

Service Record
2e Régiment Etranger

Lineal Descent of the Regiment

2e Régiment de la Légion Etranger Created 1841

Formed with the 4e & 5e bataillons of the Légion Etranger

2e Régiment Etranger Created 1856

Formed in Algeria with a cadre of the two regiments of the 1er Légion Etranger.

2e Régiment Etranger Created 1885

Formed 1st January 1885 by doubling the Légion Etranger which was by the decree of 14th December 1884.

Commanding Officers

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Colonel De Sénilies	1841
Colonel Certain-Canrobert	1848
Colonel de Noue	1848
Colonel Carbuccia	1848
Colonel Coeur	1850
Colonel de Caprez	1855
Colonel de Chabrière	1855

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Colonel De Chabrière	1855
Colonel Signorino	1859
Colonel Butet	1859

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Colonel Hugot	1885
Colonel Letellier	1886
Colonel Gillet	1890
Colonel Oudri	1893
Colonel Gosse-Dubois	1895
Colonel Béranger	1896

Principal Campaigns & Battles

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1841 - 1854	In Algeria - Djidjelli, Bougie 1842, Biska, Aurès 1844, Collo, Zaatcha 1849
1854 - 1855	Armée d'Orient - The Alma, Balaclava, Inkerman 1854, Sebastapol

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1856 - 1859 In Algeria - Grand-Kabylie, Souk-al-Arba,
Ichériden 1857
1859 Armée d'Italie - San-Martino, Magenta, Melegna-
no, Solferino

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1885 - 1895 Tonkin Expedition - Son-Tay, Bac-Ninh 1884,
Tuyen-Quanm, Dong-Son, Dong-Dang, Bang-Bo, Lang-Son,
Kelung 1885, Chochu 1889, Yen-Thé 1892, Pa-Nai 1896
1892 - 1893 In Sudan
1892 - 1894 Dahomey Expedition - Dogba, Pogueessa, Adégou,
Koto, Onakon, Abomey
1893 - 1897 In Siam
1894 Grench Guiana (1 company)
1895 - 1899 Madagascar - Sabotsy, Taking of Tannanarive
1895, Vohinghezo 1898

Battle Honours:

Sébastapol 1855; Kabylie 1857; Magenta 1859;
Camerone 1859; Extrême-Orient

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