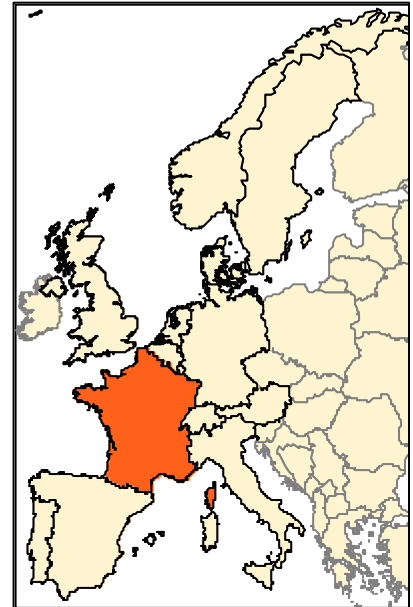


MultiNet France & Monaco Release 00.2

For turn-by-turn navigation and
all your high-end mapping applications



General Country Information France

Area (km²): 544.086
Population: 56.613.153
N° of Municipalities: 36.552
Capital: Paris

General Country Information Monaco

Area (km²): 2
Population: 29.999
N° of Municipalities: 1
Capital: Monaco

About MultiNet

MultiNet is an outstanding vector database carrying highly detailed information on the roads of an entire country with details of intersections and junctions plus information on railways and waterways. The Street Network includes house number ranges in many cities and urban areas.

The street and road data provides complete traffic information, including restrictions and blocked passages, indications of toll roads and ferry connections, RDS/TMC information and signposts. MultiNet also has two classifications of the road network, specially tuned for navigation and optimal route calculation.

Administrative areas — ranging from national to local level — are identified, and postal codes are included for many countries. A full categorization of land use indicates the presence of, for example industrial areas, harbors and beaches, woodland and parks, woods, heaths and moors.

Thousands of points of interest (POI) are recorded. These include airports, railway stations, hospitals, garages, petrol stations, hotels, restaurants, post offices, car rental facilities and many more.

MultiNet also contains Update Information on creation, modification and deletion of geographic data, allowing customers to selectively, incrementally or differentially update the digital core map of their application.

Phonetic transcriptions can be obtained optionally. These allow 'Text to Speech' and 'Automatic Speech Recognition' in a variety of applications.

Available countries

Austria, Belgium, Denmark, France & Monaco, Germany, Great-Britain, Italy, Luxembourg, Norway, Portugal, Spain & Andorra, Sweden, Switzerland & Liechtenstein, The Netherlands

New

- ✓ Increase of Street Network
- ✓ Addition of house number ranges in St.-Etienne & Nantes
- ✓ More points of interest
- ✓ Extension of RDS/TMC codes
- ✓ New contents according to MultiNet version 3.0

Apart from the normal field surveys, quality checks and the processing of product defect reports the following improvements have been made:

In a number of major cities, such as Bayonne, Montbéliard, Poitiers, Troyes and Valence, all streets have been captured in the database allowing you to reach even the smallest local street.

In the metropolitan areas of Paris PC & Lyon and in the cities of Strasbourg, Nantes and St. Etienne you can find an address in no time thanks to our house number ranges. They define in what part and on which side of the street a certain address is located.

Are you looking for a hotel, restaurant, petrol station, ...? No problem, in MultiNet France more than 109.000 points of interest are available.

RDS/TMC codes have been extended up to 97% of the locations along motorways.

Furthermore a number of new features of the MultiNet 3.0 specifications are included in this product; e.g. new POI classes, freeway intersection type...

Format / Co-ordinate System

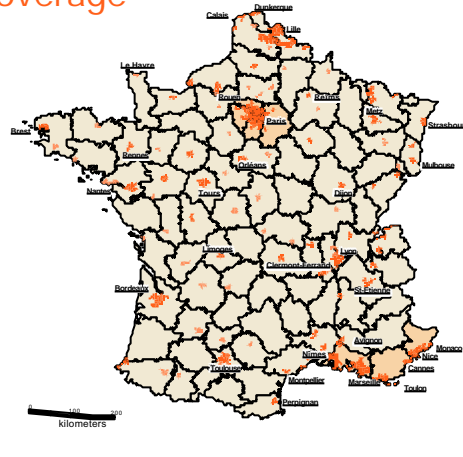
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Co-ordinate System: WGS'84

