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"Acacia Research Buys Adaptix for \$160 Million"**

(AP) NEWPORT BEACH, Calif. — Technology patent licensor Acacia Research Corp. said Friday that it bought wireless technology developer Adaptix Inc. for \$160 million to gain access to its 4G, or fourth-generation, wireless systems patents.

Acacia said Adaptix has "one of the world's most significant" patent portfolios focused on 4G technology, with patents filed as early as 2000.

Wireless carriers are increasingly switching to high-speed 4G networks.