
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): April 10, 2007

NOVATEL WIRELESS, INC.

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

DELAWARE
(State or other jurisdiction or
incorporation or organization)

COMMISSION FILE:
000-31659

86-0824673
(I.R.S. Employer
Identification No.)

**9645 Scranton Road, Suite 205
San Diego, CA 92121**
(Address of principal executive offices)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (858) 320-8800

Not applicable
(Former name or former 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):

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Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On April 10, 2007, Novatel Wireless, Inc. issued a press release announcing that four tier-one operators and two OEM partners have launched its next generation HSDPA product portfolio throughout Europe and customer relationships resulting in more than a 25 percent sequential increase in HSDPA EMEA sales in the first quarter ended March 31, 2007. The Company also indicated that sales of its EV-DO Ovation product line generated over \$30 million in revenue for the first quarter ended March 31, 2007. The press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this report.

The information in this Form 8-K that is furnished under “Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition” and Exhibit 99.1 attached hereto shall not be deemed “filed” for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section. It may be incorporated by reference in another filing under the Exchange Act or the Securities Act of 1933 only if such subsequent filing specifically references this Form 8-K.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits.

The following exhibit is furnished with this report:

99.1 Press release, dated April 10, 2007 announcing that four tier-one operators and two OEM partners have launched its next generation HSDPA product portfolio throughout Europe and customer relationships resulting in more than a 25 percent sequential increase in HSDPA EMEA sales in the first quarter ended March 31, 2007. The Company also indicated that sales of its EV-DO Ovation product line generated over \$30 million in revenue for the first quarter ended March 31, 2007.

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.

Novatel Wireless, Inc.

Date: April 10, 2007

By: /s/ Dan L. Halvorson

Dan L. Halvorson

Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer,

(Principal Financial and Accounting Officer)

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**Novatel Wireless OEMs and Tier-One European Operators Join
Forces to Deliver Multi-Pronged 3G Product Portfolio**

Company Expands European Footprint with Increasing Sales as Multiple
Tier-One Operators Launch HSDPA Broadband Products Across Europe

SAN DIEGO, April 10, 2007 - Novatel Wireless, Inc. (Nasdaq:NVTL), a leading provider of wireless broadband access solutions, today announced that four tier-one operators and two OEM partners, including existing and new customers, have launched its next generation HSDPA product portfolio throughout Europe. The customer relationships have resulted in more than a 25 percent sequential increase in HSDPA EMEA sales in the first quarter of 2007.

The Company currently has five products commercialized for the European market across all product portfolio segments of PC and ExpressCards™, embedded modules and Ovation fixed mobile solutions. The Novatel Wireless Merlin™ XU870 HSDPA ExpressCard has now been launched by four tier-one European operators in seven countries, and will be made available by two tier-one OEM partners. In addition, the Company expects to continue its market leadership in Europe with this form factor by launching the Merlin X950D HSUPA ExpressCard.

The Company also announced that it will bring its popular Ovation product line of fixed mobile solutions into Europe by launching a robust next generation Ovation MC870D platform with tier-one European operators by the third quarter of 2007. Addressing fixed and mobile platforms at speeds up to 7.2 Mbps, the Ovation MC870D will enable a bridge between local area and wide area networks through an embedded network module. As a result, multiple users will be able to connect through a single device to the wide area network.

“We are very encouraged by the growing interest in the product portfolio for our European business, which has resulted in an increase in orders from new and existing tier-one operators in the market,” said Brad Weinert, Acting CEO and COO of Novatel Wireless. “Having generated over \$30 million in sales with our Ovation product line for EV-DO networks in the first quarter of 2007, we look forward to delivering a robust HSDPA version of this product line into the European market. We are very pleased that our trendsetting Ovation portfolio is quickly becoming a key strategy for our customers to increase their revenue by incorporating innovative features that support greater functionality and services.”

Samples of the Ovation MC870D are now ready for testing and lab submission. For additional information on the Ovation family of products, please visit:
<http://www.novatelwireless.com/products/ovation/index.html>

ABOUT NOVATEL WIRELESS

Novatel Wireless, Inc. is revolutionizing wireless communications. The Company is a leader in the design and development of innovative wireless broadband access solutions based on 3G WCDMA (HSDPA & UMTS), CDMA and GSM technologies. Novatel Wireless' Merlin(TM) PC Cards and ExpressCards, Expedite(R) Embedded Modules, MobiLink(TM) Communications Software Suite, Ovation(TM) Fixed Mobile Convergence Products and Conversa(TM) Software Suite enable high-speed wireless access. The Company delivers innovative 3G solutions to operators, distributors and vertical markets worldwide. Headquartered in San Diego, California, Novatel Wireless is listed on NASDAQ: NVTL. For more information please visit www.novatelwireless.com. (NVTLG)

Cautionary Note Regarding Forward-Looking Statements

Some of the information presented in this release constitutes forward-looking statements based on management's current expectations, assumptions, estimates and projections. In this context, forward-looking statements often address expected future business and financial performance and often contain words such as "may," "estimate," "anticipate," "believe," "expect," "intend," "plan," "project," "will" and similar words and phrases indicating future results. Forward-looking statements involve risks and uncertainties that could cause actual results to differ materially from those anticipated in such forward-looking statements. The Company therefore cannot guarantee future results, performance or achievements.

Factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from Novatel Wireless' expectations are set forth as risk factors in the Company's SEC reports and filings and include, without limitation, (1) the future demand for wireless broadband access to data, (2) the future growth of wireless wide area networking, (3) changes in commercially adopted wireless transmission standards and technologies, (4) continued acceptance of the Company's current products and market demand for the Company's anticipated new product offerings in 2007, (5) increased competition and pricing pressure from current or new wireless market participants, (6) dependence on third party manufacturers in Asia and key component suppliers worldwide, (7) unexpected liabilities or expenses, (8) the Company's ability to introduce new products in a timely manner, (9) litigation, regulatory and IP developments, (10) dependence on a small number of customers, (11) the effect of changes in accounting standards and in aspects of our critical accounting policies and (12) the Company's plans and expectations relating to strategic relationships, international expansion, software and hardware developments, personnel matters and cost containment initiatives.

These factors, as well as other factors detailed from time to time in the Company's SEC reports and filings (available at www.sec.gov), could cause actual results to differ materially. Novatel Wireless assumes no obligation to update publicly any forward-looking statements for any reason, even if new

information becomes available or other events occur in the future, except as otherwise required pursuant to applicable law and our on-going reporting obligations under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

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