Contents

- ✓ Roads (Name, Alternate Name, Blocked Passage, Composite Form of Way, Direction of Traffic Flow, House Number Ranges, Form of Way, Freeway, Functional Road Class, Plural Junction, Positional Accuracy, Restricted Time Validity, Road Condition, Road Display Class, Road Geometry Completeness, Route Number, Side of Line, Slip Road Type, Special Restrictions, Stubble, Processing Status, Toll Road, Vehicle Type, Z-Level Information)
- ✓ Intersections (Type, Name)
- ✓ Junctions (Type)
- ✓ Address Areas (Name)
- ✓ Enclosed Traffic Area
- ✓ Ferry Connections (Alternate name, Direction of Traffic Flow, Type, Functional Road Class, Net 1 Class, Road Display Class)
- ✓ Administrative Areas (Centre Point of Feature, Boundary Element, Boundary Element Junction)
 - ✓ Country (ISO Code, Name)
 - ✓ Region (Official Code & Name)
 - ✓ Department (Network Type, Official Code & Name)
 - ✓ Municipality (Network Type, Official Code & Name, Population, Population Class)
 - ✓ Municipal District (Official Code)
- ✓ Settlements and Named Areas (Name)
- ✓ Brunnels (Type, Name)
- ✓ Railways (Railway Edge, Element & Element Junction, Railway Node)
- ✓ Land Cover and Land Use (Name, Type)
 - ✓ Woodland
 - ✓ Park/Garden
 - ✓ Island
 - ✓ Industrial Area
 - ✓ Industrial Harbour Area
 - ✓ Moor/Heath
- ✓ Waterways (Name, Display Class)
- ✓ Points of Interest (Entry Point, Name, Brand Name, Telephone & Fax Number)
 - ✓ Airline Access
 - ✓ Parking Garage
 - ✓ Airport
 - ✓ Petrol Station
 - ✓ Car Dealer
 - ✓ Post Office
 - ✓ City Centre
 - ✓ Railway Station
 - ✓ Ferry Terminal
 - ✓ Rent-a-Car Facility
 - ✓ Frontier Crossing
 - ✓ Rent-a-Car Parking
 - ✓ Government Office
 - ✓ Rest Area
 - ✓ Hospital/Polyclinic
 - ✓ Restaurant
 - ✓ Hotel or Motel
 - ✓ Shopping Centre
 - ✓ Open Parking Area
 - ✓ Stadium
- ✓ Relationships (e.g. Road Element in Administrative Area, Service in Administrative Area, Road Element in Built-up Area, etc.)

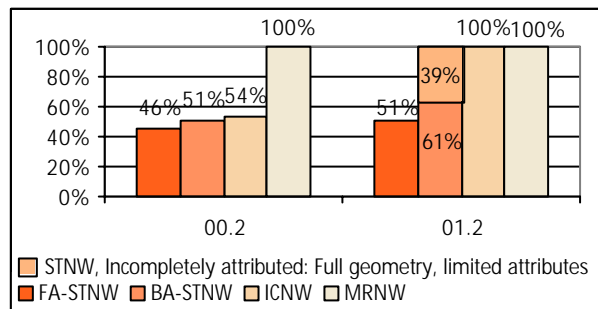
† Please note that the contents can differ from region to region

Coverage



	# of Mun.	% of Pop.
Street Network Fully Attributed	1.640	46%
Street Network Basic Attributed	1.978	51%
Interconnecting Network	3.176	54%
Major Road Network	36.553	100%
House Number Ranges	181	14%

Overview of present and future Coverage



Applications

MultiNet can be used in applications such as GIS, on-line mapping and PC applications and in new technologies like WAP and PDA.

It is the ideal base map for advanced turn-by-turn navigation applications and sophisticated traffic management and telematics applications.

Why?

- ✓ MultiNet contains features like RDS/TMC location codes, relationships, phonetic transcriptions* and signposts specially tuned for navigation applications. On top, additional network classifications enable optimal route calculation.
- ✓ The format GDF (CEN: international standard) allows for possible content extensions to meet future technology requirements
- ✓ The product is being updated twice a year.
- ✓ A MultiNet product "Major Roads of Europe" connecting most cities of Europe, is available and can be combined with the detailed country products.

* currently only toponyms for Germany are available.