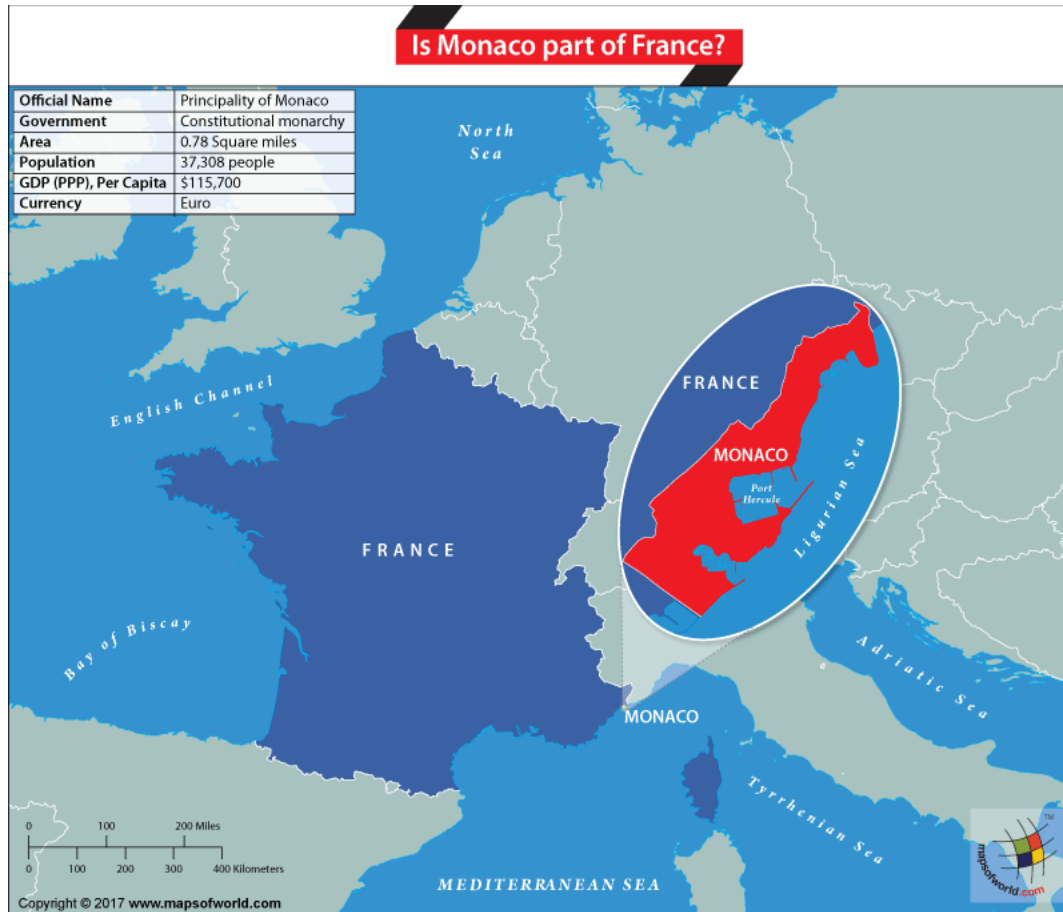


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WREKIN HAS 1.8 MILLION m² COVERED WITH 2022 GEOGRID SUCCESS

Wrekin's has grown its geosynthetics division last year, it sold enough geogrids to cover 1.8 million square metres, or roughly nine tenths the size of the principality of Monaco.



David Fisher, who joined Wrekin last year as its commercial and technical manager for the geosynthetics division, said: “It was a first-rate year for geosynthetics in 2022. While the construction industry has been facing challenges with supply and demand, wherever projects have been making progress it’s likely that geosynthetics had a hand in improving ground conditions for access and long-term use.



“Our range of products are used for a wide array of purposes, fit for all kinds of projects, on all kinds of ground. We understand that when construction is underway, time means money,

and something like deceptive ground conditions can bring a project to a grinding halt if the right solution isn't available fast enough. Our geosynthetics are designed with purpose to eliminate this worry.

“At Wrekin, our ethos is to make every day better. Where this can be seen clearly is the environmental outcome of our products being used over the far less sustainable alternatives. On average, our geosynthetics can provide equivalent load bearing capabilities to sub-bases twice as thick, providing aggregate savings of up to 50%.”

Wrekin estimates its geosynthetics prevented almost 900 tonnes of CO₂ emissions being produced, equivalent to saving almost 500,000 miles of lorry travel. Over the same period, it would have taken 5,400 trees to absorb the same amount of CO₂.

Discussing Wrekin's thoughts for the upcoming year, David also said: “With a tough economic outlook facing the construction sector, we can also help to reduce costs of critical infrastructure projects. Our robust supply chain, which has been tested and proven over the past couple of years, should make all confident that we are on hand to help.”

To read more about Wrekin's specialist premium offering, visit here: wrekinproducts.com

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About Wrekin Products:

Wrekin Products is a leading UK designer, manufacturer and supplier of specialist geosynthetic products for the civil engineering industry. Geosynthetic products play an integral role in many building, civil and marine engineering projects. Recognising this, Wrekin has established technical expertise and a full range of geosynthetic solutions for ground stabilisation, reinforcement, erosion control, drainage, environmental.