AMETEK INC/ Form 8-K October 17, 2011

# 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):	October 17, 2011
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# AMETEK, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware	1-12981	14-1682544	
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	(Commission File Number)	(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)	
1100 Cassatt Road, Berwyn, Pennsylvania	The Number)	19312	
(Address of principal executive offices)		(Zip Code)	
Registrant s telephone number, including a	rea code:	610-647-2121	
	Not Applicable		
Former nam	e or former address, if changed since	ast report	
Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing the following provisions:	g is intended to simultaneously satisfy	the filing obligation of the registrant under any of	
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On October 17, 2011, AMETEK, Inc. issued a press release to announce it has acquired Reichert Technologies. A copy of such press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1. The information contained in said press release is hereby incorporated by reference in this Form 8-K.

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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 hereunto duly authorized.

AMETEK, Inc.

October 17, 2011 By: /s/ Robert R. Mandos, Jr.

Name: Robert R. Mandos, Jr.

Title: Senior Vice President and Comptroller

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Exhibit No.	Description
99.1	Copy of press release issued by AMETEK, Inc. on October 17, 2011.