

First PGMS installation in the US at Fowlerville proving ground

Kornwestheim, June 11, 2024. FT Techno of America (FTT-A) has successfully completed an internal Kaizen project at the Fowlerville proving ground in Michigan that resulted in the installation of a professional Proving Ground Management System of the mm-lab GmbH.

The project's goals were to improve safety and security, to provide a quality environment for the proving ground customers and to reduce the risk of accidents. Furthermore, to strengthen business by reducing waste and increasing efficiency, and to exceed FTT-A's customers' expectations by adding value and convenience.

After thorough market research and supplier evaluation, FTT-A's favorite choice was mm-lab's PGMS solution. This solution was adapted, configured and installed in a very short timeframe. The system went productive just recently after a public test phase, and it is being used by FTT-A's customers with great success.

FTTA manages a wide range of testing activities for over 40 automotive companies including many OEM's and Tier-1 Suppliers sharing their tracks at the same time. FTT-A operates the Fowlerville Proving Ground, situated on 950 secluded acres in southeast Michigan. It is a world-class, independent proving ground, fully equipped with professional engineering and operations staff to exceed expectations. Open year-round, test tracks, building space, and testing services are provided according to customer needs and budget requirements. The facility boasts multiple test tracks, including a 4,500-foot straightaway, 48,000 square-feet of low and middle μ tiles, a 20-acre dynamic pad, a 3-mile oval track, an ADAS Test Facility and many more.

mm-lab develops and deploys the world's leading Proving Ground Management System since many years, a solution supporting operations and safety for automotive testing, including a reservation and billing system, access control, voice telephony and collision warning. Located near Stuttgart, Germany, the company provides dedicated end-to-end mobility solutions for the automotive industry and municipal fleets.