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UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, DC 20549

FORM 10-Q

[X] QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d)

OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the quarterly period ended March 31, 2002

Commission file number 1-7349

BALL CORPORATION

State of Indiana 35-0160610

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Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be f of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such short registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing r days.

Yes [X] No []

Indicate the number of shares outstanding of each of the issuer's classes of common stoc practicable date.

Class
Common Stock,
without par value

Outstanding at April 28,

56,796,419 shares