Report on Prowess Hands-on Workshop conducted at RVIM	
Date: 02.02.2026	**Venue:** BA Lab, ET Lab & IT Lab
Time: 09:00 AM – 04:00 PM	**Event :** Prowess Hands-on Workshop
No. of Participants: 180	**Event Coordinators:** Dr. Srikanth P, Dr. Sumera Aluru, Prof. Pooja Takalkar, Finance Area

1. Event Overview

- **Title of the Program:** Hands-on Workshop on the Prowess Database (CMIE)
- **Resource Person:** Mr. Debrishi Deb, CMIE
- **Target Audience:** First Semester MBA Students
  - Section A: 60 Students
  - Section B: 60 Students
  - Section C: 60 Students
- **Venue:** ET Lab, BA Lab, IT Lab
- **Event Date:** 02.02.2026
- **Time:**
  - Section A: 09:00 AM – 10:30 AM
  - Section B: 11:00 AM – 12:30 PM
  - Section C: 02:30 PM – 04:00 PM
- **Event Coordinators:**
  - Dr. Srikanth P (Sec A)
  - Dr. Sumera Aluru (Sec B)
  - Prof. Pooja Takalkar (Sec C)

2. Executive Summary

The Finance Area organized a **hands-on workshop on the Prowess Database from CMIE**, conducted by Mr. Debrishi Deb from CMIE. The workshop was designed to provide first semester MBA students with practical exposure to corporate financial data and analytics. Conducted across three labs and three sessions, the workshop ensured that each section of 60 students received focused training. The coordinators, Dr. Srikanth P, Dr. Sumera Aluru, and Prof. Pooja Takalkar, facilitated the sessions, ensuring smooth execution and active engagement.

3. Objectives of the Event

1. To familiarize students with the Prowess Database and its applications in financial research.
2. To provide hands-on training in accessing and analyzing corporate data.
3. To enhance students' ability to use databases for academic projects and industry analysis.
4. To strengthen research and analytical skills in finance.

4. Highlights of the Event

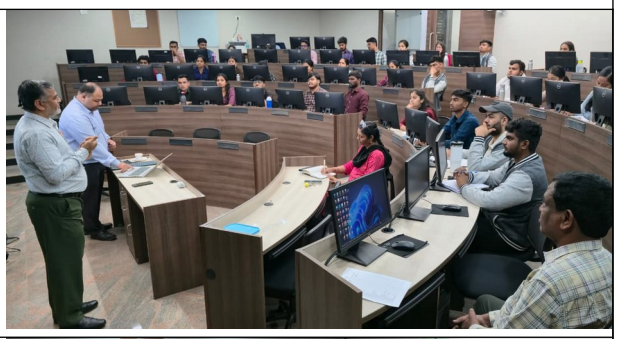
- **Expert Demonstration:** Mr. Debrishi Deb provided detailed guidance on navigating the Prowess Database.
- **Hands-on Practice:** Students accessed real-time corporate data during the workshop.
- **Structured Sessions:** Each section had a dedicated time slot in separate labs for personalized learning.
- **Faculty Support:** Coordinators ensured smooth facilitation and addressed student queries.

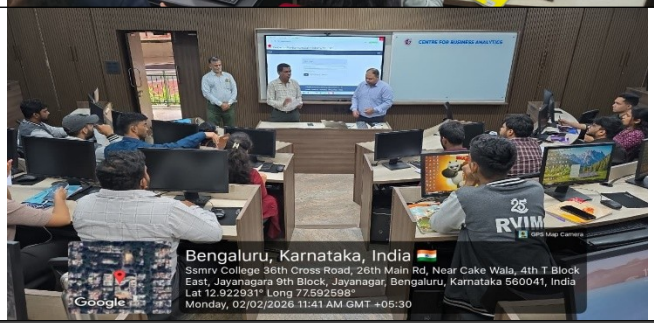
5. Outcomes Attained

- Students gained practical knowledge of using Prowess for financial analysis.
- Improved ability to extract and interpret corporate data.
- Strengthened research skills for academic and professional applications.
- Enhanced confidence in handling large datasets for valuation and industry studies.

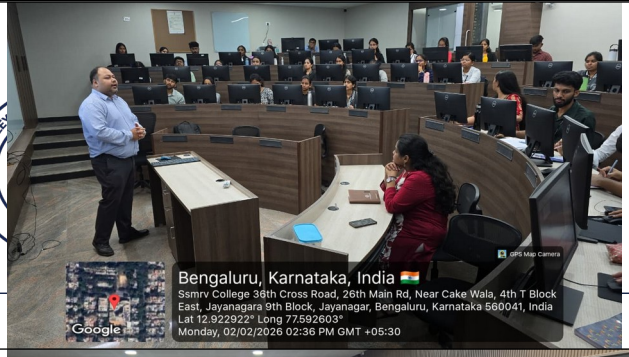
6. Photo Gallery

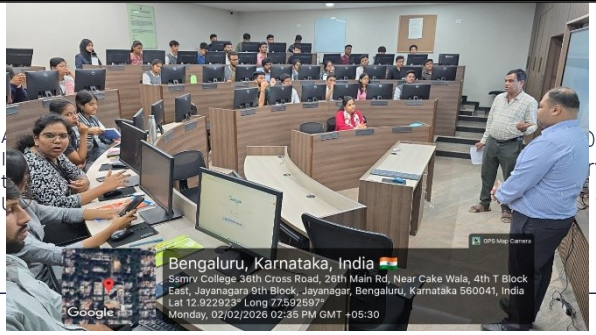


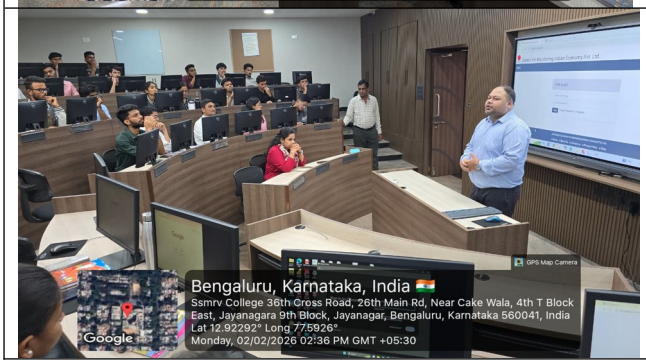


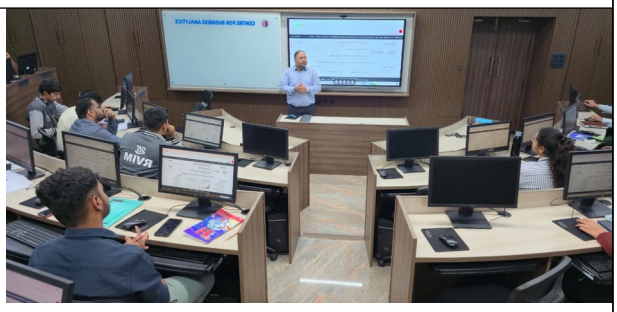












7. Conclusion

The Prowess Database Workshop was a highly impactful initiative, equipping 180 first semester MBA students with essential skills in financial data analysis. The structured sessions across three labs ensured comprehensive coverage and effective learning. The Finance Area reaffirmed its commitment to practical, industry-oriented education, preparing students for advanced research and professional success.

Event Coordinator

Director, RVIM