exhibit List**

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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, thereunto duly authorized.

Dated: September 23, 2005

SANOFI-AVENTIS

By: \s\ Patricia Kodyra

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Name: Patricia Kodyra  
Title: Associate Vice President  
Financial and Securities Law

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