



# Press Release

## EJL Wireless Research Reports Global BTS shipments for 1H2010 on track for 2010

### Remote radio unit base stations rapidly increasing in penetration with NSN as the market leader in shipments

Salem, NH, February 7, 2011: Similar to the recent report on global BTS transceivers released by EJL Wireless Research, the global base transmitting station (BTS) market was also on track to hit the company's forecast for unit shipments. BTS units for the first half of 2010 achieved 51.9% of our projected forecast for 2010, indicating that despite the Indian embargo that the industry was on it way to another growth year, according to the latest report from EJL Wireless Research titled "*Global Base Station Market Analysis, 1st Edition, 1H2010.*"

"The transition to remote radio unit (RRU) base station architecture is moving faster than we predicted. Base stations using RRUs comprised 45.1% of overall 1H2010 shipments with Nokia Siemens Networks the market leader in RRU shipments," says founder and President, Earl Lum. The report provides a unique perspective on the global shipments and demand for base station equipment covering all air interface standards and frequencies and major OEMs including Alcatel-Lucent, Ericsson, Huawei Technologies, Motorola, Nokia Siemens Networks, and ZTE.

"Nokia Siemens Networks was the overall leader in total base station unit shipments as well as for GSM shipments. Ericsson was the top supplier for both W-CDMA and next generation LTE shipments while ZTE captured the top positions for CDMA and TD-SCDMA," says Lum.

The top suppliers by overall base station shipments as well as by air interface standards for 1H2010 were:

- 🌐 **Overall #1 BTS Supplier: Nokia Siemens Networks**
- 🌐 **Overall #1 GSM BTS Supplier: Nokia Siemens Networks**
- 🌐 **Overall #1 W-CDMA BTS Supplier: Ericsson**
- 🌐 **Overall #1 CDMA BTS Supplier: ZTE**
- 🌐 **Overall #1 TD-SCDMA BTS Supplier: ZTE**
- 🌐 **Overall #1 LTE TRx Supplier: Ericsson**

The report is currently available for purchase and information can be downloaded at [www.ejlwireless.com](http://www.ejlwireless.com).

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