
BIG WINS FOR ERICSSON RADIO AT MWC 2016

- Ericsson's flagship Ericsson Radio System takes home Global Mobile Award for Best Mobile Infrastructure at Mobile World Congress 2016
- Ericsson Radio Dot System wins the Outstanding Contribution on Innovative Solution and Application award during annual GTI Summit

At Mobile World Congress 2016, Ericsson's (NASDAQ: ERIC) Radio System and Radio Dot System took home two top awards. Ericsson Radio System was recognized by the GSMA with the Global Mobile Award for Best Mobile Infrastructure, while Ericsson Radio Dot System received the Outstanding Contribution on Innovative Solution and Application award at the annual GTI (Global TD-LTE Initiative) Summit.

The GSMA's Global Mobile Awards, the mobile industry's longest-established awards platform, showcases the value that mobility brings to users, industries, businesses, communities and economies. Winners are selected by a panel of independent judges, typically comprising leading industry and subject matter experts, analysts, journalists and academics and in some cases mobile operator representatives.

Michael O'Hara, Chief Marketing Officer, GSMA, says: "With more than 930 entries this year – a new record – the competition is greater than ever, reflecting the tremendous diversity and pace of innovation across the mobile world. We are particularly excited to be celebrating the 21st year of the awards with a dynamic new format that will recognize and honor achievement throughout Mobile World Congress."

Available since third quarter 2015, Ericsson Radio System consists of hardware and software for radio, baseband, power, antenna, enclosure and site solutions, the integrated industry-leading MINI-LINK portfolio for microwave transmission and a fully integrated IP Router portfolio, all managed by the same management system.

The industry's most compact radios are 50 percent smaller and lighter than previous products and enable more flexible and cost-efficient site designs.

Ericsson also received the Outstanding Contribution on Innovative Solution and Application award for the Radio Dot System on February 23, 2016, at the annual GTI Summit during Mobile World Conference in Barcelona. This award honors the innovation and excellent performance of this solution which aims to help operators improve indoor coverage.

Erik Ekudden, VP and Head of Technology Strategy, Ericsson, says: "We are truly delighted to be recognized by GTI. The Radio Dot System is an Ericsson innovation to improve indoor network performance, which builds on our award-winning radio architecture and provides an extensive feature set."

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Rolled out with over 100 operators, the Dot is helping operators to improve mobile data throughput by up to 5 times, reduce dropped calls to zero, and reduce installation times. The Radio Dot System is a key differentiator of Ericsson's Mobile Enterprise strategy to empower mobile and converged operators to deliver integrated cloud, connectivity and communications as-a-service to their enterprise customers.

Radio Dot System is an Ericsson small cell solution. This solution can fully integrate with macro mobile networks and leverage existing indoor wiring and outdoor cellular infrastructure. It has a small dot-shaped form factor design which makes it very discreet in any kind of deployment environment. It is the perfect solution to boost indoor user experience by enhancing coverage and capacity in in-building deployments.

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Our services, software and infrastructure - especially in mobility, broadband and the cloud - are enabling the telecom industry and other sectors to do better business, increase efficiency, improve the user experience and capture new opportunities.

With approximately 115,000 professionals and customers in 180 countries, we combine global scale with technology and services leadership. We support networks that connect more than 2.5 billion subscribers. Forty percent of the world's mobile traffic is carried over Ericsson networks. And our investments in research and development ensure that our solutions – and our customers – stay in front.

Founded in 1876, Ericsson has its headquarters in Stockholm, Sweden. Net sales in 2015 were SEK 246.9 billion (USD 29.4 billion). Ericsson is listed on NASDAQ OMX stock exchange in Stockholm and the NASDAQ in New York.

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Ericsson has been present in Latin America since 1896, when the company established an agreement in Colombia and delivered equipment for the first time in the region. In the early 1900s, Ericsson increased its presence in Latin America by signing commercial deals in Argentina, Brazil and Mexico. Today, Ericsson is present in 56 countries within South America, Central America, Mexico and the Caribbean, which combined count the region as one of the few with complete Ericsson installations, including a Production Unit, R&D Center and Training Center. Ericsson is the market leading telecom supplier, with over 40% market share in Latin America and more than 100 telecom service contracts in the region.

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