

HOME CONNECT JOINS "WORKS WITH NEST" PROGRAM

Home Connect has officially joined the "Works with Nest" Program and currently develops an integration that will allow its partners' products, such as ovens, dishwashers or refrigerators, to work with Nest. The new connectivity for home appliances will be approximately added by the end of this year. For consumers this will be yet another step toward a more connected and convenient home.

When launching Home Connect in 2014, Home Connect already announced to expand its proprietary networking platform through the integration of popular products and services from third parties.

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About Home Connect: Home Connect is the first solution in the world to allow home appliances from different brands to be controlled with a single app. The system is designed as an open platform that will keep evolving to cover a growing range of services. Home Connect GmbH is a subsidiary of BSH Bosch und Siemens Hausgeräte GmbH. Home appliances fitted with the Home Connect function and the accompanying app have been available since December 2014. For more information about Home Connect, go to: <u>http://www.home-connect.com</u>

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