

# **Tradate (Province of Varese, Italy)** Piazza Unità d'Italia

Thanks to the contribution of the Lombardy Region (L.R. No. 9, 2020 - Operations to promote economic recovery), Tradate local council decided to carry out radical work on Piazza Unità d'Italia, built at the end of the 1980s, which was being used as a carpark and was in very poor condition.

was replaced with new, pervious paving in exactly the same pattern. The designer decided to replace the red Trentino porphyry blocks with Cuasso al Monte pink porphyry, the white Carrara marble cubes with white Montorfano granite and the large concrete tiles with cubes of Luserna stone. All the elements were installed using the loosebed method and were grouted with MAPESTONE JOINT solvent-free, polyurethane binder to guarthe stone was mainly installed in a dovetail pattern. And there were also two new features for the pleasure of young and old alike: the carpet of stone blocks included the design of a chess board and a hopscotch court.



## **TECHNICAL DATA**

Year of the intervention: 2021 Client: Tradate City

Design: Filippo Maffiolini Works direction: Filippo Maffiolini

## Stone materials:

Cuasso al Monte pink porphyry, white Carrara marble, white Montorfano granite, Luserna stone

Project manager: Marco Cassinelli

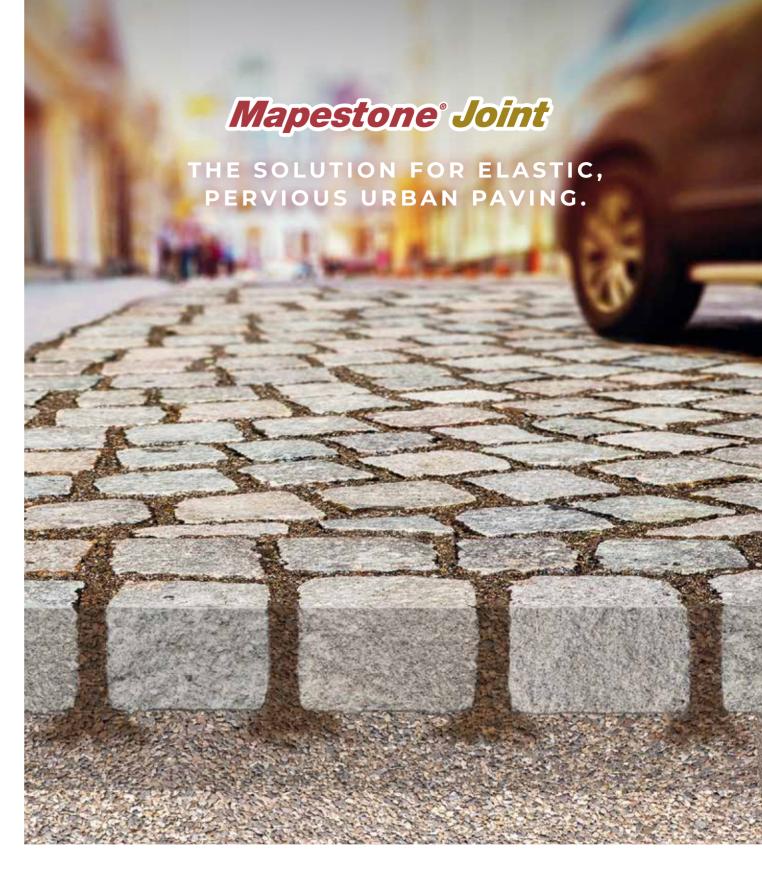
#### Main contractor: I.G.E.S. srl Installation company: Appia Antica Srl Mapei coordinator:

Grazia Signori and Marcello Deganutti, Mapei SpA (Italy)

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