

Press Release

EJL Wireless Research Comments on Alcatel Acquisition of Nortel UMTS Assets

Redwood City, CA, September 7, 2006: "The Nortel UMTS acquisition further consolidates the 3G market and increases the combined Alcatel/Lucent/Nortel UMTS market share to 9.8% in units for 2005 on a pro forma basis according to the recently released report from EJL Wireless Research titled "Global Base Station Market Analysis and Forecast, 2005-2010," says founder and President, Earl Lum.

"Given the lack of market share in 3G, we are not surprised that Nortel has made the decision to divest its UMTS assets to focus on 4G technologies. The big hurdle that Alcatel faces is which UMTS platform do they keep: Flexent, Evolium or Nortel?," says Lum.

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