

Press Release

ZF conducts largest worldwide roll-out of Data Classification solution using NovaPath



ZF is a global leader in driveline and chassis technology as well as active and passive safety technology. The company has a global workforce of around 137,000 with approximately 230 locations in some 40 countries. By implementing a Data Classification solution for documents and e-mails, ZF completes an important milestone of the Information Security Strategy.

ZF conducted an international RFP for Data Classification tools and selected NovaPath by M&H IT-Security as their preferred solution. With the help of the experts of M&H IT-Security the solution has been rolled out to 40,000 clients and is available in six different languages. The software roll out has been accompanied by an awareness campaign and due to its user-friendliness NovaPath integrated seamlessly into the existing processes.

NovaPath provides a technical and consistent implementation of the Information Security Policies for ZF in order to improve the protection of their business secrets and to maintain their competitiveness.

“NovaPath enables us to implement a reliable Data Classification worldwide and across the entire organisation. This is another important milestone in our Information Security Strategy. NovaPath provides high usability and generates valuable information for downstream processes which makes it an ideal and future-proof solution. During the NovaPath implementation project we’ve been impressed with the quick responses of M&H IT-Security and their expert

knowledge. This was a key factor for a successful project with more than 40,000 clients.”

(Markus Heizmann, Senior Manager Information Security, ZF Friedrichshafen)

NovaPath is a Data Classification solution to categorise documents and e-mails according to their confidentiality that can be used across different industries. With the help of the classification, NovaPath allows to apply technical security measures like encryption and Digital Rights Management (DRM) to protect sensitive information from unauthorised access, manipulation or replication.

M&H IT-Security is a member of the M&H group and specialises in developing IT-Security solutions.

As a competent vendor and consulting company from Germany, M&H assists in implementing technical solutions for protecting business secrets, designing security solutions and implementing security standards like ISO 27001. Moreover, M&H provides certified IT-Security trainings and customized workshops.



The customer base of M&H security varies from small- and medium-sized companies with special knowledge to large international enterprises.

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