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WE WERE ABLE TO GET OUR HANDS ON ITP'S FIRST SET OF 25" TERRA CROSS RT TIRES AND 14" SS212 WHEEL.

SO IS THE NEW RT RUBBER COMPOUND ON THE TERRA CROSS AND 14" STYLINGS OF THE NEW SS212 EVERYTHING THEY CLAIM THEM TO BE?

We have the exclusive first look at ITP's new 14" SS wheel with their 25" Terra Cross RT. In order to test them out, we bolted the new tire and wheel combination onto our Polaris RZR and took it to the local MX Park. Milestone MX Park in Riverside, CA offers a variety of tracks for all riding levels. We took the RZR on the Vet track, which consists of mostly tabletop jumps and an assortment of different corners from wide sweepers to tight U-turns. While the tires are designed for a variety of applications and are not specifically race tires, we found the race park to be an ideal controlled environment in which to experiment with the wheel/tire combo.

Are looks everything? If you think so, then this is the wheel and tire package for you. The aggressive styling of the 14" SS212 wheel will definitely make you stand out amongst your friends. The wheel is available in chrome, matte black, or a machined finish with black accents. Add to that the low profile 25x9R-14 Terra Cross RT and you've got an even better look. The Terra Cross RT has been redesigned to include an extra sidewall ply and increased tread rubber thickness to increase puncture protection.

A check of the air pressure and we were on our way. We took it easy on the the first couple of laps to get a feel for the RZR and the track. We pushed it harder and harder each lap and the car continued to hook up and go. The 14" wheel and 25" tire create a very low profile tire with a thicker sidewall compared to the standard setup. We found this to be beneficial in our testing because it kept the sidewalls from flexing too much and allowing the tire to fold under itself, which can cause the car to hook. The Terra Cross also has an interlocking tread pattern and wide footprint that created good flotation and exceptional traction. On the whole, the Terra Cross RT is a great all-around tire that will give you your money's worth in both performance and durability.



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