

Service Record
1er Régiment de Chasseurs d'Afrique
1832 - 1900

Lineal Descent of the Regiment

1er Régiment de Chasseurs d'Afrique Created 1831

Formed on 1st March 1832 (by Royal Ordinance of 17th November 1831) in Algeria from the two squadrons of Chasseurs Algériens which were part of the Corps de Zouaves) and 300 volunteers from various cavalry regiments.

Commanding Officers

Colonel Schauenburg	1832
Colonel Thérion	1838
Colonel Le Pays de Bourjoly	1839
Colonel Korte	1840
Colonel Martin de Bourgon	1843
Colonel Richepance	1845
Colonel Cassaignolles	1851
Colonel de Ferrabouc	1852
Colonel de Salignac-Fénelon	1855
Colonel de Montalembert	1859
Colonel Reinaud Boulogne de Lascours	1859
Colonel Margueritte	1864
Colonel Clicquot de Mentque	1866
Colonel Rouher	1871
Colonel Palanque	1874
Colonel Donnat	1876
Colonel Brunetière	1879
Colonel Vuillemot	1883
Colonel Bonnefous	1886
Colonel De Chalendar	1892
Colonel De Laforcade	1896

Principal Campaigns & Battles

1832 - 1837	In Algeria - Occupation of Mitidja, Constantine Expedition 1837
1836 - 1847	In Algeria - Portes-de-Fer Expedition 1839, Cinq-Cyprès 1839, Médéd Expedition 1840, Isly 1844
1849 - 1854	In Algeria - Bou-Sadda Expedition, Taking of Zaatcha 1849, Taking of Laghouat 1852, Expeditions in Kabylie
1854 - 1855	Armée d'Orient, The Alma, Balclava, Inkerman, Tchernaya, Traktir Bridge
1856 - 1857	in Algeria - Conquest of Grand-Kabylie
1859	Armée d'Italie - Montebello, Solferino, Rivalta
1860 - 1861	Syrian expedition
1862 - 1866	Mexico Expedition - San-Andrès 1862, San-Pablo-del-Monte 1863, San-Lorenzo, Puebla 1863,

Santiago, Matehuala, Agua-Nueva 1864, Los
 Veranos, Oajaca 1865
 1864 - 1869 In Algeria - 1864 Insurrection, Babours, Oum-
 Debdeb 1869
 1870 Armée du Rhin & Armée de Châlons - Pont-U-
 Mousson, Sedan
 1870 - 1871 Armée de la Loire - Villerporcher
 In Algeria - 1871 Insurrection, El-Amri Expedi-
 tion 1876, Aurés Expedition 1879 - 1880, South
 Oran 1881, Madena, Medrissa, Tadjournas, Ain-
 Reheb, In Tunisia - El-Goléa Expedition,
 Ouargia 1881, Annexation of M'Zab 1882 - 1883
 1884 - 1885 Tonkin expedition - Bac-Ninh, Bac-Lé 1884,
 Lang-Son, Tuyen-Quan, Hang-Hoa
 1895 Madagascar (1 squadron) - Mevatanaana, Tsaraso-
 tra, Andriba, The Ambohimenas, Sahotsy, Tanna-
 nanrive

Battle Honours:

Isly 1844; Balaclava 1854; Solferino 1859; San-Pablo-del-Monte
 1863, Extrême-Orient; Madagascar

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