

HERCULES TECHNOLOGY GROWTH CAPITAL INC  
Form 8-K  
May 02, 2013

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**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549**

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**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 2, 2013**

**Hercules Technology Growth Capital, Inc.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

<b>Maryland</b>	<b>814-00702</b>	<b>74-3113410</b>
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	(Commission File No.)	(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

400 Hamilton Ave., Suite 310

Palo Alto, CA	94301
(Address of principal executive offices)	(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(650) 289-3060**

Not Applicable

(Former name or address, if changed since last report)

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 (see General Instruction A.2. below):

Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)

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

Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

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



**Item 8.01 Other Events**

On May 2, 2013, Hercules Technology Growth Capital, Inc., a Maryland corporation (the “Registrant”), issued a press release announcing that it received a corporate investment grade rating from Kroll Bond Rating Agency, Inc. The press release is filed herewith as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit 99.1 Press Release dated May 2, 2013

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**SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

**HERCULES  
TECHNOLOGY GROWTH  
CAPITAL, INC.**

May 2, 2013

By: /s/ Jessica Baron  
Jessica Baron  
Chief Financial Officer

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**EXHIBIT INDEX**

<b>Exhibit No.</b>	<b><u>Description of Exhibits</u></b>
99.1	Press Release dated May 2, 2013