

# Ozmo Devices Corporate Backgrounder



## Ozmo Devices: The Leader in Wi-Fi PAN for Peripherals

Wi-Fi is ubiquitous in today's notebook computers, and recent advances in 802.11 technology are accelerating broad adoption of Wi-Fi in a myriad of mobile and consumer electronics devices. Ozmo Devices extends the functionality of Wi-Fi-enabled platforms to seamlessly communicate with low-power wireless peripherals such as mice and headsets. Ozmo Devices' Wi-Fi PAN solution enables peripheral manufacturers to deliver wireless products with the superior performance, flexibility, and convenience consumers want and need.

### The Ozmo Solution

Ozmo Devices' innovative two-part solution includes a driver that coexists with the host platform's Wi-Fi device and a chip embedded in the wireless peripheral. Because the Ozmo solution is ultra-low power and highly integrated, it is ideal for wireless peripheral applications like mice and headsets that require a small form factor and long battery life. Ozmo Devices' approach delivers unprecedented cost savings for system developers by leveraging the existing Wi-Fi device to provide concurrent WLAN (Wireless Local Area Network) and WPAN (Wireless Personal Area Network) functionality. This breakthrough convergence solves integration and coexistence problems associated with traditional WPAN approaches like Bluetooth and proprietary technologies. Applications for Ozmo Devices' low-power Wi-Fi PAN solution include wireless peripheral connectivity for personal computers and communication devices, portable audio and video players, gaming consoles, and home entertainment systems.

### Founded

Ozmo Devices was founded as H-Stream Wireless in December 2004 and is privately held.

### Investors

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*"Wi-Fi has emerged as the wireless technology of choice, both at home and in the office. By leveraging the Wi-Fi chip that's already in so many mobile platforms, we're able to natively deliver wireless peripheral connectivity. Our unique low-power Wi-Fi PAN technology eliminates the interoperability and performance issues that have hindered broad adoption of traditional WPAN approaches."*

*"Ozmo Devices' WPAN connectivity solution benefits platform developers, peripheral manufacturers, and users alike. Platform developers can extend the functionality of their existing Wi-Fi devices at no additional cost. Peripheral manufacturers can introduce creative new battery-powered Wi-Fi-compatible products. Users will enjoy the convenience of cordless operation without constantly worrying about performance, security, and battery life."*

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