

FPT INDUSTRIAL SETE LAGOAS ENGINE PLANT ACHIEVES SILVER LEVEL DESIGNATION IN WORLD CLASS MANUFACTURING

CNH Industrial's global powertrain brand records another success in the World Class Manufacturing program at its Sete Lagoas plant. The site manufactures engine models from the F1, NEF and S8000 engine families and employs some 270 people. It was awarded due to a number of factors including Motivation of Operators, Professional Maintenance, Safety, Level of Detail and Level of Expansion.

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The FPT Industrial engine plant in **Sete Lagoas, Brazil** has successfully reached another important milestone in its mission to develop industry leading industrial engines according to the principles of **World Class Manufacturing (WCM)**. Following a recent audit, the global powertrain brand of CNH Industrial N.V. (NYSE: CNHI /MI: CNHI) has received a **Silver Level WCM** designation for its Brazilian facility which produces industrial engines.

Established in 2000, the Sete Lagoas site has quickly grown to operate at a **high standard with this latest achievement** seeing it reach the same ranks as its European sister sites in Turin and Foggia in Italy and Bourbon Lancy in France. It covers 14,000 square meters, housing product manufacturing for the F1, NEF and S8000 engine families. The site employs some 270 individuals and exports to national and international markets.

WCM is one of the global manufacturing industry's **highest standards** for the integrated management of manufacturing plants and processes. It is a pillar-structured system based on continuous improvement, designed to eliminate waste and loss from the production process by identifying objectives such as zero injuries, zero defects, zero breakdowns and zero waste. To certify improvements, a system of periodic audits delivers an overall score for each plant that is the basis for three achievement levels: Gold, Silver and Bronze.

Sete Lagoas counted high scores in a number of different areas set out by WCM including: Motivation of Operators, Professional Maintenance, Safety, Level of Detail and Level of Expansion. FPT Industrial operates two manufacturing sites (Sete Lagoas in Brazil and Cordoba in Argentina) and one R&D center (Betim, Brazil) in Latin America.

***FPT Industrial** is a brand of CNH Industrial, dedicated to the design, production and sale of powertrains for on and off-road vehicles, marine and power generation applications. The company employs approximately 8,400 people worldwide, in ten manufacturing plants and seven R&D Centres. The FPT Industrial sales network consists of 93 dealers and over 900 service centres in almost 100 countries. A wide product offering, including six engine ranges from*

31 kW up to 740 kW, transmissions with maximum torque of 200 Nm up to 500 Nm, front and rear axles from 2 to 32 ton GAW (Gross Axle Weight) and a close focus on R&D activities make FPT Industrial a world leader in industrial powertrains. For further information, visit www.fptindustrial.com.

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