

Press information



FDT Joint Interest Group (FDT JIG) and PACTware™ Consortium e.V. set the record straight!

In an effort to promote the FDT Technology clearly in the market place the members of the Steering Committee of the FDT JIG and the Board of Directors of the PACTware™ Consortium e.V. agree to collaborate to ensure that each organization's strategic objectives are well understood by the industry.

The mission of the FDT JIG is to progress and promote the open FDT Technology in order to benefit end users, device manufacturers and control system manufacturers. The objective is to create an international standard that enables end users to configure, manage, and integrate any field device, from any device manufacturer connected to any Fieldbus protocol backbone.

The mission of the PACTware™ Consortium e.V. is to develop and deploy the current FDT specification into the PACTware™ frame application. The objective is to make available a fully compliant FDT Technology product that enables device manufacturers to exploit the benefits of their field devices through the creation of Device Type Managers (DTM).

The two organizations believe that these strategic objectives are in the best interest of the automation industry

